

ELITE ALL-STARS

HANDBOCK

VOLUME XIII

NOR*CAL ELITE

WHO ARE WE?

Nor*Cal Elite is widely regarded as one of the fastest growing All Star Cheerleading programs in Northern California. For 13 years, NCE has been cultivating the youth of our area into strong and confident athletes and people. We pride ourselves in offering an environment where both kids and teens alike learn lessons of sportsmanship, teamwork, and achievement.

EVALUATIONS

NCE's evaluation process isn't stressful or complicated. You only need to attend one tryout block. Tryouts are open to anyone interested in joining the NCE family. We accept athletes of all skill levels, from those with no experience to very high-level cheerleaders. You will have an opportunity to demonstrate your proficient skills to the NCE staff and then be placed accordingly on the team that best suits your proficient skill level.

Teams are selected so that each have the best possible chance of a successful competitive season. After rosters are set, athletes (or parents) are contacted to let them know the results of tryouts. *Unless you have a prior balance from previous seasons.

TUITION

Competitive cheer, while not as costly as some youth activities, can still be expensive. Before considering this or any program, please consider the financial commitment involved. Although others may advertise lower rates, NCE's overall value per dollar is highly competitive.

During the 12-month season, there will be monthly charges beginning May 2018 through April 2019. These charges will begin with your season deposit in May, first month's tuition due on the 1st of June. For the remaining months, tuition is payable on the 1st of each month. (June tuition due on June 1st, etc.)

This monthly fee covers tuition and does not fluctuate from month-to-month. Tuition does not change based on number of practices in any particular month.

The vast majority of athletes attending evaluations will be selected for a team. If NCE is not able to find a good fit for an athlete, other options will be discussed with NCE Staff. If an athlete chooses to decline a roster spot the fees incurred are non-refundable.

PAYMENTS

All payments, charges, and fees are handled through iClass Pro (SJ) and JackRabbit (SR) portals. Every member of NCE is required to have a credit card on file. Nor*Cal Elite has the right to charge this credit card with all fees incurred throughout the season.

COMPLIANCE

Failure to remain diligent with monthly payments or other contractual obligations may result in athletes being removed from the team for competitions or contract dismissal charges incurred as stated in the Parent Contract and Responsibilities Agreement.

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VACATION DAYS

During the following dates NCE will be closed for all Practices and Classes:

MEMORIAL DAY May 28, 2018

FOURTH OF JULY July 2 - July 6, 2018

VARSITY U (Coaches Conference) August 3 - August 5, 2018

LABOR DAY September 3, 2018

HALLOWEEN October 31, 2018

THANKSGIVING BREAK November 21 - November 25, 2018

WINTER BREAK
December 22, 2018 - January 2, 2019
*RETURN DATE DUE TO COMPETITION THE FOLLOWING WEEKEND.

MANDATORY EVENTS

CHAMP CAMP TBD

CHOREOGRAPHY BLOCK JULY 9 - AUGUST 1

Exact dates/times will be finalized and sent in June.

PRACTICES / ATTENDANCE

ELITE | 2-DAYS - 2 HOURS/DAY JR/SR PREP | 1-DAY - 2 HOURS/DAY MINI PREP | 1-DAY - 1.5 HOURS/DAY NOVICE | 1-DAY - 2 HOURS/DAY

During important times of the season practices may be added to ensure a competitive advantage for all our teams.

PRACTICE ATTENDANCE POLICY

Nor*Cal Elite does not excuse absences from practices for any reason. All absences affect the team in the same way, regardless of the reason. To accommodate every family equally, Nor*Cal has created an attendence deduction system to be adhered to by all NCE athletes.

Absence Deductions	Fee
Practices 3 Prior to Comp	\$100.00
ALL Absences with Request Form	\$20.00
Absences without Request Form	\$30.00
Summit/Worlds Practices Missed	\$50.00

Absences after August 12th will incur a minimum charge of \$20. Absences without an Absence Request Form will incur an additional \$10 per absence fee as outlined above. No absences will be accepted after April 1st.

Excessive misses may result in an athlete being moved down a level or potentially made an alternate without a refund.

COMPLIANCE

Strict adherence to the Policies and Dates provided on this page is **MANDATORY**. Any discretions may result in athletes being removed from the team and/or program without a refund of fees incurred beginning **AUGUST 12, 2018**.

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EVALUATION SESSIONS

SAN JOSE

NEW MEMBERS - MAY 11TH CURRENT MEMBERS - MAY 12TH

SAN RAMON

NEW & RETURNING MEMBERS - MAY 10TH

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM | LEVEL 1 & 2 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM | LEVEL 3 - 5

COSTS / FEES

EVALUATION FEE	\$30.00
USASF MEMBERSHIP FEE	\$30.00
SUMMER CHAMP CAMP	\$50.00
REGISTRATION DEPOSIT	\$300.00
DUE MAY 2018	

MONTHLY TUITION

ELITE TEAM ATHLETES	\$195.00
ELITE MINI ATHLETES	\$100.00
PREP ATHLETES	\$100.00
TINY ATHLETES	\$50.00

TEAM FEES (ELITE TEAMS ONLY)

CHOREOGRAPHY	\$350.00
MUSIC	\$150.00

APPAREL (ELITE TEAMS ONLY)

PRACTICE WEAR - DUE IN JUNE	\$100.00
UNIFORM (ESTIMATED) - DUE IN JUNE	\$500.00

COMPETITION FEES (ELITE TEAMS ONLY)

PAYMENT 1 - DUE JULY 1ST	\$450.00
PAYMENT 2 - DUE SEPTEMBER 1ST	\$450.00
PAYMENT 3 - DUE NOVEMBER 1ST	\$450.00

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

(Tentative and Subject to Change - Prep/Novice may vary)

LOCAL CHAMPIONSHIP

TBD, CALIFORNIA NOVEMBER 17-18, 2018

AMERICAN - NORTHWEST NATIONALS *

PORTLAND, OREGON DECEMBER 1-2, 2018

AMERICAN MASTERPIECE NATIONALS

SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA JANUARY 12-13, 2019

SPIRIT SPORTS - DUEL IN THE DESERT *

PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA FEBRUARY 2-3, 2019

NCA - NORCAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

SAN FRANSISCO, CALIFORNIA FEBRUARY 16-17, 2019

NCA - ALL STAR NATIONALS * SELECT TEAMS

DALLAS, TEXAS MARCH 1-3, 2019

USA - ALL STAR CHAMPIONSHIP *

ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA MARCH 16-17, 2019

COA - NORCAL NATIONALS

DALY CITY, CALIFORNIA MARCH 23-24, 2019

THE CHEERLEADING WORLDS * WORLDS TEAM

ORLANDO, FLORIDA APRIL 27-29, 2019

THE VARSITY SUMMIT * SELECT TEAMS

ORLANDO, FLORIDA MAY 3-5, 2019

* INDICATES TRAVEL EVENTS

