



A.A.U. OHIO ASSOCIATION AND WEST VIRGINIA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND OPEN NBTA CONTEST

DATE: Saturday, MAY 16, 2009

DEADLINE: POSTMARKED BY APRIL 30, 2009 FOR ALL AAU EVENTS

TIME: 10:00 AM DOORS WILL OPEN AT 8:30 AM

CONTEST DIRECTOR: Tonda Scarbury, 740-418-1290 or 740-286-4275

WEST VIRGINIA CONTACT: Lorraine Bailey, lbailey45wv@citynet.net, 304-655-8549

SPONSORS: SHOW DOLLS BATON CORPS

LOCATION: JACKSON COUNTY YMCA, 594 E. MAIN STREET, JACKSON, OHIO 45640

HOTEL INFORMATION

COMFORT INN: 605 E. MAIN STREET, JACKSON, OH. 740-286-7581

DAYS INN: 972 E. MAIN STREET, JACKSON, OH. 740-286-3464

RED ROOF INN: 1000 ACY LANE, JACKSON, OH. 740-288-1200

A.A.U. REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Winning at this competition will give you the title of AAU DISTRICT CHAMPION! So, even if you are unable to attend the Junior Olympic/Nationals in De Moines, Iowa on July 27 through August 7 this year, you will still hold the title of A.A.U. Regional Champion. You **MUST** be a member of the A.A.U. in order to compete in **ANY** AAU event. All athletes and coaches must be a member of their AAU District and must be able to present their 2008 AAU Membership Card at check in or purchase one before the contest begins. You may contact your local AAU District to obtain a card by calling 1-800-AAU-4USA or register instantly online at www.aausports.org and clicking on the Join Now button. Make sure to make a copy of the card at the completion of your registration.

NEW! Elite Solo Division for all age groups! Show Twirl Team Division!

Adult (ages 20+) & Collegiate (through age 24) Solo! (Eligible to win Regional Titles! Adult division NOT held at the Junior Olympics)

THIS CONTEST IS A QUALIFIER FOR THE 2009 AAU JUNIOR OLYMPIC GAMES BATON TWIRLING NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE HELD IN DE MOINES, IOWA- July 27 – August 7, 2008.

The following will qualify from each AAU District per each status level and age division.

SOLO – One, Two, Three, Multiple, Strut, Hoop, Flag, Challenger – 10 Athletes

SOLO FREESTYLE and SOLO DANCE TWIRL – 6 Athletes

DUETS, TRIOS, TWIRLING & DANCE TWIRL TEAMS, STREET PARADE, NOVELTY SHOW TWIRL TEAM – 6 Groups

TWIRLING CORPS, PARADE CORPS – All corps that compete at an AAU District Championship will be invited to attend the Junior Olympic Games.

THERE IS NOTHING JUNIOR ABOUT THE AAU JUNIOR OLYMPIC/NATIONALS!!

With over 500,000 athletes and 37 sports, the Amateur Athletic Union is the largest multi-sport in the world. Founded in 1888, the AAU joined forces with Walt Disney World in 1996. The AAU is partnered with The United States Olympic Committee, the National Federation of State High Schools Association, NFL Flag Football, USA Basketball, and Women's Basketball Journal. Programs include The AAU Junior Olympic Games and National Championships, AAU Youth Excel Scholarship program, Presidential Physical Fitness Award and the Presidential Sports Award to name a few. Regional athletes among 14,000 amateur athletes who competed in 23 sports at the 2007 Junior Olympic Games and National Championships in Tennessee, winning Gold, Silver, and Bronze. **You** can compete in this year's Games in Detroit by qualifying at this **A.A.U. District Championship**. Athletes can receive information about competing in the Junior Olympic Games on the AAU national Website: www.aausports.org. The Baton Twirling Handbook of rules may also be found at this website.

NBTA NON-SANCTIONED CONTEST

This portion of the contest is open to anyone and any organization. NBTA rules will be followed. This will run first to give your team or individual a chance to warm up before the District Championships. Your age for the open contest will be as of September 1, 2007.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- AAU age is determined by how old you are the first day of the Junior Olympic/National competition for your sport which is July 27, 2009.
- You may find the AAU rules for all sports online at www.aausports.org.
- NBTA rules for the Open Events. Age is determined by September 1, 2008.
- To compete in the AAU events, you **MUST** be a current member of AAU. Membership year is September 1st through August 31st. Register online at www.aausports.org. If you have a current AAU membership in another sport, you may use that number for **ALL** AAU sports.
- To compete at the AAU Junior Olympic Games, individuals and teams must compete and qualify at an AAU District, Regional, or District Championship during the current competitive season in each event that you wish to enter in at the JO Games.
- Check-In: For those of you who do not have a current AAU Membership Number be prepared to purchase a membership at check in.
- Food will be served all day. No food or drinks except water are allowed in the gym or dressing room areas.
- Contestants are responsible for reporting to their lanes on time. Failure to do so may result in disqualification. No Refunds!!
- Only contestants and officials are permitted on the competition floor.
- AAU coaches may purchase an AAU Coach's shirt online.
- Parents are responsible for damage to the building and grounds.
- Building owners, Sponsors, and Contest Director, are **NOT RESPONSIBLE** for accidents, injuries, theft, or the loss of personal property!!!
- No Refunds
- No Smoking inside the building.
- Director has the right to make changes necessary to keep the contest running smoothly.

- There will be a \$3.00 door fee for all spectators.
- All AAU Corps and Teams MUST have a roster sheet attached for each corps or team entered per category. This is REQUIRED.
- Attach a copy of each member's AAU Membership Card to save time at the registration desk.
- All solo events will start promptly after team events
- Gymnastic stunts/skills are not allowed in most of AAU Baton Twirling Events. Check the AAU Baton Twirling Handbook for the events in which you are allowed to use them.
- Athletes should be entered in the proper status level according to the number of wins they have received in each event.
- All wins count in all cases, regardless of which organization the win was achieved. An athlete may be beginner in solo one baton and novice in solo two batons.
- Cash only day of contest. No personal checks !!!



AAU CHAMPIONSHIP INDIVIDUAL QUALIFYING EVENTS

Solo One Baton	Novice: 0-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-20 Beg. Int. Adv. Elite & Boys 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 Challenger: 0-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-20
Solo Two Batons	Novice: 0-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-20 Beg. Int. Adv. Elite & Boys 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 Challenger: 0-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-20
Solo Three Batons	Beg. Adv. Elite & Challenger: 0-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Multiple Batons Solo	Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Strut L-T-X	Novice: 0-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-20 Beg. Int. Adv. Elite & Challenger: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Basic Strut	Nov. Beg. Int. Adv. & Challenger: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Military Strut	Nov. Beg. Int. Adv. & Challenger: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Hoop	Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Flag	Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Solo Freestyle	5-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20
Solo Dance Twirl	5-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20



AAU TEAM AND CORPS QUALIFYING EVENTS

Twirling Duets (Combined Age) Beg: 0-12, 13-18, 19-24, 25-40 Adv: 0-18, 19-24, 25-30, 31-40
Challenger: 0-12, 13-18, 19-24, 25-40

Trios (Average Age) Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-12, 13-20

Twirling Team (Average Age) Small 3-8 Members Large 9 & More Members
Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-7.99, 8-10.99, 11-13.99, 14-20

Dance Twirl Team (Average Age) Small 3-8 Members Large 9 & More Members
Beg. Adv. & Challenger: 0-7.99, 8-10.99, 11-13.99, 14-20

Novelty Show Twirl Team (Approved gymnastic tricks allowed, see rules)
0-9, 10-13, 14-20

Show Twirl Team (NEW) 0-9, 10-13, 14-20

Street Parade Team 0-9, 10-13, 14-20

Small Twirling Corps 0-9 (10-18 members), 10-13, 14-20 (12-20 members)

Large Twirling Corps 0-9 (19 + members), 10-13, 14-20 (21 +members)

Small Parade Corps 0-9, 10-13, 14-20 (10-16 members)

Large Parade Corps 0-9, 10-13, 14-20 (17 + members)

To calculate average ages for teams, add all athletes' ages together, and then divide the sum by the number of athletes on the team.



