

SVHS DANCE TEAM

2019 - 2020

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SIMI VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL DANCE TEAM

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AUDITION PACKET

2019-2020

PLEASE SUBMIT PACKET UPON ARRIVING AT AUDITIONS

ADVISOR: MRS. JEN HORN

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Simi Valley High School Dance Team is excited to have you audition for the next school year! In an effort to make sure that we are utilizing all students signed up for the class in a way that best showcases their skills, we are holding auditions. SVHS Dance Team is looking for students who are passionate about dance and choreography, have a background in dance experience and technical training, and have a desire to perform and showcase their art at SVHS events and activities. Please read the information below before you decide to audition.

- Dance team students will be broken into the following sub-teams:
 - o Hip-Hop Crew – MAROON, GOLD, & WHITE
 - o Tap Team – MAROON, GOLD, & WHITE
 - o Lyrical/Contemporary Company – MAROON, GOLD, & WHITE
 - o Jazz/Musical Theater Production – MAROON, GOLD, & WHITE
- MOST routines will be student-choreographed
 - o Potential for outside guest choreographers
 - o Some choreography done by Mrs. Horn
- Music, routines, and performances will be approved by Mrs. Horn
- Please understand that costumes and other attire are not provided by the school. These items will not be required, and payment for these items will be donation only.
- You will be registered for a zero period class (7:00 – 7:53 a.m.), a first period class (8:00 – 8:57 a.m.), both, or potentially 2nd or 3rd period. ***This may require that you take summer school. Please check with your counselor to be sure you have room in your schedule. Your participation in other sports & activities also may prohibit your ability to be scheduled in your appropriate dance team class.***
- Although most practices will take place during zero period, some weeks may require extra rehearsals. These will be scheduled with the teams and Mrs. Horn on an as-needed basis.
- Please note that we will also hold fundraisers throughout the year to help with potential costs.
- A suggested donation of \$250 will be asked of each dance team member in the beginning of the school year. This donation can be made in ASB using cash or card ONLY. Dance team members may also get sponsorships to help contribute. This money will be spent on items that benefit the team throughout the year.
- Most of our choreography will be learned at our Dance Team Camp in early August.
- Participation and attendance is mandatory – this is how students will earn their grade in the class.
- AUDITIONS:
 - o June 10: 9:00 – 9:45 – TAP
 - o June 10: 10:00 – 12:00 – HIP HOP
 - o June 11: 9:00 – 10:00 – LYRICAL/CONTEMPORARY
 - o June 11: 10:15 – 12:00 - JAZZ
 - Students taught a piece of choreography to learn quickly. Students will be broken in to groups to perform combinations. Placements will be made based off of performance, effort, technical skills, & style.

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WRITTEN APPLICATION

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student name _____ Age _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Grade for 2019/2020 school year: _____

Please **circle** all the sub-teams you are interested in:

HIP HOP TEAM

TAP TEAM

LYRICAL/CONTEMPORARY TEAM

JAZZ/MUSICAL THEATER TEAM

Please list your current grade point average _____

Please also note that we are looking for students who positively represent SVHS. Mrs. Horn will be checking your gpa throughout each semester. Failure to maintain a 2.0 could result in being put on probation. In addition, any negative behavior that may reflect poorly on the dance team could also result in probation, at the discretion of Mrs. Horn.

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Parent/guardian name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

By signing below, I give _____ permission to audition for the 2019/2020 SVHS Dance Team. I understand that both Simi Valley High School and Mrs. Horn are not liable for any unforeseen events that may occur. I understand the potential costs involved, as well as the audition process

