

GAME OF STEALS

ATLANTA SWING CLASS



Game of Steals – Contest Rules and Structure

What:

- It is a contest focusing on dance steals!

Contest Details:

- Entries
 - Number of entries is unlimited
 - Call back for the top 4 teams
- Cost
 - Free! (team captain should register and wear their bib number)
- Times:
 - Prelims Saturday afternoon
 - Finals Saturday evening
 - Contest will start at promptly on the time listed on the final event schedule

Contest Format:

- Song length
 - Songs will be approximately 2 minutes in length
- Prelims/Finals
 - Prelims will be heated with multiple songs per heat.
 - Finals will be bracket/battle style
- Flow of the contest
 - All four teammates will be on the floor at the same time
 - One leader and one follower will be dancing (active)
 - One leader and one follower will be planning their steal

Contest Rules:

- Team
 - Four people (two leaders, two followers) per team
 - No lead/follow gender restrictions
 - You must dance the same role (lead or follow) throughout the contest
 - No more than two people can be All-Star or above in WSDC in their role they are dancing
- Stealing
 - There must be at least 4 leader steals and 4 follower steals per song
 - Each team member must steal at least twice
 - We encourage you to steal more frequently
- Criteria and concepts the judges are being asked to look at:
 - Content – we want it to be west coast swing
 - Continuity – steal the partner without interrupting the dance
 - Creativity – make your steals creative