

🐻 Creekview Comp Youth Cheer 🐻



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CREEKVIEW COMP YOUTH CHEER

RULES & GUIDELINES

EXPECTATIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES

♥ Program Purpose

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer is a youth competitive cheer program designed to provide a structured, positive, and age-appropriate environment for athletes. The program emphasizes skill development, teamwork, accountability, and school pride while fostering a love for competitive cheer.

Participation in this program requires commitment, respect, and cooperation from **both athletes and families**.

★ Core Values

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer emphasizes the development of character alongside athletic skills. The following values are modeled, discussed, and reinforced throughout the season:

- Leadership
- Integrity
- Kindness
- Sportsmanship
- Perseverance
- Commitment

These values are expected to be reflected in athlete behavior at practices, competitions, and events.

Athlete Responsibilities

Athletes are expected to:

- Attend practices and events prepared and ready to participate
 - Learn and perform the assigned competition routine
 - Maintain and safely perform skills demonstrated during evaluations
 - Follow all coach instructions promptly and respectfully
 - Support and encourage teammates
 - Demonstrate positive sportsmanship at all times
 - Represent Creekview Comp Youth Cheer with pride on and off the mat
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Behavior Expectations (Athletes & Parents)

Athletes **and parents/guardians** are expected to treat all coaches, team parents, staff, and fellow athletes with courtesy, kindness, and respect at all times.

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer maintains a **zero-tolerance policy** for inappropriate behavior, including but not limited to:

- Bullying
- Arguing
- Fighting
- Gossiping
- Slander or negative talk

Athletes are expected to support and encourage every teammate, contributing to a **safe, positive, and welcoming environment**. Parents and guardians are expected to model these same standards in all interactions, both in person and online.

Team Responsibility & Accountability

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer follows a “**no-fault**” team philosophy:


Never blame teammates. Competitive cheer requires teamwork, trust, and shared responsibility. Successes and challenges belong to the entire team.

Blaming teammates, negative comments, or undermining team unity is not acceptable and will be addressed to protect the safety and culture of the program.

Appearance & Safety Standards

For safety and consistency, athletes are expected to:

- Wear designated practice attire
- Secure hair safely away from the face
- Maintain short, clean nails ,no color (for comps)
- Follow all uniform and appearance guidelines

 **Jewelry is not permitted** during practices, performances, or competitions. Medical devices are permitted as needed.

Safety Expectations

Athlete safety is a top priority.

Athletes are expected to:

- Attempt only skills they are cleared to perform
 - Follow all safety instructions
 - Immediately report injuries or concerns
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Policy Violations

Violations of these expectations by **an athlete or a parent/guardian** may result in corrective action, including but not limited to:

- Temporary removal of the athlete from the practice or competition floor
- Suspension from program activities
- Removal of the athlete from the program

Corrective action will be taken as necessary to maintain the safety, integrity, and positive culture of Creekview Comp Youth Cheer.

Important Note

Behavior expectations apply to **all program-related activities**, including practices, competitions, events, travel, and communication (in person, digital, and on social media).

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Athlete Information Form





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ATTENDANCE POLICY

Attendance Philosophy

Attendance is essential to the safety, success, and overall experience of the team. Competitive cheer relies on precise timing, formations, and trust between athletes. When an athlete is absent, late, or leaves early, it impacts the entire team's ability to practice and perform safely.

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer expects athletes and families to commit to consistent attendance throughout the season.

WE ABSOLUTELY UNDERSTAND, SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE SUMMER VACATIONS!
NO WORRIES THERE!

Practice, Event & Competition Attendance

Athletes are expected to attend:

- All scheduled practices
- All competitions
- All mandatory practices, meetings, events, and team activities

Upon arrival, athletes are expected to:

- Be dressed and ready to participate (Shoes on , hair up in a bow, no jewelry)
- Assist teammates with setting up (preparing the space) Phones away, waters on the floor
- Begin stretching and warm-ups with the team

Summer Attendance

Athletes are expected to attend all summer practices and workouts. Skills, routines, and material taught during the summer will be required knowledge once the season progresses.

Summer attendance is critical for:

- Skill development

- Routine progress
 - Team safety and preparedness
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Competitions & Mandatory Dates

Athletes must attend **all competitions and mandatory dates** during the season. Dates may occasionally change, and additional practices may be added as needed to support team readiness and safety.

Attendance at competitions and mandatory events is required.

Injuries, Illness & Emergencies

If an athlete is unable to participate due to illness or injury, families are expected to communicate as soon as possible.

When appropriate, injured athletes may be expected to attend practices, competitions, or events to observe, support the team, and remain informed of changes.

In the event of an emergency affecting attendance, a parent or guardian must contact program leadership **immediately** to discuss next steps.

