

Monroe HS Class of 2026

presents



REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

June 1, 2024

Monroe High School

901 Herr Rd

Monroe, Michigan 48161

DIRECTIONS:

From Dayton/Columbus: Take I 75 N to Exit 11 (Laplaisance Rd).

Continue on Laplaisance Rd through 2 traffic circles, then turn L on E. Dunbar Rd.

Turn right on Herr Rd and school is on R

From Cleveland/Pittsburgh: Take OH turnpike to I75 N; follow directions above

From Illinois, S Bend and West: Take I90E to Ohio, then take I75 N; follow above

From Detroit and North: Take I75 S to Exit 16 (Nadeau Rd), then turn R

Turn L onto M 125S (N Monroe St), then turn R onto Mall Rd

Turn L onto US 24S (Telegraph Rd), then turn R on S Custer Rd

Turn L onto Herr Rd, school is on L

From AnnArbor, Jackson and West: Take 94 E to 23 S and take exit 17

Continue on M-50 E then turn R on Herr Rd. School is on L

From Indianapolis, Ft Wayne and Southwest: Take 24E to Exit 68B to Rte 23 N

Take Exit 13 to Ida West Rd, then take slight left onto Ida East Geiger cutoff

Continue on Geiger Rd, then turn R on W Dunbar Rd

Continue on W Dunbar Rd and turn L onto Herr Rd. School is on R

Featuring:

* SEPARATE PRACTICE GYM!

*REGIONAL TU MAJORETTE PAGEANT *(with separate 18+ Age Division!)*

*BEGINNER, INTERMEDIATE & BASIC SKILLS PAGEANTS!

* REGIONAL TEAM and CORPS CHAMPIONSHIPS!

*REGIONAL SOLO & NOVELTIES CHAMPIONSHIPS!

And Open Contest!

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

www.twirlingunlimited.com

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. One of the philosophies of Twirling Unlimited is that there is too much unnecessary publicity by individual twirlers. In keeping with this, ALL the publicity concerned with Twirling Unlimited Regional Competitions will be handled through our headquarters. Each contestant winning first place and each group winning first place will be given official press releases. These, in turn, are to be submitted to the media - newspapers, televisions, etc. No publicity relating to TU contests is to be submitted in any way other than the official press releases, unless special approval is given. Failure to comply with this standard will result in rejection of future entries and participation in TU competitions.

2. Door admission: \$7.00 for adults, \$5.00 for non-competing children & senior citizens.

3. Lanes for all Regional and Open events will be posted. It is the obligation of each twirler to report to each lane if you have a conflict. No changing of position in regional competition will be allowed.

4. Awards for group events will be announced at the conclusion of group competition. Awards for all open events will be presented upon conclusion of each division. Awards for individual Regional Novelty events will be posted as tabulation is complete. Awards for Basic Skills, Beg. & Intermediate pageants will be presented when tabulation is complete near end of contest. Miss TU pageant and Regional Solo will be announced at the end of the day.

5. Building owner, contest director, Twirling Unlimited or contest sponsor are not responsible for accidents, property loss or injuries.

6. REGIONAL does not denote a geographic restriction. Contestants from any location and any organization are welcome at every TU Regional.

7. Twirlers entering pageants must also enter open solo at the same level to be eligible to compete in pageant. Adv. Twirlers may enter open, Regional and/or State solo to fulfill this requirement.

8. No Group entries, Regional event entries, or Pageant entries accepted after 5/26!

Late entries must be RECEIVED in TU office by May 26 to be accepted.

Do not mail late entries after mail deadline; they will not arrive in time!

Questions?

Address All Correspondence To:

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Akron, OH 44333

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Or e-mail: twirlingunlimited@hotmail.com

REGIONAL AND PAGEANT EVENTS

MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE (Including senior division ages)

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15-17, 18+.

Use your age as of day of contest. *Note: The designation "Regional" does not restrict the contestants who may enter, they may live in any location.*

This is a three- part contest:

A. MODELING

All divisions optional dress length or Costume. Model 50%, Interview 50%.

