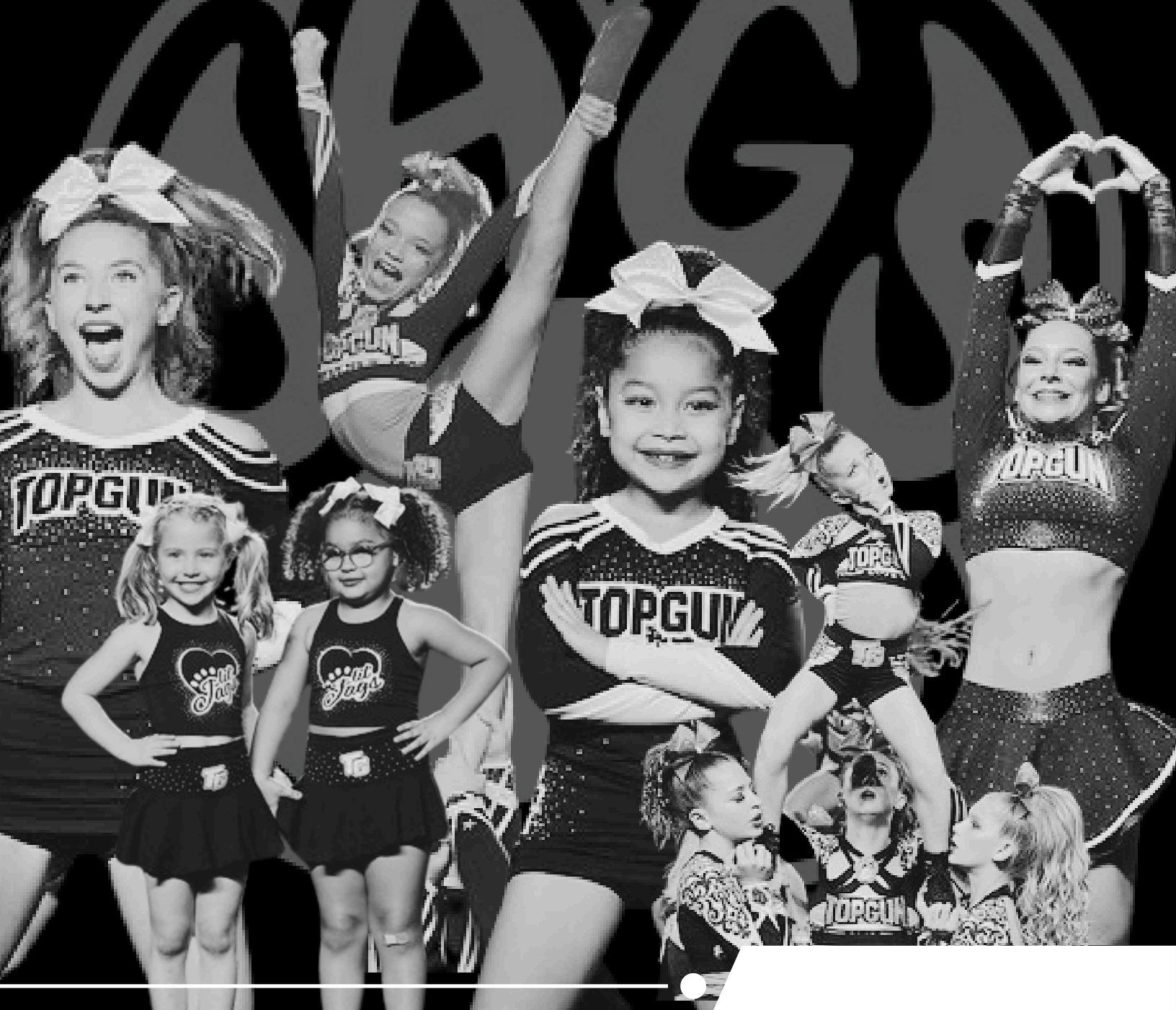




2026-2027 TEAM INFORMATION PACKET





WELCOME TO SEASON 25!

Thank you for your interest in joining the Top Gun family! We look forward to meeting each of you during our clinics and evaluations. Being part of Top Gun is about more than just cheerleading, it's about building confidence, leadership, responsibility, and resilience. It's knowing that we aren't just a gym...we are a family!

