



RIVERWALK SHAG CONTEST

2019 Contest Rules



1. Each couple will perform one (1) dance on Saturday. Contestants are responsible for bringing their music labeled with their name, title, artist, and length of time to the registration table one hour prior to start time (12:30 PM). If a second dance is needed, the music will be selected at random by the Judges. Length of songs are limited to three (3) minutes each.
2. Attendance by at least one of the competing partners is mandatory at the contestant's meeting held forty-five (45) minutes prior to start time. Rules, regulations, and questions will be addressed at this time.
3. The order of dance will be Junior I, Social, Junior II, Open Division. A dance-off will be performed in case of a tie.
4. Each couple will consist of one male and one female. All couples are required to report to the staging area, beside the scorekeepers, when their division is announced.
5. Couples will be judged based on the following categories: Execution, Togetherness, Repertoire, Smoothness and Degree of Difficulty.
6. Scores will be on a ten (10) point scale. 1=Needs Work, 10=Excellent. The highest combined total of all dances will determine the final ratings and winners.
7. Any contest rulings will be governed by a majority vote of the Shag Contest Committee and the Judges. Rulings will be final.
8. The deadline for early entry is April 1, 2019. Entries will be accepted the day of competition, if room is still available.
9. Each Division will be limited to 6 couples.
10. All decisions of the judging panel are final.
11. Awards will be cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.

Be prepared for special entertainment! We will have Junior mixed doubles contests with our contestants.

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