

SUSAN ROBINSON SCHOOL OF BALLET

Summer Term Newsletter 2014

Dear Parents and Friends,

The school now is busy with rehearsals for our forthcoming production at the Rhoda McGaw Theatre from July 1st to July 5th.

We are delighted with our results from The Royal Academy of Dance examination session at the end of last term.

22 pupils took Grade examinations 18 passing with Distinction and 4 with Merit.

6 candidates took Primary in Dance 4 passing with a Gold Medal and 2 with a Silver.

Congratulations to Cameron Helsby on passing Intermediate with Distinction and to Elle Iddenden-Dwyer for her Merit in Intermediate Foundation

Bravo to our 90 Club, Emma Lewis 95 Grade 7, Jade Cawthraw 91 Grade 7 and Lily Suchet 90 Grade 3

Saying goodbye to our senior students is always very emotional particularly this year as the Advanced 2 girls have been a golden group. Congratulations to Rebecca Mabin and Katie Valentine who are going to English National Ballet School in September, Imogen Alvares to Rambert School, Grace Buskell, who has been awarded a scholarship to the School of Ballet Theatre UK (where one of the senior members of the company is our own Julia Davies) and Lauren Hurst who is going to represent our school at the International Genee Competition in Belgium in September.

We were delighted when Rebecca Mabin won the Phyllis Bedells Bursary of £1,000 at the Royal Academy of Dance before a prestigious panel of judges which included Gary Avis of the Royal Ballet.

At the Easter Dance Forward course the Wayne Sleep Foundation Scholarship was awarded to Sarah Trinder with commendations for Olivia Jones and Erin King.

I will be away examining over half term and beg your patience whilst we produce our show and maintain normal classes. There will be a small examination session on 21st July and a longer session, possibly over three days, in December (provisional dates 18th, 19th and 20th December).

Congratulations to Miss Vicky on the birth of Joseph. We are confident he will have inherent rhythm and will soon be tapping his spoon in time to the music. We are delighted Miss Roberta will be increasing her teaching hours with us from September.

Thank you all for your support as we all endeavour to bring your children to the understanding of beautiful classical ballet.

DATES

AUTUMN TERM

Starts Monday 15th September

Half term Monday 20th October to Saturday 1st November inclusive

Resume Monday 3rd November

Term ends Saturday 6th December

(see earlier for provisional exam dates)

Byfleet Parish Day Saturday 19th July (we will be dancing)

Epworth Choir Christmas Concert Saturday December 13th HG Wells Centre
Woking

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