



SHUDDUP N' DANCE 2020 Ipoh Parade Qualifier RULES & REGULATIONS

The following information are strictly applicable to Ipoh Parade's selection round only.

1. Shuddup N' Dance 2020 Ipoh Parade Qualifier ("Event") is organised by Lion Ipoh Parade Sdn. Bhd. ("Organiser").
2. The Event will be held at Ipoh Parade's Main Atrium, Ground Floor ("Venue") on 14 and 15 March 2020.
3. The Event is open to anyone regardless of age and nationality.
4. The programme for the two-day competition is as follows:

14 March 2020

- 2:00pm 1 on 1 Popping Battle (Top 16)
- 3:00pm 1 on 1 BBoy Battle (Top 16)
- 4:00pm Junior Crew Showcase
- 5:00pm 2 on 2 Popping x BBoy Battle (Top 8)

15 March 2020

- 2:00pm 1 on 1 Open Style Battle
- 4:00pm Street Dance Crew Showcase [Official]

5. All aforementioned categories listed are "mall-based" (except for the Street Dance Crew Showcase), and prizes for these categories will be presented immediately at the conclusion of the competition at Ipoh Parade. As for the Street Dance Crew Showcase, the Top 3 crews will represent Ipoh Parade at the International Grand Finals on 22 & 23 August 2020 at Klang Parade.

Rules & Regulations:

1. To enter the competition, please register using the Google forms below:
 - a. Crew Showcase: <https://forms.gle/kEdJKLqaeEBz1cmD6>
 - b. Battles: <https://forms.gle/mNnteiDj88Dnjpe3A>

Note: Participants are allowed to join more than 1 battle.

2. The categories of the Event are as follows:

CATEGORY 1: JUNIOR CREW SHOWCASE [ANY STYLE]

- a. This category is open to all participants aged 15 and below [i.e. born after 1 Jan 2005]-
- b. Participating groups must consist of a minimum of TWO (2) members; there is no maximum limit on the number of members.
- c. Each performance **MUST NOT** exceed FIVE (5) minutes.
- d. Music used **MUST NOT** contain profanities; religious, racial or political sentiments; or any other element that may cause disharmony or evoke feelings of unpleasantness. Failure to comply shall result in automatic disqualification.
- e.** You are allowed to use any dance format including and not limited to **street dance, Latin, traditional, contemporary, etc.**

CATEGORY 2: SOLO BATTLES (*encompasses Popping Battle, Bboy Battle, Open Style Battle*)

- a. For battles, participants will be grouped randomly (based on drawn lots) whereby each participant will perform their routine matching the music spun by the DJ.
- b. Each performance **MUST NOT** exceed ONE (1) minute.

- c. Selected participants will proceed to Round 2, where each participant will be given ONE (1) minute to "battle" and showcase their dance moves against their opponents.
- d. Judges will determine the winners of the battle rounds on the spot. Both 1 on 1 Popping and 1 on 1 BBoy Battles will stop at Top 16. Winners of each battle (Top 8) will be paired randomly for a 2 on 2 Battle till the final round where the champion pair is crowned!

CATEGORY 3: STREET DANCE CREW SHOWCASE

- a. The competition will be based on an Open Dance format where we accept acts like Breaking, Popping, Locking, Krumping, Waacking. You may include other forms of dance including Traditional, Latin, Sync Dancing, Line Dancing, etc. Participants are allowed to incorporate different dance genres into their performance, so participants are encouraged to be creative with their routines.
- b. Participating groups must consist of a minimum of TWO (2) members and a maximum of TWELVE (12) persons.
- c. Each performance MUST NOT exceed FIVE (5) minutes.
- d. Music used MUST NOT contain profanities; religious, racial or political sentiments; or any element that may cause disharmony or evoke feelings of unpleasantness. Failure to comply shall result in automatic disqualification.
- e. The Top 3 crews of this category will proceed to the Shuddup N' Dance Grand Finals happening on 22 & 23 August 2020 at Klang Parade.

- 3. Selection is based on the following criteria: Technicality, Creativity, Originality, Attire and Overall Performance.
- 4. Props are allowed for the GROUP categories. All groups with props must obtain prior approval from the Organiser.
- 5. Attire may include accessories such as hats, caps, gloves, scarves, etc.
- 6. Removing pieces of clothing during the performance is permitted as long as it is not offensive, inappropriate, and/or out-of-character. Appropriate undergarment MUST be worn by all participants, both male and female, at all times.
- 7. Clothing too short and/or too tight will be scrutinised and may be deemed inappropriate, especially overexposure of certain areas of the body considering the family-friendly nature of the competition.
- 8. Body oils or other substances applied to the body and/or clothing that may affect the clean, dry surface of the staging area and the safety of fellow participants are prohibited.
- 9. Judges' decisions are final at all stages of judging and no correspondence will be entertained.
- 10. The prizes shall be as follows:

- a. **BATTLES**

- 2 on 2 Popping x BBoy Battle**

- Champion** RM1,476

- (RM500 cash + RM500 TNT Co vouchers + RM476 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

- 1st Runner-Up** RM976

- (RM250 cash + RM250 TNT Co vouchers + RM476 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

- 1 on 1 Open Style Battle**

- Champion** RM1,238

- (RM500 cash + RM500 TNT Co vouchers + RM238 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

- 1st Runner-Up** RM738

(RM250 cash + RM250 TNT Co vouchers + RM238 Lost World of Tambun tickets)

b. CREW SHOWCASES (Junior Crew Showcase & Street Dance Crew Showcase)

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(RM1000 cash + RM1000 TNT Co vouchers + RM1071 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

1st Runner-Up RM2,071

(RM500 cash + RM500 TNT Co vouchers + RM1071 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

2nd Runner-Up RM1,571

(RM250 cash + RM250 TNT Co vouchers + RM1071 Lost World of Tambun tickets)*

**Note: These cash prizes will be transferred in 15 - 30 days to the finalists' accounts upon confirmation of their attendance at Klang Parade for the International Grand Finals in August 2020.*

11. All prizes (EXCEPT for the Street Dance Crew Showcase categories) will be presented on the day of the competition. In the event of a delay from our sponsors, we will inform all participants on the day of the event.
12. Prizes for the Street Dance Crew Showcase category will only be presented at the Grand Finals in August 2020 at Klang Parade with the other finalists. Those who cannot make the scene due to any unforeseen circumstances will forfeit their prizes.
13. By participating in the Event, all participants agree and acknowledge that:
 - a. Participants are in good state of health to take part in the Event.
 - b. It is the responsibility of participants to report of a group member's injury or illness to the Organiser or Judges prior to the event.
 - c. If at any time prior to or during the Event a participant is ill, injured, or is jeopardising their physical and emotional condition by participating in the Event, he/she may be declared ineligible to compete, or disqualified from competing any further.
 - d. The Organiser reserves the right to withdraw any participant who appears to have a serious disability, injury, or requires medical attention.
 - e. Participants below the age of 18 must have their parents' or legal guardians' consent to take part in the Event.
 - f. All relevant permissions from any institutions have already been obtained (if applicable).
 - g. None of the participants are legally bound by contract to any talent agencies, sponsors or organisations.
 - h. All photos and videos captured by the Organiser and its agencies can be used for any form of promotional content without the participant's prior consent.
 - i. With regard to scoring, protests are prohibited and will not be accepted. All Judges have acquired the necessary skills, experience, and training in their respective fields to be qualified for judging.
 - j. In the highly unlikely event of any accident throughout the Event, the Organiser and all its agencies related will not be held liable.
 - k. By participating in the Event, participants hereby grant permission for the Organiser to share their contact information with its partners and sponsors for any commercial or non-commercial related purposes.
 - l. The Organiser reserves the rights to alter any parts of the Rules and Regulations of the Event, and to replace the prizes with items of similar value without prior notice.

