Boise Cotillion Invitation 2024-2025

You are Cordially Invited to Attend the Boise Cotillion Season of Dance Parties Held at the beautiful **Historic Boise Depot in the Great Hall**

Formerly the Boise Train Depot overlooking the "City of Trees" just minutes from downtown 2603 W. Eastover Terrace, Boise 83706

Cotillion Directors: Mrs. Denise Hodges and Ms. Natalie Gallegos Assistant: Maria Hagen DJ and Dance Assistant: Tom Reitan

Social Graces Professional Dance Instruction Refreshments Prizes Party Favors

Held once a month on the 1st or 2nd Thursday (except Dec. 10th Tuesday)

December 10th
January 9th
February 6th
March 6th
April 3rd

Holiday Gala Inaugural Ball Nifty 50's Dance Sweetheart Dance All American Western Spring Prom

Introduction to Cotillion
Theme dress and music
Valentines Fun Gift Exchange
Theme dress and music
Parents invited last 15 min.
(Instructional dinner option offered)

Times for Cotillion*

4th-6th Grade 5:45-7:00 7th-9th Grade 7:30-8:45 (*times and class combinations may be adjusted depending on enrollment)

Cotillion Fees 2024-2025

Cotillion Enrollment for Season: \$295.00 sibling fee \$275.00 3 Siblings \$260 each \$25 Registration Fee: first year of Cotillion Enrollment only

What is Cotillion?

Cotillion has been around since the early 1800's. Today Cotillions are present in many cities. Cotillion is considered by many, to be a part of a child's social education. Boise Cotillion will offer dance instruction and exposure to proper social etiquette, in a fun, age appropriate party atmosphere. Children will gain an appreciation of the joy of a variety of music and dance, as well as practice good manners and gracious behavior. Each party/lesson will offer instruction in traditional social dances as well as popular favorites. Partners are arranged, and change often. Each child will have approximately eight different partners per night. Emphasis will be placed on proper social etiquette and fun. Good manners are for everyone.

Through instruction and practice, good manners become second nature, and children gain confidence and poise because they know how to handle themselves in a variety of social situations. They have fun with their friends, meet new friends from throughout the city, dance, win prizes and enjoy refreshments, while learning social etiquette that will contribute to future success. The parties will be strictly supervised by a combination of the Cotillion director, dance instructor, paid assistants and parent chaperones. Appropriate behavior is required of all Cotillion members.

Cotillion Dress

Young ladies shall wear a party dress and appropriate party dancing shoes, no atheletic or sneakers and the heels (max 1 1/2" heel) appropriate for age and dancing. Flats and low heels are best. Cotillion dress is on the conservative side. Please, no strapless, backless, midriff or dresses that are too revealing. Short white gloves are required.

Gentlemen shall wear a suit or sports coat (blazer and khakis) tie, dark socks, and dark shoes that are leather type tie or loafer, no athletic shoes. Theme dances, the dress should be appropriate to theme or Cotillion wear.

Cotillion is inclusive and respectful of differences, please note the above dress standards are required of all.

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