

Amicus Dance Festival - Festival Rules

Please examine the Festival Rules carefully. All performers should also study the particular requirements of each class for which they wish to enter. Regulations must be observed.

The Festival is intended for Amateurs, who are defined as persons who do not derive their livelihood from stage performance.

Programme class times are approximate and subject to change.

Important - A competitor's age will be determined on the day of the festival.

All performers must adhere to the age sections for the class entered.

It is necessary for teachers and parents to be aware of their responsibilities in entering any performers with limited physical capabilities or special needs, bearing in mind the limitations of the stage and surrounding environment.

Wheelchair access to the stage is not available at this festival.

No entrant may offer the same choreography in more than one class.

Suitability of content must be considered with regard to age group. 'Adult' content or offensive material is not acceptable.

Amicus Dance Festival has the authority to stop any performance at their discretion.

Important - Please Note - Entries should be made via the link to 'Play & Perform' via the Amicus Dance Festival website.

All entries must be made and the correct entry fees paid before the closing date. Anyone experiencing difficulties or who is unable to make entries online should contact Amicus Dance Festival via the website for assistance. Entry fees are not returnable unless the entry is rejected by the Festival.

Late entries may only be accepted after the closing date at the discretion of Amicus Dance Festival. A penalty fee will be charged (double the original entry fee). Amicus Dance Festival reserves the right to accept or reject any entry and cannot guarantee late entries will be included in the Programme.

All entrants (or their parents/teachers /guardians) must read the conditions of entry carefully together with our Child Protection, Safeguarding and Photography Policies

All withdrawals should notify Amicus Dance Festival as soon as the information is known, to assist with timetabling of classes. Entry fees are not refundable.

Punctuality is essential for all classes. All performers must be prepared to arrive at the beginning of the session so that classes may run smoothly and to time. Amicus Dance Festival reserves the right to alter times and to combine or cancel classes for operational reasons.

Enquiries during the festival should be addressed to Amicus Dance Festival team whose decision is final.

Certificates and medals will be distributed by Amicus Dance Festival as soon as possible after the finish of the class.

The taking of photographs or use of any audio or video recording equipment, including mobile phones, is strictly prohibited during the Amicus Dance Festival as it may breach child safeguarding guidelines and disturb the performers.

Recording, photography and making videos of performances is forbidden under copyright law and may lead to prosecution.

All enquiries or complaints should be made immediately after the competition to Amicus Dance Festival via the contact form on the website.