



SEASON 10 TEAM PACKET



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ABOUT US

Thank you for showing interest in Fusion Athletics Competitive Cheerleading Program. Fusion has been open since 2010 with a reputation for excellence! We are excited that you are considering joining us for Season 10. No matter the age or skill level of a your child, we have a program for them.

We have all of the components needed to help your child succeed, from the best instructors to our recently expanded facility!



Fusion Athletics Program Comparison

	Intro to All Stars Novice Teams Ages 4-12	Half Season All Stars Prep Teams Ages 6-18	Full Season All Stars Elite Teams Ages 6-18	Quarter Season Elite Team Ages 5- 15
Season	Aug- Jan	June- April	June- May	Feb - April
Practices	Team Practices 1 hour per week.	Team Practices 2 hours per week in the summer and 4 hours per week Sept- April Discounted Tumbling Classes	Team Practices 4 hours per week in the summer and 6 hours per week Sept- May. Unlimited Classes Included	Team Practices 2 Days a week Sunday 3-445pm Wednesday 7-830pm *Some Mondays 5-630pm
Uniforms	\$100 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow	New Athletes - \$250 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow Returning athletes will reuse bow from 2019-2020 season	New Athletes-\$475 Crop/Bottom \$50 Mesh Liner \$20 Hair Cuff Returning Athletes- \$150 Bottoms	New Athletes - \$225 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow
Competitions	1- Local Showcase 1-Competition in Wisconsin	3 to 4 One Day Events within Wisconsin or Illinois	4- Two Day Events * 1- One Day Events *Required Travel- Indiana, Minnesota, Illinois.	2 One Day Events 1 Two Day Events within Wisconsin, Illinois and KY
Additional Information	All White Cheer Shoe of your choice required. No Tryout Required.	All Black Cheer Shoes Evaluation Required to ensure proper placement. Everyone makes a team. Choreography Camp Aug 2-6th	All Black Cheer Shoes Evaluation Required Skills Maintenance Choreography Camp Aug 2nd- 6th	Evaluation Required. Choreo 2/14

PROGRAM COSTS

	ALL STAR NOVICE 1/4 SEASON AGES 3-12	ALL STAR PREP HALF SEASON AGES 5-18	ALL STAR ELITE FULL SEASON AGES 6-18	QUARTER SEASON ELITE TEAM AGES 6-15
TUITION	\$450 or \$75 per month for 6 months (Aug-Jan)	\$1700 Payment plan of \$170 per month for 10 months (June- March) is available	\$2000 Payment plan of \$200 per month for 10 months (June- March) is available	\$750 Payment plan of \$250 per month for 3 Months (Feb, March and April) is available.
ASSESSMENTS	NA	NA	\$1500 Payment Plan of \$150 per month for 10 months (June- March) is available.	NA
UNIFORMS	\$100 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow	New Athletes - \$250 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow We are reusing last years bow, only new athletes will need to purchase a bow.	If you have a uniform from last year- New Bottoms- \$150 If you need a whole uniform - \$475 Includes: Crop Top and Bottoms. Liner: \$50 Hair Cuff- \$20	New Athletes - \$225 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow Uniform Fee Due: March 1st.
ADDITIONAL FEES	All White Cheer Shoes are required, a \$25 registration fee	All White Cheer Shoes are required, a \$50 registration fee and a \$30 USASF Membership Fee **National Fees not included	All Black, including the soles, cheer shoes are required, a \$50 registration fee and a \$30 USASF Membership Fee. ** Summit Fees not included	All White Cheer Shoes are required, a \$50 registration fee and a \$30 USASF Membership Fee **Summit Fees Not included



TEAM/ATHLETE POLICIES

ABSENCES

Attendance is crucial to the success of any team. An absence request form should be submitted prior to missing any practice.

EXCUSED ABSENCES

- Contagious illness
- School function that affects grade
- Family emergency
- Family vacations**

UN-EXCUSED ABSENCES

- School dances or games
- Traffic
- Too much homework or studying for finals
- Feeling tired
- No ride

VACATIONS

Please work to plan your family vacations around the gym schedule, we work hard to give you the gym closures early. If you are taking a vacation for Spring Break, remember we service several school districts and so not close for any spring break. When the competition schedule is released, you will receive a list of Black Out Weeks, this is the week prior to competition. Athletes who miss a practice during these weeks will not be eligible to compete at the competition that week.

