

Penny Waterman School of Dance

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WELCOME TO OUR DANCE SCHOOL

Classes held in St Albans, Harpenden, Redbourn & Abbots Langley

FOR CHILDREN: Ballet, Street Dance/Jazz and Musical Theatre

FOR ADULTS: Ballet

Welcome to our newsletter with details of our Autumn 2025 classes, fabulous teachers and exciting things in the pipeline!!! After the trial, if you would like to continue, the fee is due (please note that the trial class is payable).

Ways to make payment for pay termly pupils: (Please note that a 10% discount is given for siblings and pupils taking two or more classes):

1) In instalments via GoCardless: If you would like to spread the payments, you can sign up to our direct debit 3 instalment option which will be taken in August, September and October only. Just click the following link: <https://pay.gocardless.com/AL0006TVPH8ZJ3>, fill out the form and we will confirm the details with you.

2) If you prefer to pay for the whole term you can do so by Bank Transfer or via our Website:

Details for bank transfer: Name of A/C: Penny Waterman School of Dance A/c No. 32205513

Sort Code 40-40-01 Please use your child's initials and class as a reference and drop us a quick email to let us know it is paid so that we can look out for it. You can also pay via our website for the full term only, however please note that the website cannot apply "sibling" or "multi class" discounts (contact us to confirm the discounted price for the term).

Refunds will only be given in exceptional circumstances. Credits/change of class are however possible.

Missed classes: If you miss a class during the term due to illness or holiday etc., it can be made up by attending any of the other classes listed in this newsletter so that you don't miss out on a class.

Children's Pay-on-Door classes: A few of the classes are pay-on-the-door classes (see below for which ones) and the cost is £10 weekly (£15 for siblings or pupils attending two classes) and you only pay when you attend. If you are booked in for one of these, please put the **EXACT** payment each week in a sealed envelope with the date, your child's name and class clearly written on it - thank you. (Please note that the teachers do not carry change). **Please contact us to confirm your place if you are registered in one of these.**

Watching Days & Displays: The last day of term is "watching" day where your family can come and watch.

Adult class: Our Adult Ballet class runs on Tuesday evenings in Redbourn Village Hall. (Details at bottom of this newsletter). Why not book in for a trial and bring a friend! A 10% discount is applied if you have a child in the School.

Uniform Selling Days: We will be selling the uniforms at the following locations and times:

Saturday 20th September in All Saints Church Hall Harpenden, AL5 4UU (8.40am – 11.40am)

Saturday 18th October in the Marshalswick Community Centre, St Albans, AL4 9TU (8.40am – 11.50am).

Saturday 22nd November in Redbourn Village Hall, AL3 7LW (9am – 10.30am) and the Salvation Army Hall, Harpenden, AL5 2TG (11.10am – 12.45pm).

Please email to book your slot (limited spaces). Alternatively, Penny can do a private fitting at your home on any of the afternoons listed above at a cost of £5.00 or we can post the uniform to you for the same price.



Autumn term 2025



Children's Classes in St Albans

(see below for Harpenden, Redbourn & Abbots Langley)

MONDAYS at St Julian's Church Hall, Abbots Ave, off Cottonmill Lane, St Albans, AL1 2HX

Teacher: Sanna

Tots Ballet	3 - 5½ years	4.00 - 4.30pm
Junior Ballet	5½ - 8 years	4.40 - 5.10pm

DATES: First day 8th September. Last day 15th December. Break on 27th October (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

TUESDAYS at the United Reformed Church, Homewood Road, St Albans, AL1 4BH.

Teacher: Sanna

Junior Ballet	4 - 7 years	4.20 - 4.50pm
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DATES: First day 9th September. Last day 16th December. Break on 28th October (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

SATURDAYS at Marshalswick Community Centre, The Ridgeway, St Albans, AL4 9TU

(located in between M&S and the library and opposite the quadrant).

Teacher: Marley

Ballet With Mum/Dad/Carer	2 & 3 years	9.00 - 9.30am
Junior Ballet	4 - 6 years	9.40 - 10.10am
Senior Ballet	7 - 11 years	10.15 - 10.45am
Musical Theatre (dancing, singing & acting to popular musicals & songs)	5 - 11 years	10.50 - 11.20am
Advanced Ballet	12 - 17 years	11.30 - 12.00pm



DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

(The first 2 classes only have the option of paying weekly: £10 on the door).

SATURDAYS at Bernards Heath Junior School, 5 Watson Avenue, St Albans, AL3 5HP.

Teacher: Sanna

Tots Ballet	3 - 5 years	11.00 - 11.30am
Senior Ballet	6 - 9 years	11.40 - 12.10pm
Advanced Ballet *	10 - 14 years	12.15 - 12.55pm

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

* The Advanced Ballet class is £174 as slightly longer (or 3 instalments of £58 via GoCardless).

SATURDAYS at United Reformed Church, Homewood Road, St Albans, AL1 4BH.

Teacher: Lily (assisted by Poppy) * please note change in times

Ballet With Mum/Dad/Carer	2 & 3 years	10.50 - 11.20am
Street Dance/Jazz	3 - 7 years	11.30 - 12.00pm
Junior Ballet	4 - 7 years	12.10 - 12.40pm

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

£10.00 per class pay on door - £15 for siblings or for two classes eg. Ballet & Street Dance.

