

Mail Entry Deadline: Jan. 24, Phone Entries To: 330-666-1163 or Fax 330-665-1862 accepted through Friday, Jan. 26 at noon without a late charge.

LATE FEE: \$3.00 per event for additions and deletions; \$5.00 per event day of contest.

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

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

NAME _____ 2/4
(Individual or Group Director's Name)

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AGE _____ BIRTHDATE _____ PHONE _____

E-mail _____

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS ENTERED: (Please Circle or Hi-lite 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. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Beg. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Int. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Int. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Adv. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Adv. Visitors Solo	\$10.00
Nov. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	College Solo or Boys Solo	\$10.00
Beg. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Beg. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Int. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Int. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Adv. Fancy Strut	\$10.00	Adv. Two-Baton	\$10.00
Sp. Beg Basic March	\$10.00	Beg. Three Baton	\$10.00
Beg. Basic March	\$10.00	Adv. Three Baton	\$10.00
Adv. Basic March	\$10.00	Solo Show Routine	\$12.00
Beg. Military March	\$10.00	Duet Show Routineea.	\$10.00
Adv. Military March	\$10.00	Duet Twirlea.	\$10.00
Level 1 (Sp. Beg.) Solo	\$10.00	Duet Strutea.	\$10.00
Level 2 (Novice) Solo	\$10.00	Duet Pomea.	\$10.00
Level 3 (Beginner) Solo	\$10.00	Duet Partner's Name and Age:	
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo	\$10.00	_____	_____
Level 5 (Advanced) Solo	\$10.00	Color Guard or Drum Solo	\$12.00
Pom Solo	\$10.00	Basic Twirl Solo or Basic X	\$5.00
Interview Clinic Lane	\$10.00	Rating Festival	\$5.00

GROUP ENTRY FORM

GROUP NAME _____

Avg. Age: _____ Number of Members _____

Dance Twirl ___ Poms ___ Twirl Team ___ Strut Team ___ Novelty ___

Color Guard ___ Maj. Squad ___ Production Group ___ Corps (Type) _____

Fees: \$2.50 per member for advance entries: \$30.00 max. - \$9.00 minimum

Late Fee: \$3.00 per member/ 4.00 per member day of contest - No maximum!

IDA BAND BOOSTERS PRESENT

Twirling Unlimited Baton Twirling Competition

FEBRUARY 4, 2012

IDA HIGH SCHOOL – 2 GYMS!
IDA, MICHIGAN 48140

DIRECTIONS: From US 23 to Exit 13, then go East 4 ½ miles to Ida, go south on Lewis Ave. to Ida Street. Go east on Ida Street to the school.

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

Featuring: Interview Clinic Lane - Open to all levels!
(may be done during Best Appearing or Group Events)

THE ANNA HODAK MEMORIAL NOVICE SOLO TWIRL OFF PLAQUE

To be awarded to the winner of the Novice Solo Twirl Off.

All Novice 1st place winners in their age division will compete in the Twirl Off. This award will be held annually in Ida, Michigan

AWARDS: A system of flexible awards will be used. For divisions with 3 or less contestants: 1st place trophy, 2nd & 3rd place medals. 4-7 contestants: 1st and 2nd trophies. 3rd place medal; 8-10 contestants: 3 place trophies; 11-14 contestants: 1-3 trophies, 4th & 5th medals; 15-20 contestants: 5 trophies; 21-25 contestants: 6 trophies. For each 5 contestant increase, a trophy will be added.

To view rule book, contest calendar, other brochures, 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 each 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 donation: \$5.00 for adults; \$3.00 for children & senior citizens.

ORDER OF EVENTS

(times are approximate, but no event will start before time listed)

Groups and soloists using individual performance music on CD should bring your own player. We will have one available, but frequently CDs will not play on foreign players – the volume and speed may be seriously affected.

- 9:00 Dance Twirl, Majorette Squads, Corps, Production Groups
Pom Teams, Strut Teams, Duet Strut, Twirl Teams, Color Guard
Novelty Teams, Solo & Duet Pom, Color Guard Solo
Solo & Duet Show Routine
- 12:00 Special Beginner Basic March and Basic Twirl Solo
Beg. & Adv. Basic March
Beg. & Adv. Military March
- 1:00 Beg. Int. & Adv. Dress Model
Beg. Int. & Adv. Best Appearing (Costume Model)
Nov. Beg. Int. & Adv. Fancy Strut, Basic X Strut
Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo, College Solo
Level 2 (Novice) Solo, Level 3 (Beginner) Solo, Int. & Adv. Instate Solo
Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo, Beg. , Int. & Adv. Visitors Solo
Beg. Instate Solo, Boys Solo, Level 5 (Adv.) Solo
Beg. Int & Adv. 2-Baton, Beg. & Adv. 3-Baton, Duet Twirl

HIGH POINT AWARD to solo twirler with most points earned. Beg. Int. and Adv. (division is determined by solo classification). All solo 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 and 1 pt for 5th. (Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo and Special Beginner Basic March not included.). 40 points minimum (forms available at registration desk)

GROUPS: Ages: Pee Wee (0- 6.9); Tiny Tot (7.0-8.9); Juvenile (9.0-10.9); Junior (11.0-13.9); Senior (14 & Up)

All Teams: Small (3-5 members); Medium (6-10 members); Large (11+ members)

Dance Twirl Teams– Use own music; 1½-3 minutes

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

Pom Teams – Use own music; 1½ to 3 minutes

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

Color Guard – Junior and Senior; Short Program/ Long Program

Production Groups: 10 members minimum; 5- 9 minutes

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

Check TU Rules for 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. Best Appearing (costume) – Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+(Time: 1:30 Max)

Int. & Adv. Best Appearing (costume) – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

Nov., Beg, Int, and Adv. Fancy Strut – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 +
(No specific pattern required –Time limit is 2 minutes maximum)

Special Beg. Basic March– Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 +
(Never won 1st place in Basic March)

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

Adv. Basic March – Age: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 +

Beg. & Adv. Military March – 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.

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.

College Solo – combination of one-baton and novelty; use standard march – music – time limit 1 ½ to 2 ½; one baton minimum of 1 minute

Beg., Int. & Adv. Instate Solo – Michigan residents only.

Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 + Time limit – same as solo classification

Beg., Int. & Adv. Visitors Solo – Non-Michigan residents only

Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 + Time limit is same as solo classification

Beg. Int, & Adv. 2-Baton– Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time limit 1½ to 2 min

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

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

Solo Show Routine – Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over – Use own music – any type of dance with baton (novelties optional)– time limit 1½ to 3 minutes

Duet Show Routine –Same as Solo Show – Use averaged ages

Solo or Duet Pom – Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (1 ½ min. max – use own music)

Color Guard Solo or Rifle/Sabre Solo – Use own music, Time: Max. 3 minutes

Basic Twirl Solo – all contestants perform the same prescribed routine

Basic X Strut – all contestants perform the same prescribed strutting routine

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

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

May be done any time during Dress Model, Best Appearing or Group Events