



Newsletter No. 12

Dear Member

You are a registered member of the DPA so we are sending you the latest of several important DPA announcements regarding the competition scene in the UK so that you are fully informed. If you missed any of the previous Newsletters you can obtain a copy from our website at

www.dpaonline.co.uk

BOURNEMOUTH SUMMER FESTIVAL 2013

This year the Bournemouth Summer Festival takes place from Thursday 25th July to Sunday 28th July 2013. **DO NOT FORGET THAT ENTRIES CLOSE ON 25th JUNE 2013.** You can enter online at www.dpaonline.co.uk or send an entry form to Mark Lunn, 10 Handsworth Avenue, London E4 9PJ. An entry form is attached to this newsletter. We are delighted to announce that the Festival is taking place in the huge Purbeck Hall of the Bournemouth International Centre, Exeter Road, Bournemouth BH2 5BH INCLUDING THE DINNER & DANCE ON THE SATURDAY EVENING (Tickets for the Dinner and Dance are only available from Nigel Horrocks, PO Box 166, Manchester M28 2YX. Tel: 0161 728 4939). The Purbeck Hall has its own entrance at the rear of the BIC building making it very convenient with the public car park just next door.

If you have any questions regarding the above then please email us at dpaenquiry@gmail.com We would like to express our thanks to you all for your support and we can all look forward to a great Festival. Wishing you every success at Bournemouth. See you there. Tickets for the Festival are available from the BIC Box Office or the Pavilion Ballroom Box Office. Tel: 0844 576 3000.

WDC AL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2014

Next Easter (Saturday April 19th and Sunday April 20th 2014) The Dance Promoters' Association in association with Crown Entertainment Centres Ltd are presenting the WDC AL Open European Championships at the fabulous Empress Ballroom, Winter Gardens, Blackpool. On the Saturday the Juvenile Latin Championship, the Junior Ballroom Championship, the Youth (Under 21) Latin Championship, the Amateur Latin Championship, the Senior I Ballroom Championship, the Senior II Ballroom Championship and the Senior III Ballroom Championship will take place. On the Sunday the programme includes the Juvenile Ballroom Championship, the Junior Latin Championship, the Youth (Under 21) Ballroom Championship, the Amateur Ballroom Championship, the Senior I Latin Championship and the Senior II Latin Championship.

The first two couples in the respective National League Charts will receive two free tickets donated by the Dance Promoters Association as an additional prize for the current National League which finishes on 28th February 2014. NOTE: Entry to the competitions should be made as usual. We will arrange the free tickets for the first two couples in every competition.

All entrance Tickets are available from the Box Office, Winter Gardens, Blackpool. BOX OFFICE NOW OPEN. (Note: Front Row seats are also available but can only be obtained from the DPA Chairman, Nigel Horrocks). You can enter on-line on the Dance Promoters' Association's website at www.dpaonline.co.uk.

WDC AL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2014

ON-LINE ENTRIES ARE NOW OPEN - VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT www.dpaonline.co.uk

ALL ENTRIES IN ADVANCE - CLOSING DATE 28th FEBRUARY 2014

Further details about postal entries will be issued nearer the time.

NATIONAL LEAGUE 2013/4

Professional competitors should note that due to lack of support the Professional National League (Ballroom and Latin) has been discontinued for the 2013/4 season. This policy will be reviewed from time to time in the hope that we can re-introduce this at some future date.

Shortly the top 12 couples in the Under 35 and Over 35 2012/1013 charts for Pre- Championships, Intermediates, Novices and Beginners will be contacted by the Dance Promoters Association to offer them free tickets and entry to dance in the GRAND FINALS which are being held on the Thursday evening (July 25th 2013) of the Bournemouth Summer Festival. IF YOU ARE ONE OF THESE TOP TWELVE COUPLES AND ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND PLEASE LET US KNOW NOW (prior to invitations being issued) in order that the opportunity to compete in these prestigious competitions can be offered to the next couples in line. These competitions are only open for the top 12 couples (Top 12 Under 35s and Top 12 Over 35s). Many thanks. Just send an e-mail to dpasecretary@googlemail.com if you know that you are not able to attend.

SEQUENCE NATIONAL LEAGUE 2013/4

From October 1st in the new National League charts the Social Chart will be split into Under 35 Social National League Chart and Over 35 Social National League Chart. If there are several Social competitions (Under 35, Over 35, Open) on the same day only the best result of the day will be included in the respective chart.

