

# USASF All Star Cheer Divisions for 2016-2017



## **Items that are highlighted show clarifications that were made to the 2015-16 Cheer Age Grid**

The Age Grid has been organized into various sections for ease of use and reference. The sections are as follows:

All Star Club Divisions  
 International Divisions  
 Other Divisions: Special Needs & All Star Prep Divisions  
 Guidelines for Combining and/or Splitting Divisions

The age grid provides a "menu" of divisions that may be offered by an individual event producer. An event producer does not have to offer every division listed above. **However, a USASF member event producer must only offer divisions from the grid above and/or combine/split divisions based upon the guidelines below, unless prior written approval is received from the USASF.** Divisions/rules that are "less" or "more" restrictive than those listed are not permitted without written permission from the USASF.

### **GENERAL ATHLETE GUIDELINES**

- Athletes participating at USASF sanctioned events must be registered members of the USASF for the current season.
- All athletes taking the floor at USASF sanctioned events must appear on an Official USASF Event Roster.
- The athletes who perform a routine must remain the same from start to finish and MAY NOT be replaced by another athlete at any time during the performance.

### **CROSSOVERS**

- An all-star cheerleader is limited to crossing over to **2 (two)** additional cheer teams from their gym per competition. Therefore, an athlete may compete on one team and crossover to two more teams from the same gym during the competition.
- An individual will not be permitted to crossover from one program to another within the same event
- Exception: An athlete from one gym without a Level 6 team may crossover to **one additional** gym's Level 6 team provided (s)he meets the age requirement for a Level 6 team.
- Crossovers between all-star **cheerleading** prep and traditional all-star **cheerleading** are not permitted at the same event.
- Crossover limitations above do not include athletes that crossover from cheer to dance.
- An event producer may choose to be more restrictive than the rules above for crossovers limiting the number of teams an athlete may crossover to further; however an event producer may not be less restrictive than this.

### **EXHIBITION PERFORMANCES**

- Teams that perform in "exhibition" or "evaluation only" at an event must adhere to the USASF Age Grid and Level Rules as would any other team.
- "Exhibition" or "evaluation only" status does **not** allow a team to violate the safety rules or age restrictions (see exception addressed in Unplanned Athlete Replacement guidelines below) that have been put in place for all athletes. Any additional exception to these rules must be obtained in writing from the USASF.

### **UNPLANNED ATHLETE REPLACEMENT**

- In the event of a missing/absent member of a team a gym may replace that athlete with another performer from that gym.
- A replacement is defined as an individual who was not on the team's printed USASF roster taking the place of another athlete at an event. This usually occurs as a result of illness/injury.
- If the replacement athlete does not meet the age requirements for that particular division (this includes a coach), then the team is permitted to perform in "exhibition" **only**.
- Performing competitively for a team with a replacement member who does not meet division age requirements is not permitted.
- All appropriate general safety rules and level rules must be followed for the team regardless of the age of performers on the team.
- An unplanned replacement of an athlete(s) is limited to 3 performers maximum. Any number that exceeds 3 will result in the team **performing** in "exhibition" **only**.

## USASF All Star Cheer CLUB Divisions for 2016-2017 By Age

### AGE OF COMPETITOR

The USASF recognizes the concern with fielding teams of a broad age range and highly recommends that individual gyms/programs be vigilant in monitoring participants of various ages on the same team and that, whenever possible, a team's composition is made up of participants of similar ages.

**Club Divisions:** The age of the competitor as of **August 31, 2016** will be the age used for competition purposes throughout the 2016-2017 season for all club divisions.

*The divisions listed below will be split into "Small" (5-20) and "Large" (21-32/36) if there will be at least 2 teams in each of the "Small" and "Large" divisions. See below for Senior Level 5 split information.*

USASF All Star Cheer CLUB Divisions for 2016-2017 By Age				
Cheer Divisions	Age	Female/Male	Number on Squad	Levels
<b>Tiny Cheer</b>				
Tiny	6 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	1
<b>Mini Cheer</b>				
Mini	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	1, 2
<b>Youth Cheer</b>				
Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	1,2,3,4
Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 36 Members	5
<b>Junior Cheer</b>				
Junior 5 Restricted	14 Yrs & Younger	Limit 0 - 4 Males	5 - 36 Members	5R
Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	1,2,3,4
Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	No Males	5 - 36 Members	5
Junior Co-Ed	14 Yrs & Younger	1 or more Males	5 - 36 Members	5
<b>Senior Cheer</b>				
Senior 5 Restricted	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Limit 0 - 4 Males	5 - 36 Members	5R
Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	1, 2
Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 32 Members	3, 4
Senior Co-Ed	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 or more Males	5 - 32 Members	3, 4
Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	4,2
Senior**	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 36 Members	5
Senior Small Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 4 Males	5 - 20 Members	5
Senior Medium Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 8 Males	5 - 30 Members	5
Senior Large Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 18 Males	5 - 36 Members	5
<b>Open</b>				
Open 4	17 Yrs & Older	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members	4

