## Appendix H.

## **2013-14 STUNT TEAM GUIDELINES**

- 1. TIME: Each team will perform a (1.5) one and a half minute routine or less to demonstrate its cheerleading style and expertise in partner stunting.
- 2. BEGINNING OF ROUTINE: Routine must begin within the approx. 40 X 40 performance area. Routine may not begin in a pyramid or stunt- Deduction- 10 points.
- 3. MUSIC: Routines may not include at cheer. Deduction-25 points. Squads are required to bring a cassette tape or cd of their music.
- 4. No tumbling into or out of any stunt. This will result in a 25 point deduction off total score per occurrence from superior judge. (Ex: Back handspring into a cradle)
- 5. VOCALS: No cheer or sideline chants, jumps, dance or tumbling are permitted. Spontaneous vocals soliciting crowd response are acceptable. (25pts deduction off total score per occurrence)
- 6. PROPS: No additional props are permitted. Deduction-25 points.
- 7. ENDING OF ROUTINE: Timing will stop when your squad comes to a stationary position and a designated member(s) of your squad signals the timer verbally or by a wave/spirited exit that the routine is completed. Failing to signal the time keeper is a time infraction.
- 8. SCORING: Judged on a 10 point scale, judged out of 100 points.

## **AGE LEVEL**

5 & Under (Tiny) 6-8 years old (Mini) 9-11 years old (Youth) 12-14 years old (Junior) 15 & Up (Senior)

## **STUNT TEAM DIVISIONS**:

Team 4-5 athletes-Female 4-5 athletes-Male

Team 4-5 athletes- Male and Female

CO-ED Partner 1 male, 1 female Partner 2 females or 2 males