



# THE HEELS GALA VOL. 3 – OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES

## April 19th, 2026

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### 1. COMPETITION CATEGORIES

- Solos: open to everyone.
  - Elite Solo: reserved for professionals or winners of previous contests.
  - Duos: open-level category.
  - Groups: open-level category (min. 5 – max. 25 participants).
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### 2. PARTICIPATION FEES (EVENING GALA ENTRY NOT INCLUDED)

- Solo: €50
  - Elite Solo: €50
  - Duo: €60 (€30 per person)
  - Group: €25 per participant
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### 3. PACKAGES INCLUDING CONTEST + EVENING ENTRY

- Package 1: Solo / Elite Solo + evening entry → €65
- Package 2: Duo + evening entry → €45 per person (€90 per duo)
- Package 3: Group + evening entry → €45 per person
- Package 4: Duo + Group + evening entry → €75 per person
- Package 5: Solo + participation in a group or in a duo + evening entry → €90 per person
- All-Inclusive Package: Solo + Duo + Group + evening entry → €110 per person

Note: For groups, a single cumulative bank transfer is mandatory, along with an email listing all participants and their completed registration forms.

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### 4. PAYMENT METHODS

Bank Transfer

Account holder: Centro d'Arte Sauvage

IBAN: IT08E0869252970066000001699

Payment reference: Participant's Name + selected package\*

PayPal

3294213555 (CLASSES)

We recommend selecting "friends/family" to ensure the full amount is received.

Always send the payment receipt to:

 [theheelsgala@gmail.com](mailto:theheelsgala@gmail.com)

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## 5. REGISTRATION – REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

To confirm participation, it is mandatory to send as soon as possible:

1. Music track
2. Registration fee
3. Completed form for each participant

Final deadline: March 20th, 2026

Limited-capacity event: spots may fill up earlier.

Music tracks (MP3 format only) must be sent by March 20th, 2026 to:

 [theheelsgala@gmail.com](mailto:theheelsgala@gmail.com)

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## 6. MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE DURATION

- Solos: 1'30''
  - Duos: 1'30''
  - Groups: 3'30''
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## 7. STAGE ACCESS AND PERFORMANCE RULES

- No stage rehearsals are scheduled.
- Procedure: the host calls → the artist steps on stage → music starts.
- Any special requirements must be communicated by March 20th, 2026.

The following are strictly prohibited:

- body oil
- talcum powder
- chairs
- bulky props/set pieces

Props: must be communicated to the staff and positioned/removed independently by the participant(s).

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## 8. THEATER ACCESS AND DRESSING ROOMS

- Access from 13:00 (main entrance).
- Upon arrival, participants will receive a wristband and be escorted to the dressing room.
- Bring only a small duffel bag (no suitcases): space is limited.
- You may stay and watch all contest categories.

Audience tickets for the contest will be available from February.

At the end of the contest, *everyone*—including those with showcase tickets—must exit the theater to allow staff to prepare the room.

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## 9. RUNNING ORDER AND AWARDS

1. Solos + awards (1st, 2nd, 3rd)
2. Elite Solo + battle of the three finalists + awards
3. Duos + awards
4. Groups + awards

After the fourth category, scholarship awards will be announced.

We recommend staying until the end of the contest to discover the scholarship recipients.

Additional prizes and scholarships will be announced soon.

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## 10. STAGE DIMENSIONS

- Stage: 9 × 4.5 m
- Lower stage area: 9 × 3 m
- Two wings with access to dressing rooms
- Side stairs from the lower stage

Strictly forbidden:

- jumping off the stage
- leaning or sitting on the lower stage

(Images of the stage are shown below.)

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## 11. CONCLUSION

Participation in The Heels Gala Vol. 3 implies full and unconditional acceptance of this regulation. Every artist is required to respect deadlines, safety rules, staff instructions, and all organizational procedures.

Our goal is to ensure a smooth, professional contest that honors the work of every participant. We encourage everyone to arrive prepared, punctual, and collaborative to contribute to the flawless success of the event.

Thank you for your commitment and your presence. See you on stage.

Jessica and the Staff

