



WORLDS 2023



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2023 IASF WORLDS CONGRATULATION

INFINITY | STARZ ELITE

Congratulations on your selection to represent SM Cheer & Dance and Western Australia, at the 2023 IASF Cheerleading & Dance World Championships in Orlando Florida. What a fantastic achievement! It would not have been possible to achieve this amazing opportunity without the combined efforts of SMCAD's cheerleaders, dancers, families, and coaches.

Please see below for an outline of the information regarding the athlete's commitment to attend the 2023 IASF World Championships.

To confirm your commitment to your team, please complete and submit the attached electronic form by Monday 21st November 2022.

We wish all our athletes good luck on their journey to the World Championships!

SM CHEER & DANCE
OWNERS / MANAGERS / COACHES





GENERAL INFORMATION

With prior commitment from all current Starz Elite & eligible Infinity members, we have accepted the at-large & partial paid bids offered and will begin working towards Worlds with those athletes who are able to firmly commit.

We will continue to recruit new athletes for both teams and these new athletes will need to be fully committed and commence training with the team no later than 6th January 2022.

With goals to reach finals (top 3 Australian teams), SMCAD will be taking this selection of elite cheer and dance athletes on their first of many tours to the World Championships.

International success builds over many seasons and is a journey, not a destination!

Starting December 2022, Infinity and Starz Elite will train to be "The Best From The West" and strive to perform the most elite skills possible in their selected teams. A great worlds experience comes from, dedication and purpose in the gym.

If for any reason you are not able to decide immediately or have further questions, please contact Liz or Rachael to discuss confidentially.

Email: liz@smcad.com.au

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Tentative travel information is included in this pack however, many details are still to be discussed and confirmed. (Please note, this information is provided to aid the process of decision-making but is subject to change).



COMPETITIONS IN FLORIDA, USA

FIRST EVENT

- **Next Level Nationals 15th – 16th April, Tampa Florida.** This will be our lead-up competition for Starz Elite & Infinity to ensure we receive US judge's feedback, as well as ensure all athletes are prepared for the world stage.

MAIN EVENT

- **IASF World Championships 21st – 24th April, Orlando Florida.**
- Cheerleading Worlds is held across 3 venues which are all located at ESPN.
- Dance Worlds is held at The Coronado Springs resort Convention Centre within the Disney World complex.
- Top 3 teams in each division per country (according to placings in semi-finals) automatically advance to finals.



FINANCE

- The approximate cost for Worlds travel will be in the region of \$6500-\$7000 AUD. (Not included: Passport, Visa, Food, Universal Studios, and spending money)
- An official fundraising committee will be formed, please DO NOT rely on fundraising to cover your cost of travel. There is no way to pre-empt the amount each athlete may gain from fundraising.
- All scheduled payments must be made via bank transfer to the Star-Mites Travel account.
- Fundraising funds from Decemberr 2022 onwards may only be deducted from the final installment.

TRAINING

- Training commitment: Two - Three evenings per week plus at home program to include compulsory strength, flex & conditioning training. Days and times as per schedule provided.
- An additional training maybe added between February - April. Days and times will be discussed.
- Any pre booked holidays or events will be honored as approved absences if previously communicated to SMCAD staff prior to the 19th November. We ask that you please refrain from booking further trips / events which may clash with training until all dates are confirmed.
- We will take a break from December 20th - January 5th
- Intense choreography weekend be will required - 6hrs per day - Dates to be advised

TRAVEL

- 16-day trip (including travel time): Wednesday 12th - Tuesday 25th April (returning to Perth Wednesday 26th April).
- As the event is 5 months away, we hope to reduce the financial burden by booking travel components as early as possible for cheaper deals and where possible breaking payments into smaller installments over the time period.

Athletes must travel to Worlds together with the club, return journeys may be arranged independently. Under 18s must travel home with club officials if not accompanied by a parent. Parents are not required to attend, but may independently arrange travel and accommodation to suit. **ALL athletes will stay together with staff at all times.**

ESTIMATED COST

2023 SMCAD Cheerleading & Dance Worlds Tour

- All prices are an estimate as no prices have been confirmed. (Prices are subject to change)
- All Accommodation Cost Based On Quad Share Rooms
- Passports & ESTA Visa - own responsibility MUST BE VALID FOR 6 MONTHS from date of travel
- Below guide excludes Food / Universal Studios / Spending Money

Description	Units	Unit Price	Cost
Return Airfare – Group Booking	1	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000
Competition 1 Entry – Next Level Nationals	1	\$ 152	\$ 152
Accommodation Tampa - 13th-17th April	4	\$ 100	\$ 400
Accommodation Kissimee - 17th - 21st April	4	\$ 50	\$ 200
IASF Worlds Entry Accommodation 21st-25th April All Star Resort Disney	4	\$ 328	\$ 1312
Athlete Travel Insurance	1	\$ 185	\$ 185
Ground Travel - Individual Transfers & Bus Hire	12	\$ 25	\$ 300
Staff Levy	1	\$ 610	\$ 610
USA Training Hrs	10	\$ 6	\$ 60
Worlds Club Merchandise	1	\$ 100	\$ 100
New Competition Uniform	1	\$ 200	\$ 200
Worlds Routine Choreography - Cheer Only	1	\$ 220	\$ 220
Worlds Routine Music - IASF compliant	1	\$ 75	\$ 75
Total			\$ 6814

PAYMENT PLAN

- Deposit is NON-REFUNDABLE and confirms your place on the team
- All installments are due on or before the date scheduled (payment amounts are subject to change)
- All payments must be made into the Star-Mites Travel Account
- Fundraising money will be allocated to accounts after each event, for installment #5. The final amount outstanding will differ depending on each individuals fundraising efforts.
- All enrolment, tuition, competition and camp fees must be paid up to date before departure from Perth.

INSTALLMENT	AMOUNT	DATE DUE
DEPOSIT	\$800	26/11/2022
#1	\$1000	31/12/2022
#2	\$1000	28/01/2023
#3	\$1000	18/02/2023
#4	\$1000	15/03/2023
#5	FINAL BALANCE	01/04/2023

STAR-MITES TRAVEL ACCOUNT
BSB:086 334 ACC: 16 061 4191

**TO ACCEPT YOUR POSITION ON
YOUR 2023 IASF WORLDS TEAM
CLICK THE LINK BELOW:**

[2023 IASF Worlds Final Acceptance](#)

