SUMMER SYLLABUS JANUARY 2019



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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

AGE

- The age of competitor will be taken from the starting date of the competition.
- Group ages will be taken as at the 1st of January 2018

INJURY AND LOSSES

- Competitors dance at their own risk and no responsibility will be taken by Ritz and Glitz Dance Challenge or the committee for injury incurred
- Ritz and Glitz Dance Challenge and the committee will not be responsible for any damage, loss of property or injury to any persons at this event. Lost property will not be collected or kept.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND FILMING

- Personal video cameras, cameras or any electronic recording devices are NOT allowed in the auditorium at any time for any reason, due to child protection laws.
- An Independent professional videographer and still life photographer will be present at the eisteddfods.
- All competitors grant their permission to appear in newspaper or any promotional material for the Ritz & Glitz dance challenge.

UNIFORMS

 For Improvisation Sections - A plain leotard, dance shorts and crop top or unitard only will be accepted. No trims or sequins or studio logos etc will be allowed. A chiffon or lace ballet skirt or inserts on leotards can be worn in the Ballet and Modern improvisation sections.

- All tap shoes must be covered whilst in the hall.
- Pointe shoes must not be worn by any competitor who is 11 years of age & under.
- Changing will only be permitted in the designated areas due to child protection laws.

PROMPTING

- Prompting from the wings will not be permitted from age group 7 years and over.
- No parents or teachers are aloud side stage except when helping with props or for 6 years and under.

TEACHERS PASSES

- Teachers MUST sign in at the front desk and must display their pass at all times.
- Only two teachers per studio per day.

PUNCTUALITY AND TIMING

- All competitors are advised to arrive 1 hour before the estimated time of their section.
- While we strive to run on time we cannot guarantee this. No refunds will be given to late competitors.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

• All competitors must be ready to perform as stated in the program. Please see the back desk for permission to dance out of order or you could be disqualified

REPEATS

- Strictly no repeats in any sections with the exception of all restricted championships, the babies championship, 8 years and under championships and all classical ballet championships in which the demi character section only can be repeated.
- Any act in a specially restricted or restricted section that is not completed will be able to be repeated at the end of the section for adjudicators comments only.
- In the event of memory lapse in an open section it will be at the adjudicator's discretion to allow a competitor to return to the stage.

ADJUDICATORS

- The adjudicator's decision is final, and no discussion will be entered into regarding any decisions. Neither parent of competitor is to approach or speak with the adjudicator during the challenge or they may be disqualified
- It is the committees right to attract and employ the very best adjudicators for the competition.
- Please note it is not a ruling of this competition to prevent any adjudicator from judging again after a time limit of 1 year has passed. Wherever possible however, different, highly trained Adjudicators will be sort for the benefit of all competitors.

PERFORMANCE LENGTH AND MUSIC REGULATIONS

- Solo routines: 3 minutes maximum
- Duos, Trios, Song & Dance and Vocals: 4 minutes maximum
- Groups: 5 minutes maximum
- Production: 10 minutes maximum
- Music will be timed in each routine and disqualification will occur after reaching more than 10 seconds overtime
- Music is to be on CD only. Music facilities

will be provided, and an operator will collect & play all music. There MUST be one track per disc only. No responsibility will be taken for the CD skipping.

• Voiceovers in song & dance and Demi character section will not be accepted.

CHAMPIONSHIPS AND SHOWCASE

Restricted Championship

- Any competitor entering in <u>any OPEN</u> <u>category</u> will be deemed ineligible to enter in the <u>Restricted Championship</u>.
- All restricted championships are open to both specially restricted and restricted competitors only.
- Entrants must have competed in the specially restricted or restricted sections of the same genre.
- Routines will need to be repeated and performed in the restricted championship.
- Our restricted championship is of mixed genre.
- One routine will be performed in the section.

Open Championship

- To enter an open championship all students must compete in the open section as stated under the championship categories.
- Full time students are able to enter Open Championships.

