

Jugend Einzelplatteln Rules

General Rules

1. Age groups – Dirndl u. Buam
 - Up to 8 years old
 - 9 – 12 years old
 - 13 – 17 years old
2. A child may dance with a partner outside his/her age group. A child may dance more than once. He/she will only be judged the first time he/she dances.
3. The diameter of the circle is 4 meters marked on the floor. The floor will be marked with tape. An “X” will be in the middle of the circle.
4. After being introduced the couple will walk to the middle of the circle.
5. The couple will be asked “ Are you ready?” When they reply yes, the music will begin.
6. If necessary the couple may start over once during the Eingangsplattler. The boy would indicate this by stepping outside the circle.
7. The Plattler must consist of the Ausdrehen, Einstampf, Eingangsplattler, Trio, Durchplattler, Trio and Schlussfigur.
8. A musician is required for the performance.
9. Tracht - **Dirndl**: Fest Tracht, Tanz Tracht, or Verein Dirndl may be worn. Hats optional. **Buam**: Verein Tracht, which corresponds, with the Dirndl they are dancing with. Hats optional. Follow your Verein protocol for Jugend Tracht. Exception: Child’s partner is from another Verein. Then he/she should wear what is required by their Verein.
10. Four judges will be critiquing the Jugend. Two judges for the boys and two judges for the girls. The judges will be selected from those names submitted to the judging pool.