

Newsletter March 2022

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Lessons finish this term on Monday March 28th.
 Classes at Oakley village Hall on Jan 4th were rescheduled for March 29th.

We've had a very successful year: students have taken many exams this term, with the highest mark being 94/100!
 Lots of our students attend Associate schemes at BTUK, MIDAS, The Academy of Balletic Arts, & Triple Threat Associates. If you would like to audition please speak to us for advice.
 As always, due to hard work & dedication our students have progressed and taken exams, this means it is necessary to make changes to the timetable, I have kept them to a minimum. I've worked exceptionally hard to make the timetable work, to try and put lessons together if you attend more than one.

Students can wait at the halls between classes again. We are lacking waiting rooms, but all halls have a foyer or small area.
Your teacher, day and or hall might have changed. Please check carefully. I've tried to email previously if this is the case, or I've spoken to older students in class. If you are unsure, please speak to Keely. If I've made any mistakes, please let me know. Some classes have very small numbers; if you can recommend our classes please do. We are also happy to give out flyers, teach taster sessions at and give free trials. We are lucky enough to have 150 students dance with us every week, but it does make it difficult to organize times! Sometimes, classes may need to change days or join with another group.
 Private lessons – I've added initials for all current students who attend private lessons please let me know if these are okay? If you would like a private lesson please let me know.

	Saturday - Keely Clapham Village Hall		Monday – Miss Holly The Old School, Oakley		Monday - Olivia Oakley Village Hall
8.45am	Pre-School Ballet				
9:15am	Mini Movers 1 New Modern & tap class for ages 4 -7 years	4:00pm	Grade 2 Modern		
09:45am	Pre- Primary Ballet	4.30pm	Grade 1 Tap	4.15pm	Primary Ballet
10:15am	Grade 1 Ballet	5.00pm	Grade 1 Ballet	4:50pm	St 6 Ballet
10:45am	Mini Movers 2 Current class	5.35pm	Grade 4 Tap	5.30pm	Pointe (ST 6 / Inter)
11:15am	Grade 2 Ballet	6.15pm	Grade 5 Ballet	5:45pm	Advanced Jazz
11:45am	Grade 2 Tap	6:50pm	Pointe (Grade 5)	6:30pm	Inter/adv 1 Ballet
12.15pm	Grade 3 Modern	7:05pm	Grade 5 Modern	7:15pm	Pointe (Inter & Adv 1)
12:50pm	Grade 3 Ballet	7:50pm	Grade 5 tap	7:35pm	Private lesson SV & GE
1:25pm	Grade 4 Ballet	8:30pm	End	8:05pm	End
2:05pm	Grade 4 Modern				
2:50pm	Grade 4 Tap				
3:30pm	Grade 5 Ballet				
4:15pm	End				
	Tuesday – Kieran/Holly Oakley Village Hall		Tuesday -Keely Clapham Village Hall		Wednesdays- Keely Clapham village hall
4:00pm	Mini Musical Theatre	4:05pm	Grade 4 Modern	4:20pm	Inter f ballet
4:30pm	Junior Acro (Current Acro 1&2)	4:40pm	Grade 2 & 3 Ballet	5:10pm	PBT
5:15pm	Senior Musical Theatre 1	5:15pm	Inter Tap	5:40pm	Inter Ballet
5:50pm	Senior Acro (Current Acro3&4)	6:00pm	Adv 1 Modern	6:25pm	Inter Modern (Stay till 7:20)
6:35pm	Senior Contemporary	6:45pm	Grade 6 Tap	7:10pm	Grade 6 Modern
7:15pm	Senior Musical Theatre 2	7:30pm	Adv 1 Ballet	7:45pm	Standard 6 Ballet
7:50pm	End	8:15pm	End	8:30pm	End
	Thursday – Small Room at Oakley Village Hall	Keely/ Olivia	Thursday – Oakley Village Hall		<p><u>SENIOR MUSICAL THEATRE</u> We have too many students for one class! So, I've split the lesson in 2. I suggest Year 6 & 7 in lesson 1 and year 8 and above in lesson 2. But we can make exceptions if needed.</p> <p><u>JUNIOR MUSICAL THEATRE</u> You can pick Mini Musical Theatre or Senior Musical Theatre 1.</p>
4:00pm	Private Lesson - OG	4.00pm	Private lesson - LW		
4:30pm	Grade 2 Ballet	4:30pm	Grade 3 Ballet		
5:10pm	Private Lesson - BR	5:10pm	Foundation Jazz		
5:40pm	Pointe (Grade 5's who can't attend Mondays)				
5:55pm	Grade 4 Ballet	5:55pm	Grade 5 Ballet		
6:30pm	Pointe & Prep (Grade 4/5)	6:35pm	Inter Jazz		
6:45pm	Private Lesson IG				
7:15pm	Inter Ballet	7:15pm	Inter F Ballet		
8:00pm	Private Lesson GM	8:00pm	Private Lesson LG & AP		

