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Dance Parents Committee
November 2012 Newsletter



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Dance Night in January This Year!

Dance night will be held on **Thursday, January 17** and **Friday, January 18** this year. The Grade 12 students are hard at work on their dance pieces, involving dancers from Grades 11 & 12. Round 1 of the performances was held on October 4, Round 2 is this Friday, November 2, and Round 3 will be Thursday, December 6 (all at 1:00 pm in the auditorium). Grade 10 and Grade 11 classes are working with guest choreographers for their contribution to the performance. More information about Dance Night, including tickets and silent auction items, will be sent in the December newsletter and posted on the website at: www.chsdance.ca/dance_night_2013.html



Dance Parents Committee News

The next meeting of the Dance Parents Committee will be **Tuesday, November 20**, 6:30 pm, in the Student Services room, beside the main office. Agenda and minutes from previous meetings can be found at: www.chsdance.ca/next_meeting_agenda.html

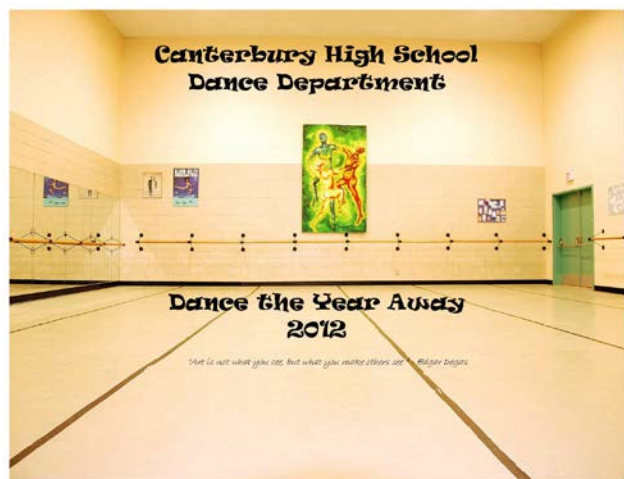
Grade 11s at Arts Court



Groups of Grade 11 Dance students are choreographing their own works for performances at Arts Court Ottawa. This is an annual project, called *Dances For Youth By Youth*, in conjunction with Sylvie DesRosiers. They perform a student matinee **Friday, November 30**, and evening performances on **Friday, November 30** and **Saturday, December 1**.

Fundraising Calendar

Last year saw the successful introduction of the Dance The Year Away Calendar, which raised over \$1,000 for Dance Department activities. We are hoping to build on this success with a 2013 calendar. Photos for the calendar will be taken in mid-November, with the goal of having the calendar available for sale no later than December 10. Further details will be sent in the December newsletter and posted at: www.chsdance.ca/fundraising.html. You can view last year's calendar at: www.chsdance.ca/pdfs/2012_Calendar_2_small.pdf



Dance at the National Arts Centre



The NAC is one of the premier venues for classical and contemporary dance in Canada. Dancers (and their parents) are strongly encouraged to attend one or more shows throughout the year. Inexpensive tickets are available to students through the NAC's [Live Rush program](#).

In affiliation with the NAC, senior students have enjoyed classes from visiting dance companies the Houston Ballet Company and Grupo Corpo. Upcoming performances include:

[Hofesh Schechter, November 9-10](#)
[TAO Dance Theater, November 22-24](#)
[The Nutcracker, December 5-9](#)