

KICK PERFORMANCE GROUP

2012 CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

CLASSES AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS IN SCHOOL YEAR 10-12

DANCE

High School Ballet

Saturday *4.30pm-5.30pm* *\$145 per term*

Classes are designed for all students to enjoy and benefit from: good posture, music, body awareness and much more. Ballet principles form the basis of a sound training by teaching co-ordination, poise, confidence, rhythmical sense & musicality! The syllabus is based on RAD and is carefully structured and designed to build progressively from younger dancers to the senior levels. Graded ballet classes are also held on Tuesday afternoon.

High School Jazz

Tuesday *5.00pm-6.00pm* *\$145.00 per term*

This class is designed for energetic and enthusiastic students who have seen the TV dance shows and want to learn to dance. It is a great work out combining the structure of Jazz and street-style of Funk. These are great disciplines for teaching high school students to dance in a short time frame. Students start with a warm-up and technique-building exercises designed to increase body awareness, flexibility, coordination, fitness & strength. This class is taught by fantastic teachers with lots of energy and a love for life. The choreography taught reflects the styles seen by our students on stage in modern musicals and dance shows on television.

Advanced Jazz

Thursday *5.00pm-6.00pm* *\$145.00 per term*

This class is offered as an elective to performance Stream or can be taken by itself. Students must have had a least 2 years Jazz tuition. It is a great work out combining the structure of Jazz and street-style of Funk. These are great disciplines to improve coordination, rhythm and musicality in a supportive, high-energy environment. Students focus on both solo sequences and group choreography. Classes start with a 'bootcamp style' warm-up and technique-building exercises designed to increase body awareness, flexibility, coordination, fitness & strength. This class is taught by fantastic teachers with lots of energy and a love for life. Their collective aim is to teach students to dance in a fun, encouraging & healthy environment. A great class to attend in addition to Performance Stream.

High School Hip Hop

Monday *6.00pm-7.00pm* *\$145.00 per term*

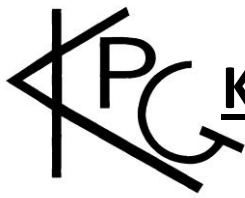
This class is designed for energetic and enthusiastic students who love to dance and have fun. In this class you will develop a strong foundation for isolations, learn how to freestyle and the basics for popping and locking all taught to the latest and coolest contemporary hip hop tracks. This is a great discipline to teach coordination, rhythm and musicality in a high-energy environment. Students start with a warm-up and technique-building exercises designed to increase body awareness, flexibility, coordination, fitness & strength. If you want to rule the dance floor this class is a must!

Advanced Tap – Yr9+

Wednesday *6.00pm-7.00pm* *\$145.00 per term*

A fast passed exciting and challenging class. This class covers technique at a faster pace, which enthuses and inspires high school students and young adults to learn at a higher level. This class concentrates on more difficult areas of technical development and performance and whilst technically harder, the class is still fun. This class is offered as an elective to performance Stream or can be taken by itself. Students must have had a least 2 years Tap tuition. A great class to attend in addition to Performance Stream. **Taught by Matt Papa from Tap Dogs.**

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Movement for Actors

Saturday

1.00-2.00pm

\$145 per term

This class is for actors and non-dancers who wish to learn to move. The weekly class will focus on building and strengthening your dance skills, comfort level and confidence. It is a great workout that starts off with basic technique and terminology to help you survive an audition. As skill level increases you will be introduced to routines for performance. All activities are focused on getting you to dance in a short time frame. Students start with a warm-up and technique-building exercises designed to increase body awareness, flexibility, coordination, fitness & strength. A perfect class to do prior to the Advance Acting Programme.

DRAMA

High School Screen Acting

Tuesday

5.00-6.00pm

\$145.00 per term

This is a great class for those passionate about TV and film work, but who have little or no professional training or credits. This beginner/intermediate class covers acting for screen techniques - from audition and casting to etiquette and practice of being on set and filming. The class is based heavily on practical exercises, however, the terminology of the industry and basic theory of film making are also taught to ensure you become a well versed and professional actor. Directors love actors who understand what they need to do in front of camera.

Advanced Screen Acting

Tuesday

6.00-7.00pm

\$145.00 per term

This class is for students with at least 12 months Screen Acting experience or similar tuition. This class covers acting for screen techniques - from audition and casting to etiquette and practice of being on set and filming. The class is based heavily on practical exercises, however, the terminology of the industry and basic theory of film making are also taught to ensure you become a well versed and professional actor. Directors love actors who understand what they need to do in front of camera. This class compliments Performance Stream on Saturdays.

