



A VARSITY BRAND

**Nevada Open**  
**UNLV – Cox Pavilion**  
**February 11, 2012**

Doors will open 1 hour prior to the competition start time. All teams should report to the registration table no later than 1 hour prior to the beginning of the division in which they are competing. Please report to Cox Pavilion box office windows, which are on the lower level to the left of the stairs as you go up to Cox Pavilion (see picture below). Two free passes will be allotted to each school/group for advisors/coaches at registration. Additional spectator wristbands may be purchased for \$11.00 (13 and older) and \$4.00 (6-12 years of age) inside the main entrance doors of Cox Pavilion. You will need to submit an alphabetized list of all participating students as well as a signed USA medical release form (school and youth teams) for each participating student. **NO COMPETITORS FROM SCHOOL-BASED TEAMS WILL BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE WITHOUT AN ORIGINAL, SIGNED MEDICAL RELEASE FORM. WE ASK THAT ALL MEDICAL FORMS PLEASE BE ALPHABETIZED.**

First aid staff will be on site to provide assistance for emergencies only. Taping of wrists/ankles for individual performers will not be available. Should a participant sustain a suspected concussion during the event(s) he will not be allowed to perform until cleared by a doctor.

General Admission wristbands can be purchased for \$11.00 (13 and older) and \$4.00 (6-12 years of age) at the Northeast lobby ticket windows. **Cash only will be accepted – correct change is appreciated.** Children aged five and under are admitted free of charge.

**PARKING FEES:** There is no charge for parking. Please park in the Tropicana Parking Structure to the south of Cox Pavilion, as there is a basketball game taking place in the facility adjacent to Cox Pavilion, so parking will be impacted.

Outside food, coolers or drinks are not permitted inside of the Cox Pavilion. Concessions will be available. Cash only will be accepted at the concessions booths.

**There will be no seat saving permitted.** All seats are on a first-come, first-serve basis. As a reminder, the USA and/or UNLV will not be responsible for lost/stolen items at the competition. Please encourage team members to leave valuables, bags etc. in their vehicles. **Do not leave bags unattended.** For security reasons all competitors must stay in possession of their bags at all times. There will be a bag search as you enter the UNLV Cox Pavilion.

Competition will begin at 9:00 AM. Please refer to the enclosed tentative performance schedule. Please check the USA website (<http://usa.varsity.com>) on the Wednesday before the competition after 5:00 p.m. (PST), for a final schedule. A final schedule will also be available at the registration table on the day of the event. All teams must be ready to perform 15 minutes prior to their scheduled time. In order to avoid a possible penalty, any changes must be received in the USA office in writing by 5:00 p.m. (PST) the Friday one week prior to your competition date. **No changes will be allowed on the day of the event.**

**OVER**

Music CDs must be properly labeled with the team name and division. Please hold on to your music until the time of your performance. A team representative must remain at the sound station during your team's performance. The sound technician will be able to accommodate audio CDs and MP3s. Teams will not be able to plug in iPods, etc.

There will be assigned warm-up/practice time offered for each cheer team and "open" space/time for song/pom/dance and mascot teams. Teams must report to the warm-up facility located on the southwest lower level corner of Cox Pavilion (see picture below) at the time designated on the "Warm-Up" schedule. Teams will not be permitted to enter the warm-up area earlier than their assigned check-in time. All school-based cheer teams will have the opportunity to practice/warm-up on a carpet bonded foam mat measuring at least 30' x 42'. There will be a spring tumbling strip available for all star teams with a specialized warm-up schedule. All Star cheer teams will perform on a spring floor measuring 54' x 42'. All other cheer teams will perform on a carpet bonded foam mat measuring 54' x 42' (9 strips). Ceiling height of the performance area is at least 25'. Dance teams will perform on an arena (cement-type) floor that will be marked for center.

School and Youth Sports Spirit teams, please note the AACCA School Cheer Safety Rules, USA Song/Pom/Pep Flag Safety Rules, and the Show Cheer and Song/Pom Division Limitations posted at <http://usa.varsity.com>. Remember that three points will be deducted from the final team average of each occurrence of an illegal procedure. Performance error deductions will be assessed.

All Star teams, please note the 2011-12 USASF General Safety and Level Rules for All Star Teams posted at [www.usasf.net](http://www.usasf.net). Remember that two points will be deducted from the final team average of each occurrence of an illegal procedure. Performance error deductions will be assessed.

Video Taping Policy - For safety and security we respectfully request that videotaping be limited to performances of your school/organization only. Tri-pod cameras may not be set-up at any time. Again, video taping is permitted, but only of the routine(s) that are being performed by your participant's team.