B. COMPETITION SOLO

One baton only – time limit 1½ to 2 ½ minutes

Performed to standard march record

C. INDIVIDUAL MUSIC EVENT (Show Routine or Solo Dance Twirl)

Performed to music of contestant's choice. Any type of twirl with dance moves are permitted. Novelties optional. Time is 1½ to 2 ½ minutes. Timing begins and ends with music. *(Please bring your own player as backup in case of technical difficulties.)*

Contestants must compete in all 3 aspects of this competition and the winner will be determined using equal credit for all 3 parts. *Note: twirlers must also enter open solo to be eligible to compete in the pageant.*

AWARDS: Trophies for 1-3 Overall

Individual medals for 1-3 in Model, Solo, IM Event

TU Regional Majorettes also receive flowers, banner and \$25 for Savings Bond

STATE SOLO CHAMPIONSHIPS (MICHIGAN)

Open to residents of Michigan only. Time limit: 1½ to 2½ minutes from salute to salute. Age Divisions: 0-8, 9-11,12-14,15 & Over.

REGIONAL SOLO

The designation "Regional" does not restrict the contestants who may enter; athletes from any organization and any geographic location may participate.

Time: 1 ½- 2 ½ minutes. Divisions: (Separate Senior Age Division!)

Individual ages (0-6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16, 17, 18,19, 20 & over) for preliminaries! Trophy for 1st place in each age! Top 2 in each age category will re-twirl for regional titles. Twirl-off ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15-17, 18+.

Twirl-off awards: Plaque and banner for 1st place, special custom Silver & Bronze medals for 2 & 3.

REGIONAL FANCY STRUT

No specific pattern required - time limit is 2 minutes maximum.

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over.

REGIONAL DUET TWIRL

Time limit 1½ to 2½ min. March Music. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (avg. ages)

REGIONAL DUET STRUT

Time: 1½ - 3 min. Use own music Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (averaged ages)

REGIONAL TWO BATON & REGIONAL THREE BATON

2 Baton Time limit is 1 ½ to 2 minutes

3 Baton Time limit is ½ - 2 minutes

Age Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over

BEGINNER (Level 3) & INTERMEDIATE (Level 4) PAGEANTS

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. Contestants will compete in Model (either Dress or Costume), Solo & Fancy Strut.

Open to all contestants regardless of geographic residence.

Banner, Trophy & Flowers for winners. 3 place awards in model, twirl & strut and 3 place winners overall. 4th overall added for groups with 11 contestants or more.

Note: Twirlers must also enter open solo at the same level to be eligible to compete in the pageant.

BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT

Restricted to Level 1 and Level 2 (Special Beginner & Novice) twirlers ONLY.

Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+. Contestants will compete in Basic March, Costume Model & Solo - 3 place awards in Basic March, Solo and Costume Model. 3 place winners overall. 4th overall added for groups with 11 contestants or more.

Note: Twirlers must also enter Level 1 or Level 2 open solo to be eligible to compete in the pageant

REGIONAL GROUP COMPETITION

(Coaches: please bring your own music player as backup in case of technical difficulties.)

GROUP AGES: Pee Wee (0-6.9); Tiny Tot (7.0-8.9); Juvenile (9.0-11.9); Junior (12.0-14.9); Senior (15.0 & over)

Corps: Minimum of 10 twirling members

Street Parade Corps - Do a U formation; 2 min. time limit

Mini Corps - 2 to 4 min. time limit. No formation requirements

Floor Corps - 5 to 9 min. time limit.

Production Groups – (10 member minimum) 5- 9 min. time limit

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

Dance Twirl – Use own music; 1 baton, no props; Time: 1½ - 3 minutes

Twirl Teams - Use standard march music. 1½ -3 minutes

Poms - Use own music, no props; Time Limit: 1½ - 3 minutes

Novelty Teams – Use any equipment other than one baton; 1½ - 3 min.

Strut Teams -Use own music, 1 baton only; Time Limit: 1 – 3 minutes

Dance Lines – all types of dance lines compete together for Regional

Color Guard (Jr & Sr) Short Program or Long Program, use own music

Open Event: Level 1 Dance Twirl Teams. For new and developing teams – level of tricks restricted: no member may do more than a 1 turn and 2 elbows. No high-toss illusions; Awards: Level 1 medallions for ea. member

Mounts restricted for all groups.

