



Buckeye Central Baseball

2017 Fundraiser

Dear baseball players and parents,

The last 10 seasons have been very successful for Buckeye Central baseball and we are excited to begin 2017!

We are going to have one major fundraiser for baseball this season. As we have done the last eight years with much success, we are going to sponsor a baseball only program through our fundraiser. Thanks to your help, the programs have turned out GREAT!

NEW FOR 2017...PROGRAMS WILL BE IN COLOR!!!!

Participation in this fundraiser can eliminate **ALL PERSONAL OUT OF POCKET EXPENSE** and give your son a lot of great items. In past years, players had to pay \$40 or more to get needed items. Last season we were able to give 27 kids nearly **\$100** worth of items free to keep!

To do this we are asking players to sell ads for the program. Ads (**COLOR**) are sold for the following:

- 3-4 line ad or company logo \$50
- 2 line ad \$30
- 1 line ad \$10

Last year's program is included in this handout. Ads don't just have to be from businesses. They can be messages to players from families or individuals, or simply good luck type phrases.

We are asking that all players **sell \$150 in ads**. For the fundraiser to be successful all players need to meet or exceed this criteria. All players that meet or exceed \$150 in ad sales will receive:

- Mock turtleneck
- Socks
- Hat
- Freshmen and first year players will receive a personal helmet to use throughout high school career
- T-Shirt

All these items are for the kids to keep!

Plus, we are doing something different this year. With our fundraiser, players will receive the usual personal items, plus we will also purchase field improvement items. These include:

- Backstop padding





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- On deck circles



- Field Turf Batting Practice Mat



Rain Out Field Product

- Absorbs Over 250 Times its Weight in Rain
- Expands By Less Than 1%
- Non-Toxic & Non-Hazardous
- Improves Turf Growth in Dry Conditions
- Application is Quick & Easy
- Excellent Field Conditioner

Because we are not asking for individual payment like we have done in the past, players must sell \$150 in ads to receive all items.

NOTE: If an upperclassman wants another helmet, he must sell \$180 in ads to offset the cost of the new helmet.

The top three sellers will receive their choice of bat bag (or something similar).

This fundraiser will also pay for items that are not in the normal athletic budget. Because of this fundraiser we have been able to purchase the following items:

Permanent sound system/receiver for Pressbox
Batting practice pitching mat
Full set of throwback uniforms
Replacement parts for pitching machines
New catcher's gloves
New game jerseys (current summer league jerseys)
New replacement game pants
Bat bag backpacks
Personal Helmets
New BBCOR Bats (All previous bats were illegal in 2012)
Middle School team
Solo-hitters
Website domain
Wiffleball Pitching Machine
Wood bats
Team Jackets for ALL players
Practice pants for ALL players
Summer League T-shirts



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Summer League Umpires
Mock turtlenecks
Hats
Socks
Personalized Pullovers
Team T-Shirts
Catcher's Gear
Pop-Up Nets
Smushballs
Incrediballs
Spike Cleaner
Wiffle Balls
Cage Balls
Partition Net
Throwdown bases
Cage Mat
Field Rakes
Customized Field Tarps
Helmet decals
Portable Sound System for Pressbox
Wall of Fame Plaques
Distance Markers
Indoor Mound
Replacement items
Sunflower seeds
Various Training Aids and much more!

The program will include: Varsity, JV, and Middle School team pictures, individual senior pictures, letterwinners, records, schedule, roster, ads, etc. **ALL IN COLOR!**

We are giving you the information now so everybody can get a head start on the fundraiser. I will accept payment and ads at anytime. Checks should be made payable to **Buckeye Central Athletic Boosters**. Please put **baseball** in the memo.

PLEASE DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO SELL YOUR ADS! GET IT FINISHED NOW WHILE IT IS FRESH IN YOUR MIND AND THEN YOU WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT IT WHEN BASEBALL STARTS! IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO FIND SPONSORS EARLY, ESPECIALLY DURING THE UPCOMING HOLIDAY SEASON!

Deadline for money and ads to be turned in for **NON-WINTER SPORTS ATHLETES** is **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27**. All others are due one week after you begin practice.

AS A BONUS, ANY PLAYER THAT TURNS IN ALL MONEY BY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21 RECEIVES A BONUS T-SHIRT!

All forms and information will be on the Buckeye Central Baseball website www.buckeyecentralbaseball.com.

For up to date announcements follow us on Twitter @bcbucksbaseball and on Facebook/Buckeye Central Baseball

Text or call me with any questions at 419-544-6022 or email cjensen@bcbucks.org.

Thank you for your continued support of Buckeye Central baseball!

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