

# SPRINGVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

## 2020-2021 DRILL TEAM AUDITION PACKET

In this document, you will find information regarding drill team expectations, costs, and schedules. Audition information is also included. If you have any questions, please contact Lyndsey Ashdown(head coach) at [Lyndsey.ashdown@nebo.edu](mailto:Lyndsey.ashdown@nebo.edu).

### Expectations:

Members of the SHS Drill Team are expected to be proactive. They must maintain a 2.0 GPA and accrue no more than 10 detention hours at a time. All team members must attend every practice and performance. If there is an emergency, they must give the coach at least a **24-hour notice before missing practice**. If they are sick, they are still expected to be at practice participating to the best of their ability. Participation in performances is contingent to a demerit system. On performance days, team members are required to attend and be on time to every class at school. All members must demonstrate good sportsmanship and leadership skills on and off the dance floor.

### Cost:

Below is a breakdown of all the fees associated with the Drill Team from the 2019-2020 year. I will be going through inventory to see what we will need this year and things we won't. Camp fees have not been set yet because we aren't sure what's going to happen with that yet. I will work to get you an exact cost breakdown as soon as I can! The participation fee will remain the same. Expect the cost to be around the same as below!

### 2019-2020 cost breakdown:

\$800 uniform fee (dance clothes, shoes, warm-ups, bags, makeup, competition registration, etc.)

\$60 participation fee

\$195 camp registration fee

\$60-100 camp lodging and transportation fee (the final price will be determined after the team is selected)

The team will participate in fundraisers throughout the year to cover competition expenses. We will determine later whether or not the 2020-21 D'Velles will participate in a National's Competition and trip.

Our schedule is up in the air, but if we get the cleared to go/dance, we will follow this schedule:

### **May 2020**

I don't plan to have any practices in May. Due to the coronavirus our season will most likely start later on. If I get word that we are allowed to hold practice, I will set 1-2 days a week to practice.

### **Summer**

**June 1-3:** We will be attending EPIC Productions 3 Day Team Camp in St. George. During these 3 days the team will be learning routines for the upcoming year, bonding as a team, and growing their dance skills. (Unless canceled, then the date will be moved)

**Monday-Friday:** The drill team will practice from 7-9 am each weekday. During practice, we will condition, enhance technique, and learn routines for performances and competitions.

**June 13th:** The drill team will be participating in the Art City Days Parade in the morning.

**June 14 - July 4th:** Drill Team Moratorium will take place on these dates. The drill team will not practice or participate in any team activities during this period of time. There is also a no contact order between coaches and dancers during this time.

### **School Year**

During the school year, the drill team will practice during A1. On the days we have practice, we will meet at 6 am and work through the class period. The drill team will also have technique practice every Tuesday night from 7-9 pm. It is likely we will practice on Saturdays during competition season.

Again, all of those dates are subject to change. We are working week by week with this virus and knowing what we can and can't do! We want to keep everyone safe and healthy.

The D'Velles will perform at all home football games and all home boy's and girl's basketball games. They will also participate in competitions during December and January.

Please note that all practices and events listed above are **mandatory**.

More information will be provided after auditions.

Springville High School  
2020-2021 Drill Team

Audition Information:

- The tryout routine video will be sent out via EMAIL on April 27th. This is the routine that you will need to learn on your own to try out! Make sure you have clicked on the link in the SHS Dvelles instagram (shs.dvelles) and filled out the necessary information so I have your email.
- Parent ZOOM meeting on April 27th @ 6:00 PM. I will be going over this packet and giving any other information you need. I will also go over tryouts.
- Once I have everyone who plans to try out, you will be assigned a number and time. You will be auditioning in groups of three at the high school.
- Tryouts will be held on May 4th from 4:00-7:00 PM
- There will be only three dancers allowed in the gym at one time and that will all be based on your number/time slot. You will be asked to leave immediately after your tryout.
- Please come in all black FORM FITTING (appropriate) dance attire and bring the dance shoes you plan to dance in.
- when it's your time to come to the gym, please be stretched and ready to go!
- You will come in, introduce yourself (Name, grade, and number), then perform the tryout routine. We will have each group do the routine two times.
- After auditions have completed and the team members have been selected, I will announce the 2020-2021 team!

If for some reason you are not able to attend auditions, please contact me ASAP so we can figure something out together.

**Please have the following items completed before you come to the clinic (5/4):**

Register with the State of Utah on Register My Athlete  
(<http://registermyathlete.com/schools/>).

A current physical within the last year.

Yellow slip from the front office along with

Your detention/grades from the office.

Tryout sheet printed and filled out

Please have all papers stapled together and bring with you on the day of auditions (5/4)

Answer the questions below (you may just handwrite your answers):

What is your first & last name, and what grade will you be in next school year?

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Describe one of your best qualities.

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Why are you interested in doing drill team?

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