

Official Utah Dance Fest
SOLO/DUO/TRIO RULES & REGISTRATION INFO
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Directors: Please copy both sides of this page when copying entry forms –every parent/participant needs the information below!

CATEGORIES & DIVISIONS:

Solo/Duo/Trio participants will be divided into categories based on these four criteria, in the following order of precedence:

- 1) **Number of dancers:**
 Solo: 1 dancer
 Duo/Trio: 2-3 dancers
- 2) **Ability Level:** (compared to other dancers their age)
 - **Novice:** beginning level dancer(s)
 - **Intermediate:** average ability for their age
 - **Advanced:** above average, competition experience, polished technique
 - **Pre-Professional (STAGE ONLY):** has won first place one or more times in Advanced categories

NOTE: after taking 1st place in any ability division, you must enter the next level higher. (at any comparable competition)
REMINDER Dancers who are decided by the Judges to be entered in TOO LOW ABILITY LEVEL may receive up to a 5 point deduction per Judge!

- 3) **Age of Dancers:**
 Soloists: age at time of competition
 Duo/Trios: average age of dancers

- 4) **Style of Dance:**
 If there are more than six in a category, we may split categories based on style of dance.

* Dancers are free to enter as many categories as they wish, and we will do our best to get them in different categories. If more than one entry has to be in the same category, the highest score will be awarded in the category and an adjudicated award will be given for each additional performance.
 * Divisions may be expanded or combined at the discretion of UDF Director. In creating fair categories, we are limited to the honest information that you provide

COVERMODEL CONTEST:

Any dancer may compete for a place on the cover of our Utah Dance Fest program by entering our Covermodel Contest. Participants must send a photo (8x10), with name, studio and age of participant on the back, with a \$40 registration fee. Covermodels will be featured in our souvenir UDF program, and on display that day. 1st-4th place winners will be announced, and all participants will receive a UDF figurine trophy. Photos will be returned at the end of the team competition on Saturday. Judging done by our official Utah Dance Fest Photographer

PHOTO IN PROGRAM:

Non-covermodel participants may also have their picture in our UDF souvenir program by sending any size photo and a \$10 photo fee.

COMPETITION RULES:

MUSIC: Participants may select the music of their choice, not exceeding 3 minutes. Record on a quality CD, have it ready to go at check in, and bring at least one back up CD or an iPod. NO CD-RW'S!

COSTUMES/PROPS: Costumes should be designed to fit the style of the dance and be family appropriate (see note below) Props must be carried on/off the floor by dancer(s), and time limit includes carrying them on & off.

AWARDS: Every soloist will place as Queen/ King or Attendant, and duo/trios will place 1st, 2nd, etc.. Queens/Kings will receive a tiara/crown, sash/medal, and other gifts. Every dancer will receive their own UDF figurine trophy. Overall awards will also be presented.

DANCE FLOOR SPECIFICS:

There will be no practice time on the floor/stage the day of the competition.

SPECTRUM FLOOR: The floor is a university basketball floor – larger than a high school gym floor – so practice accordingly. **NO TAP SHOES, SKATES etc. or PROPS that might damage the Spectrum Floor!**

LOGAN HIGH SCHOOL STAGE: The LHS stage is almost the size of a high school gym floor (72' wide x 32-44' deep with an arched front), so practice accordingly.

REGISTRATION:

FLOOR COMPETITION

USU Dee Glen Smith Spectrum ~ March 28, 2014

FEES:

Soloists= \$65
 Duo/Trio= \$45 per dancer

DEADLINE: Postmarked by February 10, 2014

STAGE COMPETITION

Logan High School ~ April 11, 2014

FEES:

Soloists= \$70
 Duo/Trio= \$50 per dancer

DEADLINE: Postmarked by March 1, 2014

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Utah Dance Fest is a family-friendly event. Costumes and choreography must be appropriate for all audiences or deductions may be taken by judges.

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SOLO/DUO/TRIO ENTRY FORMS
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER FORM!

Additional forms may be printed on our website, as well as the registration information & rules. **Please fill out forms completely** and return to: Utah Dance Fest, Inc. 102 S. Winding Way, Logan, Utah 84321
 Questions: contact Angi Larsen, UDF Director 435-752-4013 or angi@utahdancefest.com

Utah Dance Fest **FLOOR COMPETITION ~ March 28, 2014**

Solo/Duo/Trio Registration Form

PLEASE FILL OUT SEPARATE FORM PER ENTRY!!

NAME of participant(s)	BIRTHDATE	AGE	GRADE	GENDER
_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F
_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F
_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F

Ability Level: _____ **Dance Style:** _____ **Avg Age:** _____
Novice/Intermediate/Advanced jazz, hip hop, lyrical, contemporary, character, ballet duo/trio only

Studio: _____ Studio Director: _____

INFO ON ONE DANCER: phone: _____ e-mail: _____

complete mailing address: _____

REGISTRATION FEES:

\$65 soloist \$45 per duo/trio dancer
Add \$10 late fee (per dancer) if postmarked later than Feb 10, 2014.
 for program photo or \$40 for covermodel registration fee (see rules on opposite page)
Make checks payable to: Utah Dance Fest, Inc.

RELEASE: I have read and understand all rules/ regulations pertaining to Utah Dance Fest and agree to comply with each. I hereby release all staff and owners of Utah Dance Fest, Inc. from all claims \$10 damage, injury, or theft incurred by above participant(s).

Signature Parent/Guardian: _____

Utah Dance Fest **STAGE COMPETITION ~ April 11, 2014**

Solo/Duo/Trio Registration Form

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_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F
_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F
_____	_____	_____	_____	M or F

Ability Level: _____ **Dance Style:** _____ **Avg Age:** _____
Novice/Intermediate/Advanced/Pre-professional jazz, hip hop, contemporary, character, ballet, tap duo/trio only

Studio: _____ Studio Director: _____

INFO ON ONE DANCER: phone: _____ e-mail: _____

complete mailing address: _____

REGISTRATION FEE:

\$70 soloist \$50 per duo/trio dancer
Add \$10 late fee (per dancer) if postmarked later than Mar 1, 2014.
 +\$10 for program photo or \$40 for covermodel
 -\$5 discount if also registered for UDF Floor Comp
Make checks payable to: Utah Dance Fest, Inc.

RELEASE: I have read and understand all rules/ regulations pertaining to Utah Dance Fest and agree to comply with each. I hereby release all staff and owners of Utah Dance Fest, Inc. from all claims of damage, injury, or theft incurred by above participant(s).

Signature Parent/Guardian: _____

NOTE: Final competition information will be sent via e-mail and a letter will be sent to your home or to your studio director (if your studio is attending) approximately 2 weeks prior to competition.