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## **CBTF Competition Awards Policy**

CBTF expects all Competition Directors to maintain a sporting image as they select and design awards for their competitions.

This CBTF Policy regarding Competition Awards was updated at the 2013 CBTF Fall Conference.

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### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### Presentation Ribbons for Pre-Events

Flat ribbons (recommended size: 2" wide x 6" long)

#### Ribbons for Medals -Types & Colours

Open Competitions and Provincial events - it is the decision of competition officials as to which colour(s) and type (long neck; short military) of ribbons are used for each placement.

The colours\* that pertain to each awarded placing are as follows: 1st place – Gold; 2nd place – Silver; 3rd place – Bronze; 4th place – Bronze; 5th place – Bronze \*If the supplier can provide Bright and Antique finishes, 4th and 5th place medals may be a different finish than 1st, 2nd & 3rd place medals.

#### Medal Information

Canadian Winner/Championship medals shall have a sticky label affixed to the back of the medal indicating the age division, level & event (example: Age 7 BN Solo; Jr A Medley). Provinces may choose to follow this practice.

### **OPEN COMPETITIONS**

#### Pre-Events

- Ordering is the responsibility of each provincial association
- Each member of a Pre-Group receives a ribbon
- May include the name of the pre-event (ie: Basic March, Pre-Medley, etc)
- Optional: provincial logo, CBTF logo, name of competition

#### Graded Events – Level C & BN Primary & Juvenile Individual/Duet Events

- A new design for these medals will be ordered by the CBTF every 1-2 years for use in all provinces.
- Provinces will, however, have the option of using up old inventory when a new design is introduced.
- Medals shall be attached to a long ribbon - color of ribbon to be province's choice

#### Competitive Events – Individual, Duet, Group

- It is the decision of the competition officials and/or province as to the type of award presented at their competitions providing that a sporting image is maintained.
- Individual & Duet & Group: It is the decision of the competition officials and/or province as to how many placements receive awards in all open individual/duet/group divisions (example: 1st – 3rd; 1st – 4th; 1st to 5th, or number of placements dependent upon the number of entries in a division).
- Declared & paid (ie: those listed on the entry form) group Alternates shall also receive an award.
- No placements/awards shall be presented to athletes who enter Critique Events.
- Special Note regarding Maple Leaf Open Competition held at Canadians: Each individual/duet event, level & division – 1st to 3rd place if there are fewer than 10 competitors; 1st to 5th place if there are 10 or more.

### PROVINCIAL WINNER/CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

- It is the decision of the competition officials and/or province as to the type of award presented at their Provincial Events providing that a sporting image is maintained.
- Winner/Championship Individual/Duet events - 1st to 5th place
- Winner/Championship Group events - 1st to 3rd place
- Declared & paid (ie: those listed on the entry form) group Alternates shall also receive an award.

### PROVINCIAL TEAM TRIAL EVENTS

- It is the decision of the competition officials and/or province as to the type of award presented at their Provincial Team Trials providing that a sporting image is maintained.
- Level A Freestyle - 1st to 6th place
- Level A Pair and Team - 1st to 3rd place
- Declared (ie: those listed on the provincial entry form) Team Alternates shall also receive an award

### INTERNATIONAL CUP QUALIFIER

- Specially designed custom medals shall be presented at this competition
- The CBTF Technical Chairperson shall work with the host province regarding the quantity, size, and design of the medals required for all events at this competition.
- The Awards Coordinator of the Host Committee shall liaise with the awards company and supervise the designing, ordering, setting up & distributing of all awards.
- Placements that shall receive awards are:
  - All individual/artistic pair levels, events & divisions – 1st to 6th place
  - All Team & Group levels – 1st to 3rd place
  - Declared Team & Group Alternates shall also receive an award

### CANADIAN WINNER/CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

- Specially designed custom medals shall be presented at this competition.
- The same design and size shall be used for all Canadian Winner/Championship events regardless of level, event or age division. “Canadian Baton Twirling Championships” and the year must be inscribed on each medal. (*Optional: location, CBTF logo, Canadians logo*).
- The CBTF Technical Chairperson shall work with the host province regarding the quantity, size, and design of the medals required for all events at this competition.
- The Awards Coordinator of the Host Committee shall liaise with the awards company and supervise the designing, ordering, setting up & distributing of all awards.
- Placements that shall receive awards are:
  - Level B, BN, BI & A Individual/Duet/Pair Events – 1st – 5th place medals
  - Level B & A Group Events – 1st – 3rd place medals
  - Declared & paid (ie: those listed on the entry form) group Alternates shall also receive an award.

### GRAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

- The 1st place winner of each Grand National Event shall receive a Grand National Plaque which shall be presented annually at the Canadian Winner/Championships.
- Each plaque shall be engraved with each year's winner's name & the year and returned annually for presentation to the next winner.

### CANADIAN TEAM TRIAL EVENTS

- Each year specially designed custom medals shall be presented.
- The same design shall be used for all events regardless of event or age division.
- The CBTF Technical Chairperson shall work with the host province regarding the design, quantity, inscription and size of the medals required for all events at this competition.
- The Awards Coordinator of the Host Committee shall liaise with the awards company and supervise the designing, ordering, setting up & distributing of all awards.
- A small floral bouquet (or similar token) will be presented to members of the Canadian Contingent to the World Championships (approx 25 items)
- Placements that shall receive awards are:
  - Individual Events: 1st to 6th place medals
  - Pair and Team Events: 1st to 3rd place – each member, including Alternates (ie: those listed on the Canadian Team Trial entry form), shall receive a medal

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