

# Bayou City Cheer and Dance

## Season 3- Half Season

### Competitive Rec Cheer (Ages 6-16)

Commitment Fee	\$150- (Registration \$75) (Brand Apparel \$75)
Uniform	\$150 Includes Top, Skirt, Bow, Warm-Up
Gym Fee	\$85 Monthly (January 2024-April 2024)

### Show Cheer Fees (Ages 3-6)

Commitment Fee	\$150- (Registration \$75) (Brand Apparel \$75)
Uniform	\$150 Includes Top, Skirt, Bow, Warm-Up
Gym Fee	\$50 Monthly (January 2024- April 2024)

### Competitive Dance (Ages 6-16)

Commitment Fee	\$150- (Registration \$75) (Brand Apparel \$75)
Costume	\$80 Per Routine
Gym Fee	\$75 Monthly (July 2023-April 2024)

*\*Commitment Fee is nonrefundable*

### Due Dates

- Monthly Gym Fees - Due 10th of the Month
- Registration- 01/05/2024
  - \$25 Discount if Registered by 12/15/2023
- Cheer Uniform- 01/05/2024
- Competition Fees- Due

### Additional Financial Commitments

- Cheer Shoes/ Dance Shoes
- Team Jersey/ Spirit Wear (Optional)
- Make-Up and Make-Up Bag
- Backpack (Optional)
- Team Outing/Activities

### Competition Cost To Consider

- Each competition can cost \$75-\$100 per routine and (\$55-\$80 for Show Teams)
- Competition travel is the responsibility of the families. Including transportation and lodging.
- Competition entrance fees

### \*Camp

In January some of the girls will have the opportunity to attend camp at Camp Cullen. We will focus on building confidence and team bonding. More information to come including cost.

### Fundraisers

Fundraisers are not mandatory but they are an option for parents to help offset season costs.

- Double Good Popcorn- 1/11/2024
- Deanan Popcorn 03/2024
- Showcase 04/06/202

**Performance and Competitions Schedule (Tentative)**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Competition</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Brand</b>
1/15/24	MLK Parade	Houston, TX	Performance
2/3/2024	Houston Money Madness	Houston, TX	Redline
2/11/24	Battle on The Bayou	New Orleans, LA	Pulse Spirit Events
2/17/24	Next Level Nationals Texas	Houston, TX	All Out Brands
3/3/24	Rec Finale	Houston, TX	Cheer America
3/9/24	Six Flags Fiesta Texas SpiritFest 2024	San Antonio, TX	Midwest Cheer & Dance
3/23/24	Texas Grand Nationals	Frisco, TX	Redline
5/4-5/5	The One Finals	Las Vegas, NV	The One

*\*All teams will not attend every competition.*

**Competitions-** *(Above schedule is tentative)*

- Local competitions are mandatory.
- When you register please confirm which competitions you can commit to. This will influence team placement.

If we are invited to additional competitions and performances we will consult with parents before committing.

**Golden Tickets-** earned to the ONE Finals! How do you earn these?

- Positive Attitude during practice and competition
- Performance during practice and competitions
- Good Behavior at practice and competition
- Attendance to practice and competition
- Appearance at practice and competition

# Expectations

## **Practice Expectations**

- Please wear BCD apparel or all black athletic clothes
- Please arrive on time and no more than 20 minutes late.
- If your child must be late please notify a coach as soon as possible.
- Hair must be out of child's face when they arrive to practice and no jewelry
- The week leading to competition, practice is MANDATORY or your daughter risks not performing and registration fees will not be refunded.
- PRACTICE LIKE A CHAMPION!

*Each cheerleader/ dancer understands practice is mandatory and just as important as the performance. This time will not be used as a social time but to give 100% effort to the team and coaches. Every girl is expected to pay attention, listen to coaches, and do her best.*

## **Competition Expectation**

- Arrive for competition at the scheduled arrival time.
- If it is a travel competition cheerleader/ dancer must arrive on the scheduled day.
- Cheerleader/Dancer must wear the hairstyle the team will wear for competition
- Cheerleader/Dancer must wear the team performance make-up.
- Parents must accompany their child for travel competitions unless arrangements are made.

## **Attendance Expectations**

Competitive cheer and dance requires a significant time commitment. We require all girls to participate in the scheduled practices and competitions unless prior arrangements have been made with the coaches for non-participation.

## **Expectation of Cheerleader/ Dancer**

- All participants are expected to be a positive role model and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy. In addition, they must demonstrate positive support for teammates, coaches, officials, players and spectators at every gathering or event.
- Each cheerleader/dancer will conduct themselves in a respectful manner in regards to coaches, teammates, and others. This includes speech, actions, and attitude. Including but not limited to practices, competitions, and community events.
- Cheerleaders/ Dancers will not post negative comments on any website or in chat rooms about teammates, coaches, officials, other teams, spectators, etc (i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, SnapChat, etc.)
- NO GOSSIP ALLOWED!!! No gossip about teammates; No gossip about other teams; No gossip about coaches, cheer families, or board members...Leave the drama at the door!

## **Expectation of Parents**

- If there is an issue please email/text/ message Coach Erica to discuss.
- Do not question or confront coaches in front of the athletes or parents, but rather take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
- Please check your emails and team app for updates and information. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to know what is going on with your child's team.
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## **Disciplinary Policy**

First Offense- Conversation with child

Second Offense- Meeting with parent and child

Third Offense- Suspension from practice

Fourth Offense- Suspension from competition

Fifth Offense- Dismissal from the team