

# Things to Know

AWARDS ~ All awards (Solos, Duo/Trios, Groups,) are held after the last act at the end of the day.  
Dance Party ~ Right before awards there will be a Short Fun Dance Party on Stage.

CELL PHONES ~ Please turn off cell phones in the auditorium as to not interfere with our wireless microphones. We are not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Camera's, money & other valuables should not be left in dressing rooms but should be kept with you in sight or locked in the car..

DOORS OPEN ~ 7:00am .

DRESSING ROOM ~ Check at the program book table upon arrival.

CONDUCT ~ Dancers must conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen.  
Please take care to pick up all belongings and leave the changing areas in excellent condition.  
No running in hallways, no playing on stairs, no smoking anywhere on premises of building.  
No Food allowed in dressing rooms or theatre.

COSTUME CHANGES ~ Please try to remain as close to the schedule as possible.  
If you need more time, Teacher may inform our Stage Manager & we will call up the next acts until you come back to lineup to tell us you are ready.

CHANGES TO ANY ROUTINE ~ On the day of the show, if you have any changes to the DJ schedule or emergencies that will affect, judging, awards or the program such as a missing dancer which may cause a line to be a group or a scratch or an age change ~ Teacher must inform the Stage Manager BEFORE performance .

DIRECTIONS go to [www.olympicmiss.com /dates/locations](http://www.olympicmiss.com/dates/locations)

ENTRY FEES Entry Fee info is not posted and is available thru your teacher only.  
Are due in our office 30 days prior to the competition. Turn in to Your Teacher well before then.  
We do not accept independent

FOOD ~ breakfast, lunch and snack items sandwiches, salads, coffee avail all day in the lobby.  
Absolutely no coolers allowed in (leave in car) and NO FOOD in dressing rooms or theatre.

HOTEL ~ For best discount, book under Olympic Miss name.

LINE-UP ~Line Up and check in with the Stage Manager 5 numbers before your number. Only Dancers and Dance Teachers are allowed in the wings.

MUSIC - CD's only please. Stay away from unrecognizable names (cheaper but inconsistent), and for some reason Sony. Visit this site for info on which CD's are the best for burning.  
[http://www.amazon.com/gp/richpub/syltguides/fullview/Q0DSVI8GU0T2?ie=UTF8&\\*Version\\*=1&\\*entries\\*=0](http://www.amazon.com/gp/richpub/syltguides/fullview/Q0DSVI8GU0T2?ie=UTF8&*Version*=1&*entries*=0)

Label your individual CD's with **Performance #**, **Name of Song**, and **Studio** . CD's should be turned in all together by Dance Teacher at least ½ hour before your first routine. Note: Important ~ Music should be cued, ready to play with no longer than a 3 second lead. Teachers should have a backup CD ready in case a dancer's music fails to start. Put the entire song on one track – if you record on 2 tracks you must let the DJ know. **IPOD backup is acceptable**. Please make sure your C's are labeled just as they **are in the program book**. **Please check the final copy of the Program Book on the DJ Sound Table before leaving your music**. Please be sure to pick up your music at the end of the day.

MUSIC BACKUP – If you bring cd's then bring a different format for a backup, such as IPOD or Cassette tapes.

NO RECOMPETING ~ Once a dancer makes his/ her first move, he/she is committed to finish. If the music skips, shuts off, our fault, your fault, or no one's fault, the dancer must continue to dance and finish her routine no matter what, even without music. If a dancer forgets her routine or leaves the stage for whatever reason even her music failing, she is graded upon what she has presented. No Recompeting. Please prepare your students for this as in the performance world, anything is possible. Instruct your dancers, once they begin their piece, they must finish – no matter what. Should your music fail to start and the dancer has not started dancing, you may bring a backup CD to the DJ.

PHOTOS AND VIDEOTAPING SERVICES WILL BE OFFERED ~ Our Photographer will be capturing your action moves ~ ready on site (view on computer screens in lobby. Our videographer will be taping your act and will have your performance ready in a weeks' time. (great for review and capturing memories)

NO PHOTOS, NO VIDEOTAPING ~ Audience members, parents students, teachers and studio representatives **are strictly forbidden** to take photos or videos at this show. Disqualification (if caught) may result.

PROGRAM BOOKS ~ with all dancers names and line-up schedule are available for purchase in the lobby.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE ~ is available only to Studio Director on line.

Any question on Schedule – talk to your Teacher.

General Times are: Solos 7:30am Duo/Trio 10:00am Groups 12:30pm  
Lines 3:00pm Classes/Production 5:00 Awards 6:30pm

SCORES & JUDGES COMMENTS Adjudicated scoring breakdown is available only to teachers. Judges comments are available only to teachers.

TEACHERS be sure to pick up your *Olympic Miss Teacher ID* at the program book table and wear it so that that Staff know who you are.

TRINKETS Dancewear, Event T shirts, On Site Photos, Videos, Program Books, Food are all for sale in the lobby area.

Any further questions, contact your Studio Director/Teacher directly.

*Thank you and best of luck!*