



MAGGIE SHEA
NVHS BOOSTER CLUB FEATURED ATHLETE OF THE WEEK
DANCE PROGRAM

The NVHS Athletic Booster Club is proud to present the featured athlete of this week, dancer Maggie Shea. Maggie has been on the varsity team since her freshman year. She joined in well trained & humble, which are great assets to have on any team! Maggie lights up the floor and demands attention from both the audience & judges. She truly looks like she is dancing for the last time every time. As a senior, she has been helping the team develop more confidence during the competition season. The combination of Maggie's passion for dance and the team's talent has built a strong name for NVHS Dance Team this session.

Booster Club Reporter: *When did you join the Poms Squad? Since when have you been dancing?*

Maggie: I joined the Poms team as a freshman in High School and have dedicated the last four years of high school completely to Poms! I have been dancing since I was three years old.

Booster Club Reporter: *Have you ever second-guessed your decision to dance competitively?*

Maggie: I never had moments of doubt about staying on the team. Joining this team was one of the best decisions I've made throughout my high school career.

Booster Club Reporter: *What has dance competition taught you?*

Maggie: After winning Grand Champions at State my freshman year, I knew the next three years were going to be hard work. We placed fourth at state my sophomore and junior year, and I learned that you can never settle once you achieve such a big accomplishment. Nothing gets easier, and your competitors are always looking for ways to pass you up.

Booster Club Reporter: *And what have you learned from the coaches?*

Maggie: I have learned that hard work and dedication brings you a long way. They always push us to our full potential and nothing less. Anything less than your best will make you that much weaker than the rest.

Booster Club Reporter: *What do you know now that would have helped you a lot had you known it when you were just starting?*

Maggie: I wish I knew not to take my experiences as a team for granted. Four years went by so much faster than I could imagine, and I wish I had soaked every moment of it fully in.

Booster Club Reporter: *Are you going to miss the team?*

Maggie: There is nothing I will miss more than being on the Poms Team. I've dedicated so much of my time to this team. Looking forward, I certainly plan on continuing my dance career throughout college whether is recreationally or competitively.

Booster Club Reporter: *Where are you going to school and for what?*

Maggie: I plan on going to the University of Missouri and majoring in Nursing.

Booster Club Reporter: *Do you have a favorite quote or a motto that inspires you when things get hard?*

Maggie: "If you are persistent you will get it. If you are consistent you will keep it." This quote has had a huge impact on our team this year as we work up to state. Being a dancer, consistency is the main goal when working towards the ultimate reward, which is to become state champions.

Booster Club Reporter: *Who is your role model? Why?*

Maggie: My role model is my coach, Raz. She's been one of the greatest mentors and motivators that I have ever had, and I couldn't thank her enough for that.

Booster Club Reporter: *Tell me 3 things most people don't know about you.*

Maggie: I love to lip sing, I have 30 pairs of jazz shoes, and I have over a hundred dance costumes.