

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS OF THE WAHOO ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

(updated May 2024)

Article I: Wahoo Athletic Booster Club

Section 1: The name of this organization shall be the Wahoo Athletic Booster "CLUB".

Article II: Purpose

Section 2: Purpose Statement:

The "CLUB" has been formed to support the Wahoo High School athletic programs, to simulate interest in those programs, and to promote positive competitive spirit and sportsmanship in those programs. The "CLUB" shall not be involved in any way in personnel or program matters (e.g. staff selection, assignment, appraisal, reassignment, or termination) associated with Wahoo Public School coaches or athletic programs.

Article III: Membership

Section 1: Eligibility:

Membership shall be open to any person nineteen (19) years of age, or older, who is interested in promoting school sponsored athletic programs of Wahoo High School. Annual membership dues shall be paid to the Booster "CLUB" membership chairperson.

Section 2: Dues:

Membership dues for a yearly club will be determined each year by the elected officers. School year of the Wahoo Athletic Booster "CLUB" shall begin on the 1st day of August and end on the last day of July.

Business memberships vary in sponsorship value.

Membership lapses upon non-payment of annual dues.

Section 3: Voting

Current payment of membership dues are required to be a voting member, which permits one (1) vote per current membership.



It should come to a vote of the current paid members when an expense in the amount of \$300.00 or more is presented to the "CLUB" at a scheduled meeting.

Section 4: Discrimination

The "CLUB" will not discriminate in membership based on race, color, creed, religion, national origin, ancestry, gender, sexual orientation, age, or disability.

Section 5: Correspondence

Correspondence between members will be via websites, email, and membership meetings.

Article IV: Meetings

Section 1: General Membership Meetings

Elected officers, at their discretion, will schedule regular meetings throughout the year.

If the meeting is held at the scheduled time and place, those present shall constitute a quorum.

Special meetings of the "CLUB" may be called by the President or the elected officers. Action may be taken only on those matters specifically outlined in the notice of the Special Meeting.

Article V: Officers and Duties

Section 1: The officers of this "CLUB" shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Section 2: Terms of Office

Every office shall take office immediately following the May meeting and shall serve for a term of one-year increments without term limits.

Section 3: Duties of President

The President shall preside at all meetings, enforce all laws and rules of the "CLUB", hold in custody all official documents and deliver them to his or her successor, and represent the "CLUB" in official business.

The President shall be familiar with the duties of other officers, and ensure that other



officers perform their duties and ensure that officers are elected for the following year in the manner outlined in this Constitution.

Section 4: Duties of the Vice-President

The Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, preside at all meetings and perform all other duties of the office of the President.

The Vice-President shall assume the duties of the President if the office of the President shall become vacant.

The Vice-President shall have a copy of the current roster of the "CLUB"'s paid memberships.

Section 5: Duties of the Secretary

The Secretary shall, in the absence of the President and the Vice-President, preside at all meetings and perform all other duties of the office of President.

The Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings and prepare an agenda for each scheduled meeting.

The Secretary shall exclude all correspondence necessary to the organization as prescribed by the President.

Section 6: Treasurer

The Treasurer shall be responsible for keeping an account of all monies received and expended for the use of the "CLUB", and shall ensure that all duly authorized disbursements have been made in a timely manner.

The Treasurer shall give a financial report at every scheduled meeting.

Article VI: Elections

Section 1: Nominations of persons who are present and who agree to serve may be made by an active member at the May General meeting.

Section 2: New officers shall be elected by a majority vote of active members present at the May General meeting.

Article VII: Amendments



Section 1: These Bylaws may be amended, repealed, or altered, in whole or in part, by a simple majority vote of the current members present and voting at any duly organized meeting of the "CLUB". Notice of any amendment proposed for consideration shall be distributed to the membership at the beginning of the meeting at which voting will take place.

Article VIII: Limitation of Liabilities

Section 1: Nothing herein shall constitute members of the Association as partners for any purpose. No member, officer, agent, or employee of this "CLUB" shall be liable for his acts or failure to act under these bylaws, excepting only acts or omissions to act arising out of his willful misfeasance.

Article IX: Dissolution

Section 1: The "CLUB" shall use its funds only to accomplish the objectives and purposes specified in these bylaws and no part of said funds shall inure, or be distributed, to the members of the "CLUB". On dissolution of the "CLUB", any funds remaining shall be used for the benefit of the Wahoo High School Athletic Department. The elected officers shall be responsible for determining the appropriate final apportionment of the "CLUB" funds.