



Hoffman Estates Hawks Cheerleading

Welcome to the 2008 season! There are many changes this year and we are excited for the season. You can email any of the cheer commissioners with question or suggestion you might have to make our program better.

No Try outs, no tumbling, no prior cheer required to be a Hawk!
Cheerleaders are required to cheer at weekly games and do travel.
Home games are on Saturdays and vary for away games.
Practice days would be assigned by Head Coach. Wednesday is a non practice day due to Religious Education, and will only be scheduled if there is no other option.
Outdoor practices are held at the Home Field located at Sycamore Park, Lincoln Prairie School.
Practice and Cheer at Games rain or shine.
Practice start time is 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.
Indoor Practices are held at District 54 schools and start in the middle of September based on school availability.
Practice begins July 28th.
Games begin at the end of August.

Game Only Squad Ages 5-7

Tiny Mite Ages 5-7

Team would practice 3 days a week during the month of August.
When school starts practice would be 1 day a week.
The Season should end about the 1st week of November after a Bowl Game.

Competitive Squads Ages 8-13

Mighty Mite Ages 8-9

Teams would practice 3 days a week during the month of August.
When school starts practice would be 2 days a week. Practice may increase to 3 days near competitions.
Teams would compete in a local competition, Conference competition at the end of October.
The Season should end about the 1st week of November after a Bowl Game.

Junior Pee Wee, Pee Wee, Junior Midget, Midget 10-13

Team break down is done based on National levels and many vary year to year.
Possible Break Down JPW-10 / PW-11 / JM-12 / M-13
Teams would practice 4 days a week during the month of August.
When school starts practice would be 3 days a week.

Teams would compete in a local competition, Conference competition at the end of October, possible Regional Competition in November by qualifying at Conference, then National competition in December if qualify from Regional. If there is no Regional Competitions teams that qualify at conference would continue on to Nationals.

Cheerleading would continue on thru playoff Season. The regular season ends at the end of October and Playoffs continue on till the middle of November. If a football team qualifies for playoffs and a cheer team does not qualify past Conference they would continue to cheer at their levels games.

Clothing NOT included in Registration Fee: (estimate cost based on 2006 prices)

Game Skirt: \$ 20.00

Warm Up Pants: \$ 18.00

Spankies: \$ 8.00

**Body Suit: \$ 18.00

**Socks: \$ 5.00

**Competition Shoes: \$ 40.00

** Hair Piece \$ 20.00

All clothing that is purchased is yours to keep at the end of the season.

** Is only required for by Competition squad

Uniform PROVIDED to be returned at the end of Season

Warm up Jacket

Competition Skirt

Competition Vest

Duffle Bag

Estimated National Cost based on 2007 trip to Orlando

Air- \$ 200.00 per person

Package- \$ 356.00 per person based on 4 in room

HEAA is a non for profit organization and is a completely volunteer run program. With this said it is asked that parents help in volunteering their time during games, working the concession stand, selling 50/50 tickets, or anything else that may be required.