Estancia High School Dance Clearance Form

Date: ___________ Name of Dance: ___________ Winter Formal 2016

Name: ___________________________ I.D. # ___________ Grade: ___________

Senior Project Mentor: ___________________________

Community Service Hours: ___________ Senior Project: ________ Library Fees/Fines: ________

Please see Ms. Chamberlin in the Main Office.

☐ Yes, student is cleared  ☐ Yes, student is cleared  ☐ Yes, student is cleared

☐ No, student is not cleared  ☐ No, student is not cleared  ☐ No, student is not cleared

Community Service Hours needed: Freshmen 3; Sophomores 10; Juniors 20 & Seniors 25

Verified by: ___________________________ Verified by: ___________________________

Date: ___________ Date: ___________

Please sign below acknowledging that you, the student have read and agree to comply with the student behavior expectations. A Breathalyzer will be used by EHS/CMHS staff to determine admittance to the dance.

Student’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ___________

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Estancia High School Dance Contract & Behavior Expectations

In order to promote a safe and enjoyable evening for all students, the behavior expectations and dress code policy for the dance are listed below.

**DRESS CODE GUIDELINES**

**Gentlemen’s suggested apparel:**
- Dress shirt, slacks, suits, ties or tuxedos
- Must wear shirt at all times
- No jeans (formal dances)
- No baseball caps or bandannas

**Ladies’ suggested apparel:**
- Formal or semi-formal dresses
- Dresses should be tasteful
- No sheer see-through attire
- No knee midriff or sides
- No excessively low out dresses or tops
- No clothing that is too tight or too short

Students not meeting dress code standards or wearing clothing that is deemed inappropriate by teachers, staff, chaperones or administrators will not be admitted into the event and their parents will be notified. Once students are admitted into a dance, if they alter their attire in such a way that it violates the specified dress code standards, they will be removed from the dance and their parents will be called. All school dress code policies apply at informal dances held on the Estancia High School campus. Tickets will not be refunded.

**DANCING GUIDELINES**

Dancing must conform to the following basic rules:

1. Keep both feet on the ground at all times
2. Front to back dancing acceptable with no bending over/leaning over or grinding
3. No “killing” or straddling a person’s leg
4. No inappropriate touching
5. Hands on waists or shoulders only
6. No “moosing” or “pushing” in large groups
7. No overt or prolonged public displays of affection
8. Chaperones & administrators will issue warnings if dancing is inappropriate.

A warning will be given if you are found violating these terms. When a student receives a first and second warning their hands will be marked. If a third warning is given the student will be removed from the dance and a phone call will be made to parent(s)/guardian. If there are numerous violations overall the lights will be turned on or a collective warning for everyone. Tickets will not be refunded.

**STUDENT BEHAVIOR**

Students will be subject to search upon entering a school dance. Alcohol detection devices may be utilized. No alcohol, drugs or tobacco products are allowed. Possession, use or being under the influence of a controlled substance or alcoholic beverage while going to or coming from a dance or while attending a dance are violations of Newport-Mesa Unified School Districts 5144 policy. School officials reserve the right to search limousines and party buses which transport students to the dance.

**STUDENT PICKUP**

All students must be picked up from the dance no more than 10 minutes after the dance has ended. Students who are picked up late may not be eligible to attend the next dance.