

Nelsonville, OH - Oct. 8, 2017

Mail Entry Deadline: Friday, Sep 22. Phone Entries to: **330-666-1163**, FAX **330-665-1862** or **online** entries accepted through Wednesday Sep 27 without a late charge.

LATE FEE: \$5 per event for additions/ deletions; \$10 per event day of contest (some restrictions)

Mail entries to and make checks payable to: TU, 700 Ghent Rd. Ste 200, Akron, OH 44333

NO CHECKS accepted the day of the contest. **NO REFUNDS**

NAME _____

(Individual or Group Director's Name)

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AGE _____ BIRTHDATE _____ PHONE _____

(Day of Contest)

E-MAIL _____

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS ENTERED: (Please **circle** or **hilit**e events)

Beg. Dress Model	\$10.00	Beg. Instate Solo	\$10.00
Int. Dress Model	\$10.00	Int. Instate Solo	\$10.00
Adv Dress Model	\$10.00	Adv. Instate Solo	\$10.00
Beg. Costume Model	\$10.00	Beg. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Int. Costume Model	\$10.00	Int. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Adv. Costume Model	\$10.00	Adv. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Nov. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Beg. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Beg. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Int. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Int. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Adv. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Adv. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Beg. Three-Baton	\$10.00
Sp. Beg Basic March	\$10.00	Adv. Three Baton	\$10.00
Beg. Basic March	\$10.00	Feature Twirler Solo	\$10.00
Adv. Basic March	\$10.00	Solo Dance Twirl	\$12.00
Beg. Military March	\$10.00	Beg. Solo Show Routine	\$12.00
Adv. Military March	\$10.00	Adv. Solo Show Routine	\$12.00
Level 1 (Sp. Beg.) Solo	\$10.00	<i>Duet Show Routine.....ea.</i>	\$10.00
Level 2 (Novice) Solo	\$10.00	<i>Duet Twirl.....ea.</i>	\$10.00
Level 3 (Beginner) Solo	\$10.00	<i>Duet Strut.....ea.</i>	\$10.00
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo	\$10.00	<i>Duet Pom or C Guard.... ea</i>	\$10.00
Level 5 (Advanced) Solo	\$10.00	<i>Duet Partner's Name and Age:</i>	
Boys/Mens Solo	\$10.00	_____	_____
Rating Festival (Lvl 1 only)	\$5.00	Color Guard or Rifle Solo	\$12.00
Interview Clinic Lane	\$10.00	Solo Pom	\$12.00

GROUP ENTRY FORM (larger form & online entry available on website)

No phone entries accepted for groups

GROUP NAME _____

Average Age: _____ Number of Members _____

Dance Twirl _____ Lvl 1 Dance Twirl _____ Poms _____ Twirl Team _____ Strut Team _____

Novelty _____ Maj. Squad _____ Color Guard _____ Corps (Type) _____

Fees: \$3.00 per member for advance entries: \$10.00 minimum - \$40.00 maximum

Late Fee: \$5.00/member; No max. NO group entries accepted after Mon. Oct. 2!

Superstars Present

Fall Twirl Fest

Twirling Unlimited Baton Competition

October 8, 2017

Nelsonville-York Middle School

2 Buckeye Dr

Nelsonville, Ohio 45764

(1 hour from Columbus, 2 hours from Charleston, 2.5 hours from Canton)

DIRECTIONS:

From Toledo, Columbus & Charleston

Take ST RT 33 to Buchtel exit. Turn East on to ST RT 78. About 1/2 mile turn left onto Buckeye Drive. School is on the left. Gym is located in Center of school Building

From Canton/Steubenville/Pittsburgh

Take 70 West to Rte 60. Follow 60 to Rte 22, then Rte 345 to Rte 93 S. Follow 93 S to New Straitsville and turn L on Rte 216. Follow 216 to St Rte 78W. Turn R on 12th St and then L on Buckeye Dr.

Doors Open 10:00 AM – Competition starts at 11:00AM

No personal chairs allowed in gym for anyone under the age of 60 (except wheelchairs).

Featuring:

Interview Clinic Lane!

Rating Festival for solo for new twirlers!

AWARDS: A system of flexible awards will be used. Divisions with 3 or less contestants:

1st place trophy, 2nd & 3rd place medals. 4-7 contestants: 1st & 2nd place trophies, 3rd place medal. 8-10 contestants: 3 place trophies. Divisions with 11-14 contestants: 1-3 place trophies, 4th & 5th place medals. 15-20 contestants: 1-5 trophies

To view rule book, contest calendar, or to enter online visit our web-site:

www.twirlingunlimited.com

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Food will be available. 2. No boots allowed on the floor. 3. Lanes will be posted. It is the obligation of a twirler to report to each lane if you have a conflict. 4. Building owner, contest director, or sponsor not responsible for accidents, property loss, or injuries. 5. Door Admission: \$5.00 for adults/ \$3.00 for children and senior citizens.

ORDER OF EVENTS

(time and order is approximate, but no event will start before listed time)

Note: If your music for any event is on CD or iPod, please bring your own player in case of technical difficulties. We can provide a mic for amplification if necessary.

