



# ALL STYLES CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS

## TIME AND PLACE

The II URBAN DANCE FARO FORUM will take place on 14, 15 and 16 July 2023. The main part of the event takes place at the Forum Algarve Shopping Centre (Faro).

**14 Julho – Battles Built 4 This 1x1 (Kids, Hip Hop e House)**

**15 Julho – Campeonato Crews All Styles**

**July 16 – Crews Dancehall + Clash Championship**

Registered participants will have access to a range of recreational activities such as: water sports, BlockParty, free admission to the Municipal Museum of Faro, transport around the city and many other experiences. In addition to these offers you can enjoy discounts in restaurants of Forum Algarve, partners of this event.

They can also enjoy training through workshops with international teachers that will take place in the **Pavilion of the School E. B. 2,3 D. Afonso III in Faro** (10 minutes walk from the Forum Algarve)

### **15 July (Saturday)**

9h30 – 11h00 – Clara Bajado (House)

11h30 – 13h00 – Gonzy (HipHop)

### **16 July (Sunday)**

9h30 – 11h30 – 7ven Kriptic (Dancehall Journey)

11h45 – 13h15 – Johanna Enough (Female Dancehall) > 14 anos (inclusive)

## ORGANIZATION

The organization of the championship belongs to the Association of Dance, Culture and Art – Urban Xpression in partnership with Forum Algarve and the Municipality of Faro.

## CATEGORIES

Kids Category: up to 12 years old

Junior Category: up to 15 years old

Varsity category: up to 18 years old

Adult Category: > 18 years old

Premium Category: > 30 years

\*it is allowed that 25% of the crew is older within the category (kids, junior, varsity and adult) Ex: crew with 15 elements Varsity can have 3 elements over the age of 18 (25% of 15 people).

\*in the Premium category it is allowed that 25% of the crew is under the age of 30 years. Ex: Premium crew of 15 people can have 3 people under the age of 30 years.

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF 15 CREWS PER CATEGORY.

**\*NOTE:** if one of the categories has less than 5 registered groups, the organization reserves the right to award only the 1st place of the category in question or may join two categories by adjusting the value of the Prize Money.

If any category does not fill the limit number of crews, there may be more vacancies in the remaining crews.

## COMPETITION AREA

The competition area is 10 m x 8 m and can be used in its entirety without any penalty.

Staging is done by appointment through the email [info@urbanexpression.pt](mailto:info@urbanexpression.pt)

Schedules: 15 July (Crews All Styles) – 13h00 - 16h00 – 5 min each crew

16 July (Crews Dancehall) – 14h00 - 16h00 – 5 min each crew

If two crews/schools choose the same time, the order of arrival of the request via e-mail is privileged.

The sound for staging is made with a small support column provided by the organization (ambient sound).

## TIME CHOREOGRAPHY

The choreography has to be between **1.30 min and 4.30 min** long and is timed from the time of the 1st and last beat, effect or musical sound.

The musical mixes of the participating crews have to be sent to the organization ([info@urbanexpression.pt](mailto:info@urbanexpression.pt)) by July 10. The organization is not responsible for mixtures that are sent after this date.

On the day of the Championship each crew must accompany itself with the mix in digital support and confirm with the dj.

## EVALUATION CRITERIA / JURY

The evaluation of each crew will be divided into two parameters: **Technical and Artistic**

### Technique:

- Synchronism
- Execution of movements
- Musicality
- Choreographic complexity
- Variety of Styles

### **Artistic:**

- Creativity
- Expression and Attitude
- Entertainment/Audience Capture
- Staging (use of space)
- Spacing (variety of formations)

The score is given by each member of the jury. Each evaluation item is given a score of **0-10**, which can go from **0.5 to 0.5**.

At the end of the competition the score sheets will be handed out to each participating crew.

The JÚRI is made up of 2 international elements (Gonzy and Clara Bajado).

