

1. Aim

B.O.S.S. Battle of Stage Squads 2026 is a stage built for young dancers in Hong Kong. Through Street Dance, K-pop and Jazz, we want dancers aged 4 to 16 to step into the spotlight, perform with confidence, and learn from watching one another. Every dancer who takes the stage owns it. We cordially invite all dance schools and instructors to participate.

2. Competition Date and Venue

- Date: Sunday, 20 December 2026
- Time: 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm
- Venue: Dance Studio, Youth Square, Chai Wan
- The running order will be arranged after entry details and music are locked, and published on 20 November 2026. Once released, no changes to performance time will be accepted.

3. Dance Categories

- Street Dance
- K-pop
- Jazz
- These three categories are fixed. No sub-styles are separately judged.

4. Age Groups and Divisions

Age Group	Age
Pre-school	4 to 6 years old
Children	7 to 9 years old
Junior	10 to 12 years old
Youth	13 to 16 years old

- Age is counted as at 20 December 2026.
- For Duo, Trio and Group entries, the age group is determined by the eldest participant.
- Proof of age may be requested. Entries found to have given false information may be disqualified.

Divisions

- Entries are judged in two formats: Solo & Small (1 to 3 dancers) and Team (4 or more dancers). The four fee tiers are unchanged; the two formats apply to judging only.
- A division is one dance category, one age group and one format. There are 24 divisions in total.
- Any division receiving fewer than 3 entries will be merged into the next age group up. Where no merge is possible, the division may be withdrawn and entry fees refunded.

5. Enrolment

- **Early bird period: 21 September 2026 (Mon) to 11 October 2026 (Sun)**
- **Standard period: 12 October 2026 (Mon) to 1 November 2026 (Sun), 11:59 pm**
- Enrol online at boss-dance.com. Complete the online entry form in full. Incomplete entries will not be processed.
- Late entries will not be accepted.
- The competition runs as a single four-hour session and is capped at 55 stage entries. Places are allocated first-come-first-served. A Team entry counts as one entry regardless of the number of dancers in it.
- Entries received after the cap is reached will be refunded in full.

6. Enrolment Fees

Format	Fee	Basis
Solo	HK\$380	Per entry
Duo / Trio	HK\$300	Per participant
Group (4-8 participants)	HK\$250	Per participant
Group (9 or more participants)	HK\$200	Per participant

- Early bird discount: HK\$50 off per participant for entries submitted between 21 September and 11 October 2026.
- Entries achieving a scoring award receive a free medal and a free certificate.
- Additional medals, plaques, certificates, photographs and video recordings may be ordered separately. Medal and plaque prices are set out in Section 17. Other prizes are issued to entrants after the competition.

7. Payment Method

- Payment is made by FPS or bank transfer at the time of enrolment. An entry is not confirmed until payment is received.

Payee name	Flow and Glow Company
FPS ID	109494955
Bank transfer	HSBC, account no. 841-813819-838

- The entry form requires the FPS or bank reference number, the payer's name, and the exact amount transferred. Entries submitted without these details will not be processed.
- Entrants are responsible for transferring the correct amount. Where more than one entry is submitted, fees may be transferred together.
- Where an overpayment is refunded, an administrative fee of HK\$70 will be deducted.

8. Revisions Withdrawals and Refunds

- Simple revisions to entry details (participant names, spelling, routine title) may be submitted on or before 16 November 2026. All entry details are locked from this date.
- Dance category and age group cannot be changed after enrolment closes.
- Requests to change the number of participants must be submitted by the same date and must stay within the limits of the original format (for example, a 4 to 8 participant Group entry cannot be increased beyond 8).
- Once enrolled, entry fees are not refunded if an entrant withdraws or is disqualified.
- The organiser reserves the right to accept or reject any entry.
- Enrolment Form: <https://forms.gle/dNwgdS68op7YWfXb8>

9. Judging and Scoring Criteria

- Experienced judges are invited to adjudicate. All decisions of the judges are final.
- Scoring is based on style of dance, dance structure, theme, creativity, movement, technique, expression, musicality, collaboration and overall performance.
- There is no appeal mechanism.

