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TERM 4 NEWSLETTER 2018

What a hugely productive term 3 we have had!! Thank you to students, teachers & parents for making our exam sessions run so smoothly. I am THRILLED with our RAD Vocational Ballet exam results - they are OUTSTANDING! Special mention must be made of Ariana Buttar (89%) for Intermediate Ballet and Emily Hannon (84%) marks for Advanced Foundation Ballet. All of that hard work paid off! We look forward to hearing the rest of our exam results soon...

Well done to Bart's boys and Amy Lampp who performed at a special fundraising concert for 'Starship.' Our '188 Hip Hop crew' Marian & Malissa Sun & Emily Hannon also travelled to Wellington & performed at the Chinese Moon Festival showcase.

I'm sure all of those who went and saw 'Wicked' will agree that Miss Emma & Miss Marian did MDZ proud (3) A fantastic production!

Miss Maxene thoroughly enjoyed judging in Christchurch and saw some AMAZING dancer's while there.

HUGE CONGRATULATIONS to Ariana Buttar, Mikah BatachEl, Lily McDonald, Emily Sutherland, Amanda Hayward, Ivy Yang & Alana Holroyd who have been chosen as Child extras to perform with the Royal New Zealand Ballet in the 'Nutcracker' production to be held on Wednesday the 28th of November. We are all so proud of you! Make sure you get your tickets early!!

In Week 1 of Term 4, Palmerston North will be hosting PACANZ – the performing art's Nationals for New Zealand. Marian Sun (TAP) will be competing in this prestigious competition. It would be wonderful to see as many MDZ students there to support her. On the Monday (Labour day) there are open classes available for all. Please check the noticeboard for further details on these.

Now, on to the 'fun time!' our annual recital. This year we are doing 'THE **SNOW QUEEN'** We had such a fun 'reveal' week! This is such a beautiful show which will have a 'touch of Frozen' in it too!! Dates for the show are FRIDAY 30th November, SATURDAY 1st December - Matinee and Night show at the Speirs Centre PNBHS.

We start off term 4 with our new timetable and then will follow onto our rehearsal schedule as we get closer to the show. Please note all exam levels have gone up to the next grade on the timetable – we have tried to keep the times the same where possible for term four.

Keep an eye on the notice board where parent helper lists/costume information will be posted as term 4 gets underway.

IMPORTANT DATES:

MANAWATU COMPS 29th Sept- 4th[™] OCT

WANGANU COMPS 11TH **13TH OCTOBER**

PACANZ NATIONALS-REGENT THEATRE (Marian competing) OCT 19^{TH-}22nd

NZAMD AWARDS-WELLINGTON <mark>ОСТ 26^{тн} –28^{тн}</mark>

RNZB THE **NUTCRACKER'** 28TH NOVEMBER

DRESS REHEARSALS 24TH & 29TH **NOVEMBER**

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RECITAL

BREAK-UP TBC



Awesome news: we have some new classes available in term 4: **5 years+ NEW PRE PRIMARY BALLET CLASS** starting up on **THURSDAY'S** Victoria Ave 4.15-4.45. The grounding to all dance – an EXCELLENT place to start **7years+ (No upper age limit!) NEW MUSICAL THEATRE – 4.30-5.30** Wednesday's Vic Ave. Sing, dance & act to your favourite Musical Theatre shows. **9+ BEG – prep CONTEMPORARY – THURSDAY'S 6pm-6.45** Victoria Ave. **5+ BEG JAZZ/HIP HOP – THURSDAY'S 5.30-6pm** Victoria Ave. **9+ BEG HIP HOP – WEDNESDAY'S 3.30-4.15pm** Cuba Street. **5+ BOY'S ONLY HIP HOP – FRIDAY'S** Cuba Street.

Please spread the word to your friends about these classes. Anyone wanting to pick up another form of dance- term 4 is a good time to do this as it is when new steps from new levels are being learnt. Please let Miss Maxene now asap if you would like a place in one of these or another class.

Please check out our timetable and fees via our website <u>www.maximumdance.co.nz</u> Remember to see regular updates on facebook also. The early bird fees for term 4 are due by the 12/10/18. Term 4 starts on the 15th of October. Full fees due by the 26/10/18.

Thank you to all parents and students for a wonderful term. We really do have an awesome dance school and you guys make it that way[®]

Looking forward to helping you reach for the stars!

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