

ALTA BALLROOM AUDITION PARENT INFORMATION

- 🌀 **Director:** Dana Lambert
- 🌀 **Goals of Ballroom Team:**
 - * Promote Integrity & Good Character
 - * Professionalism
 - * Teach Responsibility, Dedication & Commitment
 - * To build a “Team” atmosphere
 - * Support School Unity
- 🌀 **Expectations of Dancers and Parents:**
 - * PROFESSIONALISM!!!!
 - * Effective Communication - **If there is a problem address it with director first!!!**
 - * Upholding high standards as a representative of Alta High at all times
 - * Dancers must be Alta High School students
- 🌀 **Communication:**
 - * All official communication/content will be published from altahawksballroom@gmail.com Alta Ballroom Instagram page, and Alta HS Ballroom school web page
- 🌀 **“New Member” – Important Information:**
 - * “New Member” Information Meeting: (Dancers Only)
 - Date: **May 20 3:00 pm** in ballroom dance room
 - Participation Fee due (bring receipt)
 - Yearly Calendar Dates handed out
 - Order and Size for Clothing/shoes
 - Discuss Summer Training and Conditioning
 - Re-announce Next Year’s Officers
- 🌀 **Summer Technique and Cardio/Strength Training**
 - * Dancer’s will be required to do a minimum of 4 hrs/wk of BALLROOM technique & 4 hrs/wk conditioning (may be a combination of cardio and weight training)
 - * Total of 40 hrs of ballroom technique and 40 hrs of conditioning for entire summer
 - * This will be an assignment for the 1st quarter of school, due first week of school
- 🌀 **Mandatory Summer Workshop**
 - * Dates **TBD by director Dana Lambert** (waiting for info from the district; it will be sometime during the first two weeks of August from 9am-5pm)
 - * If you do not attend the workshop you will not have the opportunity to perform in any of the routines learned during the workshop. Please arrange your vacations and work schedules accordingly so you don’t miss out.
- 🌀 **Team Pictures**
 - * Date **TBD** (usually in August in conjunction with Summer Workshop)
 - * These pictures are used for the team display case, school yearbook ballroom page, concert programs etc.
 - * All dancers must attend the photo shoot regardless of purchasing a package.
- 🌀 **Practice Schedule:**
 - * “B” Day – Early morning through 1st period (7:00 am – 9:05am)
 - * Extra practices may be after school & some Saturdays – rarely!
 - * Compete next year – 2-3 competitions, & maybe travel to Idaho Falls end of March (depends on some variables with scheduling and dancer interest)
 - * Concert/showcase dates: End of April, usually about 2 weeks after spring break
 - * Missing a practice:
 - Ballroom will take priority over studio, work, and other activities not related to AHS
 - One week prior to a performance they may be taken out of that performance and not be re-spaced in depending on circumstances
 - Must understand they CANNOT miss a practice NO MATTER WHAT unless they have cleared it through directors first.
- 🌀 **Contact Info:** altahawksballroom@gmail.com

	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Participation Fee	Ideally May 20 (1 st mtg) but no later than July 16	\$125
Summer Workshop	July 30 (Sat)	\$125
Meals	July 30 (Sat)	\$ 50
Uniform Fee	September 1 (Thurs)	\$200
Competition Fee	October 1 (Thurs)	\$100
Travel??(Idaho Falls)	March 4 (Thurs)	\$400 approx.

ITEMS COVERED BY UNIFORM FEE

- ✓ Warm ups
- ✓ T Shirt
- ✓ Tanks
- ✓ Practice Skirts/Leos – ladies
- ✓ Practice Shirts/Latin pants – men

ITEMS COVERED BY PARTICIPATION FEE

- ✓ Costume Rental/Cleaning/Maintenance Fee
- ✓ District Bus Use
- ✓ Guest Choreography
- ✓ Music Professionally Cut
- ✓ Misc.

OPTIONAL/"IF NEEDED" ITEMS

- ✓ Latin/Standard Shoes \$65 - \$150
 - Ladies will need to purchase new Latin & standard shoes if needed
 - Men will need to purchase new Latin & standard shoes if needed
- ✓ Make up \$35 - \$50 if needed
- ✓ Earrings \$10 if needed
- ✓ Team Bag \$65 optional
- ✓ Team Pictures \$85 optional

ITEMS PAID FOR BY FUNDRAISERS

Guest Choreographers	\$3,000
New Costumes	\$4,000 - \$6,000
DWTH and Spring Concert Tech/Crew	\$2,000
Misc Items	\$ 500

We will use the DWTH, Silent Auction, Spring Concert as our major fundraisers. We will also be looking to partner with local businesses to raise more funds, & will try to provide fundraising opportunities for dancers to raise money for all fees.

UNIFORM FEES NEED TO BE PAID IN THEIR ENTIRETY BEFORE ITEMS ARE RECEIVED