



Brisbane City Youth Ballet

March Newsletter 2007

To supporters of BCYB,

Our staff and students look forward to another exciting year with BCYB, we have many beautiful programs for our 2007 season. We continue to invest all our efforts into building a successful Youth Ballet Company which provides an amazing opportunity for its young dancers.



Nutcracker Success!

Well done to all our BCYB performers who performed 6 shows for the Brisbane public. The feedback from our outside audience was overwhelming. Considering it was the first time we

promoted BCYB the response during the busy Christmas season was positive. We look forward to working even harder to establish a stronger following to be able to continue grand scale theatre productions.

New look *'Sleeping Beauty'*

All our 2007 cast members have changed roles for our public performances of 'Sleeping Beauty'. Every BCYB level is rehearsing the next level's roles which is exciting for them to be stepping up in preparation for yet another beautiful BCYB ballet. It is great to see a wonderful new line up of characters and even two beautiful Princess Auroras.



The Summer Series



We look forward to a beautifully choreographed series featuring each BCYB level in their very own classical repertoire.



Australian Ballet School



Congratulations to yet another BCYB student, Martha Godber selected in the ABS interstate program. Several other BCYB students are auditioning for Australia's leading school in June this year.



Dancing with BCYB

Is it too late to be a BCYB dancer for the 2007 season? The commencement of Term 2 is the cut off for acceptance in the youth ballet, this later acceptance will not be offered in the future. Being involved with the youth ballet is a yearly commitment due to the high standards the company achieves. Full commitment to all classical technique classes as well as consistent attendance to youth ballet classes is what is expected from all BCYB dancers.



Australian Ballet Company

Well Done to Saranja Crowe for performing yet again with the Australian Ballet Company in their recent Brisbane season of Don Quixote and also to younger fellow student Nikita Bedwell.

Becoming a Friend

Becoming a BCYB Friend gives you the opportunity to make an important difference to a youth ballet company that is working very hard to give its young dancers the best possible opportunities. By donating funds for production costs or assisting with attaining sponsorship enables BCYB the necessary funds to cover set design and construction. Creating these story ballets is a enormous effort and requires significant funds. Not only would we like to cover our production costs but also to have an advertising budget. The ballets must be promoted in order to sell enough tickets to make a profit to then fund the next ballet. Please consider becoming part of the exciting future of this youth ballet company. There are many simple ways of showing your support that would also help us greatly. Brisbane City Youth Ballet welcomes voluntary assistance of our Friends. Please email me with your ideas of support and ways you would like to contribute to BCYB. Some ways you can help: * Preparation of Mail outs * hand/simple machine sewing * minor repairs and maintenance of sets * fundraising support * transportation of tarket & sets
Any other suggestions please email
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Our new LOGO



If you would like to wear a shirt/jumper (in white) with our new logo please bring your item/s of clothing to the studio clearly named and you can have it screen printed for just the cost of the printing.

Friends of BCYB

I would like to recognise the Godber family as our first family to donate to the 'Friends' and also for sourcing sponsorship.