# THE RECREATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP BID DISTRIBUTION 2023-2024





In an effort to streamline bid opportunities this season, the Recreational Championship Bid Distribution will be based on the designated Event Tier and will remain consistent. Teams may only accept a bid to ONE Recreational Championship event at a single qualifying event.

Bids to the Quest will not be offered at events after February 25, 2024. Bids to the Recreational Summit will not be offered at events after March 31, 2024.

### **CHALLENGE EVENTS**

- Top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

## **CLASSIC EVENTS**

- Top highest scoring team will earn a Bronze Bid to the Quest OR an At-Large Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

#### SHOWDOWN EVENTS

- Highest scoring team will earn a Silver Bid to the Quest OR a Partial Paid Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next highest scoring team will earn a Bronze Bid to the Quest OR an At-Large Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

### **NATIONAL EVENTS**

- Top 2 highest scoring teams will earn a Silver Bid to the Quest OR a Partial Paid Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next highest scoring team will earn a Bronze Bid to the Quest OR an At-Large Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Next top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.



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### **GRAND NATIONAL/SUPER NATIONAL EVENTS**

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- Top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

#### **VIRTUAL EVENTS**

- Top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

#### **UCA EVENTS**

- Top 3 highest scoring non-affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.
- Top 3 highest scoring affiliated teams will earn an At-Large Bid to The Quest OR a Wild Card Bid to The Recreational Summit.

### TIE BREAKER POLICY

- **FINAL PLACEMENT TIES:** In the event that there is a tie for the final placements at any Varsity Spirit competition, the tie will not be broken and both/all teams will share the placement.
- WILD CARD BIDS, AT-LARGE BIDS & BRONZE BIDS: In the event that there is a tie for a WILD CARD Bid, AT-LARGE Bid or BRONZE Bid, the tie will not be broken, and the bid will be awarded to both/all teams.
- **SILVER, PARTIAL-PAID & PAID BIDS:** In the event that there is a tie for a SILVER, PARTIAL-PAID or PAID Bid, the following Tie-Breaker policy will apply:

## O 1 DAY EVENTS:

- The bid will be awarded to the team with the least amount of deductions.
- If the deductions are equal or zero, the team with the highest Performance score in the Overall Impression category will be awarded the bid.
- If the Performance Overall Impression category scores remain equal, the tie will be broken by the Judges' Choice.

#### O 2 DAY EVENTS:

- The bid will be awarded to the team with the least amount of deductions for Performance 2.
- If the deductions for Performance 2 are equal or zero, the team with the least amount of deductions for Performance 1 will be awarded the bid.
- If the deductions for Performance 1 are equal or zero, the bid will be awarded to the team with the highest Performance 2 score in the Overall Impression category.
- If the Performance 2 Overall Impression category scores remain equal, the bid will be awarded to the team with the highest Performance 1 score in the Overall Impression category.
- If the Performance 1 Overall Impression category scores remain equal, the tie will be broken by the Judges' Choice.



<sup>\*</sup>USA Brand will not be offering bids to the Quest Recreational Championship.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Varsity Spirit reserves the right to amend all Bid Distributions, Declarations and supporting documentation at any time.

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#### **RECREATIONAL BONUS BIDS:**

Teams who earn a Recreational Bonus Bid at an event from October through February, will have the opportunity to use Their bid at either The Quest Recreational Championship or The Recreational Summit Championship. All teams must fill out their bid declaration prior to each event. Teams may only accept a bid to ONE Recreational Championship event at a single qualifying event.

<sup>\*\*</sup>At-Large Bids will be awarded to The Recreational Summit and Bronze Bids will be awarded to The Quest.

Region:	Event Date:	Event Name:	City:	State:	At-Large/ Bronze Bids:**	Paid Bids:
UCA	10/21/23	UCA - Space Center Regional	Huntsville	AL	1	
Midwest	11/11/23	GLCC - Pittsburgh - Challenge	Pittsburgh	PA	1	
West	11/18/23	GSSA - Ontario - Challenge	Ontario	CA	1	
UCA	11/18/23	UCA - Bluegrass Regional	Lexington	KY	1	
Southeast	11/18-19/23	Encore - Atlanta - Showdown	Atlanta	GA	1	1
UCA	11/18/23	UCA - Northeast Regional	Trenton	NJ	1	
Northeast	11/19/23	Aloha - Trenton - Showdown	Trenton	NJ	1	1
Northeast	12/2/23	Champion Cheer and Dance - Grand Nationals (Cheer)	Baltimore	MD	1	1
UCA	12/2/23	UCA - Magnolia Regional	Jackson	MS	1	
Midwest	12/2/23	CHEERSPORT - Council Bluffs – Classic	Council Bluffs	IA	1	
Southeast	12/9-10/23	Spirit Cheer - Dance Grand Nationals & Cheer Nationals	Orlando	FL	1	
Northeast	12/9/23	CHEERSPORT - Oaks – Classic	Oaks	PA	1	1
Midwest	12/10/23	NCA - Lexington - Classic	Lexington	KY		1
Southwest	12/10/23	JAMfest - San Antonio - Classic	San Antonio	TX	1	
UCA	12/10/23	UCA - Pocono Regional	TBD	PA	1	
Southwest	12/15/23	Encore - Grand Nationals	Houston	TX	1	
UCA	12/16/23	UCA – Florida Regional	Daytona Beach	FL	1	
West	12/16-17/23	The American Grand - Grand Nationals	Las Vegas	NV	1	
UCA	12/17/23	UCA - Louisiana Regional	Hamond	LA	1	1
Northeast	1/6/24	NCA - Oaks - Classic	Oaks	PA	1	1
UCA	1/7/24	UCA – Garden State Challenge	TBD	NJ	1	
West	1/13/24	GSSA - Bakersfield - Grand Nationals	Bakersfield	CA		1
Southeast	1/13- 15/24	The STATE - Daytona Beach - Nationals	Daytona	FL	1	1
Southwest	1/14/24	Cheer Power - Cash Bash Showdown - Galveston	Galveston	TX	1	
Northeast	1/14/24	Aloha - Baltimore - Showdown	Baltimore	MD	1	
Northeast	1/21/24	SU - Battle at the Boardwalk - Grand Nationals	Atlantic City	NJ	1	2
West	1/27/24	ATC - Bellevue - Grand Nationals	Bellevue	WA	1	
Southeast	1/27- 28/24	Spirit Sports - Kissimmee - Nationals	Kissimmee	FL		1
Southwest	2/3/24	Cheer Power - Southern Nationals	San Antonio	TX		1
Northeast	2/3/24	Cheer Power - Trenton - Showdown	Trenton	NJ	1	1
Southeast	2/3-4/24	Mardi Gras - Biloxi - Showdown	Biloxi	MS	1	
Northeast	2/4/24	CHEERSPORT - Baltimore - Classic	Baltimore	MD	1	1
West	2/10/24	ASC – King of the Jungle - Tacoma - Showdown	Tacoma	WA		1
Northeast	2/17/24	Encore - Philly - Showdown	Philadelphia	PA	1	
Southeast	2/17-18/24	CHEERSPORT National All Star Cheerleading Championship	Atlanta	GA	3	1
West	2/24/24	Encore - Las Vegas - Showdown	Las Vegas	NV	2	
Northeast	2/24-2/25/24	ACDA - Reach the Beach - Nationals (Rec)	Ocean City	MD	2	2

Please Note: The Recreational Bonus Bids are in addition to the bids offered at each event by tier.

