

**Niani Anderson**- Comes from Upper Marlboro, Maryland with an extensive Competitive Cheerleading Background. Niani will be considered a utility athlete. She will be considered for multiple heats, specifically tumbling heats. Niani comes with both base and top position backgrounds, having the knowledge to showcase both skill sets throughout the meet.

Accolades:

Cheer: County Champs and Grand Champs 2023 4A Varsity Advanced

All American 2022

Honor roll all four years

**Jonyce Bland**-Current Morgan State Junior, native to Brandywine, Maryland, with competitive cheerleading background. She will be used as a base and during compulsory. Jonyce will be a great asset to mentoring her team academically. List of accolades:

2x all-star cheerleading

3x varsity high school lettered cheerleader

2x minds in motion scholar

Co-captain of varsity cheer team

Best Base Award

Most Valuable Cheerleader Award

**Kayla Bryant**- Comes from Union, New Jersey with both Competitive Cheerleading and Competitive High School Gymnastics background. Kayla will be utilized as a base and tumbling athlete. Kayla will surprise everyone with the power and strength she exudes.

Accolades:

Student athlete of the Month

National Honors Society

Captain of my cheer team

And captain of my varsity gymnastics team

**Amaya Burns**-Current Morgan State Sophomore, Native to Temple Hills, Maryland, with Artistic Gymnastics Background competing at Level 9. Amaya will grace us with beautiful tumbling skills and as a base.

Accolades:

#### **Gymnastics Highlights**

- 2019 Lvl 9 MD State Floor Champion (9.3)
- 2019 42nd Nation's Capital Cup 2nd Pl Floor (8.8)
- 2019 Chows Challenge 2nd Pl Floor (9.3)
- 2019 Sportsplex Team Classic 2nd Pl Floor (9.3)
- 2018 Elevate the Stage 1st Pl Floor (9.2) & 1st Pl Beam (9.375)
- 2018 East Coast Classic 2nd Pl Floor (9.35)
- 2018 Parkettes Invitational 2nd Pl Floor (9.3)
- 2017 Region 7 Level 8 Championships 1st Pl AA Regional Champion. 1st Pl Floor (9.8)
- 2017 Sportsplex Team Classic 1st Pl Floor (9.45)
- 2017 Alamo Classic 1st Pl Floor Champion and special judges award for "Most Unique and Beautiful Choreography"
- 2016 Christmas Classic 1st Pl Floor (9.7)
- 2016 Lvl 8 2nd Pl AA State Champion and 1st Pl Floor Champion (9.725)
- 2015 2nd Pl Lvl 8 MD State Champion, 1st Pl Floor 9.5
- 2015 Rutgers Invitational 1st Pl Floor (9.9) - highest ever score
- 2015 Rock N Roll 1st Pl AA Champion
- 2015 National Judges Cup Championships- 6th Pl in the Nation (2nd Pl Vault 9.15)
- 2014 Lvl 7 MD State Vault, Beam and AA Champion (9.65, 9.775, and 37.5)

**Riley Davidson**- Comes from Clinton Township, Michigan with an artistic gymnastics background. Riley will bring flair to compulsory, but will also compete as a Base and Backspot throughout the meet.

Accolades:

Academic

4 Year Honor Roll Student

National Honor Society Member

National Art Honor Society Member

Black Student Union Member

Gymnastics:

Level 3 All Around State Champion

Level 8 State Floor Champion

2-time level 8 regional Qualifier

Level 8 Regional Floor Champion

Level 9 Regional Qualifier

**Ga'Moni Gaskins**- Comes from Morningside, Maryland with a competitive cheerleading background. GaMoni, prefers a base position, but could be used as a mid level base in pyramids. Ga'Moni also possesses tumbling skills that could be seen in tumbling events.

Accolades-2x Varsity captain

Varsity Lettered Cheerleader

honor roll student

**Taylor Gorham**-Comes from Upper Marlboro, Maryland with a combo competitive cheerleading, gymnastics, and dance background. Taylor is identified as a base, but also a utility player in compulsory and tumbling heats.

Accolades:

Honor Roll All 4 Years

Varsity Lettered Cheerleader 4x

**Taylor Green**- Comes from Auburn Hills, Michigan with a Competitive Cheerleading background. Taylor is tagged as a primary base and will be considered for all heats that include building, as well as compulsory tumbling.

