

COMPETITION SCOOP

COA Galveston – Challenge

November 6, 2021

Moody Gardens Convention Center | 7 Hope Blvd. | Galveston, TX

Registration/Check-in: In Hall B Please send 1 representative

- Check-in will be open starting at 8 AM, and will remain open throughout the event.
- You must register a minimum of 30 minutes PRIOR to your assigned warm-up time.
- Please bring the following items to registration: USASF Rosters/ ID (All Star)
 - USASF Compliance Cover Sheet (All Star)
 - Rec Verification Form (Rec)
 - USA Cheer Proof of Membership (Rec)
 - Waiver Forms PER ATHLETE & PER COACH (School & Rec)
 - Proof of music license (All performances)
- At this time, you will sign all necessary Bid Intentions.

Warm up/Rehearsal:

- Please check into warm up no less than 10 mins prior to your scheduled warm-up time.
- Everyone entering the warm-up room, and not in uniform, must be wearing their USASF/USA Cheer approved wristband.
- Each team will receive the following warm-up times.
 - o 6 Mins on a 18'X42' Foam floor
 - 6 Mins on a 12'X60' Spring tumble strip
 - o 6 Mins on a 42'X54' Foam floor

Scoring:

- Scoresheets will be sent to the email attached to the team or registration contact approximately 15-20 minutes after performance. Paper copies will be available upon request at the scoresheet table. *The coaches attached to your teams will receive their team's scoresheets at the event ONLY if their email AND mobile phone number is added and correct on the portal account.
- ACCUscore is located at the judge's riser. Any requests for review must be submitted within 10 minutes after the scoresheets have been emailed.
- Results will be available for coaches in the Event Band following awards.

Division Splits:

 D1/D2 splits will be guaranteed in every division, then will follow the USASF split guidelines by

team size. No additional D2 recognition awards given beyond the awards in each division.

Music:

- We are not responsible for providing an adapter for phones that do not have a traditional headphone jack.
- Main floor & practice area will provide sound systems that will be equipped for iPod/Phone use.
- No CD's

Schedule Info:

- Detailed General Schedule will be publicly available on 3 weeks out
- · Performance order will be publicly available on **Tuesday prior**

Awards:

- Awards Ceremonies will take place in hall C • (Main Hall). Please check the final schedule for the exact division/session times.
- All athletes will receive a Team Member medal.
- All 1st -3rd place teams will receive banners.
- All teams that Hit Zero will receive Hit Zero • Buttons

Results:

• Event results will be available the Tuesday following the event at Varsity.com/coa.

Bids:

• The following bids will be awarded at this event:

- The Summit Bids 2 Wildcard Bids
- The D2 Summit Bids 2 Wildcard Bids
- The Regional Summit Bids 3 Partial-Paid Bids for DI/DII Divisions
- The U.S. Finals Bids At least 2 Golden Tickets awarded
- The Quest 1 At Large Bid





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Spectator Info:

- Please use the Hall C entrance & follow signage to the performance hall.
- The cost for admissions will be:
 \$10for Adults (17-64) 1-Day
 - \$5 for Students (6-16)/Military/Seniors (65+) 1-Day
 - Children 6 & under are Free
- <u>Click Here</u> to purchase advanced tickets
- The facility provides free parking in the Convention center garage.
- Doors to the facility will open at 8AM.
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Parking Info:

• The facility will offer free parking. Please park in the convention center parking garage.

Social Media:

- Please share your journey to this event and pictures captured at the event with us on social media!
- Instagram & Twitter: @VarsityAllStar #COAChallenge

Performance Viewing:

• Spectators will be able to watch performances from the Priority Viewing Area, which will be located directly in front of the performance stage. Please follow all onsite instructions to help make the viewing experience positive for everyone.

Varsity TV:

 If you cannot join us LIVE for this event, you can always catch all the action on Varsity TV. <u>https://tv.varsity.com/events</u>

Housing Info:

• Housing Offered Event: For your convenience Housing is offered for this event. <u>Click Here</u> for the TTS LIVE! link info.

Vendors:

- Concessions will be available
- Event T-shirts only will be available for purchase in the main lobby.
- RT Productions will be providing Action Photography.

Warning:

Strobe lights, fog and other special effects may be used in the production of this event.

For questions regarding:

- Registration: Contact Katie Davis at <u>KDavis@varsity.com</u>
 Cheer Scoring:
 - Contact Matt Skorcz at MSkorcz@varsity.com
 - Performance Order & General Event Info: Contact Rachel Galvan at <u>RGalvan@varsity.com</u>
 - Issues or Concerns: Contact Leah Rauch at <u>LRauch@varsity.com</u>