






General Criteria

Entries can be paid with PayPal, Credit Card, Check or MO ...US Funds Only

With Easy On-Line Registration & Payment

- **CURRENCY Exchange** www.currencyguide.com     
- **NSF CHECKS** \$50.00 charge **NO REFUNDS** after the TM deadline December 1, 2016!
- **PAYPAL** also offers a “Bill Me Later® program” that allows you to breakdown your TM entry fee into monthly payments to PAYPAL directly. Visit www.paypal.com for more information.
- **CORRECT DIVISION** Please be sure to enter the correct division you will be eligible for at Twirl Mania. If you are planning to enter competitions PRIOR to Twirl Mania and AFTER the TM deadline, please move to the next division as **NO CHANGES** can be made after the TM deadline, **December 1, 2016** in order to facilitate well organized championships for everyone, this rule must be enforced.
- **E-MAIL CONFIRMATION** will be sent upon your completed registration. If there are any discrepancies with your entry we must hear from you on the same day the email confirmation is received. If we do not hear from you within 48 hours your entry will remain as is. Please use **Active Parent Email** for this important verification of events.
- **DISNEY RELEASE WAIVER FORM** must be received at the TM headquarters by the **DEADLINE:12/1/2016 ~ Entry, Payment, and Waivers must be received by Midnight** to compete. Please print copy of online registration confirmation when complete.
- **PROGRAM BOOKS** Additional books will go on sale Thursday, 2/16/17 at the **Early Bird Registration** opening at 1:30pm ~ Celebrity Hall.

TM Walt Disney World® Resort Theme Park tickets are ALL-INCLUSIVE

- **ALL TICKETS** must be purchased through Twirl Mania to participate. A Parent/Chaperone ticket is required with Athlete's ticket under the age of 18.
- **ALL-INCLUSIVE** In addition to your PARK admissions, *ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex* entrance for 4-days (Length of Event) & Awards Ceremony is included and **DOES NOT use park days.**
- **GET THE BEST DEAL** for solo athletes by selecting a Festival Starter, Park Hopper®, or Premium Ticket and add your A La Carte events entry price together. **“NOW”** compare the total with the Twirl Mania Perfect Package to see what is best for your athlete. The *Festival Starter, Park Hopper®, or Premium Ticket* with A La Carte entry fee or the TM Perfect Package.
- Performances, Parades, & *Epcot® Collegiate Classic* all require a park day.
- **FESTIVAL PARK HOPPER® or PREMIUM TICKET** allows you to hop from park to park.
- **AWARDS CEREMONY** requires a TM *Walt Disney World®* Theme Park ticket to attend.
- **TICKETS** Tickets are good for 7 days pre/post event start date of 2/17/2017 (2/10-24, 2017)
- **PLEASE SIGN** your tickets on the back, record your ticket number & keep it in a safe place.
- **A COMPLIMENTARY TICKET** 1-Day/1-Park admission for every 50 paid admissions.
- **TRANSPORTATION** is available for Disney guests using the *Walt Disney World®* Resort transportation system. It includes motor coaches, monorails, & ferry boats, after Awards there will be quite a wait. We recommend you supply your own transportation via TM bus, taxi or

