GOTTA MOVE EVENT INSTRUCTIONS



Our competitions are free admission to the public.

Please note that if the competition gets ahead of schedule, we will continue as long as the dancers are present and ready to proceed. It is recommended that all performers arrive a minimum of 1 hour prior to the performance time. You can track our progress in the free mobile application (instructions for install and use are available on our <u>website</u>)

When you arrive, please check-in your dancers at the Gotta Move! merchandize table where you will receive instructions and directions to your dressing room. Programs will be available to purchase for \$2.00 a printed copy. You can also access the free performance schedule online by visiting our website www.GottaMoveCompetitions.com.

Solo/Duo/Trio Instant awards will occur as posted in the schedule (approximately every 30 minutes) at a designated area in the hall. Team awards will occur on the stage.

High point award times for each skill level are listed on the schedule. That is when the top scoring routines in each skill level will be recognized with an additional award. Dancer's families are encouraged to watch the "leader board" postings on the website for the final top scoring routines who are then invited to return to receive their High Point award.

The announcement of "Overall High Point Awards" scholarship prizes for Miss/Mr Gotta Move, 2 attendants, and the overall high point Duo/Trio will be announced at the end of the SDT competition. These contestants are chosen from the High Intermediate and Advanced Level Dancers.

Continuing this year will be the "Sportsmanship Award" for a team that demonstrates friendly encouragement to the other studios. Our staff will be on the lookout for candidates to nominate for this important recognition. Others in attendance at the competition are also invited to report any good sportsmanship examples they may have witnessed at our merchandise table or to our staff. We love the good spirit your wonderful studios bring to our competitions, and we want to honor you!

Attention Studio Directors

We have implemented a new approach for distribution of Saturday studio team dancer participation awards.

Directors of each studio are presented with a *Gotta Move!* dance bag at check-in upon arrival. Along with important information, checkout forms and other helpful goodies, you will find "Participation Award Tickets" that you will distribute to your studio dancers. These "tickets" are then redeemable by the individual dancers to enable them to present at the Gotta Move! merchandise table and choose their own participation award. This will expedite the distribution process and eliminate long waiting lines. Note that these tickets are not replaceable, so think of them like a "gift card" to be safeguarded until redeemed.

One hour prior to the end of the Saturday competition, the merchandise table will close and supplies will be packed up and loaded out of the building.

We do not mail participation awards if you forget, so please remember to pick them up EARLY!!

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IMPORTANT

If your routine is missing from the final schedule, please check to see if you have an unpaid balance on your registration account. Your routine can be reinstated by calling 801-360-1115 immediately and making the needed arrangements. We want all who desire to perform to be able to participate with us.

Score Sheets and Judging Critique Videos

Within 48 hours of the end of the competition, your competition scores with video/audio recordings will be posted to your Gotta Move! Competition accounts where your dancer was registered. Studios are at liberty to share these files as they desire. Sign into your account at https://gottamove.dancecompgenie.com/ to access these items.

If you have any questions, please contact us at

801-360-1115 or gottamovecompetitions@gmail.com