**\*\*** *The Senior 5 All Girl division splits are "Small" (5-20), "Medium" (21-30) and "Large" (31-36) provided they meet the split guidelines and have 2 teams in each division. The division will be split "Small" and "Large" first, and if there are enough teams to further split "Large" into "Medium" and "Large" the split will occur provided they meet the split guidelines and have 2 teams in each division.*

# USASF All Star Cheer CLUB Divisions for 2016-2017 By Level

(Same Grid – Different Format)

## AGE OF COMPETITOR

The USASF recognizes the concern with fielding teams of a broad age range and highly recommends that individual gyms/programs be vigilant in monitoring participants of various ages on the same team and that, whenever possible, a team's composition is made up of participants of similar ages.

**Club Divisions:** The age of the competitor as of **August 31, 2016** will be the age used for competition purposes throughout the 2016-2017 season for all club divisions.

*The divisions listed below will be split into "Small" (5-20) and "Large" (21-32/36) if there will be at least 2 teams in each of the "Small" and "Large" divisions. See below for Senior Level 5 split information.*

USASF All Star Cheer CLUB Divisions for 2016-2017 By Level				
<b>USASF Club Level 1</b>				
Level 1	Tiny	6 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Mini	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 2</b>				
Level 2	Mini	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 3</b>				
Level 3	Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 3	Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 3	Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 32 Members
Level 3	Senior Co-Ed	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 or more Males	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 4</b>				
Level 4	Youth	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 4	Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 4	Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 32 Members
Level 4	Senior Co-Ed	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 or more Males	5 - 32 Members
Level 4	Open	17 Yrs & Older	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 4.2</b>				
Level 4.2	Senior	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 5 Restricted</b>				
Level 5R	Junior Restricted	14 Yrs & Younger	Limit 0 – 4 Males	5 – 36 Members
Level 5	Senior Restricted	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Limit 0 - 4 Males	5 - 36 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 5</b>				
Level 5	Junior	14 Yrs & Younger	No Males	5 – 36 Members
Level 5	Junior Co-Ed	14 Yrs & Younger	1 or more Males	5 – 36 Members
Level 5	Senior**	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 36 Members
Level 5	Senior Small Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 4 Males	5 - 20 Members
Level 5	Senior Medium Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 8 Males	5 - 30 Members
Level 5	Senior Large Co-Ed	12 Yrs – 18 Yrs	1 - 18 Males	5 - 36 Members

\*\* The Senior 5 All Girl division splits are "Small" (5-20), "Medium" (21-30) and "Large" (31-36) provided they meet the split guidelines and have 2 teams in each division. The division will be split "Small" and "Large" first, and if there are enough teams to further split "Large" into "Medium" and "Large" the split will occur provided they meet the split guidelines and have 2 teams in each division.

# USASF All Star Cheer INTERNATIONAL Divisions for 2016-2017

## AGE OF COMPETITOR

The USASF recognizes the concern with fielding teams of a broad age range and highly recommends that individual gyms/programs be vigilant in monitoring participants of various ages on the same team and that, whenever possible, a team's composition is made up of participants of similar ages.

**International Divisions:** International Divisions are offered at levels 5 and 6 only. On the age grid, these divisions are preceded by the world "International".

The eligible age for the athletes will be determined by the "calendar year of the competition" (December 31 of the same year that the competition occurs) for its age cutoff date.

**Example:** An athlete that is 13 turns 14 on December 12, 2016. She is competing at a competition on November 7, 2016. She is permitted to compete in International Open 5 (all girl or co-ed) because she turns 14 within the same calendar year as the event in which she is competing. A calendar year is considered January 1<sup>st</sup> – December 31<sup>st</sup>.

**NON-US TEAMS COMPETING IN ANY US BASED COMPETITION & TEAMS COMPETING AT WORLDS** must follow the **USASF Age Grid** for Club divisions and the **IASF Age Grid** for International divisions.

The USASF All Star Cheer INTERNATIONAL Age Grid is based on the IASF Age Grid. It is include herein for ease of reference for USASF Member Programs.

