



# ARABY BELLY DANCE ACADEMY

CWA Rooms, crn Garden & Young St, Southport  
Kid's on the Blocks, 31 Olympic Circuit, Southport  
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## 2008 EVENTS CALENDAR

<b>JANUARY – FEB</b>	30 – 4	* <i>Term 1 Beginner Courses Commencement</i> looking forward
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	16 – 17	Workshops - Caroline Evanoff, Ipswich – contact Dancing Tiger 3288 7077
	23	<a href="#">Wings Over the Gold Coast</a> – G C Workshop with Shira 0400 881 815
	24	6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Belly Dancers Garage Sale – Venue to be advised – Contact Maria 3359 4680 – Remember, One person's used costume is another's New Costume
<b>MARCH</b>	TBA	Cabaret Oriental Night – Ahmet's Turkish Restaurant, South Bank – Contact Ambyr <a href="mailto:ambyr@amedbrisbane.com.au">ambyr@amedbrisbane.com.au</a>
	15	<a href="#">Wings Over the Gold Coast</a> – G C Workshop with Shira 0400 881 815
	15	<a href="#">RAQS ARABY BANQUET</a> , Dance Party Night at New York Ballroom – cost \$5
	14- 16	Workshops – Shamira, Maryborough – Contact Helene <a href="http://www.geocities.com/dancer_helene">www.geocities.com/dancer_helene</a>
	24/25/26	NO CLASSES – due to Easter
	29 – 30	2008 Raks Festival, Brisbane, J Block, QDSE – Teachers from AMED & Araby Academy & Interstate Teachers presenting Workshops <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/RAKS2008/RaksProgram2008.pdf">http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/RAKS2008/RaksProgram2008.pdf</a>
	30	AMED Concert Evening 7 – 10pm – contact AS ABOVE
<b>APRIL</b>	6	<a href="#">COSTUME WORKSHOP</a> with ELENIE – 5539 5229 – 1pm – 5pm
	14 – 16	* <i>Term 2 Beginner Courses Commencement</i>
	26	<a href="#">WINGS OVER THE GOLD COAST</a> – with Shira 0400 881 815 New York Ballroom
	27	Oasis Dreams Belly Dance Competition – West End Club, Brisbane – Contact your teacher <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/Oasisflyer2008.pdf">http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/Oasisflyer2008.pdf</a>
<b>MAY</b>	1 & 5	NO CLASSES – Elenie's Nerang and Oxenford Classes
	2 – 4	19 <sup>th</sup> Annual Sydney Middle Eastern Dance Festival – Contact Leonie Sukan – <a href="http://www.sydneystart.com">www.sydneystart.com</a>
	24 - 25	<a href="#">WORKSHOPS WITH MEL ROGERS</a> from Underbelly – at Get Dancin', 686 Ashmore Rd, Ashmore <a href="http://www.araby.com.au/events.htm">www.araby.com.au/events.htm</a>
	24	<i>Performance Evening with Special Guest MELUSINA – Venue TBA</i>
<b>JUNE</b>	28 – 5	13 <sup>th</sup> Annual Sistrum Winter Warm Up Belly Dance Conference Bris – DENISE ENAN <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au">www.amedbrisbane.com.au</a> G Block, QUT, Kelvin Grove – contact Maria 3359 468
	28	Bazaar at QUT, Kelvin Grove – Contact Maria 3359 468
	29	Winter Warm-Up Concert Night 7 – 11 pm – Contact Maria
<b>JULY</b>	14 – 16	* <i>Term 3 Beginner Courses Commencement</i> <a href="http://www.araby.com.au">www.araby.com.au</a>
	31	20 <sup>th</sup> Annual Brisbane Middle Eastern Dance Extravaganza <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au">www.amedbrisbane.com.au</a>
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	14	<a href="#">ELENIE'S "HALFA" IN PARADISE Dance Party</a> Venue - TBA <a href="http://www.araby.com.au">www.araby.com.au</a>
<b>SEPT/OCT</b>	20 – 5	Dance Tour to Turkey – Contact Maria 3359 468 <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au">www.amedbrisbane.com.au</a>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	4	<a href="#">"SHIRAZ DANCE PARTY"</a> – New York Ballroom <a href="http://www.araby.com.au">www.araby.com.au</a>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	6 – 8	* <i>Term 4 Beginner Courses Commencement</i>
	18 – 19	MELISSA CHRISTINA Workshops in Brisbane – contact Susan 3391 5873 <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/Melissa08Event/melissa-flyer_Nov.pdf">http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au/Images/pdfdocs/Melissa08Event/melissa-flyer_Nov.pdf</a>
	19	Evening Performance with Melissa Christina <a href="http://www.amedbrisbane.com.au">www.amedbrisbane.com.au</a>
	26	6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Pyramid Pulse – Sunday 10am – 4pm – Contact Maria 3359 4680
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	6 – 9	THE FARHA TOUR – Direct from Egypt – Sydney <a href="http://www.farhatour.com.au">www.farhatour.com.au</a>
	25	LAST CLASS – Shiraz
	30	AMED End of year Concert
<b>DECEMBER</b>	3	LAST CLASS – Elenie's
	TBA	<a href="#">XMAS RAQS ARABY BANQUET – FLAMES, Surfers Paradise – Dance Party Night</a> contact Elenie 5539 5229 Shira 0400 881 815 <a href="http://www.araby.com.au">www.araby.com.au</a>

\*\*\* Have a Great Holiday Break & See You All Back in 2009! \*\*\*

Remember to keep on Shimmying!!!

**FEBRUARY 2009** First Week in February ALL Classes Resume

*Prayers go out to every nation of the world for continued sanity and to live with a growing love and tolerance for our fellow human beings.*