

Dear Coach (es):

The coaches and cheerleaders of Lake Forest cordially invite you to compete in our 12th annual *Lake Forest Cheer Challenge* Competition. With hosting our competition, we are committed to providing your teams with on time performances, spacious warm up/waiting areas and an organized awards ceremony. Our facilities also accommodate plenty of room for spectator seating, ample parking and ease of movement from the gymnasium to the vendor and food areas.

The competition will be held on **Saturday, February 28, 2026** at Lake Forest High School located at 5407 Killens Pond Road, Felton, DE 19943.

All-Star and Recreational teams will compete in the morning, followed by school and CYM teams in the afternoon. Both sessions will have a non-spring floor in practice and performance areas. An awards ceremony will be held after each session. There will be specialty awards for Best Dance, Best Jumps, Best Stunts, Sportsmanship and Grand Champs. There will also be a tumbling competition and longest held extension/lib. Warm up areas will include mats for stretching, tumble strip and a nine panel practice floor with Bluetooth and auxiliary cord music hook up.

The Lake Forest Cheer Challenge is a qualifying event for the Delaware Spirit Coaches Association State Championship. The rules and regulations regarding all divisions are attached. The liability release is required and can be found in the 8-count system. This will require you to upload your team roster and email your parents. The liability form will be emailed to your parents to complete. *No team will be able to compete without the appropriate release forms*.

Please note that there is an admission fee payable at the door by all spectators. The fees are: \$10 - Adult

\$5 – Student with ID

Free – Under 5 years old

The registration fee for all divisions will be \$175. A \$25 late fee will be assessed if received after 1/31/2025.

All checks should be made payable to *Lake Forest High School* with *Cheerleading* in the memo and send to 5407 Killens Pond Rd, Felton, De 19943. The school's vendor ID number is 9515000090 if paying ACH through the state system. When registering, please send an email with team name, division and number of athletes to assist in our planning while we wait for mail or Ach payment.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jill Rumley/Grace Rumley at 302-228-8479 or jill.rumley@lf.k12.de.us.