



PAWS 2 DANCE

EVENT _____

LOCATION _____

Exhibitor #

ARTISTIC IMPRESSION JUDGE: _____

DIVISION _____

Choreography: flow, placement of moves, transitions
 Interpretation of Music: Physical and emotional
 Handler movement
 Team-work
 Presentation

Does Not Qualify <5	Novice A, B, C, Vets 5	Novice X 6	Intermediate 7	Advanced 8
Little/No attention to flow, placement, or transitions.	Moves may lack flow. May lack highlights 50% of floor covered	Moves generally flow Hits musical hi-lights 60% of floor covered	Moves flow throughout. Highlights effective 70% of floor covered	Excellent flow Dynamic highlights 80% of floor covered
Little/No attempts at interpretation	Hints at mood/style Interpretation	Clearly attuned to mood/style interp.	Reflects mood/style Engaging interpretation.	Enhances mood/style Surprises and delights
Little/No attempt to stay on beat. Much obvious prompting with hands/body. Handler awkward – Distracts from routine	Handler may lose beat occasionally Hand signals may be obvious Handler may be stiff, bent forward at waist	Handler generally in time with music. Some masking of hand signals. Handler moves with ease with variety of moves.	Handler always in time with music. Signals generally masked and musically interpretive. Handler movement varied, engaging	Always with music Uses shading, ½ beats Hand signals all musically interpretive Each step/move is meaningful, precise
No sense of partnership	May lose partnership but regain	Generally strong sense of partnership	Always move as partners or emotionally in touch.	Partnership electrifying, even at a distance
No attempt at costume No energy, polish, or audience appeal.	Suitable costume May lack energy, polish or audience appeal.	Thoughtful costume Has considerable energy, polish, audience appeal	Engaging costume Generally polished Energetic, appealing	Striking, innovative costume. Absolutely polished, highly energetic, hugely appealing.

Deductions: Corrections in the ring. (up to .3)

Artistic Score

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