



NATD THEATRICAL SCHOLARSHIPS 2023

South Western Area Qualifying Heat

AGE CATEGORIES

(Ages taken from the date of the heats)

Junior - Age 6-9

Inter - Age 10-13

Senior - Age 14-17

DANCE GENRES

Ballet

Modern

Tap

Contemporary

SOUTH WESTERN HEAT

Sunday 25th June 2023

HEAT VENUE

Stoke Damarel Community
College,
Plymouth,
PL3 4BD

HEAT INFORMATION

£12.00 Entry fee per candidate per class.

First Class to start at 9:30am.

The candidates will take part in a 30 minute class in the dance genre/s they have been entered. The classes will be taken by experienced professionals who all have a wealth of knowledge in the above dance genres.

The area organisers will select adjudicators for the heats. Adjudicators will mark each candidate out of 50. If there is more than one adjudicator, marks will then be averaged to give an individual overall score. The 5 top scoring candidates from each category and section will then go through to our Grand Finals of solo performances in Birmingham on **Sunday 1st October**.

*All candidates at the heats will receive a certificate of participation

Entrance Fee for Spectators.

£8.00 Adult £5.00 Child (16 and under) Members £5.00 *Free to the entering Teachers.

THE GRAND FINALS

Sunday 1st October 2023

FINALS VENUE

Sutton Coldfield Town Hall
Upper Clifton Rd
Sutton Coldfield
Birmingham, B73 6AB

The winners from each heat will now come together to perform solo numbers in the genre they were chosen. The solo performance must be 1 and a half to 2 minutes in length and must be fully costumed with theatrical stage make-up. There will be 20

candidates per section but in the event of a tie, the committee will grant an extra place.

There will be 2 adjudicators for the finals, both of whom are professionals in the dancing world. Once again they will each mark out of 50 and their scores will be combined. Candidates will be marked purely on their solo performance. As of January 2023 marks from the heat will not be taken into consideration anymore at the Grand Finals.

AWARDS

3rd place, runner up, and our NATD Scholarship Champions 2023 will all receive a commemorative trophy.

The scholarship winners will receive £100 prize money.

All participants at the Finals will receive a Scholarship trophy.

Tickets for the Grand Finals will go on sale nearer the time, once all 4 heats have taken place.

Grand Finals ticket prices as follows...

£25.00 Adult £15.00 Child (16 and under), Members £ 20.00 *Free to the entering teachers. (only one free teacher per school)

HOW TO ENTER - Candidate entry is strictly through the school principal who is an NATD teacher with a current membership card.

Entry Forms can be downloaded from the NATD website and can be completed online, alternatively, you can contact your area representative below for an entry form.

Once completed, please return to us using the email address below and make full payment to the bank details shown on the entry form.

Closing date for entries - Sunday 11th June 2023

Once all of the entries are received you will then be sent out further information and a timetable for the Heats. This event is open to all of our Theatrical Schools and we welcome you all!

If you require any further information please email your Area,

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Who will be crowned.....The NATD Scholarship Champions 2023?