



Dance Competition for the Stars

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA
VIRGINIA BEACH CONVENTION CENTER
APRIL 24 - 26, 2026
TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

12:15 PM DOORS OPEN
1:00 PM ALL MINI AND PETITE SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS; RECREATIONAL JUNIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS
4:00 PM AWARDS
4:30 PM COMPETITIVE JUNIOR AND TEEN SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS
9:30 PM AWARDS

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

7:00 AM DOORS OPEN
8:00 AM ALL RECREATIONAL GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS
11:55 AM **ALL TEACHERS ARE INVITED ON STAGE FOR THE CHARITY DRAWING**
12:05 PM AWARDS
12:35 PM RECREATIONAL TEEN SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS; SHINING STAR, RECREATIONAL AND COMPETITIVE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS
3:35 PM AWARDS
4:00 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE MINI, PETITE AND JUNIOR GROUPS AND PRODUCTIONS
7:10 PM AWARDS
7:45 PM ELITE JUNIOR AND TEEN SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS
10:15 PM AWARDS

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

6:45 AM DOORS OPEN
7:30 AM ELITE SENIOR SOLOS AND DUET/TRIOS
12:50 PM AWARDS
1:15 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE TEEN AND SENIOR SMALL GROUPS
5:05 PM AWARDS
5:35 PM COMPETITIVE AND ELITE TEEN AND SENIOR LARGE AND SUPER GROUPS; ALL TEEN AND SENIOR PRODUCTIONS
8:50 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 by FRIDAY, APRIL 10. 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 15. 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 within five days of the event.

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