

# The Stingray Jams 2010...Info Form

## Welcome to THE JAMS!

### The most fun you'll ever have at a cheer competition!

- Each competitor will receive a goody bag as they exit the competition floor!
- A professional DJ will keep us rockin' throughout the day!
- Individual awards will be given to all competitors! We will also be recognizing our Grand Champion and presenting Best Choreography and Most Entertaining Awards at each Ceremony.
- Get Ready Fans! Program awards will be given to the Association with the Most Spirit and Best Sportsmanship!
- All teams will compete on a 54x42 (9 strip) competition floor!
- Free Gym Time at Stingray Cheer Co. to all teams registered!

## Halloween Jam

Recreational League and Middle School Cheer Competition



**When:** October 24, 2010

**Where:** McEachern High School, Powder Springs, GA

**What:** We've been celebrating competitive cheer for the past decade at Halloween Jam. As teams compete in front of our Haunted House backdrop our favorite Halloween witch will keep the crowd pumped!

## Circus Jam

Georgia Middle School and Recreational State Championship



**When:** November 14, 2010

**Where:** Allatoona High School, Acworth, GA

**What:** Join us for the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Circus Jam! Feel the magic and excitement of the Circus. This themed event is sure to be a hit! End your season as Georgia State Champs!

## Entry Fee Overview

	Registration Due	Entry fee per cheerleader
<b>Halloween Jam</b>		
EARLY Registration	Due: Friday, September 10, 2010	\$12
Final Registration	Due: Monday, October 11, 2010	\$14
<b>Circus Jam</b>		
EARLY Registration	Due: Friday, October 15, 2010	\$12
Final Registration	Due: Monday, November 1, 2010	\$14
***Inaugural Special!! ***	Register for BOTH competitions by September 10, 2010	\$20 (\$10/competition)

**Mail Registration to:** Wendy McConnell, 1390 Downington View, Acworth, GA 30101.

Please send **ONE** check per team or association payable to **Stingray Cheer Co.** The entry fee is refundable only upon cancellation of the competition by Stingray Cheer Co.

**Registration Form:** Please include one Registration Form per team. Enter a division based on participant age as of AUGUST 1, 2010. Please complete ALL areas of form.

**Roster Form:** Please complete one Roster Form per team. This completed form **MUST** be sent in with your Registration Form and Fee.

Middle School Divisions	Recreational Divisions (Age as of August 1, 2010)	
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Pee Wee.....6 yrs. & under	Minor 1.....9 yrs. old
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Midget 1.....7 yrs. old	Minor 2.....10 yrs. old
	Midget 2.....8 yrs. old	Junior.....11-13 yrs. old

**Release Waiver:** We must have ONE waiver for EACH cheerleader competing. You may send these with your registration, or bring them to "Cheerleader Check-In" the day of competition.

**Confirmation:** You will receive confirmation of your registration via email. Please check our website [www.StingrayAllstars.com](http://www.StingrayAllstars.com) for further info and updates.

## DIVISION INFO

**Division Entry:** Please base division entry on participant age as of AUGUST 1, 2010. Divisions are listed below. Note: Divisions may be split or combined depending on the number registered.

**Division Eligibility:** Due to the fact that so many Rec. programs need to combine teams to compete, we ask that 75% of your team be of age to register in a division. Take the number of girls on your team and multiply by .75. The Answer is the number of girls that need to be of age, or younger, in order to register in that division. **MIDDLE SCHOOL teams: 100% of your team must be of age or younger to compete in a division.**

## COMPETITION INFO

**Routine Length:** Each team will be given 2 minutes and 30 seconds to perform their routine. All or part may be performed to music. Timing will begin with the team's first movement or sound, and end with the last movement or sound. There will be a 10-point penalty assessed for going over the time limit.

**Music:** Please bring your music on a labeled CD. We recommend you bring an extra copy. We will provide a system in which to play your music in the warm-up room and in the competition area.

**Rules and Regulations:** Please be sure all coaches have a copy of The Jams Rules and Regulations. It can be found at [StingrayAllstars.com](http://StingrayAllstars.com).

**Performance Floor:** Teams will perform on a competition size mat (9 strips, 54x42). There will be NO deduction for stepping off the mat.

**Judges and Score Sheets:** A panel of knowledgeable judges will evaluate team performance. The Head Judge's score will be used to decide placement in the event of a tie. Score sheets will be available at the announcer's table immediately following your Award Ceremony.

**Awards:** Individual awards will be given to all competitors! Our coveted SPIRIT and SPORTSMANSHIP Awards will be handed out at each Award Ceremony to Associations showing the Most Spirit and the Most Sportsmanlike behavior!

Also, for each age group (MIDDLE SCHOOL, PEEWEE, MIDGET, MINOR and JUNIOR)

we will be awarding the following Specialty Awards:

- **Grand Champion!** Awarded to the team with the highest overall score.
- **Best Choreography!** Judges choice... awarded to the team with the Best Choreography.
- **Most Entertaining!** Judges choice...awarded to the Most Entertaining team.

**T-shirts:** Official "Halloween Jam 2010" and "Circus Jam 2010" T-shirts are \$12 each and will be available through **PRE-ORDER ONLY!!** All money must be sent in with Registration. All orders should be noted on the Registration Form. Please Note: Jam t-shirts will NOT be for sale the day of competition.

**Jump-off and Lib-off:** All teams may register **up to 3** cheerleaders for the Jump-off competition. The Jump-off divisions are Middle School, Pee Wee, Midget, Minor and Junior. The Lib-off competition is open to Middle School teams only. All Lib-off teams will compete together in one division. **The Jump-off is Pre-Registration ONLY.**

**Mascots:** Mascots are welcome to compete. Those wishing not to be judged should be clearly marked. Marked mascots may not participate in stunts, pyramid or tosses and may not serve as a spotter during the performance.

### **A THANK YOU from STINGRAYS!**

We thank you for your interest in our competition and appreciate the opportunity to be a part of your season! We are excited to offer **1 hour of FREE gym time** on Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup> or Friday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> to all teams registered for Halloween Jam 2010 and Circus Jam 2010! Stingray coaches will be on hand to offer help with choreography or cleaning your routine! **Just check "Yes!" on your Registration Form and we'll call you to schedule your time!**

All forms are available at [www.StingrayAllstars.com](http://www.StingrayAllstars.com).

For further information, or to have a Registration packet emailed, faxed or mailed to you, please contact [Wendy@Stingrayallstars.com](mailto:Wendy@Stingrayallstars.com)