Showcase

- Any competitor entered within the competition will qualify for the showcase.
- No adjudicator reports will be given for showcase sections
- Repeats are ALLOWED

GROUP SECTIONS

- All groups entered must be accompanied by a list of each group members name & ages as of January 1st of that same year.
- Teachers will need to work out their student's ages from January 1st and enter them in the age categories suitable.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

SPECIALLY RESTRICTED AND RESTRICETED SECTIONS

- Specially restricted sections are open to those competitors who have never received a 1st place in any eisteddfod in that category.
- Restricted sections are open to those competitors who received a 1st place in specially restricted section of that genre at any eisteddfod.
- If you have won a 1st place in a restricted section of your age group and genre at any competition you are then deemed an open competitor and must compete in the open age category for that genre.
- If you have competed and placed in the American style competitions i.e. Kar, Showcase, Dance life unite etc. than we would appreciate your honesty to place your child in an Open category. These

competitions are not ungraded, so if you have competed and won or placed highly in these competitions we would ask you to enter correctly to be fair to the other competitors.

• Full time Dance students cannot compete in ANY specially restricted or restricted sections at the Ritz & Glitz Dance Challenge.

OPEN SECTIONS

- Open sections are for competitors who have moved up through the specially restricted and restricted sections.
- Full time dance students are welcomed and are able to compete in all Open dance sections at the Ritz & Glitz Dance Challenge.
- If you are a full time dance student, you need to let us know on your entry form by ticking the box.

ENTRY AND FEES

- Entries can be submitted online using the website <u>www.comps-online.com.au</u> OR Fill out the entry form below and email it to <u>ritzandglitzdance@gmail.com</u> with receipt of payment.
- Late entries will not be accepted after the official closing date.
- Each competitor's entry must be separate, and a copy of each birth certificate must be emailed to ritzandglitzdance@gmail.com. Past competitors to the challenge will not need to email another copy of their birth certificate, as it will be on file from the previous years. Failure to produce a birth certificate with entry will deem the competitor ineligible to participate in the competition.
- Ritz and Glitz Dance Challenge deems no responsibility for incorrect entries. Any competitor entering a section when ineligible shall forfeit all fees in respect to entry. Fees shall not be refunded due to incorrect entries.
- Each section must have a minimum of four dancing competitors. If a section fails to meet this requirement then it may be cancelled or joined with another section of its type. In the case of section cancellation a refund will be provided.
- Programs are compulsory and will be emailed to you at a cost of \$10.00 each.

ROUTINE REQUIREMENTS

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Restricted (R) Cho	
Age Groups	Junior (12/U) & Senior (13/O)
Categories	All styles excepted
Open (O)	Championships
Age Groups	Babies 6yrs/u, 8yrs/u, 10yrs/u, 12yrs/u, 14yrs/u, 15yrs/o, 18+
Categories	Tap, Jazz/Hip Hop, Classical, Modern, Song & Dance, Vocal,
Ch	Acrobatics
Showcase	$h_{\rm exc} = (10/11) {\rm Gension} (12/10)$
Age Groups	Junior (12/U) Senior (13/O)
Duo/Trio Quartets	
Age Groups	8yrs/u, 10yrs/u, 12yrs/u, 13yrs/o
Categories	Tap, Jazz/Hip Hop, Classical, Modern-Lyrical or Contemporary or National Character
ROUTINE REQUIREMENTS	
*No repeats allowed only where stated in Rules	
Open Championships - To Qualify	
Jazz:	Open Jazz and 1 other Open section
Тар:	Open Slow, Open Speed and 1 other Open Tap section
Modern:	Open Lyrical or Contemporary Section & 1 other Open section
Classical:	Open Classical & Demi Character Section & 1 other Open section
Acrobatics:	Open Acrobatic Section & 1 other Open section
Song & Dance:	Open Song & Dance Section & 1 other Open section
Championship Routines	
Jazz:	One routine - Jazz/Hip Hop or Variety
Tap:	Two routines - Slow & Speed
Classical:	Two routines - Demi (can repeat) & Classical
Modern:	One routine - Lyrical or Contemporary
Song & Dance:	One routine - Song & soft shoe or tap
Acrobatics:	One routine – Acrobatics
Restricted Championship - To Qualify	
Any Style	Specially Restricted OR Restricted Genre of your choice
Championship Routine	
Any Style	One routine - Qualifying routine to be repeated

