

## Top Awards and Professional Events

### Top Awards

**Categories:**

**Solos:**(Based on highest score) - Bronze, Silver, Gold, Gold Star, Theatre Arts, Showcase

**Top Students:**(Based on accumulated points) - Top Newcomer, Top Bronze, Top Silver, Top Gold, Top Gold Star, Top Overall, Top Amateur Couple, Top Pre-Teen, Top Junior, Top Youth

**Top Merit Students:** (Based on 1st Places in contested heats): Bronze, Silver, Gold, Gold Star

**Top Teacher:**(Based on accumulated points)

**Top Studio:** (Based on accumulated points)

**Points Table:**

Category	Entry	1st	2nd	3rd
Single Dance	1	3	2	1
2 Dance	2	6	4	2
3 Dance	3	9	6	3
4 Dance	4	12	8	4
5 Dance	5	15	10	5

**Top Teacher: (\$19,750 Total Cash Purse)**

Place	Qualification Entries	Prize Money
1st	350	\$8000
2nd	300	\$5000
3rd	250	\$3000
4th	200	\$2000
5th	150	\$1000
6th	100	\$ 750

### Professional Events:(Total Professional Prize Money - \$38,700)

**Rising Star and Open American Smooth:** (W/T/F/VW)

**Rising Star and Open American Rhythm:** (CC/R/SW/B/M)

**Rising Star and Open International Ballroom:**(W/T/VW/F/QS)

**Rising Star and Open International Latin:**(CC/S/R/PD/J)

**Open Cabaret and Showdance**

**9 and 10 Dance Professional Winners:** (Combined results of Smooth/Rhythm & Ballroom/Latin

**Prize Money:**

Place	Professional Rising Star	Professional Open	10 & 9 Dance
1st	\$750	\$2000	\$300
2nd	\$500	\$1500	\$200
3rd	\$400	\$1000	\$100
4th	\$300	\$ 500	
5th	\$200	\$ 400	
6th	\$100	\$ 300	