

## All Things Cheer and Dance Australia Code of Conduct 2020



In an effort to provide a positive, fair and professional competition, All Things Cheer and Dance Australia has implemented a Code of Conduct for all of their events. This Code of Conduct is to be followed by all coaches, competitors, spectators, officials or anyone else associated with below state program.

As the coach of the \_\_\_\_\_  
cheerleaders/dancers, I agree to the following guidelines.

### RULES / REGULATIONS / SPORTSMANSHIP

1. I have read, understand and will abide by all ATC rules and regulations.
2. I understand that competitive cheerleading or dance is an activity that presents the possibility of injury. As a coach who understands this risk, my athletes have received proper training.
3. I understand all risks and will always place more emphasis on the safety of my athletes than on competitiveness.
4. I will follow all ATC rules and regulations. I understand that any violation of the rules and regulations could result in a penalty, point deduction, or disqualification.
5. I will abide by the age and/or grade requirements (IASF Rules and Guidelines) for all divisions that my teams are competing in. I understand that I will be required to provide proper age and/or level verification at time of check in at an event. Falsifying age and/or grade requirements will result in disqualification from competition.
6. I will accept all judges' decisions as final and not question the integrity of said judges. If there is a valid protest, the head coach may file a complaint. If, for valid purpose, I register a complaint, I understand that this complaint will be addressed after the competition.
7. I understand that any action taken by a parent, family member, friend or competitor in approaching an ATC Staff member or judge will result in a penalty point deduction as well as forfeiting the coach's right to protest or review the tape.
8. At all times, I will support results of the competition as I am a role model for my program.
9. I will promote fairness and demonstrate appropriate sportsmanship throughout the competition, as well as require all persons affiliated with my program to conduct themselves with the same appropriate sportsmanship.
10. I understand that ATC reserves the right to remove any persons from the competition for unsafe or unsportsmanlike actions.

**Force Majeure:** All Things Cheer and Dance shall not be liable for failure or other delay in performance of its obligations under any agreement to the extent such failure or delay is due to circumstances beyond its reasonable control, including, without limitation, acts of God, acts of public enemy, fires, floods, war, civil disturbance, participation, sabotage, lock-outs, labour disputes, acts of any governmental or other authority, theme park, or any other force majeure.

Head Coach's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_