TWIRLING UNLIMITED

"WHERE TWIRLERS MEET"

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2025

Rittman High School 50 Saurer St

Rittman, OH 44270

(2 hours from Toledo, OH, 45 min. from Canton, OH; 90 min. from New Castle, PA)

DIRECTIONS:

From Cleveland, Toledo & Northwest: Take 71 South to 76/224 East Take Exit 7 (Rte 57) and turn L; go south to Rittman Rd and turn R Turn R on Ohio Rd and follow to dead end at Metzger Ave; then turn R Turn L on Saurer – School is on R. Enter at Athletic Entrance

From Columbus/Mansfield: Take 71 N to 76/224 East and follow directions above.

From Akron & Northeast: Take 71 N to 76/224 West and follow directions above.

From Canton, Pittsburgh: Take Rte 30 West to 21 N Turn L on Eastern Rd and go 4.5 miles to Rittman Rd. Turn L (South) on Rittman Rd and follow directions above.

From Wooster: Take 585 to Benner Rd – turn L (Benner Rd turns into S Main St) Turn L on Ohio Rd and follow to dead end at Metzger Ave; then turn R. Turn L on Saurer – School in on Right. Enter at Athletic Entrance

No personal chairs in the gym for anyone under the age of 60! (except wheelchairs)

FEATURING:

REGIONAL FEATURE TWIRLER CHAMPIONSHIP- Performed to Individual music & featured during morning schedule! (Open to any twirler age 15+)

MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE PAGEANT
BASIC SKILLS, BEGINNER (Level 3) & INTERMEDIATE (Level 4) PAGEANTS
REGIONAL SOLO, STRUT, 2-BATON, 3-BATON & DUET TWIRL
REGIONAL GROUP EVENTS & DUET STRUT
ALSO: Complete Open Contest!

To Enter Online, view rule book and contest calendar, visit our web-site: www.twirlingunlimited.com

GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. One of the philosophies of Twirling Unlimited is that there is too much unnecessary publicity by individual twirlers. This results in distrust by the media and a ho-hum attitude on the part of the public when a truly outstanding honor is achieved. In keeping with this, ALL publicity concerning the Twirling Unlimited Regional Competition will be handled through our headquarters. Each contestant and each group winning a Regional Title will be given official press releases, which can be submitted to the media newspapers, televisions, etc. No publicity relating to TU contests is to be submitted in any way other than accompanied by the official press releases. Failure to comply with this standard will result in rejection of future entries and participation in TU competitions.
- 2. There is a door admission of **\$8.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children** and senior citizens. This admission fee applies to <u>everyone</u> except performing contestants.
- 3. Lanes for all Regional and Open events will be posted. It is the obligation of each twirler to report to each lane if you have a conflict.
- 4. Awards for all open events will be presented immediately upon the completion of each division. Awards for Regional Novelties will be presented as tabulation is finished. Awards for Regional solos and all pageants will be announced at the end of the competition day.
- 5. Building owner, contest director, Twirling Unlimited or contest sponsor are not responsible for accidents, property loss or injuries.
- 6. Remember: REGIONAL does not denote a geographic restriction. Contestants from any location and any organization are welcome at every Regional.
- 7. In order to be eligible to compete in <u>any</u> pageant, twirlers must also <u>compete in</u> open solo <u>at the same level</u> (score sheet only not permitted at Regional competitions). Adv. twirlers may enter Regional solo to satisfy this requirement.
- 8. Double-entering of open events (entering 2 levels of the same event) is not permitted at Regional competitions.
- 8. It's football season! We have a special Regional Feature Twirler Championship! Feature Twirler solo open to ANY twirler age 15+.

Address All Correspondence or Questions To:

TWIRLING UNLIMITED 1000 S Cleveland-Massillon Rd. Ste 105B Fairlawn, OH 44333

Or Call: 330-666-1163 Or Email: twirlingunlimited@hotmail.com

Hotel Info: There are a number of national hotel chains available for a reasonable price in nearby Wadsworth, Seville or Akron.

TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15-17, 18+. Use your age as of day of contest. The designation "Regional" is a status level. It does not restrict the contestants who may enter, they may live in any location.

This is a three-part contest:

A. MODELING/INTERVIEW

Attire is dress or costume. Modeling time: Max 1 ½ minutes Model 50%, Interview 50%.

B. COMPETITION SOLO

One baton only – time limit 1 ½ to 2 ½ minutes Performed to standard twirling music

C. INDIVIDUAL MUSIC EVENT (SHOW ROUTINE or SOLO DANCE TWIRL) Performed to music of contestant's choice. Any type of twirl with dance moves are permitted. Novelties optional. Time limit is 1½ to 2½ minutes. Timing will begin and end with the music. (Performance music should be ready to begin the competition! Please bring your own player or speaker as backup in case of technical difficulties.

Note: twirlers must also enter open solo to be eligible to compete in Miss TU pageant.

Contestants must compete in all 3 aspects of this competition and the winner will be determined using equal credit for all 3 parts.

Awards: Trophies for 1-3 Overall. Medals for 1-3 in Model, Solo, IM Event TU Regional Majorettes also receive flowers, banner and Savings Bond check.

REGIONAL SOLO

The designation "Regional" is a status level. It does not restrict the contestants who may enter, they may live in any location. Time Limit: $1\frac{1}{2} - 2\frac{1}{2}$ minutes Preliminary divisions: 0-6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16, 17, 18, 19, 20 & over. The top 2 in each age category will retwirl for regional title: Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, Awards: . Trophy for 1st place in each preliminary age group. Awards for 1st, 2nd & 3rd in twirloff. Flowers, banner for Regional Champions

STATE SOLO CHAMPIONSHIPS (OHIO)

State Solo Championship - open to residents of Ohio only. Time limit is $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{2}$ minutes. Divisions: 0-8, 9-11,12-14, 15 & Over.

REGIONAL FANCY STRUT

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. No specific pattern required – time limit is 2 minutes maximum.

REGIONAL DUET TWIRL

Time limit $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{2}$ minutes. Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (averaged ages)

REGIONAL DUET STRUT (morning event)

Time limit 1 to 3 minutes. Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (averaged ages) Use own music; floor pattern: down the length of floor, may re-trace if desired.

BEGINNER (Level 3) & INTERMEDIATE (Level 4) PAGEANTS

Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over. Contestants will compete in Model (dress or costume), Twirl & Fancy Strut. Open to all contestants regardless of geographic residence. Banner, Trophy & Flowers for winners. 3 place awards in model, twirl & strut. 3 place winners overall. Note: twirlers must also enter open solo at the same level as pageant to be eligible to compete in any pageant.

BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT

Restricted to Novice and Special Beginner (Levels 1 & 2) twirlers ONLY. Contestants will compete in 3 parts:

Costume model, Basic March & Solo (twirls restricted same as Level 2 Solo) Awards: 3 place awards in March, Solo and Costume Model. 3 place winners overall. 4th added if 11-14 contestants; 5th added if 15 contestants or more. Note: twirlers must also enter Level 1 or Level 2 open solo to be eligible to compete in Basic Skills pageant. Age divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

REGIONAL TWO-BATON & REGIONAL THREE-BATON

Time limit is 1 ½ to 2 minutes for Two-Baton; ½ - 2 minutes for Three-Baton. Divisions: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over

REGIONAL FEATURE TWIRLER SOLO (morning event)

Open to any twirler age 15+. **Perform to your own music!** Combination of 1 baton and any novelty. Time: 2-2 ½ minutes

<u>REGIONAL GROUP COMPETITION</u>

Groups should bring your own player as backup in case of technical difficulties.