Accolades:

Academics:

- Bling Effect Foundation Captain and Ambassador 2020-2021

- Quest Cheer and Dance captain 2020-present

- Ascend Truth Coalition President 2022-2023

- AkA Teens member since (2020- present) and President (2022-2023)

- Praise dance and Step @ Welcome Missionary Baptist Church

- Rochester Adams Varsity Basketball 2022-2023

- Oakland County Sheriff PAL (cheer coach)

- numerous first place accomplishments

- 14 years of All-star cheerleading and hip-hop

2022 National Society of High School Scholars

Quest Athletics All Star Team Member- Captain 2x

Captain 2020 - present

Ascend Truth Coalition – President 2022 - 2023, Vice-president 2021- 2022

AKA Teens – President 2022-2023

Praise Dance and Step Teams @ Welcome Missionary Baptist Church

Rochester Schools: Black Student Union

**Janae Harris**-Comes from Boyds, Maryland with Competitive Cheerleading background. Janae is identified as a backspot. She competed at Level 6 All Stars and competed at the Worlds Cheerleading Championship with her respective team.

Accolades:

Academics:

Academic Excellence Award-

Presented for 20 credits in Advanced

Placement Courses.

Community Service Award- Given for

200 service hours.

3.9 GPA-Graduated with Honors

Honor Roll Student- All 4 years

Varsity Cheerleader for four years of high school.

Held roles of co-captain and captain from 2020-2023.

Regional Champs 2x

3rd Place -State Cheer  
FAME Allstars & Maryland Twisters  
Team Captain  
Level 6 Team Member  
Numerous World Champs, Paid Bid Qualifiers for Worlds, and Championship Titles  
Certificate in Gymnastic Instruction  
USA Gymnastics-Dominique Dawes  
Gymnastics Academy  
Certificate for Best New Employee  
Presented by Dominique Dawes  
Gymnastic Academy in 2022  
Jag Athletics Award- Presented for outstanding leadership in athletics,

**Olivia Phillip**-Come from Marietta, Georgia as a triple threat. Olivia's background consists of both Competitive Cheerleading and Gymnastics Level 9. Olivia can base, backspot, and tumble- a triple threat.

Accolades:

I represented Georgia for Regionals gymnastics 2018  
NCA All- American 2022-23  
I was given the positivity award gymnastics 2019  
2022-23 Coed Region Sweet 16  
Received Letter "C" for Varsity Member All 4 Years  
Competition Captain-Varsity Cheer

**Tehya Purifoy**-Comes from Lithia Springs, Georgia with a Combo Competitive Cheerleading and Trampoline and Tumbling background. Tehya will be a great asset as she is a powerful backspot and power tumbler. Tehya has the potential to be a future leader on this team.

Accolades:

Academics:  
A/B Honor Roll  
National Honor Society for High School Scholars  
Morehouse School of Medicine (STEAM Program)  
Sigma Omega Omega  
Legacy of Pearls Foundation Douglasville, GA Volunteer  
Northwest Georgia National Council Of Negro Women: Volunteer  
West Metro NAACP Branch – Volunteer  
Cheerleading:  
Varsity Football Captain  
-Varsity Basketball Captain  
-Most Valuable Cheerleader  
-Certificate for Basketball, Football and Competitive Cheer  
-Competition Cheer Leadership Award  
-Chapel Hill High School Cheerleader  
-Voted Most Likely to become accidentally famous ( class voted)  
- Track and Field High Jumper

**Brianna Richardson**- Current Morgan State Student that's a current Junior, from Beacon, New York. Brianna has been identified as the leader of this inaugural team. She has earned the title Captain, and will showcase her skills as a tumbler in the compulsory tumbling heat, and tumbling heats. Brianna brings a utility asset to the team, Brianna can base, tumble, and lead.

High School Accolades:

Honor Roll Student through High School, 55 meter indoor Track State Qualifier, Indoor Track team MVP, Gymnastics Level 8 State Champion, Gymnastics level 8 Regionals Qualifier, Outside of Gymnastics, Richardson was Named fastest indoor 55 meter sprinter in Dutchess County, NY. Holds the 4x1 fastest relay record time in Beacon High School. Track Indoor National Qualifier. Given a public speaking opportunity by the principal to incoming high school freshman students to speak about high school athletics. Won homecoming princess. Won a college scholarship from elementary school.

