



## Goin' Wild at the 2008 Kalahari Nationals!

Hello everyone! As you all know we have a very important competition coming up for all of our teams at the gym! It's a national competition and we would like to make a clean sweep at awards! Blaze is working hard to make their last year's Kalahari national championship back to back with this year and Firestorm is still shooting for their bid to the CHEERLEADING WORLDS! Starting with this year at the Kalahari Sparks, Flames, and Embers are working to start their national championship tradition! As a result, we have big plans for the teams to get ready for their competition!

We will be hosting \*dress rehearsals\* for the teams to practice performing their routines for the parents. They need to come in full uniform except for the make up. This means shoes, skirt, briefs, top, and hair pulled back neatly with a bow!! For the parents this means loud cheering, the big "H" signs, pictures, and videos! The girls will need your support! Dress rehearsal times are as follows:

Embers, Sparks, and Flames ~ Tuesday, March 11<sup>th</sup> 7:00 p.m. (Sparks and Embers will practice before this and Flames will practice after)

Blaze and Firestorm ~ Thursday March 13<sup>th</sup> 7:00 p.m. (Blaze will practice before this and Firestorm will practice after)

We will be handing out \*free shirts\* to all of the girls to wear while they are there. These shirts will be available to order if any parents would like them! They are black shirts and have the heat logo, team names, and "Goin' Wild at the 2008 Kalahari Nationals" on them.

To make sure that this experience is the best it can be for each team, we are going to require all team members to be at all Heat performances that day. We will be checking to make sure everyone is there. Fans are a major part of confidence and success for the performing teams and we should all be encouraging and cheering each other on! Team members must wear their free shirt to all other performances!! Once we have those times we will let you know!

If you would like a shirt please email Karen at [KWELCH@HEATCHEER.COM](mailto:KWELCH@HEATCHEER.COM) by 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday March 4<sup>th</sup> with the following information. This is just for the families if they would like shirts. The girls shirts have already been ordered!! The price is \$15 per T-shirt. After you email Karen please put your payment with your name on it in the payment box by March 11 when we will be handing them out.

~Name~ Quantity ~T-shirt size(s) YS - 4XL~

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