

Conditions of entry for W.A. State Dance Medallist Championship

DSA Registered Recreational Dancers

As Medallist events are now classified as Novelty Events by DSA, Registered Recreational Competitors may dance in any event that is their age group and medal level. They may be partnered by their Competitive partner or anyone who meets the criteria for that particular event. Dancer's registered with DSA as an amateur competitor **cannot** dance in the medallist events/ medallist open events or teams matches

Medallist competitors Events 1 to 117

Competitor must have no higher medal or equivalent than the level of the event in which they are entering. Each style considered separately, Medallist may be danced at a higher level in their age division where necessary to accommodate all medallists from a studio **at principal's discretion**

Tri-style Competitions

Juvenile	Both competitors must not have turned 12yrs. of age
Junior	Both competitors must be between 12yrs. and less than 16yrs.
Youth Adult	Both competitors must be 16yrs. and over
Masters	Both competitors must be 35yrs and over.

Parent and own Child

The adult partner may be parent grandparent or legal guardian.
Coaches, Professionals and Dance Teachers are excluded from these events

Open Medallist Events

Medallists must be partnered by person of the same age division
Competitors must be partnered by another medallist, **No** Coaches, Professionals or Dance Teachers to partner competitors in these events

Open Street Latin

Competitors must dance in their correct age section
Juvenile/Junior section medallist must be aged less than 16yrs
Adult/ Masters Section must be 16yrs or over
Competitors must be partnered by another medallist, **No** Coaches, Professionals or Dance Teachers to partner competitors in these events

Rock N Roll

Coaches, Professionals or Teaches may not dance in this event

Teams Match (Six competitors per team)

Juvenile/Junior team all competitors must be under 16yrs
Three Couples per team
Team may consist of any combination of couples boy/ girl or two girl's ect.
Adult /Senior Teams all competitors must be 16yrs. and over
Coaches, Professionals and teachers may not dance in these events

Events with less than Four couples may be Combined with another event or deleted at DMIA discretion

Entries close on the 15th November 2018

Medallists Events

- 1 Competitor may dance with a professional or amateur partner. Except where stated otherwise
- 2 Each couple must consists of one medallist and a partner events 1-117
- 3 Competitor **must dance within restricted syllabus** for grades lower than 2nd Silver (DMIA Silver Cross, Silver Star, or Silver Bar) events
- 4 Street dress for competitor and partner. (off the Rack), **no DanceSport dresses unless dancing in 2nd gold and above events**
- 5 **Anyone who is paid to teach is not permitted to dance as a competitor**
- 6 **Medallist Competitors are restricted to one event in each style Events 1-117, plus any age applicable events 118 to 132. No dancing up**
- 7 By entering any event you have agreed to abide by the rules and conditions of entry as set down by Dance Masters International Association INC.
- 8 Dance Masters International Association Inc. Reserve the right of absolute discretion in **all decisions**
- 9 All competitors or spectators agree by attending this event, to have their photograph or digital image taken by the DMIA official Photographers. In the event of television coverage, production of a video recording and including any still photographs or digital image taken during the event, may be used for commercial purposes. All competitors agree that the rights to all fees from such recordings will vest with Dance Masters International Association Inc.

This event is registered with the Australian Dancing Board; Competitors should be registered with the Australian Dancing Board. Registration officer Pat Thomson will be present on day of event to take registrations. All New registration taken on the 2nd December 2018 will include the 2019 year.

Note No Credit card Facility's available at door.