



TEXSTAR ATHLETICS SHOW STARS CHEER 2022-2023

At TexStar, we make it a fun, family-oriented environment, but we also focus on having structure and proper progressions. We expect a lot out of our athletes, but we have fun meeting our goals. We believe that our success is due to our passion for the sport, our family oriented atmosphere, and our determination to help EVERY child to learn, grow, and succeed, not just in cheerleading, but in life.

Show teams are a great introduction to Competitive Cheerleading! These athletes will still learn all that the competitive teams do, the only difference is that instead of competing, they will perform at competitions.

THIS IS A FULL YEAR COMMITMENT: JUNE 2022- MAY 2023

GIRLS & BOYS AGES 4-12

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SHOW STARS CHEER

TIME COMMITMENT

1.5 hour practice 1 time per week + 1 hour tumbling class per week

June 2022-May 2023

PERFORMANCES

Lubbock Showoff, 1 Lubbock Competition, & Showcase Performance

FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$35 due for all gym members

TUITION: \$160 per month. Drafted the 28th of the month prior. Tuition will be due June 2022-May 2023.

First Payment will be drafted May 28th.

(If you pay tuition in full by June 1st, you will receive a 10% discount) Total: \$1,728

CHOREOGRAPHY & MUSIC: \$175 Due by June 8th (cash or check)

COMPETITION FEES: \$65 due by August 1st (cash or check)

If not paid by then, will be drafted with 3% fee.

Registration, Full Year Tuition, Choreography & Music, & Competition Fees:

\$2,003 if want to pay all up front (Must be paid by June 6th)

OTHER FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

PRACTICE WEAR: \$100-\$300 (You will choose which pieces and how many pieces you want) Practice wear order forms will be handed out first week of practice.

UNIFORM: \$250-\$300 Show Teams will receive brand new uniforms this season.

Uniform payments will be due by July 1st.

CHEER SHOES: \$50-\$100 (Will purchase online on your own-any white cheer shoe)

Prices for merchandise are subject to change



ABSENCES

Cheer is a large financial and time commitment. When athletes are absent, it hurts the whole team. Cheer Athletes will be allowed three unexcused absences in the summer and five unexcused after summer for the rest of the season. After this, you will be removed from the team, but will still be in contract. We need every athlete at every practice in order for the team to be successful. We will try to schedule practices around your schedule, but this does not always comply with other activities.

Practice cannot be missed because of another sport, this will result in immediate removal from team. Including extra practices. If athlete is ill or hurt, they must have a doctors note, and if not running fever, must come to practice to watch. Funerals are the only other exception, and we will need a copy of the funeral program. We will have MANDATORY extra practices on the weekends one-two weeks prior to competition. If athlete is missing practices jeopardizing their stunt group or routine, we have the right to move them out of their formation or position. Athletes will not be allowed any unexcused absences two weeks prior to competition, including extra practices.

Any and all competitions are mandatory as well as emergency extra practices. Competitions can change or re-schedule at any time. At any time a director feels as if athlete or family is not dedicated it can result in removal from team/program.

At any time we feel like an athlete or family is not meeting the standards of the program. Can and will be removed from the team/program.

FUNDRAISERS

We will have three or four different fundraisers to help with financial obligations. Fundraisers are not mandatory, but all profit goes into your cheer account, and can be used towards uniform, practice wear, warm-ups, tuition, and cheer fees. **If your account is behind, fundraisers will be mandatory.**



RULES, REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES

THIS IS NOT THE CONTRACT DUE AT EVALUATIONS

In any business you must have rules and regulations to abide by. Here are a few to help us run a strong and thriving gym in which you feel safe and productive in.

Leadership

1. Each member and parent must be aware of the responsibilities required and the commitment they are making to the team.
2. Each member must realize the manner in which they conduct themselves while representing TexStar, directly reflects on the entire squad and staff
3. Each member will be willing to work hard, take directions, and strive for excellence

Expectations

1. Members will set and maintain the highest level of behavior through example
2. Members will maintain the proper appearance with no extremes in apparel, hair, make-up, piercing, or tattoos. Coaches decision is final.
3. Members will be on time to all activities.
4. Members will do everything in their power to achieve personal and squad goals.

Attendance

1. You are committing to be at every practice. This is a team sport, so when you miss you put the team in a bad position. It is hard to learn the routines and polish them if you are not present.
2. Members must be on time to practice. Tardiness hurts both you and your team mates.
3. If an absence must occur, you must let us know in writing prior to the practice missed via text or email.