AGES (Avg Age): Pee Wee (0-6.9); Tiny Tot (7.0-8.9); Juvenile (9.0-11.9); Junior (12.0-14.9); Senior (15.0 & over)

Corps: Minimum of 10 members

Street Parade Corps - Do a U formation; 2 min. time limit Mini Corps - 2 to 4 min. time limit. No formation required

Floor Corps - 4 to 8 min. time limit. Production Groups – 4- 8 min. time limit

All Teams: Small (3-5 members); Medium (6-9); Large (10+)

Dance Twirl – Use own music; one baton only; Time limit: 1 ½ - 3 minutes

Twirl Teams- Standard march music provided. One baton; Time: 1 ½ -3 minutes

Strut Teams -Use own music; Time Limit: 1-3 minutes Pom Teams - Use own music; Time Limit: 1½ - 3 minutes

Novelty Teams – Use any equipment other than one baton; $1 \frac{1}{2}$ – 3 min.

<u>Dance Lines</u> – (All types of dance) Time: 3 minutes Max.

Color Guards (Jr/Sr - Sm/Lg - Short Program/Long Program)

Open Event: Level 1 Dance Twirl Teams. For new & developing teams – level of tricks restricted: no member may do more than a 1 turn; 2 elbows; no high toss illusions, no 3 baton tricks. Awards: Level 1 medallion for ea. member; no trophies

For Complete Rules log on to www.twirlingunlimited.com

INDIVIDUAL OPEN EVENTS

Please Note: Twirlers enter your age as of the day of the contest

- Beg. Dress Model: dresses only; time limit is 1½ minutes Max Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- Int. & Adv. Dress Model: dresses only; time limit is 1 ½ minutes Max. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- Beg. Costume Model -with or without a baton time is $1\frac{1}{2}$ minutes Max. Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- Int. & Adv. Costume Model with or without baton time limit is 1 ½ minutes Max. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- Novice, Beg. & Int. Fancy Strut no specific pattern required. Time limit is 2 minutes Max. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ (Adv level should enter Regional event)
- Beg. Basic March marching performed in a square singly or follow-the-leader (judge's discretion). Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- Adv. Basic March marching performed in a square singly or follow-the-leader (judge's discretion). Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+
- *NOTE:* TU rules limit the number of toss turns and rolls which may be executed by twirlers in the developmental levels of solo twirl. Check TU rules for specifics.

All Girls Solo Ages: 0-6, 7-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+

- Level 1 (Special Beginner) Solo has not won TWO 1st places in solo competition. Time limit is 1 to 2 minutes. No more than 1 spin/ 2 elbows/no toss illusion
- Level 2 (Novice) Solo not won 3 addt'l first places in solo time limit is 1 ½ to 2 min. No more than 2 spins/ 4 elbows
- Level 3 (Beginner) Solo not won 5 addt'l first places in solo Time: 1 ½ to 2 min No more than 3 spins/ 6 elbows.
- Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo not won 8 addt'l 1st places in solo Time $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{4}$ min. No more than 4 spins/ 8 elbows
- Level 5 (Advanced) Solo Time limit is 2 to 2 ½ minutes. No restrictions
- Boys/Mens Solo Ages 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time Limit: 1 ½ 2 ½ minutes
- Beg. & Int. Two-Baton Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time limit: 1½ to 2 minutes Beg. Three-Baton Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+ Time limit: ½ -2 minutes (Adv. Level should enter Regional event)
- Beginner Duet Twirl Avg. Ages: 0-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15+; Time limit: 1½ to 2 min.
- +Color Guard (Flag) Solo or Duet; Rifle/Sabre Solo or Duet (morning events) Use own music, Time: Max. 3 minutes; Ages 0-14, 15+

 + Must be entered by Nov. 7 to be eligible for awards

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(times and order are approximate, but no division will start <u>before</u> time listed)

9:00 Dance Twirl Teams & Level 1 Teams
Pom Teams, Twirl Teams, Strut Teams, Duet Strut, Color Guard
Regional FEATURE TWIRLER SOLO
Dance Lines, Novelty Teams; Color Guard & Rifle Solo & Duet
Parade Corps, Mini Corps, Floor Corps, Production Groups
AWARDS

11:00 Adv., Int & Beg. Dress Model (Open)
(approx) Modeling/Interview for MISS TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE
Modeling for BEG. (Level 3) & INT. (Level 4) PAGEANT

