

DIARY DATES

Monday 31st March – Saturday 3rd May:

Leotard Ordering Dates

Sunday 27th July:

Balgowlah Interclub

Sunday 10th August:

Figtree Interclub

Sunday 23rd November:

Junior National Finals

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to all old members as we look forward to another happy and successful year. A special welcome to all new club members – we hope you enjoy physical culture for a long time.

New members are still being welcomed in all classes including ladies – it is not too late to start. Have you invited a friend to join our club? Have you made a new member feel welcome?

If you are able to distribute leaflets at your local school or pre-school please see Mrs Phillemore (secretary) or if you are able to include our club in your school newsletter!

FEES & REGISTRATIONS

A prompt payment of fees and registrations is appreciated. As you can imagine our hall costs are extensive and must be paid in advance. The last day for current members to pay registration is Saturday 29th March.

CLASS MANNERS

Parents of class members are most welcome and encouraged to **watch** lessons on condition that they do not interfere during lessons at any time. Small children, if present during lessons must be **quietly** controlled. Whitlam Centre by-

laws state: 'No child under 10 years may wander around the centre unsupervised'.

Could everyone move quickly at the conclusion of the lesson, so that the next class can settle in. In the interest of children having a lesson – *Do not sit, stand or stretch at or near the entrance (front) of the hall.*

Members preparing for the next class are reminded to please keep their conversations at a *low level* so that they do not disturb the class in progress.

EASTER SHOW PERFORMANCE

Congratulations to Elyse, Skye and Stacey from the 11-12 year class who represented us at a performance in the Main Arena at the Royal Easter Show. I know they worked very hard, and have heard that they did a fantastic job.

CD'S, VIDEOS AND DVD'S

Orders are now being taken for the BJP syllabus CD and DVD. I do recommend that you purchase one or both of these to help with your practice. These all have a COPYRIGHT attached, under NO circumstances may they be copied in part or full for any reason.

CD - \$22 available April
(**CD 1** – 5 yrs to 1st yr seniors)
(**CD 2** – 2nd yr seniors to ladies)

DVD - \$42 available end MAY
No VHS videos will be produced this year.

TRACKSUITS

We are at the moment sourcing a new supplier for our tracksuits as our previous one has stopped trading. However if you are interested in purchasing a club tracksuit or jacket please inform Mrs Phillemore (secretary) of your interest as this will give us some idea of the numbers we are looking at. We are trying to find good quality at a reasonable price to suit everyone.

FUNDRAISING

To help cover expenses, purchase trophies, leotards, and similar benefits for club members a raffle will be held in April and your support is appreciated in purchasing the tickets. The prizes are very special – see separate note.

CLUB GRADING

Congratulations to all 2007 club members on the 2008 club grading results:

JUNIORS 5 – 14 YEARS : A Grade
SENIORS : A Grade
LADIES : Championship

LEOTARD INFORMATION

Designs and colours for 2008 competition leotards may be viewed on the Danz Design website: www.danzdesign.com.au

Or see Mrs Phillemore for further information. Leotards may only be purchased from *DANZ DESIGN* at Unit 1, 159 Penshurst Street, Beverly Hills.

Junior leotards (5 – 12 years) \$45
Senior/Ladies (13 years on) \$54
...with hologram contrast or buckle \$58
Body stockings \$20 - \$22

Orders and purchases from 31st Mar - 3rd May.

Shop Hours:

9:30 – 5:00 pm Mon to Wed, and Friday
9:30 – 7:00 pm Thursday
9:00 – 3:00 pm Saturday
10:00 – 2:00 pm Sunday (ONLY 6th APRIL & 27th APRIL)

Closed Anzac Day

Phone: 9580 1966

All Leotards must be paid for on day of purchase or order. Payment can be made by cash, cheque, eftpos, mastercard or visa. Last day to order is **Saturday 4th MAY.**

No re-ordering this year.

Liverpool Club exclusive night:

Wednesday 16th APRIL 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Please inform Robyn if you will be coming on this night.

Robyn will also be at Danz Design on:

Thursday 24th APRIL 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

INTERCLUB COMPETITIONS

Sunday July 27th – Balgowlah Interclub
Sunday August 10th – Figtree Interclub

More information will follow later concerning these competitions.

These are friendly social competitions held between clubs to help familiarise girls with the pattern of competitions. They are a very worthwhile experience and an exciting part of your physie year. I would encourage all club members from 5 years through to ladies to at least enter one if not both of these events.