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. The "New" TM APP will also be assisting you with schedule & more.
- **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**.
- NO MAXIMUM age limit.
- ATHLETES MAY CHALLENGE UP. NO DOUBLE ENTERING, this is a Championship.
- TM GOLD, PT Gold, & Twirl Maniac, PT champions must sit out 2 years before re-entering.
- **CLASSIFICATION LEVELS** Novice, Beginner, Intermediate, Advance or Elite is the same as your **own** organization or the ability level of elements per category stated in the TM Guidelines, page 4.
- **ELITE** Top 10 at your Nationals, National win or Elite classification in your own organization. Each event is considered individually. **ELITE** are the only prelims that qualify for the **FINALS**.
- **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.
- 0-6 DIVISIONS will be placed on lanes closest to arena entrance when possible
- MALES may compete with females, except for Miss Twirl Mania Pageant. See Men's Masters division.
- **ALL MODELING** in costume, with or without baton, with all patterns acceptable.
- **SALUTE OR COURTESY POSE..**.both are acceptable. Athletes should be in start position. No entrance or exit performance.
- SOLO TIMING Solo starts with first movement after <u>Salute / Pose</u> and ends on last Salute / Pose.
- **TEAM TIMING** Teams/Corps starts with **first NOTE of music** & ends on **last note of music**. No entrance or exit performance.
- **TEAM PROPS** Please see the *Walt Disney World*[®] Resort regulation information on page 8 and the Team/Corps page.
- **MUSIC** is timed for Strut, Parade, Dance Twirl Solos, Men's Masters, Pee Wee & Tween Show, Twirl Mania Challenge Dance Twirl can be downloaded from the TM website.
- **WARM-UP AREA** for contestants preparing to compete (*within the hour*) is located on the 2nd level Auxiliary Court. **No Lessons!** Monitored area! Please be considerate to your fellow competitors.
- AWARDS & 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 Field House.
- A MOUSECAR win in a division automatically moves you to the next division for Twirl Mania.
- DETAILED DESCRIPTION.... of all requirements and rules are available on the TM website.