

# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Sexy's Back! operates under strict rules and encourages entertainment and showmanship. This competition takes the dancers' individual unique style, interpretation and entertainment value into account for each performance.

### Entry:

\$25 Entry fee with Paypal and form must be submitted online through the Sexy's Back web page including a submission video via vimeo or Youtube link set to public or unlisted (not private). Finalists will be announced via email and the Sexy's Back official Facebook page. Entries will not be accepted after midnight 15th May 2023.

Your submission video is to be a max 2.5 min and showcase your skill level, dance ability and floorwork. Your video can be the show you will perform on the night but does not have to be. Video can be longer but judges will not view past 2.5 min

The judging panel will be looking for unique and exciting show ideas that showcase what sexy means to you. A high emphasis will be on the 'show' aspect, as well as pole tricks and execution for the level of the applicant.

This competition is open to Social Amateur 1, Social Amateur 2, Social Amateur 3 and Semi Pro categories. View 'Competition' levels table on website and see which section you should be in.

Some short feedback on your entry will be emailed to you after the finalists have been announced.

### Eligibility:

All competitors must be over 18 years on the night of the competition. Open to both male and female competitors.

#### Entry Fee:

\$25 per competitor via paypal link on The Sexy's Back website page. www.thepeachpolestudio.com.au/sexysback - non refundable or transferable for any reason.

## The final performance:

Must abide by terms set out in these rules:

Final maximum performance times are as follows. Music will be cut after these times with no exceptions. No minimum performance time.

Social amateur 1: 2:30

Social amateur 2: 3:00

Social amateur 3: 3:30

Semi Pro: 3:45

## Props, costume, music:

Props are permitted to be used but must be listed on entry form and approved by the judging panel. Props must not exceed 2m x 2m or exceed 20kg.

A small amount of clean up is ok but it must be able to be completed by pole monkeys in under 2 minutes. Competitors need to bring their own clean up materials. No extreme or difficult mess.

Human props are permitted but must not exceed 45 seconds of involvement or be visible on the stage area with the competitor and must hold a ticket.

High heels, bare feet, boots are permitted.

It is strictly forbidden to perform nude or partially nude, this will lead to disqualification. It is permitted to remove articles of clothing. No bra removal to pasties, and no astrings.

The competitor cannot promote an individual pole school or other business during performances.

Music for shows must NOT use EXCESSIVE inappropriate language, or support unethical subjects including racism, sexual harassment, support to terrorism, drug propagation etc.

Any changes must be approved by the organisers.

Finalists must submit their music and show details on google sheet by the dates set by the organiser.

## Final performance night:

Competitors must arrive at the venue at the specified time for rehearsals and meeting, and be backstage at least 1 hour prior to doors open. All competitors must be present for the competitor briefing.

Sexy's Back! Pole dance competition reserves the right to expel a competitor from performing before or during the competition.

Competitors are not allowed to drink alcohol or take drugs before or during their show.

All competitors must sign a waiver before the competition.

Competitors will NOT be given their scores or feedback after the show but are welcome to discuss with the judges on the night after the competition has been completed.

### Film & Photography:

All photography and other footage remain the property of Sexy's Back! The competitors do not have the right to compensation for photography and other footage made before, during and after Sexy's Back.

## Grip Aids / Pole Cleaning

Methylated Spirits will be used by the pole cleaners to wipe the pole between performances. Competitors are to confirm pole wipe preferences before the performance in the finalist google sheet.

A choice of a small amount of griptinite can be chosen to be placed on the pole by pole monkeys prior to performance. No other grip will be used for this.

Other brands of grip aid are approved for use on the hands and body of the competitors (not on the pole before performance)

EXCEPT: ITAC, LIQUID CHALK and any other personal grip aid which are a wax or liquid chalk based or similar or that leave a residue that is unable to be removed by the pole monkeys in time for the next competitor. These are prohibited. Sorry no exceptions.

# Poles used for competition:

Poles are 40mm brass X-Poles. The right pole seen FROM the audience will spin, and left will be static.

#### The Competition Organisers

The Peach Pole Studio – Sexy's Back! pole dance competition is not liable for injury, loss or damage resulting from any event during all forms of participation in the Sexy's Back competition.

The organization reserves the right to change the rules herein.

All decisions not addressed in these regulations will be made by the competition organizers.

Failure to abide by any of the above mentioned rules will result in reduction in points or disqualification from the competition at the organizers request.