June Update

We hope you are all coping with the changes in Covid protocol, whether they mean you are able to do a few more "normal" things or whether they mean you have to be even stronger in saying no and keeping yourself and your families safe. Everyone's situation is different and we are very mindful of this as we try to look ahead to September plans.

We are keeping an eye on government guidelines, particularly in relation to leisure centres and P.E. in schools, whilst also considering the possibility of a second wave and the need for some of our dancers to keep shielding measures in place. We are also aware that guidelines are likely to change substantially (possibly several times) by September in response to advances in scientific knowledge (fingers crossed). With all of this in mind, we are cautiously making plans for a provisional timetable for the September term which may require splitting larger classes into two and either holding two separate classes where we can or implementing a week 1/week 2 system whereby class bubbles would attend every other week.

Our ability to implement our timetable will depend on whether venues are open to us. Our ability to stream the classes via zoom to dancers who are unable to attend physically will depend on the quality of the Wifi at the venues and their willingness to give us access to it.

We are very grateful to those of you who responded to our last email regarding intended attendance in September; it really helps us to plan classes effectively, especially when class numbers are likely to have such an impact on what classes can go ahead in which venues.

If you were due to move classes this term we will be emailing you to remind you of the options available to you.

Thank you to everyone who has paid their invoices up to date. We will send reminders shortly; please ensure that <u>info@harpendendance.com</u> and <u>harpendendance@thinksmartmail.com</u> are in your contacts list. If your circumstances have changed and you would like to delay payment or pay in instalments please get in touch.

With best wishes,

Harpenden Dance School

