

## **SOUTHWICK-TOLLAND-GRANVILLE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**CODE: RELATIONS WITH BOOSTER ORGANIZATIONS**

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The Southwick-Tolland-Granville Regional School Committee recognizes that the endeavors and objectives of booster organizations and similar groups can be a valuable means of stimulating interest in and endorsement of the aims and achievements of our public school system. Actions initiated by booster organizations promote desirable community-school relationships.

The Southwick Regional School Booster Club was formed to serve as a resource for school administration, the SRS Athletic Director, and faculty club advisors to enhance the overall extra-curricular experience for all SRS students.

All fundraisers and Booster Club events must be pre-approved by the School Committee, according to district policy. School provided uniforms will not be worn during any booster club fundraising activity unless approved by the building principal or Superintendent. However, per M.I.A.A rules, students may not wear school uniforms, or be identified as a school team, out-of-season and/or during non-school events. Booster clubs must submit a written request to the Principal and Athletic Director in order to purchase goods or services for a team/group. Gifts valued at \$500 or less may be accepted by the Superintendent or designee (Athletic Director). Gifts valued greater than \$500 must be accepted by the Southwick-Tolland-Granville Regional School Committee.

Booster-proposed plans, projects, or activities must be evaluated and promoted in light of their stated contribution to the academic as well as the extra-curricular programs of the schools.

Care must be taken to avoid compromising or diluting the responsibilities and authorities of the School Committee.