



David and Esther Don
Brings to you
'The Dancers That Bloom in May'

Saturday
May 6th, 2023

Held at: Stamford Hotel
700 E Main Street
Stamford, CT 06901

Doors open at 8AM
Competition begins at 9AM



Website: www.RoyalDancesportChallenge.com

Email: royaldancesportchallenge@gmail.com

PO Box 880788, Port St. Lucie FL 34988

Do save the date and make plans to join us!



Dear Dancers, Spectators and Friends,

Breaking NEWSWe finally found a venue in the city of Stamford, it was looking like we were going to have to cancel, but we are pleased to announce that we will be at the Stamford Hotel

**700 E Main St
Stamford, CT 06901**

We are cordially inviting you to join us. If you have danced in this competition before, you will want to return. We are overjoyed to be back since Covid. Therefore we thought it was appropriate that we celebrate, the Dancers that Bloom in May... Hey Folks, that is You! You, our Customer.

You are our stars. Our Promise/Mission to you is to devote Special importance and care to the Teachers and their Students.

If you've never been at our event then, take the magical journey that Ballroom dancing brings to you! Feel the transformation, feel the romance of a Waltz and the sensuality of a Rumba. Make sure you have the date saved and do make plans to join us.

We will proudly be hosting this event for The Dancers that Bloom in May. Our dancers are the our Stars! We will be rolling out the Red Carpet for you. *David and Esther Don*

Featuring Pro-Am, Am/Am, Mixed Am Couples Events

Pro-Am Scholarship

Am/Am Scholarship new

Top Teacher Awards In Every Style

Plus a Top Overall Teacher

New Teacher's Pot of Gold

On Saturday May 6th, 2023

Amateur Scholarships

Open Amateur A International Standard & Latin

1st \$100 2nd \$50 3rd \$50

Open Amateur J1,J2,Y International Standard & Latin

1st \$50

Top Teacher Awards

Based on number of entries, 40 entry minimum

Jr Pro/Am counts 1/2

Overall Top Teacher

1st - \$750 2nd - \$500 3rd - \$250 4th - \$125 5th - \$100 6th - \$75

Plus \$250 to the Top Pro-Am Teacher in each style

American Rhythm, American Smooth, International Latin, International Standard

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Based on number of Pro/Am adult Single entries, 10 entry Minimum

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Teachers, Let's Break the Piggy Bank



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2023 *Royal Dancesport Challenge*

Tentative Schedule of Events

Saturday *Registration / Doors Open* *8:00am*

Session 1 *9:00am*

- Pro-Am and Amateur American Single Dance Smooth Events
- Pro-Am and Amateur American Multi-Dance Smooth Events

- Pro-Am and Amateur International Single Dance Ballroom Events
- Pro-Am and Amateur International Multi-Dance Ballroom Events

Session 2 *12:00pm*

- Pro-Am and Amateur American Single Dance Rhythm Events
- Pro-Am and Amateur American Multi-Dance Rhythm Events

- Amateur International Ballroom – **Pre-Teen/Junior/Youth**

- Pro-Am and Amateur International Single Dance Latin Events
- Pro-Am and Amateur International Multi-Dance Latin Events

- Amateur International Latin – **Pre-Teen/Junior/Youth**

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Pro-Am Entry Form

Leader: [] Pro or [] Am _____ Follower: [] Pro or [] Am _____

For Professional: NDCA #: _____ Social Security #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Studio: _____ Contact #: _____ E-mail: _____

Please fill in to receive confirmation by email

American & International Multi-Dance Challenge and Scholarship

For each Scholarship entry, student must dance the equivalent single dance entries

Please Circle: Division, Age Level, Dance Level

[] **Multi-Dance Challenge**

[] **Scholarship**

A (16-35)

B (36-50)

C (51&up)

SR (61&up)

American Smooth	American Rhythm	International Standard	International Latin
Closed Bronze (W,T,F)	Closed Bronze (C,R,SW)	Closed Bronze (W,T,Q)	Closed Bronz (C,R,J)
Closed Silver (W,T,F,VW)	Closed Silver (C,R,SW,B)	Closed Silver (W,T,F,Q)	Closed Silver (C,S,R,J)
Closed Gold (W,T,F,VW)	Closed Gold (C,R,SW,B,M)	Closed Gold (W,T,VW,F,Q)	Closed Gold (C,S,R,PD,J)
Open (W,T,F,VW)	Open (C,R,SW,B,M)	Open (W,T,VW,F,Q)	Open (C,S,R,PD,J)

Pro/Am Solos/Theater Arts: _____

Maximum 1 per student

Single Dance Events

Please Circle: Age Division, Dance Level, Dances

PT1 (9 & under) PT2 (10-11) J1 (12-13) J2 (14-15) Y (16-18)

