

SPS Cheerleading Organization

There is a \$60 registration fee which will be collected for each child participating in the program.

- SPS Cheerleading is not funded by the CYO Program.
- We raise our funds from registration and various fundraisers through the year.
- The \$60 fee covers the costs of the program. SPS Cheerleading will provide the uniform and under garments.
- SPS Cheerleading will provide each cheerleader with a medallion or small trophy upon completion of the season and we will have a pizza party to celebrate.

Uniforms will be fitted during the first few weeks of practice.

Parents will need to purchase white ankle socks and sneakers. The Niki Side Line cheer sneakers can be purchased at Sports Paradise located at Route 130 North, Edgewater Park. Please tell Ron or Craig you are with St Paul's so that your child is fitted for the correct sneaker type. This is an athletic sneaker and meets the safety requirement from the diocese. Please try to get your sneakers as soon as possible as your child will need them for practices. If they do not have your size, it will be ordered.

Forms that will be need to be completed for Registration purposes:

Medical and Liability Release Form

This must be signed and witnessed by a notary. You must have a valid form of identification, and the medical insurance information needed to complete this form.

Parent Code of Conduct Form

Parent will be required to sign the Parent Code of Conduct mandated by the CYO organization and turned into the coach. The Notary has to witness your signature. Please bring your license to the parent meeting as it is required to identify you and your signature.

Uniform Agreement Form

This form must be signed by one parent and turned into your coach.

Physical Form

All athletes must have a current physical (completed within the last year), and the new form must be completed by your child's Physician stating your child is in good health and is able to participate in sports. I also need to be informed of any known diseases or illnesses. This must be turned in your child's coach as soon as possible, but no later than the first week of November.

Behavior Agreement

We encourage all parents to review with their child. SPS Cheerleading follows our school rules and all athletes and parents must review and sign. This form should be turned into your coach at the first practice.

Transportation – Coaches will not be responsible for transporting children to games or practices.

Drop Off -

Do not drop off children at roadside or in the parking lot. For safety purposes, parents should enter into the gym when dropping off and picking up your child and make sure the coach is there prior to your departure. Never leave your child unattended. I don't want children running out of the gym to look for you in the parking area. Please come in and remove them personally after practices or games.

Practice Schedule

Location: St Paul's School – Mondays as needed, 6:30-8pm

Samuel Smith School in Burlington City

Wednesdays and Fridays, 6:30pm until 8:00pm

If you child can not attend a practice, please contact your coach either by email or cell phone by 6pm. We only allow 3 missed practices a year. Attendance is a requirement.

Practice Attire – Girls should wear shorts, tee shirt, white socks and cheer sneakers for all practices. No jeans or clothes with any ornaments. Hair must be worn away from the face and neck at all practices, ponytails if your child's hair is long. **No jewelry** of any kind. This is for everyone's safety. No snacks or chewing gum during practices. Please provide child with bottled water or juice.

Game Schedule

Game schedules, once finalize, will be distributed. We only cheer for home games. The games will start in January 2017.

Once the games begin, girls should arrive 20 minutes prior to the start of home game. Girls should be in complete uniform, skirt, vest undergarments, white socks and cheer sneakers. Hair must be worn away from the face and no jewelry.

If you child can not attend the game, please contact your coach either by email or cell one hour prior to the start time of the game.

Competition

If there is a desire and enough participants, St. Paul's Cheerleading will participate in a 2017 Competition Event. Registration, camp and more information will follow once dates are confirmed.

Any questions, please contact Maria Hogan Home 609-387-1132 or Cell 609-923-7930.