

TTI ALL STATE TEAM AND BOOSTER CLUB PROUDLY PRESENTS
Jamison Baskett Memorial Open Invitational Contest

March 28, 2009

Lexington High School, 284 White Street, Lexington, TN.

Directions: From Nashville or Memphis, take Interstate 40. Take Exit #108. Go south on Hwy 22. School is on the right and approximately 10 minutes off of the interstate.

CONTEST DIRECTORS: Jan Miller and TTI Board of Advisers.

For more information call 901-388-5878 or 901-487-5733. E-mail: BossDJ4@aol.com

DEADLINE: Entries must be received by March 14, 2009.

ADMISSION: Adults \$5.00 Students \$2.50 Twirlers Free. Set System \$2.50

Saturday, March 28, Doors open at 7 am. Contest starts at 8 am.

MOTELS: EconoLodge, 732 W. Church Street (Hwy 412)
\$44.95 plus tax. 731-968-0171 Reservations must be made by **March 14th** to receive this special rate.
Mention "baton twirling competition" when making your reservations.

GENERAL RULES:

- 1) Entry must be clearly printed or typed. Only one individual or group entry per form. Entries that are not legible will be returned. Pair entry/payment must be sent by 1 member. All participants must sign a waiver of liability to participate.
- 2) Individual and team entries must include USTA membership ID number. If we cannot prove your memberships, you must join as a Member for A Day on the day of the contest.
- 3) Athlete will compete the age they will be the calendar year January 1 – December 31, 2009.
- 4) USTA membership (regular & family) fees must be made payable directly to USTA. **USTA member for a Day is \$8.00 for one day only and may be made payable along with your contest entry fee.**
- 5) Make Money Order, Certified Funds or Cashiers Checks payable to TTI Student Activity Fund for entry fees.
- 6) No personal checks, business checks, phone entries, fax or e-mail entries accepted.
- 7) **Deadline to receive entry is March 14, 2009. ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER MARCH 14.**
- 8) Contest Director, TTI Board of Advisers or host facility will not be responsible for lost items or accidents.
- 9) Contest will run on the USTA Set System.
- 10) USTA Rules and Regulation and USTA judges will be used at this event.
- 11) NO FOOD, SMOKING OR DRINKS will be permitted in the building. TTI Booster Club will serve food at a nominal fee. No outside food or coolers allowed in the building.
- 12) No flash photography allowed at USTA contest.
- 13) NO REFUNDS will be given for any reason.
- 14) If athlete makes a mistake on his/her entry, mistakes will not be corrected and the athlete or group will not be permitted to perform.
- 15) Contest Director reserves the right to divide or combine age groups as the entries warrant.
- 16) Groups, Pre-Trials and Trials Athletes will be critiqued on cassette tapes.
- 17) Age divisions for all competitions: 0-8, 9-12, 13-16, 17-20, 21 and over.
- 18) Age divisions for pairs: Primary – combined ages of 16 and under. Juvenile – combined ages of 17-24, Junior – combined ages of 25-32, Senior – combined ages of 33 and over.
- 19) **AWARDS:** Trophies for 1st and 2nd places, medals 3rd through 9th places.
- 20) Group Awards: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places plaques. Ribbons for all athletes according to their placement (1st, 2nd or 3rd).
- 21) Dress Modeling: Crown, banner, and trophy 1st place, 2nd place trophy, 3rd through 9th place medals. We will have Junior(0-15) and Senior Grand Champions(16 and over) in the following advanced events only.....Girls Solo, Men's Solo, Dance-Twirl, Strut, Two Baton and Three Baton.
- 22) **Contest Wins:** Novice – Never won a 1st place in that event. Beginner – less than 5 wins in said event. Intermediate – won less than 10 - 1st place in said event. Competitive 1st places count when competing with one other person in an event regardless of association.
- 23) **ORDER OF APPEARANCE:** 7:00 A.M. Doors Open 8:00 A.M. Contest Starts : Dress Modeling, Team and Corps Competition, Team Retreat and Awards, Parade, Basic, Military L, Presentation, Solo Twirl, Pairs, Rifle, Flag, Two Baton, Three Baton, Strut, Dance-Twirl, Compulsories and Trials/Pre-Trials Critiques.
- 24) Parade Routine will be 64 counts (8 count intro) and dress modeling will be done in any formation – 1minute per twirler. Any length dress or gown permitted.
- 25) USTA rules will be used on Strut routines.

Complete entry form and mail to:

Jan Miller
6147 Shade Tree Drive
Bartlett, TN 38134

Make money orders payable to: TTI Student Activity Fund
Deadline to receive entry: March 14, 2009

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FOR JAMISON BASKETT MEMORIAL OPEN CONTEST

Name _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____

USTA # (Required) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

E-mail Address _____ Fax Number _____

Please **ONLY** list fax or e-mail address if you wish to receive confirmation and important correspondence regarding this competition. *We will only send your confirmation by e-mail or fax.*

PRICE LIST:

Dress Modeling \$12

Advanced Events \$12 per event

All other individual events (novice, beginner, intermediate) \$10.00 per event

Pre-Trials Critiques with cassette comments \$15

Pairs \$6 per twirler x 2 = \$12 (beginner, intermediate or advanced pairs)

Compulsories \$12

The following events are non-sanctioned through USTA: Novice Strut, Beginner Flag, Intermediate Flag, Parade, Dress Modeling

CIRCLE ALL EVENTS YOU WISH TO ENTER:

Solo:	Novice	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Strut:	Novice	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Dance-Twirl:	Novice	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Two Baton:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Three Baton:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Flag solo:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Parade:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Basic Strut:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Military L:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Presentation:		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced
Rifle				Advanced
Pairs: (combined ages) _____		Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced

Name of two twirlers _____ send entry for both with this form

DRESS MODELING **PRE-TRIALS CRITIQUES**

COMPULSORIES EVALUATION:

List compulsories you wish to be evaluated: _____

Total Entry fees \$ _____ (add .50 USTA surcharge)

Member for a Day \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____ Money Order or Cashier's Check

GROUP ENTRY FORM \$35 per group or team

Group Name _____ Number of Members _____

Circle Correct Division for your team: Beginner _____ Advanced _____

Age Divisions: Tiny Tot (all under 7) Primary (0-9) Juvenile (10-12) Junior (13-15) Senior (16 and over)

Small (4-8 members) _____ Large (9 + members) _____

Dance-Twirl Team Twirl Team Parade Corps Show Corps Level _____

Directors Name _____ Phone () _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

****Director must enclose a list of all member's names, ages, birthdates, and USTA ID numbers for each member. Also each Guardian must sign the below waiver to compete. Team Subtotal \$ _____ (Add .50 USTA surcharge per team or group entry)**
TEAM TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____ (cashiers check or money order)

Waiver/Indemnity of Liability: I agree to assume the risk that may occur to me, my child or my group as a result of participation in a USTA sanctioned event. I further agree to indemnify and hold the Unites States Twirling Association, its agents or employees harmless from any loss they may sustain as a result of injury to me (or my child or my group) as a result of my participation in USTA events. I have read the " Parents/Legal Guardians Responsibilities" and as a condition for the USTA's acceptance of my child' s (or my) entry in a USTA event,

I agree to abide by and perform each of the duties that are set forth in that statement.

FORM MUST BE SIGNED: SIGNATURE _____ (Guardian) Date _____