



THE COLORADO BATON COUNCIL PRESENTS:

**2023 COLORADO STATE
CHAMPIONSHIPS
& OPEN CONTEST**

SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023
DOORS OPEN AT 8 A.M.
CONTEST BEGINS AT 8:30 A.M.

ENTRY "RECEIVED BY" DEADLINE
APRIL 7, 2023

Westminster High School
6933 Raleigh Street
Westminster, CO 80030

SANCTIONED BY THE UNITED STATES
TWIRLING ASSOCIATION

CONTEST INFORMATION

- Modeling, Hoop, Ribbon, Flag, Showtwirl, and X-Strut are not sanctioned by USTA.
- **Colorado State Championship Events** are open to any twirler who is a resident of Colorado. Novice, Beginner, and Intermediate State Events are unsanctioned events.
- All entries must be RECEIVED by April 7, 2023. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER APRIL 7, 2023. Returned check fee is \$25. All entry fees must be paid prior to contest.
- Athletes compete at the age they will be on 8/31/2023. Please double check entry for correct age, events entered and amount paid.
- Every athlete must be a current member of USTA. All memberships – except ‘Non-Member Fee’ – must be paid in advance directly to USTA. Please visit www.ustawirling.com to download membership form or apply for membership online. Pay ‘Non-Member Fee’ with entry fees.
- No flash photography allowed in the gym.
- USTA and CBC are not responsible for injuries, or lost or stolen articles.

NOVICE – A contestant who has won less than three (3) competitive first place awards in that event. When the third first place award is won, the contestant may no longer enter Novice in that event.

BEGINNER – A contestant who has won less than five (5) competitive first place awards in that event. When the fifth first place award is won, the contestant may no longer enter Beginner in that event.

INTERMEDIATE – A contestant who has won less than ten (10) competitive first place awards in that event. When the tenth first place award is won, the contestant may no longer enter Intermediate in that event.

ADVANCED – A contestant who has won ten (10) or more competitive first place awards in a particular event.

FOUNDATION EVENTS

BASIC STRUT	8 count intro, 32 count square, no twirling. Nov, Beg, Int, Adv
MILITARY STRUT	8 count intro, 32 count L formation, no twirling. Nov, Beg, Int, Adv
PARADE MARCH	8 count intro, 32 count formation, twirling ok. Nov, Beg, Int., Adv
PRESENTATION	12 count intro, 32 count open pattern. Nov, Beg, Int, Adv

CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

ARTISTIC TWIRL	Official music	
ARTISTIC TWIRL PAIRS	Official music	
USTA STRUT	Official music	
SOLO	Official music	Nov, Beg, Int (1:30) Adv (1:48)
MEN’S SOLO	Official music	Nov, Beg, Int (1:30) Adv (1:48)
DUET	Official music	Nov, Beg (1:30) Adv (1:48)
2-BATON	Official music	Nov, Beg, Int, Adv (1:30)
3-BATON	Official music	Nov, Beg, Adv (1:30)

**Evaluation Championship Events are unsanctioned and not competitive. Coaches will receive digital comments. No awards.*

UNSANCTIONED EVENTS

MODELING	Open Formation
SHOWTWIRL	Own Music (2:30 max.! Overtime penalty of 2 points!)
HOOP, FLAG, RIBBON	Official 1 min music
X-STRUT	Standard marching music

CRITIQUE ONLY EVENTS

SHORT PROGRAM	Official Music
FREESTYLE	Own Music Evaluation Only – no awards given
COLLEGIATE EVENT	Own Music Evaluation Only – no awards given

STANDARD AGE DIVISIONS

Primary 0-9, Juvenile 10-13, Junior 14-17, Senior 18-21, Adult 22+

DUET, ARTISTIC PAIRS, (combined ages) Pri. 0-18, Juv. 19-26, Jr. 27-34, Sr. 35+

(THE CONTEST DIRECTOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE AGE GROUPS AS NECESSARY.)

