



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 17th, 2025

First Check-In, Interviews & Introduction- All Semi-Finalists

Location: Yadkin Valley Event Center/Holiday Inn Express 1700 Winker Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

We recommend business or church dress attire for the Interview. You can show your personal style; however, keep in mind that this is a Role Model for the Season and a first impression.

At First Check-In, you will be given your Semi-Finalist Number. Parents will Fill Out the Waiver for The Block, Pick Up the Pink T-shirt for the Pink Party, turn in and pay for any Photogenic Entries, and leave an emergency contact name & number with our national titles crew. We kindly ask for your patience at Check-In. Please follow the Instructions given when you arrive.

PLEASE NOTE: Do not try to practice or prepare for Introduction: Why? Because it will be scored in large part on the Semi-Finalist's ability to follow the Instructions. You can't practice following Instructions you don't know. These will be given to the semi-finalist at the time of the Introduction. Introductions have a fun twist this year...watch for them on social media!

Junior 9:00 am Check-In	Pick Up 11:45 am
Petite 9:30 am Check-In	Pick Up 11:00 am
Tiny 11:00 am Check-In	Pick-Up 11:45 am
Teen 12:30 pm Check-In	Pick-Up 2:30 pm
Mini 1:00 pm Check-In	Pick-Up 2:30 pm
Senior 2:30 pm Check-In	Pick-Up 5:00 pm

****IMPORTANT FOR SENIOR ONLY** Semi-Finalist: Bring Four Copies of your Resume to the Interview. This needs to be a Resume for the Job of Mr. or Miss Dance USA.

Pick-up times are an Estimated time. An ANDC National Tour Team Member will come out with each age group when they are ready for pick-up.

Optional Photogenic Category

If you wish to enter the National Title Photogenic Competition, the cost is \$50.00 per photo. Photogenic Adjudications will be awarded at the Solo Sessions, and Overall Photogenic will be announced at the Awards Gala. Photogenic is Optional and does not factor into the scoring for the National Title Winners. There are two Categories: Headshot and Dance Pose. You may enter either or both if participating in this optional title category. It is not required.

Thursday Night Social-2025 PINK PARTY

Location: The Block- 105 6th St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Website: https://theblockwilkes.com/

Wear the Pink T-shirt that you were given at Check-In. You can wear Black Shorts, Capri Pants, Skorts, or Pants and Tennis Shoes. All Semi-finalists will report to your group leader and find the BLUE SIGN for your age group. ANDC cover the cost of The Park Pass for The Block. Semi-finalist can purchase a card to play arcade games and can purchase refreshments. In that case you may want to send spending money.

Tiny, Mini, & PetiteArrive at 5:15 pm5:30-7:00 pmPick Up 7:00 pmJunior, Teen, & SeniorArrive at 6:45 pm7:00-9:00 pmPick Up 9:00 pm





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Friday, July 18th, 2025

SOLO COMPETITION-Tiny, Mini, & Petite

Location: The John A. Walker Center - 292 First Citizens Bank Ln - Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Suggested arrival time is 8:15 am when the Doors Open

Tiny, Mini, & Petite Boogie Fever Mr. & Miss Dance USA Solo Competition - **9:00 am** Tiny Semi-Finalists will be called backstage at 8:50 am; then, each age group will be called backstage as a group to perform their solo. After the Farewell Performance of the Outgoing Title Holder, all semi-finalists for that age division will come on stage one final time in solo costume. At this time, photogenic and semifinalist awards will be presented. After this, the semi-finalist may watch other solos, or they are free to go.

<u>Classes-Junior, Teen, & Senior</u>

There is no dress code for title classes this year, however, for girls we recommend a professional look of a solid black leotard and skin tone tights with closed-toe classic jazz shoes. For boys, we recommend a well-fitted tank or t-shirt and black shorts or pants with closed-toe classic jazz shoes. You will wear your Contestant # on your right hip and hair needs to be out of your face. Look professional and arrived focused! Bottled water will be provided to the dancers, so do not bring drinks or snacks to class. Bags will not be allowed in classes.

