

# **DANCE GROUPS**

## **CONVENORS**

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See the full syllabus for further details

## **ADJUDICATORS**

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## **SCHEDULED DATES**

THE ARTS CENTRE GOLD COAST - 10-12, 18 & 19, 24-26 AUGUST, 2012

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

GROUPS - MINIMUM OF 4 COMPETITORS.

AGE AS AT JANUARY 1ST 2012.

PLEASE NOTE: RULES & REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO EACH SECTION ARE OUTLINED IN THIS SYLLABUS AND WILL NOT BE REPEATED IN THE PROGRAM. CHANGES TO SOME RULES MAY OCCUR FROM YEAR TO YEAR. THEREFORE IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT ALL INSTRUCTIONS ARE READ CAREFULLY. DISQUALIFICATION MAY FOLLOW IF RULES ARE NOT OBSERVED.

TWO COMPLIMENTARY TEACHERS PASSES WILL BE ALLOCATED TO ALL DANCE STUDIOS WHO HAVE ENTERED GROUPS. THESE CAN BE COLLECTED FROM THE MUSIC TABLE AT THE ARTS CENTRE GOLD COAST. ADDITIONAL PASSES CAN BE PURCHASED FOR \$5.

WOULD HEADS OF STUDIOS PLEASE LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF PERSONNEL ASSISTING WITH COSTUME CHANGES. A PERSON WITH ADEQUATE DECISION MAKING AUTHORITY MUST BE IN CHARGE OF EACH GROUP AT ALL TIMES. ENSURE THAT YOU SIGN IN AT THE MUSIC TABLE .

COMPETITOR SAFETY – PLEASE DO NOT CHOREOGRAPH ITEMS REQUIRING GROUP MEMBERS TO EXIT ONE SIDE OF THE STAGE RE-ENTERING FROM THE OTHER SIDE. IF ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL, THE LAST WING MUST BE USED- NOT THE BACKSTAGE CORRIDOR.

NB: THE USE OF GLITTER SPRAY AND HAIRSPRAY MAY BE A HEALTH HAZARD FOR SOME COMPETITORS. THESE MUST BE USED WITH GREAT CARE IN A WELL VENTILATED AREA PERFERABLY IN THE OPEN AIR

COMPETITORS PASSES ARE COMPULSORY FOR ALL COMPETITORS AND MUST BE VISABLE AT ALL TIMES BACKSTAGE AND IN THE AUDIENCE. THESE ARE NOT AVAILABLE ON YOUR ENTRY BUT MUST BE PURCHASED FOR \$6 AT THE ARTS CENTRE GOLD COAST OR ALBERT WATERWAYS COMMUNITY CENTRE. COMPETITORS WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE THEATRE WITHOUT EITHER SESSION TICKET OR COMPETITORS PASS. DANCE STUDIOS MAY CONTACT THE OFFICE PRIOR TO THE EVENT TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR PUCHASING THESE IN BULK.

TEACHERS PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO ADDITIONS TO PROGRAM UNLESS THE OMISSION IS THE FAULT OF THE COMMITTEE.

NO PROPS TO BE USED ON STAGE THAT CAN CAUSE DEBRIS (E.G. BALLOONS, TALC POWDER & FACE PAINT)

DRESSING AREAS:

DRESSING AREAS ARE ASSIGNED TO STUDIOS. WE ASK THAT ONLY THOSE WHO ARE PERFORMING BE IN THE DRESSING AREAS AND PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE AND NOT MONOPOLISE THE DRESSING AREAS IF SHARING.

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR KEEPING YOUR DRESSING SPACE CLEAN AND RUBBISH FREE. DRESSING ROOMS LEFT IN AN UNTIDY STATE WILL HAVE A CLEANING FEE OF \$200 CHARGED TO THE OFFENDING STUDIOS.

WHILE IN THE DRESSING ROOMS WE ASK YOU TO RESPECT OTHER PEOPLE'S COSTUMES, BELONGING AND SPACE.