11:00 Dance Twirl Teams, Level 1 Dance Twirl, Majorette Squads, Pom Teams, Color Guard, Novelty Teams, Duet Strut & Strut Teams, Twirl Teams, Corps Solo & Duet Pom & Color Guard, Solo & Duet Show Routine, Solo Dance Twirl
12:30 Beg., Int., & Adv. Dress Model
Beg., Int., & Adv. Costume Model
Special Beginner Basic March
Beg. & Adv. Basic March
Beg. & Adv. Military March
Nov., Beg, Int. & Adv. Fancy Strut
Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo, Feature Twirler Solo
Level 2 (Novice) Solo, Beg & Adv. 3 Baton
Level 3 (Beginner) Solo, Int. & Adv. Instate Solo
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo, Level 5 (Adv.) Solo, Boys Solo
Beg., Int. & Adv. Visitors Solo, Beg. Instate Solo
Beg. Int. & Adv. Two-Baton, Duet Twirl

HIGH POINT TROPHY to Nov/Beg, Int & Adv. Solo Twirler with most points earned. Division determined by solo level. All individual events count 5 pts. ea. for entering, plus pts. for awards: 5 pts. for 1st, 4 pts. for 2nd, 3 pts. for 3rd, 2 pts. for 4th, 1 pt. for 5th. (Sp. Beg. events not included) 40 pts. minimum. Forms available at registration desk.

GROUPS: AGES: Pee Wee (0-6.9); Tiny Tot (7.0-8.9); Juvenile (9.0-11.9); Junior (12.0-14.9); Senior (15 & Up)
All Teams: Small (3-5 members); *New!* Medium (6-9 members); Large (10+ members)

Dance Twirl – Use own music; One baton only; 1½-3 minutes
Level 1 Dance Twirl (same as above; twirls restricted to no more than a 1 turn)
Twirl Teams – march music; 1 ½ - 3 minutes
Duet Strut & Strut Teams – Use own music; 1 – 3 minutes
Novelty/Show Teams – must use some prop or equipment instead of, or in addition to standard baton – 1 ½ - 3 minutes
Poms – Use own music; 1 ½ to 3 minutes
Majorette Squads – Jr Hi/Sr Hi/College Short Program/ Long Program
Color Guard – Junior and Senior; Short Program/ Long Program
Production Groups: 10 members minimum; 5- 9 minutes
Corps: Floor, Street Parade and Mini – 10 baton twirling members minimum

Check TU Rules for additional specifics

INDIVIDUAL OPEN EVENTS

Beg. Dress Model – Ages 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time Limit 1:30 Max.
Int. & Adv. Dress Model – Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time 1:30 Max.
Beg. Costume Model (Best App) - Ages 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time 1:30 Max
Int. & Adv. Costume Model (Best App) – 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time 1:30 Max

Special Beg. Basic March - Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over
(Has not won two 1st places in Basic March) Awards are rosettes or medals
Beg. Basic March - Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over
Adv. Basic March - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over
Nov., Beg, Int. & Adv. Fancy Strut - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over

Beg. & Adv. Military March - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over

NOTE: TU rules limit the number of toss turns and rolls which may be executed by twirlers in the developmental levels of solo twirl. Check TU rules for specifics.

Solo Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo – No more than 1 spin/2 elbows Time: 1 to 2 min.
Level 2 (Novice) Solo – No more than 2 spins/4 elbows Time: 1 ½ to 2 min.
Level 3 (Beginner) Solo - No more than 3 spins/6 elbows Time: 1 ½ - 2 min.
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo – No more than 4 spins/8 elbows Time: 1 ½ to 2¼ min
Level 5 (Advanced) Solo - No restrictions - Time – 2 to 2 ½ min.
Boys Solo – Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over Time 1 ½ to 2 ½ min.

Feature Twirler Solo – Open to any twirler age 15+ Combination of 1 baton & novelty; standard march music; 1½ to 2 ½ minutes; 1 baton min. of 1 minute
Beg., Int. & Adv. Instate Solo – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. Time limit – same as solo classification. Ohio Residents only

Beg., Int. & Adv. Visitors Solo – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. Time limit – same as solo classification. Out of state residents only

Beg. Int. & Adv., Two-Baton - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time: 1 ½ to 2 minutes
Beg. & Adv. Three-Baton - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over; Time: ½ to 2 min.
Duet Twirl – Avg. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ March Music; 1 ½ to 2 ½ minutes

+Solo Dance Twirl - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ use own music; 1 baton only
+Solo Show Routine —*New!* **Beg. & Adv** - Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
Use own music - any type of dance with baton AND novelty
(Beg. Time :30-2 minutes; Adv Time: 1½ to 2 ½ minutes)
+Duet Show Routine – Use own music; novelties optional; Time: 1½ - 3 min.
+Solo Pom – Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (Time: 1½ min. max – use own music)
+Duet Pom – Same as Solo Pom – use averaged ages
+Color Guard Solo or Rifle Solo – Use own music, Jr or Sr, Time: Max. 3 minutes
+Color Guard Duet or Rifle Duet – Same as Solo; Use Avg. Ages
+ these events must be entered by Oct 2 to be eligible to compete for awards

Rating Festival – performance for a rating only. Not a competition. All participants receive a ribbon. For Level 1 (Special Beginner) solo twirlers only.

Interview Clinic Lane: Interview practice for comment sheet– open to all levels.