AT TOP GUN SOUTHWEST, WE PROVIDE



Training under the direction of some of the most experienced coaches in the country who are all USASF credentialed and background checked



A 20,000 square foot state-of-the-art facility for athletes to train both individually and as a team, designed with safety at the forefront



A “Gold Vibes Only” approach that encourages a positive mindset, serving others, working together, persevering, and celebrating hard work and success.

We have prepared the information in this packet to help each family understand the commitment level that we expect. Please take the time to review this packet thoroughly, as well as the additional team “Policies and Procedures” packet found on our website, and discuss the information with your athlete and family prior to team placements. Together we can have a positive impact on your athlete's life and create lasting memories for the whole family.



TEAM AND DIVISION OFFERINGS

Top Gun Southwest offers teams for athletes aged 4-19 of varying skill levels. Team placements are based on a combination of the athlete's age and abilities. All athletes who complete the evaluation process are guaranteed a place on a team.

Your child's eligible division is based on their birth year and is regulated by our governing body, The U.S. All Star Federation. Below you will find the USASF/Open age grid.

AGE GROUP	ELIGIBLE YEARS	PREFERRED YEARS
TINY NOVICE	2019 - 2021	2019 - 2021
TINY	2019 - 2021	2019 - 2020
MINI	2017-2020	2017-2019
YOUTH	2013-2019	2013 - 2017
JUNIOR	2010-2018	2010-2016
SENIOR	2007 - 2014	2007 - 2014

Our priority is keeping athletes of similar ages together. Athletes will only be placed on an older team if there is a legitimate need that cannot be filled by an age appropriate athlete.



TEAM AND DIVISION OFFERINGS

Top Gun Southwest is proud to offer teams that accommodate all ages and ability levels! Browse the competitive tiers below to find a program that's a good fit for your athlete.

NOVICE TEAMS

The Novice division is an introductory division for those just getting started in All Star cheerleading with beginning tumbling skills. Novice teams typically practice 1-2 hours each week and do not have regular extra practices. Novice teams only attend one-day competitions within the state of Florida. At competitions, they will be given a grade or rating based on their performance.

PREP TEAMS

The Prep divisions are intermediate divisions for athletes with some cheerleading experience. Prep teams practice 2-4 hours each week and have limited extra practices. Prep teams attend some one-day & two-day competitions within the state of Florida. At competitions, they will be ranked competitively based on their performance.

ELITE TEAMS

The Elite divisions are for experienced athletes with advanced tumbling skills. These teams are offered in levels 1-5. Elite teams practice 3-5 hours each week and will have regular extra practices. Elite teams attend one and two-day competitions and travel within the state of Florida with some teams traveling nationally. At competitions, they will be ranked competitively based on their performance.



IMPORTANT DATES

Full Season Teams are a year-round commitment with practices beginning in Early June and continuing until the following April. Attendance is critical to the success of our program and it's important to us that each family understands the commitment they are making before they join one of our teams.

We take attendance very seriously, our full attendance policy can be found in our "Policies and Procedures" document. We are providing you with these important dates now so that you may plan personal activities such as vacations, appointments, and other obligations in a way that does not conflict with these dates. Please note that Top Gun Southwest serves athletes from several different school districts, and we cannot guarantee that our gym closures will correspond with school holidays.

LEVEL STUNT CAMP	JUNE 6-7
SUMMER BREAK	JULY 18-AUGUST 2
ATTENDANCE POLICY STARTS	AUGUST 3
ELITE + PREP STUNT CAMP	AUGUST 15-16
PYRAMID CHOREO	AUGUST 29
THANKSGIVING BREAK	NOVEMBER 23-NOVEMBER 27
WINTER BREAK	DECEMBER 21-JANUARY 3

This schedule is subject to change and may differ based on level and division. The important Dates document will be released in August. Teams should expect 1-2 competitions a month between December and May.



TRAVEL COMMITMENTS

IN STATE TRAVEL TEAMS

Novice, Prep and Select Elite teams are non-travel teams. All competitions will be held within the state of Florida.

TRAVEL TEAMS

Select Elite teams travel in and out of state. Teams will attend most events in-state, however higher level teams will travel out of state at least once per season. A full competition schedule will be released in the fall.