Competitions

1. Members are required to attend all competitions. This means through the award ceremony. Team spirit and support are a very important part of the competition. The more crowd interaction the better the squads do and it makes an influence on the judges! Support your team!!

Safety

1. Jeopardizing the safety of oneself or any member is unacceptable.
2. There is absolutely no gum, candy, or jewelry of any type in the gym. Please do not wear jewelry to the gym, we cannot be responsible for items left.

Parental Obligations

1. No negative behavior towards a TexStar member or to another gym.
2. To make sure your child is on time and attends all practices and events.
3. Parents are to inform the coach if the student is to be late or absent to practice. Never send information through another person or child.
4. Parents are to fulfill any financial obligation. Example: Uniforms, entry fees, tuition, camps, travel, lodging, etc.
5. Parents are to encourage and support their child to be the best they can be.

Rules and Regulations

1. No smoking, drinking, or alcoholic beverages or use of drugs. This will warrant immediate dismissal from the squad,
2. Challenging the authority of the coach or person in charge by student or parent is unacceptable.
3. Abusive behavior, lying, or any other negative form of behavior is unacceptable.
4. Each member will follow all rules and guidelines given by the coach or person in charge.

**If any of the rules or guidelines are broken, immediate dismissal may be taken and you will still be in contract.
Please keep in mind the rules and guidelines are for your own safety and benefit!!**

TexStar All-Star Contract **Rules & Regulations 2022-2023**

This copy must be notarized and brought before evaluations. If contract is not signed, your child will not be able to participate in evaluations. We will have a notary present. You must present a valid driver's license in order to get notarized at evaluations.

INITIAL NEXT TO EACH STATEMENT

_____ 1. Athletes are required to commit to the full year of show/ competitive cheer. Quitting or being removed from your team will require full payment of remaining tuition and fees. If financial agreement is not met, you will be required to return your uniform to TexStar, and remainder of the balance will be sent to collections. Season will be June-May. If your child becomes injured during your 12-month contract, you will forfeit all funds that have been paid already to TexStar. Athletes/Guardians are responsible for all fees, tuition, uniform costs, and any other financial obligations listed in the All- Star try out packet through the end of the season. If any fees are not paid on time, they will be drafted from your bank account..

_____ 2. Athletes are required to attend any and all show-off's and competitions scheduled before and during the season. If your team is awarded a bid in season, we will be attending, thus, you will be required to attend/participate even if it is not on the schedule at the beginning of the season. (The Summit, Worlds, US Finals, end of season show off, Summit send off, etc...) There will be a mandatory awards banquet at the end of the season and tickets will be \$25-\$35 per person.

_____ 3 All fundraising for bid qualifying competitions will be split between team and coaches. All end of season competitions will have a \$25-\$100 coaches fee for each child to pay coaches travel.

_____ 4. *Excused absences: Contagious sickness (with doctors note), Family emergency, mandatory school function (non-sports related), School cheer. * After 5 UN- excused absences, you will be removed from the team, but will still be in contract for the remainder of the season. If any of the un-excused absences are due to sports, that is automatic grounds for removal. The 2 weekends prior to all competitions will have mandatory extra practices.

_____ 5. Athletes and guardians will be expected to present themselves in a positive manner to all things related to TexStar. This includes your team, coaches, staff, parents/guardians, and all other affiliates throughout the season. Failure to do so gives us the power to remove an athlete from their team if we feel that is best for the team and tuition will still be due through the end of the season.

_____ 6. Athletes and parents must arrive to all show off's, performances, and competitions on time. Athlete must arrive in full hair and make-up along with the correct uniform. Athletes must also be in full hair, make-up, and uniform when receiving awards throughout the season.

_____ 7. Athletes and/or parents are responsible for keeping up with schedules/updates via band app and email. Be sure to learn to use the band app as this is where all information will be posted.

_____ 8. Choreography and music taught at TexStar is property of TexStar. This material is never to be taught, used, posted or shared throughout the season without permission from TexStar staff.

_____ 9. Athletes taking private lessons are required to make payment before the private starts. Cancellation must take place 24 hours in advance or else you will still be required to make payment to your coach for your lesson.

_____ 10. All Star members must set up automatic withdraw for tuition and financial obligations. Tuition will be drafted the 28th of the prior month. All late payments will result in a late fee of \$25. If an account is overdue for more than 3 months, the child will be removed from their team and the entire amount sure for the season will be sent to collections.