College Accolades:

Dean's list, Captain of Acrobatics and Tumbling team. Inducted into the Organization My Sister's Keeper. Working almost a full time job while being a student full time with an internship.

**Jordyn Sanders**-Comes from Germantown, Tennessee with a Gymnastics background as a level 9 gymnast.

Jordyn's tumbling is very beautiful. She will showcase her base and tumbling skill sets throughout the meets.

Accolades:

Academics

GPA: 3.833

National Honor Society

FHCA Beta Club

Member of Life Church Axis Nation Youth Group

HHS Community Service Club

HHS Environmental Science Club

Honor Roll- All 4 Years

Gymnastics:

2022 Level 9 Regional Champion for Region 8

2022 Level 9 TN State Meet-2nd All Around

2020 Level 9 Region 8 Qualifier

2022 Region 8 Qualifier

2022 Eastern National Qualifier

Regional Qualifier-2018, 2019, 2022

2021 MS State Championships- 6th All Around

2020 Aloha from Memphis - All Around, High Bar, and Balance Beam

2020 Tampa Bay Turners Invite - 4th All Around

2020 Atlanta Crown Invitational - 1st-High Bar, 2nd- Balance Beam; 3rd-Vault & All-Around

14 year USAG gymnastics career

**Mia Taylor**- Comes from Laurel, Maryland with Competitive Cheerleading Background and Trampoline Tumbler with USAG. She is considered a Top. Mia also can power tumble. Tiny, but mighty, Mia would be considered for all heats.

Accolades:

I have been a part of the Fairland Trampoline and Tumbling team for over 10 years. During that time, I have mobilized up to Level 9 power tumbling. I have been named Maryland State tumbling champion 4x since 2017. In addition, a U.S.A gymnastics(USAG) national qualifier 3x and National Stars and Stripes competition 2x.

In addition to power tumbling, I was a part of the Meade High School varsity cheer team for 4 years and all eight seasons. I was named an all-county cheerleader my freshman year. Named captain my junior and senior years. During my senior year, the cheer squad advanced to regionals then the state championships, for the 2nd time in school history. 2023 Trampoline and Tumbling Region Champion Elite. 12 years USAG Trampoline and Tumbling Gymnast.

**Elena Waller**-Current Morgan State Student from Glen Burnie, Maryland that is a Freshman. Elena comes to MSU with a Gymnastics and Figure Skating background, where she competed Level 8 USAG. Elena will be considered for all tumbling heats, as well as a base or backspot in Acro, Pyramid, and Toss heats.

Accolades:

Academics:

Honor Roll Student

Gymnastics:

COMPETITIVE GYMNAST

DOCKSIDERS GYMNASTICS I JUL 2013- JUN 2015

- USAG XCEL Bronze Competitor
- USAG XCEL Silver Competitor
- Awarded Team Spirit Award for encouragement and motivation
- Qualified and competed in MD States Competitions 2012 and 2013

COLUMBIA GYMNASTICS I JUN 2015 - 2020

- USAG JO LEVEL 8 Maryland State Competitor
- USAG XCEL DIAMOND Competed and placed  
4th at 2022 MD States Competition, 6th in Maryland State

#### TEAM USA DELEGATION I JUL 2019

- Performed gymnastics and acro skills as delegate of TEAM USA at 2019 World Gymnaestrada in Dornbirn, Austria

**Janiyah Young**-Comes from Upper Marlboro, Maryland with a combo Competitive Cheerleading background with power trampoline and tumbling. Silent but lethal, Young has been identified as an elite top and tumbler with skill sets as a utility athlete.

Accolades:

Academics:

Honor Roll Student

High Honor Roll.

Dual Enrollment Eligible for Junior and Senior Year (Dual

Enrollment in Community College and High School)

AP Acceptance Letter for Junior Year (AP

History.

Honors Acceptance Letter for Junior rear Honors Language Arts/English)

Cheerleading:

- 2018 I made level 5 all girl dream cheer team,
- 2020- Fame Allstars Super Seniors Level 6 Cheerleader.
- I recently received a Grand Championship 1st place award medal, jacket and ring for a day 2 competition at Jamfest with my team Fame Super Seniors.
- I won a competition in Ohio (COA) and here we won a full paid bid to the upcoming worlds.
- I was invited along with my team to the majors competition twice in my cheer career with Fame Super Seniors.
- I did recordings for majors
- I went to Worlds a series of times, My first year on Supers attending worlds we were in 1st place Day 1.
- I attended NCA twice in my cheer career
- I attended Cheersport twice
- I got 1st place in our division at cheer and dance Extreme in 2019, 2020, and for the year 2023.
- I helped host many cheer camps throughout my years of All-Star Cheer for fundraising and or to give back to the youth cheerleaders, and level 5 cheer gyms around the world.

-High School Cheerleader- All 4 Years

-Most Improved Athlete (Flyer)

**Rayla Buckner**-Comes from Fredericksburg, Virginia with a Gymnastics Background as a level 9 gymnast.

Rayla's skill set contributes to tumbling and as a top. Buckner's personality is infectious, and could be seen on the floor doing mat talks with her teammates.

Accolades:

-America's Top 100 for gymnastics from 2014-2018.

-America's Top 100 for Bars from 2014-2018.

-America's Top 100 for All Around and floor in 2015.

-4th in America's Top 100 for Level 7 all around with a 39.200 in 2015.

-4th in America's Top 100 for Level 7 Bars with a 9.925 in 2015.

-2015 Level 7 VA State 2nd place Beam, 5th place Bars, and 4th All Around.

-2017 Level 8 VA State 2nd place bars.

-2017 region 7 Level 8 Regional Bar champion.

-2018 Level 8 VA State 3rd place Bars.

- 2018 Region 7 Level 8 Regional Bar champion and 3rd place on Floor.

-2019-2022 VA Level 9 State qualifier (due to covid I couldn't compete)

Academics:

-Honor roll from 9th grade-12th grade.

**Mariyah Wiggins**- Comes from Converse, Texas with an Artistic Gymnastics Background as a level 9 gymnast. Mariyah will bring beautiful tumbling used in tumbling heats, but also has strength as a primary base. Mariyah has the potential to be a future leader on this team.

Accolades:

A & B Honor Roll all 4 years  
Member of National Honor Society  
Over 100 Community Service Hours  
Anuenue Ku'uipo Classic 2022 All Around Champion  
Level 9 Western Championship Competitor 2021  
3rd All Around Region 2 Regional Meet 2021  
1st Place All Around Hawaii Optional State Championship Level 8

**Leyna Vickers**-Comes from Bremerton, Washington with an Artistic Gymnastics Background as a level 10 gymnast. Leyna will bring a utility skill set to the team. She has been identified as a tumbler, top, and base when needed. Leyna has an amazing personality that will be the key to bringing everyone together.

Accolades:

Gymnastics:  
CEGW (Cascade Elite Gymnastics West) most improved award five years in a row  
Level 9 WA state and region 2 floor champion  
Level 9 westerns qualifier  
Level 10 region qualifier floor specialist  
Compete varsity track

Academic:

Skills USA 2nd place photography regional competition  
Skills USA photography state Qualifier  
\* notable  
Vice President of OHS (Olympic High school) Native Heritage  
Link leader/link crew mentor for new students at OHS  
Member of key club  
Member of National Honor Society  
Honor Roll Student

**Alahni Napier**-Comes from Wilmington, Delaware with an All Star Competitive Cheer Background. Alahni has been identified as a top and a tumbler. Her tumbling will be used in compulsory and group tumbling.

Accolades:

New Jersey Spirit Explosion Fab 5 cheerleader when I won Worlds Championship  
New Jersey Spirit Explosion JFab when I was a Summit silver medalist  
Varsity Cheerleading, Captain- 2x  
2022 National Honor Society  
2021 Junior Research Project – 3 rd Place  
1st Honor Roll -All 4 years  
AKAette Scholarship Program Member  
UNICEF Club Member

**Kelis Rhyne**- Comes from Chicago, Illinois with a Competitive Cheerleading Background and known as a Jesse White Tumbler. Kelis has been identified as a compulsory tumbler and base.

