# SHAA

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**MAY 2024** 



Taylor O'Connor '19 cheers on the Temple football team at Lincoln Financial Field

### **ALUMNAE HIGHLIGHT**

SH Alums Make a Mark in College Cheer

There may not be a football team to cheer on from the sidelines, or the traditional Friday night lights that come to mind when you think of high school cheerleading—but that's no problem for the Bambies. It means more time to focus on competition.

For more than a decade, the St. Hubert Cheerleading Program, led by head coach Lisa Ballentine McNesby '95, has been competing successfully at the National High School Cheerleading Championship run by the Universal Cheerleading Association (UCA), the governing body and event organizer for the most prestigious national competition at the high school and college levels.

"We are so proud to have been able to win national championships in all three of the divisions in which we compete," Lisa shared. "It's really special to perform at States and Nationals and hear other teams cheering for the Bambies."

As the program has grown, more and more St. Hubert cheerleading alums have been taking their sport to the next level, earning coveted spots on top college cheerleading teams.

Taylor O'Connor ('19) cheered for St. Hubert from 2016-2019, and went on to compete with Temple University. She says the St. Hubert cheer program prepared her for the demands of competing at the college level.

"At St. Hubert I got to be part of a program that was continually raising the bar," she shared. "I knew I was part of something special. College was a new experience for me, but I was prepared. I was able to push myself to do skills I never imagined."

Taylor won a national championship with the Temple squad in 2021 . . . read the full story.

Know a St. Hubert alum we should feature next? Tell us here.

# **HELP WANTED!**

**Online Store Manager** 

Help grow our e-commerce presence! The SHAA store manager will maintain a small inventory of SHAA related items; pack and mail goods to customers; and receive new items as they are added to the web-store. No need to handle payments.

Interested in helping?

Email SHAAwebmaster@gmail.com

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# **BUCKS & BAGS BINGO A SUCCESS**

A fun time was had by all at this year's Bucks & Bags bingo, where more than 70 alumnae and friends played for prizes that included a variety of designer bags as well as straight cash!

SHAA netted over \$2000 from the Spring version of the event, which will be held again in the fall. A few lucky participants also won gorgeous baskets donated by generous St. Hubert alumnae.

Thanks in large part to help from our Bambie Ambassadors, our BBB ran perfectly. Special thanks also to our alums who contributed to the event: Ursula O'Reilly Wasserbach '81, Susan Cymalski Jordan '81, Sarah Jordan '19, Gail Seravalli '76, and Lois Walerski Leszczewski '90.

Want to hear about our next Bingo? Follow the St. Hubert Alumnae Association on Facebook.





























#### **EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- The 50/50 Progressive Jackpot is \$1600+ and growing, with the winner to be drawn on June 2, 2024. Purchase raffle e-tickets here.
- SHAA is partnering with Giving Bean, a specialty coffee roaster and tea-blender. Treat yourself while helping us SHAA - all at reasonable prices. Click here for more info.
- The third annual St. Hubert Alumnae Association 5K Walk/Run will take place 9/28 and we need volunteers. Interested in helping? Email SHAAwebmaster@gmail.com
- SAVE THE DATE Class of 1974 50th Reunion June 5, 2024. Contact **SEverlyn@verizon.net** for more information.
- SH & FJ Party at the Pier will be Saturday August 3, 2024 at Seaport Pier in North Wildwood. More information to come soon!

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