Filming and Instructions for Video Uploading

Guidelines for Filming

- For the video submission, please allow a maximum **4.5m x 4.5m** stage and film close to enable clear visibility of faces.
- Please film your students early, in case of illness, issues uploading or the need to refilm.
- Under **NO** circumstances may the official JUMP JAM instructional DVD/Video or video soundtrack be used during filming, immediate disqualification will occur. Please use the music CD only or MP3 file.
- Good natural lighting is essential. Limit shadows over performer's faces & bodies. (Examples shown on video link below)
- Use a clean backdrop e.g. a Curtain. Or remove all visible clutter. If possible
- Use a single camera shot from the front/middle of room. No film editing permitted.
- Use a tight frame from left to right side of picture. All team members need to be in the frame at all times. Remember we need to see faces so get as close as possible without chopping anyone out. If the odd hand, foot or arm gets cut off that's OK. Keep tight, within a **4.5m x 4.5m** frame for your staging/filming area. A common problem for judging is when teams use a bigger stage area and/or the spacing's are very wide, it is difficult to see all team members' faces/expressions clearly. Which affects their scores.
- It is highly advisable to use a Hi Definition video camera for extra clarity in landscape mode.
- We have compiled some examples of 5 team video submissions, to show you what we mean by natural lighting, tight formations and quality of camera/high-definition video. Click this link <u>Video Submission</u> <u>Examples</u>

Google Drive Uploading Instructions

- 1. Please use the music only when filming. Do **NOT** film your team using a video with Brett's voice cueing the moves.
- Save your video to your computer and rename it to your age category and school's name. E.g., Yr 7-8 Hukanui Team ABC
- 3. Open <u>drive.google.com</u>. Create a **Google Drive** account with a username and password. If you already have a username and password, open your google drive.
- 4. At the top left of the page, click the **New** button and select **File Upload** from the drop-down menu. This opens a browser window that opens your **My Documents** folder navigate to the video file and click **Open**.
- 5. This starts the upload process, which depending upon the size of the file and internet connection speed, can take some time. You will see a box that shows the progress of your file upload.
- 6. Once uploaded, on the right click the file and click **Share**, or double click to open the file and click the 3 vertical dots at the top right-hand corner of the screen, then select **Share**.
- 7. Click Get Shareable Link in the top-right corner of the sharing box. Select the link sharing option Anyone with the link can view. To see a full list of options, click More.
- 8. **Copy the URL of the shareable link** and attach to entry form **or** alternatively email it to: <u>linda@jumpjam.co.nz</u>
- 9. The video size should be at least 350mbs up to 1gb when it gets sent through to us.

Please ensure your video is never uploaded to any social media or website due to copyright laws and a condition of entry into this competition.