

SCA STUNT

STUNT Information Packet 2025-2026





SCA CLUB STUNT OUR MISSION

Stunt Cheer Academy helps

push athletes to be the best version of themselves. Athletes learn STUNT the Sport, but they also will be given lifelong skills that will help them throughout their lives. The progress our athletes see in positive and productive surroundings can be amazing. A pat on the back, a high five, and positive reinforcement can go a long way. At Stunt Cheer Academy, our mission is to empower young athletes through the dynamic sport of Stunt, fostering not only competitive excellence but also teamwork, discipline, and resilience. We are committed to providing a transformative experience that develops individual growth and cultivates leaders, both in The sport and in life. As the 1st Stunt club in Arkansas, we strive to set the standard for excellence, innovation, and integrity in the sport, ensuring every athlete has the opportunity to reach their full potential and explore extensive scholarship opportunities. Our goal is to inspire, challenge, and support our athletes as they ascend to new heights in a safe and supportive environment.

Program Expectations

•Commitment to Execllence:

Athletes are expected to dedicate themselves fully to training and improvement, maintaining a high standard of performance at all times.

•The World Needs More Cheer :

As Stunt is a team-oriented sport, participants must work collaboratively, supporting and uplifting one another both in practice and in competition.

Respect and Sportsmanship :

Respect for coaches, fellow athletes, competitors, and the sport itself is paramount. Good sportsmanship should be displayed at all times.

•Discipline and Punctuality:

Athletes are expected to attend all practices and events on time, prepared, and ready to engage fully in activities.

• Safety First:

Adhering to safety protocols and guidelines is non-negotiable. Athletes must commit to safe practice techniques to ensure the well-being of all participants.

Continuous Improvement:

Athletes should continually seek to enhance their skills and performance, taking constructive feedback positively and applying it diligently.

• Representation:

As members of a pioneering program, athletes are expected to represent the program positively in public and social media, acting as ambassadors of the sport.

What We Are About:

Innovation in Sport

We are at the forefront of developing Stunt as a competitive sport, introducing new techniques and strategies to advance our athletes and the sport itself. Leadership Development

Our program focuses not just on athletic achievement but also on developing leaders. We provide opportunities for athletes to grow into roles that enhance their leadership capabilities.

Community and inclusion

We strive to create an inclusive environment where athletes from all backgrounds feel welcome, respected, and valued.





STUNT the Sport

STUNT is one of the fastest growing female sports in the country and was just given NCAA DII 'Emerging Sport For Women' status as of January 2023! As a new form of competitive cheerleading, STUNT is performed in a head-to-head 4-quarter format. Each quarter focuses on different elements of competitive cheerleading.

Quarter 1: Partner Stunts

Quarter 2: Pyramids & Tosses Quarter 3: Jumps & Tumbling Quarter 4: Team Routine

Within each Quarter, there are 2-4 rounds of play,

dependent upon age category. Each "round" of play will focus on a pre-set routine that ranges in skill level. (Skill Grid breakdowns by age and level at the end of this informational packet). For 8U teams, there are 3 potential levels of play while 11U, 14U, and 18U have a potential of 6 levels of play. Each "play" will last 30 seconds, or ten 8-counts long. A game of STUNT typically lasts about 45-60 minutes.

Scoring officials will determine the number and degree

of errors made by each team during play. The team with the fewest deductions is declared the winner of each round, receiving points toward their final score. Learn more about STUNT the Sport by visiting www.stuntthesport.org

You Belong Here

We are so excited to release our information for the upcoming 2024 Club STUNT Season. We want to get our dates and pricing out as soon as we could to help families plan!

The World Needs More Cheer

Today, more than ever, the world needs more cheer. Cheer offers hope, purpose, and community. It **inspires, empowers, & frees.** It unshackles children from society's constraints & expectations, and, it never judges...except for those 30-second plays on the mat.

At SCA we believe... That cheer prepares you for the sport called life. In freeing your inner cheerleader. That mat talk can change lives. In changing lives, one 8-count at a time and more than anything, **the world needs more cheer.**







Team Placements

Team placement sessions are essentially low-stress workouts. During the workouts, athletes show skills they have developed and demonstrate a potential to learn new skills.

After the final session of evaluations, the staff

assembles rosters for the upcoming season. There are many things considered when placing athletes and forming teams. Athletes' individual skills, experience, age, and what would form the most competitive and successful team are taken into consideration. After rosters are set, athletes (or parents) are contacted by phone to let them know the results of the evaluations.

