



Lady Warriors Soccer Parent & Booster Handbook

Welcome

Welcome to the Lady Warriors Soccer Program! We are excited to have your family as part of our team.

The Lady Warriors Soccer Booster Club is a parent-led organization dedicated to supporting our athletes, coaches, and program. Our goal is to create a positive, competitive, and memorable experience for every player—both on and off the field.

Our Mission

The Booster Club exists to:

- Support the Lady Warriors soccer program through fundraising and volunteer efforts
- Provide resources not covered by the school (equipment, meals, events, etc.)
- Promote school spirit and community involvement
- Create a positive environment for players and families

What the Booster Club Provides

While exact items may vary each season, Booster Club support may include:

- Team meals (home and/or away games)
- Warm ups and bags for new players
- Practice shirts for new players
- New Uniforms every other year
- Equipment and training needs
- Senior Night recognition

- Christmas banquet
- End-of-season banquet
- Game day support (concessions for home games)
- Program enhancements as approved by the Board

Membership & Expectations

- Membership is open to parents/guardians of current players
- Each family has one vote in Booster Club decisions
- Families are encouraged to attend meetings and stay informed

Parent Expectations

We ask that all families:

- Support team and booster activities
- Volunteer when able
- Communicate respectfully with coaches and board members
- Represent the Lady Warriors program in a positive manner

Volunteer and Coordinator Opportunities

Our program relies heavily on volunteers. Every family is encouraged to help in some capacity throughout the season.

General Volunteer Opportunities

- Concessions
- Team meals
- Fundraising
- Sponsorship
- Senior Night
- Banquets

Leadership/Coordinator Opportunities

- Volunteer and Event Coordinator
 - Assist with organizing volunteers for events and activities. Help communicate volunteer needs and schedules. Support event setup and clean-up

- Team Meal Coordination
 - Organize team meals for home and away games. Communicate meal arrivals to coaches and families. Communicate dietary concerns when applicable.
- Fundraising Coordinator
 - Assist with planning and organizing fundraising opportunities. Help coordinate volunteers and fundraising logistics. Work with the Board to support fundraising goals for the program.
- Sponsorship Coordinator
 - Assist with obtaining business sponsors and sponsorship renewals. Help coordinate sponsorship communications and recognition opportunities. Assist in maintaining positive relationships with sponsors throughout the season.
- Senior Night Coordinator
 - Assist with planning and organizing Senior Night recognition activities. Coordinate decorations, gifts, and communication with senior families. Help ensure the event runs smoothly on game day
- Banquet Coordinator
 - Assist with planning and organizing team banquets, including Christmas Banquet and End-of-Season Banquet. Coordinate decorations, food, awards, setup, and clean-up. Work with the Board and Coaches to help create a positive experience for players and families.
- Concession Coordinator
 - Assist with organizing concession stand volunteers and schedules. Help monitor concession inventory and supply needs. Support concession setup, operation, and clean-up during events and games.

***Many hands make light work—when everyone helps a little, no one is overwhelmed.*

Fundraising Guidelines

Team Fundraising

All official fundraising is conducted through the Booster Club. •

- Funds raised benefit the entire program, not individual players
- Funds are used to support team needs, equipment, and events
- All fundraising must be approved by the Booster Club Board

Individual Fundraising (Important)

Families may choose to conduct independent fundraising efforts to offset personal expenses.

However:

- These efforts must be conducted independently of the Booster Club
- The Booster Club name, logo, and platforms may not be used
- Funds may not be collected, tracked, or distributed by the Booster Club
- The Booster Club does not manage or oversee individual fundraising efforts

Financial Information

Booster Club funds help support many aspects of the program.

Dues

Team fees this year are \$300 per player.

You can choose to pay in Full or we have a two payment plan.

- \$150 due 1 week after team selection
- \$150 due 3 weeks after team selection

Team fees are due prior to distribution of player gear. If you need to arrange payments, please contact the Booster Board. We are happy to work with families.

A percentage of fundraising done between the end of season and the team tryouts (when most group fundraising is done) will be applied to help reduce player fees. In which the amount then due will be changed and will be noted at tryouts.

Use of Funds

Funds may be used for:

- Equipment and gear
- Team meals
- Events (Senior Night, banquet)
- Program needs as approved by the Board

Communication

Clear communication is key to a successful season.

How We Communicate

- Team messaging app - GroupMe
- Meetings Who to Contact

Coaches

Coaches should be contacted regarding team-related matters such as game schedules, practice information, player absences, and other team logistics.

Playing time and position decisions are made at the discretion of the coaching staff and will not be discussed with parents. Players are encouraged to speak directly with coaches if they have questions regarding playing time, positions, or development.

Booster Board

The Booster Board should be contacted regarding fundraising, events, volunteering, sponsorships, finances, and Booster Club activities.

Game Day Expectations

To help everything run smoothly:

Players

- Arrive on time and prepared
- Follow coach instructions Parents
- Help with assigned volunteer roles
- Support all players positively
- Respect officials and opposing teams

Sponsorships

Local business sponsorships are a major part of supporting our program. Families are encouraged to:

- Share sponsorship opportunities
- Help connect businesses with the Booster Club

Code of Conduct

All players, parents, and supporters are expected to:

- Show respect to coaches, players, officials, and other families
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship at all times
- Support a positive and encouraging environment
- Represent the Lady Warriors program with pride

Acknowledgment

All families are required to sign and return the Parent Information and Booster Membership Form that will provide the Booster Club with contact information and also acknowledges receipt of handbook, confirming they have read and understand the expectations outlined in this handbook.