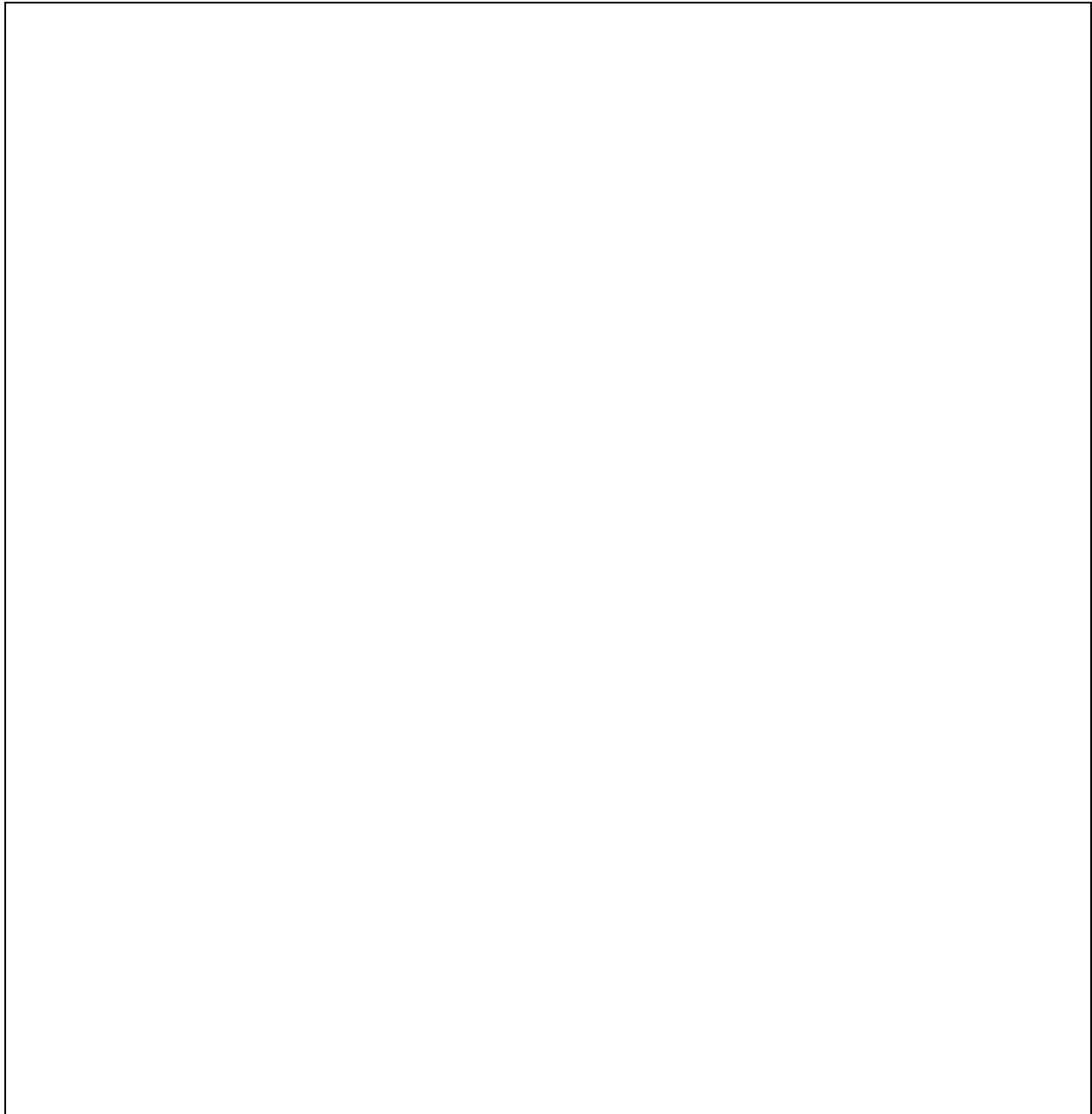
Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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DANCE RESUME

In the space below, please list any previous training you have had, years of dance experience, the area you feel is your strongest, and whether or not you are willing to do choreography.

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TENTATIVE PERFORMANCE/EVENT SCHEDULE

JULY/AUGUST, 2019

August 5, 6, 7, 8, 10: Dance Camp – learning all choreography for fall season; 9 am – 1 pm; designated times for specific teams TBA

August 9: Selected teams performing at Freshmen Orientation (9:00 – 11:00 a.m.)

SEPTEMBER, 2019

FB games on Friday nights; meet in stadium @ 6:30, perform @ halftime

Sept 6 – Home FB game

Sept 13 – Homecoming rally AND FB game

Sept 27 – Home FB game

Sept 28 – 100th Anniversary Celebration

OCTOBER, 2019

FB games on Friday nights, meet in stadium @ 6:30, perform @ halftime

October 28 – Nov 1 - Simi/Royal Week #1

NOVEMBER, 2019

FB games on Friday nights, meet in stadium @ 6:30, perform @ halftime

November 1 – Home FB vs. RHS

DECEMBER, 2019

Possible performances at MS visits to Hillside & Valley View

Possible community holiday performances

JANUARY, 2020

Winter rally performances

Perform @ home basketball games on some Thursday & Friday nights

Jan 13 – 17 – Simi/Royal week #2

Jan 17 – Home basketball game vs. RHS

FEBRUARY, 2020

Winter rally (missing periods 1-6)

Open House performance

Possible basketball games on Friday nights in early Feb.

Feb 1 – Winter rally

Feb 11 – Open House

MARCH, 2020

Spring rally (missing periods 1-6)

Preparing for Dancing with the Stars**

Mar 6 – Junior High Jam

Mar 20 – Spring rally

APRIL, 2020

*****APRIL 17 – 18 – DANCE TEAM SHOWCASE & REHEARSALS – MANDATORY*****

Possible performance @ boys volleyball

MAY, 2020

May 27 - Senior rally (selected performers only)**

End of year celebration

JUNE, 2020

June 4 – Graduation

June 8, 9 - Auditions for 2020/2021

***Dates in question*