

## CBTF GRADED EVENTS

Level C and Level BN - Primary and Juvenile age divisions

To follow the CBTF Long Term Athlete Development Model the evaluation method used for Level C and BN. Primary and Juvenile age groups will change from scoring to a rating system.

Events affected are Solo, 2-Baton, 3-Baton, Medley, Solo Dance Twirl and Duet. The score determined by the judge will transition in tabulation to a rating of Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Diamond. See the following chart to reference the score/rating guide.

Athletes competing in graded events receive the standard CBTF Grading Medal for all events.

Level C scores would translate to the following ratings:

- 0.0 – 1.59 – Bronze
- 1.6 – 2.19 – Silver
- 2.2 – 2.49 – Gold
- 2.5+ - Diamond Level

**NEW THIS YEAR (2018/19)** - BN scores would translate to the following ratings:

- Bronze is now: 2.5-2.84
- Silver: 2.85-3.19
- Gold: 3.2-3.49
- Diamond: 3.5 & higher

\*\* The drop penalty does not apply to Graded events. \*\*\*

If an athlete is under the age of 12 years but is in Level BI, the athlete will be scored

### **NEW CBTF SCORES TO MOVE UP INDIVIDUAL EVENTS (Effective 2018/19 Baton Season):**

- Expand the B division into 3 sub-levels – BN, BI & BA.
- Accept the following Minimum Scores for Advancement:
  - C to BN = 2.5
  - BN to BI = 3.5
  - BI to BA = 5.0
  - BA to A = 7.0
- Athletes will establish their Individual/Duet Levels as of Jan 1 2019 based on the highest score received in each event up to & including Dec 31, 2018.  
\*\*\* this may affect the IC level that your athlete thinks they will be in! \*\*\*

\* There will be extended music for Level BA and A 2-Baton and 3-Baton events at all CBTF sanctioned competitions. Time Limit is 1:53 (beep at 1:29).

Jr. A freestyle athletes will be doing Short Program elements and not compulsories.  
All B freestyle athletes will continue to do the Level B Compulsories.

### **SCORES TO MOVE UP – Team Events**

Level C to Level B – Final score – 25.0

Level B to Level A – Final score – 40.0

### **DROP PENALTY**

The judge will deduct 0.1 for every drop in individual events.

The judge will deduct 0.5 for every drop in team events.

There are no points deducted for breaks/slips/off pattern/loss of balance.

### **FLASHING OF SCORES**

Scores are flashed for individual events. Judges will flash the score without the penalties deducted. Tabulation will deduct the penalties and calculate the final placings.

### **ATHLETE AGE DIVISIONS**

Primary – age 7 & 8 years

Juvenile – ages 9-11 years

Junior – ages 12 -14 years

Senior – ages 15-17 years

Age is determined at the start of each twirling season (age as of December 31)

### **CBTF PRE EVENTS**

Basic March 1 & 2

Forward Motion 1 & 2

Medley 1 & 2

Solo 1 & 2

2-Baton 1 & 2

Solo Dance Twirl 1 & 2

Dance Twirl Team 1 & 2

Twirl Team 1 & 2

### **\*RIBBON GRADE (for Pre Events)**

RED RIBBON A

BLUE RIBBON B

WHITE C

GREEN D