INCLASSIC RAY-PECE

Raymore-Peculiar High School December 6, 2025

The Ray-Pec Prowlers Dance Team is proud to present the first annual Innovative Dance Classic. We are thrilled to be offering a ranked competition to Missouri and Kansas dance teams, all star teams, independent competitors, and studios. Innovative Dance Classic will feature highly qualified and fair judges, MSHSAA and NFHS rules and regulations, and honest critiques and scoring. School teams will be classified by Varsity, JV, and Middle School. Studio/all star groups will be classified based on age. We will accept virtual submissions as well!

IDC Ray-Pec will begin at 8:00am. Teams may check in beginning at 7:00am. Teams will be assigned classrooms/dressing rooms.

General admission will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. Each team will receive free admission for coaches and team managers.

Submit your registration online:

Innovative Dance Classic Ray-Pec Website

www.innovativechoreography.com/innovativedanceclassicraypec

*Registration is due November 1st, 2025.
Register by September 1st, 2025 to get 50% off your 3rd team entry.
Checks should be made out to Innovative Choreography, LLC.

Questions?

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Competition Information

General Timeline

7:00am Doors Open and Check In begins 8:00am Competition begin TBD Innovative Exhibition & Awards

Team Information

*Each team will be provided a dressing room. We ask for you to have no food or drink inside the dressing room. Water is permitted. Prior to picking up scoresheets and awards, each team will check out with an RP parent to ensure the room is left in good condition.

*We have invited collegiate dance teams to perform and to set up booths in the hallway! Stop by to talk with current dancers and/or coaches about pursing dance at the collegiate level.

Competition Merchandise

Help us commemorate the first annual Innovative Dance Classic Ray-Pec with short and long sleeve t-shirts! We encourage you preorder and will have a link available soon to do so. Limited quantities will be available at the competition. Photos of the shirts will be posted on our website.

Social Media Challenge

Your team photo will be shared on our social media accounts. The team with the most cumulative likes and shares wins! You will select a charity to promote during the Social Media Challenge. Innovative Choreography will make a donation on behalf of the winning team to the winning team's charity!





Categories and Time Limits:

Category	Number of Dancers	Time Limit
Solo	1	3 minutes maximum
Duet/Trio	2-3	3 minutes maximum
Officer Routine	2+	3 minutes maximum
Ensemble	4+	3 minutes maximum
Team	5+ *Acceptable for fewer than 5 dancers if the team is comprised of less than 5 dancers.	3 minutes maximum
Production	Any	9 minutes maximum



Team Divisions:

Teams will be divided by Varsity, JV, and Middle School. Teams may be grouped within each style into separate divisions (example: Small Varsity Jazz and Large Varsity Jazz) based on the number of entries in a style. A split in division will occur if there are 10 or more entries in a style.

*Studio/All-Star will be divided by age (please see the studio/all star packet).

Team Styles:

Precision Jazz, Lyrical/Contemporary, Pom, Hip Hop, Mix, Kick, Game Day, Prop
*There is no limit to the number of styles a team may compete.

Solo Divisons:

Solos will be divided by Varsity, JV, and Middle School. Soloists may be grouped into separate age divisions (example: Varsity Freshmen/Sophomore or Varsity Junior/Senior....or even further into Varsity Freshmen, Varsity Sophomore, Varsity Junior, Varsity Senior) based on the number of entries. A split in age division will occur if there are 10 or more entries.

*Studio/All-Star will be divided by age (please see the studio/all star packet).

*There is no limit to the number of solos a dancer may compete.

Duet/Trio Divisions:

Duets/Trios will be divided by Varsity, JV, and Middle School. Duets and trios may be separated into separate groups based on the number of entires (example: Varsity Duets, Varsity Trios). A split of duets and trios will occur if there are 10 or more entries.

*Studio/All-Star will be divided by age (please see the studio/all star packet).

*There is no limit to the number of duets/trios a dance may compete.



Scores & Score Sheets:

Each routine will receive a score from three judges on the panel. The three judge scores will be averaged. Any penalties will be subtracted from the average score. Score sheets will be available for **coaches** to pick up at the conclusion of the awards ceremony.

Team Awards:

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place team in each division.

Solo Awards:

The top 10 soloists in each division will receive a medal. The winner of each division will also receive a trophy.

