

THE CIRCUS

Info zur Show:

This pole championship in the north of Germany, is all about interpretation and an exciting performance. The theme of this year's show is **THE CIRCUS**.

The special thing about this competition is that the audience and the jury are equal: the participants are judged by the jury and get points, the audience can also give points to each act with the help of their own cell phone and thus participate in the decision of the winner.

The jury's evaluation and that of the audience each contribute 50% to the decision.

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Rules

Performance:

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You can participate alone, as a double or also as a group.

Your performance must last at least **3 minutes** maximum **4 minutes**

Set-up/preparation and dismantling of your stage set must not exceed **1 minute**

There will be **2 poles** with 3.3 meters height

We ask that you refrain from the following during your performance:

- * Your top and/or shorts must not be removed
- * Pastys are not a substitute for a top and are not allowed
- * G-strings are also not allowed
- * Glitter powder may not be used as confetti, paper confetti is possible by arrangement

As soon as you have been selected as an artist, you will receive a form from us on which you describe your performance (incl. all props etc.).

A change of the appearance after submission of the form is possible only after consultation with us



Application:

- + The application is open to all persons (at least 18 years)
- + Applications must be submitted via Eversports and by email to info@nordicpoleplays.de by **05/06/2023, 11:59pm**.
- + The **application fee of 30 Euro** is due directly upon receipt of the application (only applications with payment can be considered). The payment has to be made via Eversports or Paypal with your name to: info@nordicpoleplays.de (a refund of the fee is not possible).
- + If you are selected as a finalist in the show, you will have to pay an additional 20 euros.
- + if you are a double or a group, the amount is due per person

Your application should include the following info:

- + Your **full name** (first and last name) / if your artist name differs, please also inform us of this fact
- + Your **date of birth**
- + The **category** you are applying for (amateur/professional) / we keep open to upgrade/downgrade applicants

You are an **amateur**, ...

...if you have not yet been placed in any international/national championships or only in the beginner category, and you do not give regular shows at public events

You are **advanced**, ...

... if you are already an advanced level pole dancer and/or have been placed in international/national championships and/or regularly give shows at public events and/or are a pole instructor for at least intermediate level classes

- + The link to your **application video** (Youtube, Vimeo) - your video should not be longer than 3 minutes, videos are only viewed up to max. minute 3 / it should show min. 1 minute of pole work (tricks, floor flow, etc.) matching your planned performance
- + The video does not have to show your future performance, however it is beneficial to show your chosen style on the video (Contemporary, Power Pole, Heels/Sensual Pole, etc.).
- + You must be clearly identifiable on your application video, group videos in which you dance are not allowed. A double video can be ok if you are clearly identifiable all the time (we reserve the right to ask for another video if needed).
- + Choice of your **dance style** for your performance (e.g. Art, Contemporary, Heels/Sensual, Artistry, Hip Hop, etc.)
- + An outline of the **interpretation**/theme/story of your performance.
- + **Only one registration per category and show is possible. It is also not possible to perform in 2 categories in parallel.**