

# Bellevue East Bellevettes Dance Team

## 2022 Clinic / Tryout Schedule

### Please Read Carefully

**Clinics & Practices:** Wednesday-Thursday, March 23rd - March 24th, 3:30-6:30PM, South Gym (Bellevue East) \*(We realize that middle school students will arrive around 4:00 or later)\*

The clinic days are spent learning two routines, hip hop and game day, which you will perform for the judges on the last day. Each dancer will perform these routines in groups of 3-4. Wear clothes you will be comfortable dancing in; leggings, shorts, biker shorts, athletic tank, and tennis shoes are highly encouraged. The tryout music can be shared to you as well! Just ask Coach Cam :)

**Tryouts:** Friday, March 25th, 2022 Bellevue East South Gym 3:30PM

This is when you officially audition for the squad. Tryouts are very private; there will be no one there except your group, the judges, and the coaches. There will be 3-6 judges. The coaches do not judge or tabulate scores.

### **Tryout Procedures:**

For tryouts, all members of each tryout group must wear all black and tennis shoes. Hair must be up and off of your face. No jewelry or body/facial piercings are allowed.

We'll have time to warm up and go over the dances before the tryouts begin. You will be judged on the dance routine including execution, showmanship, other technical dance elements, as well as overall appearance. **Dancers will be walked through the tryout process prior to the day of tryouts.**

Please remember that it is hard to schedule anything without some conflicts. **DO NOT PANIC!!** We will attempt to accommodate scheduling conflicts within these hours. However, please remember that judges will not be retained for late participants. (A recorded tryout is an option but should be used as a last resort because it is difficult for judges to get an accurate picture of your abilities through video.) Please talk to Cameron Krishna if there is a problem. Coach Krishna's email: [cekrishna20@gmail.com](mailto:cekrishna20@gmail.com)

## Bellevedettes 2022-2023

### MANDATORY DATES & EXPENSES FOR SELECTED SQUAD MEMBERS – FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

**\*Fundraiser and Parent Meeting - \*MANDATORY:** Tuesday, April 12th at 4:00PM in the Bellevue East Cafeteria.

**\*Fittings and First Payment Due:** Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 6:00PM Room at Bellevue East TBA – **\*MANDATORY**

**>>\$200 uniform deposit due at this time and a \$150 camp deposit (\$350 total) (all checks payable to Bellevue East High School)**

>>If you are a returning member and you are not ordering any new uniform items, and you are attending camp, then only a \$200 deposit is required.

>>If you are a returning member and you are ordering an item you already own (replacing it) this item must be paid for at this time.

**\*May, June, and July:** A \$260 payment is due each of these months if a balance remains on your account.

**\*MANDATORY**

**\*Gatorade Scrimmage - Football Game:** Your remaining balance must be paid or the student is not allowed to dance until their account is paid off.

**\*Pre-Camp Practice:** \*Tentative\* May 6<sup>th</sup> – June 4<sup>th</sup> **\*MANDATORY**

**\*Camp:** June 6<sup>th</sup> - June 9<sup>th</sup> (Monday-Thursday) **\*MANDATORY**. Camp is essential to a successful start to a new season! We learn things at camp that we use all year, and this is a time where the team bonds and grows stronger together!

**\*Physicals:** Due by the first day of school (August 11<sup>th</sup>). Sports Physicals must be on file by this date in order to participate. **\*MANDATORY**

**\*EXPENSES:** These are **approximate** costs and items. This list could change due to pricing and availability.

Long Sleeve Shell Top (BEHS)	\$175.00
Tank Shell Top (EAST)	\$100.00
Skirt	\$90.00
Warm-Up jacket	\$90.00
Warm-Up Pants	\$65.00
Team Coat	\$160.00
Game Day Dress	\$170.00
Competition Costume	\$120.00-\$130.00
Team Leggings	\$56.00
Adidas Team Shoes	\$105.00-\$130.00
Black Dance Pants	\$70.00
Backpack	\$90.00
Hot Pants/Spandex (Black)	\$25.00 each
Camp Outfits (includes 2-3 shorts/2-3 tops)	\$160.00
Camp	\$315.00
Extra Supply Fee (camp/game day materials/etc.)	\$60.00
Poms	\$50.00 (pair)

**\*\*Nationals is a separate cost from this list that includes airfare/competition/resort fees\*\***

# Bellevedette Tryouts

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South Gym (Bellevue East)

**\*Tryout:** Friday, March 25th (3:30PM) South Gym at Bellevue East

**\*Deadlines:** All paperwork is due by Thursday, March 24th (preferably sooner if possible)

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## Important things to consider before auditioning for the Bellevedettes:

\*\*Other fees may come up throughout the year (competitions, shirts, dinners, etc.). There will be more than one fundraiser to help with the squad fees. One will be presented at the parent meeting.

