5th Annual

Winterfest Twirling Competition

January 29th, 2022

Opelika High School

1700 Lafayette Pkwy, Opelika, AL 368011

General Information

ENTRY DEADLINE

Saturday, January 8th, 2022 - All entries must be postmarked by this date. Any entries not submitted before this date will be subject to a late fee. **No new entries will be taken after Friday, January 14th due to the set system**.

COVID SAFETY

Covid protocols are ever changing and difficult to predict. Our hope is to have normal conditions for Winterfest 2022 but understand that any protocols issued by the facility will be enforced. Updates will be given prior to the event and in a timely manner.

LOCATION & TIMES

Opelika High School
1700 Lafayette Pkwy.
Opelika, AL 36801

SATURDAY, January 29TH

Arena

Doors open at 7am (not before)
8am – All Team Events – followed by full floor individual events (Arena)
12pm – 30 Minute Lunch Break
12:30 – All Individual Events

Main Street Gym

9:30am – Modeling for all Ages

Schedule is subject to change. A final time schedule will be emailed once all entries have been received

CONTEST T-SHIRT

We will have an official contest T-shirt this year. They are $20 each and range from child's small to adult extra-large. The shirts can be pre-ordered and be picked up when you arrive. There will also be a few on sale during the event as well.

CONTEST DIRECTOR

Holly Mullen - (334) 734-1351
Email – winterfesttwirling@gmail.com

Payment Options

Mail Cashier's Check To:
Miss Winterfest, C/O Holly Mullen
1392 Aberdeen Lane, Auburn, AL 36830

Request PayPal Invoice
There will be a 5% service charged added

Venmo
@Holly-Mullen-2
Include contestant's name

CONFIRMATIONS

We will email individual confirmations a week after the deadline so please include your email on the entry form. We will not mail any confirmations. Team directors will receive drafts of team schedule for review.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

* No flash photos allowed in the gymnasium.
* Videotaping is limited to your child's routines only. No taping of others without permission. This includes group competition.
* Score sheets and awards will be available during the contest except for the Pageant events.
* Contest director, Opelika City Schools or Opelika High School Band are not responsible for accidents, property loss or injury.
* The contest will operate on the set system. The program book included with facility fee will include information on the event, set and lane the contestant will perform.
* Concessions will be available throughout the competition and benefit the Opelika High School Band. Help support a great band program.
* Group directors are asked to submit music via Dropbox and bring a backup method to the competition. More information will be emailed.

Event Information

Order of Events

Teams/Show twirl/Rhythmic, Modeling/Best Appearing, Basic/Military, Strut, Solo and Multiple Baton, Pageant Awards

Miss Winterfest Pageant

Contestants compete in Modeling **(no interview)** 20%, Strut (**X, FS, I, USTA**) 40% and Solo 40%. All will model in costume. Open to all ability levels and solo determines division.

Winterfest Basic Skills Pageant

Contestants compete in Modeling **(no interview)** in costume 20%, Basic strut 40%, and Solo 40%. Solo determines ability level, and this event is only open to **Novice** twirlers.

Winterfest Strut Queen

Contestants in all divisions Model **(no interview)** in costume and compete in Basic March and Military. If you are in Adv. Basic or Adv. Military, you must compete in Advanced Strut Queen.

Special Novice Solo

Open to all who have never won a first in any solo event regardless of affiliation. Win does not count towards advancement.

NEW EVENTS

Trio

A Trio is a group of 3 members whose routine is a blending of dance steps or series in combination with the baton, coordinated with the music.

Primary: Members are an average age of 9 years or younger
Juvenile: Members are an average age of 10-13 years
Junior: Members are an average age of 14-17 years
Senior: Members are an average age of 18 years or older

Twirl Mania Event Prep

We are offering multiple TwirlMania events for those registered for the 2022 event**. TM Rules APPLY.** Those events include:

- TwirlManiac D/T (combined Beg & Int)
- Twirl Mania Gold Freestyle
- Twirl Mania Gold Multiple Batons
- High School and Collegiate Classic

INDIVIDUAL EVENT AGES

Age groups based on your age as of 9/1/21 and will be divided into the following divisions

0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16+.

Each age division will also be divided into skill levels. Due to being an unsanctioned contest, we ask that you compete the same level as your current twirling organization.

Uncontested Events/Advancement

Winterfest wins occurring in uncontested events, will **NOT** count towards advancement

Time Limits/Music

Event	Time	Music
Modeling	1:00 Max	Variety of slow favorites
Basic Strut		March Music
Military		March Music
Strut	2:00 Max	Twirl Mania – Time After Time
Solo	Nov. :30 – 2:00 Beg. 1:30 – 2:00 Int. 1:45 – 2:10 Adv. 2:15 -2:30	Variety of fast and fun music
Multiple Baton	2:00 Max	Variety of fast and fun music
Duet	Beg. 2:00 Max Adv. 2:30 Max	Variety of fast and fun music
Trio	3:00 Max	Provide own music
Show Twirl	2:00 Max	Provide own music
Rhythmic	2:30 Max	Provide own music
Dance Twirl	3:00 Max	Provide own music
Halftime	3:00 Max	Provide own music

Need More Information??