2023 Colorado State Championships & Open Contest Individual Entry Form Due Date: April 7, 2023

USTA # _____ Contestant Name: _____

*Denotes Unsanctioned Events.

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail: _____

(confirmation will be sent via email only)

Age (08/31/2023) _____ Birth date: ____/____/____ Phone (____) _____

If you are not a USTA Member, you must pay \$5.00 for "Non-member contestant" fee to compete.

List All Instructors- Primary 1st : _____

Competitive Disciplines

Foundation

**Basic Strut
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Basic
___ Beg. Basic
___ Int. Basic
___ Adv. Basic

**Military Strut
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Mil.
___ Beg. Mil.
___ Int. Mil.
___ Adv. Mil.

**Parade March
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Parade
___ Beg. Parade
___ Int. Parade
___ Adv. Parade

**Presentation
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Presentation
___ Beg. Presentation
___ Int. Presentation
___ Adv. Presentation

Championship

**Solo
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Solo
___ Beg. Solo
___ Int. Solo
___ Adv. Solo
___ Eval. Solo*

**Men's Solo
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Solo
___ Beg. Solo
___ Int. Solo
___ Adv. Solo
___ Eval. Solo*

**Duet
\$8.00 per person**

___ Nov. Duet
___ Beg. Duet
___ Int. Duet
___ Adv. Duet
___ Eval. Duet*

Partner Name: _____

USTA # _____

**2-Baton
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. 2-Baton
___ Beg. 2-Baton
___ Int. 2-Baton
___ Adv. 2-Baton
___ Eval. 2-Baton*

**USTA Strut
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. Strut
___ Beg. Strut
___ Int. Strut
___ Adv. Strut
___ Eval. Strut*

**Artistic Twirl
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. AT
___ Beg. AT
___ Int. AT
___ Adv. AT
___ Eval. AT*

**Artistic Twirl Pairs
\$8.00 per person**

___ Nov. AT Pairs
___ Beg. AT Pairs
___ Int. AT Pairs
___ Adv. AT Pairs
___ Eval. AT Pairs*

Partner Name: _____

USTA # _____

**3-Baton
\$8.00 each**

___ Nov. 3-Baton
___ Beg. 3-Baton
___ Int. 3-Baton
___ Adv. 3-Baton
___ Eval. 3-Baton*

Special

**Modeling*
\$8.00
(Competitive)**

___ One level

**Showtwirl*
\$8.00
(Competitive)**

___ One level

**Hoop, Ribbon, Flag*
\$8.00 each
(Competitive)**

___ Hoop
___ Ribbon
___ Flag

**X-Strut*
8.00
(Eval. Only)**

___ One level

**Collegiate Twirl
\$8.00
(Critique Only)**

Please list your school _____

Evaluative

**Compulsories
\$8.00 each**

___ C ___ A
___ B ___ AA
___ BI ___ AAA
___ BII ___ Elite

___ Comments Only

**Movement Tech
\$8.00 each**

___ C ___ A
___ B ___ AA
___ BI ___ AAA
___ BII ___ Elite

___ Comments Only

**Short Program
\$8.00
(Critique Only)**

___ Short Program

**Freestyle
\$8.00
(Critique Only)**

___ Level

**Freestyle Pairs
\$8.00 per person
(Critique Only)**

___ Level
Partner Name: _____

USTA # _____

State Championship Events

Solo

___ Nov. \$16*
___ Beg. \$16*
___ Int. \$20*
___ Adv. \$24

Men's Solo

___ Nov. \$16*
___ Beg. \$16*
___ Int. \$20*
___ Adv. \$24

Strut

___ Nov. \$16*
___ Beg. \$16*
___ Int. \$20*
___ Adv. \$24

Duet

___ Beg. \$8 each*
___ Adv. \$12 each

2-Baton

___ Nov. \$16*
___ Beg. \$16*
___ Int. \$20*
___ Adv. \$24

3-Baton

___ Beg. \$16*
___ Adv. \$24

Artistic Twirl

___ Nov. \$16*
___ Beg. \$16*
___ Int. \$20*
___ Adv. \$24

Artistic Twirl Pairs

___ Beg. \$8 each*
___ Adv. \$12 each

Due Date: April 7, 2023

Make checks payable to and mail to:
Colorado Baton Council
c/o Michelle Dawson
9937 Deer Creek Lane
Highlands Ranch, CO 80129

