

New Fairfield Falcons 2009

Youth Demonstrators and Student Volunteers Rules

Placement: all demonstrators and volunteers will be assigned to a team by the cheer coordinators

Rostering: youth demonstrators must be 15 or older by 7/31/2009 and have submitted all of the proper paperwork by 7/18 to be rostered to a team. A team is allowed 4 demonstrators. Student volunteers under 15 must submit the players contract and will not be listed on the roster. Only rostered demonstrators are allowed to accompany the team in the "back" during a competition. If you are a volunteer the Falcons will purchase your ticket for the competition but you must remain in the audience.

Duties: to assist the adult coaches in demonstrating basic cheer skills and stunts, to help the adult coaches in putting together a routine for competition. The Head Coach must approve any and all materials the cheerleaders are taught. The demos and/or volunteers will accept the decision of the Head Coach and/or Cheer Coordinators as the final word regarding any aspect of cheer, stunts, etc.

Demo's or Volunteers will not in any way shape or form discipline any member of the squad. .
Demo's and volunteers are under the direction of the Head Coach of the team.

One rostered Demo will be appointed to report to the Head Coach and assign duties to the other Demos/Volunteers.

*Dress: All volunteers will be dressed appropriately at all practices and games. T-shirts, shorts, sneakers (**NO SANDALS or BAREFEET ALLOWED**) hair pulled back from face preferably in a ponytail. All jewelry will be removed when working with the squads. Nails must be short. **Cell Phones will be placed on silent vibrate or turned off completely. If you must make or take a call (in case of an emergency) please inform the Head Coach and walk away from the teams that are practicing.***

If you have friends that you need to speak to at practice/game again inform the head coach and leave the area. Only Falcon Coaches and youth staff are allowed on the field for practice and/or games.

Attendance: We understand that you are involved in other schools sports and activities. If you are going to miss a practice/game or will be late, notify your head coach.

Travel: If you decide to attend a competition that requires an overnight stay, a responsible adult (over 21) must accompany demos and volunteers. The Falcon Coaches are not allowed to transport youth demo's/volunteers to practices/games or competitions. Exception: the youth demo/volunteer is related to the coach.

Being a youth demonstrator or volunteer is a huge commitment. The Coaches and team count on you to be at every practice and game. Please consider our fall schedule before you sign-up. If you feel you can only commit to the 1st couple of weeks of August, just tell us. We will consider you as a volunteer and you will receive your hours for community service.

Thank you for all of your help.

The Coaches and Staff of the NF Falcons