

The ONE Finals - RECREATION CHEER DIVISIONS

In order to maintain a competitive atmosphere THE ONE FINALS reserves the right to close, combine or open divisions at any time leading up to each event. THE ONE FINALS recognizes that Competitive Recreation Cheerleading does not have an official governing body to refer to, and that Competitive Recreation Cheer Teams may have different guidelines to following within their individual organizations put forth by their council or board of directors. We reserve the right to permit organizations to adhere to the guidelines set forth by such organization and suggests that teams select the division that best fits the age and ability of your athletes.

For the purpose of competing, Recreational Cheerleading is defined below. All teams competing in these divisions must meet these criteria in order to compete in these divisions:

1. Must be affiliated with, report to, and be governed by an organization such as the following: YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, Community Youth Organization, Pop Warner, City/Country Parks and Recreation Program or any other community run program NOT associated with a school or an All Star program.
2. A team must be able to prove their relationship and affiliation with their said organization if requested. Their organization's President or higher seated authority must submit a formal letter stating their endorsement.
3. 50% of the team must have cheered for a sport and or consistent community function (i.e. football, basketball, wrestling or weekly YMCA multi-sport class) with that association or organization within that cheer season. Proof must be provided upon request.
4. A team may not have more than 25% all-star athletes on its teams. Proof must be provided upon request.
5. Team members must fulfill the age requirement for the division that they are entering on/before August 31, 2017. Proof must be provided upon request.
6. Participants may not represent more than one recreational program in a season. Proof must be provided upon request.

Recreation Cheer Teams...

- 1.) Can have a practice facility or gym.
- 2.) Can hold practice and/or attend tumbling classes at gymnastics or All Star facilities.
- 3.) May represent their individual recreational team or their entire program.
- 4.) Can combine team members from all teams within a recreational program if the program allows them to do so.

NOTE: A competitive recreation cheer teams who is affiliated with an all-star program or school, even if it is a half-year or introductory team, who does NOT meet the above criteria will need to register in the **ALL STAR PREP or ALL STAR DIVISION and follow all guidelines set forth by the USASF.**

PERFORMANCE REC is defined as a competitive Rec division that has level restrictions and will be judged on the THE ONE FINALS All Star Score Sheet. Teams in these divisions often practice more, have competition practices and/or compete on a regular basis.

TRADITIONAL REC will not be offered at The ONE Finals. If a Traditional Rec team is awarded a bid to The ONE Finals, they must choose the Performance Rec division that is the closest to the division that they were awarded a bid in.

All Recreation Teams will follow the USASF Rules and Regulations for the levels they are competing in. To view those rules, please visit www.usasfrules.com.

PERFORMANCE REC DIVISIONS			
LEVEL	AGE AS OF 8/31/2017	GENDER	TEAM SIZE
LEVEL 1			
Tiny Recreation	6 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Mini Recreation	8 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Pee Wee Recreation	10 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Youth Recreation	12 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Junior Recreation	14 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Senior Recreation	18 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
LEVEL 2			
Mini Recreation	8 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Pee Wee Recreation	10 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Youth Recreation	12 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Junior Recreation	14 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Senior Recreation	18 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
LEVEL 3			
Youth Recreation	12 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Junior Recreation	14 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Senior Recreation	18 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
LEVEL 4			
Junior Recreation	14 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members
Senior Recreation	18 years & younger	Female/Male	5-36 Members