



RULES

Pole Artistic Competition Hungary

13-14th of May 2023.

The ClassyGlamour Category of Pole Artistic Competition Hungary – is an international pole dance competition which trademark and symbology is registered by Barbara Pálmaffy, main organiser of the event. This category is more the feminine side of performing arts. Focus on the style of showgirl, dance and burlesque. If you can mix pole with mentioned above you need to apply ClassyGlamour.

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CATEGORIES

The competition is made out of one round and it is divided into 2 main categories.

'PRO'

(PRO category has experience already on stage, medium high level of technical and flexibility skills on pole recommended.

Women individual , Men individual (in one subcategory)

Doubles

SEMI PRO

Semi Pro category has knowledge from pole dance studios already. Strong basic- safety intermediate level recommended.

STAGE

2 poles, diameter 45 mm, height 4 m. Distance between poles 3 m and 2 m to the end of the stage. If facing towards the stage, left pole is static, right one is spinning. Competitors will have the opportunity to test poles and stage area before competition.

Medical Assistance during the Competition:

A doctor will be on standby during the whole competition in case of emergency.

CONDITIONS of PARTECIPATION

Contestant is a person, who meets the following conditions:

1. During the year 2023. will have 18 years; if on the event day the competitor will not yet be 18 he/she need have parent's authorization and copy of a parent's identification card or passport. In Junior category there are two groups of ages: Junior I – 8-13 years, Junior II – 14-17 years.
2. Contestant, regardless of nationality, needs to have a valid ID document (passport, id card, driving licence).
3. For participants in Junior category need a permission from their parents. We will send a form for those who will enter into the finals via e-mail.
4. Health insurance valid through out all competition is needed and has to be shown.
5. Each contestant should know rules and regulations of the competition.
6. Before and during the whole competition contestants are not allowed to: drink alcohol, take or use any substance that change mind consciousness, take/use any forbidden stimulants, such as steroids (any deviation from this rule will cause immediate disqualification of the contestant);
7. Each contestant, after video entry qualification, has to provide organizers with music of own choice in MP3 format , on the day of the competition, the latest. No responsibility is accepted for the USB flash drive. Please take your own flash drive at the end of the event. Thank you.
8. Competition is open to all contestants of all nationalities as well as dance schools, studios, organizations, representatives as any other private representatives.
9. All contestant have to fully fill in and sign the application form (can be downloaded on <https://poleartistic.com> or you can apply for it via e-mail from poleartistichungary2015@gmail.com) and send it to poleartistichungary2015@gmail.com not later than 17 of February 2023. with the link of video entry.

PARTECIPATION FEES

Participation fees for the competition are as follows :

HUF 22,000 for singles

HUF 26,000 for doubles

HUF 10,500 per person for X Category

Payment must be made by bank transfer or via Paypal not later than the 29 of March. 2023. as follows:

For bank transfer: DATA'S SOON

Beneficiary:

Bank:

IBAN:

BIC/SWIFT:

Notes: Denomination fee – *Contestant's name*

or Paypal payments:

For:

Notes: Denomination fee – *Contestant's name*

Participation fee has to be paid only by the candidates selected for final competition.

REGISTRATION

Registration period deadline (sending application form and video entry): 17th of February 2023.

Publication of participants' final list: Until 28 of February, 2023.

Last term to send payment receipt of fees: 29 of March, 2023.

MP3 audio track: 2nd of May, 2023.

Day of the competition: 13-14 of May, 2023.

Registration process

Registration can be done by downloading the registration form from <https://poleartistic.com/> or you can require it from poleartistichungary2015@gmail.com and send it back fulfilled and signed via e-mail to poleartistichungary2015@gmail.com.

Each contestant has to send the link of his/her uploaded "video entry" or the video itself in video file. Duration of the music should be maximum 1:00 minutes. It is possible to upload your video as private so that only the persons having the link can watch it.

Rules and Requirements for Videos

- Video must be well lit, with performer and poles easily visible
- Applicants are required to use two poles; 1 static, 1 spinning, and must demonstrate trick combinations on both.
- Video must not include or show any other person than the applicant.
- Video must be minimum 1 mins long. Video cannot be edited in any way; it must show continuous dance performance of the applicant (eg: may not fade in from one trick and out to another).
- Poleartistic Competition Hungary does not take responsibility for copyright issues and whatever claims against the video are made will be passed on to the applicant.
- When chosen for the competition music must be sent in MP3 format directly to poleartistichungary2015@gmail.com with the payment confirmation receipt before time terms upon indicated.
- Applicants will just have to follow the instructions given upon sending their application.

By filling out and signing the application form, the participants agree with the organizer's Terms and Conditions and to the General rules outlined below.

Until 28 of February 2023 a list of choosen athlets for the final competition will be publicated.

For each categorie the organization will select 5 more partecipants in "waiting list" so to include them if one or more partecipants will delete their presence because injury, health or problems. When needed organization will advice by email the partecipants "re-included".

JUDGING RULES

GENERAL RULES

Jury

The judges gives points for performing, presentation and coreography.

Participants will be judged in two aspects:

1) Technical part

Correct execution of pole tricks, mastery on pole, strength and flexibility.

2) Artistic part

Capacity of expression, scene presence, costume, creativity, fluidity of transitions, floor work, costume-music-costume consistency, choreography.

(Choreography and pole tricks by individual participants minimum presented 5, maximum 10 element on spin and static pole each . Duos can use poles as they choose. 1 fix and 1 spinning, 2 fix or 2 spinning poles.)

