

Teacher/Student
Ballroom, Latin / Smooth, Rhythm
Syllabus
Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th May 2024

Events are for Amateur dancers partnered by a teacher either Professional or Amateur

Definition of a Teacher/Student

- Teachers who dance in Teacher Student competitions must be registered by the BDC or their own Organisation /School
- The term Teacher/Student refers to a Professional/Amateur Teacher dancing with their Student.
- Teacher/Student couples must comprise of a Teacher dancing with a Student dancer who does not teach Ballroom, Latin, American Smooth or American Rhythm.
- Teacher/Student competitors may only have one partner in each event. No split partnerships.
- If both competitors are dancing in any other Blackpool Dance Festival Amateur or Professional events together from 23rd May until 31st May, they cannot compete in the Teacher Student section as a couple.

Age Groups

OPEN - Z1 - 16- 25 Z2 - 26 -40 Y1 - 41-50 Y2 - 51-65 X1 - 66+

CLOSED - Z1 - 16 -34 Z2 - 35 -49 Y1 - 50-64 Y2 - 65+

- The age group is devised by the age of the Student Dancer. Proof of age may be requested.
- The Student dancer may also dance one age division directly lower; for example Y1 may also dance in Z2 if they wish.
- Female Dancers to enter the correct Female Category and may compete in either role.
- Male Dancers to enter the correct Male Category and may compete in either role. Two people of the same gender may therefore compete without fear or favour.

Syllabus and Costume Restrictions

- Non- Restricted Syllabus – Open choreography.
- Restricted Syllabus - please refer to the restricted syllabus of steps allowed for each dance.
- Costume – No Restrictions.

Entry

Direct entry must be made via the Enter 2 Dance website ONLY; www.enter2dance.com

– closing date – **24th March 2024**

All competitors will defray their own travelling expenses.

A copy of your Entry confirmation must be brought with you.

The Decision of the Organiser is to be taken as final.

Prices

Per Championship - £120.00 - Per Single Dance - £30.00

Admission Ticket per person per day - £30.00

Additional Fee's per Booking: Admin £3.50, Restoration Levy £3.50

An Admission Ticket must be purchased for all competitors and spectators entering the Empress Ballroom

Refunds

If you are unable to attend the Festival NO REFUNDS will be given

Disclaimer

The Organiser is not responsible and cannot be held liable for any personal belongings left in the Ballroom, the changing room or any other competition premises. Competition Organisers are not liable and not responsible for any health problems or injuries during the event.