

These words will be useful to any student thinking about taking an ISTD ballet exam

Bras bas – low arms

En avant – in front

Port de bras – carriage of the arms

Greque – greek

Sautes – jump

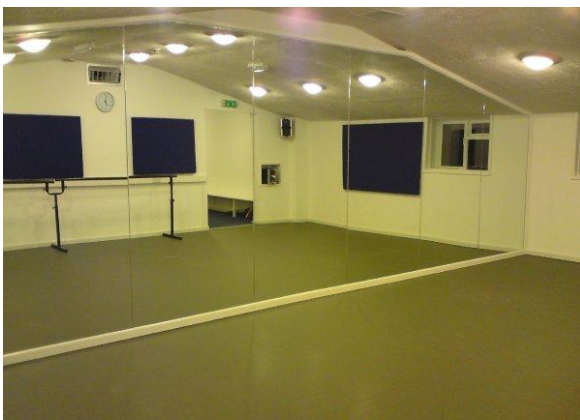
Soubresauts – super jump

Check out the Maple Academy website

at www.themapleacademy.com

where you can find information about classes, how to enrol and much more!

If you would like a copy of the music used during lessons to practice with, please bring along a blank CD to your class and I will copy one for you.



Blushed Dance Studio
In which many of The Maple Academy's classes take place

Interesting website links

www.royalopera.org

www.brb.org.uk

www.englishyouthballet.co.uk

www.henrioguikedance.co.uk

www.rambert.org.uk

www.istd.org.uk

Continuing with the charitable theme, The Maple Academy will be hosting a 24 hour dance-a-thon in order to raise money for Marie Curie, a charity close to my heart.

I'd like to invite all of you to enter a team into this event. Teams can have up to 5 members and at least one of your team will need to be dancing at any time.

The event will be held from 6pm Saturday 30th May to 6pm Sunday 31st May at the Blushed Studios in Soham.

Please fill in the form attached to this newsletter and return it to Karen by May 16th and a sponsorship form will be issued for each member of your team.

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NEWSLETTER 12, SUMMER TERM 2009

Welcome back to another term at the Maple Academy of Performing Arts!

Term dates for the Summer term are:	Term begins:	Monday 20 April 2009
	Half-term:	25-29 May 2009
	Term finishes:	Friday 18 July 2009

Welcome back! I hope you all had a fantastic Easter!

One of our adult dance students, Keith Gallois, has been busy organising a charity variety night at Witchford Village College. The money raised from this event will go to the NCCU (Neurological Critical Care Unit) at Addenbrookes.

Keith has been kind enough to ask The Maple Academy to perform and the Junior jazz and Grade 3 tap classes will be dancing in the show.

It would be great if you could come along and support this wonderful cause. Details can be found at this website...<http://www.elyamateurtheatre.com/NCCUhome.html>

Friday 8th May - All tickets £8 Performance starts 7.30pm

Saturday 9th Matinee - Sarah's Show - in memory of Sarah Oldham. - All tickets £8. Performance starts 1.00pm

Saturday 9th May. All tickets £20 for this gala evening. Tables will be of six, with individual seats on tables available or whole tables sold. Performance starts 7.00pm. Cava reception, light meal platter at each table, charity auction, licenced bar, post show dancing to a live band.

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