

## Important Dates

**Summer Term 2025** - Tuesday 22nd April -

Saturday 19th July

**Half Term** - Monday 26th May - Sunday 1st June

**Bank Holidays** - Monday 21st April and Monday 5th May

**Summer Showcase** - 19th & 20th July - The Great Hall at Kent College, Canterbury.

**Autumn Term 2025** - Monday 8<sup>th</sup>

September - Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December

**Half Term** - Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October - Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

**Spring Term 2026** - Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January - Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

**Bank Holiday** - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> & Saturday 4th April

**Summer Term 2026** - Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April - Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July

**Half Term** - Monday 25<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May

**Bank Holiday** - Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May

**Show Week** - Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July

## Social Media

Be sure to keep up to date with all the latest news by following us on Facebook & Instagram. We recommend that parents, carers and older students join our Members Only page on Facebook. More information & uniform requirements can be found on our website or [click here](#).



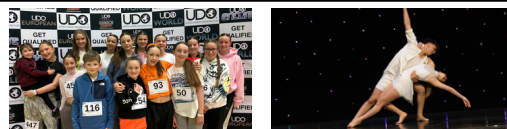
HOLIDAY CLUBS

Miss Hannah and the Razz Dazz Team have released their Summer School dates to include a fully costumed show at the end of the week! **Book by 1<sup>st</sup> June for an early bird offer, making it less than £5.40 an hour!**



**TINIES**

Miss Jess and Miss Meg have their classes on a Monday and Wednesday for the tiniest of dancers. Check out [tinieswithjp](#) on Instagram for more info on classes available and how to book.



## Welcome Back!

It's finally the summer term! Let's keep our fingers crossed for plenty of sunshine. We hope everyone enjoyed a delightful Easter break without indulging too much in chocolate. Last term was quite hectic with exams and competitions. This term promises to be just as busy, featuring even more exams to prepare for, along with our showcase on the 19th and 20th of July.

## Showcase

Our summer showcase is scheduled for July 19th and 20th at The Great Hall, Kent College, Canterbury. Everyone should have received the FAQs; if not, you can find them on our Members-only Facebook page and on the notice board at reception.

Please make sure to complete the form in the link below for your child to participate, or inform us if they are unable to take part.

<https://forms.gle/sjy9ZWaLGiEbqkaa8>

There will be rehearsals on the Saturday and 2 different performances on the Sunday. More information will come over the next few weeks.

## Competitions

We had a whirlwind of busy weekends during the Spring term, featuring the UDO and NSC Street Competitions, as well as the Thanet and Gravesham Festival.

Our time at the UDO and NSC competitions was fantastic, resulting in numerous callbacks, including:

1st place x 2, 2nd place x 2, 3rd place x 1, 4th place x 1, 5th place x 2, 6th place x 1, 7th place x 1

Thanet Festival showcased many new dances, and everyone put in an incredible effort, earning us a total of 22 medals and the following trophies:

🏆 Senior Modern, Senior Lyrical, Senior Ballet, Senior Song & Dance, and Senior Theatre Aggregate - **Beau**

🏆 Junior Tap - **Amelia**

During the Gravesham Festival, held over the Easter Break, we brought home another 22 medals along with these trophies:

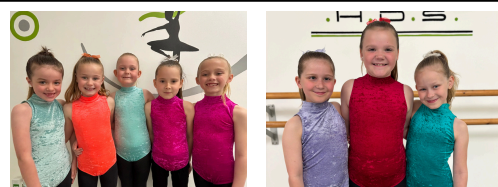
🏆 Inter Modern & Most Likely to Succeed in Musical Theatre - **Beau**

🏆 Inter Tap - **Mollie**

🏆 Senior Duet - **Maisie & Beau**

A special shoutout to **Amelia, Amelie, Beau, Darcie, Ella, Gabriel, Lexi, Maisie, Mollie, and Summer**, who all qualified for the **All England Regional Finals** set for May 2026.

A POLITE REMINDER PLEASE DO NOT PARK/STOP IN FRONT OR ON OUR FORECOURT AS IT CAUSES HAZARDS FOR CHILDREN AND PEDESTRIANS. THE FORECOURT IS FOR HDS STAFF ONLY. IF STAFF ARE UNABLE TO PARK, LESSONS MAY NOT BE ABLE TO START ON TIME.



## Invoices

Invoices for Summer Term Part 1 have been dispatched. Please ensure that your first installment is received by Saturday, April 26th at the latest. The second installments are due by May 17th. Additionally, a participation fee of £10 for the showcase has been included. We kindly ask you to review your invoice carefully and inform us as soon as possible if you find any discrepancies.

We need a notice period of half a term if your child wishes to discontinue any classes, so please notify us now to make any necessary adjustments for after the half-term.

As a small business facing increasing costs, we rely significantly on our customers to pay their invoices promptly. If payment is more than a week late, we regrettably have to impose a £15 administrative fee. Thank you for your understanding. If you are experiencing financial challenges, please reach out to us so we can work together to ensure your child can continue their dance classes.

## Student Achievements

We had a bustling spring term filled with exams in Ballet and Tap. Congratulations to all our students who passed with outstanding results, including a remarkable 100% Distinction for our Tappers!

Before the half-term, we had a blast raising money for The MS Trust by dancing in our PJ's. A big thank you to everyone who donated; we managed to raise £300!

During the Easter break, our students had plenty of options to choose from. Miss Jess and Miss Megs hosted a delightful Easter party for the Tinies, along with a fantastic AcroAir workshop [@tinieswithjp](#) & [@acrowithjp](#). Miss Hannah and the Razz Dazz team held another exciting day at their Easter Bonanza [@razzledazzle\\_hds](#), while the seniors dedicated their time to Miss Megs in her Precision and Performance workshop [@dancewithmegs1](#).

Miss Meg has announced the dates for **May half-term**, and Razzle Dazzle is set to offer a full week of summer school featuring excerpts from **Wicked, Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, and Shrek: The Musical**. AcroAir will soon be releasing their dates, so please stay tuned to their social media for updates and booking information.

Here's to a great Summer Term 🍀