

# AWARDS

## Parade of Champions events (October – December)

- All participants receive a souvenir gift
- Every team competing will receive a plaque
- 1<sup>st</sup> place teams receive a champion banner
- Grand Champion teams receive a Grand Champion banner

## Mardi Gras Nationals events (January – April)

### **Participants receive:**

1. Entrance into the competition
2. Awards Parade
3. Souvenir gift
4. Tons of fun throughout the day!

### **Coaches receive:**

1. Entrance into the competition
2. Awards Parade

(2 coaches per team admitted FREE)

## Awards Ceremony

Mardi Gras Nationals is all about energy, excitement and having fun with a little taste of New Orleans! We will have more than one award ceremony at our larger events. This way you and your team don't have to wait all day to find out the results of your division. Before the plaques and banners are awarded, everyone involved in the event will experience a unique Mardi Gras Nationals Parade. It's an awards ceremony like no other! The Parade will include cheerleaders, dancers, coaches and parents. The parade will consist of authentic New Orleans music, costumers and of course, Mardi Gras Beads!

***Every team competing will receive a plaque!***

### **1<sup>st</sup> Place Teams**

Team plaque  
Team banner  
Champion Medallions for each team member  
Memorabilia for each member

### **2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Teams**

Team plaque  
Medallions for each team member

### **4<sup>th</sup> Place & below Teams**

Team plaque

### **Grand Champion Teams**

Team banner  
Memorabilia for each member

Grand Champion is awarded to the team with the highest score within each category listed below:

Recreation  
Dance  
Allstar Prep  
Level 1 Allstar  
Level 2 Allstar  
Level 3 Allstar  
Level 4 Allstar  
Level 4.2 Allstar  
Level 5 Allstar  
Level 6 Allstar

PLEASE NOTE: There must be a minimum of 3 teams and 2 divisions in a category in order for a Grand Champion to be awarded. Mardi Gras Spirit Events reserves the right to combine or further split out these categories based on the number of teams registered in each.