



LTHS Booster Association

Can We Spend Booster Funds on This?



(Quick Decision Flow Chart – 2026–2027)

START HERE



1. Was the money raised under the LTHS Booster Association?

-  **NO** → Not Booster-controlled (parent-led activity)
 -  **YES** → Continue
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2. Was the fundraiser **APPROVED** by the Booster Association?

-  **NO** → Cannot use funds
 -  **YES** → Continue
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3. Is the expense submitted and approved through the Booster process?

-  **NO** → Must submit request first
 -  **YES** → Continue
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4. What type of expense is it?



PROGRAM BENEFIT (Allowed)

- ✓ Equipment (game/practice/safety)
- ✓ Uniforms
- ✓ Transportation / program expenses
- ✓ Community/team events (school led)
- ✓ Senior banners
- ✓ Awards / recognition
- ✓ Scholarships (*must follow Booster guidelines*)
- ✓ End-of-season celebration (*within limits*)



WARMUPS / TEAM APPAREL POLICY

Q: Can warmups be purchased with Booster funds?

➔ **YES — ONLY if they meet ALL of the following:**

- ✓ Must be **used as part of the team uniform during the season**
- ✓ Cannot be purchased as a **banquet gift or end-of-season giveaway**

Then apply cost rule:

- ✓ **\$50 or LESS per player**
→ Players **may keep** the item
- ✓ **OVER \$50 per player**
→ Must be considered **program-owned**
→ Must be **collected and reused by the school/team**



SPECIAL CATEGORY


- ✓ Championship gear (players keep)
- ➔ **Allowed through MAIN BOOSTERS**
- ✓ Up to **\$35 per player**



PERSONAL BENEFIT (NOT Allowed)

- ✗ Player gifts (including banquet gifts)
 - ✗ Apparel not used during the season
 - ✗ Coach gifts
 - ✗ Cash or gift cards to individuals
 - ✗ Unapproved spending
- ➔ **NO → Must be parent-led (not Booster funded)**

5. Is this a raffle or cash-based fundraiser?

→  **NO** → Proceed with approved use

→  **YES** →

- ✓ Must follow NJ LGCCC rules
 - ✓ All cash deposited into gaming account
 - ✓ Proper documentation required
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FINAL DECISION



Program Benefit → Booster Funded



Personal Benefit → Not Booster Funded

WHEN IN DOUBT

- 👉 Ask before spending
- 👉 Submit request through Boosters
- 👉 Attend a monthly meeting for approval