

MAIN ATTRACTION PERFORMING ARTS CENTER & KETTERING/LARGO/MITCHELLVILLE BOYS & GIRLS CLUB PRESENTS

IT'S SHOWTIME

HBCU STYLE DANCE COMPETITION

THE REAL DEAL ON THE REAL FIELD!

**CASH PRIZE
AND BANNER
FOR GRAND
CHAMPS!**



**1st-3rd Place
Trophies &
Participant
Certificates**



TEAM REGISTRATION FEE \$150

**CATEGORIES:
PARADE (COMBINED)
FIELD SHOW (COMBINED)
STANDS IN STANDS (JRS & SRS)
COACH & PARENT STANDS**

WE ARE ONLY ACCEPTING 10 TEAMS

**LARGO HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL FIELD
800 LARGO ROAD UPPER MARLBORO, MD
SATURDAY OCTOBER 12th, 2024 3pm-7pm**



**REGISTRATION INFO & COMPETITION PACKETS ARE
LOCATED ON OUR WEBSITE WWW.MAPERFORMS.COM**



Main Attraction Performing Arts Center and
Kettering/Largo/Mitchellville Boys & Girls Club proudly present the
"It's Showtime" HBCU-Style Dance Competition at Largo High School
Football Field, 800 Largo Rd, Upper Marlboro, MD. Join us on
Saturday, October 12, 2024, at 3:00 pm.

REGISTRATION DETAILS:

Registration deadline and packet submission: August 12, 2024

Registration Fee: \$150 per team, payable via Cash App:
Sitsshowtimecomp

Limited to 10 teams on a first-come, first-served basis.

Submit completed registration forms to

ItsShowtimeComp@gmail.com for confirmation and spot reservation.

Non-refundable registration fee covers all competing dancers, three
Coaches or directors, and one MUA

Participants aged 5-18; Parents Stand Battle age exception

Late team roster submission incurs a penalty; high school dancers
must carry ID

EVENT TIMINGS:

Gates open at 1pm, Showtime starts at 3pm

Tickets: \$20 Early Bird (until July 13, 2024), \$25 after
Limited gate tickets availability

AWARDS:

Grand Champion: \$1000 cash prize and Banner for the highest
combined score

1st, 2nd, and 3rd place trophies for all categories

All teams receive a certificate of participation!

CATEGORIES

HBCU Parade (4 min. Max)

Features an HBCU-style parade stadium entrance, aiming to impress judges with a lively entrance akin to dance lines at football stadiums. Teams should maintain continuous motion upon entering the field, circling the perimeter, and passing the judge's table before exiting on the opposite side. Only band music allowed!

HBCU Field Show (6 min. Max)

Named "The Real Deal on the Field," this category showcases an HBCU-style field show. The routine should incorporate various dance styles, techniques, formation changes, crowd engagement, and choreography. Must include an intro, dance feature, and ending pose before leaving the floor. Props such as flags or batons are permitted, but death drops are not, as they do not align with traditional HBCU style. Only band music allowed!

HBCU Stands in Stands (1 min. 30 secs.)

Showcases HBCU-style 8 and 16 counts, focusing on creativity, synchronization, swag, and technique. Tailing is allowed but should not exceed 30 seconds, with no floorwork permitted. Counts should be suitable for bleacher performance without flips, splits, or toe touches. Music provided upon registration. Points contribute to the Full Competitive Score ranking.

F-Fast, M-Medium, S-Slow

Juniors (K-6th Grade) ROUND 1: F,M ROUND 2: F,M ROUND 3: F

Seniors (7th Grade-12th Grade) ROUND 1: F,M ROUND 2: F,M ROUND 3: S

Dancers can only compete at their skill level or higher in one age group.

HBCU Parent/Coach/Alumni (Optional) Stand Battle (1 min. per stand)

Consists of three rounds: 1 Fast, 1 Medium, 1 Slow

Winners (1st , 2nd, and 3rd place) will be announced during the Awards Ceremony.

HOUSE RULES

1. The competition will be held outdoors on the football field/bleachers. It is mandatory for all dancers to wear shoes in all categories for safety. Coaches or a representative must be present at the DJ booth during the team's performance to ensure the correct music is played. Only clean, radio-friendly music is permitted – absolutely no profanity. Teams using explicit music will be stopped and disqualified from the category. All music must be sent to itsshowtimecomp@gmail.com by 9/28/24. Additionally, bring the music on an MP3 jump drive with your team's name.
2. The music for Stand Battle Categories will be shared after the registration period, no later than August 3rd.
3. We take pride in our Fair and Professional Judges with extensive dance and teaching experience! Teams will be evaluated on various criteria such as entrance, movement execution, presentation, technique, synchronization, creativity, originality, and exit. Remember, this is a family-friendly event, and everyone must follow the HOUSE RULES.
4. Coaches and parents are not allowed to participate directly during the performance – including dancing, holding props, skits, or providing support. Deductions will be made for coaching from the sidelines.
5. Uniforms and routines should be family-friendly and non-suggestive.
6. Absolutely no profanity, obscene gestures, taunting, booing, or unsportsmanlike conduct will be tolerated. Any team or supporters engaging in negative behavior will be disqualified and removed. Everyone must maintain good sportsmanship.
7. Avoid approaching the judges' table at any point during the competition.
8. All teams must show respect towards each other. Alcohol consumption is strictly prohibited inside or outside the venue, as the event is family-oriented aiming to provide a positive environment for all participants.

TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Organization Name:

CEO/Artistic Director:

Contact Information:

Coach #1:

Coach #2:

Coach #3:

MUA:

Categories

PLEASE CHECK BELOW ALL CATEGORIES YOUR
TEAM WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN.

- ☐ HBCU PARADE
- ☐ HBCU FIELD SHOW
- ☐ HBCU STANDS in STANDS
- ☐ HBCU PARENT STANDS

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