

Rising Stars!

Invitational Performing Festival

is an opportunity for young dancers, singers, actors and other performers to have their talents evaluated by adjudicators from various areas of the Performing Arts. Although participants will be evaluated on technical skill, a great emphasis will be placed on performance quality. How well do you entertain the audience?

Students may enter as many categories as they wish. Solos may be performed only once in the age division.

On stage adjudications every hour.

Special draws for participants and audience members throughout the event.

Festival Dates: Thursday May 3 and Friday May 4, 2018

The Triffo Theatre

Allard Hall – MacEwan University

11110 – 104 Avenue

Edmonton, Alberta

Standings will be awarded as follows:

- 65 -70 – Merit (Ribbon)
- 71-75 – Commendation (Ribbon)
- 76-80 – Bronze (Medal)
- 81 -85 – Silver (Medal)
- 86-90 – Gold (Medal)
- 91-100 – Diamond (Medal)

Judges Awards

will be presented at the
Adjudicators discretion

Overall Awards presented at the end of the Festival in: Each Discipline, Top Five High Mark awards for Solos, Duets, Groups and for the Highest Mark of the entire competition.

Categories: Solos, Duets, and Groups

Dance: Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Modern, Contemporary, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Song and Dance, Novelty, National, Acro Dance (must have equal parts dance and acro skills) Own Choreography, Open, Production (minimum 20 performers)

Vocal: Musical Theatre, Contemporary, Country, Pop, Own Composition, Rap, Open

Drama: Monologue (solo) Scenes (2 or more performers)

Specialty: Acts that do not fit into the above categories. These may include juggling, Tumbling, Acro (no dancing), Rhythmic Gymnastics, magic acts, instrumental music etc.

Note - groups may be divided into trios and small and large groups.

Age Divisions:

4 yrs and under, 5-6 yrs, 7-8 yrs, 9-10 yrs, 11-12 yrs, 13-14 yrs, 15-16 yrs, 17 yrs and older

Categories may be split if there are more than 8 entries.

Contestants will perform in their own age division.

The amount of training in the entered discipline will be noted on the adjudication form.

List competitor's names, ages and years & months of training on back of entry form. (Include pre-school years). Current year would count as .6 yr.

Drop decimals when calculating group average ages. Keep decimal for years of training.

Age is as of March 1, 2018

Maximum Time Limits: Solos – 4 minutes
Duets – 4 minutes
Groups – 6 minutes
Scenes & Productions – 15 minutes

Music: Teachers will play their own music. Music can be played on CD, I-pod, computer. Vocal contestants using live accompaniment must supply their own instruments. Hand held mics and mic stands will be provided.

Props: Props may be brought in the day of competition and should be removed as soon after the performance as possible. Please let MC know if you have props that will need extended set up time – one minute maximum please.

Entry fees: Solos - \$60.00 per entry * Duets - \$ 38.00 per person per entry
Groups (3 or more) - \$35.00 per person per entry
* See entry form for special discounts

Entry Deadline: March 1, 2018.

Entries must be submitted by the studio/club

Receive a 15% discount for entries received and paid in full by December 1, 2017.

Receive a 5% discount for entries received and paid in full by January 15, 2018.

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For more information please contact: 780-443-0226
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2018 Entry Form

NAME: _____

Birthdate: D:____ M:____ Y:____

Age: _____
(As of March 1, (2018))

Class: Solo: ____ Duet: ____ Group: ____

Years of training in this discipline: _____
(As of March 1, 2018)

CATEGORY:

Dance:

	Tap		Jazz		Contemporary		Novelty
	Ballet		Modern		Hip Hop		Acro Dance
	Character		Lyrical		Song & Dance		Own Choreography
	National		Production		Open		

Vocal:

	Musical Theatre		Country		Pop		Classical
	Contemporary		Rap		Open		Own Composition

Drama:

	Monologue		Scene (2or more)		Open
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Specialty: List act type -ie; magician etc.

	Acro (no dance)		Tumbling		Skipping		

Entry Fee: Solo - \$60.00* Duet: \$76.00 Group: #____ x \$35.00 = _____

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* (any additional solos by this performer -\$50.00 each)

Release:

Rising Stars! Invitational Performing Festival, its sponsors and personnel, will not be liable for any personal injury or loss of any kind by any of the participants, spectators or volunteers. Participants allow that their photo may be used for future publicity.

Signing Authority: (Parent or teacher) _____ **Date:** _____

Studio: _____ **Phone:** _____

Entry Deadline March 1, 2018. Late entries will be accepted if time and space allows. A late fee of \$20.00 per entry will be charged.

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2018 STUDIO SUMMARY

Studio Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____ Studio Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ Web: _____

Participating Teachers/Choreographers/Coaches:

Fee calculations:

Solos: Total performers _____ X \$60.00 = _____
Total performers _____ X \$50.00 = _____

Duets: Total performers _____ X \$38.00 = _____

Groups: Total performers _____ X \$35.00 = _____

Total: _____

Less 15% Early Bird Discount: _____

(If paid by December 1, 2017)

Less 5% Early Bird Discount: _____

(If paid by January 15, 2018)

Total Payable: _____

Fees can be paid by: cheque payable to Rising Stars!

or

e-transfer to contact@risingstarsfestival.ca

Send entries to 201-15505 – Stony Plain Rd. Edmonton, Alberta T5P3Z1