



MEGA TEAM COMPETITION

SATURDAY AT 8:00AM

Beginner & Intermediate - A/AA

Grand Ballroom - Second Floor
(RING 3)

followed by Advanced - A/AA

Grand Ballroom - Second Floor
(RING 8)

The Mega Team competition is a special team event, separate from the NASKA Demo Team event and/or the NASKA Synchronized Team event. It requires a minimum of 10 team members.

The Mega teams will compete at 8am on Saturday in Rings 3 and 8 (see above)

Teams with 10 competitors and more are considered "Mega teams." There are two divisions:

- **Beginner/Intermediate** mega teams must have a majority of competitors under the rank of brown belt. Belt colors of all ranks (including black belt) may be part of a Mega team as long as the majority are lower than brown belt.
- **Advanced** mega teams must have 50% or more of its members at brown belt or higher.

Mega teams will be judged on the following criteria:

- **Synchronization** - The "tighter" teams are, the higher their scores will be. Teams who perform "on count" will not be scored as highly as teams who do not. If music is included, the synchronization of team movements to the music will be a factor in judging.
- **Execution** - The individual performances of team members should be judged as they would in individual competition.
- **Presentation, Creativity, and Difficulty** – As in individual form competition, more creative and/or difficult forms, performed well, will score higher than easier forms that are performed equally well.

Please note: Music is optional in both Beginner and Advanced Mega Team competition.