

# GROOVE

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2024 TOUR



**Seattle, WA**  
**May 10th - 12th, 2024**

## GENERAL SCHEDULE

### Friday

Doors Open: 3:30pm  
Competition Begins: 4:00pm  
Junior Duo/Trios  
Junior Solos  
**Awards: 10:05pm**

### Saturday

Doors Open: 6:30am  
Junior Jazz Masterclass with Alyssa Fuhrman (12 & Under Recommended): 7:00 - 7:45am  
Competition Begins: 8:00am  
Mini/Petite/Junior Small/Large Groups  
Mini/Petite/Junior Lines  
12 & Under Productions  
12 & Under OneBeat Standout Awards Announced  
**Awards: 1:25pm**  
Mini/Petite Duo/Trios  
Mini/Petite Solos  
**Awards: 7:00pm**  
Teen/Senior/Adult Duo/Trios  
**Awards: 9:45pm**

### Sunday

Doors Open: 6:30am  
Senior Contemporary Masterclass with Jess Alba (13 & Over Recommended): 7:00 - 7:45am  
Competition Begins: 8:00am  
Teen/Senior/Adult Small/Large Groups  
Teen/Senior/Adult Lines  
13 & Over Productions  
13 & Over OneBeat Standout Awards Announced  
Studio Awards Announced  
**Awards: 12:55pm**  
Teen Solos  
**Awards: 6:05pm**  
Senior Solos  
**Awards: 10:10pm**

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### Venue Address

Byrnes Performing Arts Center  
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# MERCHANDISE BOOTH

## *Credit Card Only / Refund Policy*

Our Merchandise Booth is CREDIT CARD ONLY. All exchanges and returns must be accompanied by a receipt.

## *Photogenic Contest*

Groove's photogenic contest consists of two ages: 12 & under and 13 & over. Photogenic entries can only be submitted and paid for at the competition at the merchandise booth. It is \$55 per submission and photo's must be printed (we do not accept any digital copies). There is no size or pose requirement. Photogenic entries must be turned in at least three hours prior to the last group award ceremony of the weekend, which is the ceremony where photogenic winners will be announced.

## *Programs*

Printed programs will be available for purchase at our merchandise booth all week long (as long as supplies last). You also have the option to download the program on our website completely free of charge. Please note that the online program will be available no more than 24 hours prior to the event starting. You can download the online program by following these steps ::

- Go to our website [groovecompetition.com](http://groovecompetition.com) and select "Tour Dates" from the menu
- Select "Event Details" next to the city you would like to view the program for
- You can then select "Download Schedule" and view the program from there

## *Free Gifts!*

Stop by our Merchandise booth at any time during the competition weekend and let us know if you are a graduating High School Senior, a dancer participating in the competition, or it is your first competition ever! Don't forget to make these moments memorable and claim your FREE GIFTS from Groove!

## *Shop Online*

All of our merchandise and accessories can also be purchased online at [www.onebeatdanceshop.com](http://www.onebeatdanceshop.com).



# MEDIA

## FREE MEDIA PROGRAM INFORMATION

We do not allow outside photography and videotaping of any kind during performances for the safety and privacy of all participants. Each Groove competition features FREE, UNLIMITED download access to the photos and videos taken of your studio. All photos and videos will be released approximately 2 weeks after your event takes place and will be posted into your Studio Directors account. Please contact your Studio Director directly regarding gaining access to your dancer's media. Photos and videos are only allowed during Master Classes and Awards Ceremonies.

## LIVE STREAM

You can watch Groove events LIVE from around the country, completely FREE! Just go to our website [www.groovecompetition.com](http://www.groovecompetition.com) and select LIVE STREAM from the menu. Once the event begins, you will see the stream available on that page to view. *Some events may not feature a livestream based on internet accessibility and quality. We do not have any advanced notice for Livestream capabilities.*

# MASTER CLASSES

Master classes are FREE to all registered participants at every regional event. These classes are an optional opportunity we provide for the dancers and are not mandatory to attend. Please check the general schedule for details regarding the master classes. Classes will be geared towards the age group participating that day, but all age groups are welcome to take every class. All master classes take place on the stage. You do not need to pre-register for these ahead of time; all dancers registered for the event are allowed to take the master classes. We suggest getting to the classes roughly five minutes before they start so the dancers have time to warm up on their own a bit prior to the class starting. Photos and Videos may be taken during the Master Classes ONLY and are strictly prohibited in the auditorium while the competition is taking place.

# SPECTATOR INFORMATION

## *Food and Beverages*

Food and beverages are prohibited in the auditorium/theatre stage area (except for water). Please note that some venues may also prohibit food and/or beverages in other areas; this is venue specific. Concession sales are also venue specific and we do not have advanced notice on any available concession sales.

## *Personal Belongings*

Groove is not liable for any lost, stolen, or misplaced items. We suggest that any and all items that are brought into the venue be brought back out at the end of each night. Be sure to secure and protect your personal belongings. This includes, but is not limited to, electronics, purses, costumes, wallets, makeup, etc. The nature of any event with large groups of people lends itself to items becoming lost or misplaced. Any lost and found items can be turned into our Merchandise Booth.

## *Safety*

Safety is very important to us here at Groove! Please see below for some safety points at all of our events ::

- We use Marley flooring not only to protect the stage, but to protect your dancers, as well! We recommend that dancers wear some sort of footwear when they are on stage and when they are backstage, in the audience, and dressing room areas.
- All wiring used for our event is securely taped down.
- When entering and exiting the stage for awards, please do so in a safe and organized manner.
- Our Groove crew has a first aid kit located in the backstage area.
- Please stay out of all roped off areas.
- Participants must remain in their designated dressing room area and cannot change this assigned space
- Dancers experiencing a costume malfunction should exit the stage immediately and may be called off based on the severity.
- We do not allow outside photography and videotaping of any kind during performances for the safety and privacy of all participants.