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STUDIO

FINE/ART PHOTOGRAPHY

BEFORE YOU BEGIN



WHAT TO EXPECT FROM YOUR NOCTURAINÉ DANCE PHOTOSHOOT

WHAT TO BRING

For a timeless look, we recommend simple leotards without frills. But this is your moment — bring anything you love:

- Costumes, classical tutus, casual outfits, Fosse-style looks
- Leotards, leggings, crops, shirts, and your preferred dance shoes

Most dancers bring 4–5 outfits, including a tutu and something comfortable to move in.

HOW TO PREPARE

- Warm up before your shoot — treat it like a dance class to avoid injury (especially as our studio has a concrete floor)
- Have pose ideas ready: screenshot favourites from Instagram, or rehearse your favourite moves from solos or group dances in front of a mirror
- Don't worry — we'll guide you and adjust poses as needed
- Let us know in advance if you have any injuries or limitations

HOW YOUR SESSION RUNS

- We start with a headshot in a clean leotard (even if you don't need it now, you might later!)
- In a 1-hour session, we usually cover 1–3 looks
- In a 2-hour session, we can capture 4–5 looks

LOCATION SHOOTS

Want to shoot outdoors? Let us know if you'd like a beach, park, city, or styled setting, and we'll scout the perfect location for you.

PHOTO USAGE & COPYRIGHT

- You may post your photos on social media and print them for personal use
- Studios may repost photos with credit to Nocturaine Dance
- For any advertising or commercial use, studios must contact us directly
- We retain copyright — our work is protected, just like yours is on stage

BOOKING YOUR SHOOT

- Email nocturaine.info@gmail.com with your desired package
- A 50% deposit is required to secure your date
- The remainder is paid a week before your booking
- No deposit = no booking
- No remainder payment means forfeited deposit.

GIFT CARDS

Photoshoot gift cards are available!

Perfect for birthdays, milestones, or just because.

Gift cards expire 12 months from purchase.

LOCATION

THE STUDIO

Based in Newcastle, we welcome dancers from all over Lake Macquarie, the Hunter, and surrounding regions.

We have two locations, One in islington and One in Belmont.



ON LOCATION

are to be advised, have a chat with us! we will find some amazing venues and we can shoot practically wherever you want (that is safe of course)

PACKAGES



L U N A R

Ideal for dancers seeking a glimpse into our full-scale, immersive photoshoot experience

1 H O U R & 1 5 M I N , 5 E D I T E D I M A G E S
(S T U D I O O N L Y)

\$580

S O L A R I S

Designed for the dancer seeking a curated selection of stylish, creative shots, this photoshoot package is ideal if you're looking to build a portfolio

2 H O U R , 8 E D I T E D I M A G E S
(S T U D I O O N L Y)

\$680

P A R A M O U N T

Our most intensive and premier package, offering the ultimate photoshoot experience and our exclusive option for on-location shoots

3 H O U R & 3 0 M I N , 1 2 E D I T E D I M A G E S
(S T U D I O O R L O C A T I O N)

\$880

POST PHOTOSHOOT



HOW LONG WILL MY PHOTOS TAKE?

Final edited images are delivered within 2-3 weeks, depending on the level of detail required. Each image is carefully edited to our highest standard.

HOW DO I CHOOSE MY PHOTOS?

After your session, you'll sit down with us to review your images and select your favourites. Additional images can be purchased for \$40 each.

WHAT ABOUT THE UNEDITED PHOTOS?

We do not release unedited images under any circumstances. As artists, we believe in showcasing only our best work, and protecting the integrity of your image — and ours.

RESPECT & STUDIO CONDUCT

We're committed to maintaining a safe, respectful, and inclusive space. Rude or inappropriate behaviour will not be tolerated. Everyone deserves to feel valued here.

WHO ARE THESE PHOTOSHOOTS FOR?

Our sessions are tailored for dancers aged 10 and up, currently in full-time, pre-professional or professional training.

That said, we welcome anyone with passion, creativity, and a love for dance regardless of flexibility or technical level.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Please notify us of any pre-existing injuries. You'll be asked to complete a photoshoot waiver and, if needed, a short consultation form to ensure your safety and comfort during the shoot.

C O N T A C T U S :

Please contact us via our email to Schedule a photoshoot

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REMINDER

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