

Community Relations

Booster Organizations

Booster organization activities can be a valuable means of stimulating interest in the objectives and achievements of the District. Productive actions initiated by booster clubs should provide a positive relationship between the community and the schools.

All booster club proposed projects shall be evaluated by the Board in terms of their overall value to the curricular and co-curricular programs of the District. A project's total value to all the District's students shall be the primary consideration of the Board.

All plans and endeavors to be undertaken by booster organizations shall be presented to the Board during an official Board meeting prior to any public announcement of planned booster activities.

No organization shall represent itself as being part of or affiliated with District 20 in such a manner as to suggest that the organization is sponsored, governed or directed by the Board of Education.

Booster organizations must recognize that money given to a school cannot be earmarked for any particular expenses. Booster clubs may make recommendations, but cash or other valuable contributions must be given to the District to use at its discretion. The Board's legal obligation to comply with Title IX by providing equal athletic opportunity for members of both genders will supersede an organization or club's recommendation.

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