



## National Championship 2018.

We are pleased to announce and enclose National Championships 2018 information and entry pack.

I would like to draw your attention to changes in the UK Rules, please read the new rule book thoroughly.

If you would like to compete in Amateur or Select please contact [info@paradance.org.uk](mailto:info@paradance.org.uk) If you require an accessible changing place please let us know as soon as possible.

Entry deadline is September 15<sup>th</sup> 2018.

We are looking forward to seeing you all there and hopefully having another successful event.

Any questions please contact [info@paradance.org.uk](mailto:info@paradance.org.uk).

Kind Regards

Para Dance UK Admin Team





## Para Dance UK National 2018

### Para Dance Sport Championship

October 27<sup>th</sup> 2018

Harrow Arts Centre



#### 1. Organizer:

Name: Para Dance UK  
Address: 524 St Albans Road, Watford, Herts WD24 7RX  
Phone: 0300 111 3045  
E-mail: [info@paradance.org.uk](mailto:info@paradance.org.uk)

#### 2. Venue:

Harrow Arts Centre, 171 Uxbridge Rd, Hatch End, London HA5 4EA

#### 3. Times :

Classification	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> 4PM – 5.45PM & 7.30PM – 9PM Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> – Emergency appointments only.
Doors Open	9.30AM
Technical Meeting	10.30AM
Competition Starts	11.00AM
Close	5:00PM

#### 4. Preliminary Program:

The Provisional timetable and events programme is attached to this information package. The programme will be finalised after the final entries revision.

In line with the new rule book, entries may be in **Juvenile** (up to 13) **Junior** 13 – 20 or **Adult** 20+.

##### Conventional Debutante:

Class UKD1 and UKD2 Duo, Class UKD1 and UKD2 Combi, Class L&F1 and L&F2 Single Men, Class L&F1 and L&F2 Single Women.

**Standard dances:** Waltz, Quick step

**Latin dance:** Samba

**Time:** A minimum of one and a half minutes for Waltz, Quickstep and Samba,

##### Music Speed

Dance	Sport Class 1	Sport Class 2
	Bar/minute	Bar/minute
Waltz	28-30	28-30
Quick Step	48-50	50-52
Samba	48-50	50-52

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**Freestyle:** Music times have been updated please see rule book

This section of the competition is broken into 4 categories:

**Group** – will be broken into three categories Small, Medium and Large and may be a mixture of Class 1 & 2 and standing and wheelchair athletes. (The majority of the group must be wheelchair users)

**Couples Combi** – Class L&F1 and L&F2

**Couples Duo** – Class Duo L&F1 and Duo L&F2

**Single** - Class L&F1 and L&F2 Single Men, Class L&F1 and L&F2 Single Women, and Junior (under 20s) male and female

- a) One athlete or group on the dance floor at a time
- b) Music is the choice of the athlete(s)/group
- c) Music may be a single piece, different types of music or mixed music.
- d) Music must meet specific length requirements:
  - The duration of the free dance presentation for singles limits: 1.30min – 2 min
  - The duration of the free dance presentation for Combi/Duo limits: 2:30 to 3min.
  - The duration of the free dance presentation for groups limits: 3 min – 4min

Please bring good quality C.D. of your music plus a spare copy (the music may be requested in advance of the Competition in a digital format. Para Dance UK holds no responsibility for music which is incorrectly formatted/will not play etc)

#### 5. Competition duration:

1 Day. Classification takes place the day before

#### 6. Classification:

Classification will be conducted on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Detailed classification schedule will follow after the revision of the final entries by the Para Dance UK Office. All athletes due to be classified must arrive on time prior to the start of the classification process. Para Dance UK have updated the rules on classification at debutante level within the UK, the IPC has also changed the terms of classification. Before completing your entry paperwork, please refer to your updated competitors rule book.

\*If you are staying locally the night before competition, please let us know so that it can aid the timetable of classification

#### 7. Final Entry Deadline:

Submission of group interest with estimated entries by August 15<sup>th</sup> 2018,

All entry forms must be received by September 15<sup>th</sup> 2018, and invoices must be cleared by September 30<sup>th</sup> 2018 – No late entries will be accepted.

#### 8. Liability:

Insurance - Each group is responsible for the appropriate insurance for accidents, health, property and liability of their team. All appropriate risk assessments and checks have been made by Para Dance UK.

#### 9. Eligibility:

Para Dance UK has updated its rules. Nationally, same sex couples may dance in the UK up to Select Class, please refer to competitor's rule book. Wheelchair users must meet the minimum criteria '**unless dancing as part of a Duo couple, which is allowed in the UK up to Select level**'. All athletes must be on Para Dance UK's competitive register

#### 10. Results:

Only results from athletes who are registered members of Para Dance UK will be considered for inclusion in the results and ranking list of the events.

### 11. Ranking:

The awarding system has changed, please see the rule book for details. Points will be awarded on a coefficient basis, depending on the number of entrants within the category

### 12. Entries and Registration Process:

All competing athletes must be registered by Para Dance UK prior to the final entries deadline. Athletes' entries not meeting this criterion may be rejected.

Couples and Single Athletes must sign the "Amateur Declaration Statement" in the competition entry form.

**Late entries:** All respective information must be reviewed on the 'case by case' basis and the entry may be accepted/rejected by the Para Dance UK Office.