A1 (18-30) A2 (31-40) A3 (41-50) B1 (51-60) B2 (61-70) C1 (71-80) C2 (81-up)

Dance Level	American Smooth	American Rhythm	Standard	Latin
Newcomer	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Pre Bronze	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Bronze I	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Bronze II	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Open Bronze	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Silver	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Silver II	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Open Silver	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Gold I	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Gold II	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Open Gold	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J
Gold Star	W T FT VW PB AT	CC R ECS B M WCS Sam PD Sal Hus Mer	W T VW FT QS	CC Sam R PD J

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Signed: Teacher: _____ Student: _____

Closing Date for Entries - April 15th

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Amateur, Mixed Am Entry Form

Divisions: NewComer, Pre-Bronze, Bronze, Open Bronze, Silver, Open Silver, Gold, Open Gold, Pre-Champ, Open Amateur

Age Categories	Juvenile/Junior/Student Fees	Age Categories	Adult Fees
Pre-Teen (PT0) under 7	\$20 Per Couple for Single dance event	Adult (A) over 18	\$30 Per Couple for Single dance event
(PT1) 7 - 9	\$60 Per Couple for 4 dance Pre-Champ	Adult (B) over 35	\$75 Per Couple for 4 dance Pre-Champ
(PT2) 10-11	\$75 Per Couple for Open Amateur	Adult (C) over 50	\$90 Per Couple for Open Amateur
Junior (J1) 12-13			
(J2) 14-15			
Youth (Y) 16-18	(includes entrance to ballroom)		

Teachers Name _____

Studio _____

Single Dance Events – Amateur, Mixed Am, Solo Star

			---Smooth---					-----Rhythm-----										-----Ballroom-----					-----Latin-----					
Am/Am Mixed Solo Star	Division	Age	W	T	FT	VW	C	R	Sw	B	Ma	Me	Sa	W C S	Sal	H	PD	W	T	F	Q	VW	C	S	R	PD	J	Fee
	OG	J1																	X	X	X	X						\$60

American & International Multi-Dance Challenges (No Solo Star)

Please Circle: Age Level, Division

PT2 (10-11) J1 (12-13) J2 (14-15) Y (16-18) A (16-35) B (36-50) C (51&up)

American Smooth	American Rhythm	International Standard	International Latin
Pre-Champ (W,T,F,VW)	Pre-Champ C,R,Sw,B)	Pre-Champ (W,T,F,Q)	Pre-Champ (C,S,R,J)
Open (W,T,F,VW)	Open (C,R,Sw,B,Ma)	Open (W,T,VW,F,Q)	Open (C,S,R,PD,J)

**Awarded to winners - Open Amateur International Ballroom A - \$200, Open Amateur International Latin A - \$200
Open Amateur International Ballroom J1, J2, Y - \$50, Open Amateur International Latin J1, J2, Y - \$50**

Leader's Name		Follower's Name	
Address		Address	
City		City	
State	Zip Code	State	Zip Code
Tel. #	Fax #	Tel. #	Fax #
e-mail		e-mail	
NDCA #		NDCA #	

Please note that we need your NDCA # to process your entry, register online at www.ndca.org

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Signed: Gentleman: _____ Lady: _____

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Accounting Summary

Studio _____

Contact person _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____

Email _____

Name (1 per line) Please print	Age A/J	Solos \$100	Pro-Am 1 Dance \$40 Adult \$20 JR	Pro-Am Multi-Dance Scholarship \$100 Adult	Am-Am 1 Dance \$30 Adult \$20 JR	Am-Am Pre- Champ \$75 Adult \$60 JR	Am-Am Open Multi \$90 Adult \$75 JR	Am Solo Star \$20	Day Session All Day \$35 Adult \$15 JR	Total

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TOTAL \$ _____

Please be sure to complete and sign release forms

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Price List

General Admission Tickets

Session #	Adult	Junior
Day Session	\$35	\$15
Video Pass	\$20	

Solo Exhibition or Theater Arts Pro/Am or Am/Am

Solo Exhibition	\$ 100
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Pro/Am International or American Style

Pro-Am Entry	\$ 40
Pro-Am Entry (Pre-Teen/Junior/Youth)	\$ 20
Pro-Am Multi-Dance Challenge Entry	\$ 100
Pro-Am Multi-Dance Scholarship Entry	\$ 100

Amateur International or American Style

Amateur 1 dance event	\$ 30
Amateur Pre-Champ event	\$ 75
Amateur Open Multi-Dance event	\$ 90

Amateur International or American Style - Junior

Amateur 1 dance event	\$ 20
Amateur Pre-Champ event	\$ 60
Amateur Open Multi-Dance Challenge event	\$ 75

Vendors

Please call Esther Don for Details.

