



# WELCOME TO THE NORTH METRO GYMNASTICS CENTER BOOSTER CLUB

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## OUR MISSION

The Booster Club exists to provide fundraising opportunities that help parents defray their costs of competitive gymnastics as well as enable the Booster Club to raise general funds for the benefit of all gymnasts.

## OUR RESPONSIBILITY

### PLEDGE ACCOUNTS

- The Booster Club collects pledge payments from parents for gymnast meet entry fees (including regionals and nationals, if applicable), team camp, event fees, and other miscellaneous fees, as the need arises. The Booster Club guarantees payments on behalf of all gymnasts. Statements will be emailed to parents on a monthly basis (approximately mid-month) as well as general notification will be provided on Facebook when fees are becoming due.
- Meets are entered at least 6 weeks in advance, often earlier. This is why meet fees are collected prior to the season starting.
- Your gymnast WILL NOT be entered into meets and will not be able to compete if your Booster Club fees are not paid and current. Please contact the Booster Club treasurer if you need to work out a separate payment schedule.
- The Booster Club will credit Pledge Accounts from participating individual fundraisers.

### EVENTS

The Booster Club coordinates a December holiday party and an end-of-the-year banquet. The Booster Club may coordinate other team-building events throughout the season.

## **GENERAL FUND RAISING**

The Booster Club fundraises throughout the competitive season for the benefit of all gymnasts for the following events:

- End-of-Year Banquet (includes location, catering, and entry for each gymnast). Each attending parent will pay additional fees for attendance.
- Funds to offset team camp dues if funds are available. Available funds are determined by the Board each year. Parents will be notified in advance if the Booster Club is able to make this contribution.
- The Booster Club will cover a portion of a December holiday party and other team-building events with a shared cost to parents.
- If any gymnast qualifies for regionals or nationals, the Board may be asked to assess whether the General Fund has the capability to cover those fees. If the Board determines there are insufficient funds, parents will cover the extra cost of those meet entry fees. These fees are not allocated in the estimated payment schedule provided at the beginning of the season.

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

- The Booster Club is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.
- All Pledge Account payments are non-refundable.
- The Booster Club Board consists of parent volunteers:
  1. President: Macy Lowery
  2. Treasurers: Angie Marcus (Pledge Payments)  
& Tracy Ramer (Fundraisers)
  3. Secretary: Jen Klein
  4. Fundraisers: Coordinator position open
- Communication will be handled mostly through our Booster Club Facebook Page. Search: **North Metro Gymnastics Center Booster Club, Woodstock, GA**
- The Board and Fundraiser Coordinator can also be reached by email at [northmetrobc@gmail.com](mailto:northmetrobc@gmail.com).

## **FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES**

Throughout the year there will be various fundraising opportunities you may choose to participate in. These fundraisers help offset the cost of your Booster Club Pledge Account fees and cannot be used toward fees paid to the gym such as monthly tuition and registration.

**SHORT-TERM FUNDRAISERS** will be announced to team parents via email and our Facebook page as they are occurring.

**ONGOING FUNDRAISERS** are listed on the Fundraising Opportunities document included in the welcome packet.