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Newsletter of the Evatt Calisthenics Club Incorporated

*(The newsletter with the EDGE)*

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Congratulations to all our wonderful teams who competed at the August CACTI preliminary competitions in Erindale over the weekends of 2-3 and 9-10 August.

We had some really outstanding results, especially our Sub Juniors who "WOWED" everyone with their wonderful routines and won the Aggregate. Well done Erin and all your girls and congratulations to Erin's great support team – Jennie and Karin. Over the two weekends many other clubs were heard to be singing the praises of the Evatt Subbies!!

Congratulations to our Tinies who did their very best and achieved 4<sup>th</sup> place overall. We have a wonderful group of very enthusiastic little "Cala" girls and wonderful parents supporting them.

Juniors are to be congratulated on their performance which earned them 4<sup>th</sup> place overall, so that they will now be competing in Gold Grade in November – a great achievement!!!

Inters – well done all! You looked wonderful and made us all very proud in this very close competition. Inters achieved some wonderful places and were rewarded with 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall.

Our Sensational Seniors achieved places in all but one item - can't wait

to see you all again at November comps!

As a Club we should be very proud – every group is improving each time they compete and competitions in November are going to be very exciting and rewarding.

Well done and thank you to all our dedicated coaches!

Thank you and congratulations to all our talented wardrobe people and tireless team managers – our teams look great!

Thank you to all our wonderful parents for your continuing support.

And to all our talented performers – good work and well done! Keep working hard for your coaches every class and keep practising!!

## **ACT REP TEAM**

The 20<sup>th</sup> annual National Calisthenics competitions were held in Perth in July. We congratulate our Evatt participants who were members of the ACT Team – Tonya Whitney and Elise Webb (Juniors) and Carly Savona and Hannah Webb (Inters).

Our ACT teams performed very well; Juniors received 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Calisthenics Spectacular and 4<sup>th</sup> place

in Aesthetics. Inters received 3<sup>rd</sup> place in March (beating Victoria!!!!) and 4<sup>th</sup> place in Rods, Free Arm, Rhythmic Aesthetics and Dance Arrangement.

Congratulations also to Elise Webb and her Duo partner Ashleigh Watson who competed in the Junior Duo Division. Elise and Ashleigh performed their routine very well.

The ACT also achieved 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Intermediate Solo Section – well done Georgia Starvaruk from Karilee; and 5<sup>th</sup> place in the Intermediate Graceful Section – well done Caitlin Gordon also from Karilee.

One of the very best things about being part of the representative team is the development of very strong friendships and ties with members from other clubs in the ACT!

The 21<sup>st</sup> Nationals will be held in sunny Queensland in July 2009. Information about trials for representative selection will be forward to all Evatt members once the information is released by CACTI. Consider trying out ... you will be improving your skills, travelling to Queensland and making wonderful new friends!

### ***BALLARAT COMPETITION***

Very exciting news for our Inters – they will be travelling to Ballarat in October to compete against teams from all over Australia at the Royal South Street Society Competition. This is the first time in many years Evatt has entered a team at Ballarat and we wish Kirsty, Carli and the wonderful Inters the very best of luck.

A huge thank you to Kerry Bayliss on behalf of Evatt and all the Inters. Kerry has worked very hard to

organise this trip (flights, accommodation, meals, entries, etc, etc, etc) and she is also organising their costumes. ***Thanks Kerry!!!!***

We hope that this is the beginning of many Ballarat competitions.

### ***SKILLS 2008***

Skills for 2008 have commenced. We wish all those coaching and participating success with their development.

Thanks to Kylie Thorne as Evatt's Skills delegate and to Louise Heaton and Lauren Curtis who are conducting classes for Evatt members.

### ***PRACTICE CONCERT***

The Evatt Practice concert is an opportunity to see all of our teams in action as they prepare for the Championship competitions in November. It is also an opportunity to get photos and videos of our teams in action – something that is not possible at competitions.

The concert will be held on Sunday 19 October at St Francis Xavier College Florey. Please note that this date has been changed from the originally advertised date of 26 October – this is due to a clash with the Ballarat competitions for Inters. More details soon.

### ***FEES***

Fees for third quarter are due. If you have any concerns or questions or have not received your invoice please give Jill Hopkins a call on 62303857.

## ***CONSTITUTION CHANGES***

### **Evatt Calisthenics Club - Change to Rules of Association**

The General Committee of Evatt Calisthenics Club proposes to its membership a change to the rules of association.

#### **Details of Change**

##### *Part III, Section 10, a) Committee*

Currently reads "No Office shall be held for more than two consecutive years by the same person."

Amended to read "No Office shall be held for more than two consecutive years by the same person. An Office may be extended by a maximum of one year past the specified two year period, however, only by a unanimous vote of the General Committee."

The change will be voted on at the next general meeting of the association at 8.00pm, 11 September 2008 at the Belconnen Soccer Club.

### ***IMPORTANT DATES***

26 September	End 3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
13 October	4 <sup>th</sup> Term Commences
19 October - 30 October	Practice Concert – St Francis Xavier College Ballarat Competition (Intermediates)
8/9 and 15/16 November	Championship Teams Competition
22 November	Presentation Day

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### ***Thought for the Day***

"Always end the name of your child with a vowel, so that when you yell,  
the name will carry"

-- *Bill Cosby*