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TERM 2 NEWSLETTER 2019

What a wonderful start to 2019 we have had. Congratulations to all of our students who have performed at various events and done so well in the competitions during term 1.

Miss Maxene started 2019 winning 'Gold' at the Masters in Tap dance! She also attended an RAD teacher's 'business' course in Wellington & an 'online' course in PN. These courses are so beneficial and important to keep up to date. **Miss Emma Jane** judged the New Plymouth competitions this term.

Cameron Greer and **Pippin BatacheI** had an amazing time at 'Project B' in Wellington. This is the first time the RAD have run a 'Boy's only' workshop and it was very inspiring. **Mikah BatacheI** and **Ariana Buttar** were lucky enough to attend a workshop with Claudia Dean. **Ariana Buttar** was accepted into the 'En Pointe' extension course held weekly in Wellington also – Congratulations!

Congratulations to the students who have been chosen for **Miss Chanel's MDZ Hip Hop Crew & Miss Emma's contemporary crew**. It has been exciting to see our competition students doing new dances and we have had some awesome results during term 1.

Once again, we had such an overwhelming response to our Free Workshops at the beginning of the term. Thank you to all of you who brought along your friends.

Congratulations to former student - **LILY BOURNE** on her fabulous performance in the Boys high /Girls High school production of 'The Adam's family'.

LA DANCE TOUR It is very exciting that 36 MDZ students/family members will be going to dance at Disneyland in LA in September 2020. This is such a phenomenal opportunity and experience which we are lucky to do with 'She Shines On' tours. There is still space for those 12 years+ to apply. We will have some fun fundraising activities coming up over the next year+ and would really appreciate your support.

FRONT OF CUBA STUDIO - MDZ has expanded into the front room at Cuba and will be providing a viewing window soon! This will be a great way to create less distraction for students & teacher's so they can optimize their class times.

IMPORTANT DATES:

MANAWATU COMPETITIONS 12th – 18th APRIL

ISTD VOCATIONAL JAZZ COURSE 15TH-17TH April

WEDDING SINGER 19th April- 4th May

NZAMD EXAM STUDENTS COACHING LESSONS 23rd- 27th April

WANGANUI COMPS 24th – 26th APRIL

PHOENIX W.SHOP 27th -28th April

ABTC Tap comps 5-6th May

10th May RAD BALLET VOCATIONAL EXAMS CLOSING DATE

17th MAY ISTD TAP/MODERN JAZZ EXAM ENTRIES CLOSIGN DATE

JUON POINTE COURSE 26TH MAY

31st MAY RAD BALLET GRADES EXAMS CLOSING DATE

GISBORNE & TAUPO COMPS 31ST - 3RD June

22nd JUNE- 6th JULY NZAMD HIP HOP & CONTEMPORARY & other genres EXAMS

8th- 12th JULY WINTER SCHOOL – VOCATIONAL BALLET STUDENTS

15th – 20th JULY COACHING WEEK FOR ALL EXAM STUDENTS

AUGUST 1st – 3rd RAD VOCATIONAL BALLET EXAMS

LES MISERABLES August 9th- 24th

AUGUST 12th – 22nd SEPT ISTD EXAM PERIOD

AUGUST 20th - SEPT 11th RAD BALLET GRADE EXAMS

September Holidays PNDA comps/Wanganui comps PACANZ

NATIONALS PN 19th- 22nd Oct

1st – 3rd OCTOBER NZAMD Scholarship Awards WLGTN

RECITAL 29th & 30th Nov

CHRISTMAS BREAK-UP

Miss Maxene is looking forward to judging the Ballet & Jazz competitions in Napier over Easter.

Les Miserables A huge congratulations to **Olive Look** who has been cast as one of the Cosette's in this amazing show. Also, to **Aria & Andrew Jamieson, Miss Maxene & Miss Emma** who are in the ensemble. Le Mis will be on at the Regent in August.



'THE WEDDING SINGER'

We are so excited to see what **Miss Emma** has choreographed for this fun show! Be sure to get your tickets to see **Miss Kayla, Miss Brie, Amy White & Katina** performing too. At the Globe Theatre from April 19th.

All the best to students who are performing in Competitions during the holidays and participating at 'Phoenix' dance workshop.

Miss Emma, Miss Kristina, Miss Maxene, Miss Emma Jane and Miss Chanel look forward to seeing many of you at their **NZAMD exam lessons in week 2 of the holidays**.

Term two will see some of our students sit their RAD vocational & NZAMD exams. Extra classes/mocks will be scheduled where needed.

Please make sure you have warm crossover etc to start classes off now we are into Autumn.

Parents please remember to keep up to date each term with the information posted on our website www.maximumdance.co.nz you can also find us on **facebook** which is regularly updated. At the end of each term the next term's information is posted on the website with early bird fees available also.

Miss Kristina, Miss Chanel, Miss Emma, Miss Emma Jane, Miss Madeline, Miss India, Miss Kayla, Mr Bart, Miss Maddie and Miss Maxene wish you all a relaxing holiday. We look forward to seeing you back at dancing for term 2 from Monday the 29th of April. Please note **NO** classes on **Queens Birthday** Monday the 3rd of June.

Kind regards,

Miss Maxene & the teaching team at MDZ ☺