



ICCA is excited to announce the addition of a **Game Day Cheer Division** for both Junior High and High School cheer teams. This division is being added in an effort to give teams a chance to showcase their crowd leading skills.

There will be four divisions:

Junior High with up to 25 athletes on the floor

Junior Varsity with up to 24 athletes on the floor

Small Team High School with up to 16 athletes on the floor

Large team High School with up to 24 athletes on the floor

These divisions will allow a school to use all of the athletes on their roster.

The IESA Cheer Division Score Sheet will be used for these divisions. The time limit is up to 2 minutes and can incorporate jumps, tumbling and stunts/pyramids. No music is allowed. No rubric will be used for scoring of motions, tumbling, jumps or stunts/pyramids. The score sheet has 100 possible points.

These are the areas scored:

- 5 Practicality of material – use of signs and crowd involvement
- 10 Voice, Eye Contact, Facials
- 15 Motions
- 10 Tumbling
- 10 Jumps
- 10 Partner stunts/Pyramids
- 10 Synchronization
- 10 Formations and Spacing
- 10 Crowd Appeal
- 10 Sportsmanship

There is no degree of difficulty. Thus the emphasis is on the execution and creativity of all the aspects of cheerleading. Mascots are welcome and are included in the number on the floor.

The cost to enter this division at an Invitational is \$75 for member schools and \$100 for non-members. If a school wishes to compete in the Game Day Cheer Division and the Routine Division, the total entry fee would be \$200 for member schools and \$275 for non-member schools.

No qualifying score is required to compete at the Championships.

Championship entry fee would be \$125 for member schools and \$150 for non-member schools. If a member school wishes to compete in the Game Day Cheer Division and the Routine Division, the total entry fee would be \$350.

High School teams should know that according to IHSA rules, any date that a team competes representing their school on any level, that it is counted as one of their 6 dates. The school can compete in more than one division on the same date and it is just counted as one of the 6 dates.