

Emerald Ball

Dancesport Championships

Amateur Preteen, Junior & Youth Entry Form

Deadline: March 31st, 2010

Make checks payable to
Emerald Ball and mail to:
 9081 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 100, Las Vegas, NV 89117
 Phone 800-851-2813, Fax 702-256-4227
 or visit www.EmeraldBall.com

Male: _____ Female: _____

NDCA#: _____ DOB _____ NDCA#: _____ DOB _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Telephone: _____

Check box if you want your email to be on the mailing list

Organizer reserves the right to ask for a copy of birth certificate.
Late Fees: Postmark after March 31st - \$20 per person, after April 10th - \$30 per person.

YOUTH EVENTS - AGES 16, 17, 18 - \$95 PER EVENT PER COUPLE (Includes Admission Ticket)
(19 year olds may continue to dance in this age category until they have graduated High School)
(Youth may move up to Amateur events - Not Restricted to Syllabi)

- Youth Latin Multi-Dance – Cha Cha, Samba, Rumba, Paso Doble, Jive - Session 6 - Saturday Evening
- Youth Standard Multi-Dance – Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, Quickstep, V. Waltz - Session 4 - Friday Evening

JUNIOR I - AGES 12 & 13 - \$15 PER DANCE PER COUPLE (Includes Admission Ticket) (Not Restricted to Syllabi)

- Junior Latin Single Dances - Cha Cha, Samba, Rumba, Paso Doble, Jive - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Junior Standard Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, Quickstep - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Junior American Smooth Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, V. Waltz - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon at approx. 5pm
- Junior American Rhythm Single Dances - Cha Cha, Rumba, Swing - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon at approx. 5pm

JUNIOR II - AGES 14 & 15 - \$15 PER DANCE PER COUPLE (Includes Admission Ticket) (Not Restricted to Syllabi)

- Junior Latin Single Dances - Cha Cha, Samba, Rumba, Paso Doble, Jive - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Junior Standard Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, Quickstep - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Junior American Smooth Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, V. Waltz - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon at approx. 5pm
- Junior American Rhythm Single Dances - Cha Cha, Rumba, Swing - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon at approx. 5pm

PRE TEEN I - AGES 9 AND UNDER - \$15 PER DANCE PER COUPLE (Includes Admission Ticket)
(Restricted Syllabi - you may dance Bronze, Silver or Gold)

- Pre-Teen Latin Single Dances - Cha Cha, Samba, Rumba, Paso Doble, Jive - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Pre-Teen Standard Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, Quickstep - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Pre-Teen American Smooth Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, V. Waltz - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon
- Pre-Teen American Rhythm Single Dances - Cha Cha, Rumba, Swing - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon

PRE TEEN II - AGES 10 & 11 - \$15 PER DANCE PER COUPLE (Includes Admission Ticket)
(Restricted Syllabi - you may dance Bronze, Silver or Gold)

- Pre-Teen Latin Single Dances - Cha Cha, Samba, Rumba, Paso Doble, Jive - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Pre-Teen Standard Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, Quickstep - Session 2 - Friday Evening at approx 7pm**
- Pre-Teen American Smooth Single Dances - Waltz, Tango, Foxtrot, V. Waltz - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon
- Pre-Teen American Rhythm Single Dances - Cha Cha, Rumba, Swing - Session 7 - Sunday Afternoon

**Dear Parents and Competitors,

In an effort to best accommodate everyone's busy schedule we have allocated a special time slot for the Pre-Teen and Junior, Latin and Standard Single Dance events.

These events will be danced at approximately 7:00pm on Friday, April 30, 2010.

Due to the size of this event we are unable to place these dances on Saturday or Sunday.

We apologize for any inconvenience.

For more information on age and costuming rules visit www.NDCA.org.

Hotel Reservation - price per night – single or double occupancy
\$129.00 plus tax

If you are NOT on a package, then you must book your hotel room directly by calling (310) 410-4000 or (800) 445-8667. When booking your room(s), you must mention **EME** to secure this special room rate. Please visit the www.emeraldball.com homepage for a link to book your hotel rooms online.

Event Fees	\$
Admission Fees	\$
Late Fee	\$
GRAND TOTAL DUE	\$
R# _____ PAYMENT	\$
BALANCE	\$

(over for rules, release form & credit card authorization)

RELEASE AND AUTHORIZATION

NDCA Rules & Regulations:

A AGE CATEGORY CLASSIFICATIONS

The following definitions shall determine competitive age categories:

1. Pre-Teen

Competitors who are 12 years old and younger. "Pre-Teen" competitors may dance up one age classification to the "Junior" category.

a. A Pre-Teen competitor may not dance up to the "Youth" category unless they request permission in writing from the NDCA Ballroom Department and in turn receive written approval (example - a "Pre-Teen" girl wishing to compete with a "Youth" age boy).

b. Under no circumstance will a "Pre-Teen" competitor be allowed to compete in the "Adult" age category.

