



2012 Competitive Rec Cheer Divisions



Code	Name	Age	Gender	Members
Level 4				
4000	Senior Rec	18 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4050	Junior Rec	14 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
Level 3				
4300	Senior Rec	18 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4350	Junior Rec	14 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4400	Youth Rec	12 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
Level 3.1 - (Level 3.1 must follow US Finals L3 rules for stunts/pyramids/dismounts and tosses and L1 rules for general tumbling/running tumbling/standing tumbling)				
4600	Senior Rec	18 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4605	Junior Rec	14 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4610	Youth Rec	12 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4450	Pee Wee Rec	10 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
Level 2				
4615	Senior Rec	18 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4665	Junior Rec	14 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4715	Youth Rec	12 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4765	Pee Wee Rec	10 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4815	Mini Rec	8 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
Level 1				
4926	Youth Rec	12 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4930	Pee Wee Rec	10 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4935	Mini Rec	8 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members
4937	Tiny Rec	6 years & younger	female/male	5-36 members

The age of the competitor as of August 31, 2011 will be the age used for competition purposes throughout the 2011-2012 season for all divisions.

In an effort to maintain a competitive atmosphere, The U.S. Finals reserves the right to close, combine or open divisions at any time leading up to each event.

The U.S. Finals recognizes that Competitive Rec Cheerleading does not have an official governing body to refer to, and that Competitive Rec Cheer Teams may have different guidelines to follow within their individual organizations. Please adhere to the guidelines set forth by your organization, and select the division that best fits both the age and abilities of the athletes on the team so that your team will be given the best opportunity for success at The U.S. Finals.

In order to compete in a Competitive Rec Cheer Division at The U.S. Finals, your team must fall into The U.S. Finals definition of Competitive Rec Cheerleading. The U.S. Finals defines Competitive Rec Cheerleading as any form of competitive cheerleading that does not represent a school or an all-star program. Teams must cheer for a sport and can be affiliated with (but are not limited to) Pop Warner Associations, Youth Cheer Associations, City/County Parks and Recreation Departments, YMCAs, Boys and Girls Clubs, or any other community program that is not school or all-star related.

Competitive Rec Cheer Teams can:

- Have their own practice facility or gym.
- Hold practice and/or attend tumbling classes at gymnastics or all star cheer facilities.
- Represent their individual recreational team or their entire community program.
- Combine team members from all teams within a recreational program if the program allows them to do so.
- Have team members who also participate on school or all star teams.

Competitive Rec Cheer Teams who do not cheer for a sport, or are affiliated with all star programs or schools, even if it is a half-year or introductory team, will need to register in the all-star, prep cheer or school division that best suits their ability level at The U.S. Finals. They are NOT considered Competitive Rec Cheer teams and cannot register in the Competitive Rec Cheer Divisions listed above for The U.S. Finals events.