

Mt. Ararat Sports Boosters Guidelines

Structure of the Boosters

- Executive Board: The Booster Bylaws and Policy Statement call for an executive Board to lead the group, including the offices of President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Elections are held once a year in April.
- Team Representatives: In addition to the board, each team has a representative. If necessary, the rep can appoint an alternate.
- Members: In addition to board and the reps, anyone else who supports Mt. Ararat Athletics may join the group

Benefits of being part of Boosters

- free admission to regular season home games/events
- camaraderie amongst other high school parents
- helping support and improve youth athletics

Responsibilities of all members

- attendance at monthly meetings from August through June
- knowledge and understanding of the Boosters bylaws and Policy statement, as well as the Maine Principals' Association Sportsmanship Guide for Parents
- assistance with fundraising events
- involvement in Boosters sub-committee work

Duties of a Team Representative (one year position)

- act as a liaison between the coach and the Boosters
- work with coach to make funding requests according to the bylaws and policy statement
- work with coach to get any championship awards or senior gifts, according to the bylaws and policy statement
- attendance at 8 of 11 meetings in a school year in order for your sport to be fully vested for funding allocations for the next school year
- secure an alternate representative to attend monthly meeting if you are unable to attend
- voting privileges at meetings
- obtain volunteers to run concessions
- if you choose, you can maintain your position as team representative for multiple years
- if you are unable to complete your year or if you choose to give up your role at the end of the year, you are responsible for finding a replacement team representative. The outgoing rep is thusly responsible for informing the new rep of all duties involved

Money raised from concessions and other Booster fundraisers goes right back to supporting the teams. A team's yearly allocation of Booster money is based on the size of the team, Boosters' combined gross income from the previous year, and fulfillment of the meeting attendance requirement.