



Essentials Meet

Saturday, May 1, 2021

Deadline for Registration: Received by 4/24/21
Absolutely no late or unpaid registrations accepted

At: Our Savior New American School
140 Mark Tree Road
Centereach, NY 11720

Sanctioned by the US Twirling Association
Hosted by the NY Twirling Council

WAIVER/RELEASE FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES INCLUDING COVID-19

ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY / INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

In consideration of being allowed to participate on behalf of the United States Twirling Association athletic program and related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to MRSA, influenza, and COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation with regards to protection against infectious diseases. If, however, I observe any unusual or significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS the United States Twirling Association their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian, with legal responsibility for this participant, have read and explained the provisions in this waiver/release to my child/ward including the risks of presence and participation and his/her personal responsibilities for adhering to the rules and regulations for protection against communicable diseases. Furthermore, my child/ward understands and accepts these risks and responsibilities. I for myself, my spouse, and child/ward do consent and agree to his/her release provided above for all the Releasees and myself, my spouse, and child/ward do release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees for any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's/ward's presence or participation in these activities as provided above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE, to the fullest extent provided by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

Name of participant: _____

Participant/Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date signed: _____

Note: The signed waiver/release should be kept on file by the sports organization for at least 7 years and possibly longer if the player has contracted a serious illness.

Before Arrival – download the Remind App

During a contest, normally announcements of important information are made in the gym over the sound system. Since we will only have a few people at a time in the gym, the Remind App will be our go-to way to make all of these announcements. We will have regular updates of where we are in the contest (set #). Use this link to sign up: <https://www.remind.com/join/mayesse>

Arrival at contest – what to expect:

If there is a line, be sure that you and your athlete stay 6 feet apart from others.

2 checkpoints upon arrival:

- Temperature checks and screening questions
 - A temperature above 100.2 denies you entry.
 - Any (1) YES answer to the screening questions, at the front door, will also keep you from entering. Those questions are:
 1. Have you had Covid-19 symptoms in the past 14 days?
 2. Have you had a positive Covid - 19 test in the past 14 days?
 3. Are you currently waiting for results from a Covid-19 test?
 4. Have you been in close contact and/or live with a confirmed or suspected Covid-19 case in the past 14c days?
- Get wristband and athletes will receive a white paper lunch bag for mask so they don't have to leave their mask on the floor while competing (feel free to bring some markers to decorate your bag while you are waiting) – must arrive with your athlete to get your wristband; then, if you need to leave during the session and come back with your athlete, we will know you belong!
 - Number of spectators is limited to a MAXIMUM of (1) per athlete. Please leave all other family and friends at home or in the car. A manual count is taken at the door to control the number inside the gym. If you are asked to delay entering it is because the spectator count has maxed out. Thank you for your cooperation.

Safety measures – strict enforcement of rules

First, if you are feeling sick, have any Covid symptoms, or have been exposed to someone who has tested positive for Covid, PLEASE STAY HOME! This is the easiest way to protect others.

Masks are required and must be worn over the nose and mouth for all those entering the building. Twirlers may remove their mask while performing (or they may leave it on - whatever they are comfortable with). Neck gaiters are not acceptable in place of a mask.

Rotating spectators – More information to follow.

Please be sure to maintain social distancing in the stands and throughout the building.

Lots of sanitizer & Clorox wipes

If you test positive after the contest, please email us immediately so that we can begin contact tracing to let people know they should quarantine (we will not release your personal info!!!) I will be the only person who knows.

No costume changes in building; please plan to wear the same costume all day

Eating Inside the gym – no food or drink – the only exception is athletes and they may have water.

The contest director and NYTC President reserve the right to enforce these protocols and remove anyone not in compliance.

OTHER IMPORTANT NOTEWORTHY INFORMATION

1. This entire event is Non-competitive to satisfy NYS restrictions.
2. No late registrations will be accepted. This is to eliminate all money handling onsite. The deadline is **“Received on or before April 24, 2021.”**
3. All athletes participating must be a USTA member or pay a non-member fee. Go to www.ustwirling.com for more information.
4. A signed waiver **MUST** be submitted with your paid registration form.
5. No REFUNDS will be given for any reason.
6. There will be no admission at the door.
7. We will not sell a program - we will email a final copy so you can plan accordingly.
8. All staff at this event are volunteers from the NY Twirling Council.
9. We appreciate your support and cooperation! Please feel free to reach out with any questions.

New York Twirling Council Essentials Meet: Saturday, May 1, 2021

Entry Deadline: Received by April 24, 2021

Mail to: Deb Doherty at 85 Birch Street, Floral Park, NY 11001

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____. Age as of 8/31/21 _____

USTA Member Number _____ Twirling Organization: _____

Coaches (list all this past year): _____

Address: _____

Phone Number _____ Parent/Guardian: _____

Email: _____

CAS EVALUATION: \$10.00 (Levels C-BII). \$15.00 (Levels A-Elite & Short Program)

Athletes may only attempt 2 levels of Compulsories and/or Movement per event.

