



**INFINITY B.O.L.D. ELITES**  
**TIME & COMMITMENT**  
**CONTRACT 2019-2020**

The following points will stress that participating with the Infinity B.O.L.D. Elites is a TEAM sport. It is important that both participant and parents are aware of the time and personal commitment involved with this team sport. Read the following, **sign and return** in recognition of this commitment prior to the first day of practice.

**General**

- ✦ Please remember the coaching staff are volunteers
- ✦ If there is a problem or an issue, please follow the chain of command: Team Captain, then Head Cheer/Dance Coach.
- ✦ Coaches should never be interrupted during practice and/or games. Concerns should be directed to the Head Coach after practices or games.
- ✦ No profanity, vulgar, or abusive language will be allowed or tolerated at practices or games.
- ✦ All squad routines are at the discretion of our coaching staff. Players are put in positions where they will succeed both individually and for the team. We ask that you trust our staff and their decisions.
- ✦ Anyone threatening to quit or pull their child from the team will be dismissed immediately.
- ✦ It is the parents' responsibility to know what is going on within the Infinity B.O.L.D. Elites organization and team. Please check the Infinity B.O.L.D. Elites website, <https://www.womenenuff.org/b-o-l-d-elite> and your e-mails daily.
- ✦ If your child is going to be absent from a practice or game due to illness, religious or any other reason, you are to notify the Head Coach immediately at (224) 441-4610.
- ✦ Withholding a child from practice should never be used as a form of punishment. You are not only punishing your child, but every other athlete, parent, and coach on that team.
- ✦ The Infinity B.O.L.D. Elites cheer program is highly regarded for their sportsmanship and class. We expect our parents and athletes to uphold our wonderful reputation at all practices, games, and competitions.

- ✦ We reserve the right to add, change, or remove rules at any point.

### **Attendance/Practices**

- ✦ As part of the new program, there have been some changes to the curriculum, and it is **mandatory** that all athletes attend (2) 4-week sessions prior to choreography and dance opportunities. This is essential to ensure we are working from the inside out! We do not want to just be a cheer/dance team... We want the same joy that comes out in dance to be a part of what is on the inside as well.
- ✦ Cheer/Dance is a team sport and in order for a team to perform their best, every member needs to be present at all practice, scrimmages and games (for sporting events).
- ✦ Practices and games are not "optional". Please plan for weather conditions of heat, cold and/or rain and snow. Despite the temperature or weather, your child is expected to stay to the end of the practice or game. You will be notified of cancellations.
- ✦ Practices may be changed or added at any time during the season and will be posted on the website.
- ✦ Athletes must arrive to their practice ON TIME. Promptness is crucial for a successful practice session. Plan to arrive 15 minutes before the start of practice.
- ✦ Athletes are required to arrive at games before the time designated by their coach, but no later than a half hour before the start of the game for warm-ups.
- ✦ **Practice is mandatory to participate in any performance. This is to ensure the safety of all team members. Missed practices will result in ineligibility to cheer/dance for performances until the athlete has satisfied the Head Coach and program's safety concerns.**
- ✦ If the Head Coach determines there is a safety issue, that Athlete will be removed immediately from participating until there is resolution to the satisfaction of the organization.

### **Safety**

- ✦ Safety is our number one concern. Under no circumstances will an athlete be allowed to participate in a game without the required uniform, adequate practice participation and/or medical clearance to return to participation after an illness or injury. If the Head Coach determines that there is a safety issue, that cheerleader will be removed from participation immediately until the safety issue has been satisfactorily resolved – NO EXCEPTIONS.

### **Equipment and Uniforms**

- ✦ All Infinity B.O.L.D. Elites members must purchase uniforms as will be specified at tryouts. You may be asked to purchase other necessary items at the beginning and throughout the season.
- ✦ Please do not cut size tags off of the uniform top or skirt. This is the only way we know what size the uniform is. Under no circumstances can you alter the uniform. If the top or skirt does not fit properly, please tell your head coach and they will handle any alterations that need to be done.

# YOUR COMMITMENT TO INFINITY B.O.L.D. ELITES

## 2019-2020 SIGNATURE PAGE

Please remember that Cheer/Dance is a team sport!

By signing this Form and initialing each of the page's prior pages, I represent that I have read this Form thoroughly and understand my commitment and my child's commitment for the season which includes volunteer hours and fundraising during the season and post season.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_