General rule of thumb, fever or active throwing up, they can stay home, *some exceptions*. Injury, they are required to attend. If the athletes need modification for an injury, more than one-two practices, we will need a doctors note to know how to proceed . To protect the team, any injuries with in two weeks of a performance, may require adjustments to the routine.

Schedule Conflicts & Outside Commitments

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer understands that athletes may participate in other cheer programs, including **All-Star cheer**, and we aim to work collaboratively whenever possible.

However, athletes are expected to **prioritize Creekview Competition Cheer during the school cheer season**, which typically runs **June through October**.

Key expectations include:

- School cheer takes priority when conflicts arise during the season
- During the summer, conflicts will be reviewed on a **case-by-case basis**, based on the importance of each event. For example, our stunt camp/ choreography would be held

higher than another team practice, and vice versa.

- Missed time may be split between teams when appropriate must be approved.
- **Choreography and stunt camps are prioritized for all teams**
- **Creekview stunt camp and choreography are mandatory for all athletes**

 **Important Scheduling Note:**

Once the school year begins, **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer practice time will not be shared with another team or program.** Athletes are expected to attend the **full duration of all scheduled practices.**

While communication may occur around choreography scheduling, athletes will **not be released early from Creekview practices** to attend practices for other teams.

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer **cannot accommodate conflicts with non-cheer sports or activities.** Families should plan appointments, tutoring, meetings, and outside commitments outside of practice times whenever possible.

 **Attendance Accountability**

It is expected that Creekview Comp Youth Cheer is a priority when scheduling conflicts arise due to:

- All-Star practices
- Tutoring
- Appointments
- Club meetings or outside commitments

Repeated absences, tardiness, early departures, or failure to meet attendance expectations may impact:

- Routine placement
- Skill progression
- Performance opportunities
- Continued participation on the team

Attendance concerns will be addressed through communication with families to support athlete success and team safety.

Excused Absences

Excused absences include the following circumstances:

- Death in the immediate family
- Personal illness with a doctor's note
- Graded school performances with a note from a teacher stating the required arrival or performance time

Documentation may be required to verify excused absences.

Special Absence (One Per Season)

Each athlete may request one (1) special absence per season. This absence is intended to allow families to attend important life events such as:

- Family weddings
- Baptisms

Important Guidelines:

- This absence may not occur within two (2) weeks of a performance
- This absence is not a “freebie” and is not intended for:
 - Birthday parties
 - Family dinners
 - Social events or casual outings
- All special absences must be approved in advance
- Approval is not guaranteed and is at the discretion of the coach and director/co-director

Submission Process:

- Requests must be submitted using the ABSENCE Google Form(this is for summer vaca and special request)

Fall Break Note:

Creekview Comp Youth Cheer will not hold regular practices during Fall Break; however, athletes should be aware that an event or competition may occur on the first Saturday of Fall Break.

Unexcused Absences

Any absence that does not meet the requirements of an Excused or Special Absence will be considered unexcused.

Absence Accountability Note

Repeated unexcused absences or failure to follow attendance procedures may impact:

- Routine placement
 - Performance opportunities (as well as conditioning at practice)
 - Continued participation in the program
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Final Attendance Note

Attendance policies are in place to protect athlete safety, financial investment, promote fairness, and support team success. Clear communication, commitment, and accountability from families are essential to maintaining a positive and productive program environment.

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K-2 FEE SCHEDULE

Program Fees

The following fees support the operation of the Creekview Comp Youth Cheer program. All fees are subject to change based on final team size, competition schedule, and program needs.

 **Program Fee \$30**

Due upon Sign ups

 **K-2 Estimated Comp Dues \$456 (Paid over May, June & July)\$152 each month**

 **Practice T-Shirt \$20 Due May**

 **Uniform Fees Due May**

We will be using a performance outfit! \$75 or under!

 **Booster Fee \$75 Due May**

Breakdown of fees:

- Comp Dues Include: (Practice space, Music, Choreography, Bow, Entry fees,Coaches Fee)
- Uniforms are yours to keep
- Booster Fee covers admin fees, insurance etc.

Our events will be the friends and family showcase Sept 5th, and a Gym performance!



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3-5 FEE SCHEDULE

Program Fees

The following fees support the operation of the Creekview Comp Youth Cheer program. All fees are subject to change based on final team size, competition schedule, and program needs.

Program Fee \$30

Due upon sign up

3-5 Estimated Comp Dues \$555 (Paid over May, June & July)\$185 each

Practice T-Shirt \$20 Due May

Uniform Fees Due May

(Uniform costs vary based on athlete participation, as we are using the same uniform as sideline, and adding a liner, If you are not doing sideline, you will need to purchase the uniform)

Sideline + Competitive Athlete (Liner Only)

\$40

Booster Fee \$75 Due May

Breakdown of fees:

- Comp Dues Include: (Practice space, Music, Choreography, Bow, Entry fees,Coaches Fee)
- Uniforms are yours to keep
- Booster Fee covers admin fees, insurance etc.

