



TwirlTasTix Winter Classic Contest & Clinic Featuring the WINTER CLASSIC Championships

with the Birdcreek College Invitational and
Kokoszka High School Championship

Contest: Saturday January 14th at Harford Community College (deadline Dec. 15)

Clinic: Sunday January 15th at the Bel Air Athletic Club (deadline Jan. 10)

ALSO including IBTF & USTA style events

(special presentation of gifts during lunch for any World or Nation's Cup Athletes competing)



Presented by our Gold Sponsor [Visit Harford](#)



**Hostess of Honor: Emily Anderson, Pre-Teen Miss Majorette of America,
Gold Medalist for X-Strut & Silver Medalist for Solo**

CONTEST: Doors Open: 7:30 a.m. Contest starts: 8:00 am

Contest Location: HARFORD COMMUNITY COLLEGE, 401 Thomas Run Road, Bel Air, MD
**The TwirlTasTix Winter Classic will include NBTA events, USTA style and IBTF
style events, as well as other special events!**

AND back again! The Winter Classic Clinic with USTA - CAS Eval Testing
Sunday January 15, 2022 9am-3pm

SEPARATE ENTRY FORM for CAS evals. See the end of this brochure.

Location: The Bel Air Athletic Club – OUR SILVER SPONSOR
658 Boulton Street, Bel Air, MD

Instructors so far: Steffany Lien, Trenton Haltom, Jason Lee, Barb Garrity, Hannah Fender & more!

See more information on Camp page – SPOT LESSONS AVAILABLE

Check in at 8:30, Warmups start at 9:00am, clinic ends at 3:00pm, bring a bagged lunch

CONTEST DEADLINE: December 15, and CAMP DEADLINE: January 10

[Contest & Camp Entry Form CLICK HERE](#)





Feature Events:

Birdcreek Collegiate Invitational

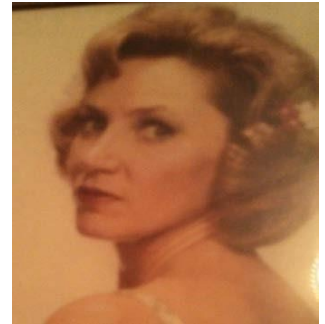
TO RECEIVE AN INVITE PLEASE EMAIL tWIRLtAStIX Releve@gmail.com

In honor of Andrea Birdcreek, a great coach from Maryland. This event is open to all twirlers enrolled in college either full or part-time. Format follows the NBTA Collegiate Solo rules as listed on

www.batontwirling.com Solo Rules document, performed with contestant's choice of music.

Andrea Birdcreek, a Hall of Fame Coach, was always there to help twirlers advance, not only as athletes, but also as people. She was particularly fond of college twirling and this event exemplifies one of her favorite parts of twirling. Twirlers must submit a current or recent copy of their class schedule for verification of eligibility.

Award to the Birdcreek College champion: Cash Prize and Plaque



Kokoszka High School Feature Twirler Solo Event

This event is held in memory of a great coach and judge we lost, Melody Kokoszka. Beloved USTA & NBTA judge, she was a great supporter of our team, as well as many other twirlers, parents and coaches in Maryland and around the country.

This event is open to all high school twirlers. **NO INVITATION NEEDED.**

This event will be held at the same time as the collegiate event and follow the same format.

Max time: 3:00

ALL EAST Individual Events Championships

No pageant events this year. ALL EAST events will follow NBTA rules, but all are welcome to enter.

Winter Classic Event tank available to purchase for \$22 on the entry form

Contest Schedule (tentative)

<u>Saturday:</u>	7:50 AM	Introduction of Judges
	7:55 AM	National Anthem
	8:00 AM	Morning sessions modeling, basic, struts, USTA Compulsory Testing
	10:00 AM	Birdcreek Collegiate Invitational/High School Feature Twirler Solo/ Teams/Rhythmics/all full floor events/USTA full floor testing*
	12:30 PM	LUNCH BREAK/PERFORMANCES/WORLD & NATION'S CUP PRESENTATION AND GIFTS
	1:15 PM	Afternoon Solos/Multiple Baton/Duets
	6:00 PM	Awards Ceremony

- We may use a separate gym to move the contest along

[Contest & Camp Entry Form CLICK HERE](#)



WINTER CLASSIC CAMP

Sunday, January 15th

9:00am – 3:00pm, \$65 (with contest \$55)

We are excited to once again be offering a camp for twirlers! The camp classes for different skill levels will include: flips and low contact, rolls, spins, multiple baton, strut, field twirling, dance for twirlers, and acro.

A FLEXIBLE CLASS SCHEDULE WILL BE SENT OUT ONCE WE GET THE CAMP REGISTRATIONS IN, so we can tailor the classes to the registrants.

PRIVATE LESSONS WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE, email twirltastixreleve@gmail.com to request a spot less time. A lesson schedule will be available shortly after registration closes. Camp schedule will be set a week before.

The camp will be held at the Bel Air Athletic Club located at:
658 Boulton St, Bel Air, MD

Our amazing staff includes:



Steffany Lien: Current Miss Nebraska, current Feature Twirler for the University of Nebraska, Former Feature Twirler for the University of Louisville, Former College Miss Majorette of America, 7-time World Champion and current law student at the University of Nebraska, NBTA coach



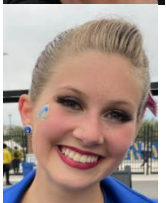
Trenton Haltom: Trenton M. Haltom, PhD, is a former feature twirler for the University of Nebraska and University of Houston. He is a founding member of the Marketing and Communications Committee for the International Baton Twirling Federation (IBTF). Dr. Haltom's scholarly research on baton twirling has been published as journal articles, a book chapter, and blog posts. He has been an NBTA judge since 2018.



