

Handbook 2019



STUDIO INFORMATION

Dancing Styles:

- R.A.D Classical Ballet
- Glenn Wood Tap
- Jazz
- Hip Hop
- Contemporary
- JFH – Jazz, Funk, Hip Hop
- Show Group
- Wiggle and Giggle – For children aged 2 ½ years – 3 ½ years
- Funky 4s - For children aged 4 -6
- Acro
- School Leavers: 17 – 25 years
- Adults Class

Exams

Studio 23 provides students with opportunities to do examinations in RAD Ballet and Glenn Wood Tap. Exams are not compulsory.

Students in **Primary and above** wishing to participate in **Ballet** exams **must attend two Ballet lessons a week**. We will be offering a class for exam students only. To qualify, students must be attending two Ballet lessons a week.

All ballet examinations will include a fee that is not included in class fees.

RAD Ballet

Grades are as follows -

- Pre-Primary – 5 years +
- Primary – 6 years +
- Grade 1 – 7 years +
- Grade 2 to 5 – 8 years +
- Intermediate foundation/ Intermediate/ Adv – 12 years & over

Glenn Wood Tap

Levels do not have any age requirements but follow a similar structure to the way ballet is graded

Jazz will be grouped in school year groups. The levels are as follows -

- Pre Primary: Kindergarten
- Primary: Year 1
- Pre Junior: Year 2 & 3
- Junior: Year 3 & 4
- Pre- Intermediate: Year 5, 6 & 7
- Intermediate: Year 7, 8 & 9
- Senior: Year 10 and above

CONCERT

DATES 2019

Saturday 17 Nov - Dress Rehearsal all ages

Sunday 1st December – Babies Concert 10.00am
Junior Concert 2:00pm

Sunday 8 December – Senior Concert 12.00pm

ACRO 2019

This year we will be grading Acro in both Ability and Age. We believe this will help both Teachers and Students get the most out of the class.

Students wishing to enrol in Acro are advised that classes will be on a Thursday and Friday afternoon, a place and timeslot will be offered to your child after they have been graded.

Grading will take place Friday 1st and Friday 8th Feb 2019.

Dress Code

We highly encourage students to wear items of their studio uniform with pride to class.

It is very important for students to be well groomed and dressed each time they come to class.

This includes, **HAIR**. Hair should be neatly pulled back and off the face. Ballet students **must have their hair in a bun from Grade 2 and up.**

Wiggle & Giggle, Funky 4's and Ballet students

- All Grades of Ballet should wear a leotard to class.
- **Wiggle, Funky 4's, Pre Primary & Primary Ballet should wear a skirt and matching Leotard**
- Ballet Shoes
- Character Shoes Grade 1- 4 Ballet

Boys

- Black Shorts
- Studio 23 T – Shirt, comfortable T-shirt, Leotard
- Black Ballet flats / Jazz Shoes or Sneaker
- Black Tap shoes

Jazz / Hip Hop / Tap / Contemporary

- Studio 23 Uniform is preferred.
- Leotard
- Leotard/shorts or tights

Shoes

Jazz shoes

- Camel Jazz Shoes (split sole) Pre Primary – Pre Junior Jazz
- Black Jazz Shoes (split sole) Junior Jazz – Senior Jazz

Tap shoes

- Camel Tap Shoes Pre Primary – Level 4
- Black Tap Shoes (Lace Up) Level 5 and up

Holiday Workshops:

The studio will be closed during the second week of each School Holidays.

During the first week of school holidays, we run Holiday Workshops. Where possible Show Group and Exam students should be available for classes during the first week of Holidays.

Safety and Welfare:

No Nut Policy

No Bullying Policy

Punctuality

Personal Responsibility of Belongings

Parental responsibility

Please refer to a copy of this policy that will be emailed out.

Dates for Terms and Holidays

Term 1 – Starts Monday 11 February. Finishes Saturday 13 April.

Term 2 - Starts Monday 29 April. Finishes Saturday 6 July.

Term 3 - Starts Monday 22 July. Finishes Saturday 28 September

Term 4 - Starts Monday 14 October. Finishes Saturday 14 December.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS –

These all fall in the school holidays except one. The Studio will be closed the Saturday & Monday in June.

- Saturday 8 June & Monday 10 June - Queens Birthday Long Weekend

STUDENT TEACHER CADETSHIP

We will still be having our current Student teachers assisting with classes. However, we would like to introduce a new program to encourage younger students to be more involved with the studio community and mould our up and coming student teachers.

Fee and Payment Policy:

Enrolment Fee:

- \$50.00 per student
- \$65.00 per family

This fee must be paid to secure your child's position in classes for 2019. This fee covers administration, insurance, music copyright and the end of year trophy.

Wiggle & Giggle and Funky 4 Students and Ladies – "The Class Card"

The card will be inclusive of 5 lessons and will be signed off by the class teacher each time it is used. \$60 card will be used for Wiggle & Giggle Students and the \$70 card for Funky 4's and Ladies. The cards will be available to purchase at the Official Studios.

Class Fees

25 minute class – \$10.00 per class

30 minute class – \$12.00 per class

45 minute class – \$14.00 per class

1 hour class – \$16.00 per class

1.25 hour class - \$18.00 per class

Wiggle & Giggle - \$12.00

Funky 4's - \$14.00

Multiple Class Discount

5 + Classes – A single student who participates in 5 - 8 classes (20% Discount)

9 + Classes – A single student who participate in 9+ classes (40% Discount)

Acro – No discounts apply.

Show Group - \$20 a week. No discounts apply to these classes. This covers all entry costs and any extra rehearsals.

Bank Account Details:

Bank Account Name: Studio Twenty Three

BSB: 062 218

Account Number: 1010 2673

Accounts Contact Details

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SHOW GROUP

Show Group is our performance and competitive troupes. They are great fun for aspiring young dancers who want a taste of "the industry" and what it's really like. We are extremely proud of the work and effort that is put in to make these dances showstoppers! If you would like to see more information regarding our Show Group – please let Miss Beth know your interest.

Auditions will be held on Thursday 31st January at the Official Studio.

- All Age Groups - We will split on the afternoon 5.00pm – 7.00pm

PRIVATE LESSONS

If you would like a Private lesson in 2019 please contact Miss Beth or Miss Nicole so we may try and arrange a time for you.

Private lessons will not start until the 3rd week of term once we have worked out any timetabling issues

MULTICLASS DISCOUNT

**Please note that Showgroup & Acro count towards total number of classes for multiclass discount, but do not have the discount applied to them.*