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winterfesttwirling@gmail.com
(334) 734-1351

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Individual Entry – Winterfest 2022

Name_____Birthdate____/____/____Age (on Sept. 1, 2021) _____

Address_____City_____St_____Zip _____

Phone (___)____-_____Email_____

Teacher (required) _____

Pageant Events

Miss Winterfest Pageant (Modeling (no interview)/Strut/Solo - Solo determines division)
❑ Beg ❑Int ❑Adv $50.00 _____

Winterfest Basic Skills Pageant (Modeling, Basic & Solo – Novice Solo twirlers only)
❑Nov $35.00 _____

Winterfest Strut Queen (Modeling (no interview)/Basic March/Military)
❑ Beg ❑ Adv $25.00 _____

Open Events

Best Appearing		❑Beg		❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Basic Marching		❑Beg		❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Military Marching		❑Beg		❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Strut - X - FS - I - USTA Circle	❑Nov	❑Beg	❑Int	❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Solo	❑Nov	❑Beg	❑Int	❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Special Novice Solo (NEVER won a 1st in any Solo Event)					❑All	$10.00 _____
Two-baton	❑Nov	❑Beg	❑Int	❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Three-baton		❑Beg		❑Adv		$10.00 _____
Show Twirl					❑All	$15.00 _____
Rhythmic Twirl (Advanced soloists only)				❑Adv		$20.00 _____
Twirl Maniac Challenge Dance Twirl		❑ Beg/Int				$15.00 _____
TwirlMania Gold Multiple Baton				❑ Adv		$10.00 _____
TwirlMania Gold Freestyle				❑ Adv		$20.00 _____
High School Classic				❑ All		$20.00 _____
Collegiate Classic				❑ All		$20.00 _____
Trio				❑ All		$10.00 _____

Trio Members _____(all must registered & pay to be entered)

Duet	❑Beg	❑Adv		$10.00 _____

Duet partner_____(both must register & pay to be entered)

Contest Entry/Gym Fee & Program Book (fee required – one per family) $15.00

TOTAL (See payment options in general contest information) _____

☐ Cashier's Check ☐ PayPal Invoice ☐ Venmo

Winterfest 2022 Group Entry Form

Team Name Director

Address

City State Zip

Email Phone

Group Name / Num of Members / Cost ($8 per)					
	Dance Twirl	School Groups	Small (4-8)	Adv	Kinder (0-5.9
	Halftime	Jr. High DT	Large (9+)	Beg	Primary (6-8.9)
	Pom Pon	Jr. High ½			Preteen (9-11.9)
	Danceline	Sr. High DT			Junior (12-14.9)
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		Collegiate			College (18+ ½ Time only)
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Coaches - Reminder to attached roster for each team registered

Winterfest Apparel

Winterfest t-shirts are available for pre-order which I recommend in order to guarantee correct size. T-shirts will be long sleeve and feature this year's Winterfest logo. Only a limited number of t-shirts will be available the day of competition therefore you are encouraged to pre-order. T-shirts are available to individual twirlersand groups. To ensure correct size, please include this order form with your entry.

Group Instructors: We do not want your team members to be left out. You can submit t-shirt orders withyour entry, and they will be delivered to you the day of competition.

Individual Twirlers: You will receive your t-shirt and program book at the registration table the morning ofthe competition.

Winterfest T-Shirt Order Form

Name or Group:_____

Size:	# T-shirts	Cost per	Total
Child Small		**$20**	
Child Medium		**$20**	
Child Large		**$20**	
Adult Small		**$20**	
Adult Medium		**$20**	
Adult Large		**$20**	
Adult X-Large		**$20**	
Adult XX-Large		**$24**	
Adult XXL		**$24**	
Total T-Shirts	_____	**Total Cost**	**$**_____

Great deals!

SPECIAL RATES

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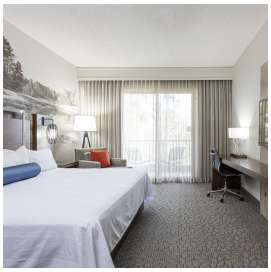

AUBURN MARRIOTT OPELIKA RESORT & SPA AT GRAND NATIONAL

RATE: $109/night
DEADLINE: Book by December 31, 2021 to receive rate
DETAILS: Click to book
DISTANCE: 7.1 miles or 13 minutes to Opelika High School
PHONE: (334) 741-9292

HAMPTON INN & SUITES OPELIKA

RATE: $94/night
DEADLINE: Book by January 14, 2022 to receive rate
DETAILS: Click to book
DISTANCE: 6.1 miles or 13 minutes to Opelika High School
PHONE: (334) 745-4311

OTHER AREA INFORMATION

- Group/Team Friendly Dining Options
- Explore other events going on in the area!
- Fun activities for the whole team!
- Guides & Maps

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