Policies & Code of Conduct

Code of Conduct

The Country Dance World Championships (Worlds) is dedicated to providing a safe and comfortable event experience for everyone; therefore, all attendees, instructors, staff, and volunteers at Worlds are required to comply with the following code of conduct. Organizers will enforce this code throughout the event. We expect cooperation from all participants to help ensure a safe environment for everybody.

If you need help at the event:
• Please call 911 for emergencies.
• Please find an event organizer in person by requesting one at the registration desk or the DJ booth.
• Please send an email to Director@ucwdcworlds.com with the subject line Code of Conduct.

If a participant engages in harassing behavior, the event organizers will take any action they deem appropriate, including warning the offender or immediate expulsion from the event with no refund.

If you are being harassed, notice that someone else is being harassed, or have any other concerns, please contact an event organizer immediately. Event organizers can be found by requesting one at the front desk or at the DJ booth. Alternatively, please send an email to Director@ucwdcworlds.comwith the subject line "Code of Conduct".

Event organizers will be happy to help participants contact venue staff or local law enforcement, provide escorts, or otherwise assist those experiencing harassment to feel safe for the duration of the event. We value your attendance and your safety.

We expect all participants to follow this Code of Conduct. If you cannot, please do not attend the event. Thank you!

Photography and Videography Policy

You may appear in photos or videos published on the Worlds website, Facebook page or Instagram page.

Videoing is not permitted at Worlds during UCWDC competition sessions.

We ask if you are taking photos, they should be of people that have given you permission to take their photo.

When taking photos, please do not stand in front of others. If you are along the edge of the dance floor you should be squatting or kneeling such that you are not obscuring patrons that are sitting or standing behind you.

If you do not adhere to these policies, the event organizers will take any action they deem appropriate, including warning the offender or immediate expulsion from the event with no refund.

Vending and Selling of Goods and Services Policy

We have official vendors that will be offering goods and/or services.

If you have not signed a vending agreement, you may not offer goods or services for sale at Worlds.

If you do not adhere to these policies, the event organizers will take any action they deem appropriate, including warning the offender or immediate expulsion from the event with no refund.

Should you wish to be a vendor at the Country Dance World Championships, please reach out to the Event Director, you can email Director@ucwdcworlds.com for details and information on how to become a vendor.