Jason Lee: Jason Lee is a former national and world champion in the sport of baton twirling. In the senior pair event, Jason and his sister Monica won six medals in the World Baton Twirling Federation world championships--a record that has not been matched. Jason also won multiple national titles in men's solo, 2-baton, and dance twirl in the United States Twirling Association. Jason is currently a WBTF Master Judge and works as a lawyer in the U.S. Department of Justice.



Barb Garrity: NBTA coach & judge, coach of the National Champion Applause Baton Twirling Team and numerous other individual National champions, former Champion baton twirler holding several State & Regional titles, officer of the Maryland NBTA Chapter and nurse manager at MedStar



Hannah Fender Current Golden Girl Feature Twirler at the University of Delaware, AAU/Jr Olympics Gold & Silver Medalist, Nation's Cup Duet Qualifier, National Show Twirl Champion, numerous State & Regional Titles, freshman at the University of Delaware majoring in Forensic Accounting



GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Scoresheets and awards will be bagged throughout the day and passed out at the end of the day.
2. At this point, masking is optional.
3. Results will be posted online.
4. The entire in-person contest will be on the set system.
5. All NBTA, IBTF & USTA rules are in effect based on the events entered. Age divisions may be adjusted.
6. Twirling age is as of 9/1/22 for NBTA events or please enter correct age groups for USTA & IBTF events
7. Judge's decisions are final.
8. NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY IN THE GYM.
9. No food or drink (other than water will be allowed in the arena.
10. No coolers, chairs, or tents. Blankets may NOT be used to save seats.
11. Contest officials, Harford Community College, and TwirlTasTix will not be held responsible for lost or stolen articles, accidents or injury.
12. NO REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON.
13. No pop-up tents are allowed inside the building or in the parking lot.
14. Social distancing is encouraged throughout the gym including bleachers, awards table, and head table.
15. The contest director reserves the right to enforce and remove anyone not following these rules.

ADDITIONAL COVID GUIDELINES:

1. Masking is optional at this time.
2. Other Covid protocols will be communicated as they become required.

Questions: email TWIRLTASTIXRELEVE@gmail.com

Hotel Accommodations:

Fairfield Inn & Suites, Aberdeen, MD: <https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/bwifd-fairfield-inn-and-suites-aberdeen/>

Local Restaurants:

Slices (serves breakfast, lunch and more than just pizza!): <https://slicespizzas.com/>

Italian Sensations: <https://www.italiansensation.com/>

Let us know if there is anything we can do to help you while you are visiting and competing with us!

Thank you - The TwirlTasTix Baton Twirling Teams

TwirliTasTix Winter Classic Contest & Clinic

Held on January 14 to 15, 2023

WAIVER OF PARTICIPATION

(check all lines and sign)

____I am voluntarily participating in the TwirliTasTix Winter Classic Camp and Clinic (“event”), as organized by all staff and representatives of the TwirliTasTix, Harford Community College and the Bel Air Athletic Club (“representatives”). I understand that there are risks associated with my participation in this event, such as physical and/or psychological injury, pain, suffering, illness, disfigurement, temporary or permanent disability, death or economic loss. These injuries or outcomes may arise from my own or other’s actions, inactions, or negligence, or the condition of the Activity location (s) or facility (ies). Nonetheless, I assume all risks of my participation in this event, whether known or unknown to me, including travel to and from the event (including air travel) or any events incidental to this event.

____I agree to hold the by all staff and representatives of the TwirliTasTix, Harford Community College and the Bel Air Athletic Club (“representatives”) harmless from any and all claims, loss or damage to my personal property, liabilities and costs, including attorney’s fees, as a result of my participation in this event, including travel to and from the Activity (including air travel) or any events incidental to this event. If the representatives incurs any of these types of expenses, I agree to reimburse them.

____I have read this document, and I am signing it freely. I understand the legal consequences of signing this document, including (a) releasing the event and its representatives from all liability, (b) waiving my right to sue the event and representatives, (c) and assuming all risks of participating in this event.

Signature/Date

SANCTIONED BY UNITED STATES TWIRLING ASSOCIATION



*USTA Compulsories and Movement Technique Essentials Meet(Sanction # _____)
Sunday, January 15, 2023 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Bel Air, MD at the Bel Air Athletic Club
Registration deadline January 5, 2023*

CAS Essentials Meet by the TwirlTasTix Baton Twirling Team...

**USTA COMPULSORY MEET
REGISTRATION FORM**

Name _____ Age _____ Birthdate _____ Phone _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ USTA Member # _____

Athlete Registration for Compulsory & Movement Technique Evaluation

Compulsory & Move Tech. **Evaluations \$8.00 per events** (includes warm ups, indicate if multiple tests)

Circle compulsory levels: C B BI BII A AA AAA Elite \$ _____

Circle MT levels: C B BI BII A AA AAA Elite \$ _____

USTA Member for a day \$5.00 \$ _____

USTA Service Fee \$.50 \$ _____

Purchase a Testing Booklet \$10.00 \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

USTA Membership & Evaluation Book

All compulsory or movement technique evaluation attendees must hold current USTA membership and have their compulsory book with them at the time of evaluation.

**All CHECKS payable to: TwirlTasTix or Venmo: @Christine Zoll
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