2. Junior

Competitors who are 13, 14, or 15 years old. "Junior" competitors may dance up one age classification to the "Youth" category.

a. A "Junior" competitor may not apply for permission to dance up to the "Adult" category until they are 15 years old, at which time they would need to follow the same procedure as outlined in rule 1.a. above.

3. Youth

Competitors who are 16, 17, or 18 years old. Nineteen (19) year olds may also dance as youths until they have graduated from high school. "Youth" competitors may concurrently dance up one age classification into the "Adult" category.

B DRESS AND/OR COSTUMING

1. Pre-Teen

The NDCA has changed the regulations regarding pre-teen costuming effective January 1, 2008.

Please visit www.emeraldball.com and go to the entry forms page and click on Rules & Policies for more information.

C SYLLABUS

Couples competing in the "Pre-Teen" category must dance restricted syllabi as noted below. Couples competing in the "Junior", "Youth" and "Adult" categories are not restricted in syllabi unless competing in a "Syllabus" event, or otherwise stipulated by the organizer.

1. Pre-Teen

Couples competing in this age category may only dance Bronze, Silver, and Gold figures that conform to the N.D.C.A. LIST OF ALLOWABLE FIGURES AND ELEMENTS FOR COMPETITIONS (See appendix 1). In the absence of this list couples may then only dance Bronze, Silver and Gold syllabi of member organizations of the N.D.C.A.

Event Dates: April 29th - May 2nd, 2010

In consideration of the opportunity to participate in "The Emerald Ball Dance Sport Championship" (herein "the Competition") sponsored by 1849 P.C.H., Inc., a Nevada corporation, as well as the chance to compete for prize and scholarship money in the Competition, Participant, or the parent/legal guardian on behalf of Participant, hereby agrees to the following terms and conditions:

RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION:

Participant hereby forever releases and discharges 1849 P.C.H., Inc., its officers, directors, shareholders as well as any person, employee, subsidiary, affiliate, party, or business entity that is affiliated with, sponsors or organizes "The Emerald Ball Dance Sport Championship" ("Event Organizers") from liability for the following: (1) loss or theft of articles left in Changing Rooms, the Ballroom, or Hotel Rooms; (2) injuries sustained by any participant or any other person attending this event and Participant acknowledges that (s)he attends this event at his/her own risk; (3) any liability or claims arising from the production, exhibition, transmission, distribution or use of commercial material authorized in this Agreement; and (4) any claims, demands, suits and actions which Participant ever had, now has, or may have based upon any agreements previously made or herein made. Participant shall defend, indemnify and hold Event Organizers harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, losses, suits and expenses relating to this Release and Authorization arising out of Participant's actions or negligence.

AGREEMENT REGARDING RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Participant agrees that he/she and all persons attending this event with Participant, whether as spectators, competitors, officials or guests are obligated to adhere to the "Official Rules." A copy of the Official Rules shall be available to Participant in the competition package or may be obtained from the registrar.

CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY

The deadline for a refund on a cancellation is 30 days prior to the date the competition commences. Refunds will be made by mail, 30 days following the completion of the competition. If the Organizer is notified of cancellations after the deadline, credit toward the following year will be considered in cases of emergency only and must accompany a Doctor's Certificate. There will be a minimum \$50 service charge, per participant, for cancellations.

No substitutions will be allowed for entry cancellations at the event.

No exchanges or refunds will be made on admission tickets. (ALL TICKET SALES ARE FINAL)

AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF PARTICIPANT'S IMAGE FOR COMMERCIAL GAIN:

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SIGNATURE

The undersigned Participant hereby warrants that he/she is at least eighteen (18) years of age or older or the parent/legal guardian of Participant under eighteen (18) years of age acting on behalf of the Participant hereby warrants Participant has the full consent of such parent/legal guardian to participate in the Competition and that the undersigned has the full right, power and authority to enter into this Release and Authorization without the necessity of the consent or authority of any other party. I have read, understand and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of this RELEASE AND AUTHORIZATION.

Participants

Signature of Participant

Date

Signature of Participant

Date

Parent/Legal Guardian:

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

(A 4% administrative fee will be charged for all payments made with a credit card)

Subtotal: \$	4% Admin Fee: \$
Please charge the total amount \$	
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Fax:	
Signature of Card Holder:	