



# THE SUMMIT FAQ 2018-2019




The Summit is the definitive all levels National Championship. Seven years ago, Varsity All Star was inspired by the talent within the all-star industry and listened to its customers when they asked for a high caliber event that recognized teams in non-world divisions. For the 2019 season, Varsity All Star is committed once again to producing an innovative, prestigious, competitive and unforgettable end of the year all levels experience.

## What divisions are offered at The Summit?

|                     |        |  |                          |        |
|---------------------|--------|--|--------------------------|--------|
| Youth Level 1       | Small  |  | Juinior Level 4          | Medium |
| Youth Level 1       | Medium |  | Senior Level 4           | Small  |
| Junior Level 1      | Small  |  | Senior Level 4           | Medium |
| Junior Level 1      | Medium |  | Senior Coed Level 4      | Small  |
| Senior Level 1      | Small  |  | Senior Coed Level 4      | Medium |
| Senior Level 1      | Medium |  | Senior Level 4.2         | Small  |
| Youth Level 2       | Small  |  | Senior Level 4.2         | Medium |
| Youth Level 2       | Medium |  | Senior Coed Level 4.2    | Small  |
| Junior Level 2      | Small  |  | Senior Coed Level 4.2    | Medium |
| Junior Level 2      | Medium |  | Youth Rest Level 5       | Small  |
| Senior Level 2      | Small  |  | Youth Rest Level 5       | Large  |
| Senior Level 2      | Medium |  | Junior Rest Level 5      | Small  |
| Youth Level 3       | Small  |  | Junior Rest Level 5      | Large  |
| Youth Level 3       | Medium |  | Junior Coed Rest Level 5 | Small  |
| Junior Level 3      | Small  |  | Junior Coed Rest Level 5 | Large  |
| Junior Level 3      | Medium |  | Junior Level 5           | Small  |
| Senior Level 3      | Small  |  | Junior Level 5           | Large  |
| Senior Level 3      | Medium |  | Junior Coed Level 5      | Small  |
| Senior Coed Level 3 | Small  |  | Junior Coed Level 5      | Large  |
| Senior Coed Level 3 | Medium |  | Senior Rest Level 5      | Small  |
| Youth Level 4       | Small  |  | Senior Rest Level 5      | Large  |
| Youth Level 4       | Medium |  | Senior Coed Rest Level 5 | Small  |
| Junior Level 4      | Small  |  | Senior Coed Rest Level 5 | Large  |

***\*Once registration is FINAL – divisions will be combined per the USASF guidelines***

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## **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 Summit Bid listing [here!](#)

## **Will international teams be eligible to earn bids at US events?**

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. Additional Information can be found at on the international FAQ and Bid Listing for more information.

## **If an athlete from our bid winning team can't make it to The Summit, are we allowed to replace them with another athlete from our gym?**

You MUST compete with the number of athletes that you qualify with. You can compete with less as long as it keeps you in the same division. You will only be able to replace 25% of your roster from the time you received your bid until you compete at The Summit. Example: A team of 22 competes and receives a bid, they can only replace 7 athletes (6.25 is 25% and we always round up) at the time of The Summit competition.

## **What is the Wild Card Round?**

The Wild Card round of The Summit will take place Friday, May 3rd at the Walt Disney World Resort® in Orlando, FL. NEW this season: the top FIVE teams in each division will automatically advance to Sunday's Final Round. There will not be any teams advancing from Wild Card (Friday) to Semi Finals (Saturday).

## **How many teams advance from Semi Finals (Saturday) to Finals (Sunday)?**

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 - 30 teams in Semi-Finals will have 10 teams in the division advance to finals.

***\*Once registration is FINAL, divisions with 31 or more will be looked at to consider advancing additional teams.***

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## **Are Crossovers allowed at The Summit?**

Athletes will not be allowed to compete on more than 2 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 can only cross up or down a level at The Summit. Level 5 athletes that competed at Cheerleading Worlds can only cross to level 4 & 5 Summit divisions (Excludes Level 4.2). No crossovers will be allowed to compete on both a cheer 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 crossovers 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.

The MAXIMUM number of individuals allowed to crossover from the 2019 Cheerleading Worlds to The Summit will be 5 athletes per team. Exception: Junior 5 (NOT restricted) will be allowed to have up to 8 crossovers from The Cheerleading Worlds to The Summit.

## **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.

## **Are crossovers allowed between The Summit and The D2 Summit?**

No athlete can compete at both The Summit and the D2 Summit in the same competitive season in the USASF divisions. The ONLY exception to this is if an athlete competes on an IASF team at The Summit – that athlete will be allowed to compete at the D2 Summit on ONE TEAM ONLY.

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## **What do individuals and teams receive for competing at The Summit?**

All participants will receive a participation medallion for competing at The Summit. Teams who qualify for Finals on Sunday in each division will be awarded a personalized team banner with their division and placement. Teams that place 1st, 2nd or 3rd in their respective division will also receive a team banner and each participant from those teams will receive individual mini banners recognizing their accomplishment. All divisional champions will receive exclusive Summit Champion Rings! Only participants and coaches listed on the official USASF Summit Roster will be included in ring sizing. Additional rings may be ordered onsite but must be paid for by team/individual.

***\*Athletes that win on two different teams will only be given ONE Championship Ring!***

## **Will D2 divisions be offered at The Summit?**

No, The Summit does not offer D2 Divisions.

## **Will Bids be passed down for The Summit?**

No, Summit Bids will not be passed down this season.

\*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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