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2024 Syllabus

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| DATE | Friday 26th, Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th April |
| VENUE | Mayfair Theatre, Dunedin |
| ADJUDICTOR | Dale Anderson - Nelson |
| ENTRIES CLOSE | Sunday 17th March 2024 or when full |
| ENTRIES QUERIES | Amanda Woodhouse Email: dpacstapcomp@gmail.com <i>Please note this is a new email address</i> |

IMPORTANT **INFORMATION**

Entry will be via the Glide App as per previous competitions. The link will be sent as soon as it is available. All music will need to be loaded into the App as soon as payment has been received and entry has been confirmed.

Cups & Trophies All trophies must be returned to the cup convenor before the 12th of March. Please contact Linda Shanks to arrange drop off.

**10 Anderson Crescent
Mosgiel
Phone: 021 131-1670**

Or drop off at Denise's Studio, 20 Murano Street, Waverley

If entries are received and cups are not returned engraved and clean by this date, then your entry will be invalid.

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| Entry Fees | Solos | \$8.00 |
| | Duos/Trio | \$10.00 |
| | Championship | \$12.00 |
| | One Dance (includes Admin Fee) (Normally for Beginners) | \$20.00 |
| Administration Fee | \$25.00 per competitor or \$40.00 per family. This includes venue entry. This fee must be paid with entry. | |

Championship Classes and Rules

1. To enter an Open Tap or Jazz Championship, competitors must have won an Open Tap or Jazz Solo or Restricted Championship
2. To enter a Restricted Championship, competitors must have won a Novice Tap Solo
3. Restricted - Dance of own choice
4. To enter an Achievers Championship, competitors must have won a Restricted Championship
5. Achievers – Under 12 Dance of own choice, Over 12 Multi Speed Championship dance
6. Juvenile- Dance of own choice or Multi Speed Championship dance
7. Junior Tap- Multi Speed Championship dance
8. Intermediate and Senior Tap- Multi Speed Championship dance

Additions / Changes for 2024

Musical Theatre Awards

In order to be considered for the Musical Theatre Awards, all Novice, Restricted and Achievers competitors must enter the Open Song & Dance section. Competitors may choose to also enter the Novice, Restricted or Achievers section – this will mean doing the Song & Dance twice over the competition weekend.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Competition Etiquette

1. We can run up to 30 minutes ahead of the estimated time in the program. Please monitor the live app for updated timings.
2. If there is a competitor on stage dancing, please wait until they are finished before entering the theatre.
3. The Side of Stage Manager has the final say as to who is in the wings during the competition. If they ask you to leave as there are too many people there, please do so immediately and quietly.
4. If you are waiting in the wings to go onstage, all noise must be kept at a minimum.
5. There is to be no tapping in the wings.
6. If you are moving from the back of the stage to the Theatre and a competitor is dancing, please stay behind the curtain until they are finished before entering the theatre.
7. If you encounter any problems during the competitions, please talk to the Side of Stage Manager who will make sure any help needed is provided.
8. Names will appear in the program in the order in which they will appear. Any alteration will be at the discretion of the Stage Manager. Please do not ask to change your position unless it is necessary that you do so.
9. You may photograph and video your own child only unless you have permission from the child and their parents.
10. All music should be downloaded via the App ASAP please.
11. Dance well, have fun and enjoy yourself.

Entry

Refunds

No refunds will be given for any reason other than cancellation of the competition by the Organizer. This includes illness, covid isolation, change of mind, incorrect class entry.

Payment

Must be paid by credit card at the time of entry.

Rules

Age

Competitors age will be taken as from the first day of competitions. All competitors are required to state their date of birth on their entry form. If there is any discrepancy regarding a competitors age, the committee reserves the right to request a birth certificate or other proof of a competitors age.

Admin Fee / Hall Entry

This is compulsory and must accompany each entry \$25.00 per child or \$40.00 per family.

