# High School ROAR Dress Code and Code of Conduct

The Chatham County School System and the Lions Club of Savannah wants to make the High School ROAR Talent Competition a fun and rewarding event. All participants and attendees should expect a safe and enjoyable environment.

The 'High School ROAR' Talent Competition is an off-campus activity of the Savannah – Chatham County Schools both public and private. The Dress Code and the Code of Conduct, as stated and enforced at each individual public and private school where a student attends, will be held to the same high standard of dress and conduct at the event, as if on campus and attending school. The Lions Club of Savannah supports this policy and holds their members to the same high standards and quality.

#### References:

- Savannah-Chatham Co. Schools Policy JCDB-R (1): Student Dress Code
- Savannah Chatham Co. Schools Policy: Code of Conduct
- Chatham County Private Schools Policies: Code of Dress and Code of Conduct
- Lions Club of Savannah Code of Ethics and Standard of Professionalism

The following is offered as a brief summary of the Dress Code and Code of Conduct to be followed during the Talent Competition:

## **Approved by:**

The Savannah – Chatham County School Board and the Lions Club of Savannah

#### Purpose:

Performing in and attending this school and community service activity is an honor and a privilege. The dress code for this event is intended to keep clothing appropriate and non-offensive to anyone. The code of conduct is intended to provide a safe and enjoyable environment for all performers and event attendees. Let your dress and conduct, whether performer or attendee, reflect the high standards of the school you represent and let the performers' talent ROAR their worth and value.

## **Dress Code:**

## **Performers**

## Girls and Boys:

- Appropriate shoes must be worn for your performance. No sandals or flip flops.
- No printing on clothing to be worn which is suggestive, obscene, promotes illegal substances or weapons, or is designed to advertise, i.e. schools, businesses, etc.
- No pants with holes, revealingly skin tight, or too lose so as to be worn low on the body.
- No t-shirts or undergarments used as outerwear.
- Costumes are allowed, but must comply with all Dress Code requirements.
- In other words, dress as if you are attending school, a job interview, a special family function or a college interview.

#### Girls:

- Dresses, skirts, or gowns must be appropriate to your talent and performance. Skirt lengths should be kept close to the knee during all performances. School Dress Codes apply.
- Off-the-shoulder dresses must not expose undergarments or be revealing.
- Dresses worn during dancing, aerobics, gymnastics, etc. must be of a proper fit and purpose for your talent. Skorts™ and shorts worn underneath a dress are allowed.
- No clothing should be see-through, transparent or constructed in a way to expose undergarments or be revealing.
- Clothing should be selected as to not allow wardrobe malfunctions during performance.

### Boys:

- Shoes must be worn appropriate to your talent. No open toed shoes.
- Shirts and pants must be appropriate to your talent. Shirts tucked in and pants worn at the
  waist
- Clothing should be selected as not to allow wardrobe malfunctions or body exposure during performance.

## **Talent Competition Attendees**

- All students attending the 'High School ROAR' Talent Competition should dress as if they are attending school, a job interview, a special family function or a college interview.
- Remember, you represent your family, school, and friends. Dress accordingly.

# **Code of Conduct**

All 'High School ROAR' talent performers and event attendees will be held to the Code of Conduct as stated and enforced at each individual public and private school where they attend and will be held to the same high standard of conduct at the event, as if on campus or attending school. All event misconduct, bad behavior or criminal and malicious misdemeanor acts will be handled in an appropriate manner.

It is the hope of the Lions Club of Savannah and the Chatham County School District that each performer and event attendee thoroughly enjoys themselves and gets to experience a safe and entertaining evening.

Support for your favorite talent during the contest is encouraged, but heckling and excessive noise during the performances will not be tolerated and could result in removal from the event.

Possession of illegal substances, possession of weapons of any type, threats and acts of violence will not be tolerated at this event

Security will be present at the event