

Southern Tier Winterguard

Presents

Spinning Independently

Welcome! Thank you for choosing to participate in the Southern Tier Winterguard's annual "Spinning Independently" competition being held on March 19, 2022. Here is some important information we would like to share with you.

The show will be held at Union-Endicott High School. Our main doors located by the GYM will open for spectators at 5:00 PM. The show will begin at 5:55 PM. Please follow the signs.

PLEASE NOTE: We are following the current CDC guidelines for masking and social distancing.

TICKETS: Tickets will be available at the door for \$8.00, and \$6.00 for students and seniors (65+). Children under five are free.

GUARD CHECK-IN: Guard check in will open at 3:30 pm. **Please do not arrive before this time.** MYCGC allows a total of fifteen staff, chaperones, and floor crew combined per unit. Please bring with you a completed copy of your staff list. Each participating program will be assigned a homeroom. Because of the technology and computers in the school, an adult representative must sign a form as the guard arrives stating the room will be returned to the condition in which it was found and pay for repair or replacement for broken or missing items. **A GUARD REPRESENTATIVE MUST ARRIVE WITH THE MEMBERS AND SIGN THE FORM. ROOMS WILL NOT BE ASSIGNED UNTIL THIS HAS BEEN DONE.**

Guards should be dropped off at the middle set of doors in the bus loop. The guard members will be stamped here and directed to your room. Props and equipment will enter the doors by the gym and will be stamped there. There will be signs to follow.

PLEASE NOTE: ONLY INSTRUCTORS AND CHAPERONES WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE GUARD AREA.

VIDEO: Due to copyright restrictions, Mid-York no longer allows recording of shows.

PRE-PERFORMANCE ANNOUNCEMENTS: We will use the guidelines set forth by the MYCGC and WGI.

SOUND CHECK: Sound check will be allowed from 5:00 PM to 5:15 PM and again after the first retreat only. Please pick up your music at the sound table after your group performs.

BUS PARKING: Once your guard has been dropped off at the guard check-in area, your buses will be instructed by our parking staff on where to go to park. We are asking all buses and equipment vehicles to park in the bottom lot near the football field. There will be no parking in the bus loop during the show. Buses will be allowed in the bus loop to pick up your guard after the show.

EQUIPMENT: All equipment **MUST** be properly padded with special attention to all sabers. All equipment will be inspected prior to entering the gym.

PROPS: No props will be checked in prior to 3:30 pm. If you have a large number of props or your props take up a good amount of space, please be sure to give us a heads up ahead of time so we can arrange for you to have the space you need.

After the guard performance the props and floor mat will need to be loaded back up. Due to space restrictions, you will not be able to put props and mats back in the prop staging area following your performance. We have an outdoor covered patio area that you can store the props and mats if needed. Please let us know when you bring the props in if you need to use the patio.

We have a limited amount of space for prop staging. If you require a lot of room for props please reach out to use at southerntierwinterguard@gmail.com to make arrangements. We have an outdoor covered patio area that you can store the props and mats if needed. Please let us know when you bring the props in if you need to use the patio.

Guards performing after the first retreat, please consider bringing your props in at 7:00.

FLOORS: Note that this description is from the perspective of the spectator bleachers. The floor, props, and guard will be entering the gym from the back left double doors. When performance is complete, you will fold your floor to the right and exit through the right side double doors at the back of the gym. Please see the included map for layout. There will be a designated area outside the gym to refold your mat. Please be conscious of time as you do this.

CAFETERIA: The cafeteria is located on the second floor of the school (follow signs) and will be open at 4:30 pm.

SEATING: Guard members, chaperones, and your floor crew will be stamped upon arrival. The Mid-York Circuit allows a total of 15 staff, chaperones, and floor crew combined per unit. Floor crew will be stamped at the prop entrance. These members will be allowed to view the show from the **BACK SIDE** of the gym only. Please remind your members to sit on the back side of the gym.

GUIDES: Your group will be escorted as it makes its way from your classroom to warm up and from your warm up to the gym. Your group will also be escorted from the performance back to the classroom.

WARM-UPS: There will be a body warm up as well as an equipment warm up in our lower full-size gym. While we provide guides, it is the responsibility of the director to make sure their guard arrives for warm ups on time.

RETREAT: There will be 2 retreats. Captains only please. 1st retreat guard captains please report to the guard entrance (back left gym doors) after Mohonasen JV performance. 2nd retreat guard captains please report to the guard entrance (back left gym doors) after Southern Tier Exhibition performance.

COMMENTS AND SHEETS: Please remember to pick up your music CD from the announcers table in the back middle of the gym. Remember, comments are digital and will be received through competition suite along with scores.

CRITIQUE: Post contest meetings will be held in the library and will begin following the last performance. Directors are asked to wait outside the library on the cafeteria level (there will be signs).

SMOKING: There is **NO SMOKING PERMITTED** on school grounds. Please remind your parents, chaperones, and floor crew of this important New York State Law.

PROP VEHICLES AND PASSENGER BUSES: Guides will be there to assist in drop off. Prop vehicles and passenger buses should follow the directions below and unload at the gym and main entrance. All bus and prop vehicles will park in the lower parking lot and driver may re-enter at the guard check-in entrance.

DIRECTIONS:

From the North: Take 81S to 17W. Take exit 67N-Endicott/Rt 26N. Take the Main St/Rt26N/17C W Ramp. Union-Endicott High School will be on your left after the first traffic light. Spectator parking is available in the large lot just past the high school.

From the East: Take 88W to 81S, then follow above directions.

From the West: Take 17E to Exit 67N-Endicott/Rt 26N, then follow the above directions.