We offer multiple evaluation sessions. Athletes are only

required to attend one evaluation session for STUNT the sport.

There are 5 potential age groups an athlete could be placed in:

8U: 5 to 8 years old

11U: 8 to 11 years old 14U: 11 to 14 years old 18U: 14 to 18 years old 18+: 18 to 25 years old

Athletes will be placed on the team that correlates

with their age group. "League Age" is determined by the age of the athlete as of June 1, 2024. Each team will consist of anywhere between 8-24 athletes. As in most sports, athletes will be given the opportunity to learn all choreography and plays for all levels. Athletes will be chosen to perform in selected plays within their skill level and which benefits the team.

All athletes attending an evaluation will be selected

for a team. If SCA is not able to find a placement for an athlete, 100% of the tryout fee will be credited back. If an athlete chooses to decline a roster spot prior to June 15th, 2024, the initial tuition will be credited back.



Practice and Attendance

All teams have a one practice day per week and the schedule will be determined after tryouts. From September through December, please count on extended or additional team practice leading up to any performances, scrimmages, games, or tournaments. Practice times usually remain consistent throughout the season and are only changed as needed. Additional practice outside of weekly scheduled practice is highly encouraged.

During important times of the season, extra

practices may be scheduled. These practices are typically scheduled well in advance and all athletes are expected to attend.





Game / Tournament Schedule

Game/Tournament schedule will depend on age division. The cost of the season that is paid in your monthly tuition cost includes the fees associated with registering and participating in 3-5 different events.

The 8U and 11U age groups are not eligible for postseason tournaments but may still travel nationally to play. All other divisions (14U, 18U, 18+) will travel nationally to play other teams within their age groups and work towards a chance to be invited to postseason tournament play.

Finalized Game/Tournament schedules will be release

in the month of August after teams have been set and tournament registration opens. Please count on a performance at our showcase that we will be hosting!

Cost / Tuition

STUNT the Sport, while not as costly as some youth activities, can still be expensive. Before considering SCA or any program, please consider the financial commitment involved.

We have a comprehensive monthly price that covers most of the expenses throughout the year. During the 2024 Club STUNT season, there will be 7 monthly charges beginning June 2024 through December 2024. *The first month of tuition will be charged on Saturday, June 8, 2024*. Tuition will be payable on the 1st of each month beginning July 2024. (July tuition July 1st, etc.)



This monthly fee covers tuition and most other expenses and does not fluctuate from month-to-month. Tuition does not change based on the number or length of practices in any particular month. Costs vary depending on location – please see tuition listing for your facility.

The season price covers all expected costs

including annual team fees, regular season game/tournament fees, music, choreography, and coaching fees. Not included in this cost is any apparel items that the athlete will keep, cost for travel and stay for away games/tournaments, post-season tournament fees, and USA Cheer Athlete Membership Fee.



2024 SCA INFORMATION

EVALUATION SESSION DATES

SESSION 1

Time and Dates to be announced2pm - 3pmAthletes age 5-113pm - 4pmAthletes age 12 & up

SESSION 2

Time and Dates to be	announced
11am – 12pm	Athletes age 5-11
12pm – 1pm	Athletes age 12 & up

EVALUATION FEES

Season consists of 7 monthly payments, June 2024 – December 2024 **Regular Athlete Pricing**

	Monthly
8U & 11U	\$175
14U/18U/18+	\$195

CROSSOVER ATHLETE PRICING**

This is discounted pricing for any of the CF All Star Team Athletes ONLY.

Crossover Athlete Pricing

-	Monthly
8U & 11U	\$175
14U/18U/18+	\$195

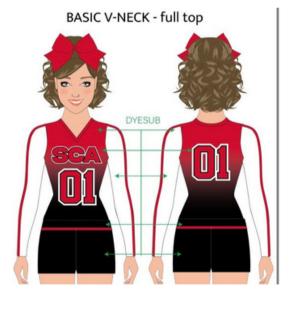
OTHER COSTS

- Game Day Uniform \$285 (more information below) Annual
- Registration Fee \$ 50 USA Cheer
- . STUNT Athlete Membership Fee (due to USA Cheer)
 - o \$25 (new member)
- Possibility of extra game/tournament fees if cost exceeds the anticipated amount (added cost likely under \$200 total)
- Possibility of extra costs for post-season bid tournaments (State/Regional/National Championships) Travel to and from games.

