

Decorah, Iowa

TWD NEWSLETTER



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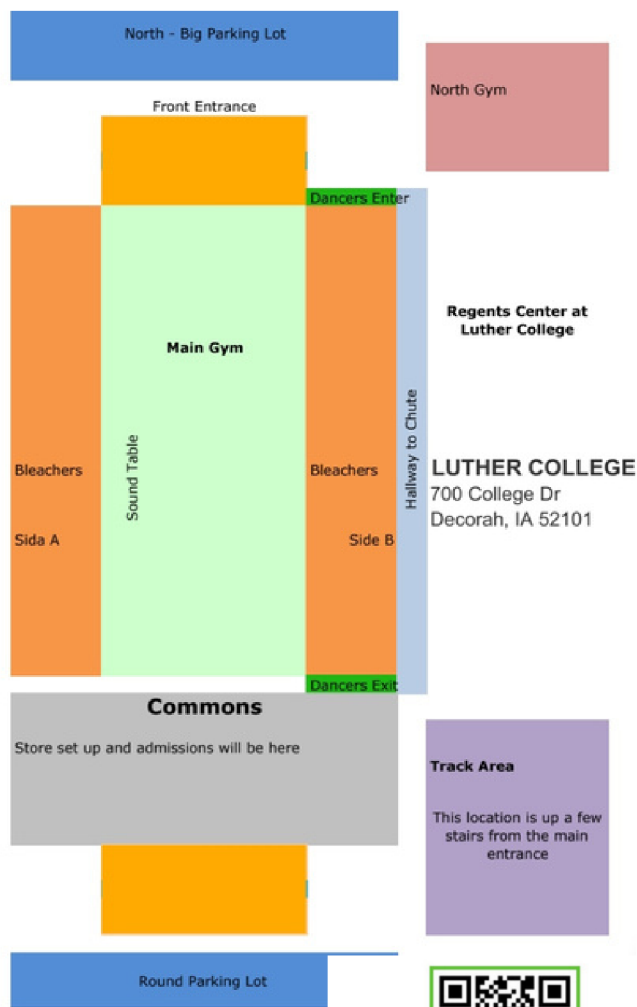
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DIRECTIONS/PARKING - FOUND AT
[JUSTFORKIX.COM/TWD](https://justforkix.com/twd)



MEETING AREA:



TO DO:

- ✓ **Pay your Competition fee by MARCH 16TH**
This is done by logging into your JFK account and going to "Make a Payment" and adding the competition to your cart. You need to do this manually.
- ✓ **Pack your dance bag/basket if you haven't already**
Make sure you have **all uniform pieces** -
Count shoes, earrings, hair/makeup stuff, extra tights, ect.
- ✓ **Be sure you're added to your class BAND and Like our Facebook Page (Just For Kix - Hastings, MN)**
Make sure your notifications are ON!!
Check these the day of competition to stay up-to-date on all information. Professional competition photos will also be posted on Facebook and you won't want to miss them!
- ✓ **FANS: Be ready to CHEER LOUD for all Hastings JFK Dancers!** We THRIVE off the energy from the crowd!! Take MANY pictures and POST as well!! We love our feeds filled with our dancers on and after competition day!



Hastings Just For Kix 2023-24

Scan this QR code and join!

FINAL TWD SCHEDULE

3/24 (Sunday) Decorah, IA

Team Name	Arrival Time	Performance Time	Awards Time	DIVISION
Senior Hip Hop	9:45 AM	11:18 AM	11:45 AM	Jr/Sr Hip Hop
Middle Pom	10:30 AM	12:18 PM	12:43 PM	Middle Pom
Senior Pom	11:00 AM	12:36 PM	12:43 PM	Senior Pom
Senior Jazz	11:15 AM	12:58 PM	1:16 PM	Jr/Sr Jazz 1
Middle Jazz	12:00 PM	1:38 PM	1:41 PM	Jr/Sr Jazz 2
Junior Lyrical	12:30 PM	2:03 PM	2:09 PM	Junior Lyrical
Middle Kix	12:45 PM	2:25 PM	2:43 PM	Jr/Sr Kix 1 - Side A
Senior Kix	1:00 PM	2:34 PM	2:43 PM	Jr/Sr Kix 2 - Side A

WEATHER:

We are aware of the potential for some not-so-sunny weather on competition day. It's supposed to be mild and stay north but of course we won't know anything for certain until that day. We are traveling during the daylight hours so it shouldn't be too bad. Coaches are leaving at 6am from Hastings so we'll be there about 9am. Plan accordingly and please reach out if you need a carpool. Please text me if you need me on Competition day if you're running late or need a ride.

ARRIVAL TIME:

This is the time dancers need to be competition ready! Hair done, makeup done, costume on, and stretched. Dancers late by 15 minutes or more may not be able to compete. Plan accordingly!

COMPETITION HAIR

Dancers will wear hair in a slicked-back low bun with a middle part (Wee's have a high bun with no part). We want hair to be extremely slicked back using gel, hairspray, and a hair net.

NO FLY AWAYS!



COMPETITION MAKEUP

All competition Dancers should wear makeup on competition day - light foundation, blush, mascara and lipstick.

Middle and Senior Dancers: required lipstick and a neutral dark brown smoky eye - see pictures



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- Poet

DIVISIONS

Competition divisions are based on grade range and class size. Your division may not have the same title as your normal class name. The final schedule will be posted online at www.justforkix.com/twd

POINTS

Points rankings are given to each team based on points earned in a number of categories during their routine. Dancers will receive a ribbon signifying their points ranking for each routine. Teams will need to score 175 points or higher at a regional TWD to compete at Nationals TWD in Rochester.

MESSAGE TO PARENTS

Competition day is an exciting and high-adrenaline day. At this point in the season, the dancers are still working on polishing and mastering new skills - which adds to the adrenaline! As always, this will be a tough competition. I have prepared the dancers for that fact, but sometimes I think we as parents need to be prepared for that as well. I like to stress to our dancers to dancers to do their best, display good sportsmanship, learn something new, and enjoy the day! That's what I try to do too! Thanks for your support of your dancers! Call if you have any questions.

HOW TO BE PREPARED

Be Organized!

- Double check your dancer's items at least a week before your competitions
- Review maps sent and information and know where you are going
- Dancers should arrive ready to go and ON TIME – hair done, makeup done, full uniform on
- Any dancer 15 minutes or more late may be removed from formations and not be allowed to compete.
- Communicate with your Coach

Be familiar with your dancer's schedule – what uniform and when? All important schedule times

- Costume changes: bring a laundry basket for uniforms and use Tupperware for all hair and jewelry things and all makeup things.
- Be quick! Practice any quick changes your dancer may have. Costume changes in under 4 minutes!

WHAT TO BRING

- ☐ All pieces of your uniforms and dance shoes
- ☐ Hair pieces and earrings
- ☐ LOTS of bobby pins, hair pins, hair ties
- ☐ Hair net (3 pk from Walgreens), gel, hairspray
- ☐ Safety Pins
- ☐ Band-aids
- ☐ Makeup and red lipstick
- ☐ Spending money

HOW DO I FIND MY DANCER AFTER THE COMPETITION?

Make a plan with your dancer to either meet the dancer directly after the awards at a specific location or to meet back at our meeting area following the awards.