



LEGENDS CHEER ELITE

2021-2022 Packet

Loyalty. Character. Excellence.



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ABOUT US

Thank you for showing interest in Legends Cheer Elite Competitive Cheerleading Program. Legends has been open since 2018 with a reputation for excellence! We are excited that you are considering joining us for Season 4. No matter the age or skill level of your child, we have a program for them.



We have all the components needed to help your child succeed, from the best instructors!

Legends Cheer Elite Program Comparison

	Half Season All Stars Novice Teams Ages 3-12	Full Season All Stars Prep Teams Ages 5-18	Full Season All Stars Elite Teams Ages 5-18	Open Level All Star Elite Teams Ages 13 & Up	CheerAbilities Elite Team Ages 5-21
Season	Session 1: Sep – Dec Session 2: Jan - April	June- March	June- May	June - May	Sept- April
Practices	Team Practices 1 hour per week.	Team Practices 2 hours per week in the summer and 3 hours per week Sept- April Discounted Tumbling Classes	Team Practices 3 hours per week in the summer and 4 hours per week Sept- May. Discounted Tumbling Classes	Team Practices 3 hours per week in the summer and 4 hours per week Sept- May. Discounted Tumbling Classes	Team Practices 1 day a week for 1-2 hours
Uniforms	\$125 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow	\$350 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow Rebel Cheer Shoes-\$75	New Athletes-\$450 Top/Bottom \$25 Hair Cuff Rebel Cheer Shoes-\$75	New Athletes-\$450 Top/Bottom \$25 Hair Cuff Rebel Cheer Shoes-\$75	\$350 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow
Competitions	1 - Local Showcase 1 - Exhibition Event - Within 1.5 hours of the gym.	4 to 5 - One Day Events within 4-6 hours of the gym	4 - Two Day Events 2 - One Day Events *Required Travel	4 - Two Day Events 2 - One Day Events or World Cup Race Events *Required Travel	2-3 One Day Events 1-2 Two Day Events within 4 hours of the gym
Additional Information	All White Cheer Shoe of your choice required. No Tryout Required.	Evaluation Required to ensure proper placement. Everyone makes a team. Stunt Choreography Camp July Routine Choreography Camp September	Evaluation Required Skills Maintenance Stunt Choreography Camp July Routine Choreography Camp September		All White Cheer Shoe of your choice required. No Tryout Required. Choreography Camp October

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EVALUATIONS

How do Evaluations work?

- Athletes will register for “2021-2022 Team Interest Camp” and any athletes that needs a tumbling evaluation will sign up for a day in the correct age range.
- All new athletes must sign up for a tumbling evaluation. Returning athletes must sign up if they are wanting to certify to a level not already evaluated.
- During the evaluation, the athlete will come in and perform their skills for coaches.
- Level Placements will be announced on Saturday May 29th. Athletes will practice in levels until team placements are announced on June 9th.

2021-2022 Evaluation Info

Tumbling Evaluations Fee: \$25	Wednesday May 27th	Age 12 & below– 5:00pm to 6:30pm Age 13 & Up 6:30 to 8pm
Tumbling Evaluations Fee: \$25	Thursday May 28th	Age 12 & below– 5:00pm to 6:30pm Age 13 & Up 6:30 to 8pm
All athletes will be required to have an “All-star Team Tumbling Evaluation” on file to be placed on a team. Practice will start Tuesday 1st		



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TEAM PLACEMENT

AGES:

Age group eligibility for the 2021-2022 season is based on birth year not actual age for USASF events. The following age groups are to be used for reference only. Full grid can be found on USASF athlete profile.

DIVISIONS	TARGET AGES	USASF ATHLETE BIRTH YEAR ("x" indicates eligible for that division)																		
		2000 or before	1/1/2001-5/31/2001	6/1/2001-12/31/2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	1/1/2017-6/1/2017
Senior Open(L4/L5/L6)	13+	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x										
Senior (L6)	13-18			x	x	x	x	x	x	x										
Senior (L1-5)	12-18			x	x	x	x	x	x	x										
Junior (L5-6)	9-15							x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Junior (L4)	8-15							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Junior (L1-3)	6-15							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
Youth (L5)	9-11											x	x	x	x					
Youth (L4)	8-11											x	x	x	x					
Youth (L1-3)	5-11											x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Mini (L1-2)	5-8													x	x	x	x	x		
Tiny (L1)	5-6															x	x	x		

PLACEMENT:

There may be athletes on any given team that tumble at different levels than the rest of their teammates. We try to match up all the athletes by level as best as we can, keep in mind that stunting, pyramids, jumps, dance, and motions are also a huge factor that can impact placements as well. Some athletes will be stronger tumblers than others, while some will contribute to stunting more than others. Creating a team is like a giant puzzle we need to make sure everyone fits together perfect. Every athlete is placed on the team which we think they will be the most successful.



