

Ontario DanceSport

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General Information for Championship Couples to 2024 CCC

Dear Athletes,

Welcome to the 2024 Canadian Closed DanceSport Championships. On behalf of ODS we hope you have a very successful & enjoyable weekend at the 66th Anniversary of these championships. Listed below are some things you need to know for this weekend:

- 1. **Competitors Official Practice**: we have scheduled one practice in the **Kobayashi Hall** on Friday April 19th from 11am p.m. to 1:45 p.m. At other times during the weekend the **Shokokai Court** is available for practice.
- 2. **CDS PD** is putting on a **lecture series from 2p-3 pm** in the **Kobayashi Hall on Friday April 19**th. All coaches, all levels of athletes (not just championship), & officials are invited. No Charge!
- 3. Parade: All Championship competitors are expected to join us in the Parade. Please be in the line, in full costume, behind your Provincial flag on both Friday and on Saturday no later than 5:45 p.m.
- 4. **Competition Schedule**: Go to program for exact details on your events.

Friday evening: First event 6:30 p.m.: the Senior IV Standard (3 heats)

Saturday daytime: First Standard competition begins at 10:15 **Saturday evening:** First event 6:30 p.m.: Senior V Standard

CDS Dress Code Check- Location in the **Shokokai Court**. All male & female competitors must be checked by CDS Board dress code officials a minimum of 30 minutes prior to your event. You will **Not** be permitted on the floor if your costume has not be checked. Please bring a spare costume (in case there is a problem with your costume and any other costumes you plan to change into in later rounds) to the dress code check. You will need to come back again if changing your costume for a later round.

- 5. **Saturday's evening reception:** Included in Saturday's ticket envelope is your invitation for the reception which is after the last Awards ceremony on Saturday, April 20th.
- 6. **Team Canada photo**: If you place 1st or 2nd in your category remember there will be a team picture right after the last Awards ceremony each evening. Please bring the annual trophy for the team photo. The photo will on CDS' website and Facebook page. Be prompt for the photo since you have to attend Saturday's reception!
- 7. **Annual trophy winners** will be responsible for getting their name on the trophy before the 2025 CCC. You must remember to take the **trophy box before leaving the ballroom**. In January 2025 your Regional President will contact you about returning the annual trophy. The trophy must be returned in its original box, undamaged, and with bubble wraps.

NO SPRAY TANNING PERMITTED ANYWHERE IN THE VENUE or at the hotel.

IF CAUGHT YOU WILL BE EJECTED & FINED MINIMUM \$1000