

# CONGRATULATIONS! You earned a bid to THE ONE!

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**Are You The ONE?** The ONE Cheer and Dance Finals is THE end of the year final championship for ALL levels of cheer and dance. Premier independent event producers all over the world sponsor their best teams (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place ONLY) to compete at The ONE Cheer and Dance Finals. Teams will compete first at a The ONE Territory Championship where winners take home championship **rings!** Teams may choose the territory final that best suits their travel desire/needs.

**PREP TEAMS (Cheer & Dance) COMPETE ON SATURDAY ONLY**

Virginia Beach, Virginia – April 8-9, 2017  
Chicago, Illinois – April 22-23, 2017

New Orleans, Louisiana – April 8-9, 2017  
Orlando, Florida – May 6-7, 2017

If your team wins first place at a territory final, your best scoring video from the territory final will enter the “winner takes all” Virtual Finals where you will compete head to head against the first place team(s) from other territories. The winners in each division will be crowned THE ONE and be awarded the coveted ONE Finals championship jackets.

## Bid Types & Event Pricing

**NOTE: All pricing in USD**

Bid Type	ALL STAR CHEER PRICING	DANCE PRICING	SCHOOL, REC & PREP PRICING
<b>PLATINUM – FULL PAID BID</b>	<b>Sponsoring Event Producer provides FULL payment of competition fees.</b>		
<b>GOLD – 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE BID</b>	\$85.00 per athlete	\$85.00 per athlete	\$65.00 per athlete
<b>SILVER – 2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE BID</b>	\$115.00 per athlete	\$115.00 per athlete	\$95.00 per athlete
<b>BRONZE – 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE BID</b>	\$125.00 per athlete	\$125.00 per athlete	\$105.00 per athlete

## Crossover Pricing

Performance	ALL STAR CHEER PRICING	DANCE PRICING	SCHOOL, REC & PREP PRICING
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Performance</b>	Highest Bid Value	Highest Bid Value	Highest Bid Value
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Performance</b>	Second highest bid value	\$65.00 per athlete	Second highest bid value
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Performance</b>	Third highest bid value or \$45.00 per athlete (whichever is greater)	\$45.00 per athlete	Third highest bid value or \$45.00 per athlete (whichever is greater)
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Performance</b>	Not Applicable	\$25.00 per athlete	Not Applicable

**Early Payment Discount:** Receive a \$10.00 off per athlete discount if you accept your bid, register and pay in full 14 days the event in which the bid was awarded. Discount does not apply to crossovers.

**Deadline to Register / Late Payment Fee:** Additional \$20 per athlete late fee if registration & payment is not received prior to the due date:

- If you receive a bid at an event October 1, 2016 – January 31, 2017 – Deadline is March 1, 2017
- If you receive a bid at an event February 1, 2017 – March 15, 2017 – Deadline is April 1, 2017
- \*If your qualifying event occurs after March 15<sup>th</sup> your registration is due by final deadline listed below:

Virginia Beach & New Orleans FINAL Deadline to Register: April 3, 2017

Chicago FINAL Deadline to Register: April 17, 2017

Orlando FINAL Deadline to Register: May 1, 2017

All teams are responsible for their own accommodations, travel, and all other related expenses.

## Divisions & Rules – Please refer to [www.theonefinals.com](http://www.theonefinals.com) for all details

Divisions Offered:

- All USASF Divisions for All Star Cheer (except Level 5 & 6 Worlds Team Divisions – non worlds teams L5/6 can attend)
- All Star D1 and D2 Divisions (combined for virtual)
- All USASF Dance Divisions
- All Star Prep Divisions
- Non Mount Recreation/School (one division)
- Performance Recreation Divisions
- Limited School Division

All All-Star divisions will follow USASF Rules ([www.usasf.net](http://www.usasf.net)).

A team that receives and accepts any type of bid must compete in the same division they were in at the qualifying event where their bid was awarded. We recognize that recreational and school divisions may not be the same across all qualifying events. Teams are asked to select the division that most closely matches their ability level using the guidelines and descriptions listed on our website.

### **Bid Guidelines**

Bid may never be passed to a lower placing team (i.e. a 3<sup>rd</sup> place team may not be given a Gold Bid even if the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place teams do not accept the bid, etc.). Teams may only be awarded one bid type. If a team wins an At Large Bid earlier in the year, they may still accept a Paid or Partial Paid bid at another later event. The At Large Bid then becomes null & void. It does not get passed down.

