

SEAHAWKS SHOWDOWN INVITATIONAL

FALL CHEERLEADING COMPETITION



South River High School Cheerleading would like to invite you to our Fall Cheerleading Invitational on **Wednesday, October 11, 2023**. This competition is open to Junior Varsity and Varsity teams who belong to the Maryland Public Schools State Cheerleading Committee (MPSSCC) and non-MPSSCC teams.

Space is limited...please pre-register today!

REGISTRATION

- **Cost is \$150.00 for 1 team. \$250 for 2 teams.**
 - *No refunds after October 2nd.*
 - Make Checks payable to: SOUTH RIVER HIGH SCHOOL
 - Please send Payment and completed Registration Form(s) to:
South River High School
Attn: Beverly Fitzwater- Cheer Coach
201 Central Ave East
Edgewater, MD 21037
- Only the 1st 20 teams to register will be guaranteed a spot!
- Non-MPSSCC teams will receive an email with the Scoring Rubrics and Bulletin upon registering.
- *South River Teams will be Exhibition Only.*

COMPETITION GUIDELINES

- National Federation of High School Cheerleading rules and regulations will be followed.
- Category judging, a head judge, and safety judges will be utilized.
- The length of the routine shall not exceed 2 minutes and 30 seconds. It can be all music. Keep in mind that the team must still include a “cheer” portion that cannot be voiced over within the music and must be performed by the team, on the mat.
- No Cell Phones are allowed in the Cheerleaders holding area.
- Athletes must wear their uniform for the duration of the competition
- Up to 25 athletes are allowed on the mat to compete.
- Up to 30 people (Coaches, team managers, alternates, other members) will be allowed to enter with the team.

FACILITY INFORMATION

- The Competition will be held in the main gymnasium of South River High School.
- Routines will be performed on a 42x42 cheerleading mat.
- Hospitality Room will be available for judges and coaches.

SPECTATOR INFORMATION

- Cost of Admission is \$5.00. Children 5 and under are FREE! (*Ticket sales - online only*)
- **Doors open to spectators at 5:15pm**
- There will be vendors available!
- Concession Stand available!

COMPETITION DETAILS

- Team Registration will be between 3:30-4:00pm.
- 1st Warm-up timeslot to include tumbling will be by school at a designated timeslot from 4:00-5:15pm. Main floor.
 - *Due to newly renovated Warm-up room, only 3 full size panels will now fit. For this reason, each team will be given 5 minutes to warm up tumbling and run-thru the routine, if wanted, on the main floor before the competition begins. This is in addition to your actual warm-up time, before your performance.*
- Coaches Meeting at 5:20pm. *Food & beverages will be served.*
- **The Competition will start at 6:00pm.**

AWARDS

- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Team Trophies will be presented for each division (JV and Varsity)
- Specialty Awards
- *Senior Recognition!*

Upon receipt of your registration form and check...more detailed information, including directions to the school, team warm-up and performance schedule, etc will be emailed to the coach/admin that registered.

Please email your intent to attend, # of Seniors, and your MPSSCC Registration Form(s) to bafitzwater@aacps.org.

If you have any questions, please contact Beverly Fitzwater at bafitzwater@aacps.org or by cell at 443-370-4605. You may call or text.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you!

