

WELGOME TO THAT'S SHOWBIZ

Welcome to the new season of That's Showbiz - we can't wait to see what creativity and talent awaits us in this brand new season!

For any dance schools that have previously joined us in That's Showbiz – WELCOME BACK!

To our new principals, teachers and dancers...WELCOME! We would love to invite you to That's Showbiz and have you join the Dance Design Events family.

We make the entry process as easy as possible for you and even take care of the compulsory licensing requirements. As we are one of the very few production companies to have been approved by the Local Education Authorities all we need is details of your dancers and chaperones once and we look after the rest.

We are transparent from start to finish with costs and we do not have a ticket stipulation at any of our events, so you only need to purchase tickets that you require. With the huge success of Dance iDDEntity, combined with the essential safeguarding elements, you can rest assured that you are entering the most fair

We look forward to seeing you in the wings...
Thanks for choosing us!

competition in the industry.



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AGE SECTIONS

PLEASE NOTE THESE AGE SECTIONS DIFFER TO LAST SEASON'S AS WE ARE NOW BACK
TO OUR REGULAR FORMAT OF THAT'S SHOWBIZ.
ENTRY IS DETERMINED BY THE AGE OF THE DANCERS ON THE DAY OF YOUR HEAT.

DIDI KIDZ

Age 7 years & under (25% can be age 8)

MINI KIDZ

Age 11 years & under (25% can be age 12)

KIDZ

Age 14 years & under (25% can be age 15)

SENIOR

Age 18 years & under (25% can be age 19-21)

ADULT

18 & Over

MIXED

Any Age (Must be a mix of at least 2 age sections that do not fit into any other age section)



TWEET US FOR YOUR SHOUTOUTS DURING THE SHOW!



GENRES

The competition is split into four main genres, which are as follows:

DIRRAID

Classical Ballet, Character Ballet, National Dance, Lyrical or Contemporary Dance

MODERN

Modern, Jazz, Tap, Musical Theatre, Song & Dance, Cabaret

HIP

Street, Hip Hop, Breaking, Robotics, Commercial Jazz, other Street Styles

NPFN

Any routine that combines any of the above categories or a style of dance that does not fit into any of the above, namely; Acro, Latin, Ballroom, Disco Freestyle, Cheer & Pom







AWARDS



UNLOCK YOUR WAY TO THE GRAND FINAL WITH the golden

One golden key will be awarded at each heat to one of the 1st place performances sending them straight to the final!

HEATS

1st - 4th place in each age group (progress to the Semi Finals)

1st - 2nd place in adult age section (progress to the Semi Finals)

3 x Adjudicator's choice awards
(progress through to the Semi Finals)

2 x Best Newcomers
(progress through to the Semi Finals)

Highest marks in each genre in each age section

Best small group in each age section

Best costume from the heat

SEMI FINALS

1st - 5th place in each age group (progress through to the Final)
3 x Adjudicator's choice awards for each age group (progress through to the Final)

1st - 3rd place in each genre in each age group

Best small group in each age section

Best costume from the Semi Final

FINAL

1st - 5th place in each age group
Adjudicator's choice awards
Best small group in each age section
Best costume from the Final
Special awards

OVERALL WINNERS OF GRAND FINAL!

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

ENTRIES

- NO MINIMUM NUMBER OF ENTRIES
- MAXIMUM OF 10 ENTRIES PER HEAT
- MINIMUM OF 5 PERFORMERS PER ROUTINE
- NO FURTHER RESTRICTIONS
 ON THE USE OF THE 10
 ROUTINES. THEY CAN BE
 ENTERED IN ANY AGE
 SECTION AND ANY GENRE

TIME LIMITS

SMALL GROUP

4 minutes maximum

LARGE GROUP

5 minutes maximum

EXTRA TIME

Whilst we run to a tight schedule extra performance time can be purchased at £1 per dancer per 30 seconds. Please note: this must be agreed in advance with us.

GROUP SIZES

SMALL GROUP

Minimum 5 dancers
Maximum 11 dancers

LARGE GROUP

Minimum 12 dancers No maximum



ENTRY FEES & DEPOSITS



250/o DISCOUNT

SAVE A MASSIVE 25% ON ENTRY FEES WHEN YOU PAY YOUR BALANCE BY 6 WEEKS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF YOUR HEAT

ENTRY FEES SEMI FINALS & GRAND FINAL

£15 PER DANCER - ONE DAY ONLY £20 PER DANCER - BOTH DAYS

SEMI FINAL & GRAND FINAL FEES WILL REMAIN THE SAME FOR EACH TYPE OF FINAL

SEMI FINAL & GRAND FINAL FEES INCLUDE:

- ENTRY FOR ALL QUALIFIED ENTRIES
- SEAT IN DANCER'S AREA OF AUDITORIUM

TICKETS & DEPOSITS

DEPOSIT

SECURING YOUR SPACE FOR YOUR SCHOOL COULDN'T BE EASIER...

We require a £25 deposit per routine to secure your space along with the initial entry form. (Max of 10 entires per heat)

CLICK HERE
TO GET YOUR
ONLINE
DEPOSIT
FORM

SPECTATOR TICKETS HEATS

Prices vary slightly from venue to venue, due to box office fees and other factors. We do try to keep our ticket prices as affordable as possible and you can expect to pay between £14-£18 for a full price ticket. You will receive full ticket details once you have registered for your date.