Advanced Acting Programme – formally Drama Company

Saturday

2.00pm-5.30pm

\$540.00 per term

This is an intensive training program for gifted and dedicated actors. This fast paced course is certainly not for the faint hearted and we expect the best from Australia's best. Taught by some of the industry's brightest teachers. This programme comprises of a weekly Screen Business, Theatre & Script Analysis and Creating a production piece. Students perform on a regular basis and are constantly involved in making short plays & films - building both their stage and screen repertoire. Members are assisted to gain and maintain theatrical representation. Regular guest teachers including casting directors, writers, producers and directors keep a close eye on students and their progress throughout the year. Students enrolled in this class will be graded and placed into the correct class for their age and ability. Students are encouraged to also enrol in the 2hr Production class during the week.

Production – Yr 9-12

Monday

5.00pm-7.00pm

\$285.00 per term

A 15 week intensive training course for Performers! KICK will engage a director to direct a well known play. Students will then rehearse in the two hour block over 15 weeks to bring the piece to performance standard. The play will be presented in week 15 for friends and family. Each play will be a separate cast. Each production will be by audition and THEN the cast member enrolls. Titles of works for 2012 and directors names to be released shortly. ***Please register your interest.***

Actors Purpose 16 +

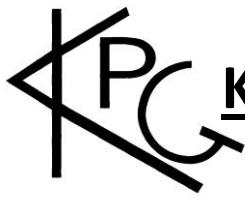
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Actor's purpose is a series of short courses designed for adults who wish to explore set topics and gain an intensive education in a short space of time. Each course has a 'purpose' with clear learning goals and outcomes. They are designed to help actor's define what they need to learn, where they are at and where they want to be. All classes are taught by industry professionals. Students enrol for a term in the course they wish to study. Subjects will include Stage v's Screen, US Accents, Atlantic Theatre Company method, Finding purpose in your work and preparing you for LA Pilot Season.

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TRIPLE THREAT

Performance Stream

Saturday *2.00pm-6.30pm* *\$580.00 per term*

With students and their parents, we tailor-build an all-round program to suit each student, ensuring that classes are taken at the correct level in the appropriate disciplines. The core disciplines are covered in this program as well as electives which allow students to specialize. Students learn jazz, ballet, singing and drama. This is essential training ground for those wishing to be a "Triple Threat" in the industry such as: Hugh Jackman, Renee Zellweger and Julia Stiles. Students are also encouraged to take a mid-week elective – Advanced Tap, Jazz, Screen Acting & Musical Theatre.

Advanced Musical Theatre

Thursday *6.00-7.30pm* *\$215 per term*

Students must have had a least 2 years Musical Theatre or similar Tuition. This class is perfect for students who wish to build their repertoire for auditions and performances. Students are challenged with material from musicals that are currently playing in Australia, on Broadway and on the West End as. Pieces from modern and traditional musicals are polished to performance standard. A great class if you wish to learn how to prepare for auditions, choosing the right material and what to wear to an audition.

GLEE Club High School

Saturday *11.00am-1.00pm* *\$285.00 per term*

GLEE is a phenomenon sweeping the world and exciting teenagers everywhere. This class is taught in a workshop format where skills are learned through a fast-moving, progressive syllabus rather than technique classes – so it's a 'hands on' (Just like the show) experience that this age group love! We encourage students to also enroll in Performance Stream as well as GLEE Club to ensure that they are gaining the essential technique that they need to support their performance.

GLEE Club Performance

Tuesday *6.00pm-7.30pm* *\$215 per term*

This class is by **audition only** and consists of a lot of hard work and fun! The performance class will work as an add-on to the GLEE Club High School class and is designed for the serious and elite performer. GLEE is a phenomenon sweeping the world and exciting teenagers everywhere. This class is taught in a workshop format where skills are learned through a fast-moving, progressive syllabus rather than technique classes – so it's a 'hands on' (Just like the show) experience that this age group love! We encourage students to also enroll in Performance Stream as well as GLEE Club to ensure that they are gaining the essential technique that they need to support their performance. Age 14-25

GLEE Club for young people with disabilities

Monday *5.00pm-6.30pm* *\$215 per term*

GLEE is a phenomenon sweeping the world and exciting teenagers everywhere. This class is for students with intellectual or physical disabilities to learn basic movements and the joy of dance to fun music all whilst belting out a tune. Designed to build self confidence in a caring, safe environment, develop gross motor skills and understand beats and rhythm of music. For our 2011 concert this class got the biggest cheer from the audience, a great, supportive class to be a part of!

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