_____ 11. Practice wear is a requirement. Please attend all practices dressed in your scheduled suit and cheer shoes.

_____ 12. Athlete/Guardians understand team practices/activities will be scheduled based on majority availability.

_____ 13. Athlete/Guardian understand TexStar coaches reserve the right to move athlete to another teams if the standards are not being met where originally placed or if standards are exceeded where originally placed.

_____ 14. Parent observation is available the first week of every month. Practice viewing is not permitted at any other time.

_____ 15. The TexStar name/logo/Team Names cannot be used on personally made merchandise. All requests for TexStar Merchandise must go through the TexStar Gift Shop.

Athlete's name (print): _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Athlete's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Notary Signature: _____ Date: _____

SHOW STARS TRYOUT SCHEDULE

SHOW TEAM PREP CLASSES:

Work on skills to help prepare you for evaluations. Tumbling, Jumps, Stunts, Dance, & More!

\$72 PER MONTH. March will be pro-rated \$36

Sign up online www.TexStarLubbock.com/CheerTryouts

MARCH 21ST-MAY 28TH

PARENTS MEETING:

We will go over the tryout packet and what is expected in Show Stars Cheer.

There will also be a video sent out with the contents of the meeting.

**SHOW STARS
FRIDAY, MAY 20TH
6:00-7:00**

EVALUATION CLINICS:

This year, we will have multiple Evaluation Clinics to determine the team your child will be placed on.

Teams are determined by age, tumbling level, stunting experience, and overall attitude/work ethic.

All athletes must attend **at least one** of the clinics .

Athletes can attend more than 1 clinic, but additional eval clinics are not included in Evaluation Fee.

Each additional clinic is \$15 and will be billed to your account after Evaluations.

Sign up for clinics through customer portal.

Evaluation Fee: \$40. Includes 1 Evaluation Clinic, All Star T-shirt, 2022-2023 Yard Sign, New Car Decal

All athletes must attend at least 1 Evaluation Clinic

**May 17th
4:00-5:30 Ages: 4-6
6:30-8:00 Ages: 7 & up**

**May 18th
4:00-5:30 Ages: 7 & up
6:30-8:00 Ages: 4-6**

**May 19th
4:00-5:30 Ages 4-8
6:30-8:00 Ages 6-9**

All paperwork and Evaluation Fee will be due by May 15th

Contracts will be due by May 24th

We will have a Notary in the Office May 16th & 17th 5:00-8:00

Team placements will be sent out May 30th with summer practice schedule

Summer practices will start June 6th

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

MAY 22ND: PAPERWORK DUE

JUNE 1ST: PAYMENT WILL BE DUE IF PAYING TUITION FOR THE SEASON IN FULL

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JUNE 6TH: PAYMENT WILL BE DUE IF PAYING ALL FEES FOR THE SEASON IN FULL

(INCLUDING TUITION, CHOREO, COMPETITION FEES, MUSIC.)

JUNE 28TH: TUITION WILL BE DRAFTED FOR JULY

JULY 1ST: UNIFORM & SCRUNCHIE PAYMENT DUE

JULY 8TH: CHOREOGRAPHY & MUSIC FEE DUE

JULY 28TH: TUITION WILL BE DRAFTED FOR AUGUST

AUGUST 1ST: BACKPACK AND JERSEY PAYMENTS DUE (OPTIONAL)

AUGUST 1ST: SHOW STARS COMPETITION FEES DUE

AUGUST 28TH: TUITION WILL BE DRAFTED FOR SEPTEMBER

28TH OF EVERY MONTH THROUGH APRIL: TUITION WILL BE DRAFTED FOR THE FOLLOWING MONTH

PAPERWORK DUE BEFORE EVALUATIONS

We will only place athletes on a team who have completed the following:

— ONLINE FORMS FILLED OUT & TRYOUT FEE PAID (\$40)

Includes Evaluation Fees, New All Star Cheer T-Shirt, 2022-2023 TexStar Cheer Yard Sign, New TexStar Cheer Car Decal

Paperwork will be filled out ONLINE prior to MAY 15th.

www.TexStarLubbock.com/CheerTryouts

— SIGN UP ONLINE FOR EVALUATION CLINIC

www.TexStarLubbock.com/CheerTryouts

— NOTARIZED CONTRACT

Due by May 24th

You can print yourself or pick up in the TexStar Office.

The contract must be signed & notarized to be placed on a team.

We will have a Notary in the Office May 16th & 17th 5:00-8:00. (\$5 cash)

ALL ITEMS MUST BE COMPLETED TO BE PLACED ON A TEAM!