



2019 OZARK TWIRLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2019

Location: FEMA Building at East Prairie Jr. High School, 210 East Washington, East Prairie, Missouri
(located at the back of the Jr. High School; in front of the High School)

Doors Open: 8:15am

Events Begin: 9:00am (exact time schedule will be available to all athletes and coaches on Thursday, May 30)

NOTE: Athletes should arrive by 8:30am; award results for solos will be posted soon after each performance; awards for teams will be announced at the end of the morning portion of the contest; award photos will be taken as athletes receive awards-athletes must be in performance attire).

Door Admission: \$3 per person for spectators (athletes/coaches will not be charged a door admission fee)

Open Twirl Events Offered (Rules from any organization may apply):

- Only Tumbling or Gymnastics where at least one of the athletes hands is in contact with the floor when executing the move (example: no ariels allowed; one-handed cartwheel would be allowed)
- Open Solo Baton Events: Dance-Twirl/Rhythmic Twirl, Show-Twirl/Novelty Twirl; Basic Strut, Military Strut, X-Strut; One, Two, Flag, Hoop
- Open Team Baton Events: Dance-Twirl, Half-Time Show, Twirl Team, Recital Feature (duets and trios are considered teams)
- Event Requirements:
 - Athletes/teams may compete in as many events as they wish above
 - Time Limit: 3 min max (no minimum time) for solos/teams

AAU Twirl Events Offered (AAU Rules and time-limits apply):

- Solo Baton Events: Dance-Twirl Freestyle, Novelty Freestyle; Basic, Military, Parade, X-Strut, One, Two, Three, Multi
- Team Baton Events: Dance-Twirl, Half-Time Show, Twirl Team (duets and trios are considered teams)
- Event Requirements:
 - Athletes/teams may compete in as many events as they wish above

Registration Information:

- Entry Fee: \$15 per twirl solo; \$30 per twirling team
- Deadline to register/pay: Monday, May 27 (no personal checks accepted; PayPal or cash only)
- Open to: Ages 3-18
- AAU memberships must be purchased prior to registration.

Event Information:

- Athletes/teams will not compete against other athletes/teams, they will be evaluated on their own performance and awarded a medal placement based on their individual performance.
- Award ratings include: High Gold, Gold, Silver, Bronze, Copper
- Awards: Each individual will receive a medal; Teams will be awarded a trophy or plaque with each individual team member receiving a ribbon.
- Additional awards presented to select athletes/teams (based on performance): Star of Tomorrow, Twirler of the Year, Twirl Team of the Year, Outstanding Choreography
- No shoes may be worn that would damage the floor; no equipment may be used unless it is taped or padded to prevent damage to the floor
- Athletes/coaches must submit an MP3 of their music via email to Kandi Staples by May 27

COACHES: Be sure to register under the COACHES link so that you will receive FREE ADMISSION to this event.

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