Score Bands

Award	Score	Note
Gold Award	92 marks or above	
Silver Award	88 to 91 marks	
Bronze Award	84 to 87 marks	
Honorable Mention	80 to 83 marks	
Merit Award	76 to 79 marks	

- Score bands are absolute. Entries are scored against a fixed standard, not against each other, so any number of entries may receive the same band.
- Entries scoring below 76 points will not receive a rating award or related medal and certificate, but each participant will receive a certificate of participation.

10. Awards

Award	Type	Scope
First, Second and Third Place	Placing	Highest scoring entries within each division
Score Band Awards	Adjudication band	Awarded against a fixed standard. More than one entry may receive the same band
Outstanding Individual Performance Award	Special award	One recipient across the whole competition
Creative Choreography Award	Special award	Selected by the judges from original work
Stage Charisma Award	Special award	Judged on overall impression of the live performance
B.O.S.S Team Award	Special award	See below

What Each Award Receives

- The table below sets out what placing and score band awards receive.

Award	Trophy	Plaque	Medal	Certificate
1st Place	1 per winning entry	Available to order (Each winner may order one printed with their own name)	Free for entries achieving a scoring award (Additional medals available to order)	1 per participant (printed with the participant's name)
2nd Place				
3rd Place				
Gold Award	Not applicable	1 per winning entry (Each winner may order one printed with their own name)		
Silver Award				
Bronze Award				
Honorable Mention		Available to order (Each winner may order one printed with their own name)		
Merit Award				

- Plaques printed with an individual winner's name are ordered after the competition. Prices are set out in Section 17.

B.O.S.S Team Award Calculation

- Calculated from the top 3 placing entries representing each school or group. Points are awarded as follows:
 - 1st place: 3 points | 2nd place: 2 points | 3rd place: 1 point**
 - Stage Charisma Award: 1 additional point | Creative Choreography Award: 1 additional point**
- The school or group achieving the highest total number of points receives the B.O.S.S Team Award.**

- Judges reserve the right to adjust awards based on the actual circumstances of the competition.

11. Results and Award Ceremonies

- Awards are presented in four ceremony blocks, one immediately after each age group has finished performing.
- First, second and third place are announced on stage. The full team is invited up.
- Score band awards, medals and certificates are collected at reception against the entry number once that age group's ceremony has finished. They are not presented on stage.
- The Outstanding Individual Performance Award, Creative Choreography Award, Stage Charisma Award and B.O.S.S Team Award are presented at the closing of the competition.
- One group photograph is taken per ceremony block.
- Results are published online on the evening of 20 December 2026.

12. Venue and Stage

- There are no stage rehearsals and no curtain calls.
- Entries set on stage in blackout and music starts on cue. There is no walk-on and no bow between entries. Entries clear the stage immediately at the end of the routine.
- Entrants must be in the backstage holding area two entries before their slot. Entries not present when called may be disqualified.
- There is no cyclorama, projection or custom stage lighting for this competition.
- Stage dimensions: 7M x 4.5M

13. Music

Age Group	Maximum duration	Applies to
Ages 4-12	3 minutes	All formats
Ages 13-16	3 minutes 30 seconds	All formats

- Music must be submitted through the Music & Stage Submission form on or before 16 November 2026. The link is issued to entrants after enrolment closes.

- Submit as a separate MP3 file, named with the entry number and routine name.
- Entries exceeding the maximum duration will have 1 mark deducted from the final score.
- Music submitted or changed after the deadline will have 2 marks deducted.
- Entrants must ensure music contains no offensive language or inappropriate content, and are responsible for any copyright arising from the music used.
- Music submission form: <https://forms.gle/2MryEmGN1fErgHKw8>.

