

Elite School of Dance

December Newsletter & 2025 Concert Information

1. Photo Day

Photo day was a great success – thank you to Karlin Doherty-Bigara for helping in the dressing room. Please use the below link to purchase photos and videos.

<https://esod.myonline.photo/galleries>

2. Sherwood Festival

Unfortunately, the Sherwood Festival was cancelled due to rain. We love supporting the festival and look forward to being part of it again next year.

3. Dress Room Helpers – Thank You!

Below are the helpers for each show. We're so grateful for your support in the dressing rooms.

Afternoon Show

- Senior – Kellie
- Pre Senior – Kristy & Liz
- Intermediate – Karlin & Tanja
- Junior – Hayley & Sarah
- Tiny Tots – Amy, Tyra & Jade

Night Show

- Senior – Katie
- Pre Senior – Louise & Jessica
- Intermediate – Anna & Amy
- Junior – Lynette & Tamah
- Tiny Tots – Chelsea, Tyra & Jade

4. Raffle Donations & Extra Helpers

- Tiny Tots, Novice & Pre Junior: Non alcoholic drinks; Christmas or other items welcome
- Junior & Intermediate: Sweet items (non-perishable)
- Pre Senior: Savoury items (non-perishable)
- Senior: Non-alcoholic drinks; Christmas or other items welcome
- Opens & Teachers: Alcoholic drinks

We are still looking for volunteers at the tuckshop at both the afternoon and evening show. Please contact Mrs Muir ASAP to volunteer.

5. Concert Day – Saturday 13th December

10:30am	Pre Juniors – Opens arrive with hair and makeup done.
11:00am	Tiny Tots arrive with hair and makeup done.
12:00pm	Doors open for guests.
12:30pm	Afternoon concert commences.
1:30pm	Tiny Tots can be picked up at stage door.
3:00pm	Afternoon concert finishes & students can be picked up at stage door.
5:00pm	Tiny Tots – Opens arrive with hair and makeup.
6:00pm	Doors open for guests.
6:30pm	Evening concert commences.
7:30pm	Tiny tots can be picked up at stage door.
9:00pm	Evening show finishes & students can be picked up at stage door once dressing room is cleaned up.

Venue & Backstage Reminders

- No parking in teachers car park or near the roundabout at the performance venue
- Drop off and pick up from stage door only
- Parents are not permitted backstage unless previously registered as a dressing room helper
- Location: Centenary State High School, 1 Moolanda Street, Jindalee

6. Christmas Party – Thursday 18th December

Join us to celebrate the end of the year at the Sherwood Neighbourhood centre from 3:30pm – 6:00pm. Come in casual clothes and bring a plate of food for everyone to share!

7. Book in for 2026

Enrolments for 2026 are now open and filling up quickly! Please use the link below to book in:

<https://www.eliteschoolofdance.com.au/enrolment>

We are excited to see you all again next year! If you would like to be considered for the performance team and/or for a solo/duo/trio, please contact info@eliteschoolofdance.com.au

8. Outstanding Fees

Please ensure all outstanding fees are paid. If there are any issues, please see Mrs Muir.

9. Summer Workshops

We are thrilled to be able to bring back once again the summer workshops in 2026. These will be held over the weekend of the 24th – 25th of January. Our guest teachers and day schedule will be released soon.