

April 28, 2024 - Towanda, PA

Mail Entry Deadline: Friday, Apr 12. Phone Entries to: **330-666-1163** or FAX **330-666-1162**
or online entries accepted through Wednesday, Apr 17 without a late charge.

LATE FEE: Add \$5 *per event* for additions & deletions; \$10 *day of contest*(restrictions apply)

Mail entries to and make checks payable to: TU, 1000 S Cleveland-Massillon Rd Ste 105B,
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 _____

Mandatory Reg. Fee \$5.00

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS ENTERED: (Please circle or hilite events)

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| Beg. Dress Model | \$10.00 | Nov. Instate Solo | \$10.00 |
| Int. Dress Model | \$10.00 | Beg. Instate Solo | \$10.00 |
| Adv Dress Model | \$10.00 | Int. Instate Solo | \$10.00 |
| Beg. Costume Model | \$10.00 | Adv. Instate Solo | \$10.00 |
| Int. Costume Model | \$10.00 | Nov. Visitors Solo | \$10.00 |
| Adv. Costume Model | \$10.00 | Beg. Visitors Solo | \$10.00 |
| Nov. Fancy Strut | \$10.00 | Int. Visitors Solo | \$10.00 |
| Beg. Fancy Strut | \$10.00 | Adv. Visitors Solo | \$10.00 |
| Int. Fancy Strut | \$10.00 | Beg. Two-Baton | \$10.00 |
| Adv. Fancy Strut | \$10.00 | Int. Two-Baton | \$10.00 |
| Sp. Beg Basic March | \$10.00 | Adv. Two-Baton | \$10.00 |
| Beg. Basic March | \$10.00 | Beg. Three-Baton | \$10.00 |
| Adv. Basic March | \$10.00 | Adv. Three Baton | \$10.00 |
| Beg. or Adv. Military March | \$10.00 | Feature Twirler Solo | \$10.00 |
| Level 1 (Sp. Beg.) Solo | \$10.00 | Solo Dance Twirl | \$15.00 |
| Level 2 (Novice) Solo | \$10.00 | Beg. Solo Show Routine | \$15.00 |
| Level 3 (Beginner) Solo | \$10.00 | Adv. Solo Show Routine | \$15.00 |
| Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo | \$10.00 | <i>Duet Show Routine.....ea.</i> | \$12.00 |
| Level 5 (Adv) or Boys Solo | \$10.00 | <i>Duet Strut.....ea.</i> | \$12.00 |
| Interview Clinic Lane | \$10.00 | <i>Duet Pom or Color Guard..ea</i> | \$12.00 |
| Rating (Level 1 solo only) | \$5.00 | <i>Duet Twirl.....ea.</i> | \$10.00 |
| Solo Pom | \$15.00 | <i>Duet Partner's Name and Age:</i> | _____ |
| Color Guard or Rifle Solo | \$15.00 | | _____ |

GROUP ENTRY FORM (larger form & online entry available on website) **Group Reg Fee \$10**

GROUP NAME _____

Average Age: _____ Number of Members _____

Dance Twirl _____ Lvl 1 Dnc Twirl _____ Poms _____ Twirl Tm _____ Strut Tm _____

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

Fees: Small: \$20 Med: \$30 Lg: \$40 ParadeCorp: \$40 Long Prog: \$45 Corps: \$50

Late Fee: Add \$10/team. No Group Entries accepted after SUNDAY Apr 21!

Towanda K-Dettes

Present

TWIRLING UNLIMITED BATON & DANCE COMPETITION

April 28, 2024

Towanda High School

1 High School Dr

Towanda, Pennsylvania 18848

(Great location for Central and Eastern PA and NY twirlers!)

DIRECTIONS:

From Altoona, Williamsport, and South

220N to Towanda Exit/US6 W, left on to State St then right on to High School Drive

From NY and North

220S to US6E, right on to State St then right on to High School Drive

From Scranton, Allentown and East

US6W to Towanda, right at end of bridge on to Main St/US6W, left on to State St,
then right on to High School Drive

From Wellsboro and West

US6E to Towanda, right on to State St, the right on to High School Drive

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

Contest Starts at 9:00 – Doors open for admission at 8:00!

Featuring: 2 Gyms!

Dance Competition!

Rating Lane for New Twirlers!

Interview Clinic Lane for all levels! (Great Practice for pageants!)

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

www.twirlingunlimited.com

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Food will be available.
2. No boots allowed on the floor.
3. Divisions will be posted at each lane. It is the obligation of twirlers 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: \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children and senior citizens.

ORDER OF EVENTS

Times & order are approximate, but no event will start BEFORE time listed

- 9:00 Dance (See insert), Color Guard, Dance Twirl Teams
Lvl 1 Dance Twirl, Majorette Squads, Pom Teams Twirl Teams,
Duet Strut & Strut Teams, Novelty Teams, Corps
Solo & Duet Show Routine, Pom Solo & Duet, Solo Dance Twirl, CG Solo
- 11:00 Beg. Int & Adv. Dress Model
Beg., Int & Adv. Costume Model
Special Beg. Basic March; Adv. Basic March
Beg. Basic March
Beg & Adv. Military March
Int., Adv, Nov. & Beg.. 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, Int & Adv Visitors Solo
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo, Nov Instate Solo, Nov. Visitor Solo
Level 5 (Advanced) Solo, Beg. Instate Solo, Beg Visitors Solo, Boys Solo
Beg. Int & Adv. Two-Baton, Duet Twirl