### **PENALTIES**

- . Time of the musical mix lower or higher than that established in the regulation – **5 points**
- . It is not allowed the use of dangerous objects or any type of material that makes it impossible to clean the performance space in the time of competition and / or may harm elements of the crew as well as damage the place of performance – **5 points**
- . Any resemblance to works produced in video clips or works performed by professionals other than the choreographers of the crew itself – **10 points**
- . The juror may penalize any gesture or attitude that he deems inappropriate in the choreography.

**The inappropriate behavior of any participating crew during the course of the entire event may lead to their exclusion.**

### **COMPETITION ORDER**

The order of the competition is made by lottery, which will be held on July 11 online with the crew leaders.

The order drawn is then sent via e-mail to the registered crews.

**The crews will have to be prepared 30 minutes before the time of the respective category.**

## TIMETABLES

### 14/07 – BUILT 4 THIS – BattlesKids, House e HipHop

17h00 – Registration

18h00 – BattlesKids (Mixstyles), House e HipHop

### 23h30 – BLOCK PARTY BAIXA DE FARO

### 15/07 – CAMPEONATO ALL STYLES

Accreditation Crews: Starting Friday at 5:00 p.m.

16h00 – All Styles Kids Category Championship

17h00 – All Styles Junior Category Championship

18h00 – All Styles Championship Premium Category

#### 18h30 – Results and Awards

20h00 – Campeonato All Styles Categoria Varsity

21h00 – All Styles Championship Adult Category

#### 22h00 – Results and Awards

### 16/07 – CAMPEONATO DANCEHALL + CLASH

4:00 p.m. – Dancehall Championship

17h00 – Results and Awards

### 17h30 – DANCEHALL CLASH

\*schedules subject to change

## PRIZES

CATEGORY KIDS	JUNIOR CATEGORY	PREMIUM CATEGORY	Varsity CATEGORY	CATEGORY ADULT
1st Place = 150€	1st Place = 300€	1st Place = 150€	1st Place = 500€	1st Place = 600€
2nd Place = 50€	2nd Place = 100€	2nd Place = 50€	2nd Place = 200€	2nd Place = 250€
3rd Place = Trophy	3rd Place = 50€	3rd Place = Trophy	3rd Place = 100€	3rd Place = 150€

THE WINNING CREWS WILL BE OFFERED ENTRY TO THE FOLLOWING YEAR'S ALL STYLES CHAMPIONSHIP (2024).

## INSCRIPTION

Registration is made through the website [www.urbanxpression.pt](http://www.urbanxpression.pt)

**Registration fee: Kids Category AND PREMIUM: 5€/ELEMENT**

**Other Categories: 15€/ELEMENT**

**NIB: 0036 0092 99100056495 78**

The registration is valid after sending the proof of payment.

If the crew needs a night, they will have to notify at the time of registration, as well as the interest in participating in the free activities.

All crews may have a maximum of two managers/choreographers who are responsible for accompanying the elements throughout the event.

The championship takes place at Forum Algarve (shopping centre), being a free access event.

**EARLY BIRD – UNTIL JUNE 30 25% OFF CREW REGISTRATION**  
**(THE REGISTRATION IS ONLY VALID AFTER SENDING THE PROOF OF PAYMENT)**

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- THE ORGANIZATION IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR INJURIES OR PHYSICAL ACCIDENTS THAT MAY OCCUR DURING THE EVENT.
- THE ORGANIZATION IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST OR DAMAGED PERSONAL BELONGINGS.
- THE REGISTERED CREWS GRANT THE ORGANIZATION RIGHTS TO USE THEIR IMAGES (PHOTOS AND/OR VIDEOS) COLLECTED THROUGHOUT THE EVENT.
- THE PERSONAL DATA WILL ONLY BE USED FOR THE PURPOSES OF INTERNAL ORGANIZATION OF THE EVENT, AUTHORIZING CREW TO USE THEM FOR THESE PURPOSES.

**IN CASE OF DOUBTS CONTACT BY E-MAIL:**

[info@urbanxpression.pt](mailto:info@urbanxpression.pt) or [associacaourbanxpression@gmail.com](mailto:associacaourbanxpression@gmail.com)

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