

POLICY

Upper Freehold Regional Board of Education

Section: Community

9191. BOOSTER CLUBS

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The Board of Education recognizes that the support offered by booster clubs can benefit the school district. Because the activities of booster clubs also reflect on the district, the Board establishes guidelines for the operation of booster clubs in order to ensure that their activities assist in the attainment of district goals and objectives.

A booster club that is organized for the purpose of endorsing and supporting a school sponsored activity shall:

1. Be incorporated as a nonprofit 501.C3 organization;
2. Submit a charter annually of their intended activities to the Board of Education;
3. Obtain liability insurance indemnifying the Board against all suits arising from the conduct of club activities;
4. Account to the Board for all funds raised through the conduct of school related activities including:
 1. Fund Raising Approval Form
 2. Submit a Financial statement to the BOE within 30 days after the conclusion of the sport/activity season.
5. Utilize all funds raised through school related to fundraising solely for the benefit of school programs. All activities must have prior approval of the Building Principal and Superintendent and all parties shall agree funds or other items donated to the school become the property of the district;
6. Certify adherence to the policies and procedures of the school district;
7. Request permission of the Board before taking any students on a trip off campus;
8. All fundraising must be conducted in groups of 3 students.

9. Obtain the approval of the Building Principal and Superintendent before raising funds in the name of the district.

Nothing in this policy shall be construed as the Board's assumption of responsibility for any activity conducted by a booster club.

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