NEW REDUCED PRICING

Solos - \$15 Improvisations - \$10 Championships - \$25 Showcase - \$50 Duos and Trios - \$10ea

- 1. 3 Years & Under Babies Any Style
- 2. 5 Years & Under Jazz
- 3. 5 Years & Under Tap
- 4. 5 Years & Under Classical Ballet
- 5. 5 Years & Under Modern
- 6. 5 Years & Under Demi Character
- 7. 5 Years & Under Song & Dance
- 8. 6 Years & Under Improvisation Jazz
- 9. 6 Years & Under Improvisation Modern/Ballet
- 10. 6 Years & Under Slow Tap
- 11. 6 Years & Under Waltz Tap
- 12. 6 Years & Under Speed Tap
- 13. 6 Years & Under Demi Character
- 14. 6 Years & Under Classical Ballet
- 15. 6 Years & Under Jazz
- 16. 6 Years & Under Song & Dance
- 17. 6 Years & Under Modern
- 18. 7 Years & Under Restricted Slow Tap
- 19. 7 Years & Under Restricted Waltz Tap
- 20. 7 Years & Under Restricted Speed Tap
- 21. 7 Years & Under Restricted Jazz
- 22. 7 Years & Under Restricted Modern Lyrical or Contemporary
- 23. 7 Years & Under Restricted Classical Ballet
- 24. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Slow Tap
- 25. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Waltz Tap
- 26. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Speed Tap
- 27. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Jazz
- 28. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Lyrical
- 29. 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Contemporary

- 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Classical Ballet
- 8 Years & Under Special Restricted -Demi Character
- 32. 8 Years & Under Open Slow tap
- 33. 8 Years & Under Open Waltz Tap
- 34. 8 Years & Under Open Speed Tap
- 35. 8 Years & Under Open Jazz
- 36. 8 Years & Under Open Modern Lyrical
- 8 Years & Under Open Modern Contemporary
- 8 Years & Under Open Demi Character
- 39. 8 Years & Under Open Classical Ballet
- 40. 8 Years & Under Open Song & Dance Tap/Soft Shoe
- 41. 8 Years & Under Open Improvisation Jazz
- 42. 8 Years & Under Open Improvisation Tap
- 43. 8 Years & Under Open Improvisation Ballet
- 44. 8 Years & Under Open Improvisation Modern
- 45. 9 Years & Under Restricted Slow Tap
- 46. 9 Years & Under Restricted Waltz Tap
- 47. 9 Years & Under Restricted Speed Tap
- 48. 9 Years & Under Restricted Jazz
- 49. 9 Years & Under Restricted Modern Lyrical or Contemporary
- 50. 9 Years & Under Restricted Classical Ballet
- 51. 9 Years & Under Restricted Demi Character
- 52. 9 Years & Under Restricted Song & Dance Tap or Soft

53. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Slow Tap

- 54. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Waltz Tap
- 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Speed Tap
- 56. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Jazz
- 57. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Classical Ballet
- 58. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Lyrical
- 59. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Contemporary
- 60. 10 Years & Under Special Restricted -Demi Character
- 61. 10 Years & Under Open Slow Tap
- 62. 10 Years & Under Open Waltz Tap
- 63. 10 Years & Under Open Speed Tap
- 64. 10 Years & Under Open Jazz
- 65. 10 Years & Under Open Classical Ballet
- 66. 10 Years & Under Open Modern Lyrical
- 67. 10 Years & Under Open Modern Contemporary
- 68. 10 Years & Under Open Demi Character
- 69. 10 Years & Under Open Song & Dance Tap/Soft Shoe
- 70. 10 Years & Under Open Straight Tap
- 71. 10 Years & Under Open Ensemble
- 72. 10 Years & Under Open Hip Hop
- 73. 10 Years & Under Open Musical Theatre/Cabaret
- 74. 10 Years & Under Open Improvisation Jazz
- 75. 10 Years & Under Open Improvisation Tap
- 76. 10 Years & Under Open Improvisation

