

TORONTO OPEN DANCE FESTIVAL - RULES AND REGULATIONS:

RESPONSIBILITY will not be accepted by the Organizer for LOSS or THEFT of articles left in changing rooms, ballroom or hotel rooms. Neither will the Organizer be held liable for injuries sustained by persons attending Toronto open dance festival. It is each participant's responsibility to be present AT LEAST 30 MINUTES IN ADVANCE of the scheduled time of the event. Participants entering Toronto Open Dance Festival shall accept as final the individual markings of the Judges. A PANEL OF INVIGILATORS will be used for ALL RESTRICTED CATEGORIES. NO VIDEOTAPING will be permitted during Toronto Open Dance Festival. VIDEOTAPES can be ordered on the premises.

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PRO-AM

THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES ARE FOR PRO-AM ONLY.

Pro-Am International Style = Steps should be from Syllabus: ISTD or CDTA. Pro-Am American Style = Steps will be accepted from the following Syllabus: ARTHUR MURRAY Social Syllabus, FRED ASTAIRE Social Syllabus, CDTA Social Syllabus, FLDQ/CPDDSQ Social Syllabus, ALLIANCE Social Syllabus or the Social Syllabus of any recognized Professional Association.

INTERNATIONAL STYLE

Newcomers 1 - 5

Interm. Bronze Bronze Syllabus (closed)

Bronze Bronze Syllabus (closed)

Open Bronze Bronze Syllabus (open)

Interm. Silver Silver Syllabus (closed)

Silver Silver Syllabus (closed)

Open Silver Silver Syllabus (open)

Interm. Gold Silver Syllabus (closed)

Gold Gold Syllabus (closed)

Open Gold Syllabus (open)

Scholarship Syllabus (open) AMERICAN STYLE

Newcomers 1 - 5

Interm. Bronze Bronze Syllabus (closed)

Bronze Bronze Syllabus (closed)

Open Bronze Bronze Syllabus (open)

Interm. Silver Silver Syllabus (closed)

Silver Silver Syllabus (closed)

Silver Ouvert Silver Syllabus (open)

Gold Interm. Gold Syllabus (closed)

Gold Gold Syllabus (closed)

Open Gold Syllabus (open)

Scholarship Syllabus (open)

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* NEWCOMERS: Open only to students who have never competed before. Students can compete only once in that category.

* PRO-AM: Separate divisions for LADIES & GENTLEMEN but Championships and Superbowl Scholarships.

* No PRO-AM SOLO EXHIBITIONS or SOLO ROUTINES is to exceed THREE (3) minutes.

* There will be NO SUBSTITUTING of a student for another student. Only registered students can compete. Cancellations at the event will not be reimbursed. Official cancellations will be refunded thirty (30) days following the event.

* AWARDS will be presented immediately following each session.

* Ample time will be allowed for costume change.

*The Prize money awards will be reduced by half of their original value if the number of couples participating in the scholarship event is three or less.

*The Organizers of Toronto Open Dance Festival reserves the right to reject any entry which has been submitted by a competitor who has been disrespectful towards the Officials and/ or these Regulations.

* The Organizers of Toronto Open Dance Festival reserves the right to accept or reject any entry that has been submitted after the deadline.