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Entering the Competition

All contestants and others attending Greater Springfield's Next Talent do so at their own risk.

GSNXT is a Dance Competition only, with all styles of dance accepted.

Acts are defined as a specific individual. Solo entries ONLY.

Individuals can only enter once throughout the duration of the event.

Entries are to be submitted via the Try Bookings link <https://www.trybooking.com/YPCS>

Entries close at 5:00pm the day before heats are held. No late entries will be considered.

Entry fee is due at the time of entry.

Entry will be confirmed via email shortly after registration.

Entry is valid to Greater Springfield and Surrounds which includes people who live in or attend a studio in the following postcodes: 4300, 4301, 4303, 4304, 4305, 4306, 4307, 4074, 4075, 4076, 4077, 4078, 4118, 4124, 4125

Age Restrictions - Junior (6-11 years) and Senior (12-17 years) Categories. Age as at 1st of January 2018

All Heats, Semi and Grand Finals are held at Orion Springfield Central

Performers will dance on a 5 metre x 4 metre carpeted stage

If you or your child is a successful entrant they must be available on the following dates to be eligible for the Semi and Grand Finals held at Orion Springfield Central

Heat Dates: Thursday 1st, 8th & 15th November 2018 at Orion Springfield Central

Semi and Grand Final Date: Sunday 18th November 2018 at Orion Springfield Central

Registration for Heats, Semi and Grand Finals

Any stage requirements and music must be given to the stage coordinator at the time of registration on the day of the Heats, Semi and or Grand Final.

All music must be supplied on a device that supports AUX connection.

Performance time is limited to a minimum of 2 and maximum of 3 minutes.

The judges' decision is final and no discussion will be entered into.

Contestants will be notified on the same night as the heat if they will proceed to the Semi Finals.

Contestants will be notified on the same day as the Semi Final if they will proceed to the Grand Finals.

Inappropriate behaviour towards judges or other officials will not be tolerated.

Substitute judges may be used.

No person other than competitors and one parent/supporter per entrant will be allowed to wait side stage without the Stage Manager's approval.

Management retains the right to alter or amend the program in any way, or to combine any categories in which insufficient entries have been received. Any decision in this respect will be final.

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Monetary prizes for GSNXT winners will be paid and awarded at the conclusion of the Grand Final on Sunday 18th November 2018.

All contestants will be required to sign a publicity agreement at registration prior to performing / competing.

Terms & Conditions of the Competition

The following Terms & Conditions apply to any person who has submitted an application for the Greater Springfield's Next Talent Dance Competition

'GSNXT' means Greater Springfield's Next Talent

'Greater Springfield's Next Talent' is a dance competition hosted by the Morton Academy together with Orion Springfield Central throughout the month of November 2018.

Morton Academy (ABN 93742197001) Unit 4 / 1326 Boundary Rd. Wacol QLD 4076

Orion Springfield Central 1 Main Street Springfield, Springfield Central QLD 4300

All entrants must accept these terms and conditions upon entry.

1. Participant Details

On behalf of my child I have read, understood and accept the Terms and Conditions of entering the Greater Springfield's Next Talent Competition for 2018.

I give permission for my child to participate in Greater Springfield's Next Talent and understand that participation has inherent risks, including but not limited to risks to my personal health arising from the physical nature of the GSNXT.

On behalf of my child I agree that he or she is not a professional dancer (where majority of my income is earned) and is entering in the category with the intention of fairness.

2. Photography / Social Media Consent

By entering in GSNXT you are consenting that GSNXT, Morton Academy, Orion Springfield Central, it's officers, agents, employees and proprietors to take and publish photographs of your child/ren.

3. Acknowledgement

I am aware of the fitness level required to undertake GSNXT and certify that I am physically capable of participating in GSNXT and accept all risks associated with my participation in it.

I warrant that I am in a good state of health, that I am not receiving any medication or taking any substance which may affect or interfere with my ability to engage in GSNXT and, other than as set out below, that I am free from any injury, medical condition (including but not limited to pregnancy, heart condition or seizures), disability, disease or illness which may be aggravated by participation in GSNXT or which may affect or interfere with my ability to engage in GSNXT.

I will advise the GSNXT event organisers, Morton Academy and Orion Springfield Central of any pre-existing physical conditions that would affect my ability to safely participate in GSNXT, or that would result in my participation creating a risk of danger to myself or to others.

I will advise the Morton Academy and Orion Springfield Central of any pre-existing medical conditions that might reasonably be expected to increase my risk of requiring medical attention during GSNXT.

Waiver of Liability and Indemnification

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Liability Disclaimer: I for myself and / or my minor child release and forever discharge and agree to hold harmless the Morton Academy, Orion Springfield Central and any of its sub-contractors for any liability, claims or demands for personal injuries, sickness, or death, as well as for expenses due to loss or damage to personal property or lost wages. Since dance is a physical activity, injuries may occur. Each child / guardian has the right to decline participation in any activity that they are not comfortable with or which they feel may be harmful. Each Child / Guardian is fully responsible for any injuries or harm occurring before, during or after performing at GSNXT. Children / Guardian's are also responsible for informing the event organisers of any physical limitation that may prevent full participation in class.

The Competitor, or their Parent/Guardian or Teacher confirms that they are authorised to act on behalf of the competitor (the 'competitor') and acknowledge that:

- I. The Competitor is not covered by any insurance policy while competing or warming up for the competition.
- II. The Competitor enters into the dancing competition at their own risk and will satisfy her/himself as to the safety of the competition area and surface to be used by the competitor.
- III. The Competitor or their Parent/Guardian or Teacher warrants that they have read and understood these rules and have agreed to them of their own free will. If they are not satisfied in any way with the rules or the standard of the competition area or any of the facilities, then they are not obliged to compete.
- IV. Where the competitor is under the age of 18 years, they are authorised to act on the competitor's behalf and have satisfied themselves that the competitor understands the nature and the effect of these rules before doing so.

Acknowledgement of Understanding

I have read this participant waiver form, fully understanding its terms to all the matters referred to in the statement, including the warning, release and indemnity. I understand that I have given up substantial rights by agreeing to it. I have agreed to it freely and voluntarily and intend my acceptance of these terms to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability owed by the organisers to me.

I hereby give consent for any photographs/electronic media (eg video) of me to be published for marketing, newsletters, publications or other related fundraising business. To the best of my knowledge, all information contained on this format is correct (if younger 18 please have parent or legal guardian sign).

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CHILD / ENTRANTS NAME (as per online entry):

PARENT / GUARDIAN NAME:

PARENT / GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

DATE: