Rules of the 2018 ACA Choreography Competition

There are two competition streams for entrants to choose from, Easy Intermediate Level or Intermediate Level. A Winner's Prize will be awarded to each category.

ACA Entry Rules:

The Entrant:

- 1. Must be a financial ACA member.
- 2. Will be able to choose from two competition levels: Easy Intermediate or Intermediate.
- 3. Will be eligible to enter if they have not had any of their originally choreographed clogging routines taught at an ACA National Clogging Convention or used as a State Showcase.
- 4. Must not submit a routine that has been workshopped or demonstrated outside their own club or posted online.
- 5. May submit only **one** of their original choreographed routines to be judged.
- 6. Must submit by <u>28 May 2018</u>, an ACA stamped cue sheet for one of two competition streams, either the Easy Intermediate level category or the Intermediate level category in Word Format to Chris Anderson email: <u>choreocomp@cloggingaustralia.com</u>
- 7. Can get information about getting their cue sheet checked and stamped by contacting Chris Anderson at choreocomp@cloggingaustralia.com or by visiting the ACA Website, in 'Other Contacts' you will find email addresses for cue sheet checkers and lots of info in 'Choreographer's Corner'.
- 8. Will be anonymous to online voters, so their name or any identifying material on the cue sheet will be removed prior to publishing on the ACA Website.
- 9. Is <u>not</u> required to send in a video of their routine. Each entry will be demonstrated by one person for each category and the video uploaded to YouTube.

ACA Voting Rules

Voting opens on <u>30 July 2018</u> for a 6 week period and closes midnight on <u>9 September 2018</u>. The routine ranked the highest will be the winner. This year the voting progress will not be visible during voting. **Each Voter:**

- 1. Must be a financial ACA member.
- 2. Must vote online through the ACA Website (<u>cloggingaustralia.com</u>) If a member has lost, forgotten or doesn't have their membership ID or password please contact Jan Collins at systems@cloggingasutralia.com
- 3. Will be entitled to vote for 3 entries in **each** category, 3 points for first, 2 for second and 1 for third. Each category will be on a different page in the website.
- 4. Will have access to a private Notes Page online to keep track of their favourite routines before casting their final vote. Don't forget to 'SAVE' your comments as you go.
- 5. Must vote all three of their preferences in each category in the one sessions. Once logged out members will be unable to cast any more votes so make good use of the online Notes Page.
- 6. Cannot change their vote once submitted.

Winner's Prize

The choreographer of the winning entry in each category will receive **one free weekend Registration for an ACA National Clogging Convention**

Plus

The winning dance from each category will be taught at the 23rd National Clogging Convention, Burnie, Tasmania 21 -23 September, 2018.

Voter's Prize

Members who voted for the winning entry will go into a draw to win \$50 worth of ACA merchandise of their choosing.