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Dear Parents and Prospective BTHS Dance Team Members,

Thank you for your interest in the Bartram Trail High School Dance Team! The week of May 15th-May 18th, we will be conducting clinic and tryouts for the 2018-2019 season. If dance is your passion and you're not afraid of working harder than you ever have before…we want to see you there! An informational parent meeting will be held Tuesday May 1st, 2018 in the BT 9th grade cafeteria. The tryout packet is posted on http://www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/dance/

The BTHS Dance Team has enjoyed the reputation of being a strong competitive force in the National Dance Competition Circuit. We have won the NDA National Championship in hop-hop three times 2008, 2009, 2010 with a 6th place win this year at NDA nationals. However, we are perhaps better known throughout the dance world as a team with strong character and commitment to helping others. Our team focus is to develop strong character in our team members, promote school spirit, and serve our community while maintaining a positive attitude.

Being chosen as a member of this team will be both an honor and a commitment to excellence. Team members will focus on excellence in: academics, team building, leadership, character, community involvement, and DANCE! If chosen, you will represent the entire school as well as yourself and your team. You are expected to show trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, citizenship, and caring to all of those around you.

Academics will be a priority for all Dance Team members. Many of our team members are members of National Honor Society, excel in honors courses and are leaders within our school. A successful dancer is able to balance a busy schedule as well as personal priorities. The BTHS Dance Team members must maintain at least a **2.5 GPA Unweighted** and not have any failing grades.

Thank you again for your interest in the BTHS Dance Team. If you have any questions, please email Coach Natalie Belcik at bartramdance2004@gmail.com.

Warmest Regards!

Coach Belcik