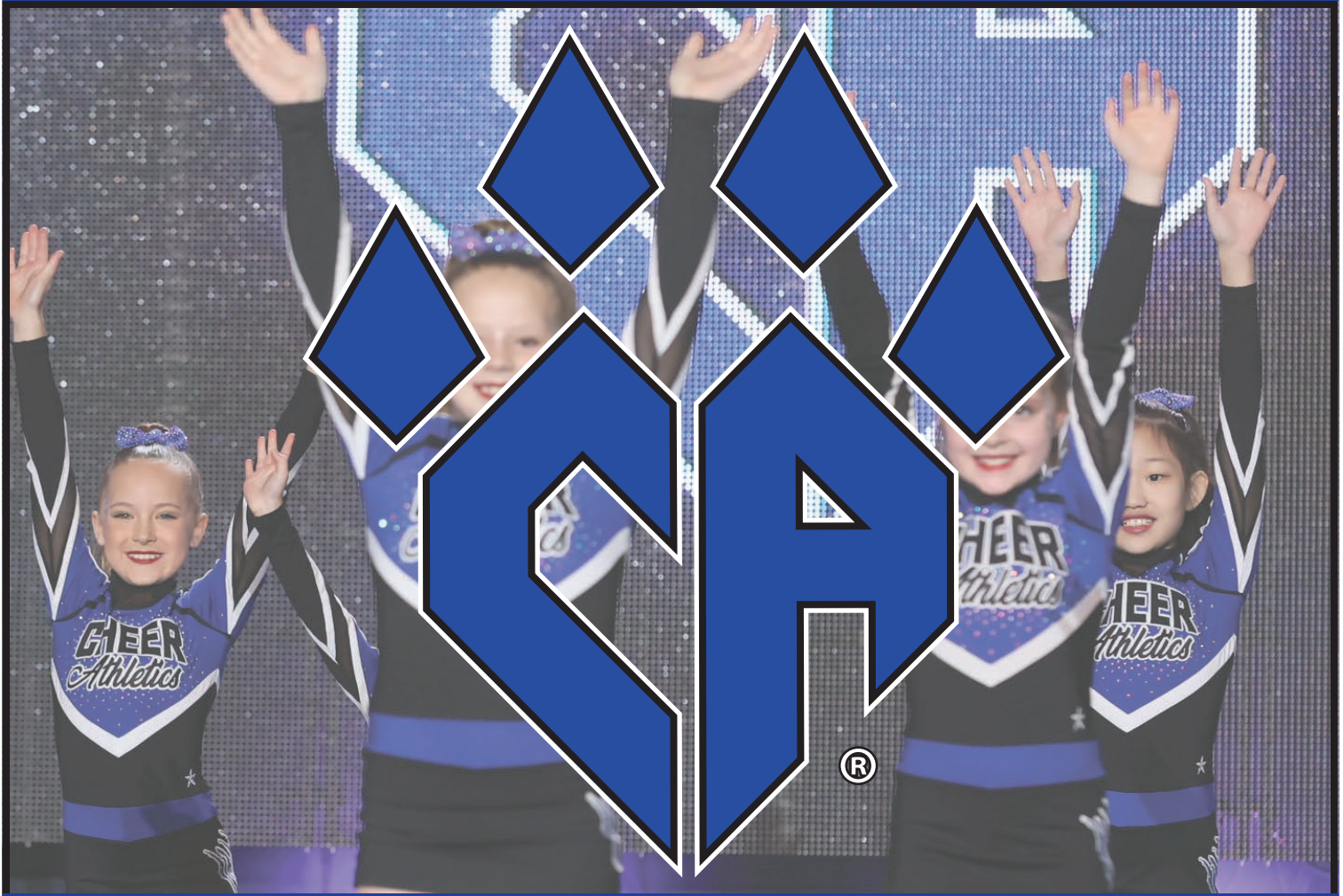




DENVER

2024-2025: **ALL-STAR PREP TEAM INFO**



YOU BELONG HERE

2024-25 marks the **31st** season of Cheer Athletics! We are honored that you would like to join us in this moment in All Star history. This tryout packet has been carefully prepared to best inform you with dates, pricing and some other information about our program that has been tried, tested and true.

Cheer Athletics is widely regarded as the most successful athletic program of its type. CA helps build healthy, happy, and confident athletes. The life lessons are many; including sportsmanship, teamwork, time management, goal setting and striving to win! All Star cheer is an inclusive sport where every athlete can grow and find value.

