

DELAWARE SENIOR OLYMPICS

RULES FOR JUDGING LINE DANCING COMPETITION

Line Dancing Competition is a demonstration event held as part of the Delaware Senior Olympics annual games.

There are two Music Divisions: Country Western and Traditional

There are two Presentation Choices:

Technical - Dance presented as written. Up to 3 dances combined

Show - Dance presented with variations

Size Categories:

Individual – 1 dancer

Duet – 2 dancers

Small Team – 3 or 4 dancers

Medium Team – 5, 6, or 7 dancers

Large Team – 8, 9 or 10 dancers

The competition consists of the following events:

Country Western Show Individual	Traditional Show Individual
Country Western Show Duet	Traditional Show Duet
Country Western Show Small Team	Traditional Show Small Team
Country Western Show Medium Team	Traditional Show Medium Team
Country Western Show Large Team	Traditional Show Large Team
Country Western Technical Individual	Traditional Technical Individual
Country Western Technical Duet	Traditional Technical Duet
Country Western Technical Small Team	Traditional Technical Small Team
Country Western Technical Medium Team	Traditional Technical Medium Team
Country Western Technical Large Team	Traditional Technical Large Team

Competition is judged on the following criteria:

- **Musical Selection** – The music needs to be compatible with the choreography
- **Precision** – The dance steps need to be performed with appropriate technique. All of the dancers need to be synchronized and in-time with each other.
- **Style** – The dancers need to use flare and expression when performing.
- **Execution** – The overall manner with which the dance is performed. The complete performance.
- **Creativity & Choreography** – Does the music and/or the dance and the dancers create a unique performance?
- **Enthusiasm And/Or Appeal** – Do the dancers smile and enjoy their dance and performance? Does the audience like the performance?