

Dear Eisteddfod Students & Families,

Another busy and exciting Eisteddfod season is about to begin!

Thank you for your commitment to VSSS and I know you will enjoy this years competitions with fantastic routines and costumes and of course, amazing dancers! Thank you teachers, Jen Bels, Arna Elmes, Julie Kerr, Nardia Knapman, Cassandra Smith, Rachael Sutton, Michelle Warren.

COSTUMES ARE UNDERWAY, so PLEASE pay any monies to your teacher when requested. Cash is needed as it goes straight to the dressmakers. **NO MONEY, NO EISTEDDFOD. ALSO** the \$25 entry fee contribution which helps us with the enormous cost of entries into the competitions. **NO MONEY NO EISTEDDFOD.**

TRACK TOPS ARE ALSO BEING MADE – girls \$65, \$adults \$70. Cash in envelope please. The new style is phasing out previous one, so we are not recycling them. **BOYS**, Miss Jen is organizing a special one for you, but when the cost comes in, remember, **NO JACKET, NO EISTEDDFOD.**

EISTEDDFOD CABARET is at our studios on **SUNDAY 25TH APRIL.** Rehearsal time is 1p.m. until approximately 4p.m. it will be run in programme order which is not available at present. **CONCERT** time is 5p.m. until approximately 7.30p.m. **COST** for tickets, which are available at the door, is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children – dancers are free.

I would request that everyone brings a plate and drinks so that we may have some refreshments in the interval.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES PLEASE FOR NEW MEMBERS ONLY – you cannot perform without it.

DATES FOR EISTEDDFODS ARE NOT YET CONFIRMED, but below some indication.

NORTHERN BEACHES commences Sat May 1st. with Performing Arts styles and Ballet on Sundays, it continues every Sat & Sun until end of May, no other details yet.

EXTREME all groups will perform over 1 weekend – Sat 5th June for Ballet Contemporary, Lyrical & Tap. Sun 6th June for Jazz and HipHop Solos, duos, trios on 14th, 19th, & 20th June.

WINTER CHALLENGE(Shore School Theatre) all competition over one weekend – Sat & Sun 3rd & 4th July.

RYDE EISTEDDFOD COMMENCES 26TH June, with competitions 3rd July (Seniors, possibly solos) 24th & 31st July, 7th, 14th, 21st, 28 Aug, Sept 4.

HAPPY EISTEDDFODIN'

