

## ALLENTOWN CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

# BOOSTER CLUB 2009 NEWSLETTER

## MISSION

The purpose of the Booster Club is to support, promote, and stimulate interest and participation in the athletic programs of Allentown Central Catholic High School.

**Continuing our strong commitment to all Viking and Vikette athletes and their teams!**

## WELCOME

The CCHS Booster Club welcomes new and returning parents of Viking athletics. The Club sponsors team fundraisers, recognition Masses where varsity letters are presented and team athletes are honored, and senior parent recognition, where CCHS Seniors and their parents are honored. To make this happen, we need your support. Please become a member of the Central Catholic High School Booster Club and support our athletic teams.

## JOIN

If your child is a member of a varsity, junior varsity or junior high team, it is highly recommended that you participate in the Central Catholic High School athletic program by joining the Booster Club. Your membership supports the school and its athletic teams. There is a *one time annual fee of \$35 per family* with one or more student athletes in Fall, Winter and Spring sports. Each family will receive a Booster Club application membership form and invoice during the first season that their child participates in a team sport, or you can use the form included with this Newsletter. Please complete the membership application, pay the annual fee of \$35, made payable to the ACCHS Booster Club, and return it to either the team parent or directly to CCHS.

## VOLUNTEER

To ensure that the Booster club is able to provide services, fundraisers and special events, volunteers are always needed, especially from Freshmen and Sophomore classes. You don't need any special talents to be a volunteer, just a sincere interest in the students at CCHS. The Booster Club is an organization that supports the Sports Programs and Athletic Department, however, your student does not have to be an athlete for you to be involved. If you would like to volunteer, you are encouraged to attend a Booster Club Meeting or simply contact one of the Board Members. There are plenty of opportunities to help with all the Booster Club activities, including meetings, fundraisers, Viking Christmas, recognition Masses and senior athlete recognition programs.

## KEEP INFORMED

Booster Club Meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month that school is in session at 7:00 PM in the school library. CCHS athletic information is also available online at [www.highschoolsports.net](http://www.highschoolsports.net). This website provides the latest schedules for all CCHS teams.

# COACHING STAFF

The Booster Club appreciates and thanks the coaching staff for all their hard work, time and dedication to our athletes. It takes a tremendous amount of time and energy to prepare for competition at this level.

The 2009 - 2010 Head Coaches are:

CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL 2009 – 2010 HEAD COACHING STAFF		
Mike Kopp – Athletic Director		
FALL SPORTS	GOLF	James Krupka
	GIRLS VOLLEYBALL	Laurie Corcoran
	GIRLS TENNIS	Jeff Biro
	BOYS SOCCER	Gus Garcia
	FIELD HOCKEY	Patty Mengel
	BOYS/GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY	Jim O’Leary
	FOOTBALL	Harold Fairclough
	CHEERLEADING	Donna Pastore
WINTER SPORTS	BOYS BASKETBALL	Kyle Kern
	GIRLS BASKETBALL	Mike Kopp
	BOYS/GIRLS SWIMMING	John Van Buren
	WRESTLING	Tony Clifford
SPRING SPORTS	BASEBALL	Matt Garza
	SOFTBALL	Bill Ehritz
	GIRLS SOCCER	Tony Pangaio
	BOYS TENNIS	Jeff Biro
	BOYS/GIRLS TRACK & FIELD	TBA
	BOYS LACROSSE	Dan Dolphin
	GIRLS LACROSSE	Troy Hummel
	BOYS VOLLEYBALL	Angela Myles

Coaching staff email addresses are available on the [www.acchs.info](http://www.acchs.info) website.

# FUNDRAISING

Team parents handle all athletic team fundraising requests. All fundraisers **MUST BE APPROVED** by the team parent, coach, a Booster Club Officer and Mike Kopp, Athletic Director. Teams are strongly encouraged to plan ahead with all fundraising activities, present it to the Board one month before the start of the requested activity and to complete the Fundraising Request Form. The Booster Club also conducts fundraisers, such as Spirit Wear Sales, to raise funds to support all student athletes.

# CCHS SPIRIT WEAR

The Booster Club has spirit wear available for purchase. Show your school spirit with a “Central Catholic” tee shirt, hoodie, sweat or capri pants, or a speciality item such as an umbrella, hat or stadium blanket. To order an item, call Ruth Torok at 610-433-3643, or stop by Rockne Hall on Sunday, November 15th from 2 - 4 PM to purchase Viking Spirit Wear. Athletic teams may also provide a great selection of spirit wear as part of the individual team fundraising efforts.

# SAVE THE DATE

The Booster Club meets on the first Wednesday of every month that CCHS is in session. Meetings are held at 7 PM in the CCHS Library. Meetings typically last one hour and provide the opportunity for team parents, coaching staff and CCHS administrators to share pertinent information regarding Viking athletics. Other important dates to remember are Homecoming, Athletic Recognition Masses, and the Wall of Fame Induction.

## SAVE THESE IMPORTANT BOOSTER CLUB DATES

October 7, 2009 Booster Club Meeting  
October 10, 2009 Homecoming CCHS V. Whitehall  
November 4, 2009 Booster Club Meeting  
December 2, 2009 Booster Club Meeting  
December 8, 2009 Fall Sports Recognition Mass & Awards  
January 6, 2010 Meeting  
January 23, 2010 Wall of Fame Inductions  
February 3, 2010 Booster Club Meeting  
March 3, 2010 Booster Club Meeting  
March 19, 2010 Winter Sports Recognition Mass & Awards  
April 7, 2010 Booster Club Meeting  
May 5, 2010 Booster Club Meeting  
May 13, 2010 Spring Sports Recognition Mass & Awards

ALL GENERAL MEETINGS HELD AT 7 PM IN THE CCHS LIBRARY

# THANK YOU

The Booster Club raised \$32,300 during the 2008 - 2009 academic year from membership fees, program and spirit wear sales, and Viking Christmas to support the athletic endeavors of the Viking and Vikette teams. The Booster Club sincerely thanks all the Booster Club members, CCHS Alumni, coaching staff and administrators for their financial support and volunteer contributions.

# BOSTER CLUB OFFICERS

The Booster Club Officers are available to assist the team parents, coaches and Athletic Department. Please contact us if you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns.

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## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Team Parents assist the Booster Club with distributing the Booster Club Membership Application. You can also join using this form below. The one time annual membership fee is **\$35 per family** with one or more student athletes in Fall, Winter and Spring sports. Please complete this membership form, pay the annual fee of \$35, and return it to the team parent or directly to CCHS.

List Names of CCHS Student Athletes:

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Please identify with a ✓ mark the CCHS athletic teams your family members participate in:

### Fall Sports

- Cheerleading
- Cross Country ~ Boys & Girls
- Field Hockey
- Football
- Golf
- Soccer ~ Boys
- Tennis ~ Girls
- Volleyball ~ Girls

### Winter Sports

- Basketball ~ Boys
- Basketball ~ Girls
- Swimming ~ Boys & Girls
- Wrestling

### Spring Sports

- Baseball
- Lacrosse ~ Boys
- Lacrosse ~ Girls
- Softball
- Soccer ~ Girls
- Tennis ~ Boys
- Track & Field ~ Boys & Girls
- Volleyball ~ Boys

Please return this form with \$35 payment to:  
Allentown Central Catholic High School  
Booster Club Treasurer  
301 N. 4th Street  
Allentown, PA 18102-3098

Make Checks Payable to: ACCHS Booster Club