

RULES FOR SINGLES (MIXED AMATEUR) COMPETITIONS

1. **Amateur Singles (Mixed Amateur)** competitions are for Amateur competitors, from Juvenile to Adult, who do not have a regular partner. They are judged as a single dancer and may be partnered by another amateur competitor.
 - (a) **Juvenile and Junior (15 and under)** singles may be partnered by an Amateur competitor who must be no older than **17**.
 - (b) **Adult** singles may be partnered by an Amateur competitor who is no younger than **17** years of age.
 - (c) **Amateur Single** refers to the dancer to be judged.
 - (d) **Partner** refers to the partner **not** being judged.
2. To avoid confusion by the judges, the **Amateur Single** being judged is the person who wears the number. **A female Amateur Single** will wear the number on her back approximately at waist level.
3. If the **Amateur Single** has competed before and has attained a level, for instance silver, they may not dance at a lower level in amateur singles competitions.
Amateur Singles (Mixed Amateur) competitions are restricted to Beginner, Pre-Bronze, Bronze, Silver and Gold levels.
4. An **Amateur Single** and partner may **only** be judged against other **Amateur Singles** of the same level and age group.
5. An **Amateur Single** may dance uncontested **OR** may be judged for a **proficiency level** and given a mark out of 100. For example: 90 to 100 = 1st; 80 to 89 = 2nd; 70 to 79 = 3rd.
6. An **Amateur Single and partner** must not be judged against **regular amateur couples** although they may be on the floor at the same time and judged separately.
7. Divisions offered and dress code would be according to NDCC Amateur rules.
8. If these divisions are held as part of regular amateur events, the participants must hold an NDCC card.
9. This **Amateur Singles (Mixed Amateur)** division must not interfere with the business of Pro-Am and **must not** be run at the same time as Pro-Am events.