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TEAM PROGRAMS

	ALL STAR NOVICE 1/2 SEASON AGES 3-12	ALL STAR PREP TEAMS AGES 5-18	ALL STAR ELITE TEAMS AGES 6 & UP	CHEERABILITIES TEAMS AGES 5-21
TUITION	\$500 or \$125 per month for 4 months	\$900 Payment plan of \$90 per month for 10 months (June - March) is available	\$1500 Payment plan of \$125 per month for 12 months (June - May) is available	\$800 Payment plan of \$100 per month for 8 months (Aug-March) is available
ASSESSMENTS	NA	\$1000 Payment plan of \$100 per month for 10 months (June - March) is available.	\$1700 Payment Plan of \$155 per month for 11 months (June - April) is available.	NA
UNIFORMS	\$125 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow	New Athletes - \$350 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow Rebel Cheer Shoes-\$75	New Athletes-\$450 Includes: Top (\$300) & Bottom (\$150) \$25 Hair Cuff Rebel Cheer Shoes-\$75	New Athletes - \$350 Includes: Top, Bottom, Bow
ADDITIONAL FEES	All White Cheer Shoes are required. \$40 Annual Gym Registration Fee \$30 USASF Membership Fee (Paid to USASF) \$50 Booster Club Fee to LCBI	\$150 Commitment Fee includes (Annual Gym Registration Fee, Team Practice wear, etc.) \$30 USASF Membership Fee (Paid to USASF) \$50 Booster Club Fee to LCBI **National Fees not included	\$150 Commitment Fee includes (Annual Gym Registration Fee, Team Practice wear, etc.) \$30 USASF Membership Fee (Paid to USASF) \$50 Booster Club Fee to LCBI **Summit/Worlds Fees not included. ***Worlds Teams have additional \$300 Assessment Fee	All White Cheer Shoes are required. \$40 Annual Gym Registration Fee \$30 USASF Membership Fee (Paid to USASF) \$50 Booster Club Fee to LCBI ** (Worlds Fees not included)

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WHEN IS THE GYM CLOSED?

- Independence Day- June 28th- July 4th
- Summer Break – August 8th – August 14th
- Labor Day September 5th & 6th
- Halloween
- Thanksgiving Break November 24th – 26th
- Christmas Break December 18th – 26th
- New Year’s Eve and Day
- Easter Break April 15th – 18th
- Memorial Day

WHEN IS STUNT AND CHOREOGRAPHY CAMP?

Stunt Camp:

- July 19th- 20th (Mandatory Attendance)
- Exact times and dates will be sent out with team placements.

Choreography:

September 12th to 18th

- Choreography is mandatory for all team members.
- Each team has 2-3 days of choreography for 3-5 hours at a time.
- Exact times and dates will be sent out in July.

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES:

- Program Pics: TBA in July
- Purple Preview – TBA in July
- Gold Gala Hosted by LBCI – April

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING TO EVALUATIONS?

We look forward to working with your child at our upcoming tryouts. Be sure to arrive with these items to expedite the process, please have the following forms completed:

- \$150 Commitment Fee
- Completed Evaluation Forms
- Team Agreement
- Participation Form
 - Forms can be found online.
 - No athlete will be allowed to be placed in level practices without these forms completed.

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER I SIGN UP FOR EVALUATIONS OUT NOW WHAT?

- After you signs up for 2021-2022 Team under camps in our parent portal.
- You will need to have a tumbling evaluation on file, previous athletes will have a tumbling evaluation already on file.
- If you are new athlete to Legends’ team program or wanting to increase your certified level, then you need to sign up for a tumbling evaluation.
- All team documents are due by June 1st.
- Athletes will be placed in a level practice for the month of June.
- At the end of June athletes will be sorted on to teams based on the strongest teams Legends can build.
- Athletes will receive an email from the coaches to tell them what level or level practices they are to attend and later what team they have been assigned to.
- Remember you are signing up for a spot on a Legends Team, not for a specific team.

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 we will 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 or weeks prior to competition. Athletes who miss a practice during these weeks will not be eligible to compete at the competition that week. Regardless of the absence reasoning.

WHERE CAN I FIND AN ABSENCE REQUEST?

All our forms can be found on your team's BAND 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 athlete's injury and status. Athletes need a doctor's note to sit out of more than two practices.

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 Legends 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 Legends 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 Legends Cheer Elite belongs to the owner of the program. You cannot sell or create your own Legends apparel or other items. This includes team names and any likeness to logo, affiliation and or program without the written permission of Legends Cheer Elite, LLC.