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Awards/Trophies/Scholarships

Amateur Scholarships

- Open Amateur A International Standard & Latin - 1st \$100 2nd \$50 3rd \$50
- Open Amateur J1, J2, Y International Standard & Latin - 1st \$50

Pro/Am Scholarships

In Divisions - Bronze, Silver, Gold

- Closed Pro-Am American Smooth - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Closed Pro-Am American Rhythm - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Closed Pro-Am International Ballroom - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Closed Pro-Am International Latin - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50

In Age Categories - A, B, C, SR

- Open Pro-Am American Smooth - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Open Pro-Am American Rhythm - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Open Pro-Am International Ballroom - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50
- Open Pro-Am International Latin - 1st \$150 2nd \$75 3rd \$50

To enter scholarships, you must dance the equivalent number of single dances for each scholarship entered.

Top Teacher Awards

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Competition Information

Age Categories:

- Pre-Teen (PT0) under 7
- (PT1) 7 - 9
- (PT2) 10-11
- Junior (J1) 12-13
- (J2) 14-16
- Youth (Y) 16-18
- Pro/Am Single Dance Events (A1) 18-30, (A2) 31-40, (A3) 41-50, (B1) 51-60, (B2) 61-70, (C1) 71-80, (C2) over 80
- Pro/Am Scholarship and Multi-Dance Events (A) 18-35, (B) 36-50, (C) over 50, (SR) over 60
- Amateur (A) 18-35, (B) 36-50, (C) over 50
- **No costuming for Pre-Teen competitors, please follow NDCA guidelines.**

Solo Exhibition/Group Exhibition

- All Solo Exhibition routines are limited to 2-1/2 minutes
- The music must be given to the D.J. all cued and ready, 1/2 hour before the Exhibition is scheduled to be danced.

Pro/Am Categories:

- Newcomers, (***First time competitor or less than 30 hours of lessons***)
- Pre-Bronze, Bronze I, Bronze II, Open Bronze
- Silver I, Silver II, Open Silver
- Gold I, Gold II, Gold Open, Gold Star
- Scholarship
- **Pro/Am Juveniles/Juniors will compete in the same session as the corresponding Adult division.**
- **All Scholarship contestants must dance the equivalent events in single dance non-scholarship entries**

Amateur Categories:

- Syllabus Bronze, Silver and Gold
- Pre-Championship
- Open Amateur
- **All Amateur American Style (including Juniors) except Open Amateur, will compete in the same session as the corresponding Pro/Am Adult division.**

Syllabus:

- ISTD syllabus for International Style
- NDCA Approved syllabus for American Style
- **No continuity style in closed Bronze**
- **Silver will be restricted to the Bronze and Silver syllabus**
- **Gold will be restricted to syllabus**
- **Pre-Championship and Open categories will be unrestricted except for the use of lifts**
- **Those not adhering to syllabus restrictions will be warned in early rounds and disqualified in finals.**

Dress Code:

- Costumes are not required in newcomers.
- Traditional costumes are optional for Pre-Bronze and Bronze I and encouraged for Bronze II and above.
- Costumes are allowed in amateur Syllabus divisions.

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Rules and Regulations

In any category with fewer than 3 entries, the organizer reserves the right to merge any categories into one event.

A teacher will not be permitted to compete with one of his/her students against another of his/her students in the same style, dance, level and age category

Critique sheets and scores will be given for Exhibitions. Studios should pick up the score sheets on Sunday at the conclusion of the competition at the registration desk.

Cancellations for refund will be accepted up to two weeks after the entry deadline. A \$75 charge will be applied to all refunds and paid 30 days after event.

Cancellations taken at the event cannot be substituted with another entry. No refund or exchange will be made for such cancellations.

All payments made after the entry deadline, April 15, 2023 must be in the form of Cashier's check, money order or cash. No business or personal checks will be accepted after this date or at the competition. Make checks payable to Royal Dancesport Challenge.

Video passes will be available for purchase.

In the event that television, video or other pictures are taken, it should be understood that anyone in the ballroom may be photographed and this photography shown elsewhere. Anyone attending this event automatically consents to be photographed and waives any and all claims and rights to the use of the photography.

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All Amateur couples and Professionals must be registered with the NDCA, if dancing in Pro/Am or Professional competitions. NDCA registration forms are available from <www.ndca.org> or:

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Email: ds24dance@gmail.com

All successful professionals will be required to show their Social Security Cards before any prize monies can be Awarded.



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