



Dance Competition for the Stars

**CHATTANOOGA, TN**

**CHATTANOOGA CONVENTION CENTER**

**APRIL 17 - 19, 2026**

**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE - REVISED 4/2/26**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 17**

12:45 PM DOORS OPEN  
1:30 PM ALL MINI AND PETITE SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS; RECREATIONAL JUNIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
4:40 PM AWARDS  
5:05 PM ALL TEEN SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
10:40 PM AWARDS

**SATURDAY, APRIL 18**

6:45 AM DOORS OPEN  
7:30 AM RECREATIONAL AND COMPETITIVE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
10:00 AM AWARDS  
10:20 AM ALL SHINING STAR AND RECREATIONAL GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS  
2:25 PM AWARDS  
2:50 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE MINI, PETITE AND JUNIOR GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS  
6:40 PM **ALL TEACHERS ARE INVITED ON STAGE FOR THE CHARITY DRAWING**  
6:50 PM AWARDS  
7:20 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE JUNIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
10:30 PM AWARDS

**SUNDAY, APRIL 19**

7:00 AM DOORS OPEN  
8:00 AM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE TEEN AND SENIOR GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS  
2:35 PM AWARDS  
3:15 PM ELITE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
7:30 PM AWARDS

***This is a tentative schedule and is subject to change. Teachers, please review your registration carefully. Any changes should be emailed to [registration@encoredcs.com](mailto:registration@encoredcs.com) by FRIDAY, APRIL 3. Any changes received after this deadline will be charged a \$10/change administrative fee. Detailed schedules with approximate performance times for all routines will be emailed to the studio by WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8. Students should be prepared to compete up to one hour ahead of their scheduled performance time. We recommend watching livestream to stay up to date on the pace of the event as awards may sometimes start earlier than planned!***

Photos and videos of each routine are provided at no additional cost! Teachers will receive an email with your media password the week of the event. Media will be available at [www.encoredcs.com](http://www.encoredcs.com) within five days of the event.

Thank you for joining us for our 2026 season! We look forward to seeing you soon!