# **Summer 2023**

#### LFBS's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary party was wonderful!

Thank you again for continuing to support our school, and also for spoiling me with your lovely gifts and cards. The 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary party was a joy for me and it was lovely to be able to present a little performance for you. Photos at the end. And what a wonderful cake made by our own *Ella McGaughey*!

Thank you Ruth Taylor for such fabulous tea and cakes, raising £103.75 from donations including Gift Aid.

Prizewinners: Borrow Bag items: Effie Taylor. Weight of tutu: Ellie van Wijk.

Tutu design Senior - 1st: Sophia Symmons; 2nd Alina Warlow

Tutu design Junior - 1st: Emily Probert. Runners up: Marta Banna, Sophia Strong; Emily & Alyssa in Primary



# **Congratulations**

Cecchetti Scholar: Ella Symmons - 2<sup>nd</sup> Year; Alina Warlow - 1<sup>st</sup> Year; Abi Attwell - on reserve.

Cecchetti Associates Programme: Grads - Ella Symmons, Abi Attwell; SA2 - Eloise Smith; Pre- Senior - Alina Warlow, Sophia Symmons, Effie Taylor, Constance Taylor, Grace Dudley, Harriet Houlton. JA2 - Esme Stone.

Contemporary Abi Svarovska gained Distinction for Intermediate Foundation exam.

Spirited Steps Cup Sophia Symmons for the previous term's work



Intermediate Vocational
Working on bourrées with
Co-ordination of 4<sup>th</sup> port de bras



**Primary Ballet** 

There is room again in Primary Ballet as most have moved up.
Primary Ballet is held at Greatham Village Hall and Liss Triangle Centre.
For Reception Year upwards. Boys welcome as always.

Miss Hannah will be gradually phasing out her teaching. She won't be departing totally as she will be back to help with the 2024 production and continue with Cecchetti Ballet Associates. You'll see her at the Cecchetti Summer School too. Good luck with your amazing further adventure Miss Hannah - there will always be a place for you here!

Miss Abbie Pillans A former pupil of LFBS will be joining us. Miss Abbie gained a first-class honours degree in Contemporary Dance with Trinity Laban Conservatoire and is currently completing the ISTD DDE Cecchetti Ballet teacher qualification. We welcome her to the school.

<u>Tshirts</u> 100% organic cotton 'Ballet is our breath' & logo <u>T-shirt order here</u> with the option to add your own name. Ideal for when it's too hot for a crossover but too cold for just a leotard: Navy blue, Lavender, Royal blue & Black



# **Performances**

LISS CORONATION CELEBRATIONS - The wettest and windiest day imaginable - even Mrs P did a Gene Kelly!





# LFBS leavers

Those leaving for University this year, one having been with the school since aged 4. We will miss you so much!





















# Silver Anniversary Tea Party Performance























Keep safe and well, and see you in September  $\mathcal{P}$