Duet/Trio Awards:

The top 10 duets/trios in each division will receive medals. The winning duet/trio of each division will also receive one trophy.

Audio Critiques:

Each routine will receive verbal feedback from three judges on the panel. The audio critique files will be shared via DropBox with the director's email listed on your registration form.



Awards Continued

Video:

Innovative Choreography will record every performance and provide the video file to you via DropBox.

Regional Champion:

Teams entering two or more team routines are eligible to receive this award based on an average of two highest scoring team routine scores. The Varsity, JV and Middle School team with the highest average will be named Regional Champion and receive a banner.

Studio/all star teams should see the studio/all star packet

Judges' Choice Awards:

Throughout the day, judges will be awarding **Choreography, Technique**, and **Entertainment** awards.

Fan Favorite:

All teams will have an opportunity to vote for their favorite routine of the day (not including routines from their own school). The routine with the most votes will receive the Fan Favorite Awards!

Social Media Challenge:

When you send us your team photo, we will post it on our Facebook and Instagram accounts. The team with the most cumulative likes (Facebook & Instagram) and shares (Facebook) will receive the Social Media Challenge Award! You will select a charity to promote during the Social Media Challenge. Innovative Choreography will make a donation on behalf of the winning team to the winning team's charity!

Innovative Exhibition

Before the awards ceremony, select routines will perform again for a packed house at Ray-Pec! The judging panel will select teams, and the participating teams will be announced throughout the day. What a spectacular way to end a wonderful day of dancing than by supporting one another for one last performance?



Pricing Information

Number of Total Solo Entries		x \$60 =	
Number of Total Duet Entries		x \$70 =	
Number of Trio Entries		x \$80 =	
Number of Officer Routines		x \$85 =	
Number of Ensembles		x \$85 =	
Number of Team Entries		x \$100 =	1
Number of Production Entries		x \$200 =	LanlW
	If registering before 9/1/25 with three team routines	- \$50 =	Timb.
	(add up each subtotal)	Grand Total due to Innovative Choreography:	

^{*}All payment is due by November 15, 2025.

We understand checks from schools can vary on timeliness and often are out of the control of the coach. However, we *must* have a PO in hand on or before 11/15/25. Entries without a PO or payment by 11/15/25 will be subject to a 10% non-negotiable late fee.

*Payment must be received in order for teams/dancers to compete.

Cancellations & Refunds

- Cancellations received on or before November 14th are eligible for a full refund.
- Cancellations received on or after November 15th are eligible for a 50% refund.
- Cancellations received on or after November 22nd are not eligible for refunds. By 11/22/25, the schedule is finalized and therefore changes would affect the day of the competition (holes in the schedules, awards already ordered, etc).

Virtual Submissions

Upon receiving your registration, Innovative Choreography will reach out to you with details regarding video submissions. Videos must be received no later than November 29th.



School Rules and Regulations

- All routines have a three minute performance time limit.
- Any routine over three minutes long will be in the production category. Productions may not exceed 9 minutes in length.
- The Game Day category will follow the same structure as NDA/UDA. There are three components: fight song, spirit raising performance, and performance routine.
- All music should be submitted via Dropbox. A confirmation email will be sent to confirm the music has been received in working order. Please bring MP3 backups the day of the competition.
- Please ensure all props are padded any portion that will touch the floor so there is no damage to the gym floor. Any damage charges will be billed directly to the violator's school.
- Innovative Dance Classic is a family friendly event. Judges will award reasonable penalties for inappropriate movement/choreography (suggestive, thrusting, sexual, etc), music (curse words, suggestive lyrics, etc), and/or clothing (follow MSHSAA and NFHS guidelines). Innovative Choreography reserves the right to edit (mute or bleep) inappropriate lyrics. All music must follow US music copyright laws.
- We strongly believe in building an enthusiastic, supportive, and positive atmosphere among dancers, coaches, parents, and fans. Innovative Choreography and Raymore-Peculiar HS will kindly ask those who do not follow this request to leave the event with no re-admittance nor refund of admission fees.
- MSHSAA and NFHS rules will apply. Appropriate penalties will be awarded for not following MSHSAA and/or NFHS rules.
- No food or drink (with the exception of water) will be allowed in the dressing rooms or gymnasiums.
- Full payment must be received before Saturday, December 6th, 2025. Innovative Choreography & Raymore-Peculiar HS reserve the right to remove any routines that have not been fully paid for.

