PIONEER VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
DANCE CONTRACT

OFFICE USE ONLY
TEXTBOOK CLEARANCE
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Student Name: _____ ID #: _____

(Please circle one) 9th 10th 11th 12th

PARENTS AND STUDENTS – PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING.
We wish to make every dance a memorable evening for all persons attending. However, any infraction of school or district rules or the SMJUHSD major discipline policy will be dealt with. The dances at Pioneer Valley High School are for our students and their guests. All non-student guests must be no younger than 9th grade and no older than 20. **No junior high students or adults 21 or older will not be allowed to attend.**

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

***GPA 2.0 or above at last grading period**
***No fees owed in the Library**
***Attendance-no more than 36 period cuts**
***No fees owed in Business Office**
***No disciplinary issues (determined by Admin) Per SMJHSDU Board Policy**

DRESS CODE: Dress (casual, semi-formal, formal, etc.) will be announced. Attire must comply with the dictates of common sense, modesty, and good taste. Dresses and blouses must not be too low cut or excessively revealing in any area. No two-piece dresses that reveal midriff and no cutout areas showing torso or sides of legs/hips will be allowed. Dresses and skirts must be long enough that the entire hand is laying on material when the arms are extended down the legs. Shirts and shoes must be worn at all times. **IF YOU ARE UNSURE, PLEASE ASK RATHER THAN BEING SENT HOME TO CHANGE CLOTHES.**

DRUGS/ALCOHOL/TOBACCO: All students will be administered passive breathalyzer testing for alcohol. If positive, the Administration will call the parent to pick their son or daughter up from the dance and discipline will be handed out accordingly the following Monday.

TIME OF ARRIVAL: ALL ATTENDESS MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE AT THE DANCE WITHIN ONE HOUR OF THE START OF THE DANCE. Any students arriving after this time will not be allowed into the dance, and their parents will be called.

TIME OF DEPARTURE: No participants may leave the dance until 30 minutes before the dance is scheduled to end, unless checked out by a parent. THE PARENT MUST CONTACT A SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR BEFORE TAKING ANY STUDENT FROM THE DANCE.

TICKET SALES: Tickets will be sold until Wednesday before the dance at 3:00 pm**. NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER THIS TIME – NO EXCEPTIONS. NO REFUNDS.**

I have read, understand, and support the enforcement of these rules and policies.

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Student Signature

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Cell Phone Number

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Parent Signature

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Emergency Contact Number

If you are on the NO GO List

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PVHS Dean of Students

"No student shall be allowed to purchase any event ticket or voucher from the ASB Office is a student has unpaid charges or is not current on a payment plan". Per SMJUHSD Board Policy

DANCE GUIDELINES

Santa Maria Joint Union High School District Dance Policy

Ticket Sales

Tickets are available for sale prior to the dance (pre-sale). Students must have a school picture identification card to be admitted to a dance.

Dress Code

The established dress code for students will be in effect during school sponsored dances. Students who are dressed inappropriately will be asked to change into appropriate clothing. If the student cannot or refuses to change into appropriate clothing, he/she will be directed to leave the dance. The student's parents/guardians will be contacted and arrangements will be made for the student to go home.

Lighting

Each individual school will coordinate with the DJ to ensure that the lighting at all dances is appropriate. If no agreement can be reached, the administrator or designee in charge will have the final say.

Music Selection

Each individual school will coordinate with the DJ the music selection. If a DJ is playing music that is inappropriate as determined by the school's administration and/or Activities Director, the DJ will be directed to change the music selection. If the DJ refuses to comply, the administrator or designee is authorized to close down the dance.

Dance Supervision

There will be school staff supervision at all dances to ensure a safe and healthy environment for students.

Dance Standards

Any provocative dancing, as determined by the administrator will not be permitted. More specifically, dancing styles that involve touching of breasts, buttocks or genitals, grinding, straddling each other's legs, or those that simulate sexual activity are not permitted. When dancing back to front, all dancers must remain upright - no hands on knees and no hands on the dance floor with buttocks touching dance partner or other dancers.

Consequences for Violating Expectations

Wristbands which are required to be worn at the dance, will be issued during the check-in process. If a staff member determines that a student is dancing inappropriately, they will give the student one warning and remove his/her wristband. If the same student is dancing inappropriately a second time (this student would not be wearing a wristband), he/she would be directed to leave the dance. Parents/ guardians will be contacted and arrangements will be made for the student to go home.

School Rules

Students and guests attending a school dance will be held accountable for abiding by all applicable school rules and regulations.

Board Adoption: September 10, 2008