

Little Ballerinas



It is amazing that it is already week 5 of this term!
I send another warm welcome to all our new students at Little Ballerinas and their families.

I hope that our adorable Mummy & me, Dance FunTime and Fairy Ballet students are enjoying their classes ~ they certainly are demonstrating a love for dance and learning quite a bit in a class.



This term sees Little Ballerinas celebrating!!
I thank all our parents who have chosen us as your dance school, as we now have over 250 students currently enrolled this term.
We immensely thank you for your support and your trust in our classes and the creative programs that we teach.



Nominate Little Ballerinas in The LEADER AWARDS

Thank you to all the parents who have so far nominated Little Ballerinas in the Sutherland Shire Leader Local Business Awards.

In the space of just 6 months we have absolutely blossomed as a business and I am very proud of what has been achieved.

**SUTHERLAND SHIRE
LOCAL BUSINESS AWARDS**

If you like what we do and knowing how much your daughter likes attending class, you can easily vote in class by simply signing a form. These are available till Saturday 20th August.
Voting simply nominates a business to potentially be a finalist, after that it is purely criteria based. {Who knows how many votes are required.....but I thought we'd give it a go!}

Likewise, you can vote online at http://www.precedent.net/public/Forms/NSW_Home.aspx?ID=suther

Just be sure you are voting in the SUTHERLAND SHIRE section and NEW BUSINESS category and yes if you attend St George area classes, you can vote!

Tell your family and friends to vote too! Thank you for your support!

Uniforms

Uniforms in Fairy Ballet & Dance FunTime are important for three important reasons:

1. Uniforms foster a sense of purpose and pride in a student,
2. It certainly makes preparing for dance class in the morning so much easier! This routine of dressing also assists both parents and children for future practices with school. and most importantly,
3. Demonstrates equal standing amongst peers and enables children to focus on their teachers and class with less distraction .

Yes believe it or not; bulky green, blue, red or yellow jumpers do cause distractions in class! Please do not dress your daughter in them for class!

I appreciate the majority of parents who dress their daughter correctly all the time.



Dance FunTime

These classes started to look a little like a box of hundreds and thousands last term!
{The only exception to our uniform is for students who attend both Fairy Ballet & Dance FunTime}

- Little Ballerinas T
 - Coloured leggings—black, pink, purple work best for uniformity.
- If your daughter wishes to wear a short pettiskirt, that is fine. Please keep within our colours ~ pink, purple, white and black and it is important that the Little Ballerinas T is worn still.
Please note—no fairy dresses are to be worn to class.
 - Pink, white, purple or black long sleeve top under T is best in winter.
 - Ballets are the recommended shoe.

Fairy Ballet

- Little Ballerinas class tutu
 - Pink ballets with stockings/socks
- Pink or white wrap/long sleeve top during winter

The most recent order of Little Ballerinas T-shirts have been delayed. Please wear suitable coloured top to class in the meantime in Dance FunTime & Mummy & me.

Facebook and Website

For those that are not on Facebook and a liker of our page you should be!

It is the easiest way to communicate news to parents and it keeps you up to date with news, gorgeous little anecdotes from classes & parents; along with other interesting things. LIKE us to TODAY!

We have exclusive competitions to Facebook from time to time too, including

concert tickets and 50% discounts off term fees.

Who would want to miss out on that!



If you haven't looked at our website recently, make sure you do.

Beautifully updated with gorgeous photos from classes.

Capture me Photography took all these photos for us.

Thank you Renee!



September Raffle

WIN \$100 VOUCHER or a PETTISKIRT!

Little Ballerinas will be holding a raffle this term come September.

Tickets will be organised in class ~ get involved and be lucky too!

Money raised will contribute directly to purchasing additional beautiful quality props for the students to use in class. Your daughter loves using props and they are an important factor in enhancing and exploring movement.

\$2 per ticket or \$10 for 6 tickets.

FIRST PRIZE:

A \$100 voucher to either Aria or Luke Benchmark. You choose whether stay local or go in the city!

SECOND & THIRD PRIZE: A pettiskirt and matching headband kindly donated by Fairy Frocks. Retail at \$50 each. Thank you Lisa!

This great

raffle will

commence

September 5th

till September

24th with the

winners drawn

in class Monday

19th September



lukebenchmark
restaurant & oyster bar



The only Shire restaurant to feature in the SMH GOOD FOOD GUIDE 2011!

Little reminders for class!

- Please ensure your daughter goes to the toilet before class.
- Water bottles need to be labeled and please remember to take home!
- Excessive costume jewellery should not be worn to class as they get in the way, likewise with hair accessories that have a great tendency to fall out!
- Please respect that classes are closed to parents from the point where the teacher indicates at the start of the lesson to when the teacher opens the door to you at the complete end of the lesson. For a young child to focus and ideally participate fully in the class without distraction, they require a calm, organized space with an obvious person of authority ie who to listen to. Trust that your child will throw focus to their teacher sooner if you are not sitting watching them or in their complete line of sight. Naturally we make certain exceptions when needed from time to time at the teacher's discretion.
- A quick confident goodbye exit from Mum or Dad or Nan makes it all the easier on the child too.....generally! ;-)
- As you know the first lesson you are invited to watch the entire class and also watching day is last day of term. Load of fun and as I always say.....anything can happen!
- Label ballet shoes and Little Ballerinas T's.
- Please actively walk with your daughter over to the roll table for their stickers each lesson.

Thank you ~ your co-operation in these above matters really do make for more cohesive lessons.

All children
are stars...

let them
shine and
twinkle!





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