



Dance Competition for the Stars

**FORT MILL, SC**  
**THE RIVER PLACE CONVENTION CENTER**  
**MARCH 20 - 22, 2026**  
**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE - 3/15/26**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 20**

3:00 PM DOORS OPEN  
4:00 PM ALL JUNIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
9:20 PM AWARDS

**SATURDAY, MARCH 21**

6:45 AM DOORS OPEN  
7:30 AM ALL MINI AND PETITE SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
9:05 AM AWARDS  
9:25 AM RECREATIONAL MINI, PETITE AND JUNIOR GROUPS; ALL JUNIOR PRODUCTIONS  
11:55 AM AWARDS  
12:20 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE MINI, PETITE AND JUNIOR GROUPS  
5:10 PM **ALL TEACHERS ARE INVITED ON STAGE FOR THE CHARITY DRAWING**  
5:20 PM AWARDS  
6:00 PM ALL TEEN SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
10:45 PM AWARDS

**SUNDAY, MARCH 22**

7:00 AM DOORS OPEN  
8:00 AM RECREATIONAL AND COMPETITIVE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
9:50 AM AWARDS  
10:10 AM ELITE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS  
1:35 PM AWARDS  
2:05 PM ALL TEEN AND SENIOR GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS  
8:00 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, MARCH 6. 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, MARCH 11. 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!