

GTKT WDSF SUPERSTARS CHAMPIONSHIP 2022

COMPETITION INFORMATION AND RULES

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Dates: 10th -13th November 2022

Preliminary program:
(Detailed timetable will be updated later)

Date	Time	Program
10/11/2022	All-day	Welcome Officials and Athletes
	09:00 - 18:00	Athlete check-in (payment of competition fees, ticket sales and collection of number tags)
	14:00 – 22:00	Rehearsal (athletes may “try the floor”)
11/11/2022	08:00 – 22:00	Open Events
12/11/2022	08:00 – 22:00	WDSF Superstars, WDSF Open, WDSF Youth Open, Rising Star Open & Selected Grade A Events
13/11/2022	08:00 – 22:00	Open Events

Location: The Mira Central Park Hotel
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COMPETITION RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All competitors must comply with age specifications (see Appendix A, “Age Regulations” section).
2. All competitors must be dressed in appropriate costumes as specified in the WDSF Dress Regulations (<http://dancesport.ee/wp-content/uploads/2014/08/WDSF-Dress-regulations.pdf>)
3. Competitors must comply with their respective competition category rule sections when applicable (Appendix B)
4. All competitors must be present for their events on time. Latecomers will be disqualified. The competition schedule may be updated without prior notice by the Organizer, therefore athletes must be present at the gathering area to

prepare for the competition 60 minutes before the scheduled time. If that competition event takes place within the aforementioned time period and that athlete or pair of athletes is not present, the Organizer will not be held responsible.

5. Competitors competing in WDSF events must have a valid WDSF ID Card. When registering for WDSF events, couples must provide their MINs and should be registered in the WDSF List of Couples (<https://www.worlddancesport.org/Couple/List>).
6. All competitors must pay their entry fees by cash before the competition on 10/11/2022 between 09:00-18:00. Please check the schedule for updates to the check-in time.
7. In the event of television or media coverage, the Organizers reserve the rights to publish any recordings and images of the competition and competitors without prior notice or compensation. No competitors or associations shall have any claim against the Organizers or television company for using the footage and images from this competition event.
8. Invitational Competition Event – WDSF Superstars Latin/Standard. Only finalists of WDSF Open Latin and Standard on 12th November 2022 will be invited to participate in this event with invited star couples.
9. Athletes comply with the Competition Level rules:

Competition Levels

LEVEL	NUMBER OF DANCES
Grade A	5 Dances
Grade B	4 Dances
Grade C	3 Dances
Grade D	2 Dances
Grade E	1 Dance; The numbers (E1, E2, E3, E4, E5) correspond to the dance in Latin or Standard category.

There is no restriction in the number of events that athletes participate in. However, for both Couple and Solo events:

- 9.1. Athletes competing in Grade A and B may not compete in Grade D and below
 - 9.2. Athletes competing in Grade C may not compete in Grade E
10. It is not allowed to change partners in the same event.

11. The Organizers reserve the right to disqualify competitors in event of misconduct, as advised by the Chairperson.
12. The Organizers reserve the right to cancel events, for example, where there are fewer than 3 athletes/couples registered for that event. In the event of cancellation, registrants will be provided a full refund for the cancelled event.

APPENDIX A

Age Regulations

AGES	YEAR
CHILDREN	7 years old & below
CHILDREN DUO GIRLS	7 years old & below
JUVENILE I	8-9 years old (born in 2013 or 2014)
JUVENILE II	10-11 years old (born in 2011 or 2012)
JUNIOR I	12-13 years old (born in 2009 or 2010)
JUNIOR II	14-15 years old (born in 2007 or 2008)
DUO GIRLS	8-15 years old (born in 2007-2014)
YOUTH	16-18 years old (born in 2004-2006)
DUO LADIES	16 years old & above (born in 2006 or earlier)
ADULT	19 years old & above (born in 2003 or earlier)* <i>(*Youth may enter adult events)</i>
ADULT SOLO	16 years old & above (born in 2006 or earlier)
SENIOR I	One dancer must be at least 35 years old (born in 1987 or earlier). The other must be at least 30 years old (born in 1992 or earlier)
SENIOR II	One dancer must be at least 45 years old (born in 1977 or earlier). The other must be at least 40 years old (born in 1982 or earlier)
SENIOR III	One dancer must be at least 55 years old (born in 1967 or earlier). The other must be at least 50 years old (born in 1972 or earlier)
OVER 65	Both dancers must be of age 65 or older in the year 2022
OVER 75	Both dancers must be of age 75 or older in the year 2022
OVER 85	Both dancers must be of age 85 or older in the year 2022

APPENDIX B

Children/ Juvenile Events

Competitors competing in Children and Juvenile categories must be dressed in accordance with the WDSF Dress regulations. However, open choreography is allowed.

