

# Wylie Elite Spirit 2019-2020 All-Star Tiny Exhibition Team Information Packet

## Team Info

Spirit is our Tiny Exhibition Team for ages 3-6 years old. This is an opportunity to introduce the experience of All-Star cheerleading for younger athletes in a non-competitive manner. Even at this young age, our program vision and goal is to build our athletes from the inside out. We start with teaching a strong foundation and progressing your child at his/her own ability level in a fun, motivating, and positive environment. We focus on character and core values to mold them into solid competitive team players. On Spirit, these young athletes will learn jumps, motions, tumbling and a dance. These skills will be choreographed into a 1 min and 30 sec routine that will be performed as exhibition at competitions.

## Sign-Up Information

There are no try-outs or evaluations to be on our Tiny Exhibition team. To participate, all you need to do is sign-up online via our website! This packet contains the details and expectations for the season. If you have any questions, you can contact our gym office at [info@wylieelite.com](mailto:info@wylieelite.com) to set up a time for us to answer any questions you may have.

**Registration is due by July 12, 2019. The following items will also be due by that date:**

- Parent Consent and Financial Contract
- \$35 Annual Gym Registration

\*You can drop them off in the office or email them to [info@wylieelite.com](mailto:info@wylieelite.com)



# Spirit Team Expectations

## Team Practices

Spirit will have a 1-hour team practice and a 45-minute tumbling class each week, starting the week of Aug 11, 2019 through March 2020. As we approach competitions, there is the possibility of extra practices, so please keep that in mind when planning additional activities.

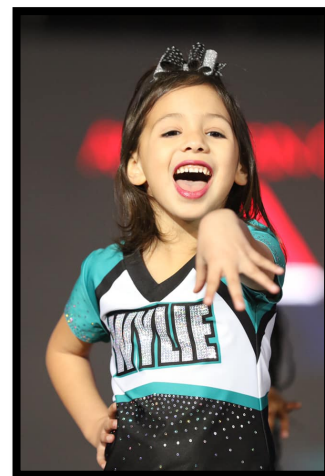
## Practice Clothes

Cost will be \$65. This will include 1 practice sports bra or tank, 1 practice short. You will be responsible for purchasing white no-show socks and white cheer shoes (no running shoes).

## Competition Uniform

The cost for a uniform and bow is \$180.

There may be an opportunity to purchase a resale uniform for half the cost, if we have any available. They will wear white cheer shoes to competitions and must wear white no-show socks with their uniform.



## Fittings

Practice wear and uniform sizing will be done on Sat, 07/20. The time will be sent out to everyone pre-registered in early July. **Please have your athlete wear a sports bra and spandex shorts** to make things move quickly and efficiently. Please do not have them wear a bow that day. The athlete and one parent must attend fittings.

## Competitions

We plan to take Spirit to 3 competitions this season. Competitions will begin in Jan and end in March. We will finalize our competition schedule by the first week of practices. Keep in mind that events often change so the schedule could be modified at any time.

## Attendance Policy

Although Spirit is an exhibition team, it still requires a full-commitment from the athlete and family. We expect our athletes to be at every practice unless there is a family emergency or illness. If an athlete knows they will need to miss a practice, it is required that an absence form be turned in with a 7-day notice. Those forms are in the lobby and on our website. In the case of illness, parents need to text/email the coach immediately to let them know. All competitions are mandatory, even when sick.

# Financial Information and Gym Closings

Our monthly pricing includes regular scheduled team practices, extra practices, tumbling class, competition fees and choreography/music. Tuition payments will start Aug 1, 2019 and go through March 1, 2020. Everyone must sign up for automatic payment with a debit/credit card or checking account.

<b>2019-2020 Pre-Team Pricing</b>	<b>\$130/monthly</b>
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\*Team athletes can take an additional class for 30% off.

## **Costs that are not covered in monthly fee:**

\$35 – Annual Gym Registration Fee – due by 07/12

\$65 – Practice Wear – due by 07/12

\$180 - Uniform and bow - due 08/01

\$30 – USASF (pay them directly) – due 11/01

Make-up

Shoes, socks and sports bra

Expenses associated with competitions (ex: admission, parking)

Team Gifts

## **Scheduled Gym Closings**

Sept 2	Labor Day
Nov 23-29	Thanksgiving Break
Dec 21-Jan 1	Christmas Break
Mar 7-13	Spring Break

**We will have a full calendar of events with closings by August.**

# Code of Conduct

It is important that athletes and parents are aware of the responsibilities required and commitment that he or she is making to the team. We hold our staff, athletes and parents to a higher standard. We care about what your athletes are doing in and outside of the gym.