Entry Requirements

1. Professionals are not eligible to compete. A professional is one who derives his or her income solely from dancing.
2. Protests must be in writing together with the sum of \$5.00 to be received by the Competition Secretary within 15 minutes of the results being announced
3. No competitor, parent or interested parties, other than a committee member or committee nominated person, is to have contact with the adjudicators.
4. All trophies remain the property of the Society. Trophies must be returned in a clean and undamaged condition on or before the closing day of entries to the Cup Secretary. A late fee of \$5.00 will be charged for each late trophy. ENTRIES MAY NOT BE ACCEPTED IF TROPHIES ARE NOT RETURNED BY CLOSING DATE.
5. Competitors compete at their own risk and only under these conditions will entries be accepted.
6. All items – TIME LIMIT – MAXIMUM – 4 MINUTES, except Song and Dance – 5 MINUTES.
7. The committee has the right to amalgamate or divide any age group where the number of entries warrants it.
8. Any competitor who has received tuition from the Adjudicator within the past two years is not eligible to compete in this competition.
9. Prompting of Restricted or Open Class competitors will not be permitted, except for the competitors under 6 years old.
10. If a competitor leaves the stage during their time, he or she may dance again at the end of the section but will not receive any marks or placing for that section.
11. Competitors are to leave the side of stage promptly after performing.
12. NO liquids, creams, naked flames or like to be used on stage.
13. Novice classes are open to competitors who have never won a first prize for that class. Novice competitors are not permitted to enter Restricted, Achievers or Open classes (except for the under 6 age group) when a Novice class is available.
14. Restricted competitors are those who have only ever won the Novice dance in this class. Restricted competitors are not permitted to enter Achievers or Open classes when there is a Restricted class available.
15. Achievers Competitors are those who have won the Novice and Restricted class but never an Open dance in this class. A competitor may enter and win an Achievers class until they win an open class in this dance.
16. Once the program has been compiled we are unable to accept any changes. Only circumstances where it may be changed is if it is a mistake made by the Entry Secretary or a competitor has competed in a competition since the close of entries and are now in a different category.
17. 1st, 2nd and 3rd places will be available in all classes with up to 10 entries with the discretion of the adjudicator to allow additional placings when entries exceed 10.
18. For Novice and Restricted classes, 1st place will be awarded only at the adjudicator's discretion.
19. If you win a Novice Solo you are eligible to enter the Restricted Championship at the next competition.
20. Restricted Championships are open to competitors who have won a Novice Solo but never a Restricted, Achievers or Open Championship.
21. Achievers Championships are open to competitors who have won a Restricted Championship but never an Open Championship.
22. Championship class competitors in the Juvenile, Junior, Intermediate and Senior Championships are open to all competitors who have won an Open Solo or a Restricted/Achievers Championship.

The Val Braumann Awards.

The society is excited to announce the continuation of The Val Braumann Awards. This year awarding \$2000.00 over the course of the competition. Prize money will be awarded as follows:

The Val Braumann Awards Breakdown

1. Musical Theatre Awards
2. X-Factor Supreme Jazz Awards
3. Championship Awards

Musical Theatre Award Rules

Competitors wanting to enter the Val Braumann Musical Theatre Award **must** enter the Open Song & Dance section for their age group to be considered. Competitors must be aged 8 years or over to be eligible for Musical Theatre Award.

If you enter in the song and dance section but **do not** wish to be considered for the Musical Theatre awards, then **DO NOT** attend the Master Class.

Novice, Restricted and Achievers section competitors **WILL NEED TO ENTER** the Open Song and Dance section to be considered for the Musical Theatre Award

Competitors **must also** complete a Master Class. This will be in a Jazz/Musical Theatre Style. There will be Three age Groups: **Junior: 8 & under 12 years, Intermediate: 12 and under 15 years and Senior 15 years and over.** (Intermediate and Senior will participate in a combined masterclass).

This class will contribute to 50% of the final mark for the Musical Theatre Award.

There is no cost to participate in this class.

Clothing Attire: It is expected that participants are dressed professionally, as if in a dance audition.

Musical Theatre Prizes

Junior 1st \$70, 2nd \$50 3rd \$25

Intermediate 1st \$100 2nd \$70 3rd \$50

Senior 1st \$150 2nd \$100 3rd \$70

(1st Sash, 2nd and 3rd Rosette).

X-FACTOR SUPREME JAZZ AWARDS

The society is excited to announce the X-Factor Supreme Jazz Award proudly sponsored by Val Braumann

The Adjudicator will select a number of competitors who will perform in the X-Factor Supreme Jazz Performer Award. **These competitors will be recalled to dance.** This will be any dance of their choice, chosen at the time of being recalled.

