24 February 2012

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

Your child has expressed an interest to be involved in the Year 7 Dance Ensemble. The Dance Ensemble is an extra-curricular activity held at Burwood Girls High School, which aims to encourage students in dance and provide them many performance opportunities within the school and wider community. In addition, the Year 7 Dance Ensemble provides an introduction to the fundamental skills and abilities required for additional dance initiatives, available for students from Years 8-12 including the Dance Company, Junior Dance Troupe, Senior Dance Ensemble and the Hip Hop Ensemble.

Rehearsal Times
The Year 7 Dance Ensemble rehearses every Monday lunchtime from 1:10-2:00 pm. Additional rehearsals may be called closer to performances, where notification will be given in advance. Rehearsals are predominantly directed by senior dance students, who are talented are talented choreographers and who enjoy being mentors for junior students.

Dance Attire
For safety reasons, students must wear appropriate dance attire to all rehearsals. This consists of black dance tights (¾ or full length) and either a black leotard or full-length, thick strap singlet. A BGHS Dance uniform is available for an additional cost of $60, payable to the front office, however is not compulsory for Year 7 students.

Fees
The Year 7 Dance Ensemble is $60 (per annum) to participate, which covers costuming and resources. This fee is payable to the front office (under the code 043-022) in full by the end of Week 10, Term 1 (4 April).

Please sign the permission slip below and return it to Ms Caltabiano as soon as possible in the PDHPE Staffroom.

Yours sincerely,

Melissa Caltabiano
Dance Coordinator
Burwood Girls High School

Kathy Lye
Head Teacher PDHPE

Please return permission slip to Ms Caltabiano in the PDHPE Faculty a.s.a.p.