



The Open Series (Teacher Student Guidance)

TEACHER/STUDENT

These events are for any Professional or Amateur teachers dancing with a non-teaching Amateur Dancer.

Age categories – All Events:

- Under 10 years: This must be the age of the student
- Under 12 years: This must be the age of the student
- 12 - 13 years: This must be the age of the student
- 14 - 15 years: This must be the age of the student
- Youth 16 - 20 years: This must be the age of the student
- 16 - 25: This must be the age of the student (16 years plus)
- Under 40: This must be the age of the student (16 years plus)
- 40 & Over: This must be the age of the student

If the age allows, entry is permitted in more than one section in each genre. Children may also dance ONE age category higher (if applicable) but they cannot dance in a lower age category.

Adults may also dance ONE age category lower (if applicable) but they cannot dance in a higher age category. All dancers should be registered with the British Dance Council.

Syllabus Guidelines – All Events:

Non-restricted syllabus: Open choreography.

Restricted syllabus: As per juvenile BDC Syllabus

Costume requirements - All Events:

Under 10 and Under 12: As BDC regulations (NOTE: no stones, no glitter, no sparkle, no tail suit).

12 and Over: no restrictions.

Role changing:

Each competition and dance within that must be completed in the same role. No role changing is permitted mid dance.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

General Admission Tickets are required by all students entering the event, plus any entry fees per event.

The Open Series competitions have the authority to publish any photographs taken by the official photographer. Competitors/parents/guardians must inform the organiser/photographer on the day of the event if they do not wish their images to be used.

The Open Series will not be held responsible for any images published taken by non-authorized photographers.

CANCELATION POLICY

Entry fees:

Please note All Fees are due in advance for each event. No entries will be processed without full payment. These fees are non-refundable.

Advance Ticket Sales:

Advance Tickets Sales for all our events are non-refundable.

Weather Cancellation:

Refunds will only be applicable if the event is cancelled before the scheduled date by the organisers by an official statement.

Government Cancellation:

Refunds will be available if entries and/or tickets are purchased before the day, this caused by cancellation of the event imposed by local authorities or government.

Third-party costs:

The event and organisers will not be held liable for any third-party costs incurred relating to any of the above issues.

A 10% Admin Fee will be deducted against any refunds OR a credit voucher may be issued if desired. Any refunds will only be considered up to 48 hours after the completion of the said event. The decision of the organiser - The Open Series is final on all matters.

Damage

Any damage to fixtures, fittings or property belonging to the organiser or the venue will be subject to charge back at the rate established for repair/replacement.

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