SEASON APPAREL (estimates)

PACKAGE DEAL

Uniform and Practice \$285





SKILL GRID (FROM FALL 2022 SEASON ROUTINES)

Level 1

8U

Partner Stunts

Level 1

- 1/4 Up to Shoulder
 1/2 Up to Load Sit
- Shoulder Sit to
- Prep
- Prep to Thigh Stand Prep
- Prep

Level 3

- Shoulder Level Liberty
- Switch to Hitch at Waist Lvl
- Show-n-Go
 - Prep
 - Waist Lvl Straddle
 - to Thigh Stand 1/2 Up to Thigh
 - Stand

Jumps & Tumbling

Level 2

- Toe Touch
- Forward Roll Cartwheel Cartwheel
 - Toe Touch Power Hurdle Front Forward Roll
 - Walkover Handstand
 - Forward Roll

Level 3

- Cartwheel
 - Handstand

 - Toe Touch
 - Cartwheel
 - Forward Roll
 - Right Front Hurdler

11U

Partner Stunts

Shoulder Sit to

level 1

Sit

Prep

Level 2 1/4 Up to Shoulder 1/2 Up to Load

Prep

Level 2

Cartwheel

Toe Touch

Walkover

Forward Roll

Handstand

Level 2

Prep.

Prep to Prone

Log Roll to Prone

- Prep to Prone
 - Log Roll to Prone
- Prep to Thigh Stand Prep
- Prep

Jumps & Tumbling

Level 1

- Toe Touch
- Forward Roll
- Cartwheel

- Level 3
 - Shoulder Level

Liberty

Waist Level

Show-n-Go

- Prep Waist Level
- 1/2 Up to Thigh
- Stand

Level 4

Level 4

Front Walkover to

- Right Front Hurdler
 Power Hurdle FWO
 Standing Back
 - Handspring
 - Toe Touch
 - Power Hurdle
 - Roundoff BHS
 - Pike

Level 5

Pike

Level 5

1/2 Up to Prep

Full Down

Extension

Dismount

- Forward Roll
- Power Hurdle
- Roundoff Tuck Power Hurdle
- Roundoff 2 BHS Standing Back
- Handspring Toe Touch

Level 6

Level 6 Roundoff to Load
 Quick Toss to Load

Quick Toss to Load
 1/2 Up to Prep

Prep

Faux Single Base

Load to Prone Roll

Hitch to Press

Extension

Cradle Reload to

Toe Touch

Prep

- Toe Touch Back Handspring
- Standing Back Handspring
- Power Hurdle Roundoff Tuck
- Power Hurdle Roundoff BHS Tuck
- Right Front Hurdler

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- Shoulder Sit Switch to Hitch at
 Shoulder Sit to 1/4 Turn Prep · Peg Leg on Thigh
 - Hitch to Press
 - Extension
 - Cradle Reload Thigh Stand

Straddle to TS

Level 3

- Cartwheel
- Power Hurdle Front Forward Roll
 - Toe Touch
 - Cartwheel

Handstand

- Forward Roll
- Right Front Hurdler



Level 4

Level 4

FWO to Prep

Dismount

P&G Extension

Power Hurdle

Roundoff Tuck

Power Hurdle

Standing BHS

Toe Touch

Roundoff 2 BHS

Load to Extension

Back Walkover out

Prep Release 1/2

around to prep

SKILL GRID (FROM FALL 2022 SEASON ROUTINES)

14U

Partner Stunts

Level 1

- Ouick Toss to Load
 FWO to SS
- Load to Prep.
- Load to Prone Roll . Peg Leg on Thigh
- 1/4 Up to Shoulder Hitch to Press Sit
- P&G to Shoulder Level Hitch

Jumps & Tumbling

Level 1

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- Right Front Hurdler
 Toe Touch Cartwheel
 - Forward Roll

Level 2

Level 2

Extension

Thigh Stand

Cradle Reload

Handspring

- Backward Roll Cartwheel Standing Back
- Toe Touch
- Power Hurdle Front Walkover
- Handstand Forward Roll

Level 3

- Ouick Toss P&G
- SS to 1/4 Turn Prep Extension
 - Pop Off Dismount Basket Grip 1/2 Up • to Prep
 - F. Suspended Roll from Load
 - Roundoff to Load to Extension

Level 3

- Right Front Hurdler
 Pike Forward Roll
- Standing Back Handspring
- Power Hurdle Front Walkover
- Toe Touch
 - Power Hurdle Roundoff BHS
- Back Extension Roll