Championship Highlights

- **SET SYSTEM** The Set System will be used throughout the event. Set numbers will be shown on the electronic score boards & program book along with the MC announcement. Please follow the Program Book and highlight your events for easy reference. Parents, Coaches, and Athletes are responsible for reporting to their lanes on time.
- **ACTUAL AGE** is your age during the Championships for all events. If your birthday falls during the championships, that is your **Actual Age**. **Actual Age is for ALL events, including Gold Invitational.**
- **ATHLETES MAY CHALLENGE UP... NO DOUBLE ENTERINGplease**
- **NO MAXIMUM** age limit ~ **ATHLETES MAY NOT** compete against themselves in the same team event, level and age category.
- **TWIRL MANIA GOLD & PRE-TEEN GOLD** champion must sit out 2 years before re-entering.
- **CLASSIFICATION LEVELS** Novice, Beginner, Intermediate, Advance or Elite is the same as your **own** organization.
- **ELITE** Top 10 at your Nationals, National win or Elite classification in your own organization. Each event is considered individually.
- **INDIVIDUAL STRUT DIVISIONS** for all organizations. End lanes will be used for I-Strut & FS Struts for distance.
- **PAGEANT STRUT**...athletes may use strut of their **choice**. Athletes should be able to adjust distance for I & FS Struts for Miss TM Pageant.
- **SALUTES OR COURTESY POSE**...both are acceptable.
- **ALL MODELING** in costume, with or without baton, and all patterns are acceptable.
- **MALES** may compete with females except for pageant . See Men's Masters division.
- **TIMING** Solo starts with first movement after Salute or Pose and ends on last movement.
- **TIMING** Teams/Corps starts with first movement or salute & ends on last movement.
- **TEAM PROPS** Please see Disney regulation information on page 5 and the Team/Corps page.
- **MUSIC** for Strut, Parade, Dance Twirl Solos, Men's Masters, Pee Wee & Tweenie Show, Twirl Mania Challenge Dance Twirl. Download from the TM website.
- **MUSIC** ..please bring your music **labeled with your name/event, age division, name of music** for each routine on a **separate CD queued to the beginning or an MP3**. Please bring backup copy. Your music only plays as good as it is recorded. Music test ~ 30 minutes prior to start of event.
- **WARM-UP AREA** for contestants preparing to compete (**within the hour**) is located on the 2nd level Auxiliary West. **No Lessons!** Monitored area! Please be considerate to your fellow competitors.
- **RESULTS & SCORE SHEETS** must be checked prior to leaving the facility! Results will remain as stands if tabulation is not notified before leaving the facility. All score sheets and awards must be picked up at the event. Last time for pick-up. Monday 9:00am during the Athletes Workshop in HP arena.
- **A MOUSECAR** win in a division automatically moves you to the next division for Mousecar at next TM.

MOUSECARS SPORTSMANSHIP

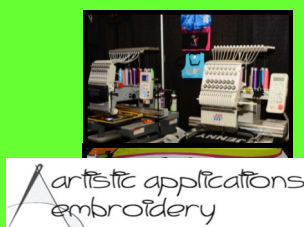
If you are Intermediate, Advance or Elite Solo, please do not enter Novice or Beginner Best Appearing, Basic, or Military!

DETAILED DESCRIPTION..... of all requirements and rules are available on the TM website.

Facility Highlights

- **COMPETE AT THE FABULOUS ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex** in **TWO** arenas.
- **SPECTATOR VIEWING** is available on the second level of the HP Field House only. Please be courteous to other guests by not saving seats or leaving your belongings on unoccupied seats. Please note that unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated. Authorities do not permit viewing on the first level by coaches or parents in order to keep area clear for athletes to enter competition floor. Auxiliary Court walkways must also remain clear for the athletes.
- **FOOD & DRINK** are available throughout the HP Field House at the concession stands, the ESPN Sports Grill, and the baseball stadium.
- **NO COOLERS ~ STROLLERS ~ TENTS** permitted inside the HP Field House.
- **NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY** please. **VIDEO TAPING** from the seats / stands **ONLY**.
- **DRESSING ROOMS** are available throughout the HP Field House
- **PLEASE..Do Not dress or leave items in hallways or seats.**
- **ALL PROPS / EQUIPMENT** that touch the floor, bottoms of props, and hard sole shoes must be padded or taped or they will not be permitted on the floor for performance. Teams / Directors will be held responsible for any damage to the floor. Props must be able to fit in a standard size (36") single doorway. Please see complete prop requirements on the Team/Corp page.
- **RIFLES AND FLAGS FOR COMPETITION GUIDELINES:** The only rifles permitted as part of your performance are the standard white, spinning, prop rifles. Rifles that are more realistic in their look and may be perceived as an authentic firearm **WILL NOT** be permitted.
- **NO SPECIAL EFFECTS**, This includes fire, smoke, hay, raffia, pyrotechnics, confetti, baby powder or any airborne substance, etc.
- **SAFETY NOTICE** states sharp objects may not be used in routines. Any object that might cause harm or endangerment to the performers or audience may not be used in any routine. Failure to comply will result in **Immediate disqualification!**
- **FANTASTIC COMPANIES** will be on hand for all your twirling and shopping needs. They are located on Level 1 and Level 2 of the HP Field House.

Twirl Mania Event **MERCHANDISE** is only available on site for purchase **DURING** the event.



