

South Florence High School
2015-2016 TENTATIVE Cheerleading Dates

- Tuesday, February 3rd: Attend prospective member/ interest meeting at 4:00 PM in the SFHS Auditorium. (PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS ONLY!)
- Tuesday, February 17th: Packets due with teacher recommendation forms.
- March 2nd- 5th: Mandatory tryout conditioning in the gym 4-6pm.
- Friday, March 6th: Tryouts in the gym @ 5pm.
- Monday, March 3rd: Announcement for spring break design.
- Monday, March 9th: MANDATORY First team meeting in SFHS Auditorium. (PARENTS MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE)
- Monday, March 9th: T-Shirt designs due.
- March 10th and 11th: Voting during ALL four lunches.
- Monday, March 23rd: T-Shirt orders & money are due!
- Saturday, May 16th: 1st annual golf tournament fundraiser.
- Friday, May 8th: All golf tournament money and hole sponsors are due.
- Friday, June 5th: Car Wash ticket money due.
- Saturday, June 13th: Car Wash!

NOTICE!!!!!!!

**ALL NEW SQUAD MEMBERS MUST
PARTICIPATE IN THE SPRING
BREAK FUNDRAISER, GOLF
TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER AND
ALL OTHER FUNDRAISERS!**

APPLICATION FOR CHEERLEADING TRYOUT

My child, _____, has permission to be a cheerleader at South Florence High School. I understand that he/she must abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the sponsor and the principal of South Florence High School and he/she must be present for all practices and games. I have read the rules and regulations and understand that the violation of any of these rules may lead to temporary or permanent suspension from the squad. I understand and give permission for my daughter/son to ride with the sponsor and/or other parents when necessary. I understand that all required forms attached must be completed by February 11th or my child **will not be allowed to tryout**. I understand that my child must attend all practices (unless excused by the sponsor) and tryout sessions or my child will be considered for a cheerleading position. **I also understand that all tryout sessions are closed to the public.**

I understand that my daughter/son will be evaluated by the cheerleading coaches of South Florence High School. I further agree to abide by the decisions of the coaches.

I understand all the costs involved as stated in the rules.

I understand by the very nature of the activity, cheerleading and gymnastics carry a risk of physical injury. No matter how careful the participant and coach are, how many spotters are used, or what landing surface is used, the risk cannot be eliminated. The risk of injury includes minor injuries such as muscles pulls, dislocation and broken bones. The risk includes catastrophic injuries such as permanent paralysis or even death from landing or falls on the back, neck, or head. I understand these risks and will not hold South Florence High School or any of its personnel responsible in the case of accidents or injury at any time.

If my son/daughter, does not have school insurance I will provide you with coverage information.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

I am interested in being a cheerleader at South Florence High School, and I understand the risks stated above. If elected, I promise to abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the sponsor and the principal of South Florence High School. I promise to cooperate and follow the instructions of the cheerleading coach.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

My child is covered by: _____ School Insurance _____ Other Insurance

Company Name: _____

Policy Number: _____

(This must be signed/completed AND returned to the coach prior to tryouts)

STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PARENTS OR GUARDIAN'S NAME: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (____) _____ EMERGENCY NUMBER : (____) _____

GRADE: _____ AGE: _____ WEIGHT: _____

HEIGHT: _____

CLASS SCHEDULE (First & SECOND SEMESTER)

PERIOD	CLASS	TEACHER	RM#

GIVE ONE IDEA TO IMPROVE

SCHOOLSPRIT: _____

OTHER SCHOOL

ACTIVITIES: _____

WHAT DOES COMMITMENT MEAN TO YOU? _____

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DUTIES AND REQUIREMENTS OF TRYOUTS

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1. The candidate must have a "C" average for ALL grading periods.
2. The candidate cannot have more than one (1) in-school and/or out-of-school suspension during the school year.
3. Parental permission forms **MUST** be signed and returned to the coach by the assigned due date before the candidate is allowed to tryout. This packet of materials includes the expected responsibilities of a cheerleader. Without parental agreement of the conditions stated, the student will not be allowed to tryout.
4. **The candidate must sign and return the agreement of the duties for tryouts by the due date.**
5. Each candidate must have a parent attend a parent meeting.
6. Any student trying out is required to have school insurance or a waiver form signed by the parents/guardians.
7. Candidates and cheerleaders must exhibit maturity and sound judgment.
8. Leadership is essential, but being able to follow suggestions from others is expected.
9. All participants must display emotional stability and must be able to handle moments of stress.
10. Each candidate and cheerleader must be dedicated to the squad and the coach.
11. Each candidate and cheerleader must act responsibly at all times.
12. **UPON MAKING THE SQAUD, ALL MEMBERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN AND ABIDE BY THE DEMERIT LIST, RULES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES.**

I, _____ parent/guardian of _____ have read and understand the above Duties and Requirements.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

I, _____ have read and understand that I must follow the Duties and Requirements listed above if chosen to be a cheerleader at South Florence High School.

Prospective Cheerleader Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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(Keep for your records)

Evaluation for Cheerleading Tryouts

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Please complete this form and return it to the cheerleader in a sealed envelope. It is very important that you rate the student according to how YOU feel the student does in YOUR class or classes. Please be realistic as well as fair. These evaluations will not be shared with the student. They will be confidential and tallied by the advisor.

Thank you for your time and cooperation. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us by email at SFraiser@fsd1.org or Kaylea.Jones@aol.com

Name of Applicant _____

Class(es) Taught _____

Numerical and letter grade _____

Did this student ever need to be disciplined by you, and if so, what was the offense? _____

On a scale of 1 to 5, please rate the applicant in each of these areas listed below:

_____ Ability to get along with others

_____ Attitude

_____ Cooperation

_____ Attendance and punctuality

_____ Dependability

Signature of teacher _____

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