Beg., Int., & Adv. Open Costume Model
Costume Model for BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT

Open Int. & Beg Fancy Strut **REGIONAL FANCY STRUT**

Open Nov. Fancy Strut Fancy Strut for **BEG.** (Level 3) & INT. (Level 4) PAGEANTS

Beg. & Adv. Basic March
Beg. Three-Baton, REGIONAL THREE-BATON
Basic March for BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT

Open Intermediate (Level 4) & Advanced (Level 5) Solo Beginner (Level 3) Solo, **REGIONAL SOLO Prelims** Open Novice (Level 2) Solo, Special Beginner (Level 1) Solo

Competition Solo for TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE Twirl for BEG. (Level 3) & INT. (Level 4) PAGEANTS

REGIONAL SOLO TWIRL-OFFS
Twirl for BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT, STATE SOLO, Boys Solo

Int. & Beg Two-Baton
REGIONAL TWO-BATON
Beg. Duet Twirl, REGIONAL DUET TWIRL

Individual Music Event for TU REGIONAL MAJORETTE

Announcement of Pageant Awards

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM – Rittman, OH – Nov 16, 2025

Mail Entry Deadline Oct 24 (USPS postmark). Online Entry Deadline: Oct 29. Phone or online entries for open events ONLY accepted through Weds, Nov 5 with no late charge. Open event Late Fee: Add \$10 per event for open additions/deletions/\$15 day of contest Pageants/Regional event late fee: \$10 per Event/Not accepted after Friday, Nov 7! Mail entries to/make checks to: TU, 1000 S Cleve-Mass Rd. Ste 105B Akron, OH 44333

No Checks accepted at contest. NO REFUNDS

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| Adv. Dress Model | | \$10.00 | Level 3 (Beginner) Solo | \$10.00 | |
| Beg Costume Model | | \$10.00 | Level 4 (Intermediate) Solo | \$10.00 | |
| Int. Costume Model | | \$10.00 | Level 5 (Adv) or Boys Solo | \$10.00 | |
| Adv Costume Model | | \$10.00 | Beg. Two-Baton | \$10.00 | |
| Nov. Fancy Strut | | \$10.00 | Int. Two-Baton | \$10.00 | |
| Beg. Fancy Strut | | \$10.00 | Beg. Three-Baton | \$10.00 | |
| Int. Fancy Strut | | \$10.00 | Beg. Duet Twirlea | \$10.00 | |
| Beg. Basic March | | \$10.00 | Color Guard Duetea | \$12.00 | |
| Adv. Basic March | | \$10.00 | Duet Partner's Name & | Age: | |
| Color Guard or Rifle Solo | | \$15.00 | | | |
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| BEGINNER (Level 3) PAGEANT BASIC SKILLS PAGEANT (Level 1 & Level 2 Twirlers Only) | | | | | |
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| +STATE SOLO (Ohio residents only) | | | | | |
| REGIONAL FEATURE TWIRLER SOLO (individual music!) REGIONAL DUET STRUT (partner name & age below) | | | | | |
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| + This is a multi-status event. All levels may enter | | | Mandatory Registration Fee | \$5.00 | |
| All Regional events open to boys and girls | | | GRAND TOTAL | | |

REGIONAL GROUP ENTRY SUMMARY SHEET

Contest Date: 11/16/25 (Mail Entry Deadline: 10/24/25) Contest Location: Rittman, OH Total Fee_____

List ALL groups on one summary sheet (use 2nd sheet if more than 10 groups). For scheduling purposes, attach a list with the names and ages of the members in each group!

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No Group Entries accepted after Friday (11/7/25)- a week before competition (must be received by!)

Corps - \$60*

Mailing Deadline:10/24/25 Late Fee:ADD \$10 per group

Level 1 Teams: Small - \$20 Med - \$30 Large - \$40*

Parade Corp - \$50* Mini Corps - \$55

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any group with 30+ members add \$20