

DECADANCE CHALLENGE

2010

DATES:

SOLOS, DUOS, TRIOS **Sunday, 6TH, 13TH, 20TH JUNE 2010**
(Saturday evening(s) prior only if needed)
Ages grouped together & NOT spread over 3 weekends

TROUPES **Sunday, 27th JUNE 2010**
(Saturday evening, 27TH June only if needed)

VENUE:

PRAIRIEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL
Prairievale Road, WETHERILL PARK (opposite Fairfield Hospital)

ENTRIES CLOSE:

Friday, 7TH May 2010

AGE: As At 1st JUNE 2010

TROUPE AGE: Average Age

ENTRY FEES: SOLOS\$8.00
DUO\$10.00
TRIO\$12.00
CHAMPIONSHIPS\$10.00
TROUPES\$12.00 (less than **10** competitors)
\$15.00 (**10** or more competitors)

PROGRAM: \$ 9.00 including postage

FORWARD ENTRIES TO: Decadance Challenge
1A/1357 The Horsley Drive,
WETHERILL PARK NSW 2164

CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: L Dennis

ADJUDICATOR: To Be Announced

ADMISSION FEE: Adults Per Session - \$7.00
Adults Per Day - \$12.00
Pension/Child per session - \$3.50
Pension/Child per day - \$6.00

VIDEO RECORDING: An official video Operator will be available throughout the eisteddfod for recording on both VHS and DVD.

CANTEEN: Canteen Facilities are available throughout the eisteddfod.
A barbeque will be available on troupe day (all day)

FOR ALL ENQUIRIES CALL 9756 2949 or 0405 332 422

RULES and CONDITIONS

1. **AGE** is taken as at 1ST June 2010. Proof of age may be asked for.
2. **ENTRIES** - Send All Entries to Address on Front Cover. All entries must be accompanied with appropriate fees paid by cheque or money order. Please order your programme with entries.
3. **TROUPE AGE** is **AVERAGE AGE**. Add up ages of all competitors & divide by number of competitors. If age is over .5 then you must dance up an age.
NO DANCER IS PERMITTED TO DANCE MORE THAN ONE AGE GROUP BELOW THEIR AGE (ie. no 14/u dancers in 10/u, no 15/o in 12/u etc)
4. All competitors enter and perform at their own risk. No responsibility will be accepted for accidents, injury or loss of property.
5. This eisteddfod is open to amateurs. That is those whose main source of income is not that of a performer/dance teacher.
6. **NO SMOKING** anywhere on school premises including school hall.
7. All adjudicator's decisions are final.
8. At no time is anyone to approach the adjudicator either during competition or during breaks.
9. A sound system is provided. Please ensure that all music is prepared and ready to start. Please ensure all tapes and CD's are **clearly marked**. No responsibility will be taken for poor quality recordings or damaged tapes/CD's etc. We suggest all studios bring a backup tape and/or CD.
10. Time limits must be adhered to.
11. Please ensure all troupes are entered into correct sections. No dancing outside of your section will be allowed.
12. No distraction or prompting from side stage or audience whilst competitors are performing (babies 5/u excepted from this rule). Prompting could lead to disqualification.
13. The Committee reserves the right to alter the program where necessary.
14. **The use of private video or digital recordings is STRICTLY PROHIBITED**. Please adhere to copyright laws and The Child Protection Laws. An official Video Operator will be available on the day. **NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY PERMITTED IN HALL**.
15. No more than 2 teachers from each studio will be allowed free admission.
16. Protests will only be accepted in writing accompanied by a \$10.00 fee within 5 minutes of the completion & adjudication of any section. This fee is forfeited should the protest be dismissed.
17. Vocals **ARE ACCEPTED** in **ALL** Tap Routines
18. **NO** use of any pre-recorded vocals is to be used in **ANY** Song & Dance entries.
19. **CHAMPIONSHIPS** - A repeat of Dance is not allowed in this section. Two different routines must be performed in the Championship to those danced in any Open Section.
20. **IMPROVISATION** - **PLAIN** dancewear must be worn. No Sequins. For sections 14/u & 15/0 a plain ballet skirt may be worn for ballet & modern only and plain dance pants (of any length) may be worn for jazz & tap in these age groups.
21. Should it be required, larger sections in any category will be split in half on the day and judged as two separate.
22. At the Committee's discretion some sections may be combined if insufficient entries and if this is not deemed appropriate reserve the right to cancel the section and refunded.
23. If less than 4 entries in any section is received and cannot be practically combined, full refunds will be offered. Other than for this reason, No refunds will be given after entries have been accepted and programme printed .
24. Food & Refreshments will be available throughout the entire eisteddfod.

SOLO SECTIONS

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|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Slow Tap | 6. Jazz | 12. Song & Tap |
| 2. Fast Tap | 7. Modern Expressive | 13. Song & Soft Shoe |
| 3. Waltz Tap | 8. Contemp | 14. Jazz Improvisation |
| 4. Tap Ensemble | 9. Classical Ballet | 15. Tap Improvisation |
| 5. Funk / Hip Hop | 10. Demi Character | 16. Classical Improvisation |
| | 11. Student Choreography | 17. Song Only |

AGE GROUPS - Babies 6/u, 8/u, 10/u, 12/u, 14/u, 15/o

TIME LIMIT - 3 minutes

WHILST A SMALL ALLOWANCE IS ACCEPTABLE TO ALLOW FOR A POLISHED FINISH TO PIECES OF MUSIC, THIS TIME LIMIT WILL BE ADHERED TO AND MUSIC WILL BE FADED FOR THOSE SOLOS THAT EXTEND WELL PASSED 3 MINUTES

SPECIALLY RESTRICTED: for competitors who have NEVER placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd place with any dance in that category, at any age, at any competition

RESTRICTED: for competitors who have never placed 1st in a Restricted Section with any dance in that category, at any age, in any competition

OPEN: for competitors who have already placed 1st in Restricted Section with any dance in that category, at any age, in any competition.

