THE 36TH JAPAN INTERNATIONAL DANCING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015

SYLLABUS

We are holding the 35th Japan International Dancing Championships as well as Grand Senior Championships, All-Japan Senior Championships, Junior Competitions, and Juvenile Competitions as follows:

1. TIME & DATE

Saturday, 13 June 2015	9:00 – 21:00
Sunday, 14 June 2015	9:00 – 21:00

2. VENUE

Nippon Budokan Hall

3. ORGANISER

Japan Ballroom Dance Federation (JBDF)

4. SPONSORSHIP

Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (pending)

5. PROGRAMME

- * Professionals will be required to compete in all 5 dances from the Quarter-Final.
- ** Amateurs will be required to compete in all 5 dances from the final Qualifying Heats.

In the Japan International Dancing Championships, 14 couples will be recalled in the Semi-Final and 7 couples in the Final.

The couples selected to dance in the Final will be required to perform one solo dance following the prescribed basic amalgamation.

Judging will be based on "all-round" efficiency in all dances.

1. Japan International Professional 13 June: Latin 5 dances

14 June: Standard 5 dances

Japan International Amateur 13 June: Standard 5 dances

14 June: Latin 5 dances

2. Grand Senior 13 June: Standard W, T

14 June: Latin C, S

3. All-Japan Senior 13 June: Latin R, P

14 June: Standard F, Q

4. Junior 13 June: Standard W, F, Q

14 June: Latin S, R, P

5. Juvenile 13 June: Standard W, T, Q

14 June: Latin C, S, J

6. ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS OF OVERSEAS COUPLES

1. Japan International Dancing Championships (Open to the World)

PROFESSIONAL

There are three categories with regard to the conditions for overseas professional couples:

Invited Couples A*	The Organiser will bear travel expenses and		
(Standard & Latin)	accommodation fees in accordance with rules stipulated		
	for up to three couples.		
	The relevant couples have already been selected and		
	informed by the Organiser.		
Invited Couples B**	The Organiser will bear accommodation fees for three		
(Standard & Latin)	nights.		
Others C**	The Organiser will not bear any expenses.		
(Standard & Latin)			

The above competitiors are exempt from the entry fee.

^{*} Invited Couples A* or professional competitors who have placed semifinal in the international competitions will be seeded and compete from the Second Qualifying Heats.

** The Organiser will inform you of the category (B or C) you are in when you apply for the entry.

AMATEURES

Open to all couples who are Amateurs.

2. Grand Senior Championships (Open to the World)

Open to all couples who are Amateurs.

Gentleman must be 55 years of age or over on the date of the competition.

Lady's age will be no subject.

3. Junior Competitions (Open to the World)

Open to all amateur couples who are over 12 and under 16 years of age.

Either of a couple may be under 12 years of age.

Please bring your passport with you on the day of competition so that the Organiser can certify your age.

4. Juvenile Competitions (Open to the World)

Open to all amateur couples who are under 12 years of age.

Please send a copy of your passport with entry application and bring your passport with you on the day of competition to certify your age. The figure and dress regulations will be applied. The details are posted on our website at: http://www.jbdf.or.jp/unei/junior/style.html. and http://www.jbdf.or.jp/unei/junior/style.html.

7. POLICY RESPONSES TO SAFETY CONCERNS

First Aid personnel shall be in attendance at all competitions. JBDF will not be legally liable in any circumstances.

8. HONOUR DANCE

Professional couples who win the First, Second, and Third places in the Japan International Dancing Championships will be required to perform the HONOUR DANCE in the specified dance.

9. PORTRAIT RIGHTS

The Organiser will reserve all portrait rights of the competitors and reserve all rights to any reproduction of any scene of the events in any form.

10. ADJUDICATORS

The panel of adjudicators for the Japan International Dancing Championships will consist of 9 adjudicators including overseas adjudicators for both Standard and Latin.

The Organiser will bear travel expenses and accommodation fees by rules. Details are written in the contract agreement.

11. ENTRY

- 1. Overseas couples will be exempted from entry fees.
- 2. Overseas couples who wish to enter any of the events listed on Item 5 of the Syllabus or have any enquiries, please contact:

JBDF International Affairs Department
Fax +81 (0)3 3663 4554
E-mail:event-dance@jbdf.or.jp
(Please CC to: dance-nobbie@outlook.jp)

The closing date for entries is Thursday, 7 May 2015
 No late entries will be accepted.

12. PRIZES

1. Japan International Dancing Championships

PROFESSIONAL (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Federation	Medal	1,000,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
	cup				
2 nd couple		Medal	500,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
3 rd couple		Medal	300,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
4 th couple			150,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
5 th couple			100,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
6 th couple			80,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
7 th couple			60,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
Semi Finalists			30,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
Quarter Finalists			10,000 yen	(Tax included)	

AMATEUR (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Federation	Trophy	110,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
	cup				
2 nd couple		Trophy	70,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
3 rd couple		Trophy	40,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
4 th couple		Trophy	30,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
5 th couple		Trophy	20,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
6 th couple		Trophy	20,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
7 th couple		Trophy	20,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate
Semi Finalists			10,000 yen	(Tax included)	Certificate

2. Grand Senior (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Trophy	Certificate
2 nd couple	Trophy	Certificate
3 rd couple	Trophy	Certificate
4 th couple	Trophy	Certificate
5 th couple	Trophy	Certificate
6 th couple	Trophy	Certificate

3. Senior (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Trophy	Certificate
2 nd couple	Trophy	Certificate
3 rd couple	Trophy	Certificate
4 th couple	Trophy	Certificate
5 th couple	Trophy	Certificate
6 th couple	Trophy	Certificate

4. Junior (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Federation cup	Trophy	Certificate
2 nd couple		Trophy	Certificate
3 rd couple		Trophy	Certificate
4 th couple		Trophy	Certificate
5 th couple		Trophy	Certificate
6 th couple		Trophy	Certificate

5. Juvenile (Standard & Latin)

1 st couple	Federation cup	Trophy	Certificate
2 nd couple		Trophy	Certificate
3 rd couple		Trophy	Certificate
4 th couple		Trophy	Certificate
5 th couple		Trophy	Certificate
6 th couple		Trophy	Certificate

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Basic Amalgamation for Standard Final Round

FOXTROT

1.	Feather Step	SQQ(S)
2.	Bounce Fallaway With Weave Ending	S&QQQQQQS
3.	Three Step	QQ(S)
4.	Natural Hover Telemark	SQQSQQ(S)
5.	1~8 of Reverse Wave	SQQSQQSS
6.	Hover Feather	QQ(S)
7.	Fallaway Reverse and Slip pivot	SQQS
8.	1~4 of Reverse Wave	SQQS
9.	Basic Weave	QQQQQ(S)
10.	Hover Telemark to PP	SQQ(S)
11.	1~3 of Feather Ending	SQQ
		(16 bars)

Continue to own amalgamation

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Basic Amalgamation for Standard Final Round

RUMBA

Commence in Open Position

1.	1~3 of Open Basic Movement	2341
2.	1~6 of Natural Top	2341 2341
3.	4~6 of Hockey Stick	2341
4.	Alemana (Right to Right Hand Hold)	2341 2341
5.	Circular Hip Twist	2341 2341 2341
6.	4~6 of Advanced Hip Twist	2341
7.	Alemanas	2341 2341
8.	Advanced Hip Twist (ending 3)	2341 2341
9.	4~6 of Reverse Top	2341
10.	Opening Out From Reverse Top	2341
		(16 bars)

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