

Canadian Closed Championship

April 19 & 20, 2019

GENERAL RULES



Closing Date for Entries: Sunday, April 7, 2019

GENERAL AMATEUR RULES

- All amateur competitors must have a current DSAB, CDS or WDSF affiliate membership.
- Juvenile couples are allowed to compete in the Junior I and Junior II events except at championship level.
- Youth couples are allowed to compete in Adult events. In all age groups one partner of a couple can belong to a younger age-group, except in the Senior I, Senior II, Senior III and Senior IV age groups.
- All competitors must be ready 1 hour before their event and present themselves for costume check. In case of tardiness, the competition will not be delayed.
- In the student/student competition only the lower-level student is being judged. The higher-level student has to have danced at least one level higher than the lower level student in past competitions. Only the student being adjudicated pays entry fees in this category.
- All competitors require to have paid their registration fees.
- Juvenile and Junior competitors require admission tickets for the session(s) of the event(s) entered. Youth, Adult and Senior competitors require full-day (evening) admission tickets.
- The use of spray tan on the premises is strictly forbidden.
- At check-in, bib numbers have a \$5.00 deposit, refundable upon return.
- For more info: contact Terez Gaspar terez@dancesportalberta.org, 403-606-3993, or on our website: www.dancechampionships.ca

DRESS CODE

- Amateur non-championship events: Dress Code is according to DSAB schedule G. See: www.dancechampionships.ca
- Amateur Championships: Competition dress is obligatory. See www.dancesport.ca

Standard

Men: Black or dark blue tails, white shirt and white tie

Ladies: Competition Dress

Latin

Men: Latin costume with sleeves

Ladies: Latin costume

TICKETS

- Information and prices @ www.dancechampionships.ca
- Purchase ticket online @ www.dancechampionships.ca
- Tickets can be purchased at the door if space permits.
- Tickets purchased online **must be printed** for entry to the venue.

PAYMENT, LATE ENTRY and REFUND POLICY

- Early bird price deadline: March 17, 2019.
- Registration deadline and fee payment is Sunday, April 7, 2019. Any registrations after this date are at the discretion of the organizers.
- Registrations without payment of entry fees are not considered valid.
- Make cheques payable to 'DanceSport Alberta' or indicate credit card number information on the summary entry form. Send form and payment to Terez Gaspar terez@dancesportalberta.org or #304-8000 Wentworth Dr SW Calgary, AB T3H 5K8.
- The organizer has the right to cancel any event. Cancelled events will be refunded.
- There are no refunds on entry fees or ticket purchased.
- Mail entries **must be received** by dates quoted to receive early bird prices or to avoid late fees.

WAIVER & LIABILITY

All amateurs and professionals (and, if under age 18, their parents or legal guardians) must sign the release on the individual entry form to be eligible to compete.

AGE CLASSIFICATION

The following age classifications are based upon the individual's birthday which occurs within the calendar year:

- **Juvenile I:** 9th birthday or less
- **Juvenile II:** 10th or 11th birthday
- **Junior I:** 12th or 13th birthday
- **Junior II:** 14th or 15th birthday
- **Youth:** 16th, 17th or 18th birthday
- **Under 21:** 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th or 20th birthday
- **Adult:** 19th birthday or more
- **Senior I:** One partner must have reached his or her 35th birthday and the other partner must have reached his or her 30th birthday.
- **Senior II:** One partner must have reached his or her 45th birthday and the other partner must have reached his or her 40th birthday.
- **Senior III:** One partner must have reached his or her 55th birthday and the other partner must have reached his or her 50th birthday.
- **Senior IV:** One partner must have reached his or her 65th birthday or more. The other partner must have reached her or his 60th birthday or more