DUO/TRIO SECTIONS

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|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Tap | 2. Jazz | 3. Funk / Hip Hop | 4. Modern Exp/Contemp |
| 5. Song & Dance | 6. Classical | 7. Student Choreography | 8. Song Only |

AGE GROUPS - 6/u, 8/u, 10/u, 12/u, 14/u, 15/o

TIME LIMIT - 4 minutes

TROUPE SECTIONS

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|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Tap | 2. Jazz | 3. Funk / Hip Hop | 4. Modern Exp |
| 5. Contemporary | 6. Classical | 7. Song & Dance | 8. Musical Theatre |

AGE GROUPS - 6/u, 8/u, 10/u, 12/u, 14/u, 15/o

Age of Troupe is AVERAGE AGE. Add up ages of all competitors & divide by number of competitors. If age is over .5 then you must dance up an age.

NO DANCER IS PERMITTED TO DANCE MORE THAN ONE AGE GROUP BELOW THEIR AGE (ie. no 14/u dancers in 10/u, no 15/o in 12/u etc)

TIME LIMIT - 5 minutes

CHAMPIONSHIPS

TAP - 1 x Fast and 1 x Slow to be performed -

2 dances required to qualify. You must enter and compete in either Open Fast, Slow or Waltz.

JAZZ - 1 x Jazz and 1 x Jazz Improvisation to be performed

2 dances required to qualify. You must enter & compete in Open Jazz, Modern Expressive or Improvisation

MODERN - 1 x Modern Expressive and 1 x Contemporary

2 dances required to qualify. You must enter & compete in either Modern Exp, Contemporary or Improvisation.

SONG & DANCE - 1 x Song & Soft Shoe and 1 x Song & Tap to be performed -

2 dances required to qualify. You must enter and compete in both of these sections.

CLASSICAL - 1 x Classical and 1 x Demi-Character to be performed -

2 dances required to qualify. You must enter and compete in both of these sections.

No repeat routines accepted in Championships

AGE GROUPS - Jnr 9/u, 12/u, 13/o (may be varied with notice to you subject to entries received)

TIME LIMIT - 3.5 minutes per dance

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SOLO ENTRY FORM

COMPETITOR'S NAME: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ **AGE:** _____

POSTAL ADDRESS: _____

P/CODE _____

CONTACT PH NOs: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

STUDIO ATTENDED: _____

TEACHER'S NAME: _____

SECTION	COST	AGE GROUP	SECTION	COST	AGE GROUP
Specially Restricted Slow Tap	\$8		Open Slow Tap	\$8	
Specially Restricted Fast Tap	\$8		Open Fast Tap	\$8	
Specially Restricted Waltz Tap	\$8		Open Waltz Tap	\$8	
Specially Restricted Jazz / Funk	\$8		Open Jazz	\$8	
Specially Restricted Modern / Contemporary	\$8		Open Funk / Hip Hop	\$8	
Specially Restricted Classical Ballet	\$8		Open Modern Expressive	\$8	
Specially Restricted Demi Character	\$8		Open Modern Contemporary	\$8	
Specially Restricted Song & Tap	\$8		Open Classical Ballet	\$8	
Specially Restricted Song & Soft Shoe	\$8		Open Demi Character	\$8	
			Open Song & Tap	\$8	
Restricted Slow Tap	\$8		Open Song & Soft Shoe	\$8	
Restricted Fast Tap	\$8		Open Song Only	\$8	
Restricted Waltz Tap	\$8				
Restricted Ensemble Tap	\$8		Tap Championship	\$11	
Restricted Jazz	\$8		Jazz Championship	\$11	
Restricted Funk / Hip Hop	\$8		Modern Championship	\$11	
Restricted Modern Expressive	\$8		Song & Dance Championship	\$11	
Restricted Modern Contemporary	\$8		Classical Ballet Championship	\$11	
Restricted Classical Ballet	\$8				
Restricted Demi Character	\$8		Tap Improvisation	\$8	
Restricted Song & Tap	\$8		Jazz Improvisation	\$8	
Restricted Song & Soft Shoe	\$8		Modern Improvisation	\$8	
Restricted Song Only	\$8		Classical Improvisation	\$8	
			Student Choreography	\$8	
			Acrobatics	\$8	
Sub total of Solo entries:				\$	

DUO / TRIO

SECTION	COST	AGE GROUP	Partner's Name(s)	Partner's Age(s) & DOB(s)
Duo / Trio Tap	\$10			
Duo / Trio Jazz	\$10			
Duo / Trio Hip Hop	\$10			
Duo / Trio Classical	\$10			
Duo / Trio Song & Dance	\$10			
Duo / Trio Modern Expressive / Contemp	\$10			
Duo / Trio Student Choreography	\$10			
Duo / Trio Song Only	\$10			
Sub total of Duo entries:				\$
Program:				\$9.00
TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE:				\$