ALL DRESSERS BACKSTAGE WILL BE REQUIRED TO COLLECT A WRIST BAND FROM THE ADMISSION DESK IN THE FOYER TO IDENTIFY THEM AS AUTHORISED PERSONNEL. MOBILE PHONES MUST BE SWITCHED OFF AT ALL TIMES IN BACKSTAGE AND DESIGNATED DRESSING ROOM AREAS. CAMERAS ARE NOT PERMITTED IN DRESSING ROOMS AND BACKSTAGE AREAS. PUBLIC AREAS ARE NOT TO BE UTILISED AS CHANGE ROOMS.

COMPETITORS MUST CHANGE IN THEIR DESIGNATED AREA ONLY. ABSOLUTELY NO REHEARSING IN CORRIDORS OR PASSAGEWAYS. DRESSING ROOM DOORS MUST BE CLOSED AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT FOR ENTRY AND EXIT.

COMPETITORS IN GROUPS MUST BE SUPERVISED AT ALL TIMES.

COMPETITORS MAY COMPETE TWICE ONLY IN GROUP SECTIONS IRRESPECTIVE OF HOW MANY STUDIOS THEY ATTEND.

EACH GROUP MUST INCLUDE SOME COMPETITORS WHO ARE THE RELEVANT AGE (EG. 15 YEARS AND UNDER) MUST INCLUDE MEMBERS WHO ARE ACTUALLY 13 TO 15 YEARS)

GOOD QUALITY CD'S MUST BE PROVIDED AND HANDED IN AT THE MUSIC DESK IN THE FOYER. NO TAPES OR RE-WRITABLE CD'S - ONE ITEM PER CD. EVERY CARE TAKEN BUT NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSS OF CD'S. PLEASE BRING BACKUP CD.

## **AWARDS**

Unless otherwise stated, prizes will be – First, Second & Third Trophies.

At the discretion of the Adjudicator, Very Highly commended, Highly Commended Certificates may be awarded.

All awards (First, Second, Third, Very Highly Commended and Highly Commended) will count for group aggregates

Points for aggregate will be allotted as follows:

1st - 5, 2nd - 4, 3rd - 3, Very Highly Commended 2, Highly Commended 1.

THE DANCE STUDIO ATTAINING THE HIGHEST AGGREGATE POINTS  
13 YEARS & OVER RECEIVES \$250 ,PLUS  
THE GOLD COAST ENTERTAINERS SHIELD

RUNNER-UP AWARD IN GROUP AGGREGATE 13 YEARS & OVER  
COASTAL DANCE THEATRE TROPHY PLUS \$100

THE DANCE STUDIO ATTAINING THE HIGHEST AGGREGATE POINTS  
12 YEARS & UNDER RECEIVES  
THE VONI DELFOS – McPHEE AWARD OF \$150 AND  
THE GOLD COAST CITY COUNCIL TROPHY

RUNNER-UP AWARD FOR GROUP AGGREGATE 12 YEARS & UNDER  
PAUL SHARRATT MEMORIAL TROPHY PLUS \$100

Aggregate for Classical Dance Group  
LIMELIGHT MULTIMEDIA TROPHY

Aggregate for Tapping Group  
LIMELIGHT MULTIMEDIA TROPHY

Aggregate for Up-Tempo Modern Group  
CAROL SULLIVAN TROPHY

## **SECTION**

- DG1. BABY GROUP - 6 YEARS & UNDER**  
ANY STYLE OF DANCE or SONG & DANCE  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG2. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI - CHARACTER - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG3. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI - CHARACTER - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG4. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI - CHARACTER - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG5. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI - CHARACTER - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG6. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI-CHARACTER - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG7. CLASSICAL, CHARACTER OR DEMI - CHARACTER - OPEN AGE**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG8. CONTEMPORARY - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any tempo.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG9. CONTEMPORARY - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any Tempo.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG10. CONTEMPORARY - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any Tempo.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG11. CONTEMPORARY - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any Tempo.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG12. CONTEMPORARY - OPEN AGE**  
Any Tempo.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00