Location: Studio 68 - 1107 Walnut Circle, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

- Junior Check-in 9:00 am Pick-up 11:15 am
- Teen Check-in 9:15 am Pick-up 11:30 am
- Senior Check-in 12:30 pm Pick-up 2:30 pm

<u>Red Carpet Party-Sponsored by Xtreme Dance Convention & Challenge</u> Location: Talia Bassment Club, 809 Main St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

This is a favorite event of the National Titles Week. Semi-Finalists will be introduced and walk the Red Carpet. **Red Carpet Attire:** Dress to Impress with a fun, festive outfit that expresses your personality & style! Wear your Number!! <u>**This is Semi-Formal**</u>

Following the presentation, there will be dancing, cupcakes, and a fun surprise from our Party

Sponsor, Xtreme Dance Convention & Challenge! Group Leaders will meet the Semi-Finalists in front of the building with Age Group Signs. We will include a Red Carpet Picture of each Semi-Finalist in the Dakikki App.

- Tiny & Mini Party
- Drop-Off 4:00 pm
- Petite & Junior Party Drop-Off 5:30 pm
- Teen & Senior Party Drop-Off 7:45 pm

Pick-up 5:15 pm Pick-up 7:30 pm Pick-Up 10:00 pm





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Saturday, July 19th, 2025

<u>Classes-Tiny, Mini, & Petite</u>

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Location: Studio 68 - 1107 Walnut Circle, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

- Petite Check-in 10:00 am Pick-Up 11:30 am
- Mini Check-in 10:15 am Pick-Up 11:45 am
- Tiny Check-in 10:30 am Pick-Up 11:30 am

SOLO COMPETITION-Junior, Teen, & Senior

Location: The John A. Walker Center - 292 First Citizens Bank Ln - Wilkesboro, NC 28697

The suggested arrival times for juniors are 7:15 am when Doors Open, for Teens is 8:00 am, and for Seniors is 9:00 am. Arriving early and being ready is never a bad idea.

Junior, Teen, & Senior Boogie Fever Mr. & Miss Dance USA Solo Competition - 8:00 am

Junior Semi-Finalists will be called backstage at 7:50 am, then each age group will be called backstage as a group to perform their solo. After the Farewell Performance of the Outgoing Title Holder, all semi-finalists for that age division will come on stage one final time in solo costume. At this time, photogenic and semifinalist awards will be presented. After this, the semi-finalist may watch other solos or they are free to go.

AWARDS GALA-All Semi-Finalists

Location: The John A. Walker Center - 292 First Citizens Bank Ln - Wilkesboro, NC 28697 This is the final awards presentation for the titles week. It is a formal affair...dress to impress. Ladies in formal Appropriate Dress and Gentlemen in Suits with tie or bowtie. If you are questioning the appropriateness of your formal attire, maybe not wear it. Be sure to wear your number! Semi-finalist will report to the check-in station and be directed where to go. You never know when there might be a photo opportunity. Families, guests, studio owners, and teachers are encouraged to dress nicely. All Semi-finalists will stay with our National Tiles Faculty until all awards are complete.

Suggested Arrival is 4:45pm dressed and ready for the Awards Boogie Fever-Mr & Miss Dance USA Awards Gala-5:15 pm





VENUES QUICK REFERENCE LIST

INTERVIEWS

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SOLO COMPETITION & AWARDS GALA

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<u>THURSDAY NIGHT SOCIAL-THE PINK PARTY</u> The Block- 105 6th St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL-THE RED CARPET PARTY

Talia Bassment Club, 809 Main St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

SOME PLACES TO EAT...that are sure to put a smile on your face...

The Lost Wombat (American & Aussie Fusion) 810 Main St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

> **Roselli's on 10th (Amazing Italian)** 211 10th St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

6th & Main (fine dining, steaks, comfort food) 210 6th St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Dom Bakeries (Pizza is Yummy, desserts sooo good) 908 D St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Brushy Mountain Smokehouse & Creamery (BBQ) 201 Wilkesboro Blvd, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659