

From: Angela Larsen [angela@stdt.org]
Sent: 24 March 2005 11:27
To: Susan Hay
Subject: Re: Assessment of dance @ thistle centre

Dear Susan

Just a couple of comments:

This event did not run in conjunction with a live radio show last year. Radio Clyde were in the Centre in the morning and just allowed us to use their stage in the afternoon. We tried to get into the centre again this year but a credit card company had the space and the centre will only give someone like us a space if there are no paying companies wanting it.

Clarity of communication Apparently the incorrect music only happened once so I think it unfair to refer to it so many times in the report. I agree that the workshop caller should have been miked.

Quality of production. There were three of the Winning Choreography Teams performed. The presence of the others was outwith my control and next year we will return to the format of last year when I programmed the full event without relying on the Choreography Team Winners.

It would be helpful if you could point out that, as this is a FREE event I was completely reliant on volunteers on the day.

No allowed to put up publicity at the venue and the fact that the Thistles staff didn't know it was happening was not down to STDT but the Thistles Management. Also not allowed to erect any external signposting as this is not allowed by Stirling Council.

Publicity The **Free** event was also advertised in the local papers and included on 4,000 flyers.

Fair to say I would not do this type of outdoor event again in March.

Best wishes & have a nice Easter
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Sent: Thursday, March 24, 2005 10:40 AM

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Angela – attached the assessment. If you want to discuss it, please give me a call.

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