(Please bring exact payment in a sealed, dated & named envelope each week).



Children's Classes in Harpenden

MONDAYS at The Harpenden Trust at No. 130, 130a Southdown Rd, Harpenden AL5 1PU. (PIN: 2810)

TEACHER: Katy

Tots Ballet	3 - 5 years	3.45 - 4.15pm
Junior Ballet	5 - 8 years	4.20 - 4.50pm
Street Dance/Jazz	5 - 8 years	5.00 - 5.30pm

DATES: First day 8th September. Last day 15th December. Break on 27th October (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

TUESDAYS at All Saints Church Hall, Station Road, Harpenden, AL5 4UU.

Teacher: Katy

Junior Ballet	4 - 7 years	3.45 - 4.15pm
Senior Ballet	8 - 12 years	4.20 - 4.50pm
Street Dance/Jazz	8 - 12 years	5.00 - 5.30pm

DATES: First day 9th September. Last day 16th December. Break on 28th October (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

SATURDAYS at Salvation Army, Harpenden, AL5 2TG (next to Dental Visage).

Teacher: Lily BRAND NEW CLASSES

Ballet with Mum/Dad/Carer *	18 months - 3 years	9.00 - 9.30am
* (Introduction to Ballet through Music & Movement using teddies, bells, shakers, ribbons & wands etc)		
Tots Ballet	3 - 5 years	9.40 - 10.10am

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term) and

NB no classes on 15th November as the Salvation Army hall is using the whole venue for themselves.

FEES: These classes run for 13 weeks and the fee is £123 (or 3 instalments of £41 via GoCardless).

There is an option to pay weekly with these classes £10.00 cash per class pay on door. (In this case, please bring the exact payment in a sealed envelope with child's name, class and the date each week).

SATURDAYS at Salvation Army, Harpenden, AL5 2TG (next to Dental Visage).

Teacher: Lisa

Tiny Tots Ballet	3 & 4 years	11.10 - 11.40am
Junior Ballet	5 & 6 years	11.45 - 12.15pm
Senior Ballet	7 - 13 years	12.20 - 12.50pm

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

NB that on 15th November the classes will be held at the Redbourn Village Hall, AL3 7LW as the Salvation Army hall is using the whole venue for themselves.

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).



SATURDAYS at All Saints Church Hall, Station Road, Harpenden, AL5 4UU.

Teacher: Katy (assisted by Emily)

Tiny Tots Ballet	FULL EXISTING PUPILS ONLY	3 & 4 yr olds	9.00 - 9.30am
Tots Ballet	FULL EXISTING PUPILS ONLY	4 - 5½ yr olds	9.40 - 10.10am
Junior Ballet	FULL EXISTING PUPILS ONLY	5½ - 6½ yr olds	10.20 - 10.50am
Street Dance/Jazz	FULL EXISTING PUPILS ONLY	5 - 9 years	10.55 - 11.25am
Senior Ballet		6½ - 9 years	11.30 - 12.00pm

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

(The first class only has the option of paying weekly: £10 on the door. Please bring the exact payment in a sealed envelope with child's name, class and the date each week).

Please check with Katy if you want to move classes.

Children's Classes in Abbots Langley

SATURDAYS at St Lawrence Church Hall, High Street, Abbots Langley, WD5 0AS.

Teacher: Sanna

Ballet With Mum/Dad/Carer*	2, 3 & 4 years	9.00 - 9.30am
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* this class is accompanied or non-accompanied by parent or carer

Junior Ballet	5 - 8 years	9.40 - 10.10am
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DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term) and no classes on 29th November as the hall is using it for themselves.

FEES: These classes run for 13 weeks and the fee is £123 (or 3 instalments of £41 via GoCardless).



Children's Classes in Redbourn

THURSDAYS at Redbourn Village Hall, High Street, Redbourn, AL3 7LW.

Teacher: Lily

Tots Ballet	3 - 5 years	3.45 - 4.15pm
Street Dance/Jazz	4 - 7 incl. years	4.20 - 4.50pm

DATES: First day 4th September. Last day 11th December. Break on 30th October (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

SATURDAYS at Redbourn Village Hall, High Street, Redbourn, AL3 7LW.

Teacher: Lisa

Tiny Tots Ballet	3 & 4 years	9.00 - 9.30am
Junior Ballet	5 & 6 years	9.35 - 10.05am
Senior Ballet	7 - 11 years	10.10 - 10.40am

DATES: First day 6th September. Last day 13th December. Break on 1st November (half term).

FEES: These classes run for 14 weeks and the fee is £132 (or 3 instalments of £44 via GoCardless).

Please note that on 13th September and 25th October the classes will be held upstairs in the Guide Room.

Adult Class in Redbourn

TUESDAYS at Redbourn Village Hall, Redbourn, AL3 7LW. Teacher: Sophie

Adult Ballet	£180 full term	7.30 - 8.30pm
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DATES: First day 9th September. Last day 9th December. Break on 28th October (half term) and no class on 2nd December as the hall is using the whole venue for themselves.

FEES: These classes run for 12 weeks and the fee is £180 (or 3 instalments of £60 via GoCardless).