14. Costumes Sets and Props

- Costumes must be age appropriate.
- All sets and props must be declared through the Music & Stage Submission form by 16 November 2026, with a photograph. Use of props is subject to approval. Undeclared props may be refused on the day.
- Entrants are responsible for the safety of any sets or props used. Flammable objects, glass or fragile items, soap bubbles and floating balloons are not permitted.
- Any damage caused to the venue or its flooring is the responsibility of the entrant.
- The organiser and the venue reserve final decision on the use of sets and props.

15. Recording and Photography

- An official photographer and an official videographer will cover the competition.
- Out of respect for choreographers' work, unauthorised recording or photography during performances is not permitted. Anyone doing so may be asked to leave and to delete the material.
- Photographs and video recordings are available to order. Details are set out in the price list issued after the competition.

16. Audience Admission

- Each participant is allocated one audience ticket.
- Additional tickets are HK\$100 each, subject to approval and capacity. Request by WhatsApp.
- Audience members aged 3 and above are welcome. Each audience member must hold a ticket to be seated.

17. Receiving Awards and Additional Orders

Item	Method	Date
Placing trophies	Presented on stage at the ceremony	20 December 2026
Score band awards, medals, certificates	Collect at reception on the day	20 December 2026
Additional medals, plaques, certificates and photos	Order online	Order by 10 January 2027
Photo and video download	Link issued to registered entrants	From 17 January 2027
Additional orders	Delivery only, delivery charges apply	Delivered by 31 January 2027

Additional Order Prices

Item	Price
Medal	HK\$100 each
Plaque	HK\$180 each
Medal + Plaque	HK\$250 per set

- Additional medals and plaques are ordered after the competition, by 10 January 2027.
- Prices for additional certificates, photographs and video recordings are issued to entrants after the competition.
- There is no in-person collection after the day of the competition. Additional orders are delivered.

18. Social Media

- Announcements, the running order and results are posted on Instagram: @BOSS_DANCE_HK
- Entrants and instructors should follow the account to avoid missing information.

19. Important Dates

Date	Item
21/9/2026	Enrolment opens (early bird rate)
11/10/2026	Early bird rate ends
12/10/2026	Standard rate begins
1/11/2026	Deadline of enrolment
16/11/2026	Deadline of revision
16/11/2026	Deadline of music and prop submission
20/11/2026	Publish running order
20/12/2026	Competition, 3:00-7:00 pm
20/12/2026	Results published
10/1/2027	Deadline to order medals, plaques, certificates and photos
17/1/2027	Photo and video download opens
31/1/2027	Additional orders delivered by

20. Terms Disclaimer and Other Matters

- The organiser is not liable for any loss, personal injury or death sustained by participants during the competition. Participants may arrange their own insurance at their discretion.
- Where a participant causes damage to the venue or its facilities, the organiser reserves the right to seek compensation.

- Photographs, video and related material from the event may be published by the organiser for promotional purposes.
- In the event of adverse weather or other force majeure preventing the competition from taking place, the competition will be held by video submission, judged against the same criteria. Entry fees will not be refunded.
- In such circumstances, the organiser will issue a further notice setting out the video submission requirements, deadlines and revised competition arrangements.
- The organiser reserves the right to amend these rules without prior notice, and holds final decision on any amendment.
- Where there is any conflict between the Chinese and English versions of these rules, the English version shall prevail.
- Flow & Glow Company reserves the right to make any changes or edit the terms and conditions without prior notice, and reserves the right to make the final decision on any edit.
- B.O.S.S. Battle of Stage Squads 2026 is organised by Flow & Glow Company. The organiser's English company name is used in both language versions of these rules.
- These Rules & Regulations constitute the terms and conditions of entry. By enrolling, entrants accept them in full.

21. Enquiries

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WhatsApp is the only contact channel. Enquiries by any other route may not be answered.