

March 13, 2025

To: Cheerleader Coaches

From: Michael McLendon, Executive Director

Re: 2025 AISA Cheerleading Clinic: June 16-19, 2025 - Troy University, Troy, AL

The AISA will sponsor one cheerleading clinic this year at Troy University in Troy, Alabama. The Universal Cheerleaders Association will conduct the clinic and will implement some of their Christian material at the AISA camp this year.

1. The clinic is open to all AISA member schools and candidates. Only AISA accredited member schools are eligible for AISA All-Star and competition awards. Junior and senior high squads are urged to attend. AISA member schools should not hold private UCA clinics.
2. The cost of the clinic will be \$400.00 per cheerleader \$325.00 per coach and \$275.00 per chaperon. This will include all meals, dorm rooms and instructions. The attached registration form must be in the AISA office no later than May 13, 2025. A check for the total amount of the fees for those attending must accompany the registration form. **Dorm assignments will be worked out prior to arrival and assigned by Troy University.**

Authorized Adult Supervision Requirement: Varsity Spirit requires a 1:10 authorized adult (coach, sponsor, school employee, or parent chaperone) to participant ratio. All authorized adults must be 21 or older, have an active USA Cheer/Dance Membership, and be registered for the camp through Varsity Spirit. Example, if you have 12 cheerleaders, you will need 2 coaches or 1 coach and 1 chaperone for the 12 cheerleaders.

3. **Registration** will begin at **10:00 a.m. and end at 1:30 p.m.** on Monday, June 16 in Troy University's Trojan Arena located on McKinley Drive. The opening session will begin at **2:00 p.m.** Meals will be served from dinner on Monday through breakfast on Thursday.

Registration On Monday, June 16th:

10:00 – 11:00 **EAST** Registers with AISA/UCA staff/Troy staff at Trojan Arena
11:00 – 12:00 **WEST** Registers with AISA/UCA staff/Troy staff at Trojan Arena
10:30 – 1:30 Move into Dorms

4. **General Session/All Star Tryouts** will be held on **Monday at 2:00 p.m.** Camp Championships will begin at 9:30 a.m. with a Final Awards ceremony to follow on Thursday morning, June 19, at the Trojan Arena. In order to attend the Thursday morning event, you must purchase a ticket from S2 Pass. You will need to download S2 Pass from the App Store or Google Play. Once you have downloaded the app, you may purchase your ticket. **There will not be a cash gate at this event.** General admission is \$12.00 per ticket (1st grade and up)-sales tax and processing fee included. Tickets will be available to purchase on June 13, 2025. **In the search bar insert AISA when asked for a school. Please make your parents and fans aware of this!**
5. UCA guidelines apply at AISA Cheerleading Clinics. **UCA will determine divisions based on squad size.** There will be three squad size categories:

Small (8 and under), Medium (9-11), Large (12 and up)

6. An adult coach will accompany each squad to all activities during the clinic. Camp managers will help with dorm responsibilities, first aid, and other problems; however, adult coaches are still in charge of and responsible for their squad at all times. Troy University staff does a dorm walk through before and after clinics. Any damage to rooms will be **charged to the squad assigned to that room**. There is also a charge for every bed/mattress moved without permission. Each school will be responsible for filling out a room inventory form on the first day of camp and turning it in to AISA. You may wish to take pictures of any room problems and attach to the inventory form. **NOTE: ANY MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED IMMEDIATELY MUST BE REPORTED TO AISA BY 2:00 P.M. ON MONDAY. NON-EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS WILL BE HANDLED ON TUESDAY.**
7. Each school is responsible for all health insurance coverage. The AISA, UCA, and Troy University will not assume responsibility regarding injuries, etc. incurred during clinic week.
8. Each girl will bring her own towels, bed linens, pillow, and any other personal items needed. Bring comfortable practice clothes and tennis shoes. Pompons, megaphones, notebooks and pencils will be helpful. Troy University does not allow signs on the walls of gym and lobby. **Note: be prepared with twin sheets (long) and/or full sheets. Trojan Village requires twin sheets (long) and Rushing Hall full sheets.**
9. **AISA All-Star Tryouts** will be Monday. UCA will select the 24 all-stars from the west and the same number from the east.

All-Star Cheerleader Qualification Criteria:

- a. Must be a senior in a member school and attend the AISA sponsored cheerleader clinic.
- b. Must be recommended by your cheerleader coach.
- c. Must be skilled in basic cheerleading stunts.

First time coaches may have questions for or wish to talk with more experienced coaches. If so, call any of the following:

Bobbi Sasser, Escambia Academy, 251-229-9836
Kristen Harrell, Lowndes Academy, 334-303-6543

Cheerleader coaches may request, in writing, refunds for registered squad members who are unable to attend. Requests must be received by June 1, 2025.

More information will follow with your registration confirmation. Any questions should be directed to the AISA office, (334) 223-2207.

Note: AISA's Mailing Address:

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