

The Summit is proud to be able to partner with our International All Star brands as well as other International Event Producers to be able to add additional IASF provisional divisions to The Summmit, allowing teams from select countries to be able to end their season competing against top teams from all over the globe. In the second year of offereing these divisions, Varsity All Star is committed to producing a prestigious, competitive and unforgettable end of the year all levels experience.

What divisions will be offered?

2018-2019 PROVISIONAL INTERNATIONAL SUMMIT DIVISIONS

| LEVEL | DIVISION | AGE | AGE AS OF DATE | FEMALE/MALE | PARTICIPANTS |
|---------|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Level 1 | International Junior | 10-16 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| Level 2 | International Junior | 10-16 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| Level 3 | International Junior | 10-16 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior Coed | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| Level 4 | International Junior | 10-16 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Junior Coed | 10-16 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Senior Coed | 14-18 Years Old | Age during 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |
| | International Open | 14 Years & Older | December 31, 2019 | Female | 16 – 24 Members |
| · | International Open Coed | 14 Years & Older | December 31, 2019 | Female/Male | 16 – 24 Members |

Who is eligible?

Any team that competes AND receives a bid in one of the above divisions to The Summit at qualifying events.

Where can I get a bid?

View the IASF Divisions Summit Bid listing here!

IASF SUMMIT DIVISION, MAY 2-3, 2019 at the WALT DISNEPWorld Resort



Can international teams from other countries get a bid in the US?

Canadian teams are the only international teams allowed to receive bids from Varsity All Star events in the United States. International teams will be eligible to receive bids from our designated Varsity All Star International Events and Partner Events.

How are bids being awarded?

Bid giving events inside of the US are awarding bids based on the declarations listed here. Each Event Producer outside of the US can award bids at their own discretion at their individual bid giving events. Please contact the bid giving Event Producer to get specific details on how bids will be awarded.

Can bids be deferred?

No, bids that are earned in 2018-2019 season can only be used for the 2019 Summit.

Can bids be passed down?

No, bids will not be passed down this season.

Does my roster have to be the same?

No, at this time rosters may be changed as long as athletes remain eligible for the division that the bid was received in. Bids may not be exchanged for another division.

Are crossovers allowed at The Summit?

Athletes will not be allowed to compete on more than two cheer teams across The Summit Championships. Athletes can only cross up or down one level at The Summit (EX: Level 2 athlete may only crossover to a Level 1, Level 2, or Level 3 team). All Level 4.2 athletes may only crossover to levels 2, 3 or 4.

Athletes that competed at Cheerleading Worlds can only cross to Level 4 & Level 5 Summit divisions (Excludes Level 4.2). No crossovers will be allowed to compete in both a USASF cheer divisions and a dance team at The Summit. However, a Cheerleading Worlds athlete may compete at the Dance Summit and a Dance Worlds athlete may compete at The Summit. Reminder that we do not guarantee crossover consideration in the schedule at The Summit during the Semi-Finals Round or Finals Round.

Participants may only represent one gym. Participants must pay an additional \$100 registration fee for each additional team performance. However, if there is an athlete that is on a Paid bid team and crossing over to another Paid Bid team there will be no crossover fee applied. Only if an athlete is on a Paid Bid team as well as an At-Large bid team will that athlete will be required to pay the crossover fee.

A MAXIMUM number of 5 athletes per team will be allowed to crossover from the 2019 Cheerleading Worlds to The Summit for teams representing the United States and Canada. Non-US and Canadian teams are allowed a MAXIMUM of 10 crossover athletes from the 2019 Cheerleading Worlds to The Summit. Exception: Junior 5 (NOT restricted) will be allowed to have up to 8 crossovers from The Cheerleading Worlds to The Summit.

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Are crossovers allowed between the IASF Divisions at The Summit and The Dance Summit? Yes, with the international divisions competing on Thursday and Friday and the Dance Summit being Saturday and Sunday, an athlete CAN compete in both an INTERNATIONAL division at The Summit and compete at The Dance Summit.

Can the same team compete in the IASF Divisions AND a USASF Division?

NO – this was allowed the first season and WILL NOT be allowed in 2019. Teams must choose to be either IASF or USASF at The Summit.

Are crossovers allowed between The Summit and D2 Summit?

No athlete can compete at both The Summit and the D2 Summit in the same competitive season in the USASF divisions. D2 programs that have a team competing in the IASF divisions need to refer to the D2 FAQ for rules specific to The D2 Summit and crossovers.

Is more than one team from the same program location eligible to receive a bid in the same Summit division?

If a program has a team that was awarded a bid in a division, a legitimate second team can still compete for an additional bid, but may not share any athletes with the team already in possession of one regardless of registration status.

How many teams IASF teams advance from Semi Finals (Thursday) to Finals (Friday)?

All divisions with 10 or less teams in Semi Finals will have 5 teams advance to finals.

All divisions with 11-19 teams in Semi Finals will have 50% of the division advance to finals.

All divisions with 20 or more teams in Semi-Finals will have 10 teams in the division advance to finals.

- *Divisions that have 31 or more teams registered and competing at The Summit will be subject to additional teams advancing.
- *We are still in the process of evaluated the advancement of non- US teams. Once a final decision is made, this document will be updated to reflect that decision.

As a Gym Owner or Coach, who do I contact if I have further questions?

Event Information at The Summit – Damianne Albee (dalbee@varsity.com)

Will there be D2 (small gym) option?

No – there is not a D2 option for IASF Divisions.



What scoring will be used for qualifying events at Varsity Events?

At Varsity All Star events, teams competing in IASF divisions will be scored on the standard Varsity All Star Score sheet, but the categories will be reweighed to more accurately reflect the emphasis of the IASF score sheet.

What scoring will be used for qualifying events outside of US Events?

Please contact your individual event producer for more information of scoring outside of the US.

What scoring will be used for the IASF Divisions at The Summit?

The 2018-2019 IASF Score sheet will be used at The Summit. Visit the IASF Website for more details.

Are you allowed to have crossovers between the two teams? Example: I have an athlete on Junior 3 that crossed to IASF Senior 4? Could they do both?

Yes – in this situation they are within in the crossover rules for The Summit. Please remember, an athlete will not be permitted to compete on more than 2 teams across The Summit Championships.

If a program creates a team in the IASF Division - and gets a bid to the summit -- is their entire program now DI for the summit?

No – The IASF divisions are not D1/D2 eligible, therefore if a D2 program earns a bid in an IASF division, it WILL NOT affect their D2 Bid status. All crossover rules will need to be met for each Summit as well as NO athletes can compete at both.

At all qualifying events - A team must have a minimum of 16 on the team, correct? You will allow a team that had 16 but has an injury or illness to compete with less than 16, correct?

YES, however they will be scored based on a number of 16 athletes for all scoring ranges as well as they WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR ANY BIDS.

*Event Producers have the right to investigate any and all teams receiving a Summit Bid. Bid eligible teams and divisions will be reviewed for accuracy and legitimacy to ensure each team has the same opportunity.

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