Accolades:

Academics:  
National Honors Society  
Honor Roll- All 4 years  
Top Teens of America VP and Chaplin  
President of a Youth Ministry  
Cheerleading:  
4 Year Varsity Letter Cheerleader  
1st Place at City Competition for Cheer 2022  
1st Place City Competition for Cheer 2023  
1st Place Wilmington ICCA Invitational 2023

IHSA State Cheer 2023 Competitor  
ASM Tumbling into Leadership Member

**Ayona Young-** Current student that is a junior, from Norwalk, California with a Competitive Cheerleading Background as a level 6 from California All Stars. Ayona, a triple threat, serves as a base, top, and tumbler and will be seen throughout the meet in various positions.

Accolades:

Presidential Honor Roll  
3.8 Overall High School GPA  
2014 UCA Champion  
2016 UCA Champion  
2016 California All Stars MVP  
2018 California All Stars MVP  
2016 & 2019 2x All American  
2019-20 High School Cheer Captain  
2020 High School Cheer "All-Star" Award  
2020 High School Track & Field "Most Valuable Runner"  
2022-23 2x Morgan State Athletic Directors Honor Roll  
2022 Morgan State Cheer Best Main Base  
2022 Morgan State Cheer Best Tumbler

**Nia Rae Lewis-** Current student that is a freshman, from Upper Marlboro, Maryland, with an artistic gymnastics background. Nia has been identified to compete in compulsory tumbling, and as a backspot. Lewis will also be a great mentor to all incoming teammates.

Accolades:

National Honors Society-High School  
College-Dean's Lists-School of Engineering  
MGA Bowie Gymnast

**Lavell Isom-** Current student that is a sophomore from Providence, Rhode Island with an athletic background as a weight thrower in track and dancer. She is identified as a strong base and backspot. Isom's personality is contagious, and will keep the team in an upbeat mood.

Accolades:

Dance Performer & Choreographer, TAPA Dance Company - 9th, 10th, 11th & 12th Grade  
• Performed in a dance community show that brought awareness to Life, Death, Remembrance, and Legacy (OFRENDA).  
• Performed in a Unity and Diversity performance at the Wheeler school and brought awareness to different cultures and styles of dance.  
• Performer at a Summer arts festival as a dancer and choreographer  
• Performer at a Multicultural Celebration at HASBRO inc. as a dancer

Student Board Representative, TAPA -2x

Class of 2020 Leadership Award

High School Commencement Speaker

5th Place State Finish- Dance

MVP Winner

Honor Roll Student

**Jordan Skillern-** Current student that is a sophomore from Newark, New Jersey with an athletic background in dance. She is identified as a strong base from the lifts she executed in her dance routines.

Accolades:

Track: 1st place in unisex 4x100 relays  
3rd place in women's 4x200 relays  
1st place in women's 4x100 relays  
Dance: Lachaney's Dance & Music Academy  
Platinum - group hip hop routine  
Platinum - group tap routine

**Makaya Stubbs**-Comes from Douglasville, Georgia with a competitive cheerleading background. Makaya is considered a top. Stubbs' personality is rare to find: hardworking, and resilient.

Accolades:

Academics:

Superintendent Scholar

Pharmacy Technician Program Graduate

Honor Roll (2 years)

Cheer:

Coach's Award

MVP Award

2nd Place at Georgia's State High School Cheer Championships

Captain of High School Varsity Cheer

4 Year Varsity Coed Cheer Letterman

**Kalea Armstrong**-Comes from North Huntingdon, Pennsylvania with a competitive cheerleading background for both high school and allstars. Kalea is considered a base and tumbler. Kalea is the icing to our team, her skill sets will be seen over numerous heats.

Academic:

High Honor Roll -all 4 years

National Honor Society

Cheerleading:

Worlds Bronze Medalist

MVP-All 4 Years

Best Base Award

2nd Place at Majors

3rd Place at NCA All Star Nationals

3x National Grand Champion

2nd Place Summit

Captain- 2x

Varsity-All 4 Years

**Indirah Mitter**- Current student who is a sophomore from Matawan, New Jersey; with a competitive cheerleading background. Mitter has been identified as a strong base and tumbler, and will be seen competing across multiple heats.

Accolades:

I cheered at World Cup Allstars in Freehold New Jersey on Omni- International All Girl L6.

Stunted Level 7

Honor Roll student