WHERE CAN I FIND AN ABSENCE REQUEST?

All of our forms can be found on your team's Facebook Page. When your child is assigned to a team they will receive directions for how to access this. This form should be completed two weeks prior to any absence when possible. Each athlete receives 2 unexcused absences per season after that the athlete may be removed from the team.

INJURIES

If an injury should occur, it is the responsibility of the parent to seek professional help. After seeing a physician, please provide us with an evaluation of the athletes injury and status. An athlete with a serious injury will not be allowed to return to activity without a release from a medial professional.

TRAVEL/COMPETITIONS

During the competition season, athletes will be asked to travel to events. Some athletes will be required to travel to national events out of the state. Transportation to competitions is the responsibility of each athlete and their family.

UNIFORMS AND ATTIRE

Please keep all Fusion clothing and uniforms in good condition. Please report any lost or damaged uniform items to your coach. The cost of replacement will be the responsibility of the athlete and their family. Please wear assigned practice gear to practice. Athletes can not have any piercings and or jewelry in for any practices or competitions. Please be mindful of this when thinking of getting new piercings. Band-aids and clear space holders still count.

PRACTICES

Parents are not allowed to come onto the floor unless accompanied by a coach. We have a designated viewing area for parents and family members. Please understand this is for the safety of our athletes.

DISCIPLINE

If any of the above rules are compromised, the following actions will occur:

- 1st Violation- A meeting with athlete defining the problem
- 2nd Violation- A meeting with the athletes and the parents
- 3rd Violation- The athlete may be removed from the team or entire program.

COPYRIGHT NOTICE

The logo of Fusion Athletics belongs to the owners of the program. You cannot sell or create your own Fusion apparel or other items. This includes team names and any likeness to logo, affiliation and or program without the written permission of Fusion Athletics.

Parents, Athletes and or Staff that wish to enter a contest while wearing the Fusion Athletics brand must first get written permission from the owner.

PARENT POLICIES



COMMUNICATION

As a parent, you will receive information via your Program Facebook Group and a Welcome Pack that is located in the announcement section of your Program Facebook Group.

FEES

- A schedule of payments is listed in this handbook. All monthly payments are set up in Jackrabbit and come out automatically on the 1st of the month. If you choose to make a payment and not have your designated card, you must bring a check into the desk by the last day of each month. Please make all checks payable to Fusion Athletics.
- A late fee of \$25 will be assessed for all payments made after the 5th of each month. If your payment is declined from your bank, please make the payment immediately at the desk or via Jackrabbit
- Monthly tuition is not pro-rated for any reason.
- All fees are non refundable. If you choose to leave the team or are removed from the team these fees are not returned.
- By the 5th of each month, your account must be up to date.

Otherwise, athlete will not be allowed to participate in practice.

FUNDRAISING

Fusion Athletics offers the following:

- Barrel of Cheer in Sept
- Double Good Popcorn in October
- Gift Card Basket in November
- Festival Cards in January
- Discount Cards in March
- All fundraisers are individual and all credits will be credited directly to your account. These fundraisers do involve extra work outside of cheer but we have seen people pay for an entire season of cheer! We strongly suggest you participate in fundraising.
- Any surplus in fundraising credits can be applied to classes, teams and merchandise.
- Refund checks can not be issued in the event of a surplus.

DISCIPLINE

- Your dedication and support is just as important to us and your child.
- We encourage all parents to sit together and cheer on Fusion teams at competitions. We also suggest you show up wearing Fusion apparel to support the athletes.
- Showing respect for the coaching staff, other teams and hosting organizations is expected as you are representing Fusion and your child.



PARTICIPATION FORM

Liability Waiver and Participation Form

Athletes Name: _____

Address: _____

Parents Name: _____ Email: _____

Cell: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

Parents Email: _____

Medical Authorization and Liability Release

I authorize Fusion Athletics and its representatives to consent to medical treatment for my child when I cannot be reached to consent. I am fully aware that any activity involving motion, height or athletic activities create the possibility of serious injury, paralysis or even death. I further agree to hold Fusion Athletics and its staff harmless for any injury or resulting expense(s). I release and discharge all rights and claims against Fusion Athletics, and it's parties. Fusion Athletics strives to provide the maximum in safety procedures and guidelines, and cannot assume responsibility for any accidents, injuries or illness that may occur.

