



LEURA PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Friday 2nd September 2022

SCHOOLS SPECTACULAR 2022

Event Dates: Friday 25th November 2022 – 11:00am & 7:00pm

Saturday 26th November 2022 – 1:00pm & 7:00pm

Note: Payments can be made online, as well as by cash or cheque
For payments online enter: **Payment Description: Schools Spectacular**

Payment Amount: \$50.00

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

This note is to provide you with information regarding **Schools Spectacular 2022**, details of which are outlined below. **Please keep the following pages as they contain important information.**

Performance Dates:	Friday 25 th November 2022 – 11:00am & 7:00pm Saturday 26 th November 2022 – 1:00pm & 7:00pm
Venue details:	Qudos Bank Arena, 19 Edwin Flack Ave, Sydney Olympic Park, NSW, 2127
Background information:	This is a highly prestigious event. It is an honour to be a part of this showcase and a recognition of the skills our students displayed at audition. We are excited to be involved in the production in 2022. As this is a televised national production involving over 100 schools from over the state it is a requirement that ALL rehearsals and performances are attended. Students need to be aware of the commitment involved as this is a state production involving many Department personnel. The coordination schedule is tight so there is a lot of responsibility on our school to ensure that all our performers are in attendance on their allocated days for ALL rehearsals and performances.
Rehearsal Details:	For ALL rehearsals: Students must wear black clothing – including schools spectacular issued shirt if available, otherwise plain black shirt. <u>Segment 9 Rehearsals</u> Wednesday 12 th October 2022 – Rehearsal #1 9:00am-3:00pm Thursday 3 rd November 2022 – Rehearsal #2 9:00am-3:00pm Wednesday 16 th November 2022 – Rehearsal #3 9:00am-3:00pm <u>Combined Rehearsals – times to be advised</u> Monday 24 th October 2022 Combined Dance Rehearsal #1 Wednesday 23 rd November 2022 Combined Dance Rehearsal #2 Thursday 24 th November 2022 Full dress rehearsal
Group attending:	Ensemble Dance Group
Transport information:	For ALL rehearsals students will catch a train to and from Leura station to Olympic Park, changing at Lidcombe. Students should meet Mrs Ptolemy and Ms Farrell at Leura station at 6:20am at the top, near the lift. *Train times will be confirmed closer to the date. Opal cards will be provided by the school – no cost for transport to students.)



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	<p>For SHOW DAYS: Friday 25th November 2022 Students will catch train in the morning however parents/carers MUST pick up their child from Qudos Bank Arena – exact location details on MAP, following page. Saturday 26th November 2022 Parents will need to ensure students are dropped off at Qudos Bank Arena at 12:00pm – exact location details on MAP, following page. After all EVENING shows students will be picked up by parents/carers at Qudos Bank Arena – exact location details on MAP, following page.</p>
Organising staff:	Ms Martel Farrell and Mrs May Ptolemy. Supervision will be provided at rehearsals and during shows and at times by other NSW Department of Education teaching staff
Cost per student:	\$50.00 (Includes: costume, show prop, show t-shirt, resources – please note the school is subsidising the cost.) There will also be a cost involved for accommodation and meals.
Ticket Information:	Tickets for Schools Spectacular 2022 - Create The Magic are now on sale. There are four shows: Friday 25th November 2022 – 11:00am & 7:00pm and Saturday 26th November 2022 – 1:00pm and 7:00pm. Visit Ticketek website to purchase tickets as soon as possible.
Specific requirements:	Mrs Ptolemy will carry the school excursion phone 0467 736 451 will only receive phone calls – no text messaging available. Food – please pack plenty of food and drinks for your child as there is a lot of physical activity throughout the day. Students may bring some cash/change to purchase snacks.
Due date for payment & permission note:	Friday 23rd September 2022. Please note late payments WILL NOT be accepted. *Deed of Consent for Participation, Personal Rights and Behaviour must be returned to school office by Friday 9 th September 2022.

