



LIONS

Emmanuel Christian Academy Jr. Lion's Information

Grades 1st – 5th

READ CAREFULLY, THERE ARE MANY CHANGES! You are invited to join the Emmanuel Jr. Lions cheerleading program. The program includes weekly practice on **Wednesdays from 3:15-4:30pm** and half-time performances at **5-6 basketball games**. It is going to be another exciting year! We hope you will join us for a fun filled exciting season!

Practices begin on Wednesday, **November 8th** from **3:15pm – 4:30pm**. **All Jr Lion Participants must be picked up by 4:30 or will be sent to Lion's Den and will be billed accordingly.**

If your Jr. Lion will be staying after school for practice, they need to report directly to the cafeteria and check in with one of the High School Varsity Cheerleaders. They will have time for a quick snack, so please pack a snack and drink for your Jr. Lion.

The participation fee for the season is **\$80 for ALL Members**. This fee includes registration, Jr Lion long sleeve shirt, pom-poms, bow, and awards. **ALL Black athletic shorts need to be purchased independently for your Jr Lion**. The participation fee for the season for returning members includes registration and any replacement items that are necessary. We are trying to keep it simple and cost effective, but fun with our uniforms each year. Uniforms are NOT to be altered in any way except for size. Checks for registration can be made payable to ECA. The uniforms (**excluding black shorts**) will be ordered by Coach Deppen and delivered at practice as soon as they are prepared. Please review the attached information and return the forms and program payment to the front office at Emmanuel no later than **Monday, October 16th**. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Kasi Deppen at kdeppen22@gmail.com.

JR LIONS SCHEDULE

Practice Wednesdays 3:15-4:30 (Practice ends PROMPTLY at 4:30)

October 16th-Registration DUE-Questions or concerns, see Coach Deppen

November 8th-FIRST PRACTICE

November 15th-PRACTICE

November 29th-PRACTICE

December 6th- PRACTICE

December 8th-FIRST PERFORMANCE (JV halftime)-arrive at 5:00

December 12th- PERFORMANCE (JV halftime)-arrive at 5:15

December 13th- PRACTICE

January 9th- PERFORMANCE (JV halftime)-arrive at 5:00

January 10th- PRACTICE

January 17th- PRACTICE

January 24th- PRACTICE

January 27th- PERFORMANCE (JV halftime)-arrive at 5:15

January 31st- PRACTICE

February 7th- FINAL PRACTICE, PERFORMANCE, AND AWARDS!!!! Parent arrival at 4:00 PM Performance will begin promptly-directly followed by awards.

***GAME ARRIVAL TIMES MAY CHANGE DUE TO GAME CHANGES!!!! Changes will be made in the JR LIONS CHEER app.

Emmanuel Christian Academy

2023-2024 Jr. Lions Rules & Registration

All Parents and Participants Must Read and Sign the Following:

- Be respectful of all Members, Parents, Coach, Instructional Staff and Emmanuel Christian Academy.
- Wear proper attire to all instructional times and performances.
- Prompt arrival to all events. Members will not be allowed to leave early unless previous arrangements have been made with Coach Deppen.
- No horse play, disruptive behavior, or foul language will be permitted.
- No gum or candy during instructional times or performances.
- Proper maintenances of your Emmanuel Jr. Lions uniform. *Uniform may only be worn at official performances/events.*
- Parents must "Check In / Out" their child before / after each performance in the area designated. Please be prompt!
- Have Fun and Enjoy Your Season as an Emmanuel Jr. Lion member!!

I have read and understand the rules above regarding my child's participation in the Emmanuel Jr. Lions program.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I have read and understand the rules above regarding my participation in the Emmanuel Jr. Lions program. These rules are developed to ensure my safety and enjoyment of the program. If I do not adhere to the rules set forth, it could lead to my dismissal and good standing with the organization.

Member's Signature _____ Date _____

Name of Jr. Lion: _____ Jr Lion current grade: _____ (Shirt, bow, and poms will be ordered for new members, please indicate sizes. Returning members-please indicate necessary items your Jr Lion requires.) **All Jr Lions need to purchase ALL Black athletic shorts to wear to each performance. Please wear white socks and white/light colored shoes for all performances.**

_____ LONG SLV JR LION SHIRT **SIZE TO BE ORDERED** (YXS, YS, YM, YL, YXL, AS, AM, AL)

_____ I do NOT need a new Junior Lion shirt (returning members)

_____ I NEED a new bow (returning members)

_____ I NEED new pom-poms (returning members)

Cell Phone Number(s) for Jr Lions App:

We have set up the App named Team Reach. It will have all practice and game details within the app for the entire season. An invitation will be sent to the number(s) provided above. Please make checks payable to ECA and submit participation fee of \$80 for ALL members along with completed forms no later than **Monday, October 16th. (No late registrations accepted.)**



Emmanuel Christian Academy 2023-2024 Jr. Lions Release Form

AGREEMENT COMPLIANCE, MEDICAL TREATMENT, LIABILITY RELEASE & APPEARANCE AGREEMENT

Participant/Parent or Guardian: An Agreement of Compliance must be read and signed by each participant in order for her to participate.

Participants Name _____, I, _____, understand that as a participant, I will adhere to the following rules and regulations:

- All participants are expected to conduct themselves in a mature manner regardless of age.
- Emmanuel Christian Academy reserves the right of placement of individuals in the performances.
- Participants must respect the facility property, rules and regulations, dress codes, and event-related employees.

I also understand that any violation of this agreement on my part may result in disciplinary action at the above mentioned event, and/or notification of parents, and possible removal from the program.

Each participant's parent or guardian must sign the following release.

- I understand that by taking part in the Emmanuel Jr. Lions program, there is a possibility of sickness to my daughter. I do hereby grant my permission to hospital staff members to administer immediate treatment to my child should she be injured. I understand I will be notified as soon as possible in the event of an emergency. My insurance company or I will assume all expenses of such treatment.
- I also agree to hold harmless Emmanuel Christian Academy, the instructional staff, and the Emmanuel game organizers for any injury as a result of my daughter's participation.
- I give Emmanuel Christian Academy the right and permission to film, photograph, or video tape my daughter for any reproductions associated or in any way connected with said televised or filmed event, in particular, for use in any form of advertisement for Emmanuel Christian Academy and Emmanuel Jr. Lions for its promotional purposes.

Parents Signature: _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Address: _____ Cell Phone (____) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Insurance Carrier: _____ Phone _____

Policy/Group Number: _____

Any medications/allergic to : _____