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| 1 st Prize | Under 12 | \$100.00 |
| 1 st Prize | Over 12 | \$200.00 |

TAP CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

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| Junior Open Tap | 1 st \$50 | 2 nd \$30 | 3 rd \$15 |
| Intermediate Open Tap | 1 st \$80 | 2 nd \$50 | 3 rd \$30 |
| Senior Open Tap | 1 st \$150 | 2 nd \$100 | 3 rd \$65 |

The MTF Finance Awards

MTF FINANCE AGGREGATE AWARDS

AGGREGATE Junior Scholarship includes:

10 and Under 12 years: Tap Solo, Song and Dance, Waltz, Slow, Speed, Impromptu and Championship Tap. Excludes Latin/Tango.

The Winner will receive the DPACS Celebration Trophy No. 3 and the MTF Finance scholarship of \$50.00.

Runner up will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$30.00

Third place will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$15.00.

AGGREGATE Intermediate Scholarship includes:

12 & under 15 years: Tap Solo, Song & Dance, Waltz, Slow, Latin, Speed, Impromptu and Championship Tap.

The Winner will receive the Melanie Wilson Trophy and the MTF Finance scholarship of \$100.00.

Runner up will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$50.00

Third place will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$25.00.

AGGREGATE Senior Scholarship includes:

15years and Over: Tap Solo, Song & Dance, Waltz, Slow, Latin, Speed, Impromptu and Championship Tap.

The winner will receive the Rush Family Trophy and the MTF Finance scholarship of \$150.00.

Runner up will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$100.00

Third place will receive the MTF Finance scholarship of \$50.00

Please note the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Scholarships are awarded with aggregate points and are calculated from the marks given to you by the adjudicator in each of the listed sections. Therefore, it is essential that you compete in **all** sections to be eligible.

Dunedin Performing Arts Society

We are delighted to confirm the continuation of the Vi Stewart Cup sponsored by the Dunedin Performing Arts Society

VI STEWART CUP:

The adjudicator will choose 8-10 competitors from the Intermediate and Senior sections.

These competitors will be recalled to dance. This will be any dance of their choice, chosen at the time of being recalled.

The Winner receives the Vi Stewart Cup, Sash and DPACS Scholarship of \$300.00

Runner up receives the Runner up Cup, Sash and DPACS Scholarship of \$200.00

Third Place receives a Sash and DPACS Scholarship of \$100.00



SCHEDULE OF CLASSES AVAILABLE IN 2024

TAP SOLO

- 123 Novice/Restricted Tap Solo under 8 years
- 125 Novice/Restricted Tap Solo 8 & under 10 years
- 125A Novice /Restricted 10 years and over
- 126 Achievers Tap Solo under 12 years
- 126B Achievers Tap Solo 12 years & over
- 121 Tap Solo under 6 years
- 122 Tap Solo 6 & under 8 years
- 124 Tap Solo 8 & under 10 years
- 127 Tap Solo 10 & under 12 years
- 128 Tap Solo 12 & under 15 years
- 129 Tap Solo 15 & Over

SONG & TAP

- 132 Novice/Restricted Song & Tap 10 years & Under
- 134 Novice/Restricted Song & Tap over 10
- 135 Achievers Song & Tap 12 years and over
- 135B Achievers Song & Tap Under 12 years
- 130 Song & Tap Under 6 years
- 131 Song & Tap 6 & under 8 years
- 133 Song & Tap 8 & under 10 years
- 136 Song & Tap 10 & under 12 yrs.
- 137 Song & Tap 12 & under 15 years
- 138 Song & Tap 15 & Over

WALTZ TAP

- 156 Novice/Restricted Under 10 years
- 156A Novice Restricted 10 years & over
- 156C Achievers Waltz 12 years & under
- 156B Achievers Waltz 12 years & over
- 153 Waltz Tap Under 8 years
- 154 Waltz Tap 8 & under 10 years
- 155 Waltz Tap 10 & under 12 years
- 157 Waltz Tap 12 & under 15 years
- 158 Waltz Tap 15 & Over

LATIN AMERICAN

- 159 Latin American Under 12 years
- 160 Latin American 12 & under 15 years
- 161 Latin American 15 & Over

IMPROMPTU

- 162A Impromptu Nov/Rest/Ach under 12 years
- 162B Impromptu Nov/Rest/Ach Over 12 years
- 162 Impromptu Open Junior Under 12 years
- 163 Impromptu Open Intermediate 12 & under 15 years
- 164 Impromptu Open Senior 15 years & over