LIVE STREAMING AT THE BRITISH OPEN

Live from the Wintergardens: Share the Magic of the 2013 Blackpool Festival of Dance as it Happens- only from DSI TV!

As the eyes of the dance world turn towards Blackpool in May, join DSI TV for live and exclusive coverage of the Amateur Latin and Ballroom and Professional Latin and Ballroom Competitions. After their successful Wednesday night live streaming test from the Junior Blackpool Festival, which provoked such lovely feedback, it's all systems go for May! DSI TV's Live Streaming will feature the top class production you enjoyed at the International from the Royal Albert Hall and the UK from Bournemouth in January. As a dry run they streamed selected competitions from the Blackpool Junior Festival last week and had some truly tremendous feedback with viewers saying it was just like being there and that they'd captured the atmosphere and style of Wednesday evening in the Empress Ballroom!

You're guaranteed all the action for £3.50 per day for Friday 24th May - Monday 27th May and £5 per day for Tuesday 28th May - Friday 31st May, live as it happens from the Winter Gardens. Or why not save money and go for the one week pass and get all eight days of live coverage for just £20!





And not only will you be able to watch both Amateur and Professional Ballroom and Latin competitions as they happen, their Team of professional experts will offer in-depth analysis, interviews, features and more between the rounds so that you can enjoy a continuous and uninterrupted night of the very best Dance entertainment each evening! Watch on your PC, Tablet or Phone, or why not plug in your laptop display to your Television to watch on the big screen! They have a limited number of video streams, so register NOW to reserve your front-row place at the the greatest dance show of the year!

Prices:

May 24 - Professional RS Latin & Senior Ballroom (from 6.30pm) £3.50

May 25 - Under 21 Latin & Team Match (from 7pm) £3.50

May 26 - Amateur RS Ballroom and Latin (from 10am) £3.50

May 27 - Professional RS Ballroom & Senior Latin (from 6pm) £3.50

May 28 - Amateur Latin/Under 21 Ballroom (from 6pm) £5.00

May 29 - Professional Latin/Ballroom Formation (from 6pm) £5.00

May 30 - Amateur Ballroom/Exhibition (from 7pm) £5.00

May 31 - Professional Ballroom/Latin Formation (from 6pm) £5.00

One week Pass - watch all days above £20.00

Start times are approximate and subject to final confirmation

To book go to the DSI website at www.dsi-london.tv/blackpool

If you have any questions please contact a member of the Management Executive Committee of the Dance Promoters' Association who are

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**ALL GENERAL ENQUIRIES SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO
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Dance Promoters' Association



The 24th Annual Bournemouth Summer Festival Incorporating THE UNITED KINGDOM 'CLOSED' CHAMPIONSHIPS



PURBECK HALL, B.I.C., BOURNEMOUTH



Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th JULY 2013

THURSDAY 25th JULY

Doors Open 5.00pm First Rounds 6.00pm

All Times for Doors Open and First Rounds will be confirmed once the entries have closed.

Th01 Bournemouth Masters Juvenile 8 Dance (WTFQCSRJ)

Th02 Bournemouth Masters Junior 10 Dance

Th03 Bournemouth Masters Senior 10 Dance

Th04 United Kingdom Closed Amateur 10 Dance Championship

NEW Th05 United Kingdom Closed Juvenile All Girls Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

NEW Th06 United Kingdom Closed Junior All Girls Latin Championship (CSRJ)

NEW Th07 United Kingdom Closed U/14s Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

Plus United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Invitation Grand Finals

The top 12 couples who have qualified in the relevant DPA/BDF National League tables will be invited to compete in these invitation events, to ascertain the overall United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Winners.

