

DANCE CHAMPIONSHIP SEMIFINAL 02.05.2026: PRAGUE

Venue: Sport Arena Prague

Invited: formations, large formations, production in 8 age categories, in nominations:

Ballet, Jazz Dance, Contemporary, Expressive Dance, Stylized Dance, Dance School, Charakter Dance, Folklore Dance, Show Dance, Street Dance, Hip-Hop, Irish Step, Aerobic Dance, Zumba, Acro Dance, Majorettes/Baton Twirling

The winner may win Grants + Grand Prix up to 5 000 €



BWDG winners receive diplomas at Disneyland castle and perform on the main stage of Disneyland or on luxury cruise ship theater with 2000 spectators.



SEASON FINALE With the main prize 2 days in Disneyland, in Paris for free with the possibility of

performing right in the park!

THE FINALE OF THE YEAR

• The best groups from all over the world will fight for the title!

• Grand prize cruise and

performances on a luxury cruise ship in the Mediterranean!

accommodation, workshops and











Own grant system of rewards, which gives the opportunity to grow as a personality and dancer

UP TO

€3000 Cash Bonuses

MORE THAN £50000 Grants





In the autumn-winter season, the winners receive grants for the spring of the following year.

In the spring season, participants compete for grants for the fall of the current year and the spring of the following year

There is no legal claim to the prizes. According to the decision of the jury and the organizer, the Grant can be given or withdrawn.



Production Choreography Grants.

































Formation Choreography Grants

































Small Formation / Solo, Duo or Trio Choreography Grants

































PERFORMANCE CATEGORIES:

Beginners:

Beginner dancers who rehearse the first competitions (dance groups, clubs, schools, etc.).

Hobby:

Dance groups, clubs, schools, etc., whose members or formations (choreography) did not participate in any progressive competitions. Or dancers who try out regional rounds, for example, do not place on the medals and do not advance.

Profi:

Dance groups, clubs, schools, etc., whose members or formations participated in progressive competitions. Advanced who go to both promotion and cup competitions

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH:

Solo

NUMBER OF DANCERS:

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH: max 2:45 Duo / Trio

NUMBER OF DANCERS: 2/3

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH: max 3:00 **Small Formation**

NUMBER OF DANCERS: 4-10

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH: max 4:00 **Formation**

NUMBER OF DANCERS: 11-21

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH: max 5:00 **Production**

NUMBER OF DANCERS: 22+

CHOREOGRAPHY LENGTH: max 8:00

DANCE DISCIPLINES:

BALLET

ACRO DANCE

LATIN DANCE

AEROBIC DANCE

JAZZ DANCE

EXPRESSION DANCE

SHOW DANCE

MAJORETTES

STYLIZED DANCE

CARIBBEAN MIX

CONTEMPORARY

STREET DANCE .

FOLK, FOLKLORE

DANCE SCHOOL

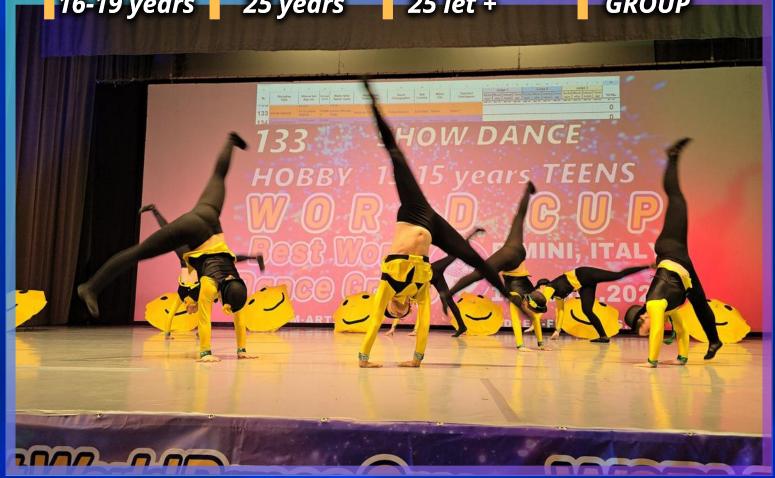
IRISH STEP

AGE CATEGORIES:

MINI 3-5 years

KIDS 6-9 years JUNIOR 10-12 years TEEN 13-15 years

ELITE 16-19 years ADULT 20-25 years SENIOR 25 let + MIXED GROUP





BALLET

Choreography using classical ballet and techniques to create it. It should be a harmonious and unified work of authentic story, traditional choreography, and costumes.

CONTEMPORARY

Choreography that combines elements of several dance genres, including Modern Dance, Jazz Dance, Lyrical Dance and classical ballet. It places great emphasis on understanding the music, rhythm, space around the dancer and on the technical performance, it can include themes and stories. It can even include yoga, pilates and martial arts exercises, as well as dance techniques introduced by modern pioneers (Martha Graham, José Arcadio Limón, Lester Horton, Isadora Duncan). It uses dynamics, spatial changes of movement, endurance, sharp jumps, swings and relaxed falls.

EXPRESSION DANCE

Expressive dance / Stage dance is one that includes facial expressions expressing a story (choreography) or reflecting music (variations). Thus, it can be almost any style of dance on the stage, due to the great freedom of speech today. Expressive dance is based on gestures and experience on stage. An important component of dance is the story.

