

# Midwest Regional Championships 2025

In conjunction with an OPEN Contest!



**Class A NBTA Sanctioned**

**Specific non-sanctioned events open to twirlers from All Organizations!**

**June 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> 2025**

**Mehlville High School**

**3200 Lemay Ferry Rd, St. Louis, MO 63125**

**DIRECTIONS TO GET TO MEHLVILLE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL:**

**FROM ST. LOUIS**

**TAKE I-270 SOUTH TO LEMAY FERRY ROAD EXIT. LEFT (NORTH) ON LEMAY FERRY ROAD TO SCHOOL ON RIGHT.**

**Contest Directors: Emily Wicks Hawkins & Kelly Clark Wicks**

**Sponsored By: Saint Louis Performance Academy and Mehlville Majorettes**

**Entry Deadline- Postmarked by May 2, 2025!!**

**\*\*There will be a late fee for open events after this deadline\*\***

**Mail entry to: SLPA Boosters Attn: Emily Wicks Hawkins  
P.O. Box 510304 St. Louis, MO 63151**

***CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ST. LOUIS PERFORMANCE ACADEMY, LLC (SLPA, LLC)***

**A returned check will be assessed a \$30.00 fee.**

**If you would like to pay with a credit card a 4% fee will be added to the entry total. ONLINE ELECTRONIC ENTRY FORM IS AVAILABLE @ [www.saintlouisperformanceacademy.com](http://www.saintlouisperformanceacademy.com) after submission Emily will email you an invoice by 05/07/2025 where you can promptly pay with your credit card\*\***

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

1. Practice gym will be available.
2. Freestyle events in our open contest are designed to accommodate all organizations and styles of twirling. Acro is allowed. Each contestant will receive a comment sheet and participants will be ranked for placement. Divisions will be determined based on entries received.
3. **Schedule:** Saturday: NBTA Regional Solo Competition & OPEN Solo Competition. Sunday Morning: Regional and Open Team/Corp Competition. Regional Award Ceremonies and solo routines with their own music (show twirls, etc.) will take place on either Saturday or Sunday depending on entries. More exact contest times to come a week prior once entries are received.
4. Soft rubber soles on gym floor.
5. Directors send in team entries & group roster.
6. **REGIONAL CONTEST DEADLINE: May 2, 2025.** NO LATE REGIONAL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. Sorry, NO Refunds.
7. **OPEN CONTEST DEADLINE: May 9, 2025, 2025.** If entry for open events is postmarked after 05/02/2025, include late entry fee of \$5.00 per event entered. Late entries must be received by May 9, 2025. Sorry, No Refunds.
8. In the spirit of safety, courtesy, and fairness to all, NBTA encourages voluntary cooperation limiting video taping to: (A) Parent videotaping own child (B) Teacher videotaping own student (C) Group Director/appointed person videotaping own group or corps (D) Safety first applies, no tripods, extension cords or artificial lights. Common sense prevails. No videotaping will be permitted in immediate area behind or around judges or official contest tables.
9. No flash photography will be allowed in the gym areas.
10. **Admission for contest:** In order to eliminate lines to enter the building, there is a processing fee of \$15.00 that has to be included with each entry. This fee applies to individual team members as well. If there is more than one child in a family competing, or if your child is in teams and solos, then only one processing fee will be paid. This is a flat fee that includes the State & Open Contest.
11. **Program Book:** Will be available digitally day of for free! QR codes will be provided for you to easily access contest information on your smart phones.
12. **PLEASE FOLLOW** SAINT LOUIS PERFORMANCE ACADEMY on Facebook & Instagram. Also visit our website as Important Information including hotel info etc. will be posted here under the NBTA Midwest Regional Tab.

### Tee Shirt & Tank Info:

- Midwest Regional Twirling Championship commemorative Tee Shirt & Tank will be available for purchase. Please indicate your size and quantity desired on the entry form.
- Tee Shirts & Tanks are \$20.00 each.
- Personalization on Back is an additional \$6.00

**Pre-Order Item ONLY**



# 2025 N.B.T.A. MIDWEST REGIONALS CHAMPIONSHIP & OPEN CONTEST ENTRY

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER \_\_\_\_\_ DUET/TRIO PARTNER(S) NAMES + AGE(S) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS (required) \_\_\_\_\_

## **SIGNING OF THE FOLLOWING HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CONTEST.**

In order to induce Kelly Clark Wicks & Emily Wicks Hawkins to accept this application of the undersigned for the baton twirling competitions, I hereby release indemnity and hold harmless Kelly Clark Wicks & Emily Wicks Hawkins, Directors, the Mehlville Majorettes & SLPA, LLC, Assistants, the National Baton Twirling Association, The Mehlville School District, their agents, employees, representatives, board members and assigns from any and all claims, injuries or actions, that arise out of my participation in this baton twirling competition on behalf of myself, my heirs, assignees, legatees, agents or representatives. I further understand that my participation in this baton twirling competition is purely voluntary and that I enter into this agreement knowingly and voluntarily.

