

# American Dance/Drill Team

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## North Texas Regionals

**Location Information:** Rockwall Heath High School

**Address:** 801 Laurence Dr.

**City, State, Zip:** Heath, Texas 75032

**Map:** <http://www.mapquest.com>

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**Director Email:** [mlyon@rockwallisd.org](mailto:mlyon@rockwallisd.org)

**Registration:** 8:00am-12:00noon (check in with the contest administrator if arriving after 12:00noon) Buses should drop off teams at the Main Gym Entrance on the South side of the school, then park in the back.

**Team/Officer/Ensemble/Solo Information:**

**Events Start/End:** – approx. 9:00am – 7:00pm

*Please check the final schedule posted on the web site the week prior to the contest for exact performance times.*

**Performance Area:** Team/Officers/Ensembles events will be held in the Main Gym. Solos and duets will be held in the Performing Arts Center (52' wide x 46' deep from proscenium to proscenium).

**Judges Area:** Judges will be 20 rows up in center of Main Gym. Judges will be seated in the middle section of the PAC viewing the dancers on stage.

**Team Entrance/Exit:** Main Gym – enter from judges left, exit to judges left.

Solo/Duet area – enter and exit to judges left.

**Sound Area:** Sound will be located to the side of performance floor in both areas.

**Floor Surface:** The Main has a yellow hardwood surface with basketball and volleyball markings. The PAC has black stage flooring.

**Team Practice Area:** Cafeteria Annex, sound system available and tile floor surface

**Solo Practice Area:** 1104 Dance Room behind PAC with sprung dance floor, mirrors and bars, sound system available.

**On Deck Practice Area:** A small gym, within the performance gym area. This on deck time can be used for a silent run of choreography, test of floor surface, spacing, and final focus on routines before the performances.

**Dressing Area:** Classrooms and locker rooms will be assigned by the Heath High School dance team.



**Large Props:** Large props and backdrops will need to be brought into the holding area behind the spectators seating by entering through the south side metal gym double door, look for prop drop off sign next to student parking and sidewalk.

**Results:** The director or assistant director may pick up all team, officer, ensemble, duet and solo packets at the awards table immediately following the awards ceremony. No packets will be passed out until that time.

## Other Information:

**Concessions:** Available for purchase on site. No food may be brought in from outside.

**Warm-Up Area:** All teams may warm up in the cafeteria annex or auxillary gym.

**Team and Spectator Admission:** Enter and park to the left side of school and enter through the Main Gym entrance and not the front of the school.

Saturday - \$8.00 per person

4 years & Under and 65 & Over are Free

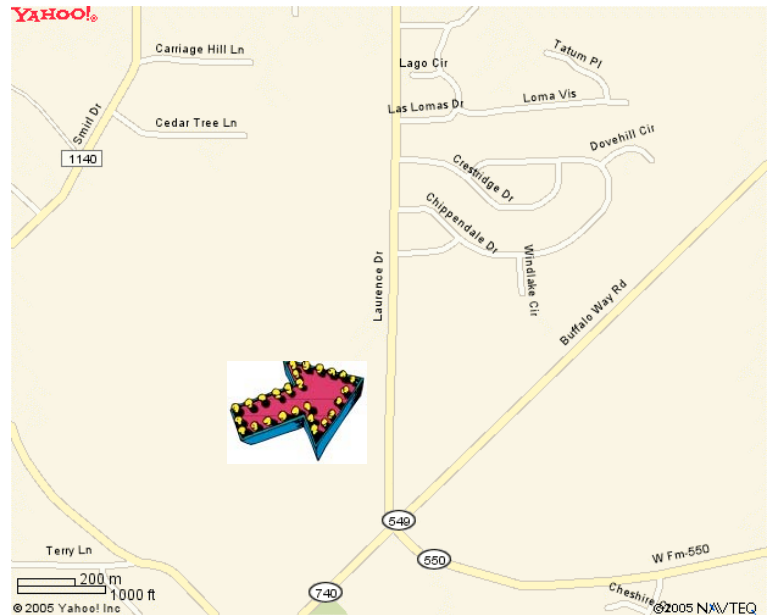
*All other spectators, parents and chaperones must either present a VIP pass or pay admission*

**Spectator Parking:** Side Parking Lot

**Bus Parking:** Back Parking Lot

**Host Hotel:** Contact ATS Tours and Travel to plan your group trip (800/698-3901).

**Average # of Teams Attending:** 35+ teams



## SPECIAL DIRECTIONS DUE TO CONSTRUCTION:

From I-30, they need to take Horizon up to FM 549 and turn right. Drive up 549 to Laurence Drive and turn right. Then turn left on Heath Hawk Drive. There is a lot of construction on Ridge Road and if there's much rain, the road gets flooded.

**Information:** **NO PERSONAL CAMERA TRIPODS ALLOWED.** A current schedule of the contest will be posted the Tuesday prior to the event and be linked to the Contest Page or our web site. All props, staging and backdrops must be able to pass easily through a regular 7 ft double door with the center bar removed.

**Directions:** Go East on I-30 and take the Horizon Rd. exit (just after you cross Lake Ray Hubbard). Go to the stoplight and turn right on Horizon Rd. Go about 3 miles until you get to the light at FM549 (Cain Middle School is on the corner). Turn right on FM549. Go to stop sign next to Mobil Station and turn right on FM 740. School will be on your left about ¼ mile down. Buses and Spectators should turn left onto Cuny Drive, off of Laurence at the first entrance. Take an immediate right into the student parking lot. After unloading, buses will find parking at the back of the school.