SPECTATOR TICKETS SEMI FINALS & GRAND FINAL

£26 Full price (One day) £19 Concession (One day) £33 Full price (Both days) £26 Concession (Both days)

DANGE IDDENTITY



AFTER THE HUGE SUCCESS
OF DANCE IDDENTITY YOU
CAN REST ASSURED THAT
YOU ARE ENTERING THE
MOST FAIR & SAFE
COMPETITION

NEW Membership £10

We require all dancers & chaperones to be registered with dance iddentity. we have this system in place to ensure we can run the most fair and safe competition. your dancers/parents create and manage their own account online and just need to upload a photo of their passport or birth certificate once for verification. our team will give you all of the info you need to get you setup for this don't worry!



MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL £5

VALID GARD GHEGK

ALL COMPETITION READY WITH SCHOOL LOGO OR ORIGINAL DANCE IDDENTITY LOGO cards will remain valid for this season as long as they are QR coded.

HEATS 2023

SCOTLAND SUNDAY 01 OCT 2023
ALDERSHOT SUNDAY 08 OCT 2023
ELLESMERE PORT SUNDAY 15 OCT 2023
LEEDS SUNDAY 22 OCT 2023
MANCHESTER SUNDAY 29 OCT 2023
ELLESMERE PORT SATURDAY 18 NOV 2023
ELLESMERE PORT SUNDAY 19 NOV 2023

SEMI FINALS 2024 Blackpool opera house 13 | 14 Jan 2024

GRAND FINAL 2024 Blackpool Opera House 10 Mar 2024

ENTS SOHEDULE 23 | 24



VENUES

SCOTLAND THE BRUNTON, MUSSELBURGH, EH21 6AA
ALDERSHOT PRINCES HALL, HAMPSHIRE, GUII 1NX
ELLESMERE PORT ELLESMERE PORT CIVIC HALL, CH65 OAZ
MANGHESTER FORUM CENTRE, WYTHENSHAWE, M22 5RX
LEEDS RILEY SMITH THEATRE, LEEDS UNIVERSITY, LS2 9JZ



BLACKPOOL

OPERA HOUSE & Winter Gardens, FYI 1HU

THE SMALL PRINT

- 1. Your place in the competition is not secured until you have paid the relevant entry fees.
- 2. If the company is unable to produce the event due to circumstances out of its control, any fees paid will be held as company credit and will be transferred to a future event.
- 3. In the unlikely event there are not enough entries for a particular heat, the producers reserve the right to amalgamate, cancel or postpone any of the confirmed heats.
- 4. Once registered, you must submit all your paperwork, music, entry fees and other requests by the deadlines given. Failure to comply by the deadline given set by the producer may result in disqualification.
- 5. You must dance in the age section according to the oldest member in the group. In all sections 25% of the team is permitted to be overage by one year.
- 6. All music and dance content must be age appropriate and with no explicit language. Any music or content the producers or judges deem inappropriate and may result in penalty points.
- 7. At the heat stage, groups finishing 1st-4th and those who receive adjudicators choice awards will progress through to the corresponding Semi Final.
- 8. Places in the Semi Final are only confirmed when the necessary entry fees and paperwork has been submitted. Until then the producers reserve the right to offer your place to the next highest scoring group from your original heat.
- 9. If you make it through to the Semi Final you are permitted to make changes to the choreography, title, music, costumes and number of performers.
- 10. Any groups that progress to the Semi Final must remain in the same age section and genre.
- 11. At the Semi Final stages, groups finishing 1st-6th and those who receive adjudicators choice awards will progress through to the Grand Final.
- 12. If you make it through to the Grand Final you are NOT permitted to make any changes to the choreography, title or music. You must perform the same routine at the Grand Final as you did in the Semi Final.
- 13. Places in the Grand Final are only confirmed when the necessary entry fees and paperwork has been submitted. Until then the producers reserve the right to offer your place to the next highest scoring group from your Semi Final.
- 14. The producers are not responsible for any injury caused whilst performing your act. Dangerous stunts, acrobatics, gymnastics, lifts, etc., are allowed but this is done at the performer's own risk.
- 15. Every routine is subject to conformity with our risk assessment. If the producer believes that a routine poses unmanageable risk to any performers, the producer reserves the right to remove the routine.
- 16. The use of talcum powder, glitter or any other substance that may prejudice the safety of the stage is prohibited without prior consent from the producer.
- 17. The producer should be notified of the use of any props prior to the heat.
- 18. All dancers must be members of Dance iDDEntity and their membership card must be carried with them at all times in case proof of age is requested on the day. Failure to provide proof of age may result in disqualification. Membership cards will be distributed either on or before the regional heat.
- 19. All minors must be chaperoned by registered chaperones and you must agree to abide by the local LEA legislation. For those unfamiliar with the child performance regulations you will be guided by the producer to ensure you comply with the relevant legislation.
- 20. Photography, videography or the recording of any kind is strictly prohibited at all events.

The producer reserves the right to change, remove, amend or update the rules and regulations at any time.



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