



## **MINUTES - February 16th, 2026**

### **MINUTES OF THE REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING**

A Regular scheduled meeting of the Elk Grove Park District, Cook County, State of Illinois was held on Tuesday Meeting on February 16th 2026 at Elk Grove Pavilion.

Kelly Demma called the meeting to order at (6:03pm) and upon the roll being called, Cheer Director Kelly Demma, being present at such time and place and the following (cheer advisory board members), also being present at said time and place, answered present:

#### **PRESENT**

Kelly Demma - Cheer Director

Tricia Maki - Sideline Cheer Coordinator

Lisa Brindise - Secretary

Drew Fisher - Park District

#### **ABSENT**

Janis Coveliers - Cheer Coordinator

Ana Otruba - Treasurer

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Kelly approved January minutes. Tricia seconds. All in favor.

### **COMMENTS FROM AUDIENCE / CORRESPONDENCE**

N/A

### **RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS**

Nicole K - parent helping with showcase

### **PARK DISTRICT REPORT**

Accounts - was not accurate in the report received. Drew will update this and should be accurate on February balance.

Website up and running. Janis has not logged in yet.

Camp payments - will be updated once fundraising is over.

### **CHEER DIRECTOR REPORTS**

Fall 10 girls registered so far.

Camp - 25 girls 9 coaches

4/25/26 - signing day

### **CHEER COORDINATOR REPORTS**

2026 Comp Dates

9/12 & 13 – Cheercago - Hampshire HS



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9/19 and 20 – Red Carpet – BMO Center (Entrance/parking Fees TBD)

10/3 and 4 – Cheer Pink – Location TBD

10/10 and 11 – Cheer Rodeo – Location TBD

10/24 and 25 – Spirit Spooktacular – NIU (only by the numbers comp)

Lets hold off making decision on which comps, we have until registration on May 9 to make final decisions.

State Weekends

11/13-15

11/20-22

Friday – 8 th grade teams only

Saturday – tentative K-4

Sunday – tentative 5-8

Target numbers for 2026 CREC

K-3 -- 65

4-5 -- 74

6-8 – 78 (was 79 2025)

HS -- 76

New Rubric for 2026 is available, Rules will be available this week. I will post both in coach shared drive. Biggest change is tumbling is now Majority. This follows other IHSA and other rec cheer organizations.

I will talk to Kelly about Coach Meeting dates, maybe hold after reg closes so we know what kind of team numbers we have?

State Fee increased \$5 – now \$170 which we anticipated

Camp

Currently 34 registered

8 Coaches

26 cheerleaders, 11 of which are new campers. We should hit capacity if most girls return.

Janice will send reminders tonight or tomorrow

If you are soliciting sponsors PLEASE add to spreadsheet in shared drive under fundraising so we do not duplicate

FALL PRACTICE SCHEDULE

I propose we keep the same schedule, with the exception of Kelly's proposal to start Srs 1 hour later on Wednesday so Rookie can have indoor practice.



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I would also like to keep Sr and Teeny back to back, I plan on still coaching them, but with Bre as head coach.

### **SIDELINE CHEER COORDINATOR REPORTS**

Biggest fans now do spirit wear that gives 20% profit. Tricia will have pictures to show us. 10 day turnaround time.

Biggest fan tshirt - each cheerleader will have their own store so it's less confusing. All paid online and they will send us the profit money back.

### **TREASURER'S REPORTS**

beginning balance was \$21,474.92 and ending balance is \$20,438.73

### **SECRETARY**

N/A

### **OLD BUSINESS**

N/A

### **NEW BUSINESS**

N/A

### **Next Meeting Agenda items:**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Lisa motioned to adjourn, Tricia seconded the motion, all approved. The Regular Meeting of Monday 12/15/25 was adjourned at 6:56 pm.

**Next meeting 3/16/2026.**

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Brindise, Secretary