

# MILDURA BALLET & DANCE GUILD INC.

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## COOLER WEATHER

It is getting quite cold now in the evenings, all students should ensure that winter warmies are worn to and from classes. All students should have long warm tracksuit pants and a fleecy jumper/ballet jacket. Mildura Ballet & Dance Guild Jackets are available for order now.

## Contemporary

Ms Hederics would like to remind all students that all eisteddfod dances must also be being practiced at home as well. The eisteddfod is now only less than 4 weeks away!!

Extra rehearsals will be scheduled before the eisteddfod with dates and times TBC.

## Mildura Ballet & Dance Guild Jackets

Mildura Ballet & Dance Guild Jackets may be ordered. Download the order form from the website. [www.milduraballetanddance.com.au](http://www.milduraballetanddance.com.au)

Go to the NEWSLETTERS AND FORMS page, the order form will be uploaded by 23 May.

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## Missing Costume

Gabby Herrmann is missing her Joan of Ark costume. The costume is 3/4 length and may have been picked up by someone by mistake. Can students please check costume bags etc to see if it hasn't been picked up in error.

## Mirrors Arts Centre

Mirrors are now in operation at the Mildura Arts Centre Theatre

The mirrors comply with new legislation for high impact activities to ensure students safety in the event of impact.

## Permission Slips

All permission slips for eisteddfod should now have been returned. If you have not returned your forms for costume hire, please do so asap.

## Names

Please ensure that all items of clothing including shoes and drink bottles are named. There is a number of items at both studios of lost property unclaimed. Please check to see if any of these items are yours.

## Eisteddfod / Tarkett

The tarkett needs to be moved from Studio 1 to the Mercy Theatre on Thursday 17 June. For use at the eisteddfod. If you can assist during the day we need strong fit people as it is heavy, please contact Jo Cottrell on 0438 236 539.

## Condolences

The Guild was very saddened to learn of the passing of Mr Vince Cricelli.

Our sincere condolences and thoughts go out to the family, Maria, Larry, Simone, Elise and family at this very difficult time.

## COMING UP

### Queens Birthday Holiday

Monday 14 June

No normal classes **unless specified - extra classes will be scheduled for CSTD exam students TBA**

### Mildura Eisteddfod

(Dance Sections)

18th-20th June

### CSTD Tap Exams

19-23 July To be confirmed

### CSTD Jazz Exams

19-23 July To be confirmed

## EXTRA REHEARSALS FOR TAP & JAZZ STUDENTS

Most students are well into learning work for the upcoming Eisteddfod and CSTD tap and modern jazz exams. With such a heavy workload I would like to run some extra rehearsals for a number of classes. Please check the list below to see if and when your child is required:

### JUNIOR JAZZ 1 & 2

As these students are sitting the same modern jazz exam (Grade 2) I would like them to come to both classes for the following dates-

Thu 27/5, Thu 3/6, Thu 10/6 4.45-5.30pm (Junior jazz 2 normal class time)

Sat 29/5, Sat 5/6, Sat 12/6 11.30am-12.15pm (Junior jazz 1 normal class time)

### ELEMENTARY BRONZE (Sat 10.45-11.15am)

EXTRA LESSONS: Wed 26/5 & Wed 2/6 5.30-6.45pm

### JAZZ/TAP 5

EXTRA LESSONS: Wed 9/6 & Wed 16/6 5.30-6.45pm

I will also hold lessons on the **Queen's birthday weekend (Monday 7/6)** and during the July school holidays (for exam students only). Classes and times to be advised. Exam candidates are to be officially entered by June 11 so I will be sending home letters in the final week of May. Please return them in the following week.

*Libby Kennedy*

## MIRROR, MIRROR

Ms Hederics has been very busy of late working on a new short film titled 'Mirror, Mirror.' Ms Hederics worked on this with Kim Chalmers (music) and Adam Hobbs (film and editing) and are proud to be involved in the 2010 Next Wave Festival in Melbourne. 'Mirror, Mirror' will be presented on the very large and shiny big screen at Federation square, times listed below! If anyone is in Melbourne on these days it would be great if you could get to Federation Square to see the film.



*Mirror, Mirror*  
a dance film by Sally Hederics,  
Adam Hobbs and Kim Chalmers

'There are no grades of vanity, there are only grades of ability in concealing it.'  
-Mark Twain

'Mirror, Mirror' looks at the non-verbal transmission of detestable, side-on self-loathing and the often debilitating force of insecurity. Employing a collage of observed and gathered truths and lies, this poetic and deeply personal work explores the fragility of beauty, secret vanity and the endless quest for flawlessness in a time of deceit, trickery and digital enhancement.

*Showing on the Big Screen at  
Federation Square during the  
2010 Next Wave Festival*

Thu 20th & Fri 21st May  
6.30pm - 7.30pm

Thu 27th & Fri 28th May  
6.30pm - 7.30pm

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