Our Varsity Cheerleading team has been working very hard this season. We have recently earned a bid to the America’s Cheerleading Cup Championship at Universal Studios in Orlando, Florida. This bid is a partial- paid bid. Therefore, $1000 will be deducted from our total competition fee. These girls have given it their all this season and it is noticed everywhere we go. We feel that our team could benefit from this chance. On top of being a great team- building opportunity, the girls will be able to see what it is like to be a true competing team. They will get to see teams from all over the country compete and meet with them. These teams include both younger and older athletes. On top of competing, the girls will receive a 3- day pass to Universal Studios and Island of Adventure. Throughout the years, Dawson Cheerleading has never been able to compete at Nationals and we feel like it is a great opportunity.

**Dates: February 8 @ 3pm to February 12. Athletes will return to school on February 13.**

**Fundraising:** Currently, there is approximately $3000 in our team account. We will be fundraising for the next month to raise funds for this trip. Our current fundraisers include selling trash bags and tickets to the Annual Princess Breakfast. We project to earn approximately $1000 from each of these fundraisers. Future potential fundraisers include National Sponsor shirts (approximate profit: $1000), Cheer Mini Clinic (approximate profit: $500), and selling pork chop sandwiches (approximate profit: $1500). If our fundraising goal is not met by 2/1, then the trip will unfortunately have to be cancelled.

**Projected cost:**

Competition Fees: approx. $3000 ($400 per athlete/coach minus $1000)

Lodging: $1200 or Free

Transportation: $1100

Food: $1000

**PROPOSAL A:**

*Transportation:* School Vehicle Transportation

Approximate gas cost: $400 per vehicle for 2 vehicles plus maintenance fee, if needed.

*Lodging:* Grand Hotel Orlando at Universal Boulevard (2 miles from Universal with a shuttle) will cost $60 per night per room. $960 total.

*Food:* Breakfast will be free at the hotel. Lunch and snack items will be donated to cut down on food costs. Girls will be responsible for their dinner cost.

**PROPOSAL B:**

*Transportation:* Flying

Flight to Orlando will cost $100 per person round trip. A shuttle would be taken from airport to lodging.

*Lodging:* Timeshare Condo (3 bedroom at Cypress Pointe Resort). James (Doc) and Darsi Britt have generously offered to donate their timeshare for us to use for our stay. This is 3 miles from Universal Studios and there is a shuttle service.

*Food:* Breakfast, lunch, and some dinner items will be donated or purchased. If staying in a house, dinner will be cooked 2 of the 4 nights and athletes will be responsible for 2 “eating- out” meals.