Today, more than ever, athletes need a place to belong, a reason to persevere and feel empowered. CA athletes, their parents and families are invited to wear the Claw and be part of tradition. We are united for the sake of our athletes, to challenge limits and beat expectations, never judging... except for those two and a half minutes on the competition mat!

AT CHEER ATHLETICS WE BELIEVE...

*That cheer prepares you for the sport called life.
In freeing your inner cheerleader.
That mat talk can change lives.
In changing lives, one 8-count at a time and, more than anything,
the world needs more cheer.*

DENVER LOCATIONS

NORTH

3773 Monarch St.
Frederick, CO 80516

SOUTH

333 Dad Clark Dr.
Highlands Ranch, CO 80126



EVALUATION PROCESS

Our evaluation process follows multiple steps in order for us to fully evaluate each athlete's skillset and potential team placement. Please review the team evaluation process below, which details how teams will be formed.



We offer 2 different Catalyst Prep Team options for families to choose from, with the primary difference for our Prep Elite teams being that they will attend 1 out-of-state competition. Please read below for additional details:

PREP CLASSIC

OPEN TO ATHLETES BORN 2005 - 2021

Our **CLASSIC** prep teams are a great place for beginners to get started in the sport of All-Star Cheerleading. This program runs from June-April and includes participation in several local (within the state of Colorado) competitions throughout the season.

PREP ELITE

OPEN TO ATHLETES BORN 2005 - 2018

Our **PREP ELITE** team program provides all of the same aspects of our classic prep program with the addition of 1 out-of-state competition for added competition exposure. This is a great program for prep athletes looking to take a step up the competitive ladder, but not ready for the commitment of our All-Star Elite program.

HOW ARE TEAMS FORMED?

There is no experience necessary to join the Catalyst program - beginners and athletes new to the sport are welcome to join! In order to be placed on a team, athletes will attend the Evaluation sessions listed above. During the evaluations our coaches will teach your athlete the basics of all-star cheerleading and evaluate their current skill level.

Athletes will designate their interest in **PREP ELITE on their tryout form (completed online prior to your athlete's evaluation). While there is no experience necessary, there will be limited positions available depending on the age/level of our **PREP ELITE** teams. We will take your interest into consideration during the team formation process, but it's possible that not all interested athletes will be placed on a **PREP ELITE** team.*





EVALUATION SESSIONS

Skill evaluations will be the first step in our process. Athletes should register and attend the session that fits their time preference.
Athletes must tryout at the location closest to their home.

NORTH	SATURDAY, MAY 18			NORTH
	PLEASE SELECT THE SESSION BELOW THAT FITS YOUR TIME PREFERENCE (ALL SESSIONS ARE SPACE LIMITED - FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE)			
	SESSION #1 11:30AM-1:30PM	SESSION #2 2:30-4:30PM	SESSION #3 5:00-7:00PM	
SOUTH	SUNDAY, MAY 19			SOUTH
	PLEASE SELECT THE SESSION BELOW THAT FITS YOUR TIME PREFERENCE (ALL SESSIONS ARE SPACE LIMITED - FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE)			
	SESSION #1 11:30AM-1:30PM	SESSION #2 2:30-4:30PM	SESSION #3 5:00-7:00PM	

PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Beginning in June, all PREP teams will have a set practice schedule with 2 weeknight practices (approx. 1.5 hours each).
Athletes and families are expected to make the necessary adjustments to accommodate additional practices throughout the season deemed necessary.

2 WEEKNIGHT PRACTICES
(Monday - Thursday)

IMPORTANT DATES

SKILL EVALUATIONS: MAY 18 - 19

EVALUATION CALLBACKS: MAY 20 - 31

FINAL TEAM PLACEMENTS: JUNE 1

TEAM PRACTICES BEGIN: WEEK OF JUNE 4

TEAM SKILLS CAMP: JULY 27 - 28

ROUTINE CHOREO WEEKEND #1: AUGUST 17 - 18

ROUTINE CHOREO WEEKEND #2: AUGUST 24 - 25

TEAM BREAKS

MEMORIAL DAY May 25 - May 27

SUMMER BREAK June 29 - July 14

LABOR DAY Aug. 31 - Sep. 2

FALL BREAK Oct. 13 - Oct. 19 (resume Sun. Oct. 20)

HALLOWEEN Oct. 31

THANKSGIVING Nov. 24 - Nov. 30 (resume Sun. Dec. 1)

CHRISTMAS Dec. 23 - Jan. 4 (resume Sun. Jan. 5)

SPRING BREAK TBA

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FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

MONTHLY TUITION

FULL MONTHLY FEES ARE PAID EVERY MONTH, JUNE 2024 - APRIL 2025

Competitive cheer is an investment. Before considering CA or any program, please consider the financial commitment involved.

