

Welcome to Season 20! IZISING STARS

Thank you for your interest in the Cheer Force One Rising Stars program! Rising Stars is a half-season All Star program for those who are interested in All Stars but are not quite ready for the full season commitment. Participants in the Rising Stars program have less time, financial, and travel commitment than the full season program.

All Stars is a unique sport involving tumbling, stunts, jumps, and dance. All Stars is great for youth interested in a performance-based sport and is open to all skill levels. Through hard work and commitment to the team, participants learn valuable life lessons and develop crucial life skills such as time management, responsibility, teamwork, and so much more! Whether your child has dreams of cheering for a full season competitive team, a school team, or is just looking for a team-based activity - Rising Stars is a fit!

On-time registration is open through Thursday, August 28 (drop off packet by 7:30pm). Team practices kick off in September, and the season concludes in March.

ON-TIME REGISTRATION DEADLINE: THURSDAY, AUGUST 28 Front office closes at 7:30pm

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WHAT IS ALL STARS?

All Stars is a competitive cheerleading program where teams from gyms perform and compete against teams from other gyms. Each season we form teams to compete locally, regionally, and even nationally. The All Star program trains more than just the individual. By working as a team, individuals learn about teamwork, sportsmanship, leadership, time management, commitment, and many life lessons they will carry with them through school and into future careers and relationships.

All Stars is an opportunity for each child to open up, be themself, and learn in the process. When a child is confronted with an obstacle, whether internally or externally, coaches are there to guide them and help problem solve. The individuals who gain the most from the All Star experience are those whose parents encourage their child to work through situations and discuss concerns with a coach.

PRACTICES & COMPETITIONS

Each Rising Star has **one weekly team practice**. Team practice length varies based on team.

Mini, Youth, Junior Teams: 2-hour practices
Tiny Teams: 1-hour practices

Each Rising Star team will have a <u>choreography</u> <u>clinic</u> scheduled for **Saturday**, **October 4**. The specific time will be announced closer to the event.

Rising Stars teams perform at two local events during the season. The specific times teams perform is not distributed until the week of the event. Please block off these dates to prevent any scheduling conflicts:

COMPETITIONS [These dates/locations are tentative.]

- •Saturday, Feb. 14 Deep South Biloxi, MS
- •Saturday, Mar. 14 Deep South Mobile, AL



COMMITMENT

The Rising Stars program is a commitment. Weekly team practices are considered mandatory. There are not "excused" or "unexcused" absences from practice. It is improtant for each family to immediately communicate any foreseen conflicts as soon as they are known. Unlike other sports, All Stars does not have a bench of extra teammates to pull from. Team positions are fluid and can be changed at any time.

Proper attire should be worn at every practice. Please help make sure your child is ready for practice in athletic attire and proper footwear.

CODE OF CONDUCT

Participation in the Rising Stars program is a commitment to the values and expectations set by Cheer Force One. All Star participants are expected to set a positive example inside and outside of the gym. All Stars are expected to be role models within their communities. By being a member of the All Star program, you are a representative of the CFI brand.

We work to keep open communication with parents with any red flags. The goal is to work together to keep each child headed in the right direction making the best decisions for the future. In the event a proactive plan can not be agreed upon or proves to be unsuccessful, a child may be removed from the program for poor conduct. There have also been occassions where a family has been dismissed from the program due to a parent's conduct. The best interests of the program as a whole are always the priority in these cases.

Cheer Force One has a zero tolerance policy for underage drinking or drug use of any kind. Participants found to be violating this policy are removed from the program.

Sportsmanship plays a major role in the unity of the Cheer Force One program. Speaking or posting online negative comments about a coach, team, team member, decision, result, or event can be considered grounds for dismissal. The support of each participating family is important to keeping a postive, nurturing environment for your child.

PRICING

The Rising Stars Tuition is a monthly fee similar to tuition for a recreational class. The monthly fee covers participation in the Rising Stars program, weekly team practice, and team events as scheduled (choreography, etc.).

For the purposes of budgeting and easy payments, expenses related to All Stars are split into equal payments. March 14th is scheduled to be the final event of the Rising Stars season. Although the team will not meet after this event, the monthly fee is the same as previous months.

All monthly membership fees are billed and considered due on the 1st of the month. Late fees are applied to any account with a balance as of the 11th each month. Payments can be made at the gym during normal operating hours or through the online Parent Portal at any time. Ask about our autopay feature to avoid late fees.

TINY TEAM PRICING:

Registration - \$49 (\$75 if after 8/28) Monthly Tuition - \$119/mon. [Sept-Mar] *Optional*: Add. Class - \$49/mon. Uniform Package: \$195 (Girls); \$165 (Boys)

MINI, YOUTH, JUNIOR TEAM PRICING:

Registration - \$49 (\$75 if after 8/28) Monthly Tuition - \$164/mon. [Sept-Mar] Optional: Add. Class - \$49/mon. Uniform Package: \$195 (Girls); \$165 (Boys)

The Uniform Package consists of the Competition Uniform (top/bottom) and Competition Bow (girls). The Uniform Package fee is billed **October 1st** and due by October 10th. Uniforms will not be ordered for accounts with a balance.