JAZZ DANCE

Jazz dance can be danced to popular music, blues, rock or even disco. Jazz dance is based on polycentric movement and isolation (the dancer can perform independent movement of different parts of the body, such as movements of the head, shoulders, chest, pelvis, legs and then connect and combine them in various ways). The basis of jazz dance is the characteristic alternation of the moment of tension and spontaneous relaxation of the whole body. Other movement elements are, for example, jumps, pirouettes, pas de bourrée, chassé and other dance steps, which have their bases in ballet. Jazz dance is a joyful, energetic and lively type of dance. The main purpose of the choreography is to entertain the audience.



DANCE SCHOOL

Style in which you can present your entire school.

In this nomination you may showcase all dance styles and age categories of your school. It is a form of dance whose main goal is the beautiful presentation of the whole school. This category highlights unity, teamwork, and the unique artistic character of each institution. It is an excellent opportunity to demonstrate not only technical skills, but also the shared spirit and creative energy of your dancers.

STREET DANCE

Choreography using dance techniques and styles, such as: hip hop new style, hip hop old style, hype, funky, lockin', poppin', house, breakdance. Music must not contain obscene or vulgar lyrics.

FOLK, FOLKLORE

Folk dance is an artistic, realistic reflection of people's lives. Through it, people expressed and express their life situations, national character and traditions in a non-violent and natural way in an entertaining way. There is also a balanced combination of artistic, musical and artistic components (costumes). Only reproduced music can be used. Live musical accompaniment by arrangement, under special conditions.

STYLIZED / CHARACTERY DANCES

Choreography that regulates folk / national dances. No emphasis is placed on preserving the authenticity of the original forms and national costumes.



IRISH STEP

Choreography representing competitive Irish dance and dance shows. The dance is characterized by controlled, but not rigid, torso posture, tense, body-held arms and fast and precise leg movements. They dance in soft shoes ("soft shoes") or hard (step) shoes ("hard shoes").

STANDARD DANCE FORMATION

The standard formation is a mixture of five international standard dances: waltz, tango, waltz, slowfox (or slowfoxtrot) and quickstep. All couples are expected to follow the rhythm of the music and their movements will be as consistent as possible. Synchronity is the main criterion when scoring.

LATIN DANCE FORMATION

The Latin American dance formation consists of a group of five international Latin American dances: samba, cha-chou, rumba, paso doble and jivem.

All couples are expected to follow the rhythm of the music and their movements will be as consistent as possible. Synchronity is the main criterion when scoring.

CARIBBEAN MIX

Each dance has its own unique character and beauty of movement, it represents dances as they are danced in Latin America. The dance has a clear rhythm, a dynamic movement of the hips, which is combined with the grace of the torso and arms. Choreography and formation accompanied by Latin American music representing a mixture of several dances: Mambo American, Mambo Street, Salsa, Merengue, Bachata, Guapacha, Street Latino Dancing, Rueda, Reggaeton, Zouk, Kizomba / Latino Show



SHOW DANCE

The main mission of the show dance is to provide the viewer with a real spectacle, to tell him a story. Any dance style, props and scenery can be used in the choreography.

AEROBIC DANCE /FUNK

Dance aerobics is a fun form of classic aerobics. It is based on the basic steps of aerobics. It is enriched with dance elements, which bring more complex choreography to the sets. Movement compositions and choreography using various forms of aerobics to create them. Different themes can be worked out, other dance styles can be used, but the character of aerobics must prevail. Props and aids are allowed.

CHEER DANCE

Choreography using pom-pon. All kinds of acrobatic and gymnastic elements are allowed. Forward and backward somersaults are not allowed. The composition may include: rolled on the ground, rolled over the back, tossed sideways (star), bridge with help, stand on hands with support, cleft frontal, lateral, badge, somersaults forward and backward, flicks, Arabs and spikes. Acrobatic elements must not exceed 35% of the choreography time. In the event of a fall, the aid must be lifted immediately. Group size is not a reason for low or high ratings.

MAJORETTES / BATON TWIRLING

Dancers whose choreography is based primarily on colorful work with baton equipment (wand). In the choreographic composition with baton equipment, a sequence of bars with a classic majorette step must be included.



COMPETITION RULES:

The jury always has an odd number of members, at least three and at most seven.

A unique star-studded cast of judges, dance stars and leading choreographers and educators.
The organizers reserve the right to make changes in accordance with the current situation.

The evaluation rules for all disciplines are uniform:

- Maximum number of points: 100 points
- The evaluation is public

CRITERIA	POINTS
Technique	25 points maximum
Musicality	25 points maximum
Artistic Interpretation & Performance	25 points maximum
Choreography	25 points maximum

Places are awarded according to the average point:

0 - 50.49 points

participant

50.5 - 60.99 points

3. place

70 – 80.99 points

2. place

90 – 100 points

1. place

Cumulative points are awarded to participants for each round of the competition:

3. place

+0.1 to the total score

2. place

+0.2 to the total score

1. place

+0.3 to the total score

Jury Prize #1

+0.4 to the total score

And a discount on
the next bike: 50%

Jury Prize the Best

+0.5 to the total score
And discount on the
next round: 100%

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