

2021 END OF YEAR CONCERT HANDBOOK

THIS HANDBOOK COVERS ALL OF
THE MOST IMPORTANT DETAILS
FAMILIES NEED TO KNOW ABOUT
THIS YEARS CONCERT.

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HOW TO USE THIS HANDBOOK

WE KNOW THAT IT CAN BE A LITTLE OVERWHELMING WHEN YOU RECIEVE DETAILS ABOUT THE CONCERTS. OUR MOTTO IS ALWAYS TO OFFER MORE RATHER THAN LESS INFORMATION AS IT REDUCES ANY STRESSES THAT YOU OR YOUR CHILD MIGHT FEEL TOWARDS THESE EVENTS.

This handbook has been COLOUR CODED to ensure you can easily and simply find the information you need.



If your child is aged 6years and over, it is likely they will be performing in the **JUNIOR+SENIOR SHOW**. This information has been coded in **PINK**. *(see class list below)*



If your child is aged Under 6years and dances in a Cupcakes Class, 5-6years class, 4-6years class or Prep Ballet Class then your child will be dancing in the **CUPCAKES+PREP SHOW**. This information has been coded in **BLUE**. *(see class list below)*

YOU WILL FIND LISTS OF THE CLASSES ARE PERFORMING IN EACH CONCERT FURTHER INTO THIS DOCUMENT, HOWEVER THE FOLLOWING CLASSES ARE NOT PERFORMING IN ANY CONCERT CLASSES AS THEY ARE TECHNIQUE ONLY:



Mon Aqua Acro with Ruby
 Mon Green Acro with Ruby
 Mon Violet Acro with Ruby
 Mon Orange Acro with Ruby
 Mon White/Yellow Acro with Ruby
 Tue Little Ninjas with Ruby
 Tue Level 1-2 Ballet with Georgina
 Tue Level 3-4 Ballet with Georgina
 Tue Level 5-6 Ballet with Georgina

Sat Aqua Acro with Chloe
 Sat Green Acro with Olivia
 Sat Violet Acro with Olivia
 Sat Orange Acro with Olivia
 Sat White Acro with Olivia
 Sat Yellow Acro with Molly

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JUNIOR + SENIOR SHOW

THE FOLLOWING CLASSES WILL BE PERFORMING IN THE JUNIOR + SENIOR SHOW ON 24TH OCT AT CROWN

Mon 6-7yr Jazz with Olivia
 Mon 8-9yr Jazz with Sophie
 Mon 6-9yr Hip Hop with Ramon
 Mon 10-12yr Hip Hop with Ramon
 Mon 13-14yr Hip Hop with Ramon
 Mon 15+yr Hip Hop with Ramon
 Mon 13+yr Contemporary with Sian
 Mon 10-12yr Jazz with Sian
 Mon 13+yr Jazz with Sian
 Tue Open Ballet with Georgina
 Tue Pointe with Georgina
 Tue 5-9yr Tap with Sophie
 Tue 8-9yr Jazz with Ruby
 Tue 6-7yr Jazz with Ruby
 Tue 13+yr Contemporary with Jarrett
 Tue 13+yr Jazz with Jarrett
 Tue 13+yr Lyrical with Jarrett
 Tue Aqua/Green Acro with Cassie
 Tue Violet/Orange Acro with Cassie
 Tue White/Yellow Acro with Cassie
 Wed 6-9yr Hip Hop with Reece
 Wed 10-12yr Hip Hop with Reece
 Wed 13+yr Hip Hop with Reece
 Wed 10-12yr Contemporary with Jarrett
 Wed Level 1 Tap with Jarrett
 Wed Level 2-3 Tap with Jarrett
 Wed 10-12yr Jazz with Olivia
 Wed 10-12yr Lyrical with Olivia
 Thur Violet/Orange Acro with Olivia
 Thur White/Yellow Acro with Olivia
 Thur 13+yr Hip Hop with Sian
 Thur 15+yr Lyrical with Sian
 Thur 15+yr Jazz with Caris
 Thur 13-14yr Jazz with Caris
 Fri Level 1-2 Ballet with Georgina
 Fri Level 3-4 Ballet with Georgina
 Fri Level 5-6 Ballet with Georgina