HIGH POINT AWARDS to Nov/Beg, Int, & Adv. solo twirler with most points earned. Division is determined by solo level. All individual events count 5 pts. for entering each event, plus points for awards: 5pts. for 1st, 4 pts. for 2nd, 3 pts. for 3rd, 2 pts. for 4th, 1 pt. for 5th. (Level 1 Solo and Sp. Beginner Basic March 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 +)

All Teams: Small (3-5 members); Medium (6-9 members); Large (10+ members)

Dance Twirl – Use own music; 1 baton per member, No Props; 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 baton only, 1 – 3 minutes

Novelty/Show Groups – must use some prop or equipment instead of, or
in addition to standard baton – 1 ½ - 3 minutes

Poms – Use own music; No props; 1 ½ to 3 minutes

School Majorette Squads – (Jr/ Sr/College) - Short: Up to 4 min./Long: 4-8 minutes

Color Guard –Junior (0-14.9) Sr (15.0+) Sm or Lg, Short Program/ Long Program

Production Groups: 10 members minimum; 4- 8 minutes

Corps: Floor, Street Parade and Mini – 10 twirling members minimum

Check TU Rules for specifics on all group events

INDIVIDUAL OPEN EVENTS

Beg. Dress Model – Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over Time Limit 1:30 Max.

Int. & Adv. Dress Model – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over 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 Appearing) – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Nov. & Beg, Int, and Adv. Fancy Strut – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over

(No specific pattern required –Time limit is 2 minutes maximum)

Special Beg. Basic March (Has not won 2 first places in Basic March)

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

Beg. Basic March – Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over

Adv. Basic March – Age: 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.

Girls Solo Levels 1-5: 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: 1½ - 2 min.

Level 3 (Beginner) Solo – No more than 3 spins/6 elbows Time: 1½ - 2 min.

Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo – No more than 4 spins/8 elbows Time: 1½ - 2¼ min.

Level 5 (Advanced) Solo - No restrictions - Time – 2 to 2½ min.

Boys/Mens 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+. Combo of 1baton &
novelty; standard march music – time: 1½ to 2½; 1 baton minimum of 1 min.

Nov, Beg., Int. & Adv. Instate Solo – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. Time limit
same as solo classification; PA residents only; Open to Boys & Girls

Nov., 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; Open to Boys & Girls

Beg. Int, & Adv. Two-Baton– Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (Time 1½ to 2 minutes)

Beg. & Adv. Three-Baton Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (Time: ½ - 2 minutes)

Duet Twirl – Avg. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ March Music; Time: 1 ½ -2 ½ min.

+**Solo Dance Twirl** - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ use own music; 1 baton only

+**Solo Show Routine** — **Beg. & Adv** - Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Use own music - any type of dance with baton & 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, Time: Max. 3 minutes

+**Color Guard Duet** or **Rifle Duet** – Same as Solo; Use Avg. Ages

+ these events must be entered by Apr 21 to be eligible to compete for awards

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

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

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NAME _____
(Individual or Group Director's Name)

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AGE _____ BIRTHDATE _____ PHONE _____
(Day of Contest)

E-MAIL _____

Individual Mandatory Reg. Fee \$5.00

EVENTS ENTERED: (Please circle events AND level)

| | | | | SOLO | DUET |
|----------------------|------|----|-----|---------|-----------|
| Jazz | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Ballet/Pointe | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Gymnastics/Acro | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Lyrical | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| HipHop | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Modern/Contemporary | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Tap (soft shoe only) | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |
| Miscellaneous Dance | BEG. | or | ADV | \$15.00 | \$12.00ea |

Duet Partner Name & Age _____

DANCE GROUP ENTRY FORM

(Larger form and online entry available on website Event Calendar
(NEW Studio entry format available online for groups and solos/duets)

GROUP NAME _____

Type of Dance Line _____

Average Age: _____ Number of Members _____

Group (One Time) Reg Fee \$10

Team Fees: Small - \$20 Med. - \$30 Lg - \$40 Production Group - \$50

Late Fee: Add \$10/team

NO Group entries accepted after Sunday, Apr 21

DANCE COMPETITION – Apr 28, 2024

Towanda HS – Towanda, PA

SOLO and DUET

(Pom Solo see twirling brochure)

Categories: Jazz, Ballet/Pointe, Gym/Acro, Lyrical, Modern /Contemporary, Tap (Soft Shoe only), Hip Hop, Miscellaneous Dance (any performance not listed above)
Time limit is 3 minutes maximum - no minimum.

Divisions: Beginner and Advanced

Solo Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over.

Duet Ages (averaged): 0-8.5, 9-11.5, 12-14.5, 15 & over

DANCE LINES

Categories: same as above (Pom Groups see twirling brochure)

Dance Line Time limit is Max. of 3 minutes

Small: 3-5 members Medium: 6-9 members Large: 10+ members

Ages: PeeWee – average age up to 6.9

Tiny Tot - average age 7.0 to 8.9

Juvenile - average age from 9.0 to 11.9

Junior - average age from 12.0 to 14.9

Senior - average age from 15.0 and up

Dance Production: Minimum of 10 members; Time 3-8 minutes

Most Athletic Associations restrict mounts. **Mounts may be no higher than thigh-high and no tossing of performers allowed.** Any groups using mounts do so with the understanding that they are exclusively responsible in case of injury.

TIME SCHEDULE & PERFORMANCE ORDER

Performance music should be ready to begin when your event is scheduled! Please bring your own music system or player as backup in case of technical difficulties.

9:00 Dance Production and Dance Lines

Followed by Dance Solos & Dance Duets

Order of Performance for Dance events will be determined by contest director and will be e-mailed to coaches the week of the competition.

Note: Any individual or duet dancer entering after Sunday, Apr 21 will perform for “comments only” (no awards) at the end of the lineup.