



## 32<sup>nd</sup> HAWAII STAR BALL

September 24<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025

HOTEL DEADLINE August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Entry Deadline September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

EARLY BIRD ENTRY DEADLINE August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

### Top Awards & Prize Money

Hawai'i Star Ball Top Teacher, Top Students and Top Studio awards are based on both entries and placements. Teachers and students must dance the events to earn points.

- Teachers that dance Pro/Am and also have student couples dancing in separate single dance adult student/student single dance events will be awarded "coaching" points and will accumulate 1/2 points per couple. Coach MUST be identified at the time of registration.
- There will be no points awarded for any scratched or missed entries for any reason.
- Each entry, whether for single dance, multi-dance challenge or scholarship event is considered a single entry point.
- Placement points will be awarded according to the following schedule:

#### Proficiency

1 pt per entry, no extra points for placements

#### 1-2 Dance events

1<sup>st</sup>= 8pts 2<sup>nd</sup>=7pts 3<sup>rd</sup>=6pts 4<sup>th</sup>=5pts 5<sup>th</sup>=4pts 6<sup>th</sup>=3pts  
7<sup>th</sup>=2pts 8<sup>th</sup>=1pt plus 4pts/recall

#### 3-5 Dance events

1<sup>st</sup>=20pts 2<sup>nd</sup>=15pts 3<sup>rd</sup>=10pts 4<sup>th</sup>=8pts 5<sup>th</sup>=6pts  
6<sup>th</sup>=4pts 7<sup>th</sup>=2pts 8<sup>th</sup>=2pts plus 5pts/recall

**Uncontested entries will be awarded full points.**

**Youth Events will accumulate points at ½ the above rate.**

### The 2025 Hawai'i Star Ball Top Student

Top Newcomer Lady/Gent  
Top Bronze Lady/Gent  
Top Silver Lady/Gent  
Top Gold & Above Lady/Gent  
Top Amateur Couple  
Top Solo Grand Prix Winner  
WDSS Top 20 Overall Students  
Top Overall Lady/Gentlemen

### The 2025 Hawai'i Star Ball Top Studio Awards

Top Large Studio  
Top Medium Studio  
Top Small Studio  
Top Local Studio

### The 2025 Hawai'i Star Ball will award the following Pro/Am Scholarship Prize Money

#### Closed Pro/Am Scholarships

Cash (1-3) 1<sup>st</sup> \$200 2<sup>nd</sup> \$100 3<sup>rd</sup> \$50  
4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> \$40 Voucher

#### Open Pro/Am Scholarships

Cash (1-3) 1<sup>st</sup> \$300 2<sup>nd</sup> \$200 3<sup>rd</sup> \$100  
4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> : \$50 Voucher

### 2025 Top Teacher Awards

1<sup>st</sup> Place (minimum 300 pro/am entries): \$7,000\*  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place (minimum 250 pro/am entries): \$5,000\*  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place (minimum 200 pro/am entries): \$3,000\*  
4<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 150 pro/am entries): \$1,500  
5<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 100 pro/am entries): \$1,000  
6<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 50 pro/am entries): \$500  
7<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 50 pro/am entries): \$500  
8<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 50 pro/am entries): \$500  
9<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 50 pro/am entries): \$500  
10<sup>th</sup> Place (minimum 50 pro/am entries): \$500

All prizes will be awarded as long as the minimum entries are met; however only the amount of money qualified for will be given out. For example, if the 1<sup>st</sup> place Top Teacher has only 275 pro/am entries, they will receive \$5,000, not \$7,000. In the same scenario, if the 2<sup>nd</sup> place Top Teacher also has 275 pro/am entries, he or she will also earn \$5,000. If there are not 10 qualified Top Teacher candidates, then fewer places will be awarded.

**\*Teacher AND Students must be on a package (Big Kahuna, VIP, or A) to qualify for the award money for the top 3 Top Teacher Awards regardless of number of entries.**

### The 2025 Hawai'i Star Ball will award the following Professional Prize Money

#### Rising Star Divisions

1<sup>st</sup> \$750 2<sup>nd</sup> \$500 3<sup>rd</sup> \$400 4<sup>th</sup> \$300  
5<sup>th</sup> \$200 6<sup>th</sup> \$100

#### Open Professional Divisions

1<sup>st</sup> \$1,500 2<sup>nd</sup> \$1,000 3<sup>rd</sup> \$700 4<sup>th</sup> \$600  
5<sup>th</sup> \$500 6<sup>th</sup> \$400

#### Ali'i Pro Showdown

1<sup>st</sup> \$750 2<sup>nd</sup> \$600 3<sup>rd</sup> \$500 4<sup>th</sup> \$400  
5<sup>th</sup> \$300 6<sup>th</sup> \$200

**2025 Hawai'i Star Ball total Prize Money  
over \$90,000**