Modern

- 77. 10 Years & Under Open Improvisation Classical
- 78. 11 Years & Under Restricted Slow Tap
- 79. 11 Years & Under Restricted Waltz Tap
- 80. 11 Years & Under Restricted Speed Tap
- 81. 11 Years & Under Restricted Jazz
- 82. 11 Years & Under Restricted Modern Lyrical
- 83. 11 Years & Under Restricted Modern Contemporary
- 84. 11 Years & Under Restricted Classical Ballet
- 85. 11 Years & Under Restricted Demi Character
- 86. 11 Years & Under Restricted Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 87. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Slow Tap
- 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Waltz Tap
- 89. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Speed Tap
- 90. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Jazz
- 91. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Classical Ballet
- 92. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Lyrical
- 93. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Modern Contemporary
- 94. 12 Years & Under Special Restricted -Demi Character
- 95. 12 Years & Under Open Slow Tap
- 96. 12 Years & Under Open Waltz Tap
- 97. 12 Years & Under Open Speed Tap
- 98. 12 Years & Under Open Straight Tap

- 99. 12 Years & Under Open Ensemble Tap
- 100. 12 Years & Under Open Acrobatics
- 101. 12 Years & Under Open National Character
- 102. 12 Years & Under Open Demi Character
- 103. 12 Years & Under Open Jazz
- 104. 12 Years & Under Open Classical Ballet
- 105. 12 Years & Under Open Modern Lyrical
- 106. 12 Years & Under Open Modern Contemporary
- 107. 12 Years & Under Open Hip Hop
- 108. 12 Years & Under Open Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 109. 12 Years & Under Open Musical Theatre/Cabaret
- 110. 12 Years & Under Open Student Choreography
- 111. 12 Years & Under Open -Improvisation Tap
- 112. 12 Years & Under Open -Improvisation Jazz
- 113. 12 Years & Under Open -Improvisation Modern
- 114. 12 Years & Under Open -Improvisation Classical
- 115. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Slow Tap
- 116. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Waltz Tap
- 117. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Speed Tap
- 118. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Jazz
- 119. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -

Classical Ballet

- 120. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Modern Lyrical
- 121. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Modern Contemporary
- 122. 13 Years & Over Special Restricted -Demi Character
- 123. 13 Years & Under Restricted Slow Tap
- 124. 13 Years & Under Restricted Waltz Tap
- 125. 13 Years & Under Restricted Speed Tap
- 126. 13 Years & Under Restricted Jazz
- 127. 13 Years & Under Restricted Modern Lyrical
- 128. 13 Years & Under Restricted Modern Contemporary
- 129. 13 Years & Under Restricted Classical Ballet
- 130. 13 Years & Under Restricted Demi Character
- 131. 13 Years & Under Restricted Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 132. 13 Years & Over Open Musical Theatre/Cabaret
- 133. 13 Years & Over Open Student Choreography
- 134. 13 Years & Over Open Improvisation Jazz
- 135. 13 Years & Over Open Improvisation Tap
- 136. 13 Years & Over Open Improvisation Modern
- 137. 13 Years & Over Open Improvisation Classical
- 138. 14 Years & Over Restricted Slow Tap
- 139. 14 Years & Over Restricted Waltz Tap

- 140. 14 Years & Over Restricted Speed Tap
- 141. 14 Years & Over Restricted Jazz
- 142. 14 Years & Over Restricted Modern Lyrical
- 143. 14 Years & Over Restricted Modern Contemporary
- 144. 14 Years & Over Restricted Classical Ballet
- 145. 14 Years & Over Restricted Demi Character
- 146. 14 Years & Over Restricted Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 147. 14 Years & Under Open Slow Tap
- 148. 14 Years & Under Open Waltz Tap
- 149. 14 Years & Under Open Speed Tap
- 150. 14 Years & Under Open Acrobatics
- 151. 14 Years & Under Open Hip Hop
- 152. 14 Years & Under Open Jazz
- 153. 14 Years & Under Open National Character
- 154. 14 Years & Under Open Demi Character
- 155. 14 Years & Under Open Classical Ballet
- 156. 14 Years & Under Open Modern Lyrical

