

# Week 1

## Season Kick-Off

Hello MCGC! We are excited to start our 2026 Competitive Season this weekend with Field Day. After months of hard work and preparation, we look forward to seeing your teams take the floor. With that, we begin our weekly newsletters. It is important that all directors review these to stay on top of deadlines, updates, and changes. We can't wait to see you all soon!

## Weekly Deadlines

Please remember that changes to show titles, member counts, descriptions, and soundtracks must be completed by the Wednesday prior to your next show. Changes made after this time will not be reflected until the following show.

## Stay Informed

Unit directors are responsible for staying up to date on circuit news (we'd encourage your staff to do the same!). This means reviewing the weekly newsletter and connecting with a board member if you have questions. Additionally, the board holds open meetings every other week on Sundays at 10am. These meetings are accessible through our google calendar, and all are welcome. Need help accessing the calendar? Check out our welcome packet or email [secretary@mcgc.net](mailto:secretary@mcgc.net).

It is also expected that all unit directors have reviewed the 2026 Rule Book and Welcome Packet. Both are available at [MCGC.net>Resources](http://MCGC.net>Resources)

## Website Updates Coming

You may have noticed that our website is under construction. Competition Suite has recently changed how they push data to other sources, and we are adapting to that change. We are also striving to make our website more useful for our membership. Thank you for your patience while we work on these improvements.



## Important Dates

### JANURARY

- 1.18: Field day
- 1.19: Board Meeting
- 1.31: Novi Show

### FEBRUARY

- 2.1: March Show Registrations Due
- 2.1: Board Meeting
- 2.7: Reeths-Puffer Show
- 2.14: Lakeland Show
- 2.15: Board Meeting
- 2.22: Belleville Show
- 2.28 Jenison Show

[Click Here to Access the Google Calendar](#)

*All show titles, unit counts, show descriptions, and soundtracks are considered final the Wednesday before each show.*