SOME OF THESE WILL CHANGE FOR 2023

Level 6

Extension

Dismount

360 to Prep

Liberty

Shoulder Level

Inversion to Prep

Full Down

Level 5

- Quick Toss P&G to
 Quick Toss to P&G
- Shoulder Level 360 to Liberty . Bump Down to
 - Prep
 - Cradle Dismount ٠
 - 1/2 Up to Extension
 - Cradle Dismount .
 - . BWO
 - FWO to Prep

Level 5

- Power Hurdle Roundoff BHS
- Power Hurdle Roundoff Tuck
- Pike
- Standing BHS Power Hurdle FWO
- Toe Touch

Level 6 Power Hurdle Roundoff Tuck

 Power Hurdle Roundoff BHS Tuck

Walk-in Single Base

Extension

Dismount

P&G Low-to-High

360 to Target

Liberty to Heel

Reload to Target

Standing Tuck

Toe Touch - Right

Front Hurdler

High-to-High

Stretch Log Roll Cradle

Level 6

Corkscrew

- Standing Tuck
- Pike

Level 6

- . Standing BHS
- Toe Touch

18U

Partner Stunts

Level 1

Level 1

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- FWO to SS
- SS to 1/4 Turn Prep Faux Single Base
- Peg Leg on Thigh
- Hitch to Press •

Jumps & Tumbling

Cartwheel

Handstand

Toe Touch

Cartwheel

Toe Touch

Forward Roll

Forward Roll

Right Front Hurdler

- Extension 1/2 Up to Prep
- Cradle Reload Hitch to Press Thigh Stand

Level 2

Level 2

Prep

Extension Cradle Reload to Prep

Load to Prone Roll

Level 3

- Ouick Toss to Load
 Quick Toss P&G to
 Walk-in Faux Single Liberty
 - Bump Down to Prep
 - Cradle Dismount
 - 1/2 Up to Extension

 Corkscrew Dismount

 Torch
 - Cradle Dismount
 - BWO

FWO to Prep

Level 4

Base Extension

Level 4

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Toe Touch

Toe Touch BHS

Standing BHS

Power Hurdle

Roundoff Tuck

Roundoff BHS Tuck

Right Front Hurdler

Power Hurdle

- P&G to Heel Stretch
- Baja •
 - 360 to Load to Target .
 - to Target
 - 1/4 Turn Switch Up Arabesque

360 to Target

Extension

Faux Single Base

Pop Off Dismount

Roundoff Release

Level 5

- 1-1/4 Full Down Dismount
- Cradle Reload to Extension

Level 5

- Standing BHS
- Right Front Hurdler
 Standing BHS
- Toe Touch Combo Standing BHS Tuck
- Roundoff BHS Layout

Standing Tuck

Pike

- Power Hurdle FWO Roundoff BHS Tuck • Seat Roll
 - Power Hurdle
 - Roundoff BHS Roundoff BHS

Combo

- Layout
- Roundoff BHS Full
- Pike

- Power Hurdle FWO
 Back Extension Roll
 Power Hurdle Power Hurdle Roundoff 2 BHS Forward Roll
 - Toe Touch
 - Standing BHS
 - Power Hurdle FWO
 Power Hurdle FWO
 - Roundoff BHS
 - Seat Roll Right Front Hurdler
- Roundoff BHS Power Hurdle

Level 3

Pike

Standing BHS

Toe Touch

Roundoff Tuck



AGE GRID for 2025-2026 STUNT Season

THIS IS BASED UPON THE 24-25 GRID WITH UPDATED DATES. THIS IS NOT ANTICIPATED TO CHANGE.

Rules	See 8U Rules	See 11U Rules	See 14U Rules	See 18U Rules	
Division	8U	11U	14U	18U	

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LEAGUE AGE QUICK REFERENCE TABLE

Age as of June 1, 2024 = LEAGUE AGE

Find the athlete's birth month column across the top. Go down the rows to the athlete's birth year. The corresponding League Age and Division listed at the end of the row is the athlete's League Age and Division for the 2024-2025 Club STUNT season.

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DIVISION	8U	8U	8U	8U or 11U	11U	11U	11U or 14U	14U	14U	14U or 18U	18U	18U	18U	18U	
LEAGUE AGE	5	9	7	8	6	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
DEC	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	
NOV	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	
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SEPT	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	
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MAY	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	
APR	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	
MAR	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	
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