USASF All Star Cheer INTERNATIONAL Divisions for 2016-2017 By Age				
Cheer Divisions	Age	Female/Male	Number on Squad	Levels
<b>International Open Cheer – Please see clarifications in the text below under the title "International Open Cheer Levels 5 and 6".</b>				
International Open 5	14 Yrs & Older*	No Males	5 - 24 Members	5
International Open Small Co-Ed 5	14 Yrs & Older*	1 - 4 Males	5 - 24 Members	5
International Open Large Co-Ed 5	14 Yrs & Older*	5 - 12 Males	5 - 24 Members	5
International Open 6	17 Yrs & Older*	No Males	5 - 24 Members	6
International Open Small Co-Ed 6	17 Yrs & Older*	1 - 4 Males	5 - 24 Members	6
International Open Large Co-Ed 6	17 Yrs & Older*	5 - 15 Males	5 - 24 Members	6

(Same Grid – Different Format)

USASF All Star Cheer INTERNATIONAL Divisions for 2016-2017 By Level				
<b>USASF International Level 5</b>				
Level 5	International Open 5	14 Yrs & Older	No Males	5-24 members
Level 5	International Open Small Co-Ed 5	14 Yrs & Older	1-4 Males	5-24 members
Level 5	International Open Large Co-Ed 5	14 Yrs & Older	5-12 Males	5-24 members
<b>USASF International Level 6</b>				
Level 6	International Open 6	17 Yrs & Older	No Males	5-24 members
Level 6	International Open Small Co-Ed 6	17 Yrs & Older	1-4 Males	5-24 members
Level 6	International Open Large Co-Ed 6	17 Yrs & Older	5-15 Males	5-24 members

## USASF All Star Cheer PREP Divisions for 2016-2017

<b>USASF All Star Cheer PREP Divisions for 2016-2017 By Age</b>				
Cheer Divisions	Age	Female/Male	Number on Squad	Levels
Tiny Prep	6 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 – 32 Members	Level 1 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>
Mini Prep	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 – 32 Members	Levels 1 & 2 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>
Youth Prep	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 – 32 Members	Levels 1, 2 & 3 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>
Junior Prep	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 – 32 Members	Levels 1, 2 & 3 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>
Senior Prep	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 – 32 Members	Levels 1, 2 & 3 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>

<b>USASF All Star Cheer PREP Divisions for 2016-2017 By Level</b>				
<b>USASF Club Level 1</b> <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>				
Level 1	Tiny Prep	6 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Mini Prep	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Youth Prep	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Junior Prep	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 1	Senior Prep	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 2</b> <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>				
Level 2	Mini Prep	8 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Youth Prep	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Junior Prep	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 2	Senior Prep	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
<b>USASF Club Level 3</b> <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>				
Level 3	Youth Prep	11 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 3	Junior Prep	14 Yrs & Younger	Female/Male	5 - 32 Members
Level 3	Senior Prep	10 Yrs – 18 Yrs	No Males	5 - 32 Members

### **ALL STAR CHEERLEADING PREP GUIDELINES**

- All teams are combined female/male - prep teams will not be classified as co-ed, regardless of the number of males on a team.
- Follows same rules for splitting by team size as All Star Cheer Club Divisions.
- All Star Cheer Prep Divisions can be offered at both 1 and 2-day events. HOWEVER, if offered at 2-day events, "prep" divisions will perform ONE TIME ONLY.
- Crossovers between All Star prep cheerleading and All Star Cheer Club Divisions are not permitted at the same event.
- Please refer to the USASF 2016-2017 Cheer Safety Rules for modifications. The specific page number is referenced in the Table of Contents of the USASF 2016-2017 Cheer Safety Rules.

## USASF All Star Cheer “OTHER” Divisions for 2016-2017

USASF All Star Cheer SPECIAL NEEDS Divisions for 2016-2017				
Cheer Divisions	Age	Female/Male	Number on Squad	Levels
Special Needs	Any Age	Female/Male	Unlimited	Levels 1 & 2 <i>With modifications as outlined in the USASF 2016-17 Cheer Safety Rules</i>

### **ALL STAR CHEERLEADING SPECIAL NEEDS GUIDELINES**

- Please refer to the USASF 2016-2017 Cheer Safety Rules for modifications. The specific page number is referenced in the Table of Contents of the USASF 2016-2017 Cheer Safety Rules.

