



Changing Divisions: Teams may not change divisions once their entry forms have been submitted.

Routine Time Parameters:

 Total time of routine cannot exceed 2:30

 1:30-1:45 maximum for MUSIC

*Aligns with '23-'24 update to NCA and UCA Traditional Routines

Floor Size: 54 feet wide by 42 feet deep (54' x 42'). All participants must start with at least one foot (hand) on the performance surface. Signs and props can be placed off the performance floor, but participants cannot step off during the routine to get them.

Spotters: Each school MUST provide their own spotters!

Injuries on the floor: Routine can be stopped by competition officials, advisor/coach of the team or the individual. Competition officials (in conjunction with the coach and individual) will decide if the team will be allowed to perform at a later time. The spot where the re-performance will take place is up to the discretion of the competition officials and coaches (considering all issues).

Practice/warm-up: Squads will be permitted warm-up times prior to competition. Teams will be provided a warm up schedule and competition schedule one week prior to the event. Teams will have six minutes to stretch and seven minutes on the mat.

Music: Schools will need to bring music for their routine. It is preferred that music be on a phone or IPAD. No CDs please.

Contest Officials: Competitive spirit judges do not register with PIAA. They are retained by the Tournament organizers under standards set by the Tournament organizers and will utilize NFHS spirit rules. PIAA Competitive Spirit judges will be contracted by UCA. Judges will have extensive training in coaching, choreography, and championship judging. Judges' decisions are final.

Spectators: Doors will open one hour before the competition begins. Noisemakers are prohibited.

Spectator Tickets: General Admission Tickets will be on sale via the PIAA District VI Website for all Inter-District Championships.

Adults & Students in grades K-12 must purchase tickets.

Tee Shirts: Preorder t-shirts will be \$10 each. You will receive them at the competition. We will not have any available to purchase at the competition. You must pre-order them. Orders will be fulfilled through [Jody Rainey@homercenter.org](mailto:Jody.Rainey@homercenter.org).

Pre-competition Meeting: Meeting will be held at 9:50 AM for the following people: the District VI chairperson, site manager, one judge, and the head coaches from the competing schools to review the PIAA Sportsmanship Message and conduct all necessary pre-competition business.

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