For the 2025-2026 season, the Rising Stars program is using a new uniform design. All members will need to purchase a uniform.

All Rising Stars are required to wear white cheerleading shoes with their uniform. Families are welcome to purchase any brand - please ask your All Star Director if you need assistance.



2025-2026 All Star Registration

Please fill out one form PER PARTICIPANT. This completed registration packet and registration payment is required before a child is placed on a team. If you have any questions about the program or commitment, please contact the All Star Director before turning in this packet.

STEP 1: Complete this 6-page packet. Make sure all pages are initialed/signed.

STEP 2: Register for the 2025-2026 Rising Stars EVENT in the Parent Portal.

STEP 3: Turn in this packet to the front office by Thursday, August 28 at 7:30pm.

There is no "tryout" for the Rising Stars program.

Registrations received by Thursday, August 28 @ 7:30pm - \$49 Registration fee. Registrations received after Thursday, August 28 are only permitted if space is available, require a \$75 Registration fee, and will be billed for any missed fees.

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Student's Birthday:	Youth: Adu
Parent Over Account:	X-Small X-Sr Small Sma
Parent Phone Number:	Medium Med
Parent Email Address:	Large Larg X-Large X-La

EXPERIENCE

Using the space provided, list how many years of experience this participant has at each level in each position.

No experience? That's ok! Just leave this section blank.

	Base	Backspot	Flyer
Level 1			
Level 2			
Level 3			
Level 4			
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Administrative Use Only:

Account in Good Standing
Verified Contact Info. on Acct.
Registration Fee Paid
Signed Agreement (6-pages)

Questions?

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2025-2026 All Star Registration

ATHLETE NAME:	
PARENT/RESPONSIBLE PA	RTY (R.P.):
ADDRESS:	
CITY/STATE/ZIP:	
PARENT/R.P. PHONE NUM	BER:
PARENT/R.P. EMAIL ADDRI	ESS:
DRIVER'S LICENSE STATE	NUMBER:

program is a 7-month agreement from September 2025 through March 2026. There is a \$49 registration fee due upon signing up followed by 7 monthly installments (September-March). The registration fee is \$75 for members joining after the August 28th on-time deadline. The monthly rate (\$164; \$119 for Tiny Team) is considered the membership cost of the program. By participating in team activities, the family is agreeing to the fees associated with the team. Fee disclosure is available for parents prior to placement. Any changes to the program, including the cancellation of a competition, will be handled on a case-by-case basis and at the discretion of the All Star Director/owner.

PAYMENT POLICIES: Fees are due on the 1st of each month. Any account with a balance as of the 11th of the month, including a balance from a previous month, is billed a \$25 late fee. It is the responsibility of the Parent/Responsible Party to make on-time payments to avoid late fees. There are no refunds for any payments made or fees billed to the account. Payments can be made online through the Parent Portal using any major credit/debit card (Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express) or bank account. If an account is more than 30 days behind, the athlete may be removed from the program or restricted from participating until the account is paid in full based on the All Star Director's/owner's discretion.

ADDITIONAL FEES: Monthly fees do not include competition uniform package (top, bottom, bow). These items are required and must be paid for by October 10th (\$195 girls; \$165 boys). Cheer shoes are required (any brand, all white). Any related travel costs are also not included.



ATHLETE NAME:

CONTRACT TERMINATION FEE: If an athlete is removed from the All Star "Rising Stars" program by choice or consequence, the Parent/Responsible Party is responsible for any outstanding balance on the account, including the current month's fees, in addition to a \$250 contract termination fee per athlete. If a balance remains on the account 10 days after separation from the All Star Program, the account is turned over to a third party for collection purposes. Any fees incurred for collecting a debt will be added to the account and the responsibility of the Parent/Responsible Party. For this reason, we encourage settlement at the time of separation.

AGREEMENT IN EFFECT: Once an athlete has been placed on a team and teams are announced, the athlete is considered a member. There is no grace period before the terms and conditions of the program are in effect.

DISCOUNTS AND PROMOTIONS: All athletes are eligible for discounts on additional classes at Cheer Force One. Sibling discounts are available for any family with more than one child in the All Star program. The sibling discount is \$40 per additional child. Additional discounts and promotions may become available at any time. This information is distributed to the membership database and typically made available through social media channels.

APPAREL: Included in the All Star fees is one of any required practice apparel for the season. It is the responsibility of the parent to help athletes keep track of the practicewear and wear it at appropriate times as discussed by coaches and/or the All Star Director. In the event practicewear becomes lost/stolen/misplaced, additional practicewear may be purchased through the front desk. Parents will be required to pay the current pro shop rate for any apparel to keep the athlete in appropriate attire. Questions about the enforcement of practicewear requirements can be directed to the All Star Director.

