

# Red Rhythm Dance Team

## WE CREATE ART

The Liberty High School's Red Rhythm Dance Team is an award-winning extracurricular program. We strive to promote school spirit in a polished and positive manner.

### How to join?

First, you will need to attend the mandatory parent/candidate meeting to receive all tryout information. Tryout packets are due no later than Thursday, March 1st at 4:30 pm. Late submissions will not be accepted.

### Parent/Candidate Tryout Meeting:

Thursday, February 1st 6:00-7:00 PM

### Line Tryouts:

Monday-Thursday, March 19th-22nd 4:30-6:30 PM. Friday, March 23rd 5:00 - 9:00 PM.



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### But....what's in it for me?

You will be part of a dance community that offers opportunities for performances, college scholarships, and community service.

### ...can I balance my heavy class work load and RR?

Absolutely! We have several girls on the team who balance as many as 6 AP classes outstandingly.

### ...can I be on drill team and another extra-curricular?

Yes, in the past years we have had members that have successfully participated in drill team and an outside organizations such as track/band and CTE programs.

### ...how much time does drill team take?

Drill team is a big commitment that requires a 6-8 hour practice schedule per week on average, not including performances.

### ...when is summer camp?

Line camp is June 25th-June 30th 2018. August training is majority of the month of August. Officer camp is June 8th to 11th 2018.

### ...what if I cannot attend the tryout meeting?

Email Mrs. Nothe immediately at [nothen@friscoisd.org](mailto:nothen@friscoisd.org)

### We aim to uphold values such as:

#### **Accountability:**

Everyone is expected to put forth their individual effort toward our collective success.

#### **Respect:**

Treating others kindly and being respectful in speaking with others, for example replying with "yes ma'am" and "yes sir".

#### **Trust:**

Building trust in our teammates and in ourselves through team-building activities, and motivational discussions.

| 2006-2017 Super Sweepstakes | 2009, 2010, 2011, 2017 Best In Class

| 2013 State Ring of Champions | 4-time Grand Champions | 2014 Overall Grand Championship |

| Dallas, San Antonio, Galveston 13-times awarded Best Choreography |



# LHS Red Rhythm Dance Team

## Tryout Information

THURSDAY, Feb 1st 6:00-7:00 PM

MANDATORY PARENT/CANDIDATE MEETING @ LHS LIBRARY

### CLINIC DATES FOR TRYOUTS

Monday, March 19th through Thursday, March 22nd 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM (LHS Gyms)

\*Be dressed and ready to start by the 4:30 p.m. start time!

\*PLEASE NOTE—TRYOUT CLINIC IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC!!

Per the constitution, it is mandatory for all students to attend the tryout workshops in order to learn the material. Failure to participate without prior permission from the director/administration may result in tryout ineligibility.

### TRYOUTS

Friday, March 23rd 5:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. (LHS Gyms)

Be at the LHS gym by 5:00 PM. The estimated time to be finished with tryouts is approximately 9:00 PM.

The 2018-2019 team roster will be posted on the main LHS school website on Saturday, March 24th, no later than noon. \*\*ALL PRACTICES AND TRYOUTS ARE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC\*\*

### WHAT TO WEAR

**Clinic:** Black dance shoes must be worn at all times. Hair must be secured back at all times and no jewelry is allowed!

**Tryouts:** A solid black leotard or fitted top, fitted black capri/fitted black leggings, tall black socks and black jazz shoes. Hair will be in a low ponytail. No jewelry or fingernail polish. Makeup should be worn to emphasize facial features. Hair accessories (bows, rhinestones clips, etc.), glitter eye shadow, and body glitter are all prohibited. Audition number (given to hopefuls on the day of tryouts) must be pinned to chest.

### TECHNIQUE (be prepared for right and left side on all technique)

Double pirouettes, chaîné turns, pique turns, saut de chat, calypso, sissonne, russian (leap in 2nd), tilt kick, tilt jump, high kick, precision arm-work, splits (excluding center)

### Audition packets and forms will be available on-line:

<http://schools.friscoisd.org/hs/liberty/site/fine-arts>

<http://lhsredrhythm.com/>

on **Monday, January 29, 2018.**