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INVITATION TO CHRISTMAS CUP 2019 in CHEERLEADING

Dear Cheerleading contact

DAFF and Randers Cheerleaders would hereby like to invite to the Christmas Cup 2019 in cheerleading, which will be held:

Saturday November 19th, 2019 at Arena Randers, Denmark.

We are very pleased to see teams from all over Denmark and Europe at this competition, and we look forward to hopefully see your team on the floor as well. Practical information about ordering food, T-shirts, tickets and further is found on the following pages, and is also found at this webpage: <http://cheerleading.dk/christmas-cup/>

Sign up

Foreign teams can participate, if they are members of their own National Cheerleading Federation.

The cost for participation in the Christmas Cup 2019 is:

Athletes:	250 DKK (participating in competition)
Coaches & Staff:	100 DKK (Access on the competition day with the team)
Accommodation	85 DKK (Accommodation at a school from Friday to Saturday + breakfast on Saturday)

Each participating club must fill out one separate Team Registration form including all teams (Cheerleading, Group Stunt and Partner Stunt).

The deadline for final submission of your Team Registration form is September 30th, 2019 regarding all team information. The Team Registration form is to be emailed to daff@daff.dk.

Deadlines

September 30 th , 2019	<u>Preliminary</u> registration of athletes, coaches, accommodation. Final t-shirt and lunch ordering, plus team picture + description, club logo + description and a small video to julecup19@gmail.com .
October 21 st , 2019	<u>Final</u> registration of athletes, coaches, accomonation. Send your music to julecup19@gmail.com .

We look forward to seeing you at Arena Randers for this year's Christmas Cup! See more details on the following pages.

Sincerely

DAFF and Randers Cheerleaders

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Danmarks Idrætsforbund, International Federation of American Football, International Cheer Union og European Cheer Union.

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INFORMATION REGARDING CHRISTMAS CUP 2019

The Christmas Cup has the following Championship Rows where teams compete in cheerleading, Group Stunt and Partner Stunt:

- Pee wee (level 3) not Group- and Partner Stunt
- Junior All Girl & Coed Elite (level 5)
- Senior All Girl & Coed Premier (level 6)

The Christmas Cup has the following Competition Rows where teams compete in cheerleading:

- Junior (level 3)
- Junior (level 4)
- Senior (level 4)

The Christmas Cup has the following Exhibition Rows where teams exhibit in cheerleading:

- Pee wee Minor (level 1)
- Pee wee (level 2)
- Performance Cheer (new)

Time schedule

The time schedule will be made after the team registration deadline.

- Competition start is expected to be around 9.00 am (subject to change)
- In march is expected to be around 10.15 am. (subject to change)

Rules

The rules for this competition can be found at the following link:

<https://www.daff.dk/cheerleading/regler/>. DAFF Cheerleading competition rules 2019 – 2020 will be uploaded during September 2019, as soon as ICU announces their rule changes to the coming season.

There will be a competition floor of 14*14 meters, and the warm up floor will also be 14*14 meters.

Web:

At our webpage you can find information about the Christmas Cup 2019 competition, and the page will be updated continuously. <http://cheerleading.dk/christmas-cup/>

Competition Location

Arena Randers, Fyensgade 1, 8900 Randers, Denmark

The warm up takes place in a sports hall in connection with the Arena Randers. Changing rooms will be marked with the clubs' logos. Teams must only use the locker room the club is assigned.

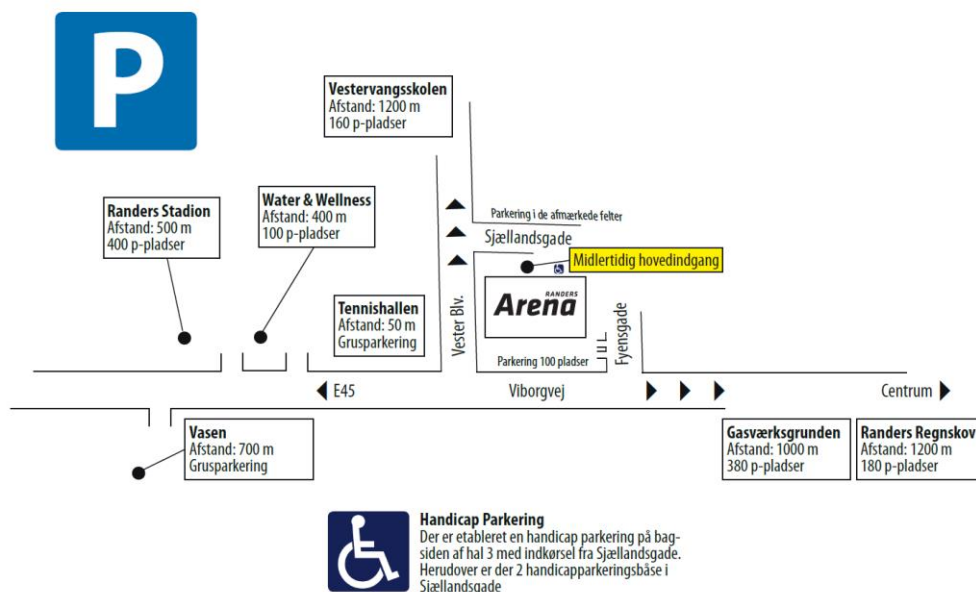




Parking

There is a parking lots at the sports park. If you come by bus, please let off the athletes at the main entrance, and then your bus needs to park nearby so the bus does not occupy space right at the main entrance. Please arrive well in advance.

Map:



Accommodation (school)

Ordering of accommodation in the school must be made on the official entry form related to team registration **no later than September 30th, 2019**. It will be possible to make small adjustments to the number subsequent to the extent that there is room in the school.

