

**ECIC Winter Competition 2012**

Date: Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Place: Lancaster High School  
One Forton Drive  
Lancaster, NY 14086

Time: Start Time: 10:00AM  
Doors open at 9:00AM  
The performance mat will be open for tumbling warm-up beginning at 9:00AM. A warm-up area will be provided. Please come to register at least 45 minutes before your "call time"

\*The mat for the afternoon will open following AM awards.

Divisions: JV and Varsity  
Small: 6-12  
Medium: 13-17  
Large: 18-22  
Extra Large: 23 and above

Modified and Freshman teams may exhibition. Each team competing will be allowed 5 minutes to warm up in the warm up room. Teams may stretch, but not on the competition floor. The JV and Varsity teams will compete together with alternate judging, to make the competition move faster. **There will be two awards presentations, one after the small and medium divisions and one after the large and extra large divisions. Best Jumps, Stunts, Tumbling, and Motions will be award during each awards Presentations.**

**Competition Requirements:**

Each team is required to perform for at least 2 minutes, but no long than 2 minutes and 30 seconds. The routine must contain: a team jump, cheer, tumbling (forward rolls, round offs, etc.) and music. Timing will start with the first word, organized move, or music (words including set, go, ready, and hit it). Spirited entrances are

discouraged. Basket tosses are allowed if your athletic director has approved

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**Registration deadline is January 21, 2012. Absolutely no registrations will be accepted after this date.**

There will be a time keeper for each squad's routine. The following point deduction will be given regarding time:

- 5-10 seconds = 5 point deduction
- 11-15 seconds = 10 point deduction
- 16 and over = 20 point deduction

The following penalties apply for the competition:

- Suggestive dance, profanity, or verbal abuse in cheer or music = 10 points
- Illegal stunts or violation of competition rules = 10 points
- Bobble = .5 points
  - Examples: Dropping of a leg from a heel stretch
  - Stumble in a jump or during tumbling
- Mistake = 2 points
  - Examples: Fall from a stunt that does not hit the ground
  - A partner stunt does not go up at the right time
- Fall = 5 points
  - Examples: Hitting the ground during stunting or tumbling

Two ECIC all-stars will be chosen at the Varsity level per team. One most spirited cheerleader will be chosen at the JV level per team. The coach must include this on their registration form.

There will be 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place awards given in each division. In the event that there are only one or two squads competing in a division, they will compete against a score determined by the judges. Awards for best jumps, tumbling, motions, and stunting for both JV and Varsity will be based on the scores you receive in that particular category. If there is a tie, it will be broken on the bases of the overall performance score. 1<sup>st</sup> place Varsity teams will receive patches for each team member. **Final ranking will not be discussed.**

If you have any questions or concerns call Amanda Frese at 912-3890 OR Helen Sutton at 649-5084