720-273-0840
taylorlynn67@hotmail.com

Event Total	\$ _____
Non-member contestant fee: \$5 <i>(Note: pay only if not a USTA member)</i>	\$ _____
Facility Fee: \$10 (Pay once per family)	\$ _____
Grand Total	\$ _____

WAIVER/INDEMNITY OF LIABILITY: I agree to assume the risk of any injury that may happen to me (or my child) as a result of participation in a USTA sanctioned event. I further agree to indemnify and hold the United States Twirling Association, Colorado Baton Council, Westminster High School, and their agents, or employees harmless from any loss sustained as a result of injury to me (or my child) as a result of participation in USTA events. I have read the "Parents/Legal Guardians Responsibilities" in Section 1 of the current edition of the USTA Information, Procedures and Rules manual. As a condition for USTA's acceptance of my (or my child's) entry in a USTA event, I agree to abide by and perform each of the duties set forth in that Section. By participating in a USTA event, I give USTA permission to use photos and video of myself (or my children) taken in conjunction with a USTA event.

Name: _____ Date: _____

2023 Colorado State Championships & Open Contest
Team Entry Form
Due Date: April 7, 2023
One Group Per Entry Form

Team Name _____

Team Director's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail: _____
 (confirmations to be sent via email only)

List ALL instructors. Primary 1st: _____

Entry MUST include a list with all members age, date of birth and USTA ID#

Division Teams:

Tiny Tot- 0-7(no member over age of 7)
 Primary-average age 9.99
 Juvenile-average age 10.0-13.99
 Junior-average age 14.0-17.99
 Senior-average age 18.0+

Team Size:

Small: 4-8 members
 Large: 9 or more members

Corps & Group Size:

10 or more twirling members

Group Disciplines

Group name: _____ Total Average Age (08/31/2023) _____ #of Twirlers: _____ # of Alternates: _____

Title(s) of Musical Selection(s) _____

\$8.00 per member

____ Trio		Prim. ____	Juv. ____	Jr. ____	Sr. ____	Beg. ____	Int. ____	Adv. ____			
____ Dance Twirl	Tiny Tot ____	Prim. ____	Juv. ____	Jr. ____	Sr. ____	Beg. ____	Int. ____	Adv. ____		Small ____ Large ____	
____ Show Team		Prim. ____	Juv. ____	Jr. ____	Sr. ____	One Level				Small ____ Large ____	
____ Twirl Team		Prim. ____	Juv. ____	Jr. ____	Sr. ____	Novice ____	A ____	AA ____	AAA ____	Elite ____	Small ____ Large ____
____ Entertainment Corps						One Level					
____ Parade Corps						One Level					
____ Artistic Group						One Level					

Please note the following regarding the new Twirl Team format:

- Primary level is only offered in the Novice and A Level
- Juvenile level is only offered in the Novice, A and AA Level
- Junior and Senior levels are offered in Novice-Elite Level

Any further questions you may have regarding the new Twirl Team format please see the USTA Rule Book, available on the [USTA Member Portal](#).

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Make Checks payable and mail entry to:	
Colorado Baton Council c/o Michelle Dawson 9937 Deer Creek Lane Highlands Ranch, CO 80129	
720-273-0840 taylorlynn67@hotmail.com	
Entry Fee	\$ _____
Non-member contestant fee: \$5 (Note: pay only if not a USTA member)	\$ _____
Group Surcharge \$2.50	\$ _____
Grand Total	\$ _____

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