

# Together We Dance Ompetition



## **ALEXANDRIA MN TWD- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24**

**Location:** Alexandria High School 4300 Pioneer Rd SE, Alexandria MN

Tentative times your dancer will be at competition by class. These are subject to change slightly and a final schedule will be sent out the Monday or Tuesday the week of competition.

Wee Combo-KICK & JAZZ (2nd & 3rd): 9:00am-12:00pm (these 2 classes run back to back)

Wee Hip Hop (2nd & 3rd): 12:30pm-2pm

Mini Combo-KICK (4th & 5th): 7:15am-8:45am Mini Combo-JAZZ (4th & 5th): 9:30am-11:00am

Mini Hip Hop (4th-9th): 11:45am-1:30pm (falls under Mini Hip Hop for competition)

**Pom (2nd-5th):** 1:15pm-2:45pm **Lyrical (4th-9th):** 3:00pm-4:45pm

Middle Combo-JAZZ& KICK (6th-9th): 4:00pm-7:00pm (these 2 classes run back to back)

**Billing for competition:** This competition will be billed in February 1st. The fees are billed into your account and need to be paid by Friday, February 16. These fees **DO NOT** automatically come out if you are on autopay. You will need to go in and make the payment in your account.

### Here are what the fees are:

\$42.00 for 1st Routine

\$20.00 for 2nd Routine (ex, kick and jazz)

\$11.00 for 3rd Routine (ex, kick, hip hop and lyrical)

Firm deadline to pay: Friday, February 16

There will be NO ADMISSION at any of the TWD Competitions: This means that all spectators walk into the event without paying admission. You can invite as many people to come and watch as you want!

If your dancer is UNABLE to attend, please fill out this form <u>click here</u> by Friday, February 16 as well so that the billing can get removed (it gets billed in first, and then it will be removed).



### What is TWD?

TWD Stands for Together We Dance and dancers come from all over to attend these events.

From start to finish, you can expect a timely ran competition. Dancers are typically at competition around 2 hours per routine from arrival time, to performance time, and through awards. Your dancer is free to leave after awards.

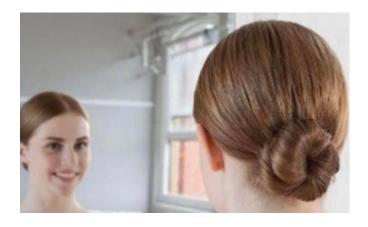
**Attendance mandatory the week of competition**: The week of competition, it is mandatory that your dancer attends practice. It is very important for preparing for the competition. In the event of a sickness or other important circumstance, please contact Amy directly to let her know before class that week. 320-266-0515. If your dancer is not attending competition, they will be asked to dance on the side a few times the week of so we can figure out formations without the dancers not attending.

# No Jewelry

Dancers will need to take off all jewelry. This includes earrings, necklaces, bracelets and any face jewelry as well.

# **Competition Hair**

2nd-12th grade will wear hair in a slicked back low bun with a middle part. See picture below. We want hair extremely slicked back using gel and hairspray. No fly aways please. Buns should be at the nape of your neck please and not higher and secured with bobby pins, and hair spray. Please arrive to competition with your bun done. Here is a video if needed: <u>Bun Tutorial</u>.



### What to Wear

Dancers should wear/bring all costume pieces. Make sure your tights are free from any tears. You have all shoes needed. You have all accessories and poms needed (if applies). Make sure your undergarments cannot be seen with your costume and are nude to your skin tone.

Reminder: No bare midrift skin can show for TWD competitions. Please make sure hip-hop classes with 2 piece costumes should be wearing black leotards or tucking in a long black tank underneath.

# **Competition Makeup**

Dancers should wear performance makeup. This includes foundation, blush, black/silver eyeshadow, and red lipstick. The reason for wearing performance makeup is so their facial expressions are seen from the judges area!

