



Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading, Inc.

The Pride of PA for 15 Years!!

**A new season with more than one
reason to join!**

We want to see you

in Orange, White, and Blue!!

Philosophy:

Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading, Inc. provides a safe, positive environment where athletes of all ages and abilities can grow in the sport while learning life-long lessons in character, teamwork, commitment, responsibility, and respect.

Motto:

At Pennsylvania Elite, we believe success isn't measured in trophies, banners, jackets, or medals. We believe success is measured in personal growth, performance, commitment to yourself, your team, and your sport. Awards can get lost, broken, outgrown, and replaced but success lasts forever. Success comes when each athlete and each team works to outperform their personal best. The journey defines the champion! At Pennsylvania Elite, we are committed to making your journey one that helps you reach that success (on and off the mat).

What separates Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading, Inc. from other all-star programs in the area?

- ✓ We strive to allow our athletes to succeed not only in this sport but in other endeavors. We value all of our athletes many talents and work to accommodate athletes that are involved in other school/sporting events.
- ✓ We are realistic in our travel and financial expectations. While we work hard to ensure that our athletes attend competitive events and are able to compete at a high level of excellence, we also work hard to do so with reasonable expenses and out of school commitments. We are the most affordable highly competitive program in the area.
- ✓ All of our coaches are highly knowledgeable and well-trained in the sport. All team coaches have USASF credentialing, have worked for national cheerleading organizations, have cheered on the state, national, world and/or collegiate level, and are up to date on current level expectations, rules, and choreography.
- ✓ We house athletes from all over central Pennsylvania. Athletes travel over an hour to be a part of this cheer family. The friendships and bonds made despite the distances traveled is irreplaceable.
- ✓ We have achieved great success at various levels winning numerous National titles, Grand Championships, and U.S. Final titles. We had the privilege of placing 5th in Small Junior 5 at Summit in 2016. We have had the privilege of taking a team to the Cheerleading World's the past four years.

2017-2018 Team Options: Choices for all levels!

Prep Teams (Half Year) *Practice to begin at a later date.	Limited Travel Mini Team (Full Year)	Levels 1 and 2 Teams	Levels 3 and 4 Teams	Level 5 Teams World's and Non World's
One practice a week.	One practice a week. One hour of team tumbling a week.	Two practices a week. One hour of team tumbling a week.	2 practices a week. One hour of team tumbling a week.	2 (if needed 3) practices a week. One hour of team tumbling a week.
Attend 3-4 (local) competitions. No overnight trips.	Attend 5-6 competitions. No overnight trips.	Attend 7-8 competitions. 2-3 possible "required" overnight trips. The One or US Finals (TBD after final team placements)	Attend 8-9 competitions. 3-4 possible "required" overnight trips. Summit Hopeful, US Finals, or The One (TBD after final team placements)	Attend 9-10 competitions. 5-7 possible "required" overnight trips. World's trip to Florida. Summit Hopeful, US Finals or The One (Non worlds). (TBD)
Registration Fee: \$50 Estimated Monthly/Competition fees: \$450 for the season.	Registration fee: \$100 Monthly fees:\$65 Estimated Competition fees: \$600	Registration fee: \$100 Monthly fees:\$100 Estimated yearly Competition fees: \$1100	Registration Fee: \$100 Monthly fees:\$100 Estimated yearly Competition fees: \$1300	Registration Fee: \$100 Monthly fees:\$100 Estimated yearly Competition fees: \$1600

*Registration fee covers insurance costs, USASF membership fees, and a program t-shirt.

*Competition fees cover 1 set of practice wear, music fees, choreography fees, coaches' fees, end of year gift, and competition registration fees.

There is a monthly discount for multiple member families (half tuition for additional children of full year teams only). If you wish to cross-over and are selected to be on more than one team, you will need to pay all cross-over competition fees (which are reduced at events), but will not pay additional registration or monthly fees.

Extra Yearly Expenses:

- Uniforms and bows for new members- \$385 for Senior team athletes, \$480 for youth and junior team athletes (includes liner), and approximately \$200 for mini team athletes.
- Shoes: new Varsity custom shoes for all teams estimated around \$100 (TBD)
- Hotel and Travel expenses.
- End of Season event fees: The One, U.S. Finals, Summit, World's (depending upon bids)
- Extra classes, clinics, camps, clothing orders, and private lessons (all optional)

All Star Age and Level Requirements

We place teams based on age and level. We strive to make sure that all teams will be competitive in all skills at a particular level (jumping, stunting, tumbling, dancing, motion technique, routine presentation, and choreography).

Levels	1	2	3	4	4.2	5
Skills (including but not limited to)	Tumbling: Rolls, front walkovers, backwalkovers, round-off, cartwheels Jumps: variety and triple jump (youth and up) Stunts: ground level, and belly button level, preps.	Tumbling: all level 1 plus, handsprings, specialty to handsprings. Jumps: variety and triple jump Stunts: prep level, Extension, multiple transitions, straight ride tosses, extended one leg in pyramid.	Tumbling: all level 1/2 plus standing series HS, round Off HS tucks, specialty passes to tucks. Jumps: variety and triple jump Stunting: multiple variations to prep level single leg, extended single leg, and transitions extended, skill tosses.	Tumbling: standing tuck, jump HS tuck, series HS to layout, running layouts with specialty passes Jumps: variety and triple jump Stunting: multiple elite transitions to prep one leg body position and extended one leg, 2 trick skill tosses, flipping pyramid transitions.	Tumbling: follows level 2. Jumps: Variety and triple jump Stunting: follows level 4	Tumbling: Jump to back tuck, standing series to fulls/double fulls, standing fulls, running fulls/double fulls with specialty passes. Jumps: variety and triple jump Stunting: elite transitions all extended one leg body positions, 3 trick skill tosses, flipping pyramid transitions.
Ages (as of August 31, 2017)	Tiny Prep: 3-6 yrs old Mini: 5-8 yrs old Youth: 6-11 yrs old Junior: 8-14 yrs old Senior: 11-18 yrs old	Mini: 5-8 yrs old Youth: 6-11 yrs old Junior: 8-14 yrs old Senior: 11-18 yrs old	Youth: 6-11 yrs old Junior: 8-14 yrs old Senior: 11-18 yrs old	Youth: 6-11 yrs old Junior: 8-14 yrs old Senior: 11-18 yrs old	Senior: 11-18 yrs old	Junior: 8-14 yrs old Senior: Ages 12 -18 World's Ages 11-18 Non World's International: Ages 14 + (World's only)