DISCLAIMER

In order to induce Innovative Choreography and Raymore-Peculiar HS to accept the application of the undersigned applicant, participants, including students, parents, teachers, and coaches will not hold Innovative Choreography or its owner, directors, or employees liable for injuries sustained while participating in our event.

Participants agree that adjudication and procedures are at the sole discretion of Innovative Choreography and Raymore-Peculiar HS (following MSHSAA and NFHS rules and regulations) and that all results of IDC are final.

I release all rights to photographs and videos to be used in, but not limited to, art, advertising or website without any compensation or recognition. All forms become the property of Innovative Choreography. I waive my right to proof, alter, or restrict use of the finished product.

*Coaches/teachers electronically sign when registering online.



SOLO SCORE SHEET

Strong: √ Needs Ir	nprovement: Circled	
Artistry Visual Impact of Staging & Transitions Routine concept Consistent & Apparent Style Quality of Movement Appropriate to Genre	Comments	(20 points)
Choreography Variety & Creativity Musicality Appropriate Difficulty Level Floor Coverage	Comments	(20 points)
TechniqueExtensionClear Articulation of MovementQuality of Strength in SkillsProper Body Positioning	Comments	(20 points)
Execution/PrecisionBody AnglesMemoryControl	Comments	(20 points)
ShowmanshipFacial Expression & ProjectionConfidenceEnthusiasm/Energy/Effort	Comments	(20 points)
	Penalties	
	Total Score	(100 points)
Judge Initials		



DUET / TRIO SCORE SHEET

Strong: √ Needs Improvement: Circled (20 points) **Artistry Comments** Visual Impact of Staging & Transitions Routine concept Consistent & Apparent Style Quality of Movement Appropriate to Genre Choreography (20 points) **Comments** Variety & Creativity Musicality _Appropriate Difficulty Level Floor Coverage **Smooth Transitions** (20 points) **Technique Comments** Extension Clear Articulation of Movement Quality of Strength in Skills **Proper Body Positioning Execution/Precision** (20 points) Comments Uniformity/Synchronization of Movement Alignment/Spacing Timing Memory Control **Showmanship Comments** (20 points) Facial Expression & Projection Confidence Enthusiasm/Energy/Effort **Penalties Total Score** (100 points) Judge Initials _____

OFFICER / ENSEMBLE / TEAM SCORE SHEET

Strong: √ Needs Im	provement: Circled	
ArtistryVisual ImpactRoutine conceptConsistent & Apparent StyleQuality of Movement Appropriate to Genre	Comments	(20 points)
Choreography Variety & Creativity Musicality Appropriate Difficulty Level Floor Coverage Smooth Transitions Variety of Formations	Comments	(20 points)
TechniqueExtensionClear Articulation of MovementQuality of Strength in SkillsProper Body Positioning	Comments	(20 points)
Execution/Precision Uniformity/Synchronization of MovementAlignment/SpacingTimingMemoryControl	Comments	(20 points)
ShowmanshipFacial Expression & ProjectionConfidenceEnthusiasm/Energy/Effort	Comments	(20 points)
Judge Initials	Penalties Total Score	(100 points)

GAME DAY SCORE SHEET

Strong: √ Needs Improvement: Circled

SONG	Game Day Material Proper use of material and skills relevant to the game day environment	Comments	(10 points)
FIGHT (Execution Proper controlProper technique & strengthProper placement & completion of motions/skills		(10 points)
ANCE	Game Day MaterialProper use of material and skills relevant to the game day environment	Comments	(10 points)
BAND DANCE	Execution Proper controlProper technique & strengthProper placement & completion of motions/skills		(10 points)
E ROUTINE	Visual IncorporationElements included in choreography (group work, levels, visuals) used to enhance movement for an entertaining, game day appropriate performance	Comments	(10 points)
PERFORMANCE ROUTINE	Execution Control Correct placement Strong motions Quality of strength in motions & skills	Noun	(10 points)
	acing Maximum crowd coverage Spacing Formations	Comments	(10 points)
	Consistent unison and timing Uniformity of movement within choreography and skills consistent and even positioning of dancers throughout lations and transitions		(10 points)
	erall Impression Energy Leadership Connection to the crowd	Comments	(20 points)
		Penalties	
		Total Score	(100 points)