AAU OHIO ASSOCIATION OFFICIAL INDIVIDUAL QUALIFIER

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____, OHIO ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____

EMAIL: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ AGE AS OF JULY 27, 2008: _____

AAU MEMBERSHIP # _____

COACH'S NAME: _____

COACH'S ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ EMAIL: _____

AAU SOLO EVENTS AGE AS OF JULY 27, 2009 _____

ONE BATON NOV BEG INT ADV ELITE CHALLENGER BOYS

TWO BATON NOV BEG INT ADV ELITE CHALLENGER

THREE BATON BEG ADV ELITE CHALLENGER

MULTIPLE BATON BEG ADV ELITE CHALLENGER

STRUT NOV BEG INT ADV ELITE CHALLENGER
STYLE X T I L

BASIC STRUT NOV BEG INT ADV CHALLENGER

MILITARY STRUT NOV BEG INT ADV CHALLENGER

FREESTYLE 5-9 10-12 13-15 16-20

SOLO DANCE TWIRL 5-9 10-12 13-15 16-20

HOOP BEG ADV CHALLENGER

FLAG BEG ADV CHALLENGER

of Individual Events _____ @ \$10.00 per event =Total \$ _____

SEND ONLY MONEY ORDERS OR CERTIFIED CHECKS PAYABLE TO: TONDA SCARBURY

AAU OHIO ASSOCIATION TEAM & CORPS QUALIFIER

\$5.00 PER ATHLETE PER DIVISION

TEAM OR CORPS NAME: _____

TEAM OR CORPS AVERAGE AGE: _____ NUMBER OF MEMBERS: _____

COACH: _____

COACH'S ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ Email _____

Twirling Duet Beg. Adv. Challenger Partner's Name: _____
Partner's Name: _____

Trio Beg. Adv. Challenger Partner's Name: _____
Partner's Name: _____
Partner's Name: _____

Small Twirling Team Beg. Adv.
 0-7.99 8-10.99 11-13.99 14-20

Large Twirling Team Beg. Adv.
 0-7.99 8-10.99 11-13.99 14-20

Small Dance Twirl Team Beg. Adv.
 0-7.99 8-10.99 11-13.99 14-20

Large Dance Twirl Team Beg. Adv.
 0-7.99 8-10.99 11-13.99 14-20

Novelty Show Twirl Team 0-9 10-13 14-20

Show Twirl Team (New) 0-9 10-13 14-20

Street Parade Team 0-9 10-13 14-20

Small Twirling Corps 0-9 10-13 14-20

Large Twirling Corps 0-9 10-13 14-20

Small Parade Corps 0-9 10-13 14-20

TOTAL OF TEAMS ENTERED: _____

Large Parade Corps 0-9 10-13 14-20

TOTAL \$ _____

NBTA OPEN CONTEST NON-SANCTIONED

CORPS (STREET, PARADE, TWIRLING, SHOW PRODUCTION, MILITARY):per member.....\$2.00
TWIRL TEAMS: (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00
DANCE TWIRL TEAMS: (BEG, ADV).....per member.....\$2.00
POM PON TEAMS: (ONE DIVISON) (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00
HALF-TIME TWIRL TEAMS: (ONE DIVISION) (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00
DUETS: (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00
TRIOS: (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00
DANCE TWIRL TRIOS: (BEG, ADV)per member.....\$2.00

QUEEN: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV){DRESS} 1MINUTE.....\$5.00
FANCY BEST APPEARING: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV) {COSTUME} 1 MINUTE.....\$5.00
BASIC STRUT: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV).....\$5.00
FANCY STRUT: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (NOV, BEG, INT, ADV).....\$5.00
MILITARY STRUT: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV).....\$5.00
SOLO: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (NOV, BEG, INT, ADV).....\$5.00
SHOW TWIRL: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 {USE OWN MUSIC} 1:30-2:30\$5.00
RHYTHMIC TWIRL: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 {USE OWN MUSIC} 2:00 – 2:30.....\$5.00
2-BATONS: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (NOV, BEG, INT, ADV).....\$5.00
3-BATONS: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (NOV, BEG, INT, ADV).....\$5.00
HOOP: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV).....\$5.00
FLAG: 0-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-20 (BEG, ADV).....\$5.00