United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Beginners (WQ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Beginners (CJ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Beginners (WQ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Beginners (CJ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Novice (WF); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Novice (RC); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Novice (WF); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Novice (RC); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Intermediate (WFO); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Intermediate (CSJ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Intermediate (WFO); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Intermediate (CSJ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Pre Championship (WTFQ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Under 35's Pre Championship (CSRJ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Pre Championship (WTFQ); United Kingdom DPA/BDF National League Over 35's Pre Championship (CSRJ)

FRIDAY 26th JULY

Doors Open 10.30am First Rounds 11.15am

NEW FD01 United Kingdom Juvenile Closed All Girls Latin Championship (CSRJ)

NEW FD02 United Kingdom Junior Closed All Girls Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

NEW FD03 United Kingdom Closed Under 14s Latin Championship (CSRJ)

NEW FD04 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Beginners (WF)

NEW FD05 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Beginners (WF)

NEW FD06 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35's Novice (WQ)

NEW FD07 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Novice (WQ)

NEW FD08 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Intermediate (WTF)

NEW FD09 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Intermediate (WTF)

NEW FD10 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Pre Championship (WTFQ)

NEW FD11 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Pre Championship (WTFQ)

NEW FD12 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Beginners (CS)

NEW FD13 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Beginners (CS)

NEW FD14 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Novice (SJ)

NEW FD15 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Novice (SJ)

NEW FD16 NL Bournemouth Masters Un/35s Intermediate (RCJ)

NEW FD17 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Intermediate (RCJ)

NEW FD18 NL Bournemouth Masters U/35s Pre Championship (CSRJ)

NEW FD19 NL Bournemouth Masters O/35s Pre Championship (CSRJ)

First Rounds 5.15pm

FE01 NL Bournemouth Masters Juvenile Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

FE02 NL Bournemouth Masters Junior Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

FE03 NL United Kingdom Closed U/21 Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

FE04 NL Bournemouth Masters Senior 1 Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

FE05 NL Bournemouth Masters Juvenile Latin Championship (CSRJ)

FE06 NL Bournemouth Masters Junior Latin Championship (CSRJ Jive Semi & Final)

NEW FE07 NL United Kingdom Closed Senior 2 Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

FE08 NL Bournemouth Masters Senior 1 Latin Championship (CSRJ Jive Semi & Final)

SATURDAY 27th JULY

Doors Open 8.15am First Rounds 9.00am

SA01 NL United Kingdom Closed Amateur Latin Championship (CSRJ)

SA02 NL United Kingdom Closed Professional Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

SA03 NL United Kingdom Closed Professional Latin Championship (CSRJ J Semi & Final)

SA04 NL United Kingdom Closed U/21 Latin Championship (CSRJ Jive Semi & Final)

SA05 NL United Kingdom Closed Senior 1 Latin Championship (CSRJ Jive Semi & Final)

NEW SA06 NL United Kingdom Closed Senior 3 Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

NEW SA07 NL UK Closed U/35s Pre Championship (WFO)

NEW SA08 NL UK Closed O/35s Pre Championship (WFO)

NEW SA09 NL UK Closed U/35's Pre Championship (CSJ)

NEW SA10 NL UK Closed Over 35s Pre Championship (CSJ)

NEW SA11 NL UK Closed Open Intermediate (WQ)

NEW SA12 NL UK Closed Open Intermediate (CJ)

SATURDAY EVENING July 27th 2013

FESTIVAL DINNER & DANCE

Featuring **ROSS MITCHELL, His Band & Singers**
including the **SEMI-FINALS & FINALS OF THE PRO BALLROOM, PRO LATIN, AMATEUR LATIN & THE FINAL OF UNDER 21 LATIN**

DINNER & DANCE TICKETS £49.50 -

TICKETS FROM DPA Chairman, Nigel Horrocks,

P.O. Box 166, Manchester M28 2YX Tel: 0161 728 4939

SUNDAY 28th JULY

Doors Open 8.15am First Rounds 9.00am

SU01 United Kingdom Closed Professional 10 Dance Championship

SU02 NL United Kingdom Closed Juvenile Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

SU03 NL United Kingdom Closed Juvenile Latin Championship (CSRJ)

SU04 NL United Kingdom Closed Junior Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

SU05 NL United Kingdom Closed Junior Latin Championship (CSRJ Jive Semi & Final)

SU06 Bournemouth Masters U/14s (FQ) : : SU07 Bournemouth Masters U/14s (CJ)

SU08 Bournemouth Masters Junior Novice (WQ) : : SU09 Bournemouth Masters Junior Novice (RC)

SU10 Bournemouth Masters U/11s (FQ) : : SU11 Bournemouth Masters U/11s (RS)

SU12 Bournemouth Masters Juvenile Novice (WQ) : : SU13 Bournemouth Masters Juvenile Novice (CJ)

SUNDAY 28th JULY

Doors Open 2.00pm First Rounds 3.00pm

SU14 NL United Kingdom Closed Amateur Ballroom Championship (WTFVQ)

