



# UAS



# Novice Team Packet

2026 - 2027 SEASON



**Welcome to the Ultimate All Stars family!** This program was created to provide an affordable, local option for all star cheer for athletes and their families. Our goal is to help our athletes build confidence in a fun, positive, respectful environment. We have worked together to build this program from the ground up into a strong, competitive, successful program and we can't wait to see what season 5 holds for our athletes and families!

Please keep in mind that this is a **TEAM** and without the commitment of our athletes and their families, we simply can't perform at 100%. We appreciate your commitment and support! We appreciate your commitment and support! Our novice program is the perfect choice for beginners, athletes who want to continue cheering on their recreational teams, and athletes and families who want to limit their competition travel to New England!

### **IMPORTANT SEASON EVENTS**

- Open House & Free Open Tumble:**  
Saturday May 9th 2:00-4:00pm  
All current and new athletes are welcome! Meet the staff, tour the gym, and work on some tumbling skills in a positive and fun environment!  
Register online!
- Open Gyms:**  
Tuesday May 12th 5:30-6:30 \$20, 6:30-7:30 \$20, 5:30-7:30 \$35  
Thursday May 14th 5:30-6:30 \$20, 6:30-7:30 \$20, 5:30-7:30 \$35  
Register online!
- Parent Info Night:**  
Friday May 15th 6:00pm  
Come to the gym and get all of the season 5 information! Get your questions answered and get a feel for our cheer family and our facility!
- Team Placements**  
Tuesday May 26th 4:45-5:30  
Please come to placements even if you will be on a rec team in the fall and you won't be able to start practices right away in September due to conflicts!  
Register online- \$20
- Team Reveals & Commitment Night**  
Saturday May 30th  
This is a dressy, fun event where we reveal our season theme, team names, competition schedule, and team placement results! Athletes will also do a symbolic signing, showing their commitment to their team! We love this tradition and we have so much fun at this event kicking off the new season with our athletes and families! Athletes & families may start arriving at 6:30pm, our season 5 slideshow and reveals will start promptly at 7:00pm!



### **Anticipated Teams:**

We anticipate fielding 2 novice teams this year - Tiny Competitive Novice and Youth / Junior Competitive Novice! We are so excited to bring Tiny Novice back this year and to continue to grow our successful novice program!

### **Rolling Enrollment:**

Practices for these teams will start in September, but we will have a rolling enrollment for these teams until the beginning of November. If athletes are on a rec team that conflicts with our team practice time, they can still register for the team and be choreographed into the routine when they are able to join. Just reach out to Coach Steph to coordinate this!  
(ultimateallstarsnh@gmail.com)

### **Schedule:**

Practices for our Competitive Novice teams begin in September, with rolling enrollment available through early November.

#### **Tiny Novice Team (Birth Years 2019–2023)**

Saturdays | 9:00–9:30 AM

#### **Youth / Junior Competitive Novice Team (Birth Years 2010–2020)**

Wednesdays | 4:30–5:30 PM

### **Included Training Opportunities**

In addition to weekly team practices, athletes receive additional training opportunities included in tuition:

- Technique & Tumbling Classes (Mondays)

Focused skill development to help athletes continue progressing throughout the season

- Open Gym (Saturdays)

Supervised time for athletes to get extra reps, build confidence, and work on individual skills

### **Optional Summer Preparation**

Youth /Junior novice athletes are encouraged to participate in summer tumbling and technique classes to build skills and confidence prior to the start of the season.

### **Closed Practices:**

Please note that during most team practices and during choreography, the curtains will be closed. This is for the safety and the focus of our athletes. We find that practices are more productive when our athletes are focused on what they are doing in practice and not who is watching in the window. At times we also will invite parents in to watch portions of practices so our athletes can get used to performing in front of an audience! We also usually have the curtains open during tumbling classes, open gyms and technique classes. The gym will also have a video viewing service available soon, similar to Spot TV that we used previously. Details on this are coming soon! **Closed practices do not apply to Tiny Novice.**



## **Competitions**

Our novice teams will attend 5 competitions this year. Our first competition is in January and our final competition is in May. Both of our novice teams will compete in New England only. Competitions are held during the weekends, and novice teams compete one day only. Since we won't have finalized competition schedules until the week of the event, please keep the entire competition day open. Novice teams typically compete in the morning but that is not always the case. Please note that these competitions could happen during school vacation weeks, so please keep these weeks open for competitions at this time. The competition schedule will be released at team reveals so that families have plenty of time to plan accordingly.

## **Travel, Lodging & Chaperones**

All athletes are required to have a chaperone for competitions. It is the responsibility of the parent / guardian to book their own reservations and arrange for travel for all competitions. Venue information, hotel information, schedules, and meet times will be provided as far in advance as possible. Competition producers usually provide performance schedules about a week in advance, and sometimes block schedules are released earlier. We compete with the Open Championship series, so there are no stay to play requirements at any of our events. We will share some hotel options on Band, but families are free to make travel arrangements that work best for them,

## **Attendance**

Ultimate All Stars requires our athletes to attend all practices and competitions. Absences impact individual athletes and the team as whole. When athletes are missing, the team cannot practice all of their routine elements and this hinders their progress. Excused absences are at the discretion of Coach Steph and our studio co-directors. Excessive absences may result in the athlete being moved to an alternate role on the team and removal from routine choreography. If an athlete must miss a practice for any reason, please let Coach Steph know as far in advance as possible using the messaging feature within the BAND app or by emailing her at [ultimateallstarsnh@gmail.com](mailto:ultimateallstarsnh@gmail.com). Please be sure to include any preplanned absences on your conflict form so coaches can plan practices accordingly.

## **Team & Family Expectations**

Ultimate All Stars expects all athletes and families to behave in a way that promotes our program in a positive manner inside and outside the gym. If there is a problem with your athlete or the team that you wish to discuss with us, we encourage you to do so in a respectful manner and without engaging other families in the lobby, on social media, or otherwise. We commit to treating our athletes and families with respect. We will address things in a timely manner and encourage you to do the same. We want this to be a FUN experience, free from drama, and we want our entire family of athletes feeling supported and happy. If we find that an athlete or family is not aligned with these expectations, the co-directors reserve the right to dismiss an athlete / family from the program at any time. We will dismiss an athlete for poor behavior of the athlete or family, in person or on social media, and they will not be refunded. There are no exceptions to this.



## **Contracts**

A contract will be signed by the athlete and the parent(s)/guardian(s) once committed to an Ultimate All Stars team. The above information, as well as the fee schedule outlined below, is included in the contract and we take it very seriously. We expect the athlete and the athlete's family to take it seriously as well and abide by the contract. Please understand that Ultimate All Stars will not pay up front for your athlete's participation. Uniform fees, choreography fees, and competition fees cannot be returned. The contract is binding and the parent/guardian is responsible for all fees and commitments.

## **Fundraising & Fees**

We understand that competitive cheer is a big financial commitment and we want to do everything we can to help offset these costs for our families. We have an established Non Profit Booster Club that offers extensive fundraising to offset these costs. We also pride ourselves on being the most cost effective program in the area. With that said, it is important that families understand they are responsible for the entirety of their tuition and fees by the established due dates.

It is a requirement to have a credit card on file with Creative Dance Workshop. Your athlete will not start practicing with their team unless this is on file, unless you are a confirmed recipient of Class Wallet payments through the EFA program of NH. UAS / CDW is an approved class wallet program.

Families are welcome to make payments at any time and ahead of due dates, and those funds will be applied in their portal.

## **Other Fees:**

Please note that if an athlete leaves the program during or after choreography there is a \$350 re-choreography fee assessed.

There is a \$150 fee assessed in the following circumstances:

- An athlete misses the practice prior to competition
- An athlete misses a competition
- An athlete is significantly late (30 min or more) to a competition meet time

## Ultimate All Stars Fees and Fee Schedule

Please note that your card on file will be automatically charged on the due dates.

**We are proud to be the most cost effective program in the area! We also offer extensive fundraising opportunities through our Non Profit Booster Club to help offset costs!**

**10% Discount if you pay your tuition in FULL for the year at the start of the season.**

Item	Cost	Due Date(s)	Notes
Team Placement Fee	\$20	When you register	Must be paid prior to team placements
Black Sneakers	TBD	TBD	Athletes need a pair of black low top cheer sneakers in a style of their choice - please purchase ASAP - see Coach Steph if you need help with this
Registration Fee	\$50	Sept 1st	\$50/ athlete or \$60/ family *\$10 off if you register & pay by 5/31
Team Events Fee	\$50	Sept 1st	This helps offset costs for team events including our team reveals, holiday party, and end of season banquet
Tiny Novice Monthly Tuition - includes weekly practices	\$52 month	Due the 1 <sup>st</sup> of each month	Sibling discount- \$20 off monthly tuition
Youth / Junior Novice Monthly Tuition - includes all practices, tumbling classes, technique classes, and open gyms	\$120/ month	Due the 1 <sup>st</sup> of each month	Sibling discount - \$20 off monthly tuition for siblings
Program Practicewear	\$130	Sept 15th	This includes a sports bra, a pair of shorts, and a tank top
Choreography & Music	\$225	Oct 15th	
Uniform	\$160	Nov 15th	Same uniforms as last year
Warm up Jacket	\$99	Nov 15th	Jackets are the same as all previous seasons
Bow	\$40	Nov 15th	Tiny Novice will have an accessory instead of a bow

