

When it comes to fundraising and helping the team achieve its goals, most people are more than happy to help as long as they know exactly what is expected, and that everyone is sharing the load. Below I will outline the former; it's up to you to ensure the latter. We have a golden opportunity to become a close-knit, effective group backing a five-star basketball program. The only thing stopping us is us.

Each Team Member's Financial Responsibility

Group Fundraising

1. Booster Club Memberships- \$20 per family
2. Raffle – 30 tickets per family (given out at Tip-Off BBQ and sold by Senior Night)
3. Concessions – Each family works 2-3 shifts throughout the season.

Individual Fundraising

1. This money is vital to pay for all of the tournament fees, additional uniform and equipment purchases, and travel throughout the year. We, the Booster Club, cannot “require” that a student raise any particular amount of money to play basketball. However, if an athlete does not meet the fundraising goals at their due dates, that athlete will not be able to travel with the team to Kenai/Soldotna, Sitka, or San Diego. It will not affect his standing on the team or playing during the regular season, just the travel that the majority of this money is raised to support.
2. If any athlete and his family feel that this money is too great a burden, and who has made an attempt to fundraise using the opportunities below, they may request that their obligations for Individual Fundraising be waived for this year. The goal of the Booster Club is to support all players involved in South Basketball, regardless of their financial situation.
3. Individual fundraising money can be fundraised in the following manner:
 - a. Sell Club Memberships to local businesses or individuals
 - b. Sell Ala Carte items such as Gymnasium Banners and Web Ads
 - c. Negotiate a “work for donations” contract with a neighbor, friend, or business where the athlete rakes leaves, shovels snow, or otherwise does manual labor and the person or business involved pays an agreed upon amount. (This is the only method that is not tax deductible for the person or business because they are receiving a service in exchange for their donation)
 - d. Finally, you as parents may join one of the above “Clubs” as individual donors and write that off as a tax deduction. Due to these tax laws, remember that once paid, that money cannot be refunded if your son gets hurt or quits. Because of this, please wait until the due date of the money and then write the check. It is not a fee... it is a donation to the club to be used for the greater good of the club.
4. Varsity
 - a. \$250 due by December 9th*
 - b. \$600 additional due by December 20th
5. Junior Varsity

a. \$250 due by December 9th*

6. C-Team

a. \$250 due by December 9th*

*Freshmen or transfer students who did not hear of the fundraising requirements until tryouts, and who plan on actively fundraising during the month of December, may ask for some leeway on their "due-by" date, however all fundraising money must be collected by January 1st.