

# Dad's Dance Division Contract

## ASHWAUBENON DANCE INVITATIONAL

As a coach of a team that is participating in the Dad's Division:

1. I will remind the individuals participating in this division that the goal of this division is to be a light-hearted fun experience for the dancers/coaches/spectators to take their mind off the competitiveness of the day. This gives those participating an opportunity to connect with their child by dancing for and/or with them at the end of a long day and is meant for the memory/experience it creates not the trophy.
2. I will inform those participating to be respectful of the volunteers at the Ashwaubenon Dance Invitational and the District Policies for spectators at Athletic Events.
  - a. Past incidences include but are not limited to the following:
    - i. Being rude/disrespectful to volunteers.**
      1. Keep in mind many of our volunteers are aunts/uncles/grandparents/friends/etc... of the dancers and families of the Ashwaubenon Dance Program (Varsity/Middle School Teams) that are just here helping out without much knowledge of dance or how dance competitions run. If they don't have the answer you are looking please ask your coach to contact the competition director about any issue/concern.
    - ii. Demanding to be allowed back into the changing areas at all points in the day.**
      1. All costumes and outfits for the dad's dance should be kept in your vehicles until later in the day. No parent will be allowed past the security checkpoints until the designated time which will be determined and sent out once the lineup for the competition is complete. The coach of the team will need to be present at the designated spot and time (TBD) and they will need to escort their Dad's Dance participants to their teams changing area. This is to keep the participants who changing back in those areas safe throughout the day of the competition. (as many of our participants are under the age of 18)
    - iii. Demanding changing areas.**
      1. We will do our best to find a space for you to change for the Dad's Dance, but it has never been an expectation. We will determine a time in which all Dad's teams can walk through the changing room hallways to their designated team area to change to prepare for their performance. The coach of your team has the right to deny their participants access to their changing room if they don't want them back in that area. If a coach denies their participants of this privilege the participants will need to change in the restrooms or out in their own personal vehicles.
    - iv. Demanding practices space.**
      1. The dad's division will have the same time allowed as each of the school teams attending the competition have. You will be allowed to practice in the warm up area a few minutes prior to check in. Once in rotation there will be time set for you to practice your routine in the warm up gym and in the hole/on deck area.
    - v. Saying that they are paid athletes to try and get out of paying for admissions.**
      1. Each person participating in the Dad's Division must pay admissions into the competition. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
    - vi. Bringing alcohol onto school grounds (changing rooms/parking lot) prior to performance.**
      1. Alcohol, tobacco or other drugs are not to be on school grounds including within the school and school parking areas. Individual coming into our competition intoxicated will be asked to leave.
3. I will inform those participating in this division of the signed Team Liability Contract that was filled out for your team's participation at our competition and that all bullet points within that Team Liability Contract also pertain to their participation within the dad's division.

**As the coach of a team who is participating in the Dad's Division I understand that if these terms/conditions are not met that you will be disqualified in the Dad's Division and your program will not be allowed to perform in the Dad's Division for 4 years after any occurrence deemed unacceptable by the Ashwaubenon Dance Team Parent Board:**

**Coach Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_