

Dancing star's grand finale moment today

Lucknow boy wins all-India dance contest



Harsh Singh poses with Shraddha Kapoor and Varun Dhawan after winning the championship.

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Making a musical tryst with destiny, Harsh Singh, all of 13 and till a few months ago just another student at Lucknow's Amity International School, has won the prestigious All India Dance Championship 2015, organised in Mumbai, on Friday.

Facing stiff competition from cities as low driven and talented youngsters, Harsh was adjudged the best among the top 10 dancers in the age category under 14 in India.

Under the sharp scrutiny of dance experts like Hema D'Souza, Varun Dhawan, Shraddha Kapoor, Punit, Sushant Pujari and the entire cast of ABCD-2, Harsh's story

My parents supported me throughout this journey and Danceta Dance Academy has been my first learning ground ever. I owe my success to them.

Harsh Singh

heard his real and genuine talent as a dancer possible not that denied everyone. "I am happy about winning this competition that had some great performances, for instance, the contemporary act by Tanuj of DID 1 and by Shikhar of DID 11 was striking to get a standing ovation from the judges and a 'well done' from Remo

and his dance studio. The championship award included a cash prize of Rs 5000 along with a trophy, a medal and a certificate, all of which are badges of honour for the young boy.

All India Dance Championship 2015 was organised by India's got Talent season 3 winner & ABCD-2 host Pradeep Gurung Group. And it has been held in 10 cities in India and attracted parties from about a thousand youngsters.

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Arising young star, Lucknow's very own Harsh Singh (13) is all set to make the city proud, when he appears in the grand finale of the All India Dance Championship in Mumbai on Friday.

A student of Amity International School, Harsh's rise could very well be called meteoric, as he's only been pursuing professional dancing for about six months. "I have been training under Deepankar Tewari's Danceta Dance Academy. My journey started at their workshop, which was held at my school," shares Harsh, who has already performed in front of Terence Lewis, at the DID season 3 final.

Talking about his much anticipated grand finale act, where he would be performing in front of a battery of celebrities like Remo D'souza, Varun Dhawan, Shraddha Kapoor, Raghav, Dharmesh, Punit, Sushant Pujari and the entire cast of the dance movie ABCD-2, Harsh sounds cool and composed. "I am very confident. It will be a zombie act and I will be dancing to a medley of remixes," he informs.

His family has already



Lucknow boy Harsh Singh will participate at the finals of All India Dance Championship in Mumbai on Friday.

reached Mumbai to cheer him on. Revealing his plans to chart a course towards a career in professional dancing, irrespective of the outcome of the championship, the youngster says, "My next summer vacation will be spent in Mumbai, training under the Fictitious Dance Group (on whose journey ABCD-2 is based)."

Deepankar Tewari, the young prodigy's first mentor is delighted with his success. "We first spotted Harsh during our month-long workshop at Amity. Later, he joined our academy and also took part

in our 8-day workshop at Bareilly that was conducted by Pradeep Gurung (of DID fame). In that workshop Harsh bagged a place among the top 10. With him poised to enthrall the nation at the grand finale tonight, we're all keeping our fingers crossed," he shares excitedly.

All India Dance Championship 2015 auditions were organised in 10 cities, including Mumbai, Delhi, Bangalore, Indore, Lucknow, Surat, Bhopal, Pune and Jalgaon and saw participation from about a thousand young hopefuls.

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