

# Hip Op-eration

## Dance Academy

### In The News

#### **What News Media exposure has been received globally?**

The Hip Op-eration Crew™ and Billie Jordan have been featured in news media all over the world, including the:-

- Front page of the Wall Street Journal
- Michael and Kelly Show, USA
- Huffington Post
- Daily Telegraph
- Dateline
- Irish Examiner
- Upworthy
- BBC Television
- BBC Radio
- Sunday Night Programme, Australia
- Fox News, USA
- Ruptly News Agency Europe
- Associated Press, World
- Telegraph, UK
- Breakfast New Zealand
- Today Australia
- Chinese Television, China

- CCTVA, Africa
- Jay Thomas Show, USA
- Las Vegas Sun, USA
- TVNZ, New Zealand
- TV3, New Zealand
- Channel 7, Australia
- Channel 9, Australia
- Radio New Zealand
- ABC Australia
- France International Courier
- Women's Weekly
- Lucky Break Magazine
- Dance Connect
- Taipei Prime Time News, Taiwan
- Screen NZ
- NZ Herald
- ...plus lots more from Israel and Amsterdam to Sweden and Greece.

### **Is Hollywood Making a Film Based on Billie Jordan's Life?**

A top Hollywood blockbuster film production company has acquired the worldwide life rights of Billie Jordan and play on developing a film based on her life story. Click on the tab ['Latest News'](#) on the website to view stories about this.

## **What is the Feature Documentary film about?**

The Hip Op-eration Crew™ and Billie Jordan were the subject of a feature documentary film called 'Hip Hop-eration' which followed their journey from the small island they live on to the World Hip Hop Championships in 2013. This feature documentary film has received standing ovations and awards at the most prestigious film festivals around the world and is considered to be the most successful documentary in New Zealand's history.

Please note, the name of the film is similar, but not the same, as the Dance Crew™ i.e. Hop-eration (documentary) versus Op-eration (Dance Crew). Click [here](#) to view the Trailer for this film.

## **How can I get a copy of the documentary on DVD?**

You can do a search on the Internet using the words 'Hip Hop-eration' to find copies of the DVD. However, from what we understand from research we have done on the Internet, only Region 4 (Australia and New Zealand) DVD's are available. The cost is about NZ\$10 per DVD. Although we get a lot of requests from people wanting to purchase the DVD we are unable to sell them as we have no distribution rights to the DVD nor receive, or have received, any refunds or payments or commissions of any kind from the documentary producers or the New Zealand Film Commission. If you're in New Zealand, you may be able to rent a copy of the DVD at your local DVD hire store. Please note, the name of the film is similar, but not the same, as the

Dance Crew™ i.e. Hop-eration (documentary) versus Operation (Dance Crew).

### **Can I see the film at a cinema?**

Maybe. The film is being released in cinemas around the world. It premiered at the end of 2014 and is still in the film festival circuit. Unfortunately we do not receive any information about the film from the documentary producers, film distributors or the NZ Film Commission about where and when the film is playing. So the only way you can find out, is to contact your local cinema or Google 'Hip Hop-eration' (which is what we do). Please note, the name of the film is similar, but not the same, as the Dance Crew i.e. Hop-eration (documentary) versus Operation (Dance Crew).