CONTACTS:

If you need to contact us day of the show, we can be reached at the following numbers/emails:

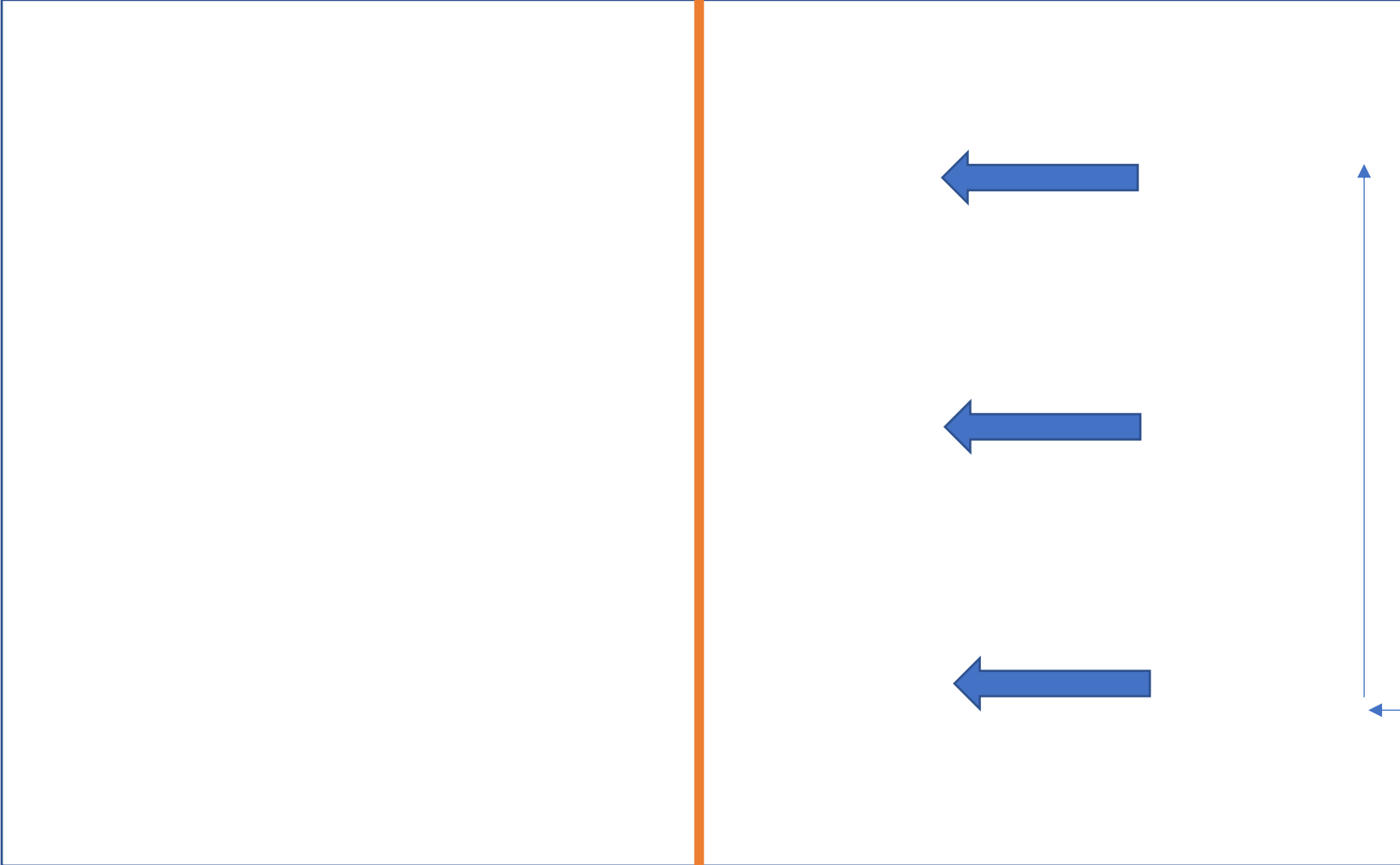
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Spectator Bleachers



Timing
Line

Spectator
Entrance

Guard Bleacher

Prop/ Guard
Exit

Guard Bleacher

Prop
Entrance

Guard
Entrance

Show Schedule

INTRO/NATIONAL ANTHEM

		READY	BODY WARMUP	EQUIPMENT WARMUP	5:55 PERFORM
Laurens ERA	ERA	5:32	5:36-5:44	5:48-5:56	6:00
Shen Cadet	CADET	5:40	5:44-5:52	5:56-6:04	6:08
Vestal Cadet	CADET	5:48	5:52-6:00	6:04-6:12	6:16
Laurens Jr	CADET	5:56	6:00-6:08	6:12-6:20	6:24
Norwich	SRA	6:04	6:08-6:16	6:20-6:28	6:32
Vestal	SRA	6:12	6:16-6:24	6:28-6:36	6:40
Horseheads	SRA	6:20	6:24-6:32	6:36-6:44	6:48
Mohonasen JV	IRA	6:28	6:32-6:40	6:44-6:52	6:56

INTERMISSION/1st RETREAT

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Dare	IAA	7:01	7:05-7:13	7:18-7:26	7:30
Shen A	SA3	7:09	7:13-7:21	7:26-7:34	7:38
Mohonasen	SA1	7:17	7:21-7:29	7:34-7:42	7:46
Laurens Jaguars	SA1	7:25	7:29-7:37	7:42-7:50	7:54
Arlington Admirals	SA1	7:33	7:37-7:45	7:50-7:58	8:02
Shen Open	SO	7:41	7:45-7:54	7:58-8:07	8:11
Southern Tier	EXH	7:50	7:54-8:03	8:07-8:16	8:20
2nd RETREAT					8:45