

Adjudicator  
Tania Attard O'Dwyer

# A CHANCE TO DANCE COMPETITION

**JANUARY 8-10 2021  
CARWATHA COLLEGE  
43/81 BROWNS ROAD  
NOBLE PARK NORTH**



Entries Open 8th November via Comps Online



Giving the dancers of Victoria a chance to perform after the struggles of 2020!

Solos, Duos/Trios & Troupes

### **Age Groups**

6/Under, 8/Under, 10/Under, 12/Under, 14/Under, 16/Under & Open Age

### **Styles**

Classical, Neo, Lyrical, Contemporary, Jazz, Broadway Jazz, Tap, Song & Dance/Tap, Hip Hop, Own Choreography, Vocal, Any Style and All Abilities

### **Pricing**

\$25 per Solo and Duo/Trio

\$45 per Troupe

\$22 Spectator Fee for Soloists & Duo/Trios

Pay at the Door for Troupe Day

### **Featuring**

- Voice Critiques
- Novice & Open Sections for Solos and Troupes
- Trophies, Medals and Ribbons
- Canteen available

# RULES

## ENTRIES

This is an amateur competition. No professional dancers or teachers are permitted to compete in any sections.

All competitors are to enter according to the age they are at the 1st of January 2021. Troupe ages are taken from the oldest competitor (we are not an average age competition).

Novice and Open Solo and Troupe sections are available. Novice is defined by never having placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in any competition in that particular style.

The adjudicator reserves the right not to place Novice competitors if she feels they are not ready to go up to Open.

Entries will close on December 8th or sooner if sold out.

It is prohibited for competitors to have been taught by the adjudicator within the last 12 months. This excludes workshops and 'once off' classes. Entries will open on 8th November and will close on 8th December unless sold out prior. Strictly no late entries will be accepted.

The organiser reserves the right to combine, eliminate or amend any sections based on entries received. Additional dates may be added to the competition if needed.

The organiser has the right to change the section you compete in if they believe you have entered into the incorrect age group.

All soloists, duo and trio competitors will be required to purchase a 'Competitor Pass' when entering online. This pass covers spectators for the solo, duo and trio days of the competition.

Troupe day door fees are \$10 for 1 session, \$15 for 2 sessions or \$20 for all 3 sessions. A canteen will also be available for the duration of the competition. Eftpos is not available so please bring cash.

All competitors compete at their own risk.

This competition is non-refundable. Once you have made payment, refunds are not available unless in the unforeseen cancellation of the event.

## GENERAL

When completing your entries, you agree to all the terms and conditions outlined.

You will be sent a link to upload music to a Dropbox file in advance. Please bring a USB or smartphone as a backup. A CD player will not be available. There is to be no lyrics in the song component of Song & Dance and Vocal sections.

All troupe members must be wearing tap shoes in Song & Tap and Tap sections.

Please check in at the desk when you have arrived and be backstage, ready to perform at least 5 routines prior.

Props are welcome but please no glass, mirrors or fire on stage.

Due to child protection and intellectual property laws, filming and photography of any performances is strictly prohibited. Anyone caught doing this will be asked to leave and have their competitor disqualified.

We are a family friendly competition so teachers are encouraged to choreograph and costume age appropriately. Marks may be deducted if the adjudicator feels routines are not appropriate for family viewing. We promote good sportsmanship and unity between all dance schools. We would like to encourage everyone to support each other, cheer for every performance and wish everyone good luck.

The adjudicators decision is final and no discussion will be entered into.

Any concerns should be directed to the organiser.

Please do not approach the adjudicator's table and refrain from communicating with them until the competition is finished.

Voice critiques will be emailed to all participants at the completion of the competition.

Additional awards may be given at the discretion of the adjudicator.

The health and safety of the dance community is of the upmost importance so a Covid-Safe plan will be in place. Please bear with us as this needs to be enforced to ensure everyones safety in line with government requirements.

Physical or verbal abuse of any kind will not be tolerated.

## TIME LIMITS

Solos, Duos & Trios - 3 minutes

Song & Dance - 4 minutes

Troupes - 5 minutes

## AWARDS

Awards will be presented on stage at the completion of each section. Competitors should be back stage, lined up and ready to go prior to the end of their section.

Solos - 1st place trophy, 2nd and 3rd place medals and HM ribbons.

Duos - 1st, 2nd and 3rd place medals and HM ribbons.

Troupes - 1st place plaque and ribbons, 2nd, 3rd and HM ribbons.

## CONTACT

For any enquiries, please don't hesitate to contact April McMahon on 0413919700 or [chancetodancecomp@outlook.com](mailto:chancetodancecomp@outlook.com)

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WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU IN JANUARY 2021!

