

# INTERNATIONAL BRASS BAND FESTIVAL

## GOLDEN LYRE 2020

### VII OPENED INTERNATIONAL MAJORETTES CUP OF POLAND

RYBNIK, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2020

#### REGULATIONS MAJORETTES CONTEST

##### I. Contest equipment

- 1) Majorettes group can use traditional march tube or other dancing props (flags, pom-poms etc.) – 1 or 2 for one majorette

##### II. Contest participants

- 1) Majorettes groups – 8 to 25 members

##### III. Age groups

- 1) Younger group – 7 to 12 years old
- 2) Older group – age from 13 and more
- 3) About participation in the group - decide girl's age achieved this year (the birth year)
- 4) In each group can participate younger or older girls (3 majorettes maximal)

##### IV. Discipline

Jury judges two parts of the Contest:

- 1) **MARCH** (about 150 m) with the brass band live (in case of bad weather this part of the Contest will be pass over). The groups that arrives without orchestras – will march with orchestra chosen by organizer.
- 2) **SHOW** on a platform or on the marked square (minimum size is 12 × 12 m)
  - a) Show time: minimum – 2'30" maximum 3'30" (time for entrance or going out from platform/square is not included)
  - b) Entrance and going out must be quick, short and simple – it can't be the extra choreography part
  - c) The show time begins when the music starts
  - d) Part of majorettes choreography must be the march sequence with classic majorettes steps (march)

- e) Show ending should overlap with the end of a music composition
- f) Part of the show ending must be: salute, bow, head bow, arms motion etc.
- g) Show should contain elements with march step as a basic step; other kinds of dances (like for instance disco) are allowed,
- h) Using acrobatic elements is forbidden (somersault, shift etc.)
- i) Group can't show arrangement presented in previous contests!

(group will be disqualified)

#### **V. Mark criterion**

- 1) Choreography and composition, artistic impression
- 2) Working with the dancing props - technique (the standard of performance, synchronization, throws etc.)
- 3) Technique of motion and dance

#### **VI. Suits**

- 1) Keeping basic elements of the traditional majorette suit – suit can not contain trousers, elements of cheerleaders / disco / classical dance suit (except for pom-poms).

#### **VII. Style of a background music**

- 1) We don't impose suggestions about music bar or rhythm etc. – but music must contain passages with classical majorettes step
- 2) Dancing to music like disco etc. is allowed - music in original arrangement or recorded / performed by orchestra

#### **VIII. Declaration cards**

- 1) The Art Director of the Festival decides about qualify to the Contest
- 2) final term to send declaration card with the list of group members with their age is 15.04.2020 r.

- 3) Filled declaration cards send by post:

Dom Kultury w Rybniku-Niedobczycach

ul. Barbary 23

44-270 Rybnik, Poland

or by fax: +48 32 433 10 65.

4) The groups that dance to music from CD, must send the music composition (by post or by mail) till 08.06.2020.

4) The organizer has a right to not qualify the group to the Contest - because of the reasons not dependent of the Organizator.

#### **IX. The costs of participation**

- 1) The organizer quarantines meal and accomodation during the Contest,
- 2) The groups must settle Festival charge till 08.06.2020 – it's 120 PLN (=30 Euro)/ group. The charge must be payed into the account:

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44-270 Rybnik, Polska

Numer konta: PKO , Oddział w Rybniku

32 1020 2472 0000 6102 0499 0810

#### **X. Awards and distinctions**

- 1) The best group of the Contest receives Grand Prix of the Golden Lyre Festival – the National of Heritage and Cultur Cup - “Golden Lyre”.
- 2) Jury awards I, II and III place in each group – younger and older. Those groups receive certificates and Festival souvenirs.
- 3) Rest of the groups receive certificates of participation and Festival souvenirs.
- 4) In justified cases jury reserves a right to other awards and distinctions division.
- 5) All protests and comments will be accepted till 10 minutes after each performance.
- 6) Announcement – on the great Golden Lyre Gala 14<sup>th</sup> July 2020 in Rybnik. The groups should appear on the Gala.
- 7) Grand Prix Winner is obliged to show the triumphant choreography during the gala (on organizer request).

#### **XI. More informations:**

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