



2026

synergy  
DANCE  
COMPETITION

Port Theatre

NANAIMO  
EVENT GUIDE

## VENUE

### The Port Theatre

125 Front St, Nanaimo,  
BC V9R 6Z4



## PARKING

**Paid** street parking and  
Paid parking lots around  
the downtown core

## EVENT SCHEDULE

Download a free event  
program from the website at  
[www.synergydancecompetition.ca](http://www.synergydancecompetition.ca)

Or view the schedule in live time on the  
DAKIKI app

## ADMISSION

**ADULTS:** \$5/Day or “free” with a  
non-perishable donation to the  
local foodbank.

**STUDENTS:** FREE

**SENIORS (65+):** FREE

Full Event Pass \$20

## PHOTO/VIDEO

Photos and Videos from  
this event are available  
to download for **FREE** at  
<https://www.dakiki.com/photos-videos>



## LIVESTREAM

Watch this event on  
livestream on the home  
page of the website:  
[www.synergydancecompetition.ca](http://www.synergydancecompetition.ca)



## OPENING HOUR

The venue opens for warm up one hour before the first dance of the day. Early arrival is not available.

## PROPS

Props can be taken to the loading bay for load into the theatre stage. Props cannot be stored at the venue throughout the week due to congestion hazards and blocking emergency exits.

## OVERALL AWARDS TIMES

Download the event program for a list of overall awards times. As the performances from each overall category are completed overall award sessions are scheduled throughout the event. Review the event program to see which are applicable to your dancer.

## SHOWDOWN FINALS

The Showdown Finals takes place at 6:30pm and is expected to take 2.5 hours with awards. Review the qualifying guide to determine how routines qualify. The showdown is a ticketed event. Participating dancers are permitted in the theatre in the designated seats only -or- need to purchase an alternative ticket.

## HOTEL

Courtyard by Marriott is across the street from the venue. Walking distance there is also Coast Bastion Hotel & Best Western Dorchester Hotel & other properties.

Courtyard by Marriott Nanaimo



Courtyard by Marriott Nanaimo, 100 Gordon Street, Nanaimo, BC 📞 +1-250-277-5297

## EATS

### 4. Top Notch Burgers

4.3 ●●●●● (202 reviews)

📍 0.2 km  
Vancouver  
Island

### 1. The View Oceanside Grill

4.4 ●●●●● (374 reviews)

📍 0.2 km  
Vancouver  
Island

### 2. Asteras Greek Taverna

4.6 ●●●●● (1,384 reviews)

📍 0.4 km  
Vancouver  
Island

### 3. Gabriel's Gourmet Cafe

4.4 ●●●●● (451 reviews)

📍 0.2 km  
Vancouver  
Island

# HOW TO ADVANCE TO THE SYNERGY SHOWDOWN

## 12YRS & UNDER

Top 4 Groups (Max 1 Per Studio) from:

### GROUP A

JAZZ  
STREET DANCE  
ACRO



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### GROUP B

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