

2020 BEDP competition information

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Attached is the schedule for the upcoming season. Please note which groups will be attending each competition. Competitions are listed in blue. Also listed are conventions (in red). PLEASE NOTE THAT SOME OF THESE ARE OPTIONAL EVENTS! If you wish to attend an optional event, you will need to email back with your intentions. Please do not assume I know which events you will attend. All solos will need to respond back and list which competitions they wish to attend.

Conventions - Conventions are all day learning events. Dancers rotate between rooms and teachers. Some have age requirements and those will be listed. More info about conventions can be found on www.dancemachineonline.com for Dance Machine the Convention and www.xtremedancechallenge.com for Xtreme Dance Challenge

Mini Ovation – Convention is optional. Times usually run 8:00 am to 4:00 pm with a break for lunch. Please keep in mind it's a pretty grueling day when deciding if you would like your child to attend or not. She will need to be independent changing her shoes and be able to go a long period of time in class with few breaks. You may choose to purchase an observer band for \$10 if you wish.

Junior and Sr. Ovation – Xtreme Dance Challenge is optional and Dance Machine the Convention is mandatory. If you have an approved school conflict, you will be required to attend a makeup convention. Any solo wanting to compete this season is required to compete at Dance Machine the Convention's competition. Any approved school conflict will need to attend a substitute convention/competition.

Competitions

ALL COMPETITIONS WHERE YOUR GROUP IS LISTED AS ATTENDING ARE MANDATORY! Failure to attend a mandatory competition will result in your dancer being removed from that routine and as per our policies the resultant \$200 restaging fee will be charged. The only mandatory competition for solos is Dance Machine the Convention. You may pick and choose which regionals you want your solo to compete at. Please send your choices to me when you decide.

Xtreme Dance Challenge – Optional for convention attendance and solo competition

Dance Machine the Convention/Competition – Mandatory for Ovation dancers, competition is mandatory for solos

Sharing Talent, Giving Life Benefit – mandatory for groups listed

Boogie Fever Regionals - mandatory for groups listed

Dance Machine Regionals - mandatory for groups listed

White Lightning – optional for solos

Epic Regionals - mandatory for groups listed

Nationals – everyone should keep this date open. Groups attending will depend on what qualifies at previous competitions.

Fees

The dates the fees will be drafted are listed beside the competition name.

You can always pre-pay your account for competition fees, provided that your account is current on costumes and tuition. The date listed is the absolute last day it can be paid. Failure to pay fee by this day will result in your dancer being removed from the number and the resultant \$200 restaging fee. Please see the competition handbook for more details on this fee.

Xtreme Dance Convention/Competition –, Sat Nov. 23 2019

Draft Oct. 5

The Cole Center – 1042 Hamlet Ave.
Hamlet, NC

optional for solos only – Please inform by Oct 1 of intent to compete
Convention classes for any Ovation dancer – Saturday morning/afternoon -
\$125
Competition – Saturday evening - \$100/solo

Dance Machine the Convention/Competition– Sat. Feb. 8th, 2020

Draft Dec 5

The Cole Center – 1042 Hamlet Ave.
Hamlet, NC

Convention classes – Saturday morning/afternoon
Competition – Saturday evening
Solos mandatory!
No groups competing

Dance Machine the Convention dancer price - \$130
Competition following convention (solos only – mandatory) - \$90

Sharing Talent, Giving Life Benefit – Sun February 9th

Pay cash by Feb. 1

Paw Creek Presbyterian Church
7400 Mt Holly Rd.
Charlotte

Dance groups performing
She's in Love – Jr jazz
That's Life – Sr jazz small group
If I knew you were coming – Mini ovation
Waving thru a window – Sr lyrical
Are you ready for a miracle – Sr tap

Sharing Talent, Giving Life Benefit price - \$25 per performer (\$40 if in two numbers, \$55 if in 3 numbers) – free tshirt

Boogie Fever Regional competition – Feb 28 – March 1

Draft Jan. 5th

South Pointe High School
801 Neely Rd.
Rock Hill, SC

Dance groups attending
Friend In Me – Jr lyrical
She's In Love – Jr. jazz large
Show Off – Jr jazz small
Dreams come True - Jr tap
Waving thru a Window – Sr large group contemporary
Miracle – Sr tap
Nails, Hair, Hips, Heels – Sr large group jazz
That's Life – Sr small group jazz
Heroes – Sr small group contemporary
Okurrrr – Ovation Pom
If I knew you were coming - Mini jazz

Boogie Fever regionals - \$42/performer per routine, \$107/solo,
\$62/performer for duets/trios

Epic Dance Competition – **March 13-15**

Draft Jan 20th

Kannapolis Performing Arts Center
415 E. First St.
Kannapolis, NC

Dance groups attending
That's Life – Sr small group jazz
Heroes – Sr small group contemporary
Waving thru a Window – Sr large group contemporary
Miracle – Sr tap
Nails, Hair, Hips, Heels – Sr large group jazz
Friend In Me – Jr lyrical
She's In Love – Jr. jazz large
Show Off – Jr jazz small

**These are groups we PLAN on bringing. This list could be shortened but no groups will be added.

Epic regionals - \$45/performer per routine, \$95/solo, \$55/performer for
duets/trios

Dance Machine regionals – March 20-22

Draft Jan. 20th

The Carolina Theatre
Greensboro, NC

Dance groups attending
Friend In Me – Jr lyrical
She's In Love – Jr. jazz large
Show Off – Jr jazz small
Dreams come True - Jr tap
Waving thru a Window – Sr large group contemporary
Miracle – Sr tap
Nails, Hair, Hips, Heels – Sr large group jazz
That's Life – Sr small group jazz
Heroes – Sr small group contemporary
Okurrrr – Ovation Pom
If I knew you were coming - Mini jazz
Lego Heroes - Mini Pom
I'm so Fly - Mini HipHop
Night Falls - Jr Hip Hop
Money - Sr HipHop
Top Gun - Production
Days go by - Ovation clogging

Dance Machine Regionals - \$42/performer per routine, \$107/solo,
\$62/performer for duets/trios

White Lightning Talent Competition – April 4-5

draft Feb. 5th

James Warren Citizen's Center
Lincolnton, NC

Dance groups attending
solos only – please inform on intention of attending

White Lightning – \$100/solo

Dance Machine Nationals - June 24-28

Draft May 5th

South Pointe High School
801 Neely Rd.
Rock Hill, SC

Dance groups attending (dependent on rating at regionals – IF your group is attending regionals please pencil this date in. We will advise groups for Nationals after regionals. Thank you.)

Dance Machine Nationals – \$57/performer per routine, \$130 solo,
\$80/performer for duets/trios