Parents Name: _____ Parents Signature: _____

Date: _____

Medical Information

Family Doctor: _____ Phone: _____

Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____

Please list any previous injuries, physical conditions or weaknesses that may affect the athlete

Condition/Injury: _____

Parent Consent

The athlete listed above has my permission to participate in the Fusion Athletics program and or camp for the 2020/2021 year. In consideration for the training and coaching provided by Fusion Athletics and its staff, I understand that my son/daughter must abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the coaches and staff. I understand that violations of any of these rules may result in removal from the classes and/or events. We acknowledge and recognize that hazards are present in any athletic event and that injury may result. Fusion Athletics coaches, staff and volunteers will not be liable for injury that occurs during practice, competitions or travel to and from activities.

Parents Name: _____ Parents Signature: _____

Date: _____

FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

THIS FORM IS DUE AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION

____ parent of _____
Name of parent/legal guardian Print name of the team member

I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- I understand and agree that tuition is due on the 1st of the month for the current month. So January tuition is due Jan 1st. Tuition is set up and automatically drafted through Jackrabbit each month.
- Full Season Elite Only- I understand that in addition to tuition, I will pay assessments as outlined in the packet, and based on my chosen payment plan. Assessments are ran automatically on the 1st of each month.
- I understand that my uniform is a separate cost and is due on its set due date. I understand shoes are not included with my uniform, I will order them personally. Fusion Athletics does provide a link to Nfinity on their website. Black shoes are required unless otherwise noted for your team.
- I understand that I am subject to a late fee charge of \$25.00 after the 5th of the designated month. Excessive tardiness in payments will be grounds for my child not competing, possible dismissal and my being sent to a collection agency.
- I also understand and agree that as a parent signing this contract; I am solely responsible for the tuition, travel expenses, uniform and assessments as outlined in this packet.
- I understand that if I leave the program prior to April 30th, 2021, I am subject to a \$250 buyout fee. This will be billed to the card on file at the time of my departure from the program.
- I understand that all Assessments are Non-Refundable for any reason.

Parents Signature (Participant if 18 or Older): _____ Date: _____

I understand and agree to allow Fusion Athletics to charge my card and or bank check card (with a major credit card symbol) that I have provided below in the case I do not get my payments in on the designated due dates.

___ Visa ___ Master Card ___ American Express

Account Number

Name on Card

Exp. Date AND CVC

Billing Street Address

City, State and Zip

___ I understand that the above card will be billed for my TUITION on the 1st of each month

___ Please use my card to pay for my TUITION in full now

Signature of person on card: _____ Parent or Legal Guardian of: _____

Print the name of the card owner: _____ Date: _____

Effective from the date of the agreement is signed thru April 30th, 2021

POLICY AGREEMENT

Fusion Athletics, LLC

Please Read, Initial and Sign

Fees, Payments and Policies

_____ 1. The Cheer Season is a full year commitment from Feb 2020–April 2021

_____ 2. All Fusion Athletics customers are required to have a card set up in Jackrabbit for all payments. All tuition is ran on the 1st of each month. **Athletes will not be allowed to practice until there is a card on file or the account is paid in full.**

_____ 3. Your account must be current for your child to participate in team practices, tumbling classes, open gyms, private lessons and or competitions.

_____ 4. All monthly fees, assessment fees, and or uniform fees, must be paid in advance in order to participate in any event. All fees are **100% Non-Refundable for any reason.**

_____ 5. If you chose to pay your Tuition in full and choose to discontinue anytime from June 2020 to April 2021, your fees are **Non-Refundable**. The \$250 buyout fee and expenses already paid out for the season will be deducted and the remaining balance will be applied as a credit onto your account for Fusion Services or Goods. NO REFUNDS will be given. Remember you are signing up for a spot on a Fusion team, not for a specific team or position.

