

# XP TRAINING TRACK

The XP (XPression Prep) Training Track is designed for dancers who audition for the XPression Pre-Pro Company that are refining their technical skills and are ready to be pushed and challenged to continue growing in prep of being on XPression Pre-Pro Company. Dancers many spend a few years in this program before being ready for the full XPression team. This decision will be up to the descretion of the teachers.

On XP Training Track dancers will work together on developing technical and performance skills by recieving rigoroius training once a week. They will learn one - two group dances to perform at ASH and XPression Showcase. They will also have the opportunity to perform a solo. This program is designed to grow our dancers and prep them for the highest level of dancing at Excel.

For more inquiries regarding XP Training Track please reach us at 269-568-0582

## REQUIREMENTS

- Must be in 6th - 12th grade
- Application due Monday before auditions (a link will be sent in a Google survey)
- Must also be on a Company Team (highly recommend XLR8 as well)
- 6 Summer drop in classes
- Attend two adjudicated events (aside from Company Team requirements)
- Attend ASH Convention plus one additional convention ASH April 11th-13th can perform as early as 7am on 11th
- Allowed 4 excused absences throughout the year (make ups required after 3)
- Maintain a GPA that shows balance of priorities
- Expect mandatory weekend rehearsals throughout the year
- PBT class required (NEW this year!)
- Participate in fundraisers to help cover costs for your family

## FINANCIALS

- Guest choreographer fee \$600/dance divided by number of dancers
- 1-2 dances = \$20/month (covers guest teachers, admin, directors time & travel)
- Additional convention fee = estimated \$315 (hotel additional, booked on own)
- 1-2 extra costume fees
- ESTIMATE entry fee for events = \$65/dancer per group dance, \$165/solo (collected closer to event, not apart of bundle)
- Reblocking Fee (for any dancer that decides to not finish the season = \$100 per dance (cover staff time & admin) plus entry fees covered for any dancer that will fill in

\*Any additional fees that will come up would be entry fees for convention and any solo, duet, or trio fees. We also participate in various shows or visit colleges that sometimes add a small cost.

\*Your total will be divided by 5 monthly payments (Aug.-Dec.) and ran automatically with your team bundle. Please email Ms. Karly with questions.

