

Competitive Dance Quick Facts – 2015-16

First Year of State Series:

2013

Classifications:

1A, 2A, 3A

Classification History:

1A, 2A, 3A Classes 2013-Present

Schools Entered in:

2016 Series: 255 Single Class Series

2015 Series: 251 Single Class Series

2014 Series: 238 Single Class Series

2013 Series: 241 Single Class Series

Levels of Competition

Sectionals (5 proportional sites per division) – Saturday, January 23, 2016

State Final – Friday-Saturday, January 29-30, 2016 @ US Cellular Coliseum

Advancement

The top six qualifiers in each division from the Sectional competition will advance to compete in the State Final and compete in the division in which they qualified.

Scoring

Sectional – The official IHSA score sheet will be used for the scoring of all competitive dance routines. The total accumulative point value of the officials' score sheets will be averaged. There shall be 3 panel officials and one head official; and 2 technical officials shall be provided for each Sectional site competition.

State -- The official IHSA score sheet will be used for the scoring of all competitive dance routines. The total accumulative point value of the officials' score sheets will be averaged. There shall be 5 panel officials, one head official, and 2 technical judges provided for the State Final competition.

State Final Time Schedule

Friday, January 29, 2016

SESSION 1

1A Preliminaries

9:00 a.m. Coaches Meeting
9:15 a.m. Doors open to the State Final venue site
10:00 a.m. Welcome
10:10 a.m. Announcements & National Anthem
10:15 a.m. First Performance 1A
12:15 p.m. Officials Break
1:19 p.m. Last Performance
1:30 p.m. Announcement of 1A Finalists

SESSION 2

2A & 3A Preliminaries

2:15 p.m. Coaches Meeting
3:00 p.m. Welcome
3:10 p.m. Announcements & National Anthem
3:15 p.m. First Performance (2A & 3A Alternate performances)
5:15 p.m. Officials Break
7:21 p.m. Last Performance
7:45 p.m. Announcement of 2A Finalists
8:00 p.m. Announcement of 3A Finalists

Saturday, January 30, 2016

SESSION 3

1A, 3A & 3A Team Finals

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| 10:00 a.m. | Doors open to the State Final venue site |
| 10:55 a.m. | Announcements & National Anthem |
| 11:00 a.m. | 1A Team Finals |
| 12:15 p.m. | 1A Team Awards |
| 1:55 p.m. | Announcements & National Anthem |
| 2:00 p.m. | 2A & 3A Team Finals (2A & 3A Teams alternate performances) |
| 3:45 p.m. | 2A Team Awards |
| 4:00 p.m. | 3A Team Awards |

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