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

COMMUNICATION

- As a parent, you will receive information via your Program, Team BAND Group and email.

Booster Club and Fundraising

- Legends Cheer Elite has partner with LCBI and 3C to offer fundraisings to offset a family's cost for cheer.
- All Legends team athlete are required to be member of the LCBI booster, this is a \$50 fee. LCBI host social events, Gold Gala and helps provide access to 3C with this fee. Each team will also help with one community event planned by LCBI.
- 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.
- Payments are still due by dates even when working fundraiser.
- Any surplus in fundraising credits can be applied to classes, teams, and merchandise.
- Refund checks cannot be issued in the event of a surplus.

FEES

- A schedule of payments is listed in this handbook. All monthly payments are set up in iClass and come out automatically on the 1st and 20th of the month. If you choose to make a payment and not have your designated card, you must bring a check to

The following agreements will need to be signed by the first practice and are available online.

- *Liability Waiver*
- *Participation Form*
- *Financial Agreement*
- *Policy Agreement*

the for desk by the business day before the automatic withdraw of each month. Credit and debit card payments will have a 3% convenience fee. Please make all checks payable to Legends Cheer Elite.

- A late fee of \$25 will be assessed for all payments made after the 5th and 25th of each month. If your payment is declined from your bank, please make the payment immediately at the desk or via iClass. There is a \$35 fee for returned payments.
- Monthly Tuition payments are due on the 1st. The first payment is June 1st, and the last payment is April 1st.
- Monthly tuition is not pro-rated for any reason.
- Assessment Fee payments are due on the 20th. The first payment is June 20th, and the last payment is April 20th.
- 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 and 25th of each month, your account must be up to date.

Value

It is important to us that every athlete learns how to truly embody Loyalty, Character, and Excellence. That these values shine through not just in gym but in every part of their lives.

Your dedication and support is just as important to us as your child.

We encourage all parents to sit together and cheer on Legends teams at competitions. We also suggest you show up wearing Legends apparel to support the athletes.

FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

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. Meaning June tuition is due June 1st. Tuition is set up and automatically drafted through iClass each month.

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 20th 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. They can be purchased on the Legends Cheer Elite Pro-Shop found on our website. White 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 and the 25th 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, assessments, fees, etc. as outlined in this packet.

I understand that if I leave the program prior to my teams' end of the year competition or before May 16th, 2022, I am subject to a \$550 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 Legends Cheer Elite 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

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.

I understand that the above card will be billed for my ASSESSMENTS on the 20th of each month.

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

Please use my card to pay for my ASSESSMENTS 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 May 15th, 2022.

POLICY AGREEMENT

Legends Cheer Elite, LLC
Please Read, Initial and Sign
Fees, Payments and Policies

1. The Cheer Season is a commitment Half Season Team (September 2021-December 2021 or January 2022-April 2022) Full Season Prep (June 2021-April 2022) Full Season Elite (June 2021-May 2022).
2. All Legends Cheer Elite customers are required to have a card set up in iClass for all payments. All tuition is ran on the 1st and assessments are ran on the 20th 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 to participate in any event. All fees are 100% Non-Refundable for any reason.
5. If you chose to pay your Assessments in full and choose to discontinue anytime from June 2020 to May 2021, your fees are Non-Refundable. The \$550 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 Legends Services or Goods. NO REFUNDS will be given. Remember you are signing up for a spot on a Legends team, not for a specific team or position.
6. I understand that if my child decides to quit the Legends Cheer Elite team 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 July 1st, 2021 to the end of the competition season May 16th, 2022, I will be charged a \$550 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 2021-2022 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.
9. Legends will issue a list of "Black Out Weeks" during said black out weeks, any missed practices will result in the athlete not being able to compete at the next competition. No competition fee refunds will be given for missing a competition week practice.
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 8:45pm, as this requires coaches and staff to work past their set hours.

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12. Fundraising- All fundraisers facilitated are individual, unless otherwise noted. We will apply credits to your accounts. Most all fundraiser will be ran through LCBI, in accordance with our partnership. Any surplus of credits from fundraisers can be used towards any services or products Legends Cheer Elite offers. Funds cannot 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 Legends member I am not allowed to use the Legends Logo and make my own Legends merchandise. I cannot sell or create your own Legends Cheer Elite apparel or merchandise. I also understand I am not allowed to contact any vendors on behalf of Legends Cheer Elite, 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 tied back. Some teams may change their days based on the teams practice days check with your child's team BAND 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 cannot 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 or, 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 Wild Card, At Large or Paid bids. If a team accepts a Wild Card or At Large Bid, they will be responsible for the Summit or Worlds Fees, practice wear, coaches' fees, etc. 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: