



**OUR MISSION:**

Is to develop athletes who excel both on and off the mat. We believe in "trusting the process" and emphasize the importance of **dedication, perseverance, and a positive mindset**. Our goal is to push each athlete to reach their full potential while maintaining a **supportive and encouraging environment**.

THIS IS THE GREAT LAKES WAY.

# SEASON 2026- 2027

# GREAT LAKES CHEER FORCE

# INFO.

## ABOUT US

*Great Lakes Cheer Force is excited and ready to see where this upcoming season takes us. As we continue to grow, we are proud to offer evaluations open to all divisions—**Elite, Prep, and Rec**—giving every athlete the opportunity to find the best fit for their skills, goals, and commitment level.*

*At GLCF, we believe in long-term development over quick progression. It's important for families to know that it is completely normal—and often beneficial—for athletes to remain at the same team level for multiple seasons. Growth in cheer isn't just about moving up; it's about building strong fundamentals, confidence, and consistency that set athletes up for lasting success. We are committed to creating an environment where every athlete feels supported, challenged, and proud of their journey. No matter the path, we're excited to take the next steps together this season.*

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**UNLEASH YOUR FULL POTENTIAL AT GREAT LAKES CHEER FORCE:  
WHERE EXPECTATIONS, COACHING, AND ATHLETES ARE A UNITED  
FORCE AND FOREVER FAMILY!**

# OUR TEAM OPTIONS



**SAVE THE DATES:**

**Open Gym Thursdays**  
 May 6th, 11<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>  
 5-6:15pm / 6:30-7:45pm \$15.00

**Season 3 Evals** May 17-21st

**New Parent Phone Calls by Request.**

**SEASON THREE  
 2026 - 2027**



	<b>FULL YEAR SEMI-TRAVEL</b>	<b>FULL YEAR LOCAL TRAVEL</b>	<b>HALF YEAR CHEER TEAMS</b>	<b>FULL/HALF YEAR NOVICE</b>
<b>Duration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>July - April</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>July - April</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>November - April</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>July- Nov. training only</li> <li>Nov. - April as a team</li> </ul>
<b>Practices</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 days per week, Sundays apply</li> <li>3-5 hrs. per week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1-2 days per week, Sundays may apply</li> <li>2-3 hrs. per week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 day per week</li> <li>1.5 hrs. per week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 day per week</li> <li>50 min per week</li> </ul>
<b>Competition</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local and out of state</li> <li>Jan. - April</li> <li>6-7 events + showcase</li> <li>Out of state event season finale</li> <li>1-2 comps per month</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local (~2 hrs.)</li> <li>Jan.-April</li> <li>4-5 events + showcase</li> <li>1 comp per month</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local (~2 hrs.)</li> <li>Feb.-April</li> <li>2-3 events + showcase</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local (~2 hrs.)</li> <li>Feb.-April</li> <li>2-3 events + showcase</li> </ul>
<b>Ages</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ages 5-18</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ages 5-16</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ages 5+</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beginners ages 4-7 (age 3 allowed per coach approval)</li> </ul>
<b>Divisions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prep or Elite</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prep, Rec, or Novice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prep, Rec, or Novice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Novice</li> </ul>
<b>Requirements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cheer/Tumble Experience for Elite</li> <li>Evaluations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evaluations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No requirements</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Great for entry level athletes. No requirements.</li> </ul>



# Pricing



## Payments:

- **Yearly registration Fee is Due in July.**
- **Tuition due on the 1st of the month** - late fees will apply.
- Extra fees (everything except monthly tuition) can be paid in full or in 5 payments.
- **ALL extra fees paid up front IN JULY** (paid via Cash OR CHECK), **eligible for a \$75 discount.**
- **ALL extra fees and tuition paid in Full IN JULY**, eligible for a \$125 discount (Full year teams only)
- Sibling discount 15% (Full year teams only)

	<b>FULL YEAR SEMI-TRAVEL</b>	<b>FULL YEAR LOCAL TRAVEL</b>	<b>HALF YEAR CHEER TEAMS</b>	<b>FULL/HALF YEAR NOVICE</b>
<b>Registration</b>	• \$75	• \$75	• \$75	• \$75
<b>Tuition</b>	• July-Aug. \$140/mo • Sep.-April \$160/mo	• July-April \$140/mo	• Nov.-April \$125/mo	• \$90/mo
<b>**Gear</b>	• Uni, Bow, & Socks \$525 (used 2 years, 2026 will be a new uni year) • Practice Wear \$170 • Shoes \$115	• Uni & Bow \$350 (used 2 years, 2026 will be a new uni year) • Practice Wear \$85 • Shoes \$115	• Uni & bow \$225 • Practice Tee \$25 • Shoes on own	• Uni & Bow \$225 • Practice Tee \$25 • Shoes on own
<b>**Comp Fees</b>	• ~\$700-800	• ~\$500-600	• ~\$350	• ~\$350
<b>Team Fees</b>	• Stunt Camp \$110 • Choreography \$250 • Music \$80 • Coach Fee \$250	• Stunt Camp \$110 • Choreography \$150 • Music \$60 • Coach Fee \$175	• Music \$20 • Coach Fee \$80 (Coach does choreo)	• Music \$20 • Coach Fee \$80 (Coach does choreo)
<b>Does not include end of season event, travel, or uniform body liner. Tiny travel team pricing varies between semi/local tiny uniform is \$350.</b>				

\*\* These fees are **ESTIMATED AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE** based upon event producers and clothing vendors. We will always choose the best option when event producers release schedules and fees, and when choosing gear.

# EVALUATION INFORMATION

MAY 17- MAY 21

**EVALUATIONS ARE FOR FULL YEAR TEAMS ONLY.**



## SCHEDULE

*Please choose session based on level and birth year!*

### SUNDAY MAY 17-

12-2pm **LV 1** (2017-2021)

2:15-4:15pm **LV 1** (2010-2016)

4:30-6:30pm **LV 2 -3** (2010-2016)

### MONDAY/WEDNESDAY-

5:00- 6:30PM **LV 1** (2017-2021)

6:45-8:15PM **LV 1** (2010-2016)

### TUESDAY/THURSDAY-

5:00- 6:30PM **L2** (2010-2016)

6:45-8:15PM **L3** (2010-2016)



## PRICE

### RETURNING ATHLETES:

\$35 per athlete

Discount Code on Heja

### NEW ATHLETES:

\$55 per athlete



## WHAT TO BRING

- WATER BOTTLE
- CHEER SHOES
- A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AND READINESS TO SHOWCASE SKILLS!



## ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES

**LEVEL ONE:** Cartwheel/Back walkover or NO tumbling experience.

**LEVEL TWO:** Unassisted Back Handspring, Roundoff back Handspring series

**LEVEL THREE:** Standing Back Handspring Series, Round off Tuck

**\*\*BIRTH YEARS 2009-2007 SHOULD ATTEND THE LEVEL 3 SESSIONS!**

## EVALUATION INFORMATION

### Athletes should:

- Wear ALL BLACK and wear hair in high pony with a bow.
- Attend the HIGHEST LEVEL SAFELY PERFORMED WITHOUT A SPOT.
- Attend **ALL 3** days!

**NEW ATHLETES - MAY HAVE IN-PERSON INTERVIEWS.**

### ★ Skills considered for team placements include:

- COACHABILITY
- ATTITUDE
- TUMBLING
- JUMPS
- STUNTING ABILITY/POSITION
- PRIOR YEAR ATTENDANCE (IF APPLICABLE)

**TEAMS  
ANNOUNCED  
JUNE 2<sup>ND</sup> VIA EMAIL**



# PROJECTED PRACTICE SCHEDULE:



<p><b>JULY- AUGUST</b></p>	<p><b>TUESDAY WEDNESDAY (ONLY ONE DAY IN SUMMER!)</b></p>	<p>TUES: YOUTH/JUNIOR/SENIOR WED: TINY/MINI/LOCAL (FINAL AFTER EVALS)</p>
<p><b>Sept - April</b></p>	<p><b>MONDAY</b></p>	<p>Tumbling Classes</p>
	<p><b>TUESDAY</b></p>	<p>Senior 5:00-7:00 Mini 6:30-8:00</p>
	<p><b>WEDNESDAY</b></p>	<p>Tiny 5-6:15 Youth 6:15-8:15</p>
	<p><b>THURSDAY</b></p>	<p>Local Travel 5-6:30 Junior 6:15-8:15</p>
	<p><b>SUNDAY two per month</b></p>	<p>Times TBD for Semi Travel and Local travel</p>

Competition schedule will be released in September.

Competitions begin in January.

Semi Travel will have an end of season event in April, based on bids recieved.

**PRACTICE SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON TEAMS AND COACHES.**

# GREAT LAKES CHEER FORCE

# RULES

## PAYMENT:



### Payments are due by the 1st of the month.

If a payment is not made by the 15th of the month a \$25 late fee will be applied to your account. We do not prorate for missed classes, instead added practices have no additional charge. We do not refund for missed tumbling sessions.



### Returned Check Fee is \$25



Any athlete with an account balance prior to competition, will **not** be able to compete.



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## ATTENDANCE POLICY:



Attendance is key to the team's success!

After 3 missed absences, coaches will review key roles on teams. Athletes may be removed from stunts, and or formations. Missed practice the week of competition will result in removal of that competition.



No parents, or unenrolled children are allowed on the cheer floor, or tumbling equipment at anytime. A waiver must be signed before an athlete can participate. Athletes must wait patiently for class to begin, and shouldn't use any equipment prior to class time.



**PARENT VIEWING:** We do not offer a parent viewing area for team practices. Parents are asked to drop and go, unless athletes are under 5 years old. We will work on providing a parent portal, for viewing from home/car/work/out of town!



**MAY**  
**6<sup>TH</sup> 11<sup>TH</sup> 13<sup>TH</sup>**  
**OPENGYM** 5-6:15  
 6:30-7:45  
 COST: \$15 EACH DAY

**17-21** **SUN-THURS**  
**SEASON 3** \$55 NEW  
**EVALUATIONS** ATHLETES  
 \$35 RETURNING  
 ATHLETES  
 SEE DETAILED SCHEDULE ABOVE

**JUNE**  
 CHECK ICLASS PRO FOR OFF  
 SEASON CAMPS AND CLINICS

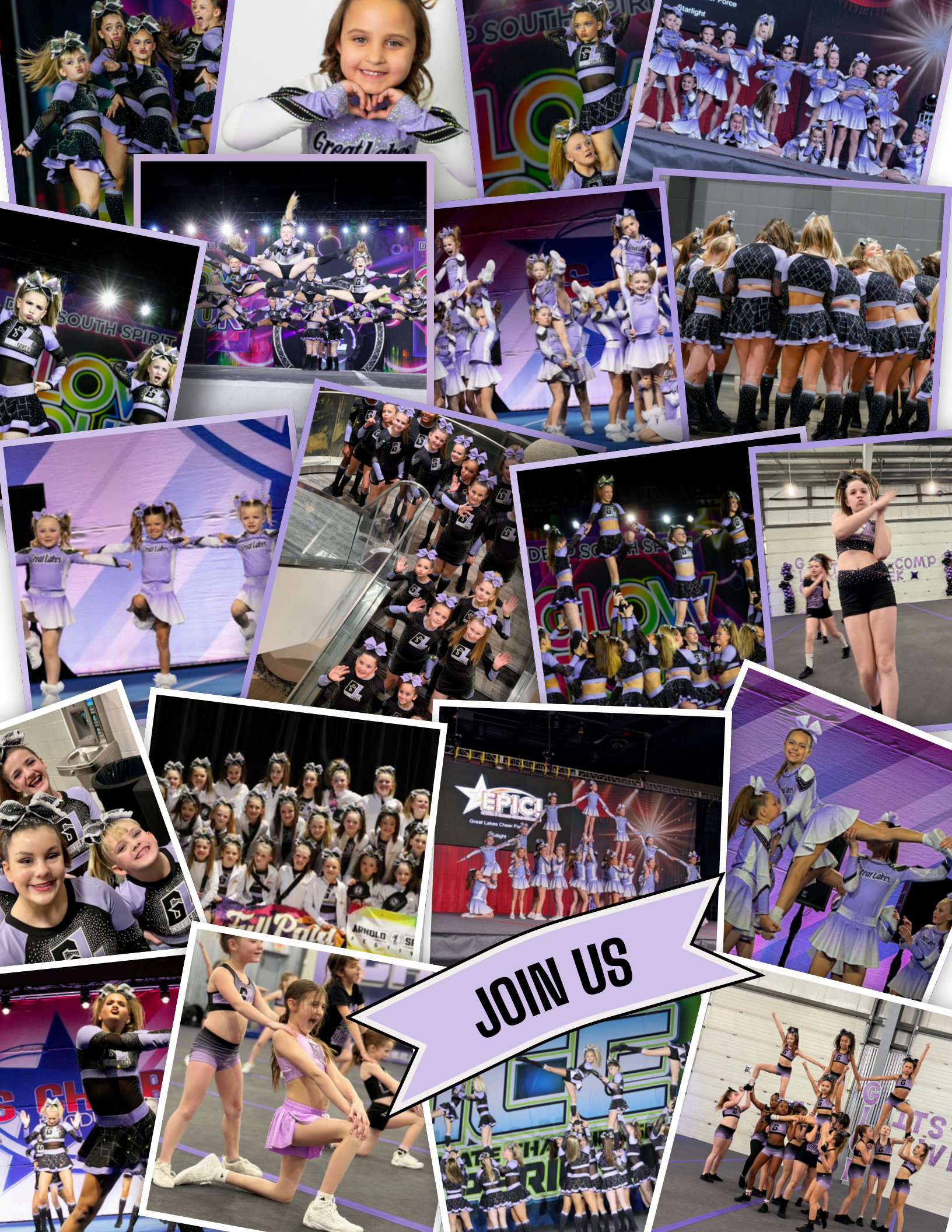
**JULY**  
**7<sup>TH</sup>** **TUE-WED**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> WEEK OF **PRACTICE**  
 TIMES: TBD

**AUG**  
**15-16** **SAT-SUN**  
**STUNT CAMP**  
 TIME: TBD

**SEPT/OCT**  
**TEAM CHOREO**  
 ESTIMATED DATES:  
 SEPTEMBER 25/26/27 OR  
 OCTOBER 16/17/18/19

Great





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