

Jamestown Winterguards

Guards In Motion

Dear Color Guard Director, Staff, and Members:

Thank you for participating in "Guards in Motion" sponsored by the Jamestown Winterguards. We are very excited to have you here this year and hope that you have a great experience!

Below please find the specifics with regard to this contest:

Location: Jamestown High School
McElrath Gymnasium
350 E 2nd st.
Jamestown, NY 14701

Date: **March 25, 2017**

Contest Start Time: **5:30 PM (first performance at 5:40).**
School Opens: **3:00 PM.**

Guard Check in: **Please enter through the pool doors, which are the closest doors to the parking lot on Front St..** Personnel will be available at that entrance to assist with directions. All guard staff members with a NE Circuit pass or wrist band will be allowed entry. The back bleachers will not be out. All seating is on the front side. Please hand in your write-ups when you check in if you have not already posted them to the Northeast Circuit website. In addition to warm-up time, practice time is available on a first come, first served basis. Please contact Marc Lentsch at 716-397-2958 for times.

Props: Drop off floors and props at the gym entrance just south of the pool doors. They will need to be taken down the elevator and stored in the boys' locker room (stage right in the gym). If you have any unusually large or cumbersome props please call in advance so we can find an appropriate method

to get them into the gym. We will have personnel available to help with floors and heave props.

Program Flow: Each guard will have a guide as there are many twists, turns, and levels at Jamestown High School. The performers will enter from the bottom left of the gym where their floors and props are stored. Floors will unfold left to right as the judges see it. At the end of the performance guards and floors will exit off the opposite (right from the judges perspective) side of the gym. At that time floors can be moved to your vans or back around the other side via the pathway underneath the bleachers.

Room Assignments: Your group will be assigned a changing room. Your staff/director will be held accountable for the room and its contents. Please do not spin in your room. Adult supervision is required while students are in the classroom. **Please no glitter in the rooms.**

Sound System: Sound Checks may be done prior to show start time; those units performing after intermission may do their sound check during intermission. Sound check will be from 4:30-5:15

Tickets: \$6.00 for all spectators

Post Contest: Judges Critique will be in the Cafeteria following the last performing unit.

Emergency Phone: Marc Lentsch 716-397-2958
Kathy Bertolini 716-969-5349
Traci Stevenson 716-499-2661

Concessions: Our typical menu includes hot dogs, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, pizza, drinks, and sweets

Directions:

From the East or West: Take Rt. 86 to exit 12 (Rt. 60). When you exit turn south on Rt. 60 (left if you're coming from the east or right if you're coming from the west). Keep going straight on this road and it will turn into Main St. Turn left on 2nd st. (after 3rd st. and there is a Key Bank on the left). Jamestown High School is about $\frac{1}{4}$ mile on the right. The only parking lot at the school will take you to the pool doors.

From the North: Take the thruway West to exit 59 (Dunkirk/Fredonia). Turn left onto Rt. 60 South. Follow Rt. 60 south into Jamestown. (In the town of Gerry you will need to make a right turn at a blinking red light to stay on Rt. 60). Once you get into Jamestown turn left onto 2nd st. Jamestown High School is about $\frac{1}{4}$ mile on your right.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Marc Lentsch
Director, Jamestown Winterguards