SLOW TAP

- 169B Novice/Restricted Under 10 years
- 169C Novice/Restricted 10 years & over
- 169D Achievers Slow Under 12 years
- 169E Achievers Slow Over 12 years
- 166 Slow Tap Under 10 years
- 167 Slow Tap 10 & under 12 years
- 168 Slow Tap 12 & under 15 years
- 169 Slow Tap 15 & Over

SPEED TAP

- 172B Novice/Restricted Under 10 years
- 172C Novice/Restricted 10 years & over
- 172D Speed Achievers Under 12
- 172E Speed Achievers Over 12 years
- 170B Speed Tap Under 8 years
- 170 Speed Tap 8 & under 10 years
- 170A Speed Tap 10 & under 12 years
- 171 Speed Tap 12 & under 15 years
- 172 Speed Tap 15 & Over

DUO/TRIO

- 140 Novice/Restricted/Achievers Tap Duo/Trio any age
- 139 Tap Duo/Trio Under 12 years
- 142 Tap Duo/Trio 12 years and Over
- 144 Novice/Restricted/Ach Song & Tap Duo/Trio any age
- 143 Song & Tap Duo/Trio Under 12 years
- 145 Song & Tap Duo/Trio 12 & Over

CHAMPIONSHIPS TAP

- 173 Restricted Championship Any Age
- 179A Achievers Championship Under 12 years
- 179 Achievers Championship 12 years and over
- 175 Juvenile Championship Under 10 years
- 176 Junior Championship 10 & Under 12 years
- 177 Intermediate Championship 12 & Under 15 years
- 178 Senior Championship 15 & Over

JAZZ SOLO

- 200 Jazz Solo Junior Under 12 years
- 201 Jazz Solo Intermediate 12 & Under 15
- 202 Jazz Solo Senior 15 years & Over

LYRICAL SOLO

- 210 Lyrical Junior Under 12 years
- 211 Lyrical Intermediate 12 & Under 15
- 212 Lyrical Senior 15 years & Over

CONTEMPORARY SOLO

- 220 Contemporary Junior Under 12 years
- 221 Contemporary Intermediate 12 & Under 15
- 222 Contemporary Senior 15 years & Over

MUSICAL THEATRE JAZZ

- 230 Musical Theatre Junior Under 12 years
- 231 Musical Theatre Intermediate 12 & Under 15
- 232 Musical Theatre Senior 15 years & Over

JAZZ DUO – any genre

- 250 Open Jazz/Lyrical/Contemporary Duo Any Age

CHAMPIONSHIPS JAZZ

- 240 Junior Championship 10 & Under 12 years
- 241 Intermediate Championship 12 & Under 15 years
- 242 Senior Championship 15 & Over

Conditions for Championships

Restricted Championship

Dancers own choice of solo , or Multi speed Championship dance . Open to those who have won a novice solo but never an Achievers or open Championship

Achievers Championship

Dancers own choice , or Multi speed Championship dance . Open to those who have won a restricted Championship but never an open championship

Open Championships: To enter any Open Championship, competitor must have won at least a Restricted Championship.

Juvenile Championship: Own Choice of solo dance or Multi speed championship dance.

Junior Championship: Must dance a Multi speed Championship dance (cannot be a tap solo)

Intermediate & Senior: Must dance a Multi Speed Championship dance.

Jazz Championship: Own choice of Jazz solo dance. Open to those who have won an Open Solo.

Championship classes must be danced in the order in which they appear in the program

Competitors please note: To be eligible to dance in Championship sections, competitors must enter in at least TWO solo classes.

Special Awards

Most Promising Dancer – under 12

Most Promising Novice Dancer

Most Entertaining Item

Miss Personality - under 12 years

Teacher's Choreography

Miss Personality - Over 12 years

Most Outstanding Boy

Most Entertaining Song & Dance

Judge's Choice Award – under 8

Judge's Choice Award – Under 12

Most Outstanding Item

Sportsmanship (Voted by Competitors).

Betty Riddell Cup

Hamilton Sisters Cup

Henderson Family Cup

Beel Family Trophy

Glenna Cooper Trophy

Bird Family Cup

Boyzone Trophy

Kylie Norris Trophy

Phillippa Wedlake Trophy

DPACS Mae Donald Cup

Celebration of a Century Cup

The Elaine Henderson Memorial Trophy



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