Central Arkansas Winter Twirling Festival

January 28, 2017   8:30 am doors open at 7:30 am

Contest Director: Janice Jackson Seamands
Sanction #2227
Hendrix College Health and Wellness Center Gym  Gym is across Harkrider Street from the main Hendrix campus
Conway, AR  30 miles NW of Little Rock
From I40 west, exit #127 and go left on Oak St, hwy64, to Harkrider and turn right.  From I40 east, exit #127 and go right on oak, hwy64, to Harkrider
The Wellness Center is at intersection of Harkrider and Siebenmorgan.
Front doors face Harkrider

Entry Deadline: December 30, 2016  All entries must be postmarked by this date.  **Any entry postmarked after this date will incur a $25.00 late fee. Absolutely no refunds will be made under any circumstances. No entries accepted on the day of contest.

There is a facility surcharge per entry of $25.00.  This is in place of any admission fees charged at the door.  Spectators Welcome!

Release forms must be signed for every contestant. No entry will be accepted without a signed release form and full payment. Please, no phone or email entries

Make checks payable to and mail to Janice Jackson Seamands
1089 Front Street  Conway, AR 72032
Returned Check Fee  $35.00

NBTA rules will be in effect
Event results will be posted as tabulation is completed
Modeling events will be held first. All individual music events will be held at the end of the day.

Awards
Pageant events: 1st-3rd awards
Team/Group events: 1st place trophy, 2-3 awards
Solo events:  1st-3rd
NBTA rules do not allow NOVICE contestants to receive trophies
NBTA rules state that 1st Contest awards must be ribbons
1st - 5th awards will be given in novice categories
NBTA competition age is determined by the contestants’ age as of September 1, 2016
1st Contest contestants have never competed before
Novice contestants have won fewer than 3 1st place awards
Beginner contestants have won fewer than 5 1st place awards
Intermediate contestants have won fewer than 8 1st place awards
Please forward this information to anyone who may be interested.

Events

Winter Twirling Festival Pageant
1/5 modeling and interview  2/5 x strutting  2/5 twirling solo
Beginner and Intermediate model in solo or strut costume
Advanced model in dress
Adv 0-6  Little Miss  model in short party dress
Adv 7-9  Juvenile  model in short party dress
Adv 10-12 Pre-Teen model in short or long dress
Adv 13-15  model in long dress
Adv 16+  Senior Model in long dress
College  model in long dress

Mini Pageant  contestants will be judged on modeling and a short sit down interview at judges table.  All modeling done in dress or attire of choice
0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Contestants shall first model in circle T pattern and at judges’ signal, approach table for interview.

Basic Skills Pageant  novice contestants only
1/5 costume modeling NO interview  2/5 basic strut  2/5 solo twirling
0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+

Dance Twirl and Twirling Teams  small 4-6 members  large 9 or more members
Average Age: Tiny Tot 0-7.9  Juvenile: 8-10.9  Junior: 11-13.9  Senior: 14+
Half-Time Show Teams  Kinder 0-5.9  Primary 6-10.9  Junior High 11-13.9
Senior High 14-17.9  College 18+
Trio  average age Juv 0-10.9  Jr 11-13.9  Sr 14+
Duet Twirl  combined ages 0-18, 19-24, 25-30, 31+

Dress Modeling  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+
Best Appearing  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  model in costume
Best Costume  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+
Presentation  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+
Basic Strut  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Novice, Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced
Military Marching  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Beginner, Advanced
X Strut  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Novice, Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced, College
Solo  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+, College

2 Baton  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Novice, Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced
3 Baton  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  Beginner, Advanced
Show Twirl  0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  individual music  (end of contest)
Rhythmic Twirl  7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+  advanced solo twirlers only
Collegiate Twirl

Jr. High Field Solo  Sr. High Field Solo
(standard competition music)

Jr. High Group Field Routine  Sr. High Field Group Routine
(school music)

Ratings Events:  Contestant will perform for judge for a comment sheet only and will receive a ribbon award.  You do not compete against anyone else.  No individual music
In order to enter ratings solo or strut, contestant must be entered in same event in competitive events.

Team members not entered in individual events must include the surcharge with the team entry.  Team directors, please list each member’s name and age.  Send in each team entry on a separate sheet and circle correct division.
**All group entries must include a signed release form for each member.**

**Individual and Group Entry Form**

Entry Deadline: December 30, 2016 **No refunds given**

Make checks payable to and send entries to Janice Jackson Seamands
1089 Front St Conway, AR 72032

Contestant Name_________________________________ Age as of 9-1-16________ Birth date__________________
Address________________________________ City_________ State ____ Zip _______
Telephone______________ Cell Phone_____________ email_________________________
Instructor _______________________ phone_______________ email__________________

List all group entries on separate sheet with names, ages and birth dates as of 9-1-16

** circle correct division for each event entered and fee for event

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Ratings events $8.00 each  All Late Ratings Events $10.00 each

Write in event you wish to do (no individual music unless special permission is given). You may do any of
the events listed in our competition and may enter same event more than once. Individuals and Groups
may participate in Ratings.

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Contestant Name_________________________________

Total Competition Entry Fees.................................................................$________

Total Ratings Fees .................................................................$________

Facility Surcharge .................................................................$25.00

Cash Enclosed................................................................. $________

Make checks payable to and send to
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Participants Liability Release Form

This form **must be signed** by parent of competitor and received by contest director **before** entry can be accepted and processed. **All participants must have this on file along with entry before performance may be done.**

Each of us hereby releases the Central Arkansas Winter Twirling Festival, its directors, officers, agents, volunteers, and/or employees and Hendrix College from any and all liabilities. With the acceptance of this form, the undersigned hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Central Arkansas Winter Twirling Festival, its directors, officers, agents, volunteers, and/or employees and Hendrix College from any and all liability in connection with the Central Arkansas Winter Twirling Festival.

Participant’s Name ________________________________ Age ____________

Contestant’s Signature ________________________ date_____________

Parent/Guardian Signature ________________________ date__________

Contest Director: Janice Jackson Seamands
501 733-1131  
jjtwrldnc@aol.com

Please share this entry with anyone who may be interested!

It’s a good idea to make and keep a copy of your entry form.

2017 Upcoming Events:

February 18  North Texas Valentine Twirling Festival  
Dallas, TX  Dallas Christian College

March 4 Mid South Regional Championships and MM of the  
Mid South and full Open Contest  Hendrix College

June 3 AR State Championships and MM of AR and  
full Open Contest  Hendrix College

July 5-7 Superstarzzz Baton Twirling Camp  Hendrix  
College  Conway  (we will release at  1:00pm on  
Friday)