

Competition Commitment Policy 2024/25

By confirming your acceptance to your season 16 squad, you are accepting the following policies:

I understand we will be attending the following competition during Season 16 (and NOT limited to):

1. Cheer City Autumn Adventure – Coventry, 23rd/24th November 2024 (IQ ONLY)
2. BCA Winter Weekender – Blackpool, 7th/8th December 2024 (PP and LR ONLY)
3. BCA Bid Battle – Stoneleigh, 25th January 2025 (LR ONLY)
4. Legacy Stand Strong – Newcastle, 8th/9th February 2025 (EVERYONE – except IQ)
5. Revolution Cheer Revolt – Sheffield, 15th/16th February 2025 (IQ ONLY)
6. NCA, Texas (PP ONLY)
7. Jamfest Northerns – Blackpool, 8th/9th March 2025 (EVERYONE – except IQ)
8. ICC British Open – Nottingham, 29th/30th March 2025 (LR ONLY)
9. All Star Worlds, Florida (IQ and PP ONLY)
10. The Cheerleading Worlds (LR ONLY)
11. Cheer City Nationals – Sheffield, 31st May/1st June 2025 (EVERYONE)

Some squads may also attend additional or alternative competitions

Supervision

ALL Lazer athletes under the age of 16 MUST have an adult or parent supervision at EVERY competition at ALL times. We cannot be responsible for your athlete during a competition day due to coaches being extremely busy. The only times we will be responsible for your athlete is going to warm up, during warm up and when they're performing. We will ensure they return back to you safely as soon as they come off the competition floor.

Transport

I understand that I am responsible for organizing my own transport and hotels for these competitions - Do NOT commit to all the competitions UNLESS you have confirmed travel arrangements. This is NOT the job of the coaches or other parents or TEAM Mum/Dad to organize it for you! I understand that any hotels booked are under my responsibility and that all competitions are subject to cancellation or change by Lazer Cheer. I understand Lazer Cheer advises to book hotels with refundable cancellation policies. I understand Lazer Cheer is NOT responsible for any hotel or travel costs incurred. I understand Lazer Cheer will NOT arrange any transport or accommodation for its athletes and their spectators. I understand that should I need to stay overnight, all 16 and under athletes MUST have a parent/ guardian with them at all times and they are not under the responsibility of other parents (unless specified) or the coaches.

Financial commitment

I understand I must be able to commit financially to all the competitions and the costs involved. I understand my fees must be paid on time along with my spectator tickets. I refer to the financial commitment policy.

Red zone training for competitions

I understand that EVERY last 3 training sessions before a competition is RED ZONE training and should I/ my athlete miss a training sessions during the red zone, there is a possibility they will not be allowed to compete in the next upcoming competition and that any fees involved will NOT be refunded.

Competition behaviour and etiquette

I understand that athletes MUST attend competitions in their season 16 t-shirt. I understand I must remain in my season 16 t-shirt straight after competing and before competing to protect my uniform. I understand my behaviour should be that of respectable, friendly and supporting towards other squads and programs. I understand I must not approach the judges at any point during the competition. I understand to respect all Lazer Coaches and Team Parents at the competitions at all times. I understand I will be given all the competition information PRIOR to competing and I must have this on me throughout the competition to ensure I am ready on time for all my routines. I understand that should I suffer an injury at the competition I MUST report it to a Lazer Coach FIRST not the event producers. I understand I must ensure I remove my bag off chairs should the competition become busy and the seat is required for a spectator. **I also understand that the first row of seats at all competitions will be reserved for coaches so that they are able to quickly get to their bags during their busy comp days.**

We cannot save seats at competitions so if you would like to get a good seat and sit with the rest of the program then you will need to be at the competition earlier than your arrival time.

SPECTATOR TICKET PRE WARNING

As cheerleading in the UK continues to grow at a RAPID rate, competition providers MAY limit spectator tickets i.e. 1 ticket per athlete to ensure child protection and safety. This hasn't been confirmed for any competitions we are attending as of yet, but please be aware this is currently happening at some very popular competitions!

There is also a possibility that the competitions will be split in to sessions rather than day tickets. This could mean that if your athlete does more than 1 team, you may be required to purchase more than 1 session ticket if the routines are in different sessions.

BY SIGNING UP TO SEASON 16 YOU WILL BE AGREEING WITH THIS POLICY.