

# 2026 Tavria Festival Awards List Final Results

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## Anna Rondeau Memorial Award

### Adjudicator's Choice: Best Overall Performance 12yrs. & Under Medium/Large Group

**Awarded To:** 542 Lyrical Female Large Group 7-8 Years Old

**Entry Name:** ZDC-INT.1 Luli-Luli

**Studio:** Zabutnyy

**Dancers:** Madeline Bourlon, Adalyn Bruch-Guay, Grace Dufour, Monica Frei, Westlyn Gemmell, Sawyer Kalenchuk, Angela Poncsak, Isabella Royal, Julia Smetaniuk, Dariia Tkach, Mariella Van Beselaere, Anna Wild

## Anna Rondeau Memorial Award Sponsored by the Tavria Ukrainian Folk Dance Ensemble

### Highest Mark Zabutnyy School

**Awarded To:** 510 Open Mixed Large Group 17-18 Years

**Entry Name:** ZDC-SEN.2. Rozkoliada

**Studio:** Zabutnyy Dance Company

**Dancers:** Jacob Bugera, Marcus Bugera, Alissa Chubak, Abygail Daniels, Louisa Frei, Stella Frei, Yara Keniuk, Aubrey Kot, Tara Kurtz, Sofiia Kuzyk, Mila Langford, Maya Malnyk, Jahnaya Patterson, Riina Tanaka, Kenzie Weatherald

## Devin Howat Memorial Award

### Highest Mark Tavria School

**Awarded To:** 470 Zakarpattia, 17-18 Years Old, Male, Solo

**Entry Name:** Aidan Zakarpattia

**Studio:** Tavria

**Dancers:** Aidan Hoffart

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## Ed Lato Family Award

### Highest Mark Duet or Small Group Family

**Awarded To:** 329, Volyn Duet, 15-16 Years Old

**Entry Name:** Volyn - Aleah & Janay

**Studio:** Tavia

**Dancers:** Aleah Danyliw, Janay Danyliw

## Kopeck & Doyle Memorial Award

### Highest Mark Bukovina Region

**Awarded To:** 500, Bukovyna, 11-12 Years Old, Duet

**Entry Name:** Bukovyna- William & Kalyna

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** William Gabrush, Kalyna Tarasoff

## Marcyniuk Memorial Award

### Highest Mark Hutsul Region 15 years and under

**Awarded To:** 351 Hutsul, 15-16 Years Old, Female Small Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Hutsul'shchyna

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Kenna Chrun, Taylor Folk, Brianna Medernach

## Maximiuk Family Award

### Highest Mark Poltavsky Region Small Group 9-12yrs.

**Awarded To:** 372, 9-10 Years Old, Female Small Group

**Entry Name:** Central Ukraine - Charlotte, Emma, Veronica, Emilia, Lena

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Veronica Bondar, Lena Gabrush, Charlotte Sulatyski, Emilia Tarasoff, Emma Uhryn

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## **Meath Park & District Ukrainian Dancers Award**

### **Adjudicator's Choice: Any Age/Category**

**Awarded To:** 463, Hopak, 15-16 Years Old, Large Group

**Entry Name:** ZDC-SEN.2 Hopak

**Studio:** Zabutnyy Dance Company

**Dancers:** Jacob Bugera, Marcus Bugera, Alissa Chubak, Abygail Daniels, Louisa Frei, Stella Frei, Yara Keniuk, Aubrey Kot, Sofiia Kuzyk, Mila Langford, Lucas Lys, Maya Malnyk, Jahnaya Patterson, Riina Tanaka, Kenzie Weatherald

## **Orest & Gwen Warnyca Award**

### **Adjudicator's Choice: Choreography**

**Awarded To:** 545 Open, 15-16 Years Old, Male Small Group

**Entry Name:** Gabe, Matt, Carson - Open Trio

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Carson Putz

## **Oshmak Memorial Award**

### **Highest Mark Volyn Region**

**Awarded To:** 184, Volyn, 15-16 Years Old, Mixed Duet

**Entry Name:** Volyn - Lena, Carson

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Lena Gabrush, Carson Putz

## **Pavlo Romanovich Yavorsky/Darene Roma Yavorsky**

### **Adjudicator's Choice: Most Promising Solo**

**Awarded To:** 129, Hutsul, 9-10 Years Old, Male Solo

**Entry Name:** Hutsul'shchyna - Luca

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Luca Lamb

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## Ridgway-Harris Family Award

### Highest Mark, Any Region, Large Group, 15 Years and Under

**Awarded To:** 466, Hopak, 15-16 Years Old, Large Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Hopak

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Micah Anderson, Jasmine Bosovich, Ryder Boyenko, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Genevieve Jean, Asha Kardynal, Molly King, Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Julia Lischynski, Katie Lozinsky, Jack Malin, Brianna Medernach, Olivia Miller, Aislynn Olenick, Eli Olenick, Carson Putz, Lauren Sawitsky, Alexandra Shymko-Ball, Eleanor Syrnick, Petro Tarasoff, Rowyn Thompson, Abigail Vancoughnett, Lily Werezak

## Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance Association Award

### Highest Mark Large Group

**Awarded To:** 466, Hopak, 15-16 Years Old, Large Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Hopak

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Micah Anderson, Jasmine Bosovich, Ryder Boyenko, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Genevieve Jean, Asha Kardynal, Molly King, Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Julia Lischynski, Katie Lozinsky, Jack Malin, Brianna Medernach, Olivia Miller, Aislynn Olenick, Eli Olenick, Carson Putz, Lauren Sawitsky, Alexandra Shymko-Ball, Eleanor Syrnick, Petro Tarasoff, Rowyn Thompson, Abigail Vancoughnett, Lily Werezak

## Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance Association Award

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## Highest Mark Duet Any Category

**Awarded To:** 184, Volyn, 15-16 Years Old, Mixed Duet

**Entry Name:** Volyn - Lena, Carson

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Lena Gabrush, Carson Putz

## Shewchuk Family Award

### Adjudicator's Choice: Most Promising Medium Group

**Awarded To:** 393 Open Lyrical, 15-16 Years Old, Female Medium Group

**Entry Name:** Oi U Luzi

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, Lena Gabrush, Brianna Medernach, Lauren Sawitsky, Rowyn Thompson

## Smith Family Award

### Highest Mark Transcarpathian Region

**Awarded To:** 470, Zakarpattia, 17-18 Years Old, Male, Solo

**Entry Name:** Aidan Zakarpattia

**Studio:** Tavia

**Dancers:** Aidan Hoffart

## Smitty's North Albert Street - Carl and Michelle Kopeck Award

### Highest Mark Poltavsky Region 12 yrs and under

**Awarded To:** 596, Central Ukraine, 6 and under, Male Solo

**Entry Name:** Central Solo

**Studio:** Prince Albert Barveenok

**Dancers:** Jacob Winder

## Sopilka Ukrainian Dance Award

### Adjudicators Choice, Small Town, Mixed Group, Rural, 12-13

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## Years

**Awarded To:** 325, Open, 13-14 Years Old, Mixed Large Group

**Entry Name:** Malanka

**Studio:** Canora Veselka Dance

**Dancers:** Madison Auchstaetter, Ethan Chabun, Greta Craig, Chloe Doogan, Hannah Dutchak, Madison Dutchak, Mya Dutchak, Jevon Keyowski, Reid Kitchen, Isabelle Kondratoff, Tessa Prychak, Eva Romanchuk, Lindy Romanchuk

## Stan Shewciew Memorial Award

### Adjudicator's Choice: Most Promising Small Group

**Awarded To:** 63, Hutsul, 15-16 Years Old, Mixed Small Group

**Entry Name:** Hutsul

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Jack Malin, Carson Putz

## Stechyshyn Family Award

### Highest Mark Character Dance

**Awarded To:** 299, Character, 15-16 Years Old, Female Small Group

**Entry Name:** Baba's

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Lena Gabrush, Brianna Medernach, Lauren Sawitsky

## Steve Zwarych Memorial Award

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## Highest Mark Other than Poltavsky/Hutsulchyna Large Group 13+

**Awarded to:** 418, Transcarpathian, 15-16 Years Old, Mixed Large Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Transcarpathia

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Micah Anderson, Jasmine Bosovich, Ryder Boyenko, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Genevieve Jean, Asha Kardynal, Molly King, Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Julia Lischynski, Katie Lozinsky, Jack Malin, Brianna Medernach, Olivia Miller, Aislynne Olenick, Eli Olenick, Carson Putz, Lauren Sawitsky, Alexandra Shymko-Ball, Eleanor Syrnick, Petro Tarasoff, Rowyn Thompson, Abigail Vancoughnett, Lily Werezak

## Tavia Festival Award

### Highest Mark Poltavsky Region Large Group

**Awarded To:** 466, Hopak , 15-16 Years Old, Mixed Large Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Hopak

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Micah Anderson, Jasmine Bosovich, Ryder Boyenko, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Genevieve Jean, Asha Kardynal, Molly King, Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Julia Lischynski, Katie Lozinsky, Jack Malin, Brianna Medernach, Olivia Miller, Aislynne Olenick, Eli Olenick, Carson Putz, Lauren Sawitsky, Alexandra Shymko-Ball, Eleanor Syrnick, Petro Tarasoff, Rowyn Thompson, Abigail Vancoughnett, Lily Werezak

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## Highest Mark Other than Poltavsky Small Group

**Awarded To:** 63, Hutsul, 15-16 Years Old, Small Group

**Entry Name:** Hutsul - Carson, William, Jack, Lena

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Jack Malin, Carson Putz

## Tavia Festival Award

### Highest Mark Hopak

**Awarded To:** 466, Hopak, 15-16 Years Old, Large Group

**Entry Name:** Kalyna - Hopak

**Studio:** Rushnychok Ukrainian Dance

**Dancers:** Natalia Anderson, Micah Anderson, Jasmine Bosovich, Ryder Boyenko, Kenna Chrun, Avery Churchill, Taylor Folk, William Gabrush, Lena Gabrush, Genevieve Jean, Asha Kardynal, Molly King, Gabe King, Matt Lacoursiere, Julia Lischynski, Katie Lozinsky, Jack Malin, Brianna Medernach, Olivia Miller, Aislynn Olenick, Eli Olenick, Carson Putz, Lauren Sawitsky, Alexandra Shymko-Ball, Eleanor Synchronick, Petro Tarasoff, Rowyn Thompson, Abigail Vancoughnett, Lily Werezak

## UCC Saskatchewan \$250 Scholarship

### Adjudicator's Choice:

### Most Innovative/Creative Choreography \$250 Scholarship

**Awarded To:** 162, Central Ukraine, 15-16 Years Old, Female Solo

**Entry Name:** Abby Solo

**Studio:** Sopilka Ukrainian Dance School Inc.

**Dancers:** Abby Sigurdson