

# **October Competition Newsletter**

We are excited for new choreography and love watching each dancer's growth. It is going to be a fun season!!

## **Fundraising Opportunity**

We are very excited to announce the upcoming fundraising event! For those of you that are familiar with **Butter Braid® pastries and Classic Breaks® cookie dough** – you'll be glad to know that they're back! For those of you that are not familiar with Butter Braid® pastries...

The proceeds from this fundraiser will go to support your dancer's competition expenses. For each item sold, your dancer will earn \$5.00/item sold. Incentives for orders over 250! Following the fundraiser each dancer will receive a credit memo towards their December 15<sup>th</sup> payment.

All checks must be made payable to **you/your dancer**. **Please turn in ONE personal check made payable to Nicole Reed** for your total order. We will not accept any checks made payable to NSOD or ButterBraid. Please be sure your dancer is aware of this when they go out selling. Thanks for doing your part to make this fundraiser a success!

# **Important Dates to Remember!**

ann.	Fundraiser Starts:	10/7/24
	Fundraiser Ends:	10/21/24
	E-mail/Call-in totals:	N/A
	Delivery Date/Arrival Time:	11/6/24

### **Talent On Parade Dance Directive**

### Sunday, October 3rd

**CCCU Convention – Iowa Events Center** 

730 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Des Moines

All dancers will meet in the commons area by stairs at 7:30 AM to receive their wristbands for the convention. Please pack a lunch, we will all eat outside (weather permitting) or in a ballroom as a team. Please do not leave the venue for lunch unless you are beginner. Beginners will be done at noon and do not need to stay for lunch!

#### Below is an outline:

Beginners 8:00-Noon

Intermediate 8:00-5:00

Advanced 8:00-6:00

Practice – Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> will be the same as prior weeks. We will have a *NEW* practice schedule on October 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Reminder** Our goal is for each dance to have 4 choreography sessions to learn their dance. If you are absent from choreography, you need to learn your choreography from the drop box video or from a teammate. The entire team is set back when we have to take class time to "reteach" material.