Doubles will be judged based on the below criteria:

- a) Originality, mastery and fluidity of pole tricks and transitions.
- b) Right execution of the “tricks” and “combos” .
- c) Level of difficulty of the “tricks” and “combos” of both participants.
- d) “Tricks” and “combos” synchronization.
- e) Clear harmony between movements of both partners.

Elements that will be most appreciated

- a) The “routines” where the dancer will show a nice balance between tricks in dancemoves and flexibility.
- b) The cleanliness of tricks as well as the fluidity of the transitions.
- c) Originality describing a story or a mood in the “routines”.

It is formally prohibited to

- a) To be naked on the stage.
- b) Show intimate parts of the body, breast and bottom
- c) Have an extremely sensual or vulgar attitude during the performance.
- d) Express anti racial or intolerance attitude against competitors, competition, jury or organization during, before or after the performance
- e) Interrupt the performance, except in case of discomfort or default of the equipment.

Each Judge will be provided with SCORING CARDS and has to give it fulfilled back to the headjudge at each “routine” end.

EXECUTION

Originality of the overall presentation maximum points:	5 points
Originality of transitions (in and out of mouves) maximum points:	5 points
Synchrony (doubles only) maximum points:	5 points
Dynamics and intensity maximum points:	5 points

Penalties

Poor execution and incorrect lines

maximum deduction: 0.5 point

Lack of synchrony (doubles only)

maximum deduction: 0.5 point

Incorrect angle of move

maximum deduction: 0.5 point

Slipping or loss of balance on the pole or on floor

maximum deduction: 1 points

Falling

maximum deduction: 3 points

Drying hands on costume, body, pole or floor

maximum deduction: 1 point

Loosing accessories of costume or headpiece

maximum deduction: 1 point

PRESENTATION AND COREOGRAPHY

Interpretation of music, bodylanguage and facial expression

maximum points: 5 points

Stage presence and charisma

maximum points: 5 points

Balanced choreography

maximum points: 5 points

Difficulty of dance sequences

maximum points: 5 points

- Judges can stop the performance at any time if they think the contestant is at health risk or safety problems, or if the contestant is not obeying to the rules;

- Judges aren't obliged to comment on the marks they gave to contestants : judges make the final results;
- Winners will be announced in 30 minutes after the final's end.
- Before and during the competition is not allowed for contestants to stay in contact with members of jury.

PERFORMANCE REGULATIONS

- 1) Duration of the choreography must be no less than 3:30 minutes and no longer than 4:30 minutes .
- 2) Each participant must provide on the day of competition, his own music in CD format. Music can be with or without words. If any contestants choose the same music, contestant who sent it first in the application gets the privilege to use it; the other contestant has to change.
Original mixes or combination of several songs is allowed, as long as the final performance music is supplied as one entity.
- 3) It is formally forbidden to be naked on scene: every costume is individual however topless, underwear such as thong or any erotic lingerie is forbidden; men are allowed to show upper body naked.
Any kind of not suitable nudity will immediately disqualify the contestant.
Hair and accessories shouldn't bother the performance.
Bio tattoos, henna tattoos, bodyart, makeup are allowed as long as these don't dirty other contestant , area and poles.
Not allowed to use liquids, fires.
- 4) Strings and bikinis with transparency in the intimate parts are strictly forbidden.
- 5) High heels, shoes with or without platform are authorized in this competition. Shoes and slippers of dance, or sports, are also permitted. Competitors can also execute their performance barefoot. Only the boots and ankle boots above the ankle are prohibited (except Classy Glamour), because of the advantage they provide in terms of grip. Hand gloves or hand supports are forbidden except Classy Glamour category and allowed just if there is a medical certification for hands sweat.
- 6) Competitors can wear jewel only for their own risk.
- 7) All the participants must be available for photo or video shoot at any moment during the period of the competition and authorize the use of their image.
- 8) The judgment of the jury is irrevocable.
The performance can be repeated:
If any technical problems occurred not caused by the contestant
If any technical problems with the music occurred
If contestant stopped because of technical problems with the poles not caused by him/her.
Jury takes anyway the final decision regarding the repetition of a performance.
- 9) It is forbidden to use any kind of body balms, lotions or creams that can break the equipment (poles) or can make poles slippery for other contestants use.
List of grips accepted during the competition: Dry Grip, Dry Hands, Mighty Grip, Ebonite, Itac, Liquid Chalk, Mamut.
- 10) Organizers have the right to:
To record the competition and have all the rights to distribute the material.
To eliminate videos or photographs that is of not suitable material.

The organizers reserve right to change rules & regulations of Pole Artistic Competition Hungary at any time.

The organizers are obliged to give judges and press special places in the theatre.

Organizers don't take responsibility for the loss of things of the contestants on the day of the competition.

REASONS FOR DISQUALIFICATION

The jury may disqualify any participant for one of the following reasons:

- 1) In case of false given information on the registration application.
- 2) In case of non-sporting behavior or attitude.
- 3) In case of indecent outfit.
- 4) In case of execution of inappropriate gestures or with unadequate erotic connotations (including completely undressing on scene).
- 5) In case of public declarations with prejudice against the Pole Dance, against the Competition or the Federation.
- 6) In case of public declarations with prejudice against the sponsors, the judges, or against other participants.
- 7) In case of appeal to the juries decisions,
- 8) In case of drugs usage.
- 9) Any entrant failing to show up in the event or cancelling his/her participation less than 30 days prior to the event will be excluded from participating in any Pole Art events for the following two years. The only exception is an illness verified by a doctor.

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The organizers of POLE ARTISTIC COMPETITION HUNGARY invite you for the 8th Pole Artistic Competition Hungary, and wish you good luck for the competition.