



Attitude Dance & Cheer

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Its term 4 already and we have so much to look forward to. Nationals and Pinnacle are just 1 month away – which our Cheer & performance teams are working so hard towards. Which will be closely followed by all of our own end of year events which involves the whole studio.

We are also busy planning for 2019 in which we will be celebrating our 20th Year in East Maitland. We have a few changes and upgrades coming to the studio to update our look and the way we process things – trying to improve communication and make for seamless administration.

There will be a lot of communication from now until the end of the term to prepare us fully for our end of year events. Please make sure you check our website, “Attitude Parents & Students” private facebook group and download the team app to make sure you don’t miss out on any communications.

Term Fees are now due in Full. The early discount period ended 19th October. These discounts have now been removed and Fees need to be finalised prior to **8th November**. Any fees not finalised by this date will need to contact Jen & Jen at reception or via email accounts@attitudedancecentre.com.au to set up a payment plan. We will be encouraging people who are behind on fees to transfer over to the Ezidebit system immediately. By 2020 we will be moving all students to set up on this system. Teachers are finalising end of year awards. Please note that students with outstanding fees will not be eligible for class awards or major awards.

Bindi’s are out in force. Please encourage students to only walk on the paths as we are finding lots within the studio and cheer gym. Students should not be wearing dance or cheer shoes outside – please make sure they only enter the studio or cheer floor with clean shoes.

We have also noticed & had complaints about people driving without keeping in mind how many students are coming and going from each class. Please be mindful of others especially if reversing and doing 3point turns.

If you notice the *carpark for the cheer gym is full, please drop students at the top of the driveway*. This way students coming/going are kept safe.

Another Reminder that the *front of our Dance building is a drop and go... sitting in your car does not qualify as drop and go*. People waiting in these parks are generally what create the back up further down the street forcing others to be required to do excess turns.

Dance Concert Requirements note will be handed out very shortly. This will list the class & their routines and all shoe, stockings & hair requirements each child will need. There may be some items of costumes that also require you to supply all or part of a costume. (crop



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tops, leotards/ shorts etc). This list will also include their photo day time and which section of the concert they will be performing in.

As in previous years we will require volunteers to help with the Concert and dress rehearsal. You will need to be available for both days and a working with children check is also required. If you are able to help please email accounts@attitudedancecentre.com.au asap.

The Dance Concert will be held at Civic Theatre again this year as will the dress rehearsal. Tickets for the Dance Concert will go on Sale **Tuesday 13th November** through **Ticketek**. Tickets will cost:

Adult: \$42 Senior Concession: \$31 Student (K-12): \$26

Cheer Spectacular will be held twice this year. The first show at **5:30pm** and the second show at **7pm** on **Saturday 15th December**. Students will perform twice and will be required to stay at both shows.

Tickets for Cheer Spec will be on sale from Wednesday 28th November at Reception (Reception hours 3:30-7:30 Monday to Friday). We will be capping the tickets to 150 tickets to each show to allow plenty of room for all spectators- last year we had just over 300 people turn up – most of which bought tickets at the door. Tickets will be \$10 each with children under 5 free – tickets are only available from reception so make sure you get yours to avoid missing out!

We will also be having a sausage sizzle and merchandise available for sale at this time too.



2019 will see the introduction of our new Class uniforms. We are working with KTfit on the design and are very happy with being able to provide the quality and fit we like.

To help with the change over we are able to offer \$10 off each item if they are ordered and paid for by **8th November** – please use official order form. (These items should arrive in time for Christmas).

Prices are as follows:

Jacket: \$75 Pre-Order	\$85 RRP	Shorts (Girls): \$35 Pre-Order	\$45 RRP
Crop: \$35 Pre-Order	\$45 RRP	Tights: \$60 Pre-Sale	\$70 RRP
Singlet: \$35 Pre-Order	\$45 RRP	Shorts (Boys): \$35 Pre-Sale	\$45 RRP



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We have had the same uniform for over 10 years and feel an update is necessary. These will be the uniforms for all Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap, Musical theatre, Acro & Cheer classes.

The current black muscle singlet and long sleeve shirt will continue as part of our 2019 uniform as will current Ballet & pre-School uniforms.

We are currently working on our 2019 Information Pack. We will let you know as soon as it is released. If you have any friends that may be interested in joining our studio in 2019 make sure you tag them on our social media posts and get them in contact with us! If they join from your recommendation – you are eligible for a thank you discount off your fees.

Please take note of the **below dates**. We realise these are later than normal however we still hope to see everyone there so we can properly prepare for 2019.

We will be collecting registration fees at the Enrolment day this year. Those who pay their 2019 registration will go into the draw to win \$90 worth of merchandise.

Dates to Remember:

Term 4: 15th October – 21st December 2018

23rd -25th November - AASCF NATIONALS – CHEER & DANCE - Gold Coast Convention Centre

Monday 26th November - AUSTRALASIAN PINNACLE – CHEER & DANCE Gold Coast

Saturday 8th December – PHOTO DAY – Dance Studio (All Students)

Wednesday 12th December- DRESS REHEARSAL – Civic Theatre (All Dance Students)
2-8:30pm

Saturday 15th December – CHEER SPECTACULAR – Evening (All Cheer Students)
5:30 & 7pm shows

Sunday 16th December –CONCERT – 3pm Civic Theatre (all Dance Students)

Monday 17th December- PRESENTATION – Maitland city Bowling Club (All Students)
5:30pm

2019 Allstar & AEP Team Placements:

Dance: Tuesday 18th December

Cheer: Wednesday 19th December

RE-ENROLMENT DAY (Competitive & Recreational students)

Friday 21st December - 3:30 - 6:30pm