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Thank you to everyone for following our social distancing rules. Please don't attend class if you are ill. Hand sanitizer will still be available to use.

At Clapham Village Hall on Saturdays, we have a few members of the public entering the hall. (You've probably seen the signs). Sometimes people are looking for football or to use the toilets. Unfortunately, this can cause a mess (grassy feet) and doesn't comply with my safeguarding policy. After discussions with the hall, it has been suggested that I ask a couple of parents to wait in the foyer when their student is in class. Unfortunately, the waiting room has been converted to a storage room, but we can put some chairs in the foyer. Would you be able to stay? If parents could take in turns to stay it would be very helpful.

I hope all our ballet students in Grade 2 and above can attend 2 classes a week, this will enable us to move through the work quicker and create stronger dancers. Generally, I only enter ballet students for exams and offer pointe work classes to students who attend 2 classes a week.

Please remember students should wear the correct uniform to class. From Grade 5 upwards ballet students should have hair tied into a bun, younger students are also encouraged to do this when possible.

The fee structure is staying the same: Lessons will still be invoiced per term in advance and will be sent by email; payment is due before the first lesson of term.

30 minutes lesson = £4.40

40 minutes lesson = £4.85

45 minutes or more = £5

Pointe or Pointe Prep lessons = £2

If you take 2 or 3 classes, the 2nd & 3rd lesson will be discounted by 25%

This refers to the length of lesson per week and the termly cost will depend how many weeks in the term.

Or you may choose the following options:

Fab 4 = £150

5 Star = £165

6 Mix = £180

7 Up = £190

After 8 = £200

This refers to the number of lessons a week, this is the cost per term.

Siblings will receive a 25% discount (you pay full price for 1 lesson; the others are discounted)

If siblings take multiple lessons, you could take advantage of our Double Bubble offer which means the cost will never be more than £275 total for the term for the whole family.

If your fees are more than £50, you can pay in 2 instalments. We ask for half a term notice if you plan to leave.

We have some private lessons available if you would like to book, please contact Keely.

Private lessons are £15 for 30 minutes or £22.50 for 40 minutes but can be shared.

We have a Rosina Andrews workshop on May 13th - Save the date!

Modern & Tap exams are confirmed for May 20th

I've applied for more exams on July 3rd, 10th & 17th but these are to be confirmed

Our next show is planned for Spring 2023.

Keely, Olivia, Holly, Kieran & Holly

Dancewear and traditional PAD clothes –

<https://dancing-daisy.co.uk/product-category/dance-schools-logo-uniform/power-academy-of-dance/?affiliates=39>

New PAD clothes –

[Power Dance Academy – Malley Sport UK](#) – open again next year

(This shop is only open at certain times of the year to enable Bulk printing.)

Dance uniform in class is compulsory, the other PAD clothes are optional.