Scoresheets will be distributed to all teams at the conclusion of the competition. Only an authorized team advisor/coach who is designated at team registration may pick these up. A photo I.D. will be required for scoresheet pick up. Recaps may be requested via the USA website (<http://usa.varsity.com>) following the competition.

**All Star teams:** As stated in the general rules: Entrants must be official full-time members of their team at the time of competition. **Proof of age in the form of current picture i.d. and a copy of a birth certificate for each participant must be available at all competitions at which a squad performs.** It may or may not be asked for by the competition officials but must be available. The penalty for an eligibility violation will be disqualification.

**USA Opens are not qualifying competitions for any USA Nationals event.**

Each performer will receive a participation trading pin. Trophies will be presented to 50% of the teams competing in each division. For all first place teams, each individual member on the team will receive a 1<sup>st</sup> place "Champion" T-shirt. For divisions with 2 or more teams competing, first place teams will also receive a Championship banner.

**Directions to the UNLV Cox Pavilion:**

View the UNLV website at <http://unlv.edu/maps/directions> and click on "Main Campus"

Use Tropicana Parking Structure  
(to the right of Cox Pavilion in the picture below)



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Final Schedule

### MINI CHEER LEVEL 1

9:00 Universal Sonics  
9:05 California All Star Cheer

### SR CHEER LEVEL 1

9:10 California All Star Cheer

### YOUTH CHEER LEVEL 1

9:15 Universal Sonics

### JR CHEER LEVEL 2

9:20 Desert Cheer Xtreme  
9:25 Cheercats  
9:30 Universal Sonics  
9:35 California All Star Cheer

### SR/SR CO-ED CHEER LEVEL 3

9:45 Universal Sonics  
9:50 Cheercats  
9:55 California All Star Cheer

### SR CHEER LEVEL 5

10:00 California All Star Cheer

### JR CHEER LEVEL 3

10:05 Universal Sonics  
10:10 California All Star Cheer

### AWARDS

Remove Springs Floor/Lay Carpet Bonded Foam Mat

### JR HIGH SHOW CHEER NOVICE

11:30 Green Valley Christian

O'Callaghan Middle

11:45 Escobedo Middle

### JR HIGH SHOW CHEER ADVANCED

Greenspun Jr High

12:00 Cadwallader Middle

Del Webb Middle

12:15 Rogich Middle

### VARSITY SHOW CHEER ADVANCED

12:30 Bishop Gorman  
Palo Verde

12:45 Arbor View  
Desert Oasis  
Coronado

1:00 Green Valley

Centennial

### SM CO-ED VARSITY SHOW CHEER ADVANCED

1:15 Pineview  
East Career & Technical

1:30 Foothill

### JR HIGH CO-ED SHOW CHEER NOVICE

11:30 Knudson Jr High

### HS FIGHT SONG - Game Time

Bishop Gorman

### PEE WEE OPEN SHOW CHEER ADV. (Youth Sports) Eval.

11:45 Maniakz Black Pistons

### MIGHTY MITES SHOW CHEER ADVANCED Evaluation

Maniakz Orange Heat

### JV SHOW CHEER NOVICE

12:00 Green Valley

### JV SHOW CHEER INTERMEDIATE

East Career & Technical

### VARSITY SHOW CHEER NOVICE

12:15 Bonanza

Lake Meade Christian

12:30 Sandy Valley

### VARSITY SHOW CHEER INTERMEDIATE

Faith Lutheran

12:45 Legacy

Shadow Ridge

### CO-ED VARSITY SHOW CHEER INTERMEDIATE

1:00 California

### JV SHOW CHEER ADVANCED

Palo Verde

### LG CO-ED VARSITY SHOW CHEER ADVANCED

1:15 Spring Valley

Silverado

### MIDGET OPEN SHOW CHEER ADV. (Youth Sports) Eval.

1:30 Maniakz White Bulls

### AWARDS

Remove Carpet Bonded Foam Mat

Over

**DANCE**

2:30 Foothill-JV  
Foothill-Varsity  
Valley  
2:45 Milken Community -JV  
Milken Community -Varsity  
Centennial  
3:00 Legacy

**SR ALL STAR HIP HOP**

Fallon Hip Hop

**VARSITY SONG/POM NOVICE**

Shadow Ridge

**VARSITY SONG/POM INTERMEDIATE**

3:15 California

**VARSITY SONG/POM ADVANCED**

Bishop Gorman

**HS TIME OUT DANCE - Game Time**

Desert Oasis

**HIP HOP**

3:30 Foothill  
Valley  
Milken Community -JV  
3:45 Milken Community -Varsity  
Centennial  
Legacy

**AWARDS**



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