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We have provided you with highlights of the SLYC Program below.  
Please take the time to read all information before you register with SLYC.

**Please note, dates/times are subject to change.**

### **Cheerleading Season:**

- All competition cheerleaders must participate in Camp/Choreography, Practices, Football Games (home & away), and any competition we have entered. Any cheerleader having to miss any portion of this schedule must notify the Executive Board & Coach as soon as possible for special consideration. Further details on our attendance policy are available in the Attendance Policy document.
- **Picture Day:** August 2024
- **Mandatory Camps:** These will occur in August. Camps are on multiple days and are for skill development and choreography.
  - **Stunt Clinics:**
    - Mighty Mites 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: August 2024
    - Mites: August 2024
    - PW: August 2024
    - Midgets: August 2024
  - **Choreography:**
    - Mighty Mites 1<sup>st</sup> Grade: August 2024
    - Mighty Mites 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Saturday 8/10, 9-3pm AND Sunday 8/11: 9-3pm
    - Mites: August TBD
    - Peewees: Saturday 8/10 AND Sunday 8/11 - Time TBD
    - Midgets – Friday 8/23 2:30pm-8:30pm AND Saturday 8/24 2:30-8:30pm
- **Summer Practices (Sideline Only and Competition Teams):** Summer practice will start the first week of August and are held outside on Tues, Wed, and/or Thurs from 5:30pm - 7:30pm for all teams. Thursday will be saved for any weather cancellations.
- **September-November Practices (Competition Teams ONLY):**
  - **PRACTICES:** Move inside after Pep Rally in September. Two (2) days of practice will be held for 2024. We reserve the right to increase to three (3) as we get closer to competitions.
    - Mighty Mite 2, Mite, Peewee, Midget, and/or Mixed teams will hold 2 days of practice on either Tues, Wed, Thurs or Fri (squad specific days/times TBD).



- Mighty Mite 1 will practice (1) day/week
- **TUMBLING:** Infinite Tumbling
  - Private SLYC tumbling for all teams. Cheerleaders will practice for 1hr dedicated to improving tumbling skills
  - Dates/Times: TBD
- **Football Season:** The season runs from September through November (including Playoffs and the division Superbowl as applicable). Transportation is not provided. A game calendar with locations will be posted on our web page as soon as it's available and most likely not before mid August. We cheer in ALL weather.
  - Mighty Mites 2 (MM2), Mites, Peewees and Midgets teams cheer at both home and away games. Games are held on Saturday (MM2) and Sundays with usually one Saturday night game.
  - Mighty Mites 1 cheer at home games only as well as Mighty Mite Jamboree(s).
- **Pep Rally:** TBD. All teams are to perform their halftime routine.
- **Competition:** Silver Lake Youth Cheerleading participates in up to four (4) competitions during the season (typically end of October to Mid-November). MM2 will not attend NECD.
  - Spirit Spooktacular, Saturday, 10/26/24 - Location TBD
  - East Coast Showdown – Saturday, 11/02/24 - Location TBD
  - NECD – Saturday, 11/09/24, Reggie Lewis Center, Boston, MA
  - Platinum Championship - 11/16/24 - Location TBD
  - OCYCA – Saturday, 11/23/24 - Location TBD

### **Expected Costs:**

In addition to the registration, parents must cover the following expenses (this is a summary and other small expenses may pop up during the season).

- **Required Uniform Accessories:**  
Not included in uniform fee: Cheer sneakers, black sports bra, and white no show socks.
- **Optional Costs:**  
Pictures, winter gear, and other SLYC gear (track suits, jerseys, hats, etc) are offered for additional costs but are not required to be purchased.
- A uniform deposit of \$250 is required before a cheerleader will be allowed to receive his/her uniform. The deposit should be made by check and dated 12/1 of the current year. Uniforms are the property of Silver Lake Youth Cheerleading, Inc and the deposit partially covers the cost of the top and skirt. The deposit will not be cashed if the uniform is returned cleaned and not damaged/altered.

### **Fundraising:**



- Fundraising is a necessary part of our organization. It allows us to keep costs from growing and be able to invest in SLYC to keep enhancing the program in the ever-changing world of cheerleading. It is expected that every family participates in all fundraising efforts. A \$200 fundraising check dated for 9/1 will be deposited. You will need to participate in fundraising to recoup that cost.

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**Thank you and we look forward to a great season!**

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