



# Spirit Unlimited Summer Camp Code of Ethics\*

\* To be signed and returned along with Registration Form prior to the camp.

In effort to maintain the integrity and professionalism in the sports of cheerleading and dance, Spirit Unlimited has established this Code of Ethics. It is our goal to offer safe, positive camps where good sportsmanship is upheld and safety guidelines are followed.

Spirit Unlimited promotes a fun, exciting, and motivational atmosphere. All coaches, team members, friends, family members and other persons associated with a team are expected to conduct themselves in a manner displaying good sportsmanship and exhibiting respect, kindness and a positive attitude towards others.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, as the head coach and representative for the \_\_\_\_\_ competitive cheer/dance team (and, the assistant coach if a signatory below), acknowledge and agree that I am responsible for the conduct of my team(s), its coaches, participants, friends, family members and all other persons associated with my organization, and we will all abide by the following guidelines:

### SAFETY

1. All Safety Guidelines, established by Spirit Unlimited, must be strictly adhered to, and I acknowledge that I have received, read and understand all such Safety Guidelines and have reviewed them with my team(s) and coaches.
2. I understand that cheerleading and dancing are competitive activities, which require me to follow and insure that all of my coaches follow proper training techniques for participants under our direction.
3. I attest that I and all of my coaches have been properly trained in basic cheer/dance technique, proper skill progression and safety precautions.
4. I understand that it is my ethical duty to put the interest and safety of my athletes first and not put cheerleaders/dancers under my direction at unnecessary risk. I understand that any pre-existing injuries will be my sole responsibility. I also understand that Spirit Unlimited does not provide Safety Spotters and that it is solely my responsibility to determine the need for and provide Safety Spotters as I deem necessary.
5. All participants must have the basic skills necessary to participate in the camp selected. I understand that I am solely responsible for insuring that the skill level of the camp I have chosen is appropriate for all members of my team(s).

### RULE COMPLIANCE

1. All Rules and Performance guidelines, established by Spirit Unlimited must be strictly followed, both by the letter and spirit of the rule, and I acknowledge that I have received, read and understand all such Rules and Performance Guidelines and have reviewed them with my team(s) and coaches.

### SPORTSMANSHIP

1. I understand my position as a role model for my team(s) and will conduct myself in a professional manner.
2. I will display good sportsmanship and require such of my cheerleaders/dancers and coaches, as well as their family members and friends.
3. I understand that violations of this Code of Ethics will be reported to other organizations administering similar camps or offerings.

I understand any inappropriate behavior or violation of this Code of Ethics by me, any coach, participant, friend, family member, representative or other person associated with my organization is unacceptable and may, at Spirit Unlimited's discretion, result in the termination or refusal of services without refund.

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*HEAD COACH SIGNATURE* (Seal)

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*ASSISTANT COACH SIGNATURE* (Seal)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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