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**SYDNEY
LION
DANCE
TEAM**

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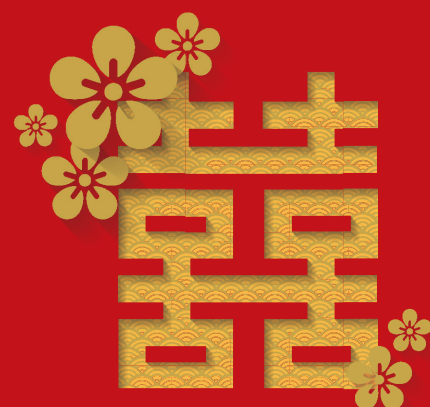
The Choy Lee Fut Lion Dance Team train the Traditional Southern Lion Dance, which focuses on the promotion of good luck and fortune through traditional blessings and routines. These have been passed down by Master Chan Yong Fa the 5th Direct Descendant of the Founder of the Style and is one of the most highly respected masters for his knowledge of these traditional teachings.



“Choi Cheng” translates to “plucking the greens” - this phrase has a deep symbolic meaning in Chinese. The “greens” are commonly symbolised by a lettuce, which in Chinese sounds like the word for “wealth”. Therefore, since the lettuce symbolises wealth, the lion spreads wealth and good fortune, through a routine, to the person or business the dance is being performed for.



The Lucky Buddha, “*Dai Tou Fut*”, is an accompaniment to traditional lion dances. The Buddha acts as a comical diversion, sometimes teasing the lion, sometimes leading it with the fan, sometimes interacting with the crowd. Besides the rattan fan, the Buddha has a long yellow robe.



WEDDINGS

Wedding Ceremony consists of the lion and buddha paying respect to both the bride and groom's parents and then blessing the bride and groom with good luck and fortune for their future journey together. The couple will also be presented with a wedding card and good luck scroll as gifts from the Choy Lee Fut Lion Dance Team.

(This ceremony and performance takes approx. 10-15 mins.)



RESTAURANTS

A typical Restaurant performance will include:

- Blessing the counter and kitchen
- Performing "*Bai Sun*" if there is a Gwan Gung or another altar
- Going around all the tables to entertain patrons
- Kung fu demonstration (*optional*)
- Getting the lettuce called "*Choi Cheng*"

(This performance takes approx. 30-40 mins.)



CORPORATE & CUSTOM EVENTS



A typical performance can include:

- Blessing the premises (if required)
- Entertaining crowds, patrons and staff
- Getting the lettuce called "*Choi Cheng*"
- Kung fu demonstrations (optional)



All of this can be tailored to your individual needs.





Jai and his team performed at my wedding reception in October: amazing show, everyone enjoyed their performance! Would highly recommend :)

Pauline C.

Awesome show. We had the Sydney Lion Dance Team into our office for Chinese New Year. Jai and his team put on a fabulous performance, high on energy and theatrics, chasing away any bad luck and getting the year off to a flying start.

Strachan T.

From start to finish the team were so easy to work with and very accommodating. The show was incredible and exceeded everyone's expectations. Look forward to working together again soon.

Jessica M



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