- **More information about levels, ages, and teams will be discussed at the informational parent meeting on May 18 from 5-6 pm.**



Important Dates to Remember

- Informational Parent Meeting will be held on May 18, 2017 from 5-6 pm. Information regarding tryouts, team placements, and next season will be discussed at this meeting. You will be able to ask questions prior to tryouts. You will be able to preregister for tryouts.
- Tryout Clinics will be held on May 21. Ages 6-11 should attend from 1-3 pm. Ages 12+ should attend from 3-5 pm. The cost is \$25 per person. Athletes will learn trout material at this clinic.
- Tryout are \$30 per athlete (nonrefundable). No athlete will be permitted to tryout without registration paperwork and fee.

Tryout Dates:

- May 23 from 6-9 pm for ages 6-11
- May 24 from 6-9 pm for ages 12+
- May 25 from 6-8 pm for all ages (make-up date)
- May 26 from 6-8 pm (call backs as needed)

Results and June/July practice schedules will be messaged to athletes by June 1, 2017. Practices will begin the week of June 4. Final team placements will be decided by July 31. There will be a team reveal at the gym on July 31 (Times TBD). Season practice schedules, competition payment schedules, and tentative competition schedules will be available at the reveal. Team parent meetings will take place in August.

All monthly fees are due the first of each month. Competition fees will be broken into payments. These payments will begin in July and will most likely be finished by January.

Open gyms will be offered throughout the season at \$10 per person.

Classes will be offered monthly for team members at \$35 for the first class and \$25 each additional class.

Starting in June, we will also be offering drop in classes throughout the week. These classes will be pay as you go. Prices and schedule TBD.

Privates are also offered. Price is \$30 per hour (if sharing with one or two athletes). If you choose to do a private lesson by yourself, then the price will be \$45 per hour (starting in June).

Plan Ahead:

- Tumble Clinic with Cheer Extreme's David Petty and Top Gun's Sean Gutzman on July 7-9. Times and prices TBD.
- Also looking at Stunting clinics this summer. More information to come.
- The gym will be closed in the summer from July 1-6 and from July 23-29 (Woodward week).
- Mandatory choreography dates the week of August 14-18 (dates and times TBD).

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2017 – 2018
Registration Form

Name _____ Grade for 2017-2018 _____

Date of Birth _____ Age (as of August 31, 2018) _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cheerleader Cell _____

Mom Cell _____ Dad Cell _____

Cheerleader Email _____

Parent Email _____

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Allergies/Health Concerns: _____

Previous Injuries and/or Illnesses (requiring hospitalization): _____

Insurance Carrier _____

Policy Number _____ Group Number _____

In case of emergency, if parent/guardian cannot be reached, please call:

Contact Name _____ Relationship _____

Contact Number _____

T-shirt size _____ Jacket size _____

Other school/extracurricular commitments: (Include nights if known)

Please photocopy and attach participant's birth certificate to this form (new members only).

Try out Fee \$30 (nonrefundable):

Paid by (cash or check) on _____. Check # _____

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Liability waiver/Photo Release Form

I give my child, _____, permission to participate in the Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading Program for the 2017-2018 competitive season.

I understand that with any competitive sport there are inherent risks involved, including catastrophic injuries. I agree to hold Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading, Inc. harmless for any injuries/illnesses to my child.

In case of injury or illness, parents/guardians are responsible for all medical treatments and expenses.

I do allow my child's photograph to be taken to be used for the sole purpose of the Pennsylvania Elite Cheerleading, Inc. website and promotional materials.

By signing below, both the participant and I verify that I am the parent or guardian of the participant named above and I have read and understand the conditions of this medical release and photography release form. I further acknowledge that I am fully aware of the dangerous nature of the sport my child is partaking in and will hold only myself liable for any resulting illness or injury (minimal, serious, or catastrophic).

I understand that by signing this form, I am making a yearlong commitment to this program. Failure to complete this commitment results in hardships for my team. I also understand that all my fees paid and all fundraising money is nonrefundable if I decide to no longer be a part of this program. If I am injured and unable to participate for the remainder of the season, my fundraising money can be saved for the next season, but can't be refunded to the participant.

Participant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Please check all that apply below: (While we will consider your choices, they will not be the only factor that determines team placements.)

_____ Half year/ Prep Team

_____ Limited Travel Mini Team

_____ Level 1-2 Team

_____ Level 3-4 Team

_____ Level 5

_____ I am interested in being a crossover. If I am chosen for more than one team, I realize I may practice more nights, and I am responsible for extra competition crossover fees.

_____ If there is enough interest and it fits our competition schedule, we may look to add an aerial sports/acro team. Check here if interested in also doing this.