



Hi Coaches,

We hope you, your families and your teams had a safe and spirited holiday season. In December we shared that we were working closely with the Walt Disney World Resort to potentially reschedule the 2021 National Dance Team Championship to the spring.

Today, we are pleased to announce that the **2021 National Dance Team Championship has been rescheduled to April 22-23rd, 2021** (Thursday & Friday) at the Walt Disney World Resort!

Out of respect for coaches being able to tell their teams and parents first, our website/social media will not be updated until 5:30 PM CST with the new information in this email.

NDTC will take place in conjunction with the National High School Cheerleading Championship which will be held April 23-25th. It is our hope that with the new spring dates, we will be able to create a better experience and provide an opportunity for more teams across the country to safely join us this year.

Below are some additional details regarding the NDTC. We will continue to share additional information with you as it becomes available:

- To view the Championship Pricing, [click here](#).
- Because the *Walt Disney World Resort* has a seasonal pricing structure, resulting in higher admission fees during peak travel times, you will see a slight price increase from the original winter dates.
- Registration will open **January 28th** and deposits will be due upon registration.
- Please know that together, with the Walt Disney World Resort, we've made many updates to the championship experience based on the guidance from health authorities, such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and appropriate government agencies. Before you register, it is imperative that you read everything carefully and make sure you share this information with your athletes and parents. Please know that this is a fluid situation and subject to change. Click here to read the [Championship Experience Updates](#).
- UDA will continue to offer Virtual Divisions for those teams who aren't able to join us in-person for the 2021 National Dance Team Championship. The Virtual Event will also be rescheduled to the end of April and we will be posting the virtual timeline for submissions soon. [Click here](#) to learn more about the Virtual Competition.

As you know, the impact of COVID-19 has been unimaginable for all of us. However, we continue to remain hopeful for the future and focus on providing a

safe and memorable event for teams who have never needed it more.

If you have questions, please contact us at 1-800-DANCEUDA. (Please note that our offices are closed until Tuesday 1/19 at 8:00AM CST in observation of the MLK holiday.)

Thank you!

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