TUMBLE ACADEMY CLASSES: Due to enrollment demands, a recreational class is not automatically included in All Star membership. Tumbling classes can be added to an All Star account for the current "additional class discounted rate".



ATHLETE NAME:	
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MEDICAL TERMINATION: Any athlete who is injured and unable to complete his/her season will need a doctor's note stating such. Any fees paid/due at the point of injury are non-refundable and considered owed. In these situations, the contract termination fee is not applied.

RESPONSIBLE PARTY: The Parent/Responsible Party listed on this form and signing for financial responsibility is fully responsible for the account payments. We do not entertain "split accounts" due to divorce or other circumstances.

SPORTSMANSHIP: Sportsmanship is a key part of any sports program, including All Stars. The commitment to the All Star program includes the commitment of the participating child and parent(s)/guardians, in addition to any friends or relatives who play a role in the All Star's participation in the program. All parties are expected to be supportive and respectful of Cheer Force One; its directors, coaches, staff, and athletes; and any affiliated parties, including event producers/staff, apparel representatives, and similar individuals. Failure to comply to this policy may result in the removal of the child/family from All Stars at the All Star Director's and/or owner's discretion.

COMMUNICATION: In order to run a successful program, communication is key. Cheer Force One utilizes emails, phone calls, handouts, BAND Groups, website updates, and team texts to help make sure the proper information is delivered to families. It is the parent's responsibility to make sure questions, comments, and concerns are all directed to the appropriate party. The coach and All Star Director are the appropriate individuals to contact in every situation. Please note, we will not discuss with you children who are not your own. Social media is not a proper forum to air grievances with the program. A child may be removed from the program due to comments viewed as negative by the child or parent – this includes online posts – whether the program is explicitly named or not.



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ABSENCES: Attendance is crucial to the success of the program. All team practices, clinics, camps, events, and competitions are considered mandatory. There is no such thing as an "excused" absence. All absences (sick, social events, school events, etc.) count the same.

Team Members are expected at all practices. Practices start in September and conclude the week of the final event. Any absence may result in the removal from routine elements. Absences may lead to removal from the program. These situations, along with all absence situations, are handled on a case-by-case basis. The All Star Director reserves the right to handle each situation at her discretion. The program comes first in all situations.

CHOREOGRAPHY: Choreography is scheduled for Saturday, October 4. It is crucial for all members to attend. All choreography and placement is subject to change at anytime based on the needs of the team. These changes are made at the discretion of the coaches and the All Star Director.

COMPETITIONS: Missing a competition is inexcusable. Dates of competition events are provided to families by August of each season. Until the week of an event, we do not know the specific time of performances. Parents are expected to plan in advance for all potential scenarios. Missing an event may lead to dismissal from the program at the All Star Director's/owner's discretion. Any foreseeable conflicts need to be communicated to the All Star Director at the first available opportunity. Attending every competition is part of your commitment to the All Star Program.

PARENT FIRST: The role of the parent in an All Star's journey is to be a beacon of love and support. Experience has proven children excel when there is unconditional love from the parent/guardian. Please allow the coaches to be the coaches. All Stars are encouraged to speak to coaches directly about issues and concerns at practices/events. Coaches will contact parents when issues arise and when contact is warranted to help a child reach his/her potential or become a better teammate. Please address any issues you may have with the coach or All Star Director directly.



ATHLETE NAME:	
	A: The parent viewing area is closed for all weekend

parent viewing area is closed for all weekend practices. Team choreography, camps, and clinics is always closed to parent-viewing. The All Star Director informs parents of any exceptions to this policy and any additional closings of the area. Please use the parent viewing area as an opportunity to watch your child work through challenges, see progressions, and meet other parents in the program. If the parent viewing area becomes a source of negativity, concern, or distraction, Cheer Force One Management reserves the right to close it at any time.

BRANDING/COMPANY IMAGE: The Cheer Force One NAME and LOGOS are trademarked and any use of the name or logos (apparel, online, printing, etc.) without written consent of the owner is forbidden. In addition, any All Star member who acts (physically, verbally online, etc.) in a manner viewed as potentially damaging to the Cheer Force One brand will be removed from the program. Parents are not permitted to represent "Cheer Force One" in any capacity, this includes personal fundraising.

FORCE MAJEURE: Should any circumstance prevent the All Star season or events of it from happening at any point, the program will be adjusted accordingly. A temporary closing of the gym or the inability to attend events does not constitute a termination of this contract. Any financial proration is at the discretion of the owner.

This Commitment and Financial Agreement is an agreement between Cheer Force One, LLC and the respective party listed in this Registration. The terms of this agreement are non-negotiable. By signing this document, the respective party agrees to the terms of the All Star Program as listed in this Agreement and the current season's All Star Packet. Signing constitutes an understanding of the terms and policies. This contract is in effect from the date signed through May 31, 2026.

Signature of Parent Over Account:	Date:
Printed Name (Parent/Responsible Party)	Initials