Item	Cost	Due Date(s)	Notes
Competition Fees & Coaches Fees	\$600	\$200 Dec 15th \$200 Jan 15th \$200 Feb 15th	
Hairpiece -Youth / Junior Novice only - Tiny Novice will NOT be using these	\$52.95	Prior to in house showcase	Girly Curls Straight Style 16” Ponytail - can be ordered at <a href="http://www.girlycurls.com">www.girlycurls.com</a> or on Amazon - Coach Steph has a color ring for matching purposes
Make-up	TBD	Prior to in house showcase	Makeup will be purchased on your own - we can put together a package for anyone who wants us to order it for them - makeup details are TBD

\*We also ask for families to note that based on current and future economic fluctuations, prices on goods like uniforms, practicewear, sneakers and some services may increase. CDW/UAS will do everything possible to maintain established prices, but by joining the program you acknowledge that the cost of goods or services may also fluctuate.\*



# Ultimate All Stars 2026 - 2027 Novice Team Contract

*Please Initial Each Item*

I understand that Ultimate All Stars requires my athlete to attend all practices and competitions. If my athlete must miss a practice for any reason, I will let the coaches know as far in advance as possible so that they can plan practices accordingly. I understand that If my athlete has 2 or more unexcused absences they may be moved to an alternate role on the team. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that my athlete is expected to arrive at least 10 minutes prior to practice, fully prepared to begin on time, including having shoes on, hair secured, and having used the restroom before practice begins. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that my athlete is required to have a chaperone for all away trips and It is my responsibility to book reservations and arrange for travel for all competitions. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that my athlete will attend 5 one day competitions in New England from January to May. I understand that these competitions could happen during school vacation weeks and I will keep vacation weeks open for competitions until the competition schedule is finalized. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that I am expected to behave in a way that promotes Ultimate All Stars in a positive manner inside and outside the gym. If there is a problem that I wish to discuss, I will do so in a respectful manner and without engaging other families in the lobby, on social media, or otherwise. I will treat all athletes, families, staff and coaches from our program and other programs with respect. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that I am to communicate with UAS / CDW staff using band and/or studio gym email only unless there is an emergency. \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read the Ultimate All Stars handbook and I agree to abide by the rules and regulations outlined in the handbook.**

Athlete's First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Ultimate All Stars Novice Team Fee Acknowledgement Form

*Please Initial Each Item*

I acknowledge the following fees for participating in UAS for the 2026-2027 Novice Team season:

- Team Placement Fee is \$20 - due when registering / prior to placements \_\_\_\_\_
- Registration Fee is \$50 / athlete or \$60 / family - due Sept. 1st (\$10 off if paid before 5/31) \_\_\_\_\_
- Team Events Fee is \$50 - due Sept 1st \_\_\_\_\_
- Tiny Novice monthly tuition is \$52 / month (includes weekly practices) - due the first of each month from Sept - April \_\_\_\_\_
- Youth / Junior Monthly Tuition is \$120 / month (includes practices, tumbling classes, open gyms & technique classes) - due the first of each month from Sept - April \_\_\_\_\_
- Low top black sneakers of your choice are to be purchased on your own ASAP \_\_\_\_\_
- Program Practicewear is \$130 - due Sept 15th \_\_\_\_\_
- Choreography and Music is \$275 - due Sept 15th \_\_\_\_\_
- For uniform Items, write N/A if your athlete is a returning athlete and doesn't need a replacement item
- Uniform (top & skirt) is \$160 - due November 15th \_\_\_\_\_
- Warm Up Jacket is \$99 - due November 15th \_\_\_\_\_
- Bow / Accessory is \$40 - due November 15th \_\_\_\_\_
- Competition & Coaches Fees are \$600, divided into 3 \$200 payments (due Dec. 15th, Jan. 15th, and Feb. 15th) \_\_\_\_\_
- I understand that I need to purchase my own hairpiece for my athlete for \$52.95 (details in packet) prior to the in house showcase in January (Youth / Junior Novice only) \_\_\_\_\_
- I understand that I need to purchase makeup for my athlete - details are TBD \_\_\_\_\_
- I understand that if my athlete leaves the program during or after choreography there is a \$150 re-choreography fee assessed \_\_\_\_\_
- I understand that a \$150 fee is assessed in the following circumstances: my athlete misses the practice prior to competition, my athlete misses a competition, and/or my athlete is significantly late (30 min or more) to a competition meet time \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete's First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## 2026-2027 Season Novice Team Conflict Form

At Ultimate All Stars we understand that athletes may have commitments (family vacations, school events, summer camps, etc.) that will cause them to miss practice. Please list any conflicts that you are aware of on this form. Thank you!

**PLEASE NOTE THAT COMPETITIONS MAY FALL ON SCHOOL VACATION WEEKS - OUR COMPETITION SCHEDULE WILL BE FINALIZED AND DISTRIBUTED AT TEAM REVEALS!**

Athlete's Name (First & Last): \_\_\_\_\_

September Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

October Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

November Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

December Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

January Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

February Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

March Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

April Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_

May Conflicts: \_\_\_\_\_