Kind regards,

Mrs Martel Farrell
Event Coordinator

Mrs May Ptolemy
Principal

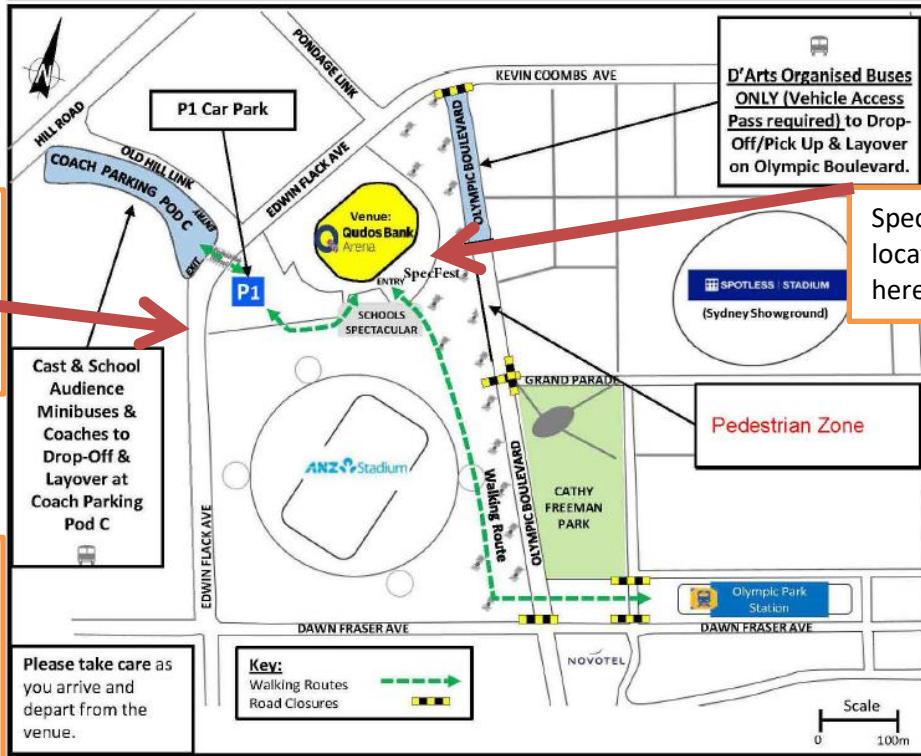


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School meeting point at Concrete Tower 10 is located here.

Cast & School Audience Minibuses & Coaches to Drop-Off & Layover at Coach Parking Pod C

Please take care as you arrive and depart from the venue.

D'Arts Organised Buses ONLY (Vehicle Access Pass required) to Drop-Off/Pick Up & Layover on Olympic Boulevard.

Spec Fest is located here.

Pedestrian Zone

Look for the number 10 on the large concrete towers outside Qudos Bank Arena. This is our school meeting point at the end of the evening on Friday and Saturday night. It will also be the meeting point for Saturday morning when parents drop off their children.

► **RAILWAY STATION** – Patrons to use the main exit at Olympic Park Train Station, follow the pedestrian footpath access to Showground Road, continue along the pedestrian footpath access to Olympic Boulevard, cross Olympic Boulevard, turn right and continue straight along forecourt to Qudos Bank Arena.
 Walking time to Venue: 10-15 minutes | Walking Distance to Venue: Approximately 700m
 Please visit <http://www.sydneytrains.info/timetables/#landingPoint> for an updated timetable

► **CAR PARKING STATION** – For those who will be travelling to the concerts in a private car, parking will be available at Sydney Olympic Park in P1. It is **strongly advised** that patrons pre book their parking bays for the concerts to secure their parking bays on the day. Pre Booked Parking cost \$25 per day. Please visit the website to pre-book your parking: www.sydneyolympicpark.com.au/parking/pre-book_parking

Note: For those patrons who have difficulty with stairs, there is direct access into the venue on Level 4 of the parking lot. Please note that parking fees apply.





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- I give permission for my child to participate in **Schools Spectacular 2022**.
- I understand that participation in this event requires my child to attend ALL rehearsals at Qudos Bank Arena and ALL 4 performances over 2 days.
- I understand that this event is televised and I give permission for my child to be televised.
- I understand the cost for my child for this event is **\$50.00** and payment is required by **Friday 23rd September 2022**.
- I understand late payments **will not** be accepted and I will contact the school if there are difficulties in meeting this deadline.

Payment

I have enclosed cash or cheque payment of **\$50.00**

OR

I have paid **\$50.00** online. My receipt no. _____

Medical

Information held at school is current for my child

OR

I have listed below changes to medical information and any allergies or conditions that may affect my child on the day.

Student Name: _____ Class: _____

Parent/Carer Name: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____

Parent/Carer Contact Phone no. on the day: _____



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Student Commitment Pledge: Schools Spectacular 2022

Student Agreement

I _____ of class _____
(Full name of student)

will be expected to demonstrate the following school expectations prior to, and during the Schools Spectacular 2022 Rehearsals and Performances, as well as at school.

This includes:

- Attending ALL rehearsals and performances
- Following instructions
- Being organised and making sure I am responsible for my property including costumes, personal belongings and devices at all times
- Speaking respectfully with all students, staff and members of the public
- Being in the visual sight of Mrs Farrell or Mrs Ptolemy at all times and ensuring that Mrs Farrell or Mrs Ptolemy knows of my whereabouts at all times during the School Spectacular event
- Displaying safe behaviour and making safe choices at all times

If there is a breach of this agreement, it will be at the discretion of school staff to determine what action will be taken.

Signature of Student: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Carer Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____