Solo Events

Competitors in this event comprise of one (1) individual dancer. Both male and female solo dancers compete in the same event.

Children Duo Girls/ Duo Girls/ Duo Ladies

Competitors in this event must comprise of two (2) girls/ ladies, according to the age restrictions. Competitors are partially judged on synchronicity and relatedness of movements within the duo.

Showdance DanceSport

1. Competitors in this event must comprise of one couple – i.e. one man and one lady.
2. Competitors in the Showdance DanceSport event must prepare a dance show performance of at least 1 minute and a maximum of 3 minutes.
3. There must be a minimum of two (2) Standard or Latin dance choreographic segment in the Showdance performance. These choreographic segments should be recognizable to the judges. As there is only one Showdance DanceSport competition event, Standard/Latin disciplines may be combined in one Showdance performance. For example:

Cha Cha and Jive
Waltz and Tango
Paso Doble, Tango and Quickstep

Etc...

4. The duration of each Latin or Standard choreographic segments included in the Showdance performance shall be 20 seconds per continuous segment and no single dance segment (Standard, Latin or other) shall exceed 90 seconds, excluding the duration of the lifts.
5. There is no restriction to the number of lifts. A lift is any movement when one member of the couple has both feet off the floor at the same time with the

assistance or support of the other partner. Lifts can only be performed with the assistance of the dance partner without any use of props.

6. Competitors must provide the Organizers with the music for their Showdance at least 7 days before the competition event via email to ktachampionship@gmail.com. In this email, competitors must include:
 - A full and accurate list of titles and composers of each piece of music used
 - The title of their performance
 - Their names
 - The total duration of the song

Showdance Freestyle

1. Competitors in this event may comprise of one (1) person to a maximum of 20 persons.
2. Competitors in the Showdance Freestyle event must prepare a dance show performance of at least 1 minute and a maximum of 3 minutes.
3. There is no restriction in dance style.
4. Competitors must provide the Organizers with the music for their Showdance at least 7 days before the competition event via email to ktachampionship@gmail.com. In this email, competitors must include:
 - A full and accurate list of titles and composers of each piece of music used
 - The title of their performance
 - Their names
 - The total duration of the song

Formation DanceSport All Ladies

1. Competitors in this event must all be ladies.
2. There must be at least 4 ladies in each team.
3. Formation teams must base their routines on Standard or Latin dances (minimum of 3 dances), with an *optional* maximum of 16 bars of music in any dance.
4. The duration of the performance should be a minimum of two (2) minutes and maximum of six (6) minutes including entry and exit.

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Formation DanceSport Couples

1. Competitors in this event must comprise of typical DanceSport couples (i.e. one man and one lady in each couple).
2. There must be at least 4 couples per formation team. There may be a maximum of 2 individuals with no partner in the Formation team, but they will not be counted into the minimum number of 4 couples.
3. Formation teams must base their routines on Standard or Latin dances (minimum of 3 dances), with an *optional* maximum of 16 bars of music in any dance.
4. The duration of the performance should be a minimum of two (2) minutes and maximum of six (6) minutes including entry and exit.
5. Competitors must provide the Organizers with the music for their performance at least 7 days before the competition event via email to ktachampionship@gmail.com. In this email, competitors must include:
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Teacher/student Open Latin/Standard

1. Teacher/student couples must comprise of one man and one lady.
2. "Teacher" is defined as one member of the couple being a dance coach.
3. "Student" is defined as the student of the dance coach.
4. The Teacher/student couple may not be a couple competing in the WDSF Open, WDSF Youth Open, and Adult Grade A categories. This event has no age restriction.