SU15 NL United Kingdom Closed Senior 1 Ballroom Championship (WTFQ VW Semi & Final)

SU16 United Kingdom Closed O/50s Ballroom Championship (WTFQ)

NEW SU17 NL United Kingdom Closed Senior 2 Latin Championship (CSRJ)

NEW SU18 United Kingdom Closed O/50s Latin Championship (CSRJ)

SU19 NL Bournemouth Festival U/35s Pre-Championship (WFO)

SU20 NL Bournemouth Festival O/35s Pre-Championship (WFO)

SU21 NL Bournemouth Festival U/35s Pre-Championship (CRJ)

SU22 NL Bournemouth Festival O/35s Pre-Championship (CRJ)

SU23 NL Bournemouth Festival Open Intermediate (WF)

SU24 NL Bournemouth Festival Open Intermediate (SJ)

SU25 NL Bournemouth Festival Open Novice (FQ) : : SU26 NL Bournemouth Festival Open Novice (SJ)

All Times for Doors Open and First Rounds will be confirmed once the entries have closed.

ALL ENTRIES IN ADVANCE BY JUNE 25th 2013

NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY - NO LATE ENTRIES

You Can Now Enter On-Line at www.dpaonline.co.uk or send to Mark Lunn, 10 Handsworth Avenue, London E4 9PJ

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Dance Promoters' Association

Chairman : Nigel Horrocks Secretary: David Trueman Treasurer: Jackie Conway

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Robert Barley, David Douglass, Gary Foster, John Leach,
Mark Lunn, Margaret Redmond, Derrick Squires

Honorary President: Stan Page

24th BOURNEMOUTH SUMMER FESTIVAL

Organised by the Dance Promoters' Association

A DPA/BDF NATIONAL LEAGUE EVENT



ENTRY FORM

Closing Date for ALL Entries 25th June 2013 - NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY

See 'What's On' for Competition details

Please Tick/Cross Appropriate Box

Thursday

TH01 TH02 TH03 TH04
TH05 TH06 TH07

Friday - F.R. 11.15am

FD01 FD02 FD03 FD04
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FD08 FD09 FD10 FD11
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FD19

Friday - F.R. 5.15pm

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FE05 FE06 FE07 FE08

Thursday
25th July 2013
to
Sunday
28th July 2013

Saturday

SA01 SA02 SA03 SA04
SA05 SA06 SA07 SA08
SA09 SA10 SA11 SA12

Sunday - Session One

SU01 SU02 SU03 SU04
SU05 SU06 SU07
SU08 SU09 SU10 SU11
SU12 SU13

Sunday - Session Two

SU14 SU15 SU16 SU17
SU18 SU19 SU20
SU21 SU22 SU23 SU24
SU25 SU26

*ALL Entries for all competitions and Championships are in Advance -
In Writing Only by 25th June 2013 - No Telephone Entries accepted.
A confirmation will be issued for all Entries. Make sure you enter EARLY.
Late entries will not be accepted. Send entries with a stamped addressed envelope to:
Mark Lunn, 10 Handsworth Avenue, London, E4 9PJ
Or you can enter On-Line at www.dpaonline.co.uk*

Name of Couple:

Address:

..... Tel:

E-mail:





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The 2014 WDC AL Open European Championships

Saturday 19th April 2014

*WDC/AL Juvenile Latin Championship, WDC/AL Junior Ballroom Championship,
WDC/AL Youth Latin Championship, WDC/AL Amateur Latin Championships,
WDC/AL Senior I Ballroom Championships, WDC/AL Senior II Ballroom Championships
WDC/AL Senior III Ballroom Championships*

Sunday 20th April 2014

*WDC/AL Juvenile Ballroom Championship, WDC/AL Junior Latin Championship,
WDC/AL Youth Ballroom Championship, WDC/AL Amateur Ballroom Championships,
WDC/AL Senior I Latin Championships WDC/AL Senior II Latin Championships*

*At the Fabulous Empress Ballroom,
Winter Gardens Blackpool
Easter Saturday 19th April 2014
Easter Sunday 20th April 2014*

*Tickets will be available from Easter Monday 1st April 2013
from the BOX OFFICE, WINTER GARDENS, BLACKPOOL
Further details regarding entries will be available at
www.dpaonline.co.uk in the near future*

