

#### Winter and Summer 2016 Program

We are proud to announce The Powell Cotillion program for the middle school aged student. The Powell Cotillion will help your child develop the confidence and poise to meet any social challenge - the awkward first co-ed dance, social occasion or formal event. Your child will learn life skills he or she will apply throughout his or her adult life!

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### **Frequently Asked Questions:**

#### What Is Powell Cotillion?

Powell Cotillion combines educational and interactive lessons in social etiquette and dance to educate young people in the importance of social graces in today's competitive world. Your child's success in higher academics, and later in business, may be determined in part by his or her knowledge, understanding and use of positive social skills - learned, practiced and enjoyed at Powell Cotillion! With a combined experience of over 30 years of etiquette instruction and party etiquette and planning, Nora Cline of Modern Manners and Stacey Haney of The Glass Slipper are proud to offer this much needed, and greatly requested, program to the young people of Delaware County and surrounding areas.

## What Will My Son or Daughter Learn at Powell Cotillion?

We, at Powell Cotillion, know and understand the need to be considerate of others in our daily activities at home, school and away. For 24 years, Nora has taught etiquette to thousands of children in central Ohio, while Stacey has taught party and event planning for 10 years. Through the use of interactive lessons and role-play, your son or daughter will see first-hand how they are perceived by others —

especially the adults in their lives – as they act out real life social situations: at the dining table, in public, at a party, while on the dance floor – to name a few! **Each session includes both dance and etiquette instruction.** 

The social etiquette components of Powell Cotillion includes: first impressions, , importance of eye contact, introductions, polite conversation and listening, cell-phone and technology etiquette, every-day and special occasion etiquette, posture, poise, appearance, proper dress for proper occasions, receiving lines, party etiquette, gracious hosts and welcome guests, polite mingling, table manners, and more!

<u>The traditional dance and dance etiquette components of Powell Cotillion includes</u>: dance floor etiquette, courteous approach and dance request, polite responses, graciously offering and accepting compliments, basic dance steps for four-step, foxtrot, swing and several popular line dances.

#### What makes Powell Cotillion unique?

**Experience, Content and Value.** With the combined experience of over 30 years in the instruction of social and table etiquette, character enrichment, event planning and personal development, our directors know what it takes to teach effectively, relate well to children, keep students interested and focused on the subject material — all while having fun! Program content is relevant, up to date and presented in a fun and interesting way. Fee structure is very affordable, compared to the national standard.

#### When is Powell Cotillion?

Dates for the Winter 2016 session are January 28, February 4, 18, 25<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm. Summer session dates are Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>-Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm.

#### Where will Powell Cotillion be held?

Scioto Reserve Country Club, 7383 Scioto Parkway, Powell, OH 43065

## Who is Powell Cotillion for?

Young men and women in grades 6, 7 & 8.

#### What is the cost of Powell Cotillion?

\$175 per child. For each student that registers, a \$10 donation will be made to their school's PTO.

# What is the Dress Code for Classes? Sunday Best:

Young gentlemen should wear collared shirts and khaki or dress pants. Young ladies should wear conservative skirts or dresses.

(Jeans, shorts, tank-tops, halter tops, flip flops, and athletic shoes are not appropriate. Hard soled shoes are necessary because of the dancing.)

# What is the Dress Code for our Powell Cotillion Social Dance on the last evening? Looking polished and properly dressed for the formal occasion is essential:

Young ladies should wear a conservative dress or skirt and top. Hard-soled shoes, sandals or dress shoes.

Young gentlemen should wear a long-sleeved, buttoned down dress shirt and tie. Dress pants or Khaki pants and polished dress shoes.

## Can families be present during class time?

To limit shyness and avoid potential distractions, we respectfully ask that families of Powell Cotillion students remain out of the room during class time.

# Can families attend the Cotillion Social Dance on the last evening?

Parents are encouraged to attend and observe the social dance on the last evening. However, we respectfully request that siblings of Powell Cotillion students do not attend the social dance.

## What adults will be present to supervise?

Both Powell Cotillion directors will be present at all times. Parent volunteer(s) may also be present, depending on the number of students enrolled.