

3-TIME US CHAMPION

*David Hamilton &
The Dancer's Cup Tour*

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NASHVILLE STARZ DANCE SPECTACULAR

JANUARY 21-24
NASHVILLE, TENN.

2015

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NASHVILLE HOTEL



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dancerscup.com



WEDNESDAY JAN. 21**WELCOME RECEPTION — 7:00 PM**

Early check-in for Superior Package Holders,
Judges, Officials, and Vendors.

THURSDAY JAN. 22**SESSION 1 — DOORS OPEN AT 8:00 AM*****American Rhythm Division – Pro/Am & Am/Am***

Closed Rhythm Freestyles **NEWCOMERS—SILVER**

Closed Rhythm Multi-Dance Championships

Closed Rhythm Freestyles **GOLD + ABOVE**

Closed Rhythm DCT Newcomers Scholarships

Open Rhythm Freestyles **BRONZE—GOLD**

Closed 9-Dance Rhythm Scholarships

Open Rhythm DanceSport Series Championships

Jr./Pre-Teen and Under 21 Rhythm Events

Amateur Novice and Pre Champ Rhythm

DINNER — 5:30 PM–7:00 PM**SESSION 2 — DOORS OPEN AT 7:00 PM*****Amateur & Pro/Am Rhythm Scholarships***

Open 9-Dance Rhythm Scholarships

Open Amateur Rhythm Scholarships

Closed Rhythm Scholarships **BRONZE + SILVER**

Open Rhythm Scholarships

PRO PIZZA KARAOKE PARTY**FRIDAY JAN. 23****SESSION 3 — DOORS OPEN AT 8:00 AM*****American Smooth – Pro/Am & Am/Am***

Closed Smooth Freestyles **NEWCOMERS—SILVER**

Closed Smooth Multi-Dance Championships

Closed Smooth Freestyles **GOLD + ABOVE**

Closed Smooth DCT Newcomers Scholarships

Open Smooth Freestyles **BRONZE—GOLD**

Closed 9-Dance Smooth Scholarships

Open Smooth DanceSport Series Championships

Jr./Pre-Teen and Under 21 Smooth Events

Amateur Novice and Pre-Champ Smooth Events

Closed Smooth Scholarships **BRONZE + SILVER**

DINNER — 5:30 PM–7:00 PM**SESSION 4 — 7:00 PM*****Open Amateur Championships, Pro/Am
Smooth Scholarships & Rising Star Events***

Open 9-Dance Smooth Scholarships

Open Amateur Smooth Scholarships

Open Smooth Scholarships

Open Amateur Latin and Standard Scholarships

Pro/Am Country Western Events

All Rising Star Professional Championships

**COUNTRY WESTERN COOKOUT
& SWING DANCE**

SATURDAY JAN. 24

SESSION 5 — DOORS OPEN AT 8:00 AM

International Standard and Latin Events – Pro/Am & Am/Am

Closed Standard Freestyles **NEWCOMERS—SILVER**

Closed Standard Multi-Dance Championships
BRONZE + SILVER

Closed Standard Freestyles **GOLD + ABOVE**

Closed Standard DCT Newcomers Scholarships

Open Standard Freestyles **BRONZE—GOLD**

Open Standard DanceSport Series Championships

Jr./Pre-Teen and Under 21 Standard Events

Amateur Novice and Pre-Champ Standard Events

Closed 10-Dance Standard Scholarships

Open 10-Dance Standard Scholarships

Closed Standard Scholarships **BRONZE + SILVER**

Pro/Am Solo Events

Closed Latin Freestyles **NEWCOMERS—SILVER**

Closed Latin Multi-Dance Championships

Closed Latin Freestyles **GOLD + ABOVE**

Closed Latin DCT Newcomers Scholarships

Open Latin Freestyles **BRONZE—GOLD**

Open Latin DanceSport Series Championships

Jr./Pre-Teen and Under 21 Latin Events

Amateur Novice and Pre-Champ Latin Events

Closed 10-Dance Latin Scholarships

Open 10-Dance Latin Scholarships

Closed Latin Scholarships **BRONZE + SILVER**

DINNER — 5:30 PM–7:00 PM

SESSION 6 — DOORS OPEN AT 7:00 PM

Scholarship and Pro Events

Open Standard Scholarships

Open Latin Scholarships

All Open Professional Championships

Open Professional Show Dance

DCT Year End Award Ceremony

FAREWELL DINNER PARTY FOR ALL PACKAGE HOLDERS & OFFICIALS

DANCERS CUP TOUR POINTS

for each individual placement

All Pro/Am participants will be awarded with a beautiful participation award. For every first place a \$3 voucher, for every second place a \$2 voucher and for every third place a \$1 voucher to be redeemed at their next visit to the Nashville Starz competition.

They will also receive points towards the Dancers Cup Tour.

