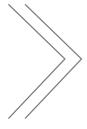


An Evening of Dance with Eastbourne Schools and Groups

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WELCOME TO LET'S DANCE EASTBOURNE

Good evening and a very warm welcome to the wonderful Congress Theatre and the inaugural "LET'S DANCE EASTBOURNE"!

This evening's show brings together 400 dancers and 20 schools from across Eastbourne and East Sussex in a celebration of dance at this most prestigious venue in the heart of Eastbourne's "Theatreland". We are grateful to all the staff here at the Congress for their support and we look confidently to the future as LET'S DANCE grows and becomes an integral part of the performing arts programme here in Eastbourne.

"LET'S DANCE EASTBOURNE" is not a competition or a show for elite performers, though much of what you will see this evening is of a high quality, it is a show for young people from 6 to 21 years performing in public for the very first time and to a packed audience of family and friends. For many, this will be the first step on a pathway to increased participation in physical activity and a love of dance. Where better to take that first step than with your friends and as a result of hours of rehearsals.

The show is managed by the marvellous Jo Wait and her team, while a number of volunteers have also stepped forward to ensure that the young people have a night to remember. Without them, there is no show!

Backstage the tension and excitement is beginning to rise as we approach "curtain up" and this is where you play your part by welcoming each group to the stage with a special "LET'S DANCE" roar! Clap your hands, stamp your feet and cheer to your hearts content. Let's ensure that this evening lives in the memory for years to come.

Enjoy the show.

Andy Marchant



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Schools

If your school was not able to be in the show this year, contact Jo Wait to find out how to book a slot for next year.

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