Parade Highlights

- **NEW TEAMS** wishing to compete or perform in a Disney parade must send by e-mail or Youtube (private) video for audition using TM Parade music to Twirl Mania by 11/15/2016
[TM PARADE MUSIC](#)
- **PARADE DIVISIONS:** Juvenile, Junior, Senior, High School, Collegiate, Senior "C" TM Championships Title or Just for Fun, Non-competitive parade.
- **"BEST IN DRESS"** Parade Award is selected from competitive and non-competitive parade teams.
- **NO TWIRLING or COSTUMES** visible while walking through the **Walt Disney World® Theme Parks**, batons must be in case, costumes covered.
- **SOLOISTS PARADE** video for parade routine is on the Solo Parade link. Fun & easy!
[TM DAY PARADE SOLO ROUTINE](#) [TM NIGHT PARADE SOLO ROUTINE](#)
- **AGE LIMITS:** Day: 10 years of age ~ Night: 10 years of age ~ Disney rule Solo & Team
Sorry No Exceptions!
- **COMPLETE PARADE INFORMATION** for Solo and Team Parades on TM website links:
www.twirlmania.com Disqualified from Championships if not conforming to rules.
- **RIFLES AND FLAGS ON PARADE GUIDELINES:** The only rifles permitted as part of your performance are the standard white, spinning, prop rifles. Rifles that are more realistic in their look and may be perceived as an authentic firearm **WILL NOT** be permitted. No tosses. Short or Long pole flags may be used but long pole can only be spun when held where the silk attaches to the pole. You may have no more than two (2) performers across and performers must stay at least five (5) feet from the curb. Absolutely **NO** flag slams or tosses are permitted. Forward motion only on long flag poles.
- **New Exciting backstage Pre-Parade photo opportunities!** Sign up for your scheduled photo shoot ahead of time as they will fill up fast. New staggered arrival times for team parade photos. Be sure to prepare your pose in advance.
- **COACHES, BANNER CARRIERS:** Must wear PLAIN Black T-Shirt, Plain Black Dress Pants, Plain Black closed toe shoes. No jeans, leggings, crop pants. No logos on anything.



Award Highlights



- **POSTING, AWARDS TABLE, and SCORE SHEET TABLE:** Located on the main level.
- **POSTED AWARDS WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE ON FACEBOOK.**
- **POSTED AWARDS & SCORE SHEETS:** Please pick up as soon as results are posted. All awards and score sheets **MUST** be picked up by Monday 9:00am.
- **Score sheets will be mailed only if a SELF-ADDRESSED ~ SELF STAMPED LARGE ENVELOPE is delivered to the Information Desk by 2/18/17. They will be mailed on 2/20/2017.**

AWARDS EXTRAVAGANZA

AWARDS EXTRAVAGANZA: Required credentials are included with your purchased Disney Package for the Awards Extravaganza. Disney Park ticket and Award wristband is required for re-admittance by everyone.

At the conclusion of Sunday Events, the facility will be cleared of all guests for Awards Extravaganza preparation. Time to play games and win prizes outside with the TM staff, enjoy the rest of the Sports Complex, eat dinner or just relax.

HP Field House concessions will remain open as long as there is a need.

ALL ATHLETES, TEAMS & SOLOISTS **MUST** be in costume to receive awards on stage on Sunday evening. Athletes in 'street clothes' or 'sweat suits' will not be permitted to participate on stage or in the awards photos.

AWARDS RE-ENTRANCE:

for ATHLETES, TEAMS/CORPS, PARENTS, SPECTATORS & VIPs

- **EVERYONE** will **QUEUE** to the East side of the HP Field house in single file lines.
- Once inside all Parents, Coaches, Spectators and VIPs will go directly to their **LEFT** to take a seat in the **EAST** side bleachers.
- **ALL SOLO ATHLETES & TEAMS/CORPS** will give parents all belongings and go directly to the **RIGHT** and proceed to the Auxiliary gym to be lined up for the Awards Presentation of Solo Athletes & Team/Corps in a Parade of Champions. (everyone must be in full costume) There will be staff along the way to direct you to your designated groups and age level. Look for your Division Signs.
- **Line Up:** By Division and Age, Soloists: Elite, Advance, Intermediate, Beginner, & Novice 16+, 13-15, 10-12, 7-9, 0-6 Teams/Corps: Alpha by Team/Corps Name ~ Captains first followed by members.
- **After Parade, you will go directly to the designated seating for quick access to the floor to receive awards. Everyone must be in full costume!**

Once your events are announced we would appreciate everyone returning to designated seating area. Exception: Those under 9 may return to their family.

Pee Wee & Tween Show Case performers should bring their batons with them.

SEATING CHART

Parents, Coaches, Spectators & VIPs
ATHLETES 1ST 5 ROWS