## Athlete Expectations

- Athletes will arrive to practice 5-10 min early ready to work in designated practice wear. Hair should be pulled up, shoes on, and jewelry off. Fingernails should be trimmed always.
- Athletes will have a positive attitude, encourage teammates and treat each other with respect at practices & competitions.
- Athletes will respect and obey all coaching staff (No eye rolling, back talk, negativity or complaining during practices).
- Athletes will give 100% to achieve personal and team goals
- Athletes will not post routine videos or music to social media/internet without permission.
- Athletes will not post inappropriate pictures or language on any medium.
- Negativity, complaining, bullying, and theft will not be tolerated.
- Each athlete will follow additional rules/guidelines given by coaches or staff and stated in their athlete contract.
- Each athlete must realize the way they conduct themselves while representing Wylie Elite directly reflects the entire team, staff and gym. We expect the highest level of sportsmanship at all our events.
- Each athlete will bring a good work ethic, willingness to work hard, take directions, not be a distraction and strive for excellence.
- The use of alcohol or drugs is not tolerated and will warrant immediate dismissal from the team.

\*Any infractions from the above list could result in extra conditioning, sitting out of practice, or dismissal from the program.

## Parental Obligations, Rules and Regulations

- Parents are to inform both of athlete's coaches via text or email, if the athlete will be late or is sick.
- Parents will make sure that the athlete is on time to practice.
- Parents are to fulfill any financial obligations on time.
- All Parents, including those with blended or divorced families are responsible for knowing the policies and procedures of Wylie Elite.
- Parents are to encourage and support Wylie Elite athletes to be the best they can be.
- Parents are expected to show good sportsmanship and maintain manners at all events.
- Parents will not post videos of routines or music without permission.
- Parents are not allowed to knock on viewing glass or open gym doors to get athlete's attention during practice times.
- Parents will bring all issues/concerns directly to all coaches of their team or Kristy rather than discuss in lobby with other parents.
- Any negative or aggressive behavior towards a Wylie Elite athlete, parent, gym, or staff member verbally or via any medium (i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, internet, cell phone) will not be tolerated.
- The name Wylie Elite or any part of the trademark or logo may not be used without prior written consent from Wylie Elite. Any violation of this agreement may result in legal action.

\*Any infractions from above can result in loss of parent viewing during practices or result in dismissal of athlete from the program.

## Competitions

- Athletes are required to attend all competitions through the awards ceremony. If parents are unable to stay for the whole competition, other arrangements must be made so the athlete can stay.
- The highest standard of sportsmanship is expected from coaches, athletes and parents
- Athletes must arrive prepared for competition. This includes a clean uniform, correct shoes and performance-ready appearance.

## Facilities

- No food or gum in the gym area.
- No water bottles on the mats.
- No climbing on the equipment or running across mats while other classes/practices are in progress.
- No one is allowed in the gym without coach supervision or permission.
- Athletes are expected to leave with all belongings they came with. This includes water bottles, bows and clothing.
- Athletes should respect the lobby area by not being loud, not tumbling, stunting or vandalizing property.

## Parent Consent and Financial Contract

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Wylie Elite offers two options in paying for the program. Costs can be paid up front or over 8 months. The monthly tuition includes regular practices, extra practices, competition fees and choreography/music. Tuition will not be pro-rated for holidays, gym closings and weeks without practices.

For those who choose the monthly option, account must be set up on auto-draft through your bank or with a credit card. Tuition will be drafted on the 1st of each month starting Aug 01, 2019 through March 1, 2020.

If payment is declined, there will be a \$5 fee added to account and new form of payment must be received by the 10th to avoid an additional \$10 late fee. It is very important to communicate any concerning changes that may affect your account. Otherwise, if the account is past due by more than 30 days, the athlete may be asked to sit out of practice.

Each athlete is required to purchase their own uniform, practice clothes, make-up and bows. These are additional costs that are due on specific dates. All optional items purchased, such as warm-ups or spirit wear, must be paid in full at the time of order.

Payments received will be applied to team tuition balances first. If there is a balance on the account at any time, athletes are not allowed to attend open gyms, take private lessons or extra classes without permission from coach or office staff. Wylie Elite reserves the right to remove athletes from the program if their financial obligation is not upheld.

Wylie Elite Exhibition Team is a 8-month commitment. Athletes that are unable to finish the season for any reason, including injury, are still responsible for any fees that were incurred by the gym up to that point. These fees may include practice clothes, uniform, choreography, and competition fees. There are NO REFUNDS for past tuition or fees that have already been paid out. There will be fee of \$50 charged to athletes for quitting the season for any reason other than injury.

If an athlete misses a competition for any reason other than injury, they will be responsible for the amount to refund each team members competition fees for having to pull out of competing.

### Parent or Guardian must initial each:

\_\_\_\_ I have read the Information packet in its entirety and completely understand the policies and expectations set forth by Wylie Elite and promise to uphold and abide by all the rules set forth.

\_\_\_\_ I have read and agree with the attendance expectations and policies for the 2019-2020 season.

\_\_\_\_ I have read and fully understand the Wylie Elite Code of Conduct.

\_\_\_\_ I give permission to use my child's name and picture in all forms of media.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read, understood and agree to each of the terms and conditions set out in the above information and guidelines.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_