

## 2019-2020 St. Mary Magdalen Pep Squad

We are so excited about the 2019-2020 St. Mary Magdalen Pep Squad year. We know that this year will be bigger and better. This year we will be improving and our Maverick girls will be gaining new skills that will lead the girls to become the pride of St. Mary Magdalen!

Pep Squad will be separated into three different groups this year and we are excited about the new growth!

- Mini-Mavericks- PreK 4- 1<sup>st</sup> grade
- Pony Up Squad- 2<sup>nd</sup> grade- 4<sup>th</sup> grade
- Pom Squad- PreK-4<sup>th</sup> grade only interested in cheer

### Pony-Up Squad Commitment

The Pony-Up Squad will be training to compete in a cheerleading competition. We want to step it up this year and show our Maverick Pride! The Pony-Up Squad will have professional cheerleading uniforms, monogrammed bags, cheerleading shoes, poms, mock turtle necks, practice shirts for gym, and sweatshirts for fall/winter.

We have a new addition this year that will help our Pony-Up Squad reach new personal and team goals with their skills and team spirit! The Pony-Up Squad will be going to gymnastics at "Texas Wolverines All Stars" to increase their skills. This will be an additional price for parents to take on. However, we believe this will be a commitment that will pay off for each pep girl to Pony Up and the team as a whole! We know that it will pay off in our competition! And we are so excited! The Pony-Up girls will be attending gymnastics each Sunday to learn new skills to include tumbling, and dance routines. The Pony-Up Squad will also be eligible to compete in the Archdiocese competition. The mandatory prices can be found below.

#### Costs involved for the Pony-Up Pep Squad:

Costume Fees: \$195 (**\$195 will be withdrawn from your FACTS account on June 30<sup>th</sup>** to cover the cost of the costume/uniform fee)

Gymnastics Fee to be paid directly to Texas Wolverines All Stars: One-time fee of \$50 registration, + \$50 per month

#### Time Commitment for the Pony- Up Pep Squad:

- Sundays from 3:30-5:30pm at Texas Wolverine All Stars beginning July 7, 2019 (Months of July, August, September, October, and February, March & April)
- Mondays at 5:00-5:30pm at St. Mary Magdalen beginning August 12, 2019 (Months of August, September, October, February, March & April)
- All football games, pep rallies, some basketball and volleyball games

## Mini Maverick Commitment

We want to step it up this year and show our Maverick Pride! The Pony-Up Squad will have professional cheerleading uniforms, monogrammed bags, cheerleading shoes, poms, mock turtle necks, practice shirts for gym, and sweatshirts for fall/winter. The Mini Mavericks will be in-training to become a Pony-Up. The Mini's will practice Mondays and perform at all of the football games and pep rallies!

We have a new addition this year that will help your little Mini Maverick reach new personal and team goals with their skills and team spirit! They will be going to gymnastics at "Texas Wolverines All Stars" to increase their skills. This will be an additional price for parents to take on. However, we believe this will be a commitment that will pay off for each pep girl and the team as a whole! We know that it will pay off in our competition! And we are so excited! The girls will be attending gymnastics each Sunday to learn new skills to include tumbling, and dance routines. The Mini's will be eligible to compete in the Archdiocese competition. The mandatory prices can be found below.

### Costs involved for the Mini Maverick Squad:

Costume Fees: \$195 (**\$195 will be withdrawn from your FACTS account on June 29<sup>th</sup>** to cover the cost of the costume/uniform fee)

Gymnastics Fee to be paid directly to Texas Wolverines All Stars: One-time fee of \$50 registration, + \$50 per month

### Time Commitment for the Mini Maverick Squad:

- Sundays from 3:30-5:30pm at Texas Wolverine All Stars beginning July 7, 2019 (Months of July, August, September, October, and February, March & April)
- Mondays at 5:00-5:30pm at St. Mary Magdalen beginning August 12, 2019 (Months of August, September, October, February, March & April)
- All football games, pep rallies, some basketball and volleyball games

## Pom Squad Commitment

If your daughter would like to participate in Pep Squad but you don't want the commitment of gymnastics then your daughter can participate in Pom Squad. Pom Squad will have an important role of learning the cheers but will not have the requirement to learn the dances and tumbling. With that, the Pom Squad will not compete in the Archdiocese competition and will not participate in the halftime shows at the football games. They will participate in pep rallies for cheers and will cheer at all of the games. The Pom Squad will have the same professional cheer uniform and will be under the main umbrella of the Pep Squad. This is a perfect fit for the busy little Maverick student who wants to cheer on fellow athletes however doesn't have the time to commit to gymnastics each weekend!

### **Costs involved for the Pom Squad:**

Costume Fees: \$195 (**\$195 will be withdrawn from your FACTS account on June 29<sup>th</sup>** to cover the cost of the costume/uniform fee)

### **Time Commitment for the Pom Squad:**

- Mondays at 5:00-5:30pm at St. Mary Magdalen beginning August 12, 2019 (Months of August, September, October, February, March & April)
- All football games, pep rallies, some basketball and volleyball games

### **Information for all of Pep Squad**

In addition, we will continue to have practice after school on Mondays from 5:00-5:30pm. (Months of August, September, October, February, March & April) Drop off and pick up will always be after school care. Just a reminder, we will not be responsible for clothes left behind. Unfortunately, we are unable to change your children's clothes that day at school so please dress them appropriately.

On days of pep rallies, or games your child must be in full uniform, unfortunately we are unable to change your child's clothes for you. So please have them dressed so that we may pull them from class.

We are also excited to announce that we will be holding a Family Performance and an End of the Year Performance. Awards will be given at the End of the Year Performance. Team Pictures will also be taken by Bailey Studio, likely at the beginning of the school year!

### **Important Dates to Remember**

- **Thursday, June 27 and Monday July 8** are mandatory days for fittings for cheerleading uniforms from 4:00-6:00pm (please choose one day to attend)
- **Sunday, July 7** first day of practice for Pony-Up Pep squad gymnastics at Texas Wolverines All Stars from 3:30pm-5:30pm
- **Monday, August 12** first practice for all of Pep Squad at St Mary Magdalen from 5:00-5:30pm

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