_____ 6. I understand that if my child decides to quit the Fusion Athletics program (for any reason other than family relocation with a valid real estate document, or a season ending sport injury with a valid physician's certificate) at any time from August 1st 2020 to the end of the competition season April 30th, 2021, I will be charged a \$250 buyout fee. This fee will be deducted from the card on file or needs to be paid by check within 5 days if card is not approved.

_____ 7. It is mandatory to abide by the Attendance policy as outlined in the 2020-2021 Athlete Policies given out in this packet. All athletes are to attend their teams regularly scheduled practices. If an athlete is not feeling well, or injured, they are still expected to be at practice. If your child has a fever or is vomiting they should not attend. A parent must call the office or team coach PRIOR to practice for this to be excused. All school activities and pre planned vacations should be submitted 14 days in advanced online as explained in the packet. After the athlete has reached 2 unexcused absences for the season, each additional unexcused absence will result in a \$25 absence fee. If your athlete reaches 14 missed practices, unexcused or excused, a meeting with the All Star director will take place. At this time your child may be removed from their team and program at the discretion of the All Star Director. Attendance is required for success.

_____ 8. If at any time your child misses a competition for an unexcused reason, this is means for immediate termination from the team and no refunds of any sort will be given.

_____ 10. Your child can and will be suspended from practices and or competitions for displaying inappropriate behavior and refusal to follow gym rules and instructions from coaches and staff. Please discuss this with your child. You are still responsible for your athlete's fees during the period of suspension.

_____ 11. Athletes should not be dropped off more than 15 minutes early for a team or class. Athletes should not be picked up after 9:15pm, as this requires coaches and staff to work past their set hours.

POLICY AGREEMENT

_____ 12 Fundraising- All fundraisers facilitated are individual, unless otherwise noted. We will apply credits to your accounts. Questions regarding fundraisers can be emailed to Melissa@fusionallstars.com . Any surplus of credits from fundraisers can be used towards any services or products Fusion Athletics offers. Funds can't be transferred to another athlete. If athletes leave with a credit that will be transferred to the general fund. Refund checks will not be issued in the result of a surplus.

_____ 13. All transportation to and from competitions is the sole responsibility of parents. I understand that some competitions require a specific hotel. Information will be given as those dates approach.

_____ 14. I understand that as a Fusion member I am not allowed to use the Fusion Logo and make my own Fusion merchandise. I cannot sell or create your own Fusion Athletics apparel or merchandise. I also understand I am not allowed to contact any vendors on behalf of Fusion Athletics, doing so is grounds for dismissal from the program.

_____ 15. I understand that my athlete needs to come to practice every day in the proper attire. Athletes can wear anything for class but must be in the right attire for team practice. Hair needs to be up and bow in. Some teams may change their days based on the teams practice days check with your child's team Facebook Group as it will always have this info.

_____ 16. We reserve the right to close practices at any time. This will occur if the viewing room becomes negative or distracting. Please remember to be your athlete's, team's and coach's biggest cheerleader! As a parent, if you are causing drama you can and will be removed from the gym.

_____ 17. It is the parent's responsibility to stay informed. Check your team Facebook Group regularly, if you are not receiving information contact the front desk immediately so we can check your account.

_____ 18. Part of an All Star Team is uniform, hair and makeup. To be on the team, all athletes must follow these guidelines. If you cannot commit to doing hair and makeup in the designated style, your athlete can't participate.

_____ 19. Athletes are placed on a team with the expectation that the skills they have at tryouts will remain and grow through the season. If an athlete can no longer fulfill the role they were placed on the team for, they will be moved to a team where they can fulfill the necessary role.

_____ 20. I understand that by trying out for a Summit or Worlds Team, these teams will accept only At Large or Paid type of bid. If a team accepts an At Large Bid, they will be responsible for the Summit or Worlds Fees, practice wear and coaches fees. If a team accepts a paid bid, they will only be responsible for only practice wear, and coaches fees.

_____ 21. All athletes and parents are expected to carry and conduct themselves with the utmost maturity on social media. This includes but is not limited to social media posts, photos, interactions and discussion boards. Any violation of this policy may result in immediate termination from the program.

I understand and agree to abide by the policies as outlined above:

Athlete Name: _____

Athlete Signature: _____

Print Parent Name:Date:_____

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian: _____