**Replacements:** Para Dance UK must be informed about every replacement. Replacements of athletes may be accepted due to injury or medical reasons. All respective medical information regarding the athlete who is to be replaced must be sent to Para Dance UK Office by the respective Group leader for further consideration regarding its acceptance/rejection.

All the registration process for the competition is as follows:

**15/09/2018:** Deadline for Final Entry by Name, provision of details per person, and full payment of registration fees.

All Documents must be sent to the following address:

Name: Para Dance UK  
Address: 524 St Albans Road, Watford, Herts WD24 7RX  
Phone: 0300 111 3045  
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### 13. Entry Fee: Per person

Competitors £20	Musical Guides – Free	Spectator/Guest £10	1st Carer – Free Additional Carer -£5
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### 14. Rules and Regulations:

The competition will be conducted under the IPC Para Dance Sport Rules and Regulations and IPC Para Dance Sport Classification Rules and Regulations. It will also be in line with the Para Dance UK Rules and Regulation.

### 15. Entry Forms:

An entry form is included. For more information, please go to the competition page on the instructor support site.

### 18. Child Protection:

The Para Dance UK has a Child and Vulnerable Adult Protection Policy which governs all of our UK competitions. For a copy please contact [info@paradanceuk.org](mailto:info@paradanceuk.org)

### 19. Doping

Doping is forbidden in accordance with the BPA and IPC Anti-Doping Code.

### 20. Code of Conduct

All adjudicators, officials and athletes all agree to abide by the Para Dance UK code of conduct.

### 21. Photography

During the event, photos and videos will be taken on behalf of Para Dance UK. These may be used to publicly promote the sport. If you do not wish to be included in these, please contact Para Dance UK Head Office.





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### Entry Form

If solo entry please only fill in participant 1.			
	Participant 1		Participant 2
<b>Full Name</b>			
<b>Wheelchair User /Type</b>			
<b>Class 1-2</b> (please, indicate)			
<b>Musical Guide Name</b>			
<b>Date of birth</b> dd/mm/year			
CONVENTIONAL EVENTS			
<b>Debutante Combi</b>	Yes		No
<b>Debutante Duo</b>	Yes		No
<b>Debutante Singles</b>	Yes		No
FREESTYLE EVENTS			
<b>Freestyle Single</b>	Yes		No
<b>Freestyle Group</b>	Yes		No
<b>Freestyle Couple Combi</b>	Yes		No
<b>Freestyle Couple Duo</b>	Yes		No
<b>Membership No</b> (2017/18 season):			
<b>Most Recent Classification Date:</b>		<b>Completed Where:</b>	
<b>Team Leader:</b>			
<b>Tel</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	

#### Amateur Declaration Statement:

"I am not a professional dancer, dance teacher or adjudicator".

	Participant 1	Participant 2
<b>Athlete's signature</b>		
<b>Date:</b>		

The Entry Form should be sent by e-mail or fax no later than **15<sup>th</sup> September 2018**.

Para Dance UK Lemarie Centre for Charities, 524 St Albans Road, Watford, Herts, WD247RX TEL: 0300 111 30 45  
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<b>If solo fill out only participant 1</b>			
<b>Junior or Juvenile:</b>			
<b>Couple</b>	<b>Participant 1</b>		<b>Participant 2</b>
<b>Full Name</b>			
<b>Wheelchair User /Type</b>			
<b>Class 1-2</b> (please, indicate)			
<b>Musical Guide Name</b>			
<b>Date of birth</b> dd/mm/year			
<b>CONVENTIONAL EVENTS</b>			
<b>Debutante Combi</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Debutante Duo</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Debutante Singles</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>FREESTYLE EVENTS</b>			
<b>Freestyle Single</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Freestyle Group</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Freestyle Couple Combi</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Freestyle Couple Duo</b>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Membership No</b> 2018 season:			
<b>Most Recent Classification Date:</b>		<b>Completed Where:</b>	
<b>Team Leader:</b>			
<b>Tel</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	

#### Amateur Declaration Statement:

“I am not a professional dancer, dance teacher or adjudicator”.

**Athlete’s signature:**

**Date:**

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Please, indicate who is wheelchair user (W/S)	Participant	W/S	Participant	W/S
Surname / Name :				
Musical Guide:				
Surname / Name :				
Musical Guide:				
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Musical Guide:				
Surname / Name :				
Musical Guide:				
<b>Group:</b> Extra Space on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Page	<b>Small (4 Athletes)</b>	<b>Medium (5-8 Athletes)</b>	<b>Large (9-16 Athletes)</b>	
<b>Group Name:</b>				
<b>Lead Instructor :</b>				
<b>Instructor Membership No:</b>				
<b>Address:</b>				
<b>Tel:</b>		<b>Fax:</b>		
<b>E-mail:</b>				

#### Amateur Declaration Statement:

“None of the above named individuals are professional dancers, dance teachers or adjudicators”. “I confirm that the majority of Athletes in this group are wheelchair user”.

#### Group Leader’s signature:

#### Date:

The Entry Form should be sent by e-mail or fax no later than **15<sup>th</sup> September 2018**.

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Email: [info@paradance.org.uk](mailto:info@paradance.org.uk)

Please, indicate who is wheelchair user (W/S)	Participant	W/S	Participant	W/S
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