## Incredibly Cool Events Scoring Rubric 2023-2024 <br> Level 2-7 International Non-Tumble Divisions

## Divisions Scored on this Rubric

Level 2 - International Open NT
Level 3 - International Open NT
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Level 5 - International Open NT
Level 6 - International Open NT
Level 7 - International Open NT

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| STUNT DIFFICULTY |  |
| :---: | :--- |
| STUNT SKILLS WILL ONLY RECEIVE FULL CREDIT IF THEY SHOW CONTROL |  |$|$| 2.5 | Skills performed do not meet 3.0 requirement |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 3.0 | 4 different level appropriate skills performed by MOST of the team |
| 3.5 | 2 different level appropriate skills performed by MOST of the team at the <br> same time rippled or synchronized without recycling athletes |
| 4.0 | 3 different level appropriate skills performed by MOST of the team at the <br> same time rippled or synchronized without recycling athletes |
| 4.5 | 4 different level appropriate skills performed by MOST of the team at the <br> same time rippled or synchronized without recycling athletes |
| 5.0 | 5 different level appropriate skills performed by MOST of the team at the <br> same time rippled or synchronized without recycling athletes. <br> L7 teams - At least 2 being Level 7 skills |



| PYRAMID DIFFICULTY |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| $2.0-2.5$ | Skills performed do not meet Low range requirement |
| $2.5-3.0$ | 2 different level appropriate skills and 2 structures |
| $3.0-3.5$ | 3 different level appropriate skills and 2 structures performed by <br> MOST of the team |
| $3.5-4.0$ | 4 different level appropriate skills and 2 structures performed by <br> MOST of the team |
| $4.0-4.5$ | 5 different level appropriate skills and 2 structures performed by <br> MOST of the team |

## PYRAMID DIFFICULTY DRIVERS

- Maximizing the number of groups performing each level appropriate transition
- Utilizing level appropriate stunts into structures/within sequence
- Combination of skills (level and non-level appropriate)
- Pace \& Connection of skills performed

| TOSS DIFFICULTY |  |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1.0 | Less than a MAJORITY of the team performs a toss |
| 1.5 | MAJORITY of the team performs a level appropriate toss |
| 2.0 | MAJORITY of the team performs a level appropriate toss rippled or synchronized in the same section* without recycling <br> athletes |

Same Section - Single portion of the routine where skills from a skill set are performed.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Skills that are not required to be synchronised may be cumulative to meet a difficulty requirement To receive credit for a structure in Pyramid Difficulty, 2 or more stunts must be connected by 2 or more top persons L6- All pyramid skills that are Level Appropriate in L5 will be given Level Appropriate credit.

BODY POSITIONS
Lib and platform are not considered body positions

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## JUMP DIFFICULTY

JUMPS MUST USE A WHIP APPROACH TO BE CONSIDERED CONNECTED. WHIP APPROACH- CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT THROUGH SWING, CONNECTING 2 OR MORE JUMPS

| 0.5 | Skills performed do not meet 1.0 requirement |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1.0 | MOST of the team performs 1 advanced jump |
| 1.5 | MOST of the team performs 2 connected advanced jumps. Must be synchronized and include a variety. |
| 2.0 | MOST of the team performs 3 connected advanced jumps or 2 connected advanced jumps, plus 1 <br> additional advanced jump. Must be synchronized and include a variety. |


| TUMBLING / JUMP QUANTITY CHART |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \#OF <br> ATHLETES | MAJORITY | MOST |
| $10-16$ | 10 | 14 |
| $17-22$ | 15 | 17 |
| $23-30$ | 20 | 23 |

## JUMPS

- Variety - at least 2 different jumps. Performing the same jump with different legs doesn't constitute as variety. (I.e. left/right hurdler)
- Jump skills must land on feet to be considered level appropriate and receive difficulty credit (i.e., jumps that land on knee(s) or seat, etc. would not count).
- Basic Jumps: Spread Eagle, Tuck Jump
- Advanced Jumps: Pike, Right/Left Hurdlers (front or side), Toe Touch, Double Nine


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## EXECUTION - TOSS \& JUMPS

Athletes are expected to demonstrate excellent technique when performing each skill. A team's execution will be determined by all athletes performing the skill.

