

CBTF Sanction #CBTF-2026-MB-5213

Provincial Sanction #:MB-26-5080



Sakura Valentine's and Cupid Twirl Competition

DATE: Saturday, February 21, 2026

LOCATION: Bison Run School

60 Frontier Trail, Winnipeg, MB R3Y 2H1

TIME: Doors Open 9:00 am, Competition Begins with Processional at 9:45 am

Judges: Deardra Leslie & Nancy Lightheart

HOSTED BY: Sakura Baton Twirlers

DIRECTED BY: Tammy De Jong

General Information

1. Judges decisions are final. Tabulated results are considered official 48 hours after announcement or posting.
2. FLASHCARD JUDGING will be used for competitive events, except for Level C & BN Primary & Juvenile divisions (graded system will be in effect). All results will be posted. Posted awards and scoresheets may be picked up from the awards table.
3. Entries to be submitted online with the provided link.
4. Payments to be made by club director after receiving an invoice from the competition director. Fees payable by e-transfer to Sakurabatontwirlers@gmail.com
5. DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES: SATURDAY, January 24th, 2026
6. AWARDS:
Awards will be given for 1st-5th place. Valentine's High Point Winners.
Additional information may be obtained by emailing the competition director, Tammy De Jong, Sakurabatontwirlers@gmail.com
7. ORDER OF EVENTS: Pre-Competitive Events: Basic March I & II, Forward Motion I & II, Medley I & II, Solo Dance I & II, Solo I & II, 2-Baton I & II, Group Events, unofficial "Twirling With My Valentine" (parent/friend/athlete duo event), 3-Baton, 2-Baton, Solo, Duet, Medley, Solo Dance, X-Strut, Freestyle, Pairs. During lunch, there will be an unofficial "Toss Turn". All individual competitive events will be offered twice. The competition director reserves the right to change the order of events to facilitate the flow of the day.
8. All athletes and groups must declare any medical support/brace worn for the prevention of injury as deemed necessary by a physician. Copy of medical certificate must accompany athlete's entry.
9. CBTF RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY: i) The competition director or designate will have the authority to immediately stop the competition whenever a risk factor related to safety becomes evident, ii) If this situation occurs during individual competition, the competition on the lane where the

situation occurs will be stopped on the lane only, iii) If an athlete has to leave the competition to seek outside medical assistance because of a situation that has occurred during a competition, they will require a medical certificate in order to continue competing.

10. PRACTICE AREA: During the competition, there will be a small practice area in the gym for a designated number of athletes.
11. A \$10.00 gym fee (per athlete) or \$15.00 gym fee (for families with 2 or more athletes) must be included with entry.
12. The competition director has the authority to make any last-minute changes.
13. Competitive (individual, duet and group) athletes' minimum age is 6 years.
14. All athletes and coaches must be registered members of the CBTF for the 2025-26 season.
15. Errors or omissions will be corrected via email from the entry processor.
16. Refunds are given for an injury-related withdrawal if a medical certificate is provided.
17. First-aid will be available on-site.
18. Please send group music to sakurabatontwirlers@gmail.com following CBTF labelling protocol.
19. "Twirling with my Valentine" music length 1:30 - 2:00
20. In order to compete in the CUPID events, athletes must register for the Valentine's events. This provides an additional opportunity for athletes to compete their routines.