

TESTIMONIALS 2012 – A SPOONFUL OF SUGAR

I just have to say that as someone new to ballet and a daughter very much in love with ballet I have enjoyed the year very much. I think you and your staff do a great job to keep parents informed, kids engaged and logistics sorted. I have been especially impressed by the organisation of such a professional performance and have been very grateful for your regular information and advice. I really like the way the older students take on responsibilities for the younger students and I believe they provide great role models for the younger ones. What a great community of parents too to get all the sewing and food and props etc. organised and then photos.....I'm exhausted just thinking about it all. Well done and I'm sure you must all be exhausted.

Thank you to all involved in such a great event and for creating an experience for children that will not be forgotten.

We enjoyed every single minute, every single moment. Amazing costumes, wonderful choreographies, unbelievable talents!!!

And of course we were soooo happy to see how confident our daughter was on stage tonight. Her bright smile warmed our hearts...:-). Thanks for believing in her, supporting her!

Wish you a restful night and another wonderful performance tomorrow!!!!

I thoroughly enjoyed the concert last night and just want to say thank you for all your hard work. You and your other teachers are amazing and that shows in the skills your pupils displayed.

As a grandmother I was very happy to see my granddaughter participating and the progress she has made over the last year. Ballet is so good for her.

Thank you for all you do for your dancers, particularly my young granddaughter.

... what impressed me most was the way the senior students care and interact with the junior students, my daughter was mesmerised by these lovely girls and spoke highly of them often. Please pass on my family's congratulations to these students, they have left a legacy that I hope one day my daughter will continue...

Just a quick note to say well done on the show. Congratulations to you, the teachers, students and all the helpers that made the show such a success.

It was a fabulous show Lorraine, very well done. I look forward to next years already. :)

A thank you (especially) for another spectacular performance. I know there are other people to thank and all the volunteers but I knew at least I could send you a thank you.

My daughter had a wonderful time performing and looked superb on stage as did all the other performers. My daughter was also wondering how many more sleeps till the next show!!!!

Congratulation on yet again a wonderful show. My daughter particularly enjoyed being a penguin...

Congratulations, the show was amazing ! My daughter really enjoyed herself, she was on such a high.

Hi Miss Lorraine just sending a message to let you know I had an amazing time with the show this year and am very thankful for all your hard work on it!! ... can't wait till next year :) xxx

I just wanted to email you to say that my family and I thought your production this year was outstanding. My daughter (is in your) class and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. While she has only been with your school for 12 months, she has been doing ballet now for four years and this was by far the best production she has participated in.

My father, who usually attends these events purely out of obligation and exits soon after my daughter has been on stage was literally blown away and for the first time ever, staying through the second act and has been raving about the costumes, sets and music ever since. A true feat in itself!

Thanks again, we look forward to next year!

My daughter and I attended the Friday performance and it was breathtaking! What a beautiful evening! We were absolutely amazed with the level of detail for stage, lighting and costuming, let alone the great success of all the dancers. Absolutely stunning. Congratulations Lorraine, and many congrats to all of your hardworking team members, faculty and the kids. It was simply amazing.

Just to mention a few things that really stood out for me: Mary's flight was surprising and such a wonderful touch; "Singing in the rain" was simply stunning; Mrs Banks was a joy to watch; the statues scene (contemporary dance) was beautiful; and all of the costumes were superb (the littlies were sooooo cuuute).

My daughter is pretty excited about it next year I must say. Thank you so much for such a wonderful evening. We had a ball.

That was absolutely amazing and your dancers are an incredible troupe!

Hi Lorraine I just wanted to congratulate you and all the teachers and students at CBC on another fantastic show. The talent of the older students is very impressive as was their conduct backstage. I helped with the preschoolers and was very impressed by how helpful the preschoolers' buddies were. It is also wonderful to see that all students have the opportunity to participate in the show including the little ones. My daughter, who is in kindergarten, had a wonderful time being backstage and then dancing on a 'real' stage. She was then mesmerised by the second half and keen to keep dancing. Thanks again.

Hope you are recovering and having just a little rest after that wonderful Show. Each year I wonder at the high standard of entertainment you are able to produce. The Spoonful of Sugar show was just magical!

Congratulations on another fantastic show! Our girls had a wonderful time and our family were so happy and excited to see the girls and the whole performance. Friends whose girls dance at another school came to see the performance too and thought it was fantastic!! Well done to everyone!!

(My older daughter) has thoroughly enjoyed her year dancing and following the excitement of the performance last year she was in no doubt she wanted to perform this year. It has been wonderful seeing her improve and enjoy the entire process this year.

It was particularly wonderful to see (my younger daughter) cope with the work load and fatigue. She has grown so much this past year and she has plans "to do ballet until she grows up". Thank you again. I truly believe her ballet "career" so far has helped her emerge as a leader amongst her peers and has helped her deal with stress and gain an important sense of achievement.

PS: Absolutely fantastic concert....it just blew me away! I keep raving about it to my friends. I'm sure they'll tell me to be quiet soon!!!

I just wanted to let you know that we loved the concert. You did such a wonderful job with the children, and choreographed a show which showcased the children wonderfully and was very entertaining and enjoyable to watch. Thanks for the hours and hours of hard work you put in. This has definitely been the best ballet school concert we've been to.

Thank you for a fabulous show. Truly a delight and perfect length.

Thanks for the opportunity to help with the concert, I enjoyed it. My daughter absolutely loved being on stage and the whole experience...

The show was great and the kids had a ball as did I. You do such a great job and remain so collected the whole time, I don't know how you do it!!

Thank you for a absolutely wonderful concert over the weekend we really enjoyed it and the dancers all looked wonderful!

And a BIG THANK YOU for a wonderful year of ballet and beautiful performance over the weekend!!!

Congratulations on your show this year. I enjoyed playing a part backstage again.

It was a wonderful show! Mum and I loved it. I think it's great that it was a mix of all styles - makes it more interesting and all the students probably enjoy that more too.

I don't know how you do it - you are so busy with the exams and shows and groups and solos for eisteddfods! Non-stop all the time!

Congratulations on another fabulous show, we all enjoyed it so much! I hope you're looking forward to a lovely break :)

Congratulations on another year of success. That was a great performance!!

(My partner) and I would like to congratulate you and all at the Canberra Classical Ballet Centre on such a wonderful and most professional performance of "A spoonful of sugar". We were most impressed. Thank you to all concerned.

Well done with the concert it has helped my daughters friendships at ballet, helped her confidence & sparked a general interest in performing. All positive!

... thank you for a wonderful year, culminating in a spectacular performance! My daughter has had a fantastic time!

My daughter has had a wonderful year of ballet and thoroughly enjoyed the entire concert experience - thank you for this opportunity.

Thank you to you and your team for another wonderful year of ballet and yet again a fabulous concert. It was very professional and organised and run very professionally - well done!

Your school is a beautiful place filled with laughter and joy and the kids obviously enjoy coming to dance each week.... It has been a wonderful experience to come and become part of the CBCC's family and I look forward to next year and what it has to offer for my girls.

... it was an absolutely marvellous production and you must be utterly exhausted!!

A Spoonful of Sugar