In the event of Television coverage or production of a Video Recording for commercial purposes of any Competition or Championship event, all Competitors and Patrons agree that the rights to any fees from such television or video recording will vest solely with Blackpool Entertainment Company Limited, (The Organisers) and no Competitors, Patrons or Associations shall have any claim against the Organisers, Television Company or Video Producer at any such event.

RULES - The Championships will be conducted under the Rules of the British Dance Council.

ENTRY - There will be an Entry Fee for First Round/Day for each competition which includes General Admission to the Ballroom and all Competitors will defray their own travelling expenses. - Entry to the Competitions will not be accepted unless it is accompanied with the relevant Entry Fee Form and should be in the hands of the Festival Organiser not later than Friday, 23rd September. All Entries will be acknowledged by post within 7 days of receipt of Entry. Should competitors not receive a letter of confirmation within five days of the closing date, please contact the Organiser. Online entries are not acknowledged by the Dance Festival Office as a confirmation will be forwarded to your email address on completion. All Competitors wishing to enter the National Championships/Competitions must hold a valid registration as an Amateur or Professional.

If any Competitor withdraws from any Championship after entry, immediate notification in writing should be made. Failure to do this renders them liable to disqualification from entering any future events. The Management reserve the right to limit the number of entries accepted in any of the Championships.

PLEASE NOTE - No late entries will be accepted and there will be no spare numbers, nor will anyone be allowed to dance in place of competitors who have not claimed their numbers.

The aggregate votes of the Adjudicators in the early rounds, and the individual placings of each Adjudicator in the Final Rounds, will be available on the Official Dance Festival website after the conclusion of the Festival.

COMPETITOR’S PRACTICE:
The Winter Gardens Ballroom will be open for Competitor’s practice on Thursday from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m., Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. and Saturday 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Public and Competitors will be admitted on production of Season/Daily Admission Tickets without extra charge.

Would patrons please note that the Ballroom will be closed for private rehearsal on Thursday: from 11.30 a.m.

ADMISSION AND RESERVED SEATS
(Including VAT at 20%)

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Reserved Seats (Ground Floor and 1st Balcony)
At an additional charge each day of: £14.00

All seats are reserved from the start of the competitions each day for patrons who have purchased seat tickets.

All bookings are subject to a £2.00 Administration charge. These prices are subject to any variation in rate of Value Added Tax.

BOOKING ARRANGEMENTS

1. Applications by Post may be made at any time but should reach the Festival Bookings Office, Winter Gardens, Church Street, Blackpool FY1 1HW by 23rd September 2016. Seats will be allocated from this date.
2. They are to be accompanied by your remittance. Cheques payable to the Winter Gardens.
3. All Tickets with seat will be posted Friday, 21st October. Admission only tickets will be processed and posted as received.
4. All applications are subject to availability.
5. Preference will be given to those purchasing Season Tickets and seats for the full Festival.
6. There will be NO REFUNDS on Season Tickets or Daily Admission Ticket including the Competitor Entry Fee if a Competitor withdraws.
7. For Refunds on Seats please contact and return the tickets to the Dance Festival Office by Monday, 31st October at the latest.
Thursday, 17th November, 2016

Class A NORTH OF ENGLAND AMATEUR BALLET DANCING CHAMPIONSHIP

**PRIZES:** 1st-GRAND CHALLENGE TROPHY

Winners to hold for a period of 12 months.

1st Couple £150, 2nd Couple £130, 3rd Couple £110, 4th Couple £90, 5th Couple £60.

Open to all Amateurs who are Amateurs under the rules of the British Dance Council, and are over 16 years of age or over.

 Judges will be allocated for each dance as follows:

- Cash prize of £220 to the value of £705.
- Exemptions: Exemption from the first round will be granted to those couples who reached the highest 12 places in the 2015 British National Over 50’s Ballroom Championship. The exemptions only apply to the same partnership as existed in the aforesaid event, and not to the competitors individually.

Class B BRITISH NATIONAL OVER 50’s BALLROOM CHAMPIONSHIP

**PRIZES:** 1st-GRAND CHALLENGE TROPHY

Winners to hold for a period of 12 months.

1st Couple £145, 2nd Couple £130, 3rd Couple £110, 4th Couple £85, 5th Couple £60, 6th Couple £50.

Open to all Amateurs who are Amateurs under the rules of the British Dance Council, and are over 50 years of age.

Winners to hold for a period of 12 months.