Accommodation location is:

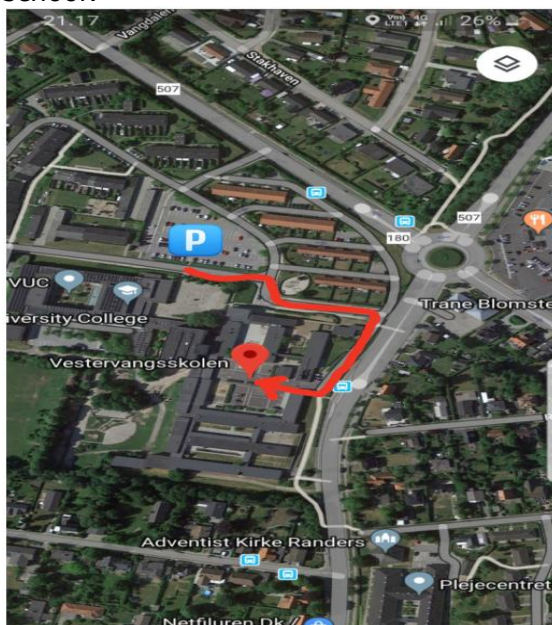
Vestervangskolen
Nålemagervej 120
8920 Randers NV
Contact person: Pia: phone: 0045 28711656

The school is located 1,4 km from Arena Randers. Please send an email to julecup19@gmail.com about the timing of your arrival, if you wish to accommodate at the mentioned school. You can register and get in Friday November 15th, 2019 from 6.00-9.00 pm. Saturday's breakfast is handed out between 06.00 - 08.00 am, at the check-in location. On Saturday morning everyone must be out of the school premises no later than 09:00 am.





The bus can be parked at the parking space at the nearby VUC, but cannot access right at the school entrance. See this map for parking options if you accommodate at the school:



Accommodation (hotel / hostel)

Clubs that want to stay at a hotel / hostel, are welcome to find own solution, or if needed send an email to daff@daff.dk and DAFF will try to assist with contacts and efforts to make hotel deals.

Registration

All athletes must at registration present identification, so remember to bring your health card (health insurance card) or similar identification. For those athletes who is staying at the school, registration will take place Friday when arriving for accommodation at the school. Athletes who arrive on the very competition day must be registered at the entrance no later than 10.00 am. Registration starts at 07.00 am. ALL participants must show identification when registering! In case of injury / illness, we encourage everyone to bring their health card (health insurance card). Contact person at check in on Saturday morning is Jette, phone: 0045 29262359.

→ All teams must send an email to julecup19@gmail.com about exact arrival time.

Team descriptions, club descriptions, club logo and music

All teams must send their team descriptions, club descriptions, club logos and music by mail to julecup19@gmail.com.

- Music must be sent in MP3 files, plus included as USB or on a phone during the day.
- Team descriptions can be approx. 5 lines formulated about your team in easy-to-read sentences in English
- Club logo must be in high resolution with white or no background.
- Club descriptions can be approx. 5 sentences about your club, a little bit about the club's history and number of teams attending the Christmas Cup, to be read out loud during the march -in English
- • All files must be named as: "Club_Teamname", eg. "FoxyCheerleaders_FoxyFlame"





Buying lunch

It is possible to book lunch in advance, using the booking sheet available on our webpage: <http://cheerleading.dk/christmas-cup/> . There are several options, and the pre-booked lunch will be delivered in the hall.

Christmas Cup T-Shirt

You can order T-shirts printed with the official tournament logo. Orders must be made via booking sheet, one sheet for the entire club/team. Send mail to julecup19@gmail.com before deadline. T-shirts are handed out clubwise at check in, either at the school or at registration in the hall on Saturday morning.

It will not be possible to buy the Christmas Cup T-shirts at the competition, only by preordering.

Trophy Ceremony

The trophy ceremony will take place on the mat so that the audience can see. When the first, second and third prizes in each category are announced, everyone stands on the podium with gold winners in the middle and silver and bronze on each side.

The timing will be determined once the number of teams are known.

Communication with judges

Head judge / safety judge may immediately after a given category summon a trainer to the judge's table to inform about potential penalties and an explanation of it.

A call-outs to the judges table do not necessarily have to mean penalty points. It may also be an explanation of a warning or the like.

Score sheets

After the competition you can pick up score sheets at the trophy table. Results will be announced immediately after the event in the hall and on daff.dk.

Fair play

We ask all coaches to encourage their athletes to compete fair and show good sportsmanship, to be positive regardless of results and cheer for the other athletes during the competition.

Jewelry

Under no circumstances must athletes wear jewelry during competition. Everything must be taken out / off, or will be given penalty points. This also applies if the athlete has just had hole in the ears made.

First aid / nurse

There will be Samaritan guard present at the competition. Contacting these will be possible from both heating and show hall.





Ticketing

Ticket prices for this year Christmas Cup are:

Admission adults in presale	80 DKK + fee.
Admission children (6-14 years) in presale	40 DKK + fee.
Admission adults at the entrance	100 DKK.
Admission children (6-14 years) at the entrance	50 DKK.

Children (0-5 years) are free when accompanied by paying adults.

Ticket sales opens online on October 1st, 2019, and there is a limited number of seats. The link to the ticket purchase will be available at <http://cheerleading.dk/christmas-cup/>.

Shops at the competition

There is not yet a full overview of the shops / stalls that will be present at the competition.

Take care of your stuff!

On previous rallies unfortunately, some has gotten things stolen from bags and lockers in the changing rooms. We therefore recommend you take the following precautions:

- Never leave precious things lying unguarded in bags and cabinets!
- Take only those things that you can withstand losing, let iPads, cameras, etc. stay at home!
- Appoint one or more people in the club as responsible for all valuables during the event so that things are always under close supervision!