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PARENT SIGNATURE (OR APPLICANT SIGNATURE IF 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER)

## **CIRCLE EVENTS TO BE ENTERED** (please see second page for continued entry)

<b><u>OPEN EVENTS</u></b>				<b><u>NBTA REGIONAL EVENTS</u></b>			
Miss Summer Queen (dress model & interview)	\$25.00	Int. Solo	\$10.00	Nov. Regional Pageant (costume model, strut, solo)	\$55.00	Int. Regional Solo	\$20.00
Nov. Miss St. Louis Pageant (model, strut & solo)	\$35.00	Adv. Solo	\$10.00	Beg. Regional Pageant (costume model, strut, solo)	\$55.00	Adv. Regional Solo	\$20.00
Beg. Miss St. Louis Pageant (model, strut & solo)	\$35.00	Boys Solo	\$10.00	Int. Regional Pageant (costume model, strut, solo)	\$55.00	College Regional Solo	\$20.00
Int. Miss St. Louis Pageant (model, strut & solo)	\$35.00	Nov. 2 Baton	\$10.00	Adv. Miss Majorette of the Midwest (dress model, strut, solo)	\$60.00	Boys Regional Solo	\$20.00
Adv. Miss St. Louis Pageant (model, strut & solo)	\$35.00	Beg. 2 Baton	\$10.00	College Miss Majorette of the Midwest (dress model, strut, solo)	\$60.00	Nov. Regional 2 Baton	\$20.00
Nov. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Int. 2 Baton	\$10.00	Nov. Regional Modeling	\$20.00	Beg. Regional 2 Baton	\$20.00
Beg. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Adv. 2 Baton	\$10.00	Beg. Regional Modeling	\$20.00	Int. Regional 2 Baton	\$20.00
Adv. Best Appearing	\$10.00	Beg. 3 Baton	\$10.00	Adv. Regional Modeling	\$20.00	Adv. Regional 2 Baton	\$20.00
Nov. Basic Strut	\$10.00	Adv. 3 Baton	\$10.00	Nov. Regional Basic Strut	\$15.00	Beg. Regional 3 Baton	\$20.00
Beg. Basic Strut	\$10.00	Duets or Trios Beg. OR Adv.	\$5.00 each	Beg. Regional Basic Strut	\$15.00	Adv. Regional 3 Baton	\$20.00
Adv. Basic Strut	\$10.00	Show Twirl	\$20.00	Adv. Regional Basic Strut	\$15.00	Regional Duets or Trios Beg. OR Adv.	\$15.00 each
Nov. X-Strut	\$10.00	Rhythmic Twirl	\$20.00	Nov. Regional X-Strut	\$20.00	Regional Show Twirl	\$30.00
Beg. X-Strut	\$10.00	Collegiate Solo with own music	\$20.00	Beg. Regional X-Strut	\$20.00	Regional Rhythmic Twirl	\$30.00
Int. X-Strut	\$10.00	Downfield High School OR College	\$15.00	Int. Regional X-Strut	\$20.00	Regional Collegiate Solo with own music	\$30.00
Adv. X-Strut	\$10.00	Non-Sanctioned High School Solo with own music	\$20.00	Adv. Regional X-Strut	\$20.00	Regional Downfield High School OR College	\$20.00
Nov. Solo	\$10.00	Rating Lanes (comment sheet, no scores) Model, Strut, Solo, 2-Baton, 3-Baton	\$8.00 each	Nov. Regional Solo	\$20.00		
Beg. Solo	\$10.00	Freestyle Events (Please email the contest director if you are looking to put non-sanctioned events on the floor and categories will be created accordingly)	\$10 each	Beg. Regional Solo	\$20.00		

**TEAM & CORPS ENTRY:**

\*Team sizes and age divisions per NBTA Rules for Regional Competition\*

\*Open Teams are “freestyle” events. 3:00 max. Team to provide music. Minimum of 2 people.

All group entries and payment must be sent in by the group director and include - Contact information for director, Roster of Members, Birthdates & category. Also, please include \$20.00 per organization with entry for the gym fee.

**Entry Deadline: May 2, 2025**

**OPEN TEAM ENTRY FEES:**

*Small Twirl & Dance Twirl Teams	\$40.00
*Half Time Teams and all other teams and corps	\$55.00

**REGIONAL TEAM ENTRY FEES**

*Small Twirl & Dance Twirl Teams	\$60.00
*Half Time Teams and all other teams and corps	\$75.00

**TOTAL ENTRY FEES:** \_\_\_\_\_

TEE ORDER: Size: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$20.00

TANK ORDER: Size: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$20.00

Personalization: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$6.00

GYM FEE: \$15.00

**TOTAL INCLUDED:** \_\_\_\_\_

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