### **INDIVIDUAL/GROUP STUNT/ PARTNER STUNT COMPETITION**

- The divisions of "Group Stunt", "Partner Stunt" and "Individual" may be offered by an event producer at their discretion.
- The age, level and female/male restrictions designated on the USASF All Star Cheer Club Divisions Age Grid must remain in place for **stunt divisions** (i.e. no Mini Stunt Group may perform at L5 stunting skills).
- The age and level restrictions designated on the USASF All Star Cheer Club Divisions Age Grid must remain in place for "**Individual**" competition (i.e. no Tiny Individual may perform at L4 tumbling skills)

# Guidelines for Combining and/or Splitting Divisions

## WHEN TO SPLIT DIVISIONS:

### **INTERNATIONAL DIVISIONS: SMALL/LARGE SPLITS**

International Open 5/6 and International Open Level 6 is not permitted to split into Small and Large.

#### **Senior Restricted 5**

Event producers will split division first by co-ed and all girl (when applicable) and then by team size (small or large). Both these splits are mandatory if they apply.

#### **Senior Level 4.2**

Event producers will split division first by co-ed and all girl (when applicable) and then by team size (small or large). Both these splits are mandatory if they apply.

#### **Junior Restricted 5**

Event producers will split division first by team size (small or large) ) and then by co-ed and all girl (when applicable).

*See section entitled Co-ed Splits below for division split parameters for Senior Restricted 5, Senior 4.2 and Junior Restricted 5 divisions.*

**With the exception of the divisions listed above, all divisions will split as follows so long as there are at least 2 teams in each division after the split occurs:**

First Split (Mandatory): Team Size

Second Split (Optional): Division Split for DI and DII

Third Split (Optional): A|B Division Split

Mandatory Split: Event producers are required to split if 2 or more teams will be in each division.

Optional Split: Event producers are NOT required to further split the division.

### **SPLIT EXCEPTION:**

Teams from the same gym will not have to compete against themselves if they have a "Small" and "Large" team in the same division (i.e. Small Junior Level 2 and Large Junior Level 2). A mandatory split in the division would occur in this situation; even it means that a division is left with only one team performing. *NOTE: Teams of the same size from the same program will NOT be split and will compete against each other.*

### **FIRST SPLIT: TEAM SIZE SPLIT [Mandatory Split when applicable]**

### **ALL CLUB DIVISIONS: SMALL/LARGE SPLITS**

Event producers **must** split the division into "Small" and "Large" divisions when there are at least **two** teams that will ultimately be registered in each respective division. The designation of "Small" and "Large" divisions must follow the team sizes below:

Small = 5 – 20 members

Large = 21 – 32 members (36 members for Level 5)

### **SENIOR LEVEL 5 (ONLY): SMALL/MEDIUM/LARGE SPLITS**

Event producers **will** split the Senior Level 5 division into "Small" and/or "Medium" and/or "Large" divisions when there are at least **two** teams that will ultimately be registered in each respective division. The designation of "Small", "Medium" and "Large" divisions must follow the team sizes below:

Small = 5 – 20 members

Medium = 21 – 30 members

Large = 31 – 36 members

An event producer must keep teams of 21 – 36 members in "Large" division, unless there are enough teams to split 2 teams each into "Medium" and "Large."

NOTE: For Worlds qualifying divisions at an event where Worlds bids will be awarded, an event producer may leave Senior Level 5 divisions split regardless of the number of teams competing in them.

## ***SECOND SPLIT: DIVISION SPLIT FOR DI | DII [Optional Split when applicable]***

Event producers **may** split the division into Division I (DI) and Division II (DII) when there are at least **two** teams that will ultimately be registered in each respective division. The designation of DI and DII divisions must follow the USASF Division II definition.

### ***“DIVISION II” Definition***

- A “Division II” PROGRAM is defined as having **125 or fewer** athletes registered in its competitive cheer program. Exhibition teams, crossover athletes, special needs teams and dance teams do not count toward the 125 or less athletes. **“Prep” athletes are counted toward the 125 athletes or less.**
- It is up to the event producer’s discretion as to how to monitor “Division II” status for their particular event, given the definition provided above.
- NOTE: Multi-location programs must follow the USASF “Definition of a Program” and declare their status before November 1 each season as either: (1) multiple locations sharing athletes; or (2) multiple locations not sharing athletes. Based on their declaration with the USASF, individual locations may or may not qualify for Division II.
- Once a Division II gym registers 126 athletes or more, the gym is no longer eligible for Division II status for the remainder of the competitive season regardless of the number of athletes may have in their program at any given time.
- For further information/clarification see **USASF PROGRAMS: CLASSIFICATIONS & PROGRAM DEFINITION** document.

## ***THIRD SPLIT: A/B SPLIT [Optional Split when applicable]***

If after splitting divisions into Team Size and/or DI and DII there are **10 or more** teams in **any given division**, then event producers **may** split that division further by squad size within the previous splits. The event producers must use a name such as “Group A”, “Group B” to denote the split and must clearly define the number of competitors permitted on the team for each of these particular divisions.