Fri 6-9yr Hip Hop with Cassie
 Fri 10-12yr Lyrical with Cassie
 Fri 10-12yr Jazz with Cassie
 Fri 10-12yr Hip Hop with Cassie
 Fri Aqua/Green Acro with Olivia
 Fri 6-9yr Jazz with Olivia
 Fri 6-9yr Lyrical with Olivia
 Sat 5-9yr Song & Dance with Emily
 Sat 6-7yr Jazz with Emily
 Sat 8-9yr Jazz with Sian
 Sat 6-9yr Lyrical with Sian
 Sat 6-9yr Hip Hop with Cassie
 Sat 10-12yr Hip Hop with Cassie
 Sat 13+yr Hip Hop with Cassie
 Sat 13+yr Jazz with Cassie
 Sat 10-12yr Lyrical with Sophie
 Sat 10-12yr Jazz with Sophie
 Sat 13+yr Lyrical with Sophie
 Sat 6-9yr Tap with Sophie
 Sat Level 1-2 Tap with Sophie
 Sat Level 3 Tap with Sophie
 Sat Breakin' Foundations with Brendan
 Sat Breakin' Cipher with Brendan
 XLR8 Minis
 XLR8 Juniors
 XLR8 Inters
 XLR8 Open
 XLR8 PrePro
 Thunder Acro
 Roar Tap
 GRN-ENVY (Crew A)
 NRG (Crew B)
 Illusion (Crew C)
 STARZ Jnr
 STARZ Snr

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IMPORTANT DATES

WHO // All students over the age of 6years who take part in a concert or competition class (not including technique only ballet & acro classes)

WHERE // Crown Theatre, Great Eastern Hwy Burswood

WHEN // Sunday 24th October (there is likely to be 2x concerts on this day that all students will be required to perform in - including 1x matinee and 1x afternoon show. Details TBC)

DRESS REHEARSAL // Saturday 23rd October at Dance etc Studio. There will be no classes on this day as the studio will be used for block rehearsals. Exact times TBC.

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NEW CONCERT FORMAT

Our aim for our 2021 Concert at Crown is to reformat our shows in a way that showcases our dancers individually regardless of how many classes they take part in and really make this a performance to remember!

While we know everyone loves a Dance etc concert we understand that it is a long day, especially for younger dancers so we have worked hard to keep the same high performance standard while shortening the overall length of our concert experience.

In short this will bring our concerts down from 6 hours to approximately 2.5 hours...

To achieve this, rather than each class performing one 3minute class item, classes will be coming together to perform mini production items which will see classes smoothly transition from one to the other creating a fun, action packed combined performance. We are excited to see all dancers having their moment to shine on stage PLUS we will also be utilising Crown's incredible lighting and visual effects department to create a truly professional level performance. We cannot give away too much as we want for our families and students to be captivated by a few surprises we have in store but we can guarantee that this unique new format will be unlike any other you've witnessed before from Dance etc.



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ESTIMATE OF COSTS

We always endeavour to do our absolute best to keep fees at a minimum and we attempt to give as much notice as possible when invoices are coming your way. To ensure you understand the financial commitment, please see the following estimate of costs:

Concert Participation Fee = \$25 (single) \$40 (family)

