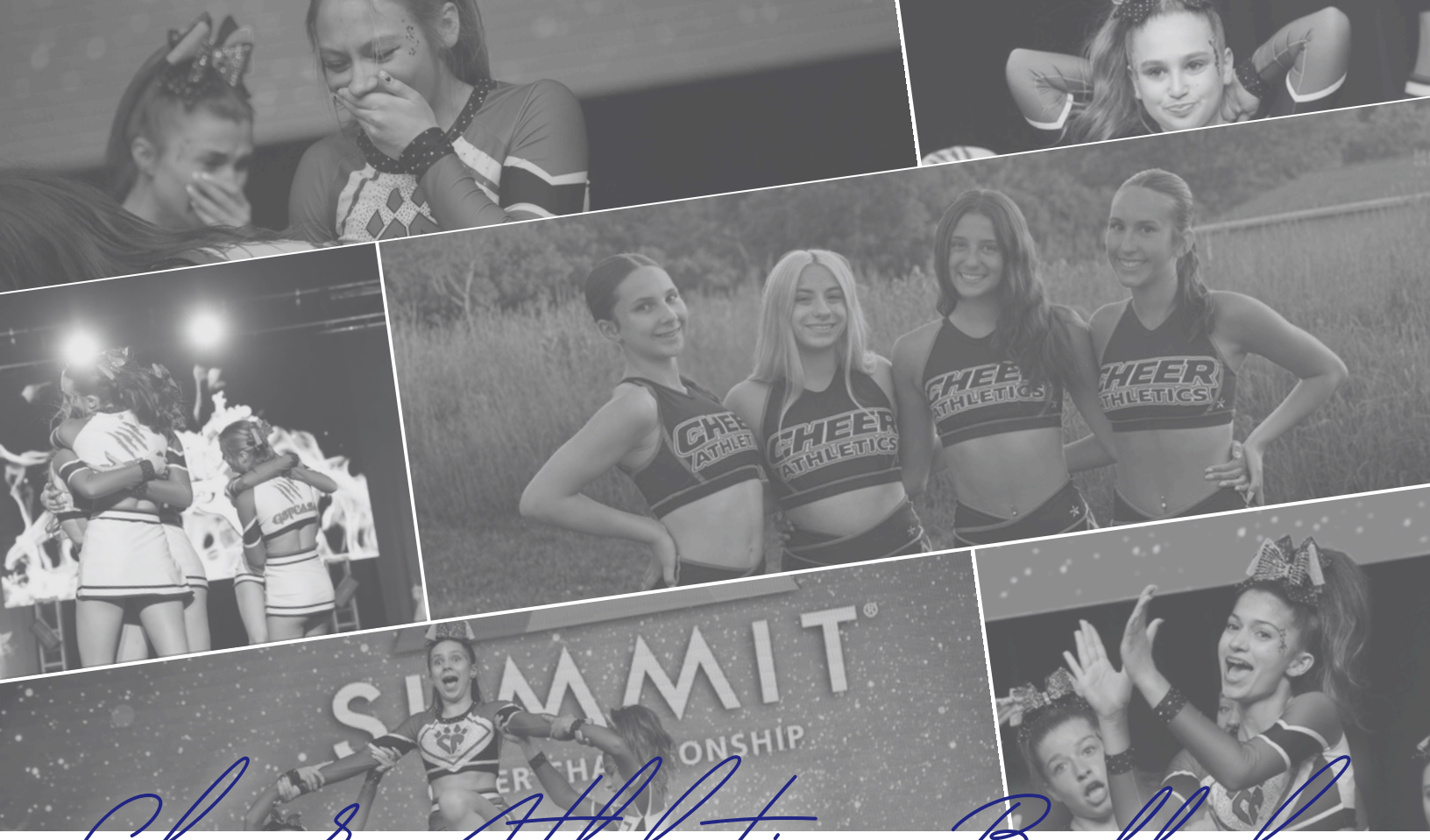

Cheer Athletics Buffalo

HALF YEAR CHEER

INFORMATION PACKET **2026-2027**

WELCOME TO CHEER ATHLETICS BUFFALO

TEAM PLACEMENT

When forming teams, we consider factors such as athlete skills, experience, maturity, and team needs. Team placement is primarily determined by birth year and skill level. Rosters, placement within routines, and participation, are subject to change at any point and for any reason under coaches' discretion. Team placements will be sent via Cat-Mail (to the e-mail on file) once all tryout sessions are complete.

TIME COMMITMENT

Participating in our program is a 6 month time commitment. Teams will practice once per week. This will be scheduled based on gym availability, and communicated after the start of the season! Additional practices and extended practices will be scheduled during important times of the season. Athletes are expected to prioritize their participation in our program and fully commit to attending all scheduled practices. We requite you to submit a vacation request form 2 weeks prior to your planned time of absence.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Champion Cheer Central-Winter Beach Blast	January 23rd	Erie, PA
Maximum - Waterfall Kaua	March 6th-7th	Niagara Falls, NY
Aloha- Syracuse Showdown	March 20th	Syracuse, NY
End of Season Showcase	April	Buffalo, NY

SEASON TRAVEL

Travel expenses are not included in tuition. Athletes are required to book travel in accordance with guidelines provided throughout the season. Travel dates/details will be shared after the competition schedule is released. Please do not make travel plans prior to CA Buffalo releasing dates/details.

IMPORTANT DATES

1. **First Practice & Coaches and Parents ("CAPS") Meeting**
   First Week of November: Placement email will specify exact date and time

2. **Uniform Fitting** ****** If the athlete is under 18 years old, a parent MUST be present at uniform fitting!***
   At First Practice

3. **Choreography**
   TBD
   Official date will be shared via placement email

FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

Participating in All Star Cheer requires a significant financial commitment. It's important to carefully consider the investment involved. Tuition is divided into 6 monthly installments and is due on the first of each month. Billing begins in November 2026 and continues through April 2027. Tuition remains consistent from month to month and is payable online through our customer portal platform. Members are required to keep a valid credit or debit card on file. Tuition covers team training, regular season competition fees, choreography and music, coaches fees, and other non-refundable expenses.

Additional costs include but are not limited to; our annual program membership, End-of-Season Event fees, required apparel items that athletes keep, travel expenses, and the USASF Athlete Membership fee. Adult Athletes (members that turn 18 years old prior to 6/1/25) are responsible for their Background Check Screening, paid during membership registration in June and required for eligibility. Required apparel items are paid directly to Rebel Athletic.

TUITION

Tiny Tuition: $50/month

Half Year Team Tuition: $149/month

Includes:

- ***1 practice a week***
- ***Choreography***
- ***Music***
- ***Competition fees***
- ***Team Bow***

ADDITIONAL COSTS

USASF Athlete Membership: $49

****to be completed by December 15th*

Required Apparel (estimated)

- Any White Indoor Cheer Shoes
- CA crew socks $12
- New Program Uniform (with mesh) $298
- Blue Claw T-shirt $28/each

***Uniform and Claw T-shirts must be purchased by November 15th*