



**"DANCER OF THE YEAR 2010-2011"  
D.O.T.Y.  
AUDITIONS**

**Official Rules for participation - Summer Nationals 2010**

*Please read carefully as some requirements have been modified.*

"Dancer of the Year" age divisions: **Junior ages 6-11 Teen ages 12-15 Senior ages 16 & up**  
(these ages are different for the Tremaine Convention Scholarship auditions)

Our successful "Dancer of the Year" (DOTY) program has gotten even better! Even if your studio is not able to attend the Tremaine National Finals, you can still audition to become a DOTY. Read through the following information and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact us for more information.

**PRE-REQUISITES**

- ◆ **Must have competed in a number that placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> in a Semi-Final city during the previous Winter Tour.**
- ◆ **Must be registered for the 5 day Orlando National Finals Convention**

**HOW TO AUDITION FOR D.O.T.Y.:**

I. **DANCER MUST ATTEND NATIONALS & COMPETE IN AT LEAST ONE NATIONAL FINALS NUMBER**

Once registered & paid in full dancer is automatically eligible to audition for DOTY (1<sup>st</sup> day of classes, no extra fee required)

**>or<**

II. **DANCER CAN ATTEND NATIONALS AS A INDEPENDENT & NOT BE COMPETING IN NATIONAL FINALS**

Once registered & paid in full dancer is required to perform a Solo to be eligible to audition for DOTY. (Audition 1<sup>st</sup> day of classes)

**Solo required:**

- Dancers in this category are required to perform a Solo the evening of July 6. (*Night prior to convention*)
- \$100 entry fee for this category

**Solo:**

- Any style
- Costume optional
- Time not to exceed 1 minute 45 seconds
- Music on CD - marked with dancers name

**CULMINATION:**

**All Finalists:**

- I. **Dancers competing in National Finals**
  - You will be observed in your National Finals Performance(s)!
- II. **Dancers NOT competing in National Finals:**
  - Required to perform a Solo again the night of July 7<sup>th</sup> (*Same Solo as performed 1<sup>st</sup> night or new one*)
  - Costume optional
- III.
  - All finalists will be interviewed by a faculty panel

Anyone competing July 7<sup>th</sup> in Junior/Teen "Cash Awards": Schedule for Solo will be adjusted accordingly.

**JUDGING CRITERIA:**

- Colored ribbon given to be worn during all classes
- Class attendance, Conduct & Performance
- Rehearsal conduct & performance of D.O.T.Y. routine for gala performance on night of July 10<sup>th</sup>.

**◆◆◆NO OBSERVERS ALLOWED AT SOLO PERFORMANCES NOR AT AUDITIONS ETC.◆◆◆**

Download Independent Solo registration form from website [www.TremaineDance.com](http://www.TremaineDance.com)  
or call our office at 800-832-2050 for more information