- DG13. SLOW MODERN - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
To include free movement or neo classical.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG14. SLOW MODERN - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
To include free movement or neo classical.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG15. SLOW MODERN - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
To include free movement or neo classical.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG16. SLOW MODERN - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
To include free movement or neo classical.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG17. SLOW MODERN - OPEN AGE**  
To include free movement or neo classical.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Prizes:** Sponsor: D.L.D.C.  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG18. TAP - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG19. TAP - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG20. TAP - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG21. TAP - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG22. TAP - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG23. TAP - OPEN AGE**  
Any style of tap.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00

- DG24. SONG & TAP - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG25. SONG & TAP - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG26. SONG & TAP - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG27. SONG & TAP - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG28. SONG AND TAP - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG29. SONG & TAP - OPEN AGE**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG30. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 6 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG31. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG32. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG33. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG34. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG35. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG36. SONG & EXCEPT TAP - OPEN AGE**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00
- DG37. ACROBATIC - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Time Limit: 5 minutes  
Entry Fee: \$15.00

- DG38. ACROBATIC - OPEN AGE**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG39. MUSICAL THEATRE - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
(Song Optional). Must be from a stage production.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG40. MUSICAL THEATRE - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
(Song Optional) Must be from a stage production.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG41. MUSICAL THEATRE - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
(Song Optional) Must be from a stage production.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG42. MUSICAL THEATRE - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
(Song optional) Must be from a stage production.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG43. MUSICAL THEATRE - OPEN AGE**  
(Song Optional) Must be from a stage production.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG44. VARIETY- 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Any form of dance including novelty.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG45. VARIETY - OPEN AGE**  
Including novelty, revue, dance production & mature and motivated.  
**Time Limit:** 8 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$20.00  
Sponsor: Sheridan's Studio 1
- DG46. CABARET - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Song Optional.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG47. CABARET - OPEN**  
Song Optional. May include professional, ex-professional, semi professional.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00  
Sponsor: D.L.D.C
- DG48. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of Gold Coast City Council.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00

- DG49. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of Gold Coast City Council.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG50. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of Gold Coast City Council.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG51. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of Gold Coast City Council.  
RESTRICTED TO NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG52. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of the Gold Coast City Council.  
RESTRICTED TO NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG53. UP TEMPO MODERN LOCAL - OPEN AGE**  
Studios where classes are conducted within the rateable boundary of Gold Coast City Council.  
RESTRICTED TO NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG54. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG55. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG56. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG57. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
RESTRICTED TO NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG58. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
RESTRICTED NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG59. UP TEMPO MODERN VISITING - OPEN AGE**  
RESTRICTED TO NON FULL-TIME DANCE STUDENTS.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00

- DG60. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - 8 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00  
Sponsor: Dance Technique
- DG61. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - 10 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG62. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG63. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG64. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG65. UP TEMPO MODERN OPEN - OPEN AGE**  
May include professional, ex-professional and semi-professional, but must include competitors who are 21 years and over.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG66. HIP HOP - 12 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG67. HIP HOP - 15 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG68. HIP HOP - 18 YEARS & UNDER**  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG69. HIP HOP - OPEN AGE**  
May include teachers in this performance.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$15.00
- DG70. PRIMARY SCHOOL DANCE CLUBS - UP TO YEAR 7**  
STUDENTS MAY COMPETE TWICE ONLY.  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$20.00
- DG71. MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOL DANCE CLUBS - YEARS 7, 8 & 9**  
STUDENTS MAY COMPETE TWICE ONLY  
e.g. Twice in DG71 or DG73  
OR  
Once in DG71 and once in DG73  
**Time Limit:** 5 minutes  
**Entry Fee:** \$20.00

**DG72. SECONDARY/SENIOR SCHOOL DANCE CLUBS - YEARS 10, 11 & 12**

STUDENTS MAY COMPETE TWICE ONLY

e.g.

Twice in DG72 or DG73

OR

Once in DG72 and once in DG73

**Time Limit:** 5 minutes

**Entry Fee:** \$20.00

**DG73. SECONDARY SCHOOL DANCE CLUBS - ANY COMBINATION - YEARS 7 TO 12**

STUDENTS MAY COMPETE TWICE ONLY

e.g.

Twice in DG73 or

OR

Once in DG71, DG72 and once in DG73

**Time Limit:** 5 minutes

**Entry Fee:** \$20.00