- $\quad$ Scores will start at a 4.0 and may be reduced by $.1, .2$ or .3 based on the lack of technical execution of each driver
.1 - Minor technique issues by the team, not just 1 athlete in Tumbling or 1 athlete in Stunts/Pyramid
2 - Multiple technique issues by the team
3 - Widespread technique issues by the team
No more than .3 will be taken off for a single driver
Stylistic differences will not factor into a teams' Execution score.
Athletes are expected to demonstrate excellent technique when performing each skill. A team's execution will be determined by all athletes performing the skill.
- each driver
- $1-$ Minor technique issues by the team, not just 1 athlete in Jumps or 1 athlete in Tosses
- 2 - Multiple technique issues by the team
- 3 - Widespread technique issues by the team
No more than .3 will be taken off for a single driver.
Stylistic differences will not factor into a teams' Execution score.


## TOSS DRIVERS

Each driver may include, but is not limited to, the below examples:
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| Top Person | Body control <br> Uniform Flexibility <br> Legs straight/locked and toes pointed |
| :---: | :---: |
| Bases/Spotters | Stability of the stunt <br> Solid stance <br> Feet stationary |
| Transitions | Entries <br> Dismounts <br> Control from skill to skill |
| Synchronization* | Timing <br> *Teams that do not perform at least 1 level appropriate skill/transition by 2 or more groups in Stunts and Pyramids will automatically receive .3 off for Synchronization. |

Teams that only perform 1 toss will automatically receive .3 off for any driver that constitutes a reduction
regardless of the severity of the issue.
Straight ride tosses will ONLY affect a team's execution score in level 2.

| Top Person | - Body control <br> - Consistent execution of skill/trick <br> - Legs straight/toes pointed <br> - Arm placement |
| :---: | :---: |
| Bases/Spotters | Using arms/legs to throw together (Timing) <br> Solid stance <br> Controlled <br> Cradle |
| Height | - Distance between top persons' feet and hands of the bases (The value deducted will not exceed 0.1) |

## JUMP DRIVERS

Each driver may include, but is not limited to, the below examples::

| Arm Placement | - Approach <br> - Consistent entry <br> - Swing/prep <br> - Arm position within jump(s) |
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| Leg Placement | - Straight legs <br> - Pointed toes <br> - Hip placement/rotation/Hyperextension <br> - Height <br> - Legs/feet together <br> - Chest placement <br> - Landings |
| Synchronization | - $\quad$ Timing (The value deducted will not exceed 0.1) |

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## FORMATIONS \& TRANSITIONS

1.0-2.0

A team's ability to demonstrate precise spacing and uniform movement.
The Formations \& Transitions score will start at 2.0 and will be reduced .1 for EACH formation and transition that lacks precision.

|  | ROUTINE CREATIVITY |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1.5-2.0$ | Routine Creativity is the average of 3 opinions supplied by the Building, Tumbling, and Overall Judge and is based on the team's incorporation of innovative, <br> visual, and intricate ideas throughout the routine. Each judge is looking specifically at the skill sections that pertain to their respective categories and how <br> they are composed, as defined below. <br> Overall Judgé Innovative, visual, and intricate ideas as well as any additional skills performed that enhance the overall appeal and flow of the routine. <br> Overall judges scores encapsulate the entire routine from start to finish. <br> Building Judge: Incorporation of creative, innovative, and visual elements in the Entries, Transitions, and Dismounts of all Building skills. This includes both <br> level and non-level appropriate skills. Pace/connection of skills will be considered. <br> Tumbling Judgé Incorporation of clear visual tumbling patterns that enhance the skills performed. |


| DANCE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Dance will be evaluated as a team's ability to demonstrate a variety of difficulty elements with strong execution, based on the elements below. |  |  |  |
| $0.5-1.0$ | DIFFICULTY ELEMENTS | Visual elements $\bullet$ Variety of levels $\bullet$ Formation changes $\bullet$ Footwork • Floorwork • Partner work • Pace |  |
| $0.5-1.0$ | EXECUTION | Technique • Perfection $\bullet$ Motion Strength/Placement $\bullet$ Synchronization $\bullet$ Energy/Entertainment Value |  |

## SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship is an average of 3 scores provided by the Building, Tumbling, and Overall Judges based on the panel's impression of the entire performance encompassing all category areas focusing on the team's energy, genuine enthusiasm, confidence, eye contact, and facial expression.

This category is not skill based but will take into consideration appropriate athletic impression throughout the routine.

