

# COMPETITION FAQ's

## What are the Competition Entry Fees:

Entry Fees are available to STUDIO DIRECTORS ONLY

- 1) [online entry system](#) ( you can view these in the studio owner portal )
- 2) or email [carol@stepup2dance.com](mailto:carol@stepup2dance.com) from your Studio email

## When Should I register for the Show ?

ASAP. Don't Delay ! Your spot is saved in the system once you put in a deposit . You may Edit Your Entries up until 3 weeks prior to the event.

## When will I receive my Final performance Schedule:

On Monday afternoon of show week (5 days prior to your show)

## What if my acts are scheduled too close together ?

Email in & we'll do our best to accommodate you at the show. We can offer to move your routine up or back (out of order) as long as it is inside the block of time all the others in your grouping perform. This change will be made on show day as long as it is not a hardship to other groups . It will not be reflected in the program book . The program book will always display all Groups by Genre, by Ability, by Age.

## What time do I arrive ?

At least 1 hour before your scheduled time. Teams with a lot of entries are required to have the team here at 7:30am to work with our Stage Manager.

## Can I bring in my own food ?

No outside Food or Coolers is allowed in any event space  
All of these rentals have their own consession stand available .

## Is there a stage or what type of floor ?

All our HS & College events are on a Stage, approx 40 x 60  
All our Hotel event are on a portable wood floor not a raised stage .  
We use a marley tour floor for all events

## Studio Director / Team Director

Directors must monitor their students and stay with students .Students may not be in the

dressing room or backstage alone without Teacher or Parent.

**Is there a General Schedule ?**

**1 day only event:**

Groups in morning, 7:30 - 2pm, than Group Awards.

Solos 3pm with Solo Awards after the last Solo Act.

Times are updated every 2 weeks on the website.

**2 day events:** Solos on Day 1, Groups on Day 2

**Dressing Room Space:**

Dressing RoomSpace is assigned. For the health welfare, privacy of the students, No boys, dads, carriages , food or strong chemical sprays allowed in girl's space . Bring in limited items. Do not leave valuables unattended.

**Can I bring Guest to Watch:**

Check with your student director on this as she/he will have this info.

Some of our venues have fire laws pertaining to crowding and we must limit the number of guests per student. Please read over the details on the tour dates/locations page pertaining to the event you wish to come to.

**Independent Entries:** are not accepted for competition. All solos must be registered by Studio Director . **Convention:** Students may enter on their own.

**Judges scores, critiques:** Scores / critiques are uploaded and available immediately after the event . Log into your DC genie portal after the event.

**Can I purchase a DVD or Photos AFTER the event?**

Yes, email the vendor directly on the [www.stepup2dance.com](http://www.stepup2dance.com) contact us page

**Can I get a refund for a withdrawn, injured or sick dancer?**

There are no refunds. A credit is issued to the Studio Owner.

**Have a question not answered?** . We regret in the short busy season, our small office can not answer calls / inquiries from parents.

Visit our Rules Page & ask your studio owner who will in turn inquire for you.

**Studio Owners / Teachers Only:** Email direct to [carol@stepup2dance.com](mailto:carol@stepup2dance.com)