



ENCOMPASS DANCE

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WELCOME TO OUR

Monthly Newsletter



Our First Month!

As May draws to a close, we're reflecting on what has been an incredibly special and exciting time—our very first month as a dance school!

Launching Encompass Dance Academy has been a dream come true, and we feel so lucky to have shared this first chapter with such a supportive and enthusiastic community of dancers and families.

Whether your child walked into the studio as a total beginner or returned to dance with a spark in their eye, we've loved watching confidence grow, friendships form, and those first dance steps turn into something truly joyful. Thank you for being part of this beautiful beginning.

<u>In this</u> newsletter

Studio updates, new classes, top tips, reminders, a look ahead to June and more!

Key Dates for June

June 1 – New timetable starts & invoices sent out to families

June 7 - Invoices due

June 21 – Saturday lessons moved to 59th Newchapel Scout hut for this week only.





Uniform

We love seeing how smart everyone looks in their uniforms—ready to dance and shine! If you haven't already, and would like to order any uniform items, just let us know next time you're at the studio. Hoodies and T-shirts are available in all sizes—perfect to add to your dance wardrobe!



We'd Love Your Feedback

As we grow, your thoughts really help us shape the best experience possible. If you've enjoyed your first month, we'd love to hear about it! A quick chat in person, a message, or even a short review on Facebook or Google goes a long way. Your kind words help others find us and means so much to our little studio!



A Month of Firsts

THIS MONTH HAS BEEN FULL OF "FIRSTS" WE'LL NEVER FORGET:

- ✓ Welcoming our very first students through the studio doors
- ✓ Watching the first sparks of confidence bloom in every class
- ✓ Creating our first warm and encouraging space for dancers of all ages and levels
- ✓ Hearing the first waves of laughter, music, and movement fill the studio!

We truly appreciate your support and trust as we get started. We're proud of every dancer's progress, enthusiasm, and the positive energy they bring to each class week after week. It's been wonderful to see the growth and confidence developing already. Thank you for being part of this new adventure with us — we're excited to continue growing, learning, and sharing many more firsts together!





Community Workshop

BRINGING DANCE TO THE 59TH NEWCHAPEL CUBS

On 2nd May, we had the absolute pleasure of running a dance workshop with the 59th Newchapel Cubs. The evening was full of energy, enthusiasm, and fantastic teamwork as the Cubs threw themselves into learning new moves and working hard to perform a fun routine.

It was a joy to watch their confidence shine and to see how brilliantly they encouraged and supported each other throughout. A huge well done to everyone who took part — you were amazing, and we had such a great time dancing with you!

We hope to bring more sessions like this to other groups in the future — watch this space!



Timetable Updates!

EXCITING NEW CLASSES AND MORE CHANCES TO DANCE!

Thanks to your amazing enthusiasm, we're expanding our timetable with even more classes!

The 10–14 age group will move to Wednesdays to make space for new sessions. We're excited to introduce a new Adult Ballet class — perfect for beginners or those returning to ballet. Our popular Dance Fit classes are now 45 minutes long, giving you more time to enjoy every step. Plus, we're adding new Street Dance classes for 10–14 and 14+ dancers, offering more chances to learn and have fun.

We can't wait to see you in these new sessions as we grow together!

★ Miss Olivia's Tip of the Month ★

CARING FOR YOUR DANCE SHOES — TEA BAGS AND SIMPLE STORAGE TIPS

Keeping your dance shoes in great shape helphs them last longer and keeps you feeling confident on the dance floor! For ballet shoes, we recommend storing them in a dedicated ballet shoe bag—or any breathable bag that works just as well—to protect them from dirt and stains between classes.

For all types of dance shoes, popping a dry tea bag inside after use is a simple, natural way to absorb moisture and keep them smelling fresh. These little habits go a long way to keeping smelly feet at bay and your shoes feeling fresh!





Student Teachers

A SPOTLIGHT ON MISS MARTHA AND MISS ELLA

Miss Martha and Miss Ella bring such lovely energy and passion to the studio. They're always around to support the dancers and help keep things fun and welcoming for everyone. Their enthusiasm really helps boost confidence and makes coming to class something to look forward to each week.

We're so happy to have them as part of our dance family and can't wait to see all the great moments and progress we'll share together in the months ahead!

Studio Reminders

- To help build confidence, we ask parents to wait outside the studio after the first week.
- Please wait in the corridor before lessons start to help us stay organised.
- → If your child can't make a lesson, please let us know.
- Don't forget to check your emails for updates!
- We kindly ask for no photography during lessons to stay in line with safeguarding guidelines.

Thanks for helping keep our studio welcoming and running smoothly!



Looking Ahead to June

GROWING OUR DANCE FAMILY TOGETHER!

June is shaping up to be an amazing month at the studio! With new and extended classes starting, there are plenty of opportunities to try something new and challenge yourself.

Remember, you have a free trial in each style—so if you've been curious about adding another style to your dance journey, now's the perfect time to have a go and see what you enjoy!

We hope to continue seeing our dancers grow, develop skills, and build confidence each week. We're also excited to welcome more new faces into our dance family as we move forward.

Here's to a June full of progress, smiles, and lots of dancing fun!

Growing Together

It's been such a lovely start, and we're so proud of the dance family growing here at Encompass! If you know someone who might love to join us, feel free to share our details or send them our way—we'd love to welcome them in.

Let's keep dancing,
Miss Olivia & the Encompass Team

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