



St. Bernadette's Catholic Primary School

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CATHOLIC PERFORMING ARTS DANCING

Dear Parents,

This year St Bernadette's is looking at entering a dance troupe into the Catholic Performing Arts Festival. The school is looking at entering a group of roughly 24 children in Years 4-6, either boys or girls. As this is an all schools festival, successful applicants will be chosen on merit, as per other interschool events.

Auditions will be held on Monday March 19th 3:20-4:20. The children will be taught a short combination by Miss Barton, and then asked if they have any tricks they would like to show us (acrobatic tricks, leaps or turns). The auditions will be held in PPR.

For your child to be able to participate in the performance, we require a firm commitment to:

- Participate in a weekly rehearsal on Mondays from 3:20 – 4:40
- Pay a small cost involved for costumes eg- tights and shoes (estimating around \$60 if not already owned)
- Attendance of a full day and evening on the date of the competition during August-September (yet to be determined)
- Be involved in fundraising for the costumes and additional costs.
- Adherence to the school rule and values at all times, both inside and outside of school premises.

These dance classes will be taught and run by Miss Jessica Barton, a qualified dance teacher with the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dance. Miss Barton has been teaching dancing around WA for 10 years in acrobatics, lyrical, jazz, ballet, Irish and tap. Mrs Murphy will also be helping with supervision and running of the troupe.

If you wish to audition please return the slip below to the front office.

Kind Regards

Steve Gibbs
Principal

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Childs Name _____ Class _____

Parents Name _____ Contact number _____

Signature _____