For Complete Rules Log on to: www.twirlingunlimited.com

INDIVIDUAL OPEN EVENTS

Note: Double entering 2 levels of the same open event is not permitted at Regionals.

Beg. Dress Model: length of dress optional; time limit is 1½ minutes Max

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

Int. & Adv. Dress Model: length of dress is optional; time limit is 1 ½ minutes Max.

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

Beg. Costume Model -with or without a baton - time is 1 ½ minutes Max.

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

Int. & Adv. Costume Model - with or without a baton - time limit is

1½ minutes Max. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Novice, Beg. & Int. Fancy Strut - no specific floor pattern required.

(Adv level enter Regional event)

Time limit is 2 minutes maximum Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Beg. Basic March – performed in a square singly or follow-the-leader

(judge's discretion). Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Adv. Basic March - performed in a square singly or follow-the-leader

(judge's discretion). Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

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.

Levels 1-5 Girls Solo Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo – Has not won TWO 1st places in solo competition.

Time limit is 1 to 2 minutes. No more than 1 spin/ 2 elbows; no toss illusion

Level 2 (Novice) Solo - not won 3 add'l first places in solo – time: 1½ to 2 minutes.

No more than 2 spins/ 4 elbows

Level 3 (Beginner) Solo- not won 5 additional first places in solo Time: 1 ½ to 2 min

No more than 3 spins/ 6 elbows.

Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo- not won 8 add'l 1st places in solo Time 1 ½ to 2 ¼ min.

No more than 4 spins/ 8 elbows

Level 5 (Advanced) Solo - Time limit is 2 to 2 ½ minutes. No restrictions

Boys/Mens Solo – Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time Limit: 1 ½ - 2 ½ minutes

Feature Twirler Solo –Open to ANY twirler age 15+ March Music –Combination of

1 baton & any novelty. Time Limit: 2– 2 ½ minutes (1 baton minimum of 1 min.)

Beg. & Int. Two-Baton - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over; time is 1 ½ to 2 minutes

(Adv level enter Regional event)

Beg. Three-Baton - Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & over; time limit is ½ -2 minutes

(Adv level enter Regional event)

Beginner Duet Twirl – Avg. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+; Time limit: 1½ to 2 min.

(Adv level enter Regional event)

*Color Guard Solo or Rifle/Sabre Solo – Ages 0-14, 15+ - Use own music

Time: Maximum 3 minutes.

**These events must be entered by May 26.*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(Times and order are approximate, but no division will start before time listed)

9:00 Dance Twirl Teams, Level 1 Teams
Pom Teams, Strut Teams
Twirling Teams, Novelty Teams
Street Parade Corps, Mini Corps, Floor Corps, Production Groups

GROUP AWARDS

11:00 (approximate time)

Beginner, Intermediate & Advanced Dress Model (Open)

Modeling & Interview for **MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE**

Modeling for **BEG. (Level 3) & INT. (Level 4) PAGEANTS**

Beg, Int, Adv Costume Model (Open)

Costume Model for **BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT**

Intermediate Strut; **REGIONAL FANCY STRUT**

Beginner & Advanced Basic March

Basic March for **BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT**

Beginner & Novice Open Strut; **Strut for INT (Level 4) PAGEANT**

Strut for BEG. (Level 3) PAGEANT

Beg. Three-Baton, **REGIONAL THREE-BATON**

Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo, Level 2 (Novice) Open Solo

Level 5 (Advanced) Open Solo, Level 4 (Intermediate) Open Solo

Level 3 (Beginner) Open Solo

REGIONAL SOLO Prelims

Solo Twirl for **BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT**

Competition Solo for **MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE**

Solo Twirl for **BEG. (Level 3) & INT. (Level 4) PAGEANTS**

REGIONAL SOLO Twirl-Offs

STATE SOLO, Feature Twirler Solo, Boys Solo

Beg. & Int. Two-Baton, **REGIONAL TWO-BATON**

Beg Duet Twirl & **REGIONAL Duet Twirl**

Individual Music Event for **MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE**

AWARDS for **REGIONAL NOVELTY CHAMPIONSHIPS** will be posted.

Specially designed Gold, Silver, Bronze medals for top 3 in each division!

AWARDS for **REGIONAL SOLO and PAGEANTS** will be announced

near the end of the day when tabulation is complete.