



TIMELINE FOR AIA SPIRITLINE STATE QUALIFIER, 12/03/16
Gilbert High School

Please read the following information thoroughly.

- Team entry fee for State Qualifiers is \$250 per school.
- Spectator Admission: \$12.00 Adults, \$10 for seniors and military, \$5.00 Students with High School ID for an All-Day Pass (Re-entry privileges)
Concessions will be available during the event
- Video cameras are allowed but spectators must video from their seats. Tripods are prohibited
- Team photos will be taken as the FIRST STAGE of the warm-up process.
- Flowers will be sold at the Agua Fria State Qualifier (Flowers purchased elsewhere will not be allowed)
- Spiritline teams will be able to leave the facility and return to the Team Holding Area throughout the day if they wish. Spiritline teams will also be able to view merchandise in the gym lobby, however, teams will not be allowed into the gym to sit and watch due to the seating needs for spectators.

We appreciate your cooperation!

The current timeline for December 3rd is as follows: (Times are approx. and subject to change)

Saturday, December 3rd

- 6:30 a.m. Registration begins (Teams MUST NOT arrive earlier than 1 ½ hours prior to their scheduled warm-up time) (Exception: The first block of performances)
- 7:00 a.m. Doors open to public
- 7:25 a.m. Team warm-ups begin
- 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Division I Partner Stunt, Coed Cheer, and Coed Pom
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. LUNCH BREAK & AWARDS for Division I COED
- 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m Division III All Girl Stunt, Show Cheer, and Pom
- 7:00 p.m- 8:30 p.m. BREAK & AWARDS for Division III All Girl

* Awards will start when all scores are finalized. It might be before the projected time listed.

AWARDS CEREMONY: The top ten teams in each category will be called to the floor **WITH THEIR COACHES** for the awards ceremony. (Head Coaches **MUST** accompany their team when called to the gym floor for the awards ceremony.) **Appropriate sportsmanship is expected during the announcement of the award placements.**

- **Each squad and their coach** will be allowed to accept the plaque on behalf of their school.
- All squads that have placed in the top ten will have their team announced as an opportunity to be recognized as a team.
- It is expected that squad members **will be dressed in their complete uniforms with appropriate footwear** when gathering on the performance floor to accept their awards.
- Each squad and their coaches are asked to return to the other teams on the floor as quickly as possible after receiving their award to permit the remainder of the awards ceremony to proceed smoothly and expeditiously.
- The Winner and Runner-Up teams and coaches will be expected to shake hands and congratulate each other after the awards presentation of their division/multi-division category.
- All score sheets and scores from the State Qualifier competition and the State Championship will be handed out at the conclusion of the competition

TIMELINE UPDATES

The timeline will be posted on our website at http://aiaonline.org/activities/spirit_lines.php. The timeline will be updated on **as listed in the tournament guide** with actual performance times for each school.) The above timeline will assist you in your plans for transportation, hotel accommodations, etc.

You can also check our website listed above for the Spiritline Tournament Guide for the State Qualifiers and State Championship. The Tournament Guide is full of important information regarding many factors of the State Qualifiers and State Championship.

If you have any questions or need additional information please send an email to spirit@aiaonline.org.

Good luck at the Spiritline State Qualifier!

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