

2017 TERM 4 RE-ENROLMENT – SALE CAMPUS

2017 Term Dates

Our 2017 term dates are shown below. We will roughly follow school terms but with **3 week holiday** breaks. Classes **will** run on public holidays.

Term 3 Monday 24th July – Thursday 21st September (9 weeks)

Term 4 Monday 16th October – Thursday 14th December (9 weeks)

**** In order to receive any discounts including the 5% multiple class discount, 10% family discount and the troupe discount for students enrolled in ballet, jazz and tap - fees must be paid in full before the end of the term. Please note that fees paid after 21/9/17 will not be eligible for any discounts! ****

Parent watching in Term 4

In Term 4, Kinder Dance and Pre-Primary parents are asked to please watch classes from outside the studio. This is because we need to maximise class time in preparation for our concerts and it has worked very well in the last few years. Thank you for your co-operation.

IMPORTANT - Concert Information

All concert information was sent home in an envelope with students. Please ensure the form is returned before the end of Term 3, otherwise your child/ren will not be eligible to participate. Families also cannot buy concert tickets without the included voucher so please ensure this is put in a safe place. Thank you!

Term 4 Re-enrolment

- Please see the reverse of this newsletter for the 2017 timetable.
- **SOME CLASSES ARE FULL – PLEASE RE-ENROL ASAP TO SECURE YOUR SPOT FOR TERM 3! Current students can re-enrol before the end of Term 3. Spots will then be offered to new students. Do not turn up to a class in Term 4 without re-enrolling!**
- Students with outstanding fees from Term 3 will not be permitted to enrol or dance in Term 4 until the account has been settled.
- To enrol for Term 4, please fill out the attached re-enrolment form and return it with a \$25 deposit **per student per class** (or full payment in order to receive discounts) to P.O. Box 1616, Sale 3850 or place it in the payment box in Studio 1 at the studio before the end of Term 3. Payments can be made by credit card, cash or direct deposit. You will then be sent an invoice for the balance.
- Don't forget you can re-enrol online with your credit card at www.leapsandbounds.com.au by clicking on the 'Enrol' button.
- Please note that deposits are non-refundable and credits are not issued for absences due to illness or holidays.
- Parents should notify Leaps and Bounds if contact details change (phone, address, email).

NOTE: The balance of Term 4 fees is payable before Monday 16th October 2017 in order to avoid the student losing their place in their class. If you are having trouble paying, please phone Jenny on 5144 5744 to arrange a payment plan before Term 4 begins.

TERM FEES FOR 2017 – FEES WILL REMAIN THE SAME FOR ALL TERMS

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| 30 mins | \$85.00 |
| 45 mins | \$104.00 |
| 1 hr | \$122.00 |
| 1.5 hrs | \$150.00 |

Private Lessons

Please ensure that **24 hours notice** is given for private lessons being missed. Our staff travel from Melbourne to teach at Leaps and Bounds and often the gaps in their shift can be filled if we know in advance. For those students doing private lessons on a **Saturday**, these will commence for Term 4 on Saturday 14th October (weekend before Term 4 classes begin) and finish on Saturday 18th November, the weekend before concert dress rehearsal.

ZUMBA/Adult dance classes

The last ZUMBA class for Term 3 will be held on Monday 18th September. We will resume on Monday 16th October. Everyone is welcome to come along and try Zumba for only \$8 (casual payment). Our next 9-week course for Adult Burlesque/Belly Dance, Adult Ballet Body and Adult Jazz/Hip Hop will also commence the week of the 16th October. Classes with waiting lists will be opened up to new enrolments after 21st September when Term 3 finishes. Cost is \$104 per class for the 9-weeks (discounts if you do more than one class per week! See the Adult Dance Classes section on our website for more details!)

Dancewear for class

We would like to see all students dressed appropriately for classes in Term 4. **Please note that students in Primary level and above require correct shoes for class, as these will be required for the end-of-year concert.** Ballet students must be dressed in a ballet dress or leotard and skirt. Hair should be off the face and preferably in a bun. All students in Test 1 and above should have buns for class every week. Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop and Contemporary students should wear tight fitting clothing that does not restrict movement – denim items and school uniforms are not appropriate for class. Please contact Jenny if you wish to purchase Capezio dancewear through Leaps and Bounds.

Child safety

Please remember that young children should not be left unsupervised before/after classes. Teachers are not responsible for children outside of their class times. Students who are waiting at the studio must be respectful of the building and should remain seated in one of the waiting areas. We consider it dangerous for students to wait on Raymond Street at night time – please come into the building to collect your children.

Eisteddfods and exams

Congratulations to all of our eisteddfod students for their amazing efforts and beautiful dancing at the recent eisteddfods. Adjudicator's awards were won by Georgia Bloink, Stephanie Steminger, Allannah Williams and Brooke Ainsworth at the Morwell eisteddfod. Bailee Smith also won a scholarship to the Transit Dance Summer School at the Leongatha eisteddfod. Well done girls! Good luck to all of our students who are sitting ATOD ballet exams this week and also to those who are competing in the upcoming Latrobe Valley eisteddfod in Traralgon – our final competition for the year!

My staff and I wish all Leaps and Bounds families a safe and happy holiday.

Jenny Cumming
Principal