INDIVIDUAL OPEN EVENTS

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ EMAIL: _____

D.O.B. _____ AGE AS OF SEPT. 1, 2008: _____

COACH: _____ PHONE: _____

COACH'S EMAIL: _____

CORPS OR TEAM OPEN EVENTS

GROUP NAME: _____ #OF MEMBERS _____

DIRECTOR: _____ PHONE: _____ AVG. AGE: _____

EMAIL: _____

AVERAGE AGE DIVISIONS: TOTS 0-7.99 JUVENILE 8 – 10.99 JUNIOR 11 – 13.99 SENIOR 14 – 20

TEAM SIZE: SMALL (4-8 MEMBERS) LARGE (9 OR MORE MEMBERS)

CORPS STREET PARADE TWIRLING SHOW PRODUCTION MILITARY
 (10 OR MORE MEMBERS) TOT JUV JUNIOR SENIOR

DANCE TWIRL TOT JUV JUNIOR SENIOR
 BEG ADV SMALL LARGE

TWIRL TEAM TOT JUV JUNIOR SENIOR
 BEG ADV SMALL LARGE

HALF-TIME SHOW TOT JUV JUNIOR SENIOR
 BEG ADV SMALL LARGE

TRIO TOT JUV JUNIOR SENIOR
 BEG ADV (NAMES) _____, _____, _____

DUET BEG ADV (NAMES) _____, _____
 0-18 19-24 25-30 31 & OVER

QUEEN 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 ADV ONLY

FANCY BEST APPEARING 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 BEG ADV

BASIC STRUT 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 BEG ADV

FANCY STRUT 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

MILITARY STRUT 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 BEG ADV

SOLO 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

SHOW TWIRL 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 BEG ADV

RHYTHMIC TWIRL 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 ADV ONLY

2 BATONS 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

3 BATONS 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

HOOP 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

FLAG BATON 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

TALL FLAG 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-15 16-20 NOV BEG INT ADV

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE

In consideration of the acceptance of my entry, I, intending to be legal bound do hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive, release, and discharge any and all rights and claims for damages, which I may, or which may thereafter occur to me against the AAU, the Host LOC, the competition venue or their respective officers, representatives, employees, agents, successors, and/or assigns for all damages which may be sustained by me in connection with my association with or entry in the above competition, or which may arise out of my traveling to or from said competition listed above.

I, or we, grant to the Directors, Assistants, or assigned chaperone of this event to act as guardians/spokesman in granting permission for emergency treatment/hospitalization (including anesthesia) if necessary, for my child en route to or from or at the sit of AAU event or hospital or other medical facility. I understand that should a health emergency arise, I will be attempted to be notified, but hat if I cannot be reached by telephone, such medical treatment as deemed necessary by competent medical personnel is authorized.

I hereby authorize the AAU to allow the reproduction, dissemination, and/or publication of my name and likeness for media coverage, public relations, or any other purpose which may involve the use of photographs, films, and/or video tape recording. This is to be done in conjunction with my participating in the AAU event, and I understand and agree that I may neither pay a fee or receive individual p promotional consideration for my participation in this event, nor will I receive any payment for the possible commercial use of my name or likeness.

**AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE MUST BE SIGNED BY BOTH ATHLETE AND THE
PARENT OR GUARDIAN!**

(Signature of Athlete) (Date) (Signature of Parent/Guardian) (Date)

Parent/Guardian Telephone Numbers: Work _____
Home _____

INSURANCE: AAU membership provides excess medical insurance for any member athlete participating in an AAU-sanctioned practice or event. If the athlete has other medical coverage, theirs will be applied first, followed by AAU Insurance.



AAU ROSTER (MAKE COPIES SO YOU WILL HAVE ENOUGH FOR EACH TEAM ENTERED)

No.	Name of Athlete	Age as of 7/27/09	Solo One Baton Level	City	State
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THIS MUST ACCOMPANY OFFICIAL AAU ENTRY FORM. NOT REQUIRED FOR THE OPEN NBTA CONTEST