

# **Rules and Regulations**

## **General**

1. Solo Routines and Group flights will be held in the daytime. See tentative schedule.
2. Solo Routines and Group flights may be Student/Student entries or Student/Teacher entries.
3. Late entries will be accepted only if time permits. The entrants will be subject to a **\$20 per couple**/per event penalty fee.
4. Awards for Top Studio, Top Teacher are based on number of entries per teacher/studio.
5. Awards will be presented in all divisions, immediately following the completion of each event.
6. Registration numbers required for all competitors. For Amateur Registration Number contact Grace Jefferies at (403) 249-4895 or [www.albertadancesport.org](http://www.albertadancesport.org). Teacher & Pro-Am Competitors Registration Number (CDF) contact Lawrence Ardern at (403) 285-1020 or [www.canadiandancesportfederation.org](http://www.canadiandancesportfederation.org)
7. **All Competitors including teachers/professionals require Full Event Admission Tickets.**
8. **In case of tardiness, the competition will not be delayed.**

## **Solo Routines**

1. All Solo Routines will be judged on the point system.
2. No Solo Routine is to exceed two & a half (2 1/2) minutes. All Solo Routine music must be on CD in ready to play condition.

## **Group Flights**

1. All Group flight competitions will run a minute and a half (1 1/2) unless there is only one couple on the floor then it will run a minute and 10 seconds.
2. Group contestants will be rated against each other; 1st, 2nd, etc. If two (2) or more Gentlemen students are entered in a category, they will be judged separately from the ladies' group.
3. Student / Student permitted in all Group Flight Events.
4. In any group category with fewer than two (2) entries, the organizers reserve the right to run two or more categories simultaneously. In that case the music will be played at the tempo required for the highest level.
5. **No Partner change permitted in any event.**
6. Only one age group may be entered.
7. All Pro-Am Scholarships will be dance in the evening.

## **Amateur Competitions**

1. Amateur events according to D.S.AB rules & regulations. (Copies of complete rules available upon request)
2. All Newcomer, Pre Bronze, Bronze, Silver, Gold Amateur International competitions are syllabus competitions using the DSAB syllabi, copies available upon request. American style competition is based on the CDF/DVIDA syllabi.
3. JUNIOR competitors use the Amateur Entry Form and specify JUVENILE for 12 years old and under and JUNIOR for ages 13 to 16 years. Alternate dances may be requested. All JUVENILE and JUNIOR events will be danced in the afternoon except JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS will be dance in the evening.
4. DRESS CODE is according to DSAB Schedule, see DSAB Website for Information [www.dancesportalberta.org](http://www.dancesportalberta.org).
5. **Events with fewer than three entries may be cancelled.**
6. **LATE ENTRIES** accepted only if the event is running and an extra round is not required. **LATE ENTRY PENALTY FEE APPLY.**
7. **Competitors only in the marshaling area No Coaches or Parents allowed.**
8. **All Competitors must be ready 1 hour before their event and present themselves for dress code check.**

**CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

**Sanctioned by DSAB & CDF**