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The Peoples Academy Varsity Cheerleading Squad traveled to the Robert E. Miller Expo in Essex Junction on Saturday, February 21, 2009 to participate in the Vermont Cheerleading State Championships.

Seventeen squads from Division I, II and III schools were represented. Each team did a three-minute presentation of high-energy choreography that included cheers, jumps, pyramids, tumbling and dance. The squads were judged in twelve categories, including the flow of the routine; transitions; formations and spacing; creativeness; voice and expression; and enthusiasm.

Rod Hill of WKOL-FM radio was Master of Ceremonies for the crowd of 1,700 students, parents and friends at the Champlain Valley Exposition.

The Peoples girls gave a flawless performance and received very respectable scores in all twelve categories, besting other teams including those from Division I and II schools. Participating from Peoples were Katelynn Van Norden, Mickey Stengel, Shayde Shaffer, Kelsey Jones, Kelsey Darrah-Godrey and Allison Compagna.