\*\*Competition: Competition is not required if you are on the Bellevedettes. It has extra fees and demands such as more practice time (staying later during the week and working on weekends). If you choose to not do competition, you should know sometimes this dance is performed at games/pep rallies meaning if you do not compete, you would not perform at these events. Competition fees range from \$80-\$100 for entrance fees and \$120-\$130 for the competition outfit. Competition entry fees vary for each event. Nationals is also a separate cost and will be discussed at the parent meeting.

\*\*Bellevedettes is a very time-demanding activity. Please consider this before auditioning for the squad. We practice 3-4 days of the week 3:30-5:30PM (on average) with one of the days being **Sunday's 9am-noon**. During the season, morning practices, later practices, holiday practices, and weekend practices during priority events (pep rallies, showcases, competitions, nationals) will be called on an as needed basis. We can work with schedule conflicts the best we can, but dancers are expected to attend all games and competitions.

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\*\*Please contact Cameron Krishna if there are any questions or concerns! [Email: cekrishna20@gmail.com](mailto:cekrishna20@gmail.com)

## **Criteria for Points**

### **Current Grade Sheet**

A's and B's = 4 points      C's = 3 point      D's = 2 points      F's = 1 points

AP classes are the same, except C's are 4 points.

0 points for each class left blank.

0 points if a grade sheet is not turned in.

### **Teacher Recommendation Form**

This form will be electronically based through email with the teacher of your choice. 0 points if a teacher recommendation is not turned in by the due date (Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>). Please email Kristin Wheeler ([klwheelz@gmail.com](mailto:klwheelz@gmail.com)) to complete the teacher recommendation form.

## **Criteria for Selection**

- All paperwork must be turned in prior to tryouts (by Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup>)
  - Application
  - Grade Sheet
  - Teacher recommendation (electronic) – please contact Kristin Wheeler [klwheelz@gmail.com](mailto:klwheelz@gmail.com) about this!
- Judging is based on a point system. The highest score is the best score.
- All judges are experienced and qualified.
  - Sponsors/Coaches do not judge

### **Scores from the following items determine selection to the squad:**

#### **General Tryout**

Total of Judges' Scores

Grade Sheet

Teacher Recommendation

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## \*Application\*

\*This sheet **must** be completed and turned in by Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup>\*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ (FR, SO, JR, SR)  
 (please print) (in the fall)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Your signature indicates that you have read the **entire** packet, the financial agreement, and agree to abide by all Articles therein.)

\*Please list all activities/jobs that you are involved in/plan to be involved in besides Dance Team (in and out of school) =

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*By signing below, I give my child permission to try out for the Bellevue East Spirit Squad. I have read all of the articles in the tryout packet. I understand the behavior and academic expectations. I have also read the financial agreement section and understand the financial responsibilities.**

Parent/ Guardian's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Your signature indicates that you have read the **entire** packet, the financial agreement, and agree to abide by all Articles therein.)

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### For Sponsor Use Only

Tryout Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Judges Score	
Grades per Current Grade Sheet	
Teacher Evaluation Form	
Total Points	

# Bellevue East Bellevedettes

## Current Grade Sheet

(This must be filled out by teachers in their handwriting for all classes!)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School (this year): \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (this year): \_\_\_\_\_

I am auditioning for the Bellevedettes Varsity Dance Team at Bellevue East High School. Please fill out this grade sheet as part of my mandatory paperwork. Thank you!

\*Any questions or concerns? Please contact Cameron Krishna at 402-996-0316 or email [cekrishna20@gmail.com](mailto:cekrishna20@gmail.com)

	<u>Subject (include study hall if applicable)</u>	<u>Teacher Signature</u>	<u>Current Grade</u>	<u>Comments: Please indicate if you have any concerns regarding absences, tardies, and/or responsibility</u>
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