

East Rutherford, NJ Nationals Tentative Schedule of Events*

Wednesday, July 3

12:00 PM - 7:00 PM Opening Number Rehearsal and pizza party (break around 5:00 PM for pizza)
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM Teacher Welcome Party and Cocktail Reception

Thursday, July 4

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Opening Number Rehearsal
Mini, Petite and Junior Solos
Awards for Mini, Petite and Junior Solos
Teen and Senior Solos
Presentation of Grand Finals Opening Number
Awards for Teen and Senior Solos

*The Meadowlands State Fair has an amazing Fourth of July Fireworks Extravaganza. The fair is open from 2:00 PM – 1:00 AM with fireworks at 11:00 PM. Visit www.njfair.com for more information!

Friday, July 5

Duet/Trio Competition
Presentation of Grand Finals Opening Number
Awards for all Duet/Trios

1:00 PM Master Classes taught by the judges

Level 1 Ballroom	Level 2 Ballroom	Level 3 ON STAGE
1:00 – 1:55 Contemporary	1:00 – 1:55 Musical Theater	1:00 – 1:55 Tap
2:00 - 2:55 Musical Theatre	2:00 – 2:55 Contemporary	2:00 – 2:55 Hip Hop
3:00 – 3:55 Tap	3:00 – 3:55 Hip Hop	3:00 – 3:55 Contemporary
4:00 – 4:55 Hip Hop	4:00 – 4:55 Tap	4:00 – 4:55 Musical Theater

**Scholarships from workshop classes will be presented at the final awards ceremony on Saturday!*

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM Dance Party for all participants!

Saturday, July 6

Group Competition
Presentation of Grand Finals Opening Number
Group Awards and announcement of Standing Ovation Finalists
Standing Ovation Championship

**This is a tentative schedule and is subject to change. This outline will be updated two weeks prior to the event.*

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STANDING OVATION CHAMPIONSHIP

Judges will select up to 12 of the highest scoring routines that they would like to see in an Encore performance. These routines will re-compete in the Ultimate Standing Ovation Showdown.

The winner will be selected based on entertainment value, star quality, technique and overall appeal discussed among the judges' panel along with audience enthusiasm.

Limit of one routine per studio for each level. More rules and details to be announced!

A minimum of 850 entries must be received in order to do separate recreational, competitive, and elite battles. If less than 850 entries are received, Encore DCS reserves the right to combine the Challenge.

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