Estancia High School Dance Clearance Form

Date: ________________________  Name of Dance: ___  Homecoming 2017

Name: ___________________________  I.D. # ______________________  Grade: _____

Community Service Hours  Library Fees/Fines
Please see Ms. Figueroa or Please see Mrs. Fitzgerald or
Mrs. Quinlan in the ASB Office.  Mrs. Rydell in the Library.
☐ Yes, student is cleared  ☐ Yes, student is cleared

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

Community Service Hours needed: Sophomores 5; Juniors 15 & Seniors 20

Verified by: ________________________  Verified by: ________________________

Date: ___________________________  Date: ___________________________

Please sign below acknowledging that the student and parent/guardian have read and agree to comply with the dance contract & student behavior expectations. There is no admittance to the dance after 8:45 p.m.

Student’s Signature: ________________________  Date: ________________________

Parent/Guardian’s Name: ________________________  Phone #: ________________________
Tickets are non-refundable and non-transferable.

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**

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<th>Gentlemen’s suggested apparel:</th>
<th>Ladies’ suggested apparel:</th>
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<td>Dress shirt, slacks, suits, ties or tuxedos</td>
<td>Formal or semi-formal dresses</td>
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<td>Must wear shirt at all times</td>
<td>Dresses should be tasteful</td>
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<td>No jeans (formal dances)</td>
<td>No sheer/see through attire</td>
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<td>No baseball caps or bandanas</td>
<td>No bare midriff or sides</td>
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<td>No excessively low cut dresses or tops</td>
<td>No inappropriate touching</td>
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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 to make it violate 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 “riding” or straddling a person’s leg
4. No inappropriate touching
5. Hands on waists or shoulders only
6. No “moshing” 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 as 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 a violation of Newport-Mesa Unified School District’s 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.

The Newport-Mesa Unified School District Governing Board is committed to providing equal opportunity for all individuals in education. District programs, activities, practices, and employment shall be free from discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying based on race, color, ancestry, national origin, ethnic group identification, age, religion, marital or parental status, physical or mental disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression; the perception of one or more of such characteristics; or association with a person or a group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics. This policy applies to all acts related to school activities or school attendance within a school under the jurisdiction of the Superintendent.