TRAVEL REGULATIONS

A parent, guardian, or adult designee must accompany all minor athletes during team travel. Top Gun Southwest does not arrange transportation for athletes and does not assume responsibility for any athlete while attending competitions. Families may be required to book lodging in certain event-approved hotels as per “stay to play” policies. Specific travel details will be released with the competition schedule.

For athletes traveling out of state; there is an expectation that athletes must be there by 5:00 pm on Friday evening before an event.



ALL STAR TEAM FEES

NOVICE AND PREP

All Star fees are split into one nonrefundable deposit and eleven equal payments. All fees are due on the 10th of each month, beginning June 10th, and families must have a credit card on file. These payments include monthly training, all local, state, and national competition fees, skills camp, choreography, custom music, coaches' fees, and Top Gun licensing fees.

2026-2027 All Star Fees	Tiny Novice	Mini Novice	All Prep Teams
Total Fees for the Season	\$1,940	\$2,040	\$3,400 (New) Returners will receive a \$300 credit
Nonrefundable Deposit Due by 6/1:	\$200	\$200	\$200
Monthly Tuition Rate due 10 th of each month:	\$158 (Cash) \$163 (Portal)	\$167 (Cash) \$172 (Portal)	\$291 (Cash) \$300 (Portal)

What is not included?

- USASF Membership
- Crossover monthly and competition fees for those participating on multiple teams
- Flyers are required to take part in a flyer training program billed monthly
- Personal Travel & Spectator Costs for events
- End of Season Event



ALL STAR TEAM FEES

Elite Level Athletes

All Star fees are split into one nonrefundable deposit and eleven equal payments. All fees are due on the 10th of each month, beginning June 10th, and families must have a credit card on file. These payments include monthly training, all local, state, and national competition fees, skills camp, choreography, custom music, coaches' fees, and Top Gun licensing fees.

2026-2027 All Star Fees	Elite Level 1- Youth 2	Elite Junior 2- Level 4	Elite Level 5
Total Fees for the Season	\$4,550 (New) Returners will receive a \$510 credit	\$4,935 (New) Returners will receive a \$510 credit	\$5,375 *New uniform year*
Nonrefundable Deposit Due by 6/2:	\$300	\$400	\$400
Monthly Tuition Rate due 10th of each month:	\$386 (Cash) \$398 (Portal)	\$412 (Cash) \$425 (Portal)	\$452 (Cash) \$466 (Portal)

What is not included?

- USASF Membership
- Crossover monthly and competition fees for those participating on multiple teams
- Flyers are required to take part in a flyer training program billed monthly
- Personal Travel & Spectator Costs for events
- End Of Season Costs (All Star Worlds)



2026-2027 Payment Form

TUITION PAYMENT OPTIONS & POLICY

Tuition rates vary depending on the payment method selected. By choosing a payment option below, you are agreeing to that payment method for the full cheer season.

IMPORTANT PAYMENT POLICY

- Payments are due by the 10th of each month
- If a payment is not received by the 10th using the selected "Cash/CK" option, the account will automatically be converted to the "Portal" payment rate.
- Once an account is switched to the "Portal" rate, it cannot be switched back to the "Cash/CK" rate for the remainder of the season.
- Failure to turn in this form by 5/29/26 will result in "Portal" rate for tuition.
- All athletes must maintain a current payment method on file in iClassPro.
- Late payments & Returned Check Fees will receive a \$25 charge.

OPTION 1

"CASH/CK" TUITION RATE

Payment are collected in the black box located in the proshop and may be made by:

- Cash
- Check
- This method DOES NOT include eCheck

Cash/Check Requirements:

- Cash Payments must be placed in a sealed envelope clearly labeled with:
 - Athlete's full name & Team name
- Checks must include the athlete's full name in the memo line

OPTION 2

"PORTAL" TUITION RATE

Payments are processed electronically through iClassPro using:

- Credit Card
- Debit Card
- ECheck/Bank Account

Portal Requirements:

- A valid payment method must remain saved on the athlete's iClassPro account at all times

ATHLETE'S NAME(S): _____

TEAM NAME(S): _____

SECLECTED PAYMENT OPTION:

CASH

PORTAL

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____