Our Events will be the friends and family showcase, 1 Sat am competition, and Oct 10th Creekview Classic!



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Cheerleader Agreement

I, _____, have read, understand, and agree to follow the **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer Rules & Guidelines**, including all expectations, responsibilities, and policies outlined for the program.

I understand that participation in Creekview Comp Youth Cheer requires commitment, accountability, and respect for coaches, teammates, staff, and families. I agree to represent Creekview Comp Youth Cheer with pride and to conduct myself in a manner that supports a positive, safe, and respectful team environment.

I understand and agree that failure to abide by the Rules & Guidelines, expectations, responsibilities, and policies may result in corrective action, including removal from practices, performances, competitions, or the program if necessary.

I acknowledge and agree to the time commitment required to participate in Creekview Comp Youth Cheer and agree to be governed by the expectations, responsibilities, and policies outlined in the **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer Rules & Guidelines**, as well as applicable school and district conduct standards.

Cheerleader Signature

Date

Parent / Guardian Agreement

I, _____, am the parent or legal guardian of the above-named athlete and give permission for my child to participate in **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer**.

I have read, understand, and agree to support and uphold the **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer Rules & Guidelines**, including all expectations, responsibilities, and policies outlined for the program.

I understand and agree that failure by **my child or myself** to abide by the Rules & Guidelines, expectations, responsibilities, and policies may result in corrective action, including the removal of my child from practices, performances, competitions, or the program if necessary.

I acknowledge and agree to the time commitment required from both my child and myself and agree to honor all program expectations throughout the season.

I further understand and agree to all **financial obligations** associated with Creekview Comp Youth Cheer, as outlined in the program's fee schedule and financial policies.

I agree to allow my child to participate in Creekview Comp Youth Cheer and to be governed by the expectations, responsibilities, and policies outlined in the **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer Rules & Guidelines**, as well as applicable school and district conduct standards.

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date

Photo & Video Release

I grant permission for **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer** to photograph and/or record my child during participation in program activities, including practices, competitions, performances, and events.

I understand that these photos and videos may be used for promotional, educational, and informational purposes, including but not limited to:

- Program websites and social media platforms
- Printed and digital promotional materials
- Program marketing and communications

I further grant permission for **TAG Athletics** to use photos and videos taken during Creekview Comp Youth Cheer activities **to promote school cheer and recreational cheer programs**, including facility and cheer-related promotion.

I release and hold harmless Creekview Comp Youth Cheer and TAG Athletics from any claims related to the use of such images.

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date

Medical Authorization & Liability Release

I acknowledge the inherent risks associated with cheerleading and voluntarily assume all risks related to my child's participation in **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer**, including practices, competitions, performances, events, and travel.

I hereby waive, release, and hold harmless **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer, TAG Athletics**, and their directors, coaches, staff, volunteers, and representatives from any and all claims for injury, illness, or death arising from participation in program activities.

I authorize program representatives to seek emergency medical treatment for my child if necessary. I grant permission for emergency medical personnel to administer treatment as needed. I understand that my child will be transported to the nearest medical facility in the event of a serious or life-threatening emergency.

I understand that my child must have health insurance and that I am financially responsible for any medical expenses incurred.

I grant permission for disclosed medical conditions, allergies, or health concerns to be shared with program leadership and staff as necessary to ensure athlete safety.

Insurance Company: _____ **Insurance Phone Number** _____

Primary Insured Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Policy / Member ID: _____

Group Number: _____

Medical conditions, allergies and emergency contact are listed on Cheerleader info form.

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date

Final Acknowledgment

This agreement applies to all Creekview Comp Youth Cheer-related activities and remains in effect for the duration of my child's participation in the program.

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Tryout Eligibility Checklist – Fall 2026 Season


To be eligible to participate in **Creekview Comp Youth Cheer tryouts for the Fall 2026 season**, all of the following items must be completed:

- Registered for Creekview Comp Youth Cheer – Fall 2026** (*Google Doc*)
- Completed online tryout registration** (*Google Doc*)

Submitted all required documents

 *Emailed to creekviewcompyouth@gmail.com*

OR

 *Turned in to the front office at TAG Athletics*

Required signed documents include:

- Cheerleader & Parent Agreement
- Photo & Video Release
- Medical & Liability Release

Completed a current GHSA Physical

(Physical must be valid for the Fall 2026 season)

Created an account at  www.tagathletics.com

(Creating an account completes the required TAG Athletics waiver, if you have an account you can skip this step)

Completed the Cheerleader Information Google Form

Read and reviewed the Rules & Guidelines (Expectations & Responsibilities and Attendance)

Read and reviewed the Fee Schedule & Financial Requirements

Important Note

Athletes will only be permitted to participate in tryouts once **all items above are completed and submitted**. Incomplete registrations may delay or prevent tryout participation.

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Go Grizzlies!   