	1- & 2-DANCE EVENTS	3-, 4- & 5-DANCE SCHOLARSHIP & CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS
1st	8	20
2nd	7	15
3rd	6	10
4th	5	8
5th	4	6
6th	3	4
7th	2	2
8th	1	2
Uncontested <i>including showcase solos</i>	1	~
Next round	4	5

To qualify for pro-am scholarship events, the student must be entered in an equal number of single dance events matching the number of dances in the scholarship. (e.g. a 5-dance Latin scholarship requires 5 freestyle events)

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

PRO/AM CLOSED EVENTS

1st	\$300
2nd	\$200
3rd	\$100
4th	\$50
5th	\$50
6th	\$50

PRO/AM OPEN EVENTS

1st	\$500
2nd	\$300
3rd	\$200
4th	\$150
5th	\$100
6th	\$75

OPEN AMATEUR SCHOLARSHIPS

1st	\$300
2nd	\$200
3rd	\$100
4th	\$50
5th	\$50
6th	\$50

DANCERS CUP TOUR NEWCOMER

1st	\$150
2nd	\$100
3rd	\$75
4th-6th	\$50

PROFESSIONAL EVENTS

1st	\$1500
2nd	\$1200
3rd	\$1000
4th	\$800
5th	\$650
6th	\$500
Semi-Finalist	\$75

SHOW DANCE EVENT

1st	\$700
2nd	\$600
3rd	\$500
4th	\$400
5th	\$300
6th	\$200

RISING STAR EVENTS

1st	\$700
2nd	\$600
3rd	\$500
4th	\$400
5th	\$300
6th	\$200

PRO/AM CLOSED JR. & PRE-TEEN

1st	\$150
2nd	\$100
3rd	\$75

PRO/AM OPEN JR. & PRE-TEEN

1st	\$250
2nd	\$200
3rd	\$150

*All entry forms and summary report forms can be downloaded from our website.
Go to nashvillestarz.net and click on "Printable Entry Forms" to download.*

DANCERS CUP TOUR 2014

TOP MALE STUDENT

Russ Longley



TOP FEMALE STUDENT

Lauren LaPointe



TOP TEACHER

Louis Bar



NASHVILLE STARZ 2014

TOP STUDENTS



TOP TEACHERS



TOP IN-TOWN STUDIO

Dance World of Nashville



TOP OUT-OF-TOWN STUDIO

Fred Astaire Chicago



OPEN AMERICAN RHYTHM



OPEN AMERICAN SMOOTH



OPEN INTERNATIONAL LATIN



OPEN INTERNATIONAL STANDARD



TOP TEACHER AWARDS

To qualify for Top Teacher Awards you must meet the following requirements. Male and female teachers will be combined.

Two hundred entries must be danced to qualify for first, second or third places. To qualify for fourth, fifth or sixth places, 100 entries must be danced.

All points earned through this event will also be added to your total points for the Dancer's Cup Tour as well as the DanceSport Series.

	AWARD	MINIMUM ENTRIES	BONUS	TOTAL
1st	\$4,000	250	\$1,000	\$5,000
2nd	\$3,000	225	\$800	\$3,800
3rd	\$2,000	200	\$600	\$2,600
4th	\$1,500	150	\$500	\$2,000
5th	\$1,200	100	\$400	\$1,600
6th	\$1,000	100	\$300	\$1,300

REGISTRATION & HOTEL DEADLINES

ENTRIES, TICKETS & PACKAGES

Deadline for All Entries
December 21, 2014

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Deadline for All Hotel Rooms
January 5, 2015

Please go to **NashvilleStarz.net** to print all entry, ticket and package information.
*There is a **\$25 late fee** that will be charged if entries are past due. NO EXCEPTIONS!*

Send all entry and package information to:

The Nashville Starz
630 Rundle Ave.
Nashville, TN 37210

fax
615-471-4682

email
david@nashvillestarz.net

phone
615-828-4583

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dancerscup.com

PACKAGES

The following package information contains wholesale prices. **Package prices do not include hotel rooms, studio or teacher fees.**

All travel arrangements must be made separately. All flights should arrive at the **Nashville BNA Airport**. Arrange for taxi or shuttle transportation to the **Renaissance Nashville Hotel** at 611 Commerce Street. Book your own rooms through the hotel link provided on nashvillestarz.net.

TENNESSEE SUPERIOR PACKAGE **\$585**

- 3 Breakfasts
- 3 Dinners
- 1 Welcome Reception
- 1 Country Western Cookout
- 1 Farewell Dinner & Dance
- Front row seating
- Tickets to all sessions
- 1 Nashville Starz 2014 program

NASHVILLE GRAND PACKAGE **\$425**

- 2 Breakfasts
- 2 Dinners
- 1 Welcome Reception
- 1 Country Western Cookout
- 1 Farewell Dinner & Dance
- Front Row Seating
- 2 Days of Your Choice Session Tickets
- 1 Program

ENTRIES & TICKETS

All prices include gratuity and tax.

PRO/AM & STUDENT/STUDENT ENTRIES

	<i>with package</i>	<i>without package</i>
• Adult Closed & Open Freestyle Entries	\$35	\$35
• Junior Closed & Open Freestyle Entries	\$15	\$15
• All Adult 3-Dance Championship Events	\$65	\$65
• All Adult 4- & 5-Dance Championship Events <i>including Dancesport Series</i>	\$75	\$75
• All Adult 6-Dance Championships	\$75	\$75
• All Adult 10-Dance Closed Scholarships	\$75	\$85
• All Adult 10-Dance Open Scholarships	\$75	\$85
• All Adult 9-Dance Closed Scholarships	\$75	\$85
• All Adult 9-Dance Open Scholarships	\$75	\$85
• All Adult 4- & 5-Dance Scholarship Events	\$75	\$85
• All Adult 3-Dance Scholarship Events	\$65	\$75
• All Junior Championship/Scholarship Events	\$35	\$35
• All Showcase Solos	\$50	\$50

Entry deadline is Dec. 21, 2014. A \$25 late fee will apply to entries postmarked after this date. Late fee is per couple, regardless of number of entries. All professional entries include admission to the session(s) in which the heat is scheduled. When a professional couple is competing in two events on the same night, the entry fee for the second event will be reduced by 50%. Any professional couple who brings a combined total of 50 or more entries will have ONE professional entry fee waived.

PROFESSIONAL ENTRIES

- Open Profession Events \$85
- Rising Star Events \$75
- Show Dance \$75

AMATEUR ENTRIES

- Pre-Novice, Novice & Pre-Champ Events \$35
- Open Scholarship Events* \$85

A LA CARTE

- Nashville Starz 2014 Program \$25
- Hotel Room**
1 night single or double \$199
- Breakfast Pass *per meal* \$21
- Banquet Pass *per meal* \$65
- Country Western Cookout Party *per meal* \$35

TICKETS *single session*

- Daytime Session \$20
- Jr. Daytime Session 13 & under \$10
- Evening Session – Thurs. \$35
- Evening Session – Fri. & Sat. \$40
- Jr. Evening Session 13 & under \$25

* Open amateur and professional entry fee includes admission to the session(s) in which the heat is scheduled.

** All hotel rooms are to be booked by YOU – NOT THE ORGANIZER – via a link to the Renaissance Hotel website on nashvillestarz.net. Click on "Hotel Info" and follow the instructions to make your reservation.

1. Have a lot of FUN.
2. Follow all RULES.
3. Have more fun than you could imagine.
4. **Be in the ballroom 30 minutes before your posted time.**
5. Dance proper figures as they are listed and approved by the NDCA.
Dancing out of category could result in disqualification.
6. Follow all rules of the NDCA for all show dance/multi and professional events.
Check the handbook for details on all posted events.
7. Pro Showdance cannot exceed 4 minutes. Pro/Am solos may not exceed 3 minutes.
8. The Nashville Starz is not responsible for any loss of personal items or for any injury during the event.
9. To receive any refund, all cancellations or deletions of any entries must be received **2 weeks prior to the event**, no exceptions. Any cancellation later than that is subject to a 25% penalty.
No refund on any cancellation during the event.
10. All competitors must be a member of the NDCA.
11. Dress code: Dance costumes are permitted in all levels. Check NDCA rule book for costuming for junior categories.
12. Students may enter in two different age levels and can dance up to three levels of dance.
13. To dance in a scholarship you must be entered in an equal number of freestyles to the scholarship event.
You may NOT dance a closed and open scholarship in the same style of dance.
14. There is **NO private video recording in the ballroom.** NONE!
15. Door prizes are to be claimed during the event.
16. We must present ourselves in a professional manner at all times and show sportsmanlike conduct.
Do not confront any judge about their scores.
17. There is to be NO SMOKING in or around the ballroom.
18. You must have a ticket to enter the ballroom for any session.
19. There is to be no fraternization amongst competitors and judges. Refrain from this until after the competition event is complete.
20. There is to be no alcoholic beverages consumed by judges during judging hours.
21. Gentlemen and ladies single dance events may be combined to prevent any uncontested event.
22. Newcomer scholarships: Please refer to *dancerscup.com* for the qualifications and restrictions of this scholarship entry.
23. Vouchers received during freestyle events are only redeemable the following year at Nashville Starz.
After that all vouchers are expired. *So use them if you're smart!*
24. You are subject to a \$25 fee if entries are *way* past due.
25. **You are to have so much fun that you will come back next year!**
26. Refer to website for additional rules.



OVER

\$70,000

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