We have a comprehensive monthly price that covers most of the expenses throughout the year. During the 2024-25 season, there will be 11 monthly charges paid June 2024 - April 2025. The first month's tuition will be charged on or around Friday, June 7. For the remaining months, tuition is payable on the 1st of each month. (July tuition is due on July 1, etc.)

This monthly fee covers tuition and most other expenses and does not fluctuate from month-to-month. Tuition does not change based on the # or length of practices in any month.

PREP CLASSIC

\$280 /MONTH

INCLUDES FEES FOR **LOCAL** EVENTS ONLY

PREP ELITE

\$325 /MONTH

INCLUDES FEES FOR **LOCAL** EVENTS + 1 OUT-OF-STATE EVENT

+ \$30 /MONTH

KULA SPORTS PERFORMANCE TRAINING

Kula training sessions will be once per week, exact dates/times released after final team announcements. **REQUIRED FOR ALL ATHLETES.**

EVALUATION FEES

ALL ATHLETES MUST PAY AN EVALUATION FEE TO ATTEND *NON-REFUNDABLE

EARLY DEADLINE: REGISTER BY APRIL 30

\$100

TEAM TRYOUT FEE

\$125

PRIVATE TRYOUT

ON-TIME DEADLINE: REGISTER AFTER APRIL 30

\$120

TEAM TRYOUT FEE

\$145

PRIVATE TRYOUT

OTHER COSTS (ESTIMATES)

PRACTICE WEAR	APPROX. \$150	1 new set for the 24-25 season + (1) Blue & (1) Black Claw T-Shirt or Tank <i>Practice wear purchasing will begin after final team placements.</i>
UNIFORM	\$400-\$550	Cost varies by team (all athletes will need to purchase black shoes & hair accessory for competition) <i>Uniform purchasing will begin after fittings at Skills Camp. All teams will get new uniforms this season.</i>
ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE	\$55/ATHLETE OR \$80 /FAMILY	This fee is due once per year based on athlete enrollment date.
USASF MEMBERSHIP	\$49/ATHLETE	THIS FEE IS PAID DIRECTLY TO USASF <i>*Athletes ages 18+ will incur an additional fee for a background check.</i>

ATHLETE TRAVEL COSTS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO: AIRFARE, HOTEL, ETC. ARE NOT INCLUDED FOR ANY EVENTS

***NEW THIS YEAR:** Any athlete that chooses to quit or is dismissed from the program for any reason after **June 7, 2024** will owe a **\$500 drop fee**. At CA, our teams are a year-long commitment. Please consider this before trying out. Our withdrawal fee is there to protect all families and their investment in our program and to ensure all costs are covered in the event of an athlete's departure. We have an open door policy and are more than happy to talk with you regarding your athlete at any time.

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HOW TO: REGISTER



#1

Log onto our website:

www.cheerathletics.com/denver

or scan the QR code below to find our online registration.



BE SURE TO SELECT THE CORRECT LOCATION FOR REGISTRATION
Registration opens on March 25 @ 10AM



#2

After completing your registration, you will be billed for your **EVAL FEE** to the card on file used during registration.

Note: All accounts must be paid in full before your athlete will be permitted to register or attend tryouts.



#3

Stay tuned to your email for **IMPORTANT** updates leading up to evaluations. **Email is our #1 form of communication at Cheer Athletics**, please make sure you are subscribed to, and receiving, all emails.

CHEER ATHLETICS...

helps push athletes to be the best version of themselves. Athletes learn the "CA Way" of competitive cheerleading, but they will also be given lifelong skills that will help them throughout their lives. The progress our athletes see in positive and productive surroundings can be amazing. A pat on the back, a high five, and positive reinforcement can go a long way.

LOOKING FOR MORE?

CHECK OUT INFORMATION FOR OUR **ALL-STAR ELITE** PROGRAM FOR A MORE COMPETITIVE EXPERIENCE!