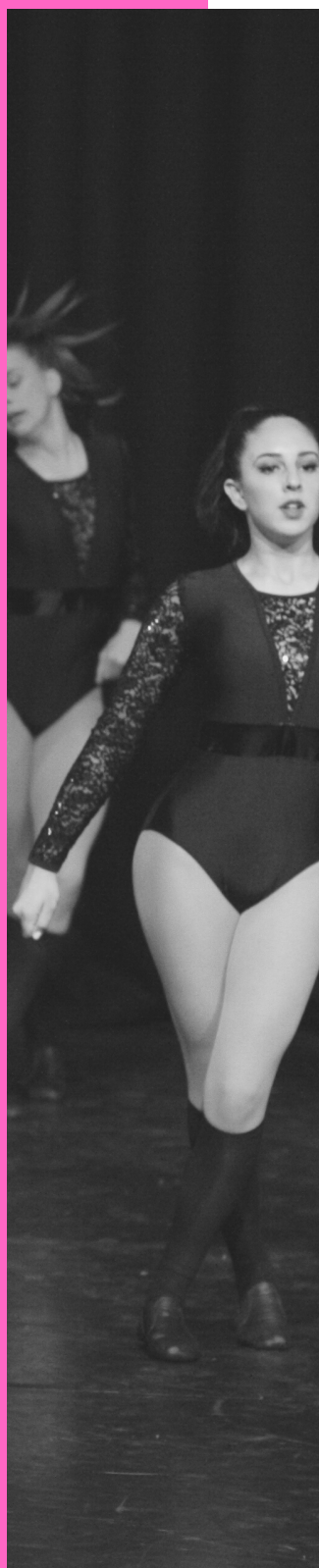
This is a new fee we are introducing this year which will cover your participation in the Compulsory Dress Rehearsal on Sat 23rd October, allows you access to ALL concert photos of your dancers' class and finale PLUS the professional video of your child's performances. By putting together one easy fee to cover all photos and videos this takes the stress off you to remember to submit your order form and ensures you don't miss out on the precious memories created on this special day. Generally speaking, Videos can be upwards of \$45 with professional photos costing you \$7-\$15 per image.

Costumes = \$0 - \$55

We work hard to keep costume invoices to a minimum by utilising basic items from home and our extensive range of hire costumes we have in-house. We recognise you don't need to spend hundreds of dollars to have an effective costume and consistently source quality, budget costumes that look great on stage. Costs will vary from class to class depending on the costume allocated however as a guide last year's average price for costumes was \$20 per class.

Concert Tickets = \$20 - \$35

We try to keep ticket costs realistic and affordable to allow dancers to invite as many or as few people as they wish. Also, by ensuring everyone receives a concert video, it means no one will miss out on watching the show if a friend or family member is unable to attend the performance on the day due to travel restrictions.



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DRESS REHEARSAL

We will be holding a Production Rehearsal on Sat 23rd Oct. If you are wishing to participate in the concert it is compulsory that you be available for this date. A schedule will go out closer to the time with specific times that your dancer is required for. This rehearsal will allow dancers to rehearse their production items together with the other dancers from other classes to ensure they feel confident dancing together.

We can appreciate that this is an additional rehearsal day and it is not always convenient, however this will greatly improve the confidence of your child and will be a fabulously fun team bonding experience for everyone involved.

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CUPCAKES + PREP SHOW

THE FOLLOWING CLASSES WILL BE PERFORMING IN THE CUPCAKES+PREP SHOW ON NOVEMBER 28TH AT SACRED HEART COLLEGE.

MMon 2-3yr CC Dance with Olivia
Mon 3-4yr CC Dance with Olivia
Mon 4-5yr CC Dance with Olivia
Mon 2-3yr CC Acro with Ruby
Mon 4-5yr CC Acro with Ruby
Mon 4-6yr Hip Hop with Ramon
Mon 5-6yr Jazz with Olivia
Tue 2-3yr CC Acro with Ruby
Tue 4-5yr CC Acro with Ruby
Tue 4-5yr CC Dance with Ruby
Tue Prep Ballet with Georgina
Wed 2-3yr CC Dance with Ruby
Wed 3-4yr CC Dance with Ruby
Wed 4-5yr CC Dance with Ruby
Thur 2-3yr CC Dance with Ruby
Thur 3-4yr CC Dance with Ruby
Thur 4-5yr CC Dance with Ruby
Thur 5-6yr Jazz
Fri 2-3yr CC Dance with Ruby
Fri 3-4yr CC Dance with Ruby
Fri 4-5yr CC Dance with Ruby