- 157. 14 Years & Under Open Modern Contemporary
- 158. 14 Years & Under Open Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 159. 14 Years & Under Open Straight Tap
- 160. 14 Years & Under Open Ensemble Tap
- 161. 15 Years & Over Open Slow Tap
- 162. 15 Years & Over Open Waltz Tap
- 163. 15 Years & Over Open Speed Tap
- 164. 15 Years & Over Open Jazz
- 165. 15 Years & Over Open Classical
- 166. 15 Years & Over Open Demi Character
- 167. 15 Years & Over Open National Character
- 168. 15 Years & Over Open Hip Hop
- 169. 15 Years & Over Open Acrobatics
- 170. 15 Years & Over Open Modern Lyrical
- 171. 15 Years & Over Open Modern Contemporary
- 172. 15 Years & Over Open Straight Tap
- 173. 15 Years & Over Open Ensemble Tap
- 174. 15 Years & Over Open Song & Dance Tap or Soft Shoe
- 175. All Ages Special Needs Solo Any Style

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- 176. 8 Years & Under Duo/Trio Any Style
- 177. 10 Years & Under Duo/Trio Tap
- 178. 10 Years & Under Duo/Trio Jazz/Hip Hop/Variety
- 179. 10 Years & Under Duo/Trio -Modern/Classical
- 180. 12 Years & Under Duo/Trio Tap
- 181. 12 Years & Under Duo/Trio Jazz/Hip Hop/Variety
- Babies Championship Any Style 6 Years & Under
- Jazz Championship (one routine) 8
 Years & Under
- 189. Jazz Championship (one routine) 10Years & Under
- 190. Jazz Championship (one routine) 12 Years & Under
- 191. Jazz Championship (one routine) 14 Years & Under
- 192. Jazz Championship (one routine) 15 Years & Over
- 193. Classical Ballet Championship (Classical & Demi) - 8 Years & Under
- 194. Classical Ballet Championship (Classical & Demi) - 10 Years & Under
- 195. Classical Ballet Championship (Classical & Demi) - 12 Years & Under
- 196. Classical Ballet Championship (Classical & Demi) - 14 Years & Under
- 197. Classical Ballet Championship (Classical & Demi) - 15 Years & Over
- 198. Modern Championship (Lyrical or Contemporary) - 8 Years & Under
- 199. Modern Championship (Lyrical or Contemporary) - 10 Years & Under

Dance - Duos and Trios

- 182. 12 Years & Under Duo/Trio -Modern/Classical
- 183. 13 Years & Over Duo/Trio Tap
- 184. 13 Years & Over Duo/Trio Jazz/Hip Hop/Variety
- 185. 13 Years & Over Duo/Trio -Modern/Classical
- All Ages Special Needs Duo/Trio Any Style

Dance - Championships

- 200. Modern Championship (Lyrical or Contemporary) - 12 Years & Under
- 201. Modern Championship (Lyrical or Contemporary) - 14 Years & Under
- 202. Modern Championship (Lyrical or Contemporary) - 15 Years & Over
- 203. Tap Championship (Slow & Speed) 8 Years & Under
- 204. Tap Championship (Slow & Speed) 10 Years & Under
- 205. Tap Championship (Slow & Speed) -12 Years & Under
- 206. Tap Championship (Slow & Speed) -14 Years & Under
- 207. Tap Championship (Slow & Speed) -15 Years & Over
- 208. Song & Dance Championship (one routine) 12 Years & Under
- 209. Song & Dance Championship (one routine) 13 Years & Over
- 210. Restricted Championship (one routine) 12 Years & Under
- 211. Restricted Championship (one routine) 13 Years & Over

- 208. Song & Dance Championship (one routine) 12 Years & Under
- 209. Song & Dance Championship (one routine) 13 Years & Over

Dance - Championships

- 210. Restricted Championship (one routine) 12 Years & Under
- 211. Restricted Championship (one routine) 13 Years & Over

Dance - Showcase

- 212. Showcase Junior (repeats allowed) -Junior (Any Style) 12 Years & Under
- 213. Showcase Senior (repeats allowed) -Senior (Any Style) 13 Years & Over

All entries must be made via comps online. We are no longer taking paper entries.

If you have any queries please email us at <u>ritzandglitzdance@hotmail.com</u> and we will get back to you as soon as we can or visit our Facebook Page at <u>www.facebook.com/www.ritzandglitz.com.au/</u> and don't forget to join our Facebook group to receive notifications on news and information updates!

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