Event Producers will not be responsible for late fees if their representing team does not meet the registration deadline. Event producers will not be responsible for change fees if their representing team has to make changes to the original registration. Company sponsored PAID Bid checks will be made out to "The ONE" and will be mailed directly to The ONE head office with your team's registration. The check must be used towards the team's registration. The gym is responsible for the balance of the team's competition packages (extra coaches, additional members, travel, accommodations, etc).

Event producers have the discretion to select the divisions and the process by which PAID Bids are awarded (i.e. level champs, style champs, grand champions, etc). All PAID Bids are for First Place ONLY teams and may never be passed to a second place team (or lower ranking team). Event producers should publish the procedures they will follow for awarding bids prior to the start of their qualifying competition.

### **THE ONE Online Registration**

For your convenience we provide online registration. Go to [www.theonefinals.com](http://www.theonefinals.com) to get started. Team registration packet, payment and required documents must be received in The ONE office by the registration deadline. Please note the early payment discount and late payment penalties on page 1. Any changes in registration within 14 days of the event will incur a \$200 change fee per change. Any cancelled registration after 30 days prior to event will result in FULL FORFEITURE of all monies paid. All cancellations must be in writing to The ONE Cheer and Dance Finals. We will not accept cancellations by phone. The ONE is not responsible for deposits paid on travel, accommodations or other such expenses in the event of team cancellation.

**NOTE: Team payment must be in the form of a credit card, cashier's check or money order. No gym/booster/personal checks! All registration material will be returned if submitted with a gym/booster/personal check. All pricing is in US Dollars.**

### **Accommodations**

Hotel accommodations are to be booked on a first come, first served basis through our travel partner Team Travel Source. Hotel information can be found online at [www.theonefinals.com](http://www.theonefinals.com). Contact them at 1(866)567-7075

### **Coaches, Gym Owners & Organizations:**

The ONE does not restrict participation in other organization or affiliations with other end of year events.

- Coaches must be listed as a coach of the performing team on all documents received by The ONE. Only team members and accredited coaches may enter the warm-up room.
- Teams/Coaches must understand that they are a representative of the event producer that awarded the bid and agree to act with dignity, respect, sportsmanship, and fair play at all times.

The ONE Finals meet all USASF sanctioning standards.

### **Eligible Athletes, Substitutions and Crossovers**

All athletes must be registered members of that team's gym during the 2016-2017 competitive season. Bids will be awarded as a team and based on the number of members competing on the floor at the qualifying event. Members may be added or removed so long as the division does not change. Substitutions are limited to 6 for small divisions and 10 for large divisions.

**Crossovers** are permitted between teams of one gym. However, registration is not discounted and The ONE will not consider crossovers during scheduling. An athlete may compete on a maximum of 3 teams (cheer and/or dance).

**International/Dance** bid winning teams who opt to use their bid the next season are limited to 10 substitutions for small teams and 18 for large teams. See more info on page 3.

### **Competing Twice In One Day**

All of The ONE Cheer and Dance Finals events are TWO DAYS, requiring teams to perform once each day (except PREP divisions). Competing twice in one day is not permitted.

### Opting to Use a Bid the Following Season

To qualify, one of the following conditions/situations must apply: a) The bid qualifying event occurs after May 1, 2017 or b) International Bid Events (for international teams only). Teams earning bids from the above event types who opt to use their The ONE bid the next season must follow these guidelines:

- a) Teams must register for The ONE in the same division the following season (i.e. Small Youth Level 2 or Senior Hip Hop, etc).
- b) Teams must register and compete at the SAME bid giving event the following season in the same division (i.e. if you win your bid at CheerExpo Nationals (Canada) in March 2016 and opt to use your bid for The ONE in 2017, you must register and compete at CheerExpo Nationals in 2017). However, since the team has already earned a bid, they do not have to win another bid again.
- c) Cheer teams are limited to 10 substitutions for small teams and 18 for large teams. Dance teams must consist of at least 50% of the same dancers as the group who earned the bid. If the number of dancers is an odd number (with 50% resulting as a fraction), rounding down one person is permitted (i.e. if there were 25 dancers only 12 need to remain the same; not 13).
- d) **Bids earned may only be used once.**

#### iWIN Gifts & Prizes:

- All participants in The ONE Cheer and Dance Finals will receive a beautiful custom event medal
- First, Second, Third Place teams will receive a custom event banner
- First Place teams in our territory championships will move to the Virtual Finals, will receive title of territory Champions and CHAMPIONSHIP RINGS for all team athletes and two coaches
- First place teams in the Virtual Finals will be listed as THE ONE CHAMPIONS in all social and print media nationally and will receive CHAMPIONSHIP JACKETS for all athletes and two coaches. Are YOU the ONE?



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