Fri 4-5yr CC Acro with Ruby
Fri Prep Ballet with Georgina
Sat 2-3yr CC Dance with Sian
Sat 4-5yr CC Dance with Sian
Sat 3-5yr CC Tap with Sian
Sat 3-5yr CC Acro with Chloe
Sat 5-6yr Jazz with Emily
Sat 4-6yr Hip Hop with Cassie
XLR8 Minis
XLR8 Juniors
XLR8 Inters
XLR8 Open
XLR8 PrePro
Thunder Acro
Roar Tap
GRN-ENVY (Crew A)
NRG (Crew B)
Illusion (Crew C)

CUPCAKES+PREP CONCERT

WHO // All students UNDER the age of 6years who take part in a Cupcakes class, 4-6years class, prep class or 5-6years class (including all competitive teams)

WHERE // Sacred Heart College, Hocking Pde Sorrento

WHEN // Sunday 28th November (there is likely to be ore than one show scheduled on this day with students being allocated ONE show for their performance. Details TBC)

DRESS REHEARSAL // There are no formal dress rehearsals to be scheduled for dancers in this show.



CUPCAKES + PREP CONCERT



Our youngest dancers deserve to have a positive & stress free first dance concert experience and that is exactly what we aim to achieve through our unique concert format that has been loved for many years!

We are excited to be bringing our Cupcakes+Prep dancers back to Sacred Heart College for 2021. As always, our Cupcakes+Prep concert is very low-key with minimal costume and no hair and make-up requirements. We do not have our Cupcakes+Prep students backstage for the duration of the show. Instead they remain seated at the front of the auditorium allowing them to watch the other students performances! We make our Cupcakes+Prep really inclusive for our youngest dancers to ensure a happy, positive and rewarding experience!

Generally there will be multiple shows on the day of the concert with students only required to perform their routine in one show (minimising your commitment required).

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ESTIMATE OF COSTS:

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Concert Participation Fee = \$20 (single) \$30 (family)

This is a new fee in 2021 & covers your access to ALL concert photos of your dancers' class AND a video of your dancers' performance. By putting together one easy invoice to cover all photos and videos this takes the stress off you to remember to submit your order form and ensures you don't miss out on the precious memories created on this special day. Generally, the professional video costs upwards of \$45 with individual photos costing between \$7-\$15 per image so this is a huge savings for families.

Costumes = \$0 - \$30

We work hard to keep costume invoices to a minimum by utilising basic items from home and our extensive range of hire costumes. We understand you don't need to spend hundreds of dollars to have an effective costume and consistently source quality, budget costumes that look great on stage. Costs will vary from class to class depending on the costume allocated however as a guide last year's average price for costumes was \$10 per class.

Concert Tickets = \$20 - \$35

We keep ticket costs realistic and affordable to allow dancers to invite as many people as they wish to watch their performance. Also, by ensuring everyone receives a concert video, it means no one will miss out on watching the show if a friend or family member is unable to attend the performance on the day due to travel restrictions.

FAQ'S

IS THE CONCERT COMPULSORY?

It has never been compulsory to participate in our end of year concerts. While we encourage everyone to do so as it is a great experience and a highlight of the Dance etc calendar year we understand that it just may not fit into your schedule this year. If you DO NOT wish to participate, please let us know by Friday 21st May. If we are not notified by this time, we will assume you are wishing to participate and Concert invoices will be sent. If you notify us after the above date, you may be liable for additional payments.

IS THERE A DRESS REHEARSAL?

The only dress rehearsal is scheduled on Saturday 23rd of October and is for students dancing in the Junior + Senior concert at Crown on the 24th of October. There is no extra rehearsal for the Cupcakes+Prep Show. Details on the Dress rehearsal for the Junior + Senior Show is on page 7

WHEN WILL WE FIND OUT EXACTLY HOW MUCH COSTUMES ARE ETC?

We are just finalising the details for each performance item including the song, costumes etc and this will be released in Term 3.

WHEN DO TICKETS GO ON SALE?

We are putting together this information however generally tickets go on sale 1-2months before the date of the show. This information will be released asap.

I HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION!

We are available by phone, email or in person during normal studio opening hours! Please get in touch and we would be happy to help.