Compulsories: \$10.00 each.	C.	B.	B1.	BII
Compulsories: \$15.00 each.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite
Movement Technique: \$10.00 each.	C.	B.	B1.	BII
Movement Technique: \$15.00 each.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite
Short Program Critiques Only: \$15.00		JR	SR	(Elite ONLY)

_____ Events @ \$15 = \$ _____. # _____ Events @ \$10 = \$ _____

Athletes MUST present their record book

CRITIQUES \$20.00 EACH

Freestyle: JUV	JR.	SR	Level: A.	AA.	AAA	Elite.	No Level
Pairs:	JR	SR	Pairs Partner:	_____			

_____ Critiques @ \$20 = \$ _____ (# of critiques accepted may be limited)

Coaches email for critiques: _____

INDIVIDUAL Events: Critiques Only \$12.00 each.

Nov USTA Strut	Nov Artistic Twirl.	Nov 2 Baton.	Nov 3 Baton.	Nov Solo	# _____ Events
Beg USTA Strut	Beg Artistic Twirl.	Beg 2 Baton.	Beg 3 Baton.	Beg Solo	@ \$12 = \$ _____
Int USTA Strut	Int Artistic twirl.	Int 2 Baton.		Int Solo	
Adv USTA Strut.	Adv Artistic twirl.	Adv 2 Baton.	Adv 3 Baton.	Adv Solo	

PAIRS EVENTS : Critiques Only \$30.00 PER PAIR

Artistic Twirl Pairs: NOV BEG INT ADV
AT Pairs Partner: _____ USTA #: _____ Birthdate: _____ # _____ Events
@ \$30 = \$ _____

Duet: NOV BEG INT ADV
Duet Partner: _____ USTA #: _____ Birthdate: _____

Waiver/Indemnity of Liability: I agree to assume the risk of any injury that might happen to my child as a result of participation in the US Twirling Association NYTC Essentials Meet in New York. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the US Twirling Association, NY Twirling Council, Our Savior New American School, and their agents or employees from any loss they may sustain as a result of injury to my child as a result of participation at the US Twirling Association, NYTC Essentials Meet.

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature (for duet/artistic pair partner) _____

Group Entry: *Critiques Only

Organization _____ Director _____

Phone () _____ . Email: _____
Address _____

Coach(es) _____

Attach a list of members, ages, birth dates, USTA Member ID#s, average ages, and musical selection(s) for each team/corps.

Small Twirl Teams -	\$20 per event.	Circle or Highlight				
Primary Small Twirl Team	Novice.	A				# _____ Events
Juvenile Small Twirl Team	Novice.	A.	AA			@ \$20 = \$ _____
Junior Small Twirl Team	Novice.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite	
Senior Small Twirl Team.	Novice.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite	

Large Twirl Teams -	\$20 per event.	Circle or Highlight				
Primary Small Twirl Team	Novice.					# _____ Events
Juvenile Small Twirl Team	Novice.	A.	AA			@ \$20 = \$ _____
Junior Small Twirl Team	Novice.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite	
Senior Small Twirl Team.	Novice.	A.	AA.	AAA.	Elite	

Small Dance Twirl Teams -	\$20.00 per event.	Circle or Highlight				
Tiny Tot Small Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		# _____ Events
Primary Small Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		@ \$20 = \$ _____
Juvenile Small Dance Twirl Team.	Novice	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced.		
Junior Small Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		
Senior Small Dance Twirl Team.	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		

Large Dance Twirl Teams -	\$20.00 per event.	Circle or Highlight				
Tiny Tot Large Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		# _____ Events
Primary Large Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		@ \$20 = \$ _____
Juvenile Large Dance Twirl Team.	Novice	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced.		
Junior Large Dance Twirl Team	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		
Senior Large Dance Twirl Team.	Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced		

Trio Events.	\$20.00 per event.	Circle or Highlight				
Novice.	Beginner.	Intermediate.	Advanced			# _____ Events
Primary.	Juvenile.	Junior.	Senior			@ \$20 = \$ _____

Artistic Groups. **\$30.00 per event.** One Division Number of Artistic Events: _____ x \$30.00 _____

Parade Corps. **\$30.00 per event.** One Division Number of Parade Corps: _____ x \$30.00 _____

Entertainment Corp **\$30.00 per event.** One Division Number of Entertainment Corps _____ x \$30.00 _____

Show Team **\$30.00 per event.** Number of Show Teams _____ x \$30.00 _____
Primary Juvenile Junior Senior

***Unsanctioned**

All Checks payable to NY Twirling Council (please do not staple checks to entry)

Individual Total: _____

Group Total: _____

Member for a Day (\$5) _____

USTA Surcharge Individual Event: .50 (required)

USTA Surcharge for Groups: # of Groups x \$1: _____

TOTAL PAID: _____

WAIVER: _____

Mail to: Deb Doherty, 85 Birch Street Floral Park, NY 11001

Questions: Contact Deb at 516-316-9347 or email at

ddoherty824@gmail.com

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