**SPLIT PARAMETERS:** If it is not possible to implement the first permitted split for any given division, the event producer may move to the next permissible split so long as there will be at least two teams in each division.

**No division may be subdivided further if it means that only one team will be left in a division**

## ***CO-ED SPLITS***

***Co-ed Splits only apply to the divisions listed below. If the division is not listed below, a Co-ed split is NEVER an option:***

**When to use the co-ed split:** When there will be 2 or more teams in each respective division

### **Senior Restricted Level 5**

- First Split (if possible): Co-ed | All Girl
- Second Split: Team Size

### **Senior Level 4.2**

- First Split (if possible): Co-ed | All Girl
- Second Split: Team Size

### **Junior Restricted Level 5**

- First split (if possible): Team Size
- Second Split: Co-ed | All Girl

**For Junior Restricted Level 5:** If a division cannot be split by size (i.e. 5 total teams comprised of 4 small and 1 large), but can be split into co-ed and all girl divisions with at least two teams remaining in each division, then the event producer **may** make this split at their discretion, despite not having split the division into small and large. **This is an optional split.**

**For Senior Restricted Level 5 and Senior 4.2:** If a division cannot be split by co-ed and all girl but can be split by team size with at least two teams remaining in each division, then the event producer **must** make this split.

Splits may only occur when there are at least **two** teams that will ultimately be registered in each respective division. No other division may be split into Co-Ed.



## **WORLDS SPLITS**

Event producers may also, at their discretion, split divisions into “Worlds Qualifying” and “Non-Worlds” qualifying divisions as long as the levels, age and female/male restrictions designated on the age grid remain the same for each division.

Based on event registration for the 2017 Cheerleading Worlds, some divisions ultimately offered at that event may not be listed on the Age Grid above.

As a reminder, an event producer may not offer divisions other than those listed on the age grid without prior approval from the USASF.

NOTE: For Worlds qualifying divisions at an event where Worlds bids will be awarded, an event producer may leave these divisions split regardless of the number of teams competing in them.

## **WHEN TO COMBINE DIVISIONS**

### **Prohibited Combinations:**

**Senior Restricted Level 5** and **Senior Level 5** divisions **may not** be combined into one division.

**Junior Restricted Level 5** and **Junior Level 5** divisions **may not** be combined into one division.

### **Junior Co-Ed Level 5 & Junior Level 5 (Permitted combined division)**

This permitted combination applies to single registrations in EITHER division.

- If there is only ONE co-ed competing, then the all girl teams and one co-ed team must be combined into one Junior Level 5 division (i.e. Four Junior All Girl Level 5 teams and one Junior Co-Ed Level 5 team = 5 Junior Level 5 teams for competition).
- If there is ONE all girl competing, then the co-ed teams and the one all girl team must be combined into one Junior Level 5 division
- If the Junior teams were split into Small and Large, then the Junior Co-Ed team must be placed in the Small or Large division that corresponds to the Junior Co-Ed team's overall size (i.e. team of 18 in Small, team of 24 in Large).

### **Senior Co-ed Level 3 & Senior Level 3 (Permitted combined division)**

This permitted combination applies to single registrations in CO-ED division only.

- If there is only ONE Senior Co-ed Level 3 team registered and one or more Senior All Girl Level 3 team registered, then that level must be combined into one Senior Level 3 Division (i.e. Four Senior Level 3 teams and one Senior Co-Ed Level 3 team = Five Senior Level 3 teams for competition).
- If there is ONE Senior All Girl Level 3 team registered and two or more Senior Co-ed Level 3 teams registered, the division may **NOT** be combined.
- If the Senior teams were split into Small and Large, then the Senior Co-Ed team must be placed in the Small or Large division that corresponds to the Senior Co-Ed team's overall size (i.e. team of 18 in Small, team of 24 in Large).

### **Senior Co-Ed Levels 4 & Senior 4 (Permitted combined division)**

This permitted combination applies to single registrations in CO-ED division only.

- If there is only ONE co-ed competing in a respective level, then that level must be combined into one Senior division (i.e. Four Senior Level 3 teams and one Senior Co-Ed Level 3 team = Five Senior Level 3 teams for competition).
- If there is ONE Senior All Girl Level 4 team registered and two or more Senior Co-ed Level 4 teams registered, the division may **NOT** be combined.
- If the Senior teams were split into Small and Large, then the Senior Co-Ed team must be placed in the Small or Large division that corresponds to the Senior Co-Ed team's overall size (i.e. team of 18 in Small, team of 24 in Large).