

America's Mr & Miss Dance Titles Competition



We are looking forward to this Awesome Weekend July 21, 22, & 23 at the Beautiful Wright Memorial Event Center!!!

Venue:

Wright Memorial Event Center

184 Slaydon Rd
Eden, NC 27288

Host Hotel:

Hampton Inn-Eden

724 S Van Buren Rd
Eden, NC 27288

Title Entries are to be entered Online & Paid by June 15th. Then we will send studios a Link to share with Parents/Dancers. This will be a Google Document that will need to be filled out, a headshot uploaded, and submitted by July 1st! The information submitted will be used for the Program Book, Judges Contestant Information, and Contestant Introductions. Attached is a Sample of the Questions on the Information Sheet and a Sample of Appropriate Photos to Submit. The Photo & Information Sheet is the First Impression...make it a good one!!!

**Every Contestant Receives FREE Video of the Opening #/Self-Introduction, Solo, and Titles Awards Ceremony to share with Family & Friends. This will be Claimed using the Dakki App as we did with Regional Competitions.

We have a Sensational Weekend planned for these Awesome Young Dancers. This program is about the experience, we are not looking for the "best dancer" but rather a strong dancer that is a leader, role model, and is well rounded to be a representative for the ANDC Family. It's the culmination of all categories that determines the National Title Winners. In each age Division Preliminary Awards will be presented in Interview, Class, and Solo Routine. Finalist will be announced for each age division and the highest scoring Finalist will be named the 2023 National Title Holder. Age Divisions are Tiny (5-6), Mini (7-8), Petite (9-10), Junior (11-12), Teen (13-14), Senior/Miss & Mr Dance (15-19.) **Ages are as of Jan 1st, 2022 **PLEASE NOTE: The ANDC Family Reserves the right to modify age divisions based on actual received entries**

The next page gives a description of each category and attire needed. It is important to read this carefully so you are aware, prepared, and organized for a smooth title competition experience.

NATIONAL TITLES COMPETITION WHAT TO WEAR:

INTERVIEW: This is the chance for the judges to get to know the contestant on a personal level and learn their interests as dancers and outside of dance. Church/Business Dress and contestant #. You will be given your # at Check-In. Express your personal style, keeping in mind this is a Role Model for the Season.

RED CARPET PARTY: An Outfit that Expresses your Personal Style and is festive for an evening on the Red Carpet...we are going **NASHVILLE RED CARPET** for this Evening. Wear Your #. At the Welcome Party you will receive a Gift Bag, your T-Shirt for Open #/Self-Introduction, have your picture made and Contestants will be Officially Introduced as an America's Mr & Miss Dance Contestants as they Walk the Nashville Red Carpet! Guest are allowed to attend this activity, number of guests that may attend with the Contestant will be determined once we have final entry numbers. After a bit of mingling with some delicious desserts we will move the party outside for Fireworks!!! (Weather permitting)

OPEN NUMBER PRACTICE/CLASS: Ladies Leotard & Tights. Gentleman Tank or T-Shirt with Shorts or Pants. Any Solid Colors are acceptable...please avoid patterns or florescent colors. All wear Jazz Style Shoes (Closed Toe Recommended), you may accessorize but keep in mind you will be taking class when making those choices. Class/Opening Number will be Jazz Style. Wear your # for this category. This is a class so hair out of face, look professional, and arrive focused.

OPEN NUMBER PERFORMANCE/SELF-INTRODUCTION: Ladies Black Leotard and Tights for Skin Tone. Gentlemen: Black Pants. Closed Toe Jazz Style Shoes, Titles T-Shirt, we will let you know colors with final information and schedule for the weekend. You may wear a Bow or Fun Hair Accessory. **DO NOT MODIFY THE T-SHIRT!!!** Wear Your #. Self-Introduction will be part of the Opening Number and/or Follow the Opening Number. This is performed in front of the audience prior to the Solo Routine performance.

SOLO ROUTINE: Your Solo Costume, you do not have to wear your # in this category. Judges Tablets will keep them on the correct Title Contestant during the Solo Division. After you perform your solo keep your Costume on...there will be a Parade of Contestants after each Age Division, where they do receive some awards.

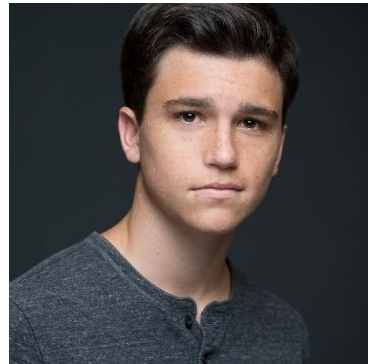
AWARDS GALA/CEREMONY: Formal Attire, Dress to Impress, however there is no judging for this...so do not spend a lot of money on formal attire. It's just fun to dress up for the title awards gala. The Awards Gala will have limited seating. Once we have final numbers, we will let you know how many guests you may have for the Gala. ****Be sure you Wear your #.**

We suggest you and your Guests look nice too...you never know when there will be a Picture Opportunity and everyone wants to look nice. The Gala will be a very dressy/classy occasion.

DANCE MACHINE

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****Samples of Appropriate Headshots/Pictures for Title Contestants****





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Interview/Contestant Information Sheet Questions

**** Link to Google Document will be Sent June 18th and will be Due July 1st ****

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name (As you want it in the Program) Age, Date of Birth, and School Grade (for 22-23)
T-Shirt Size, Parent/Guardian Name & E-mail, Studio, Studio Director, and Solo Routine
Information (to match with the entry online)

CONTESTANT INFORMATION SHEET

****Do not over answer these...keep it simple/brief...this gives the judges a starting place for the interview...bullet points and short answers no Why unless it asks the why.**

Solo Routine Name & Style...Why you chose this Routine?

What dance classes do you take?

Favorite Dance Class/Style?

Professional Dancer/Performer that you look up to:

Dance Award/Honor that meant the most to you:

General Favorites: Color, Food, Vocal Artist/Band, Store, Vacation, Non-Dance Activity

Three Non-Dance Activities or Awards you are most proud of:

A Celebrity/Public Figure you find inspiring:

Future Plans?