

North Allegheny Unified Booster Organization  
November 12, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Board Members: Georgiana Thomas (President/Scholar Athlete Coordinator/Website Chair), Patti McClure (Vice President)

NA UBO Sponsor: Bob Bozzuto (Athletic Director/Bocce)

Chairperson(s) Present: Valerie Scolieri (Tiger Items Sales) and Paula Dworek (UBO Awards)

Representative Present: Molly Wetmore (Band), John Magorien (Wrestling), Christine Rittler (Girls Golf), Kathy Fadgen (Softball-Fast pitch), Kristen Boni (Track & Field), Katie Webber-Plank (Rowing), Micki Sanner (Boys Soccer), Paula Dworek (Baseball), Stephanie Lucas (Cross Country), Valerie Scolieri (Boys Basketball), Meighan Nalducci (Field Hockey and Boys Lacrosse), Andrea Bratich (Boys Volleyball), Danelle Tyler (Bowling), Dawn Folks (Cheerleading), Melissa Simon (Football), Bod Smith (Softball-Slow Pitch), Geri Bacu (Swimming/Diving), Julie Dubis (IMS), Pavan Reddy (Boys Tennis), Tim Deily (Girls Volleyball) and Lisa DeJonckheere (Gymnastics)

Welcome Introduction: Georgiana welcomed everyone to the meeting and requested each person introduce themselves and the sports team they are representing.

Approval of September 2025 Minutes: No recommended changes proposed to the Minutes. A motion to approve was presented by John Magorien and seconded by Paula Dworek. The minutes were approved.

Treasurer Report: The report was reviewed as of September 10, 2025 there was a beginning balance of 10,764.32, UBO accepted 5,249.00 in deposits, expenses totaled 8,118.16 ending balance is 7,895.16. A motion was made to approve the Treasurer's Report by John Magorien and seconded by Valerie Scolieri. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

Committee Reports:

Membership: It was requested that each attendant review the Membership List and confirm the details listed.

UBO Awards: Paula Dworek informed reps that there are 3 Awards available. 2 For \$1,000 under the Georgiana Thomas Award and 1 for \$750 under the Don Vandergrift Award. Deadline for applying is 3/30/26 with interviews on 4/13/26. Paula Dworek requested 3 volunteers and 1 alternate to interview the Award Finalists on 4/13/26. The volunteers are John Magorien, Barb Liwosz and Christina.

Scholar Athlete: Patti stated awards are based on the 9 week grade requirements.

Fall - 1<sup>st</sup> 9 week grades

Spring - 2<sup>nd</sup> 9 week grades

Winter - 3<sup>rd</sup> 9 week grades

It was further explained that the t-shirt sizes are pulled from FamilyID; exchanges are not made, but families can update their child's shirt sizes in FamilyID.

The process takes time, so Georgiana explained the scholar athlete process for reps to understand the timeline., Patti receives the grade information and needs to change all grades to a letter for

chairpersons, She send to Georgiana and Georgiana send to chairperson to create a summary sheet showing who gets what award. They return to Georgiana, and she sends on to Logan who prints certificates and sorts shirts when everything is ready for distribute, we let the reps know they are ready to pick up. All questions should be directed to Georgiana Thomas, the Scholar Athlete Coordinator.

The Athletic Department recognizes 3 individual and 2 team scholar-athlete awards.

**Individual Awards:**

- UBO Scholar-Athlete Award – certificate for 3.4 -3.69
  - AD – All Scholar Award – certificate and Shirt for 3.7-3.99
  - AD – All Academic Award – certificate and for 4.0 or higher
- \*\*One shirt per year

**Team Awards:**

- AD – All Scholar Award –Wall Plaque inscription and local recognition for 3.2-3.49  
(2023-24 school year - 1 HS team and 8 MS teams achieved this award)
- AD – All Academic Award – Wall Plaque inscription and local recognition for 3.5 or higher  
3.82 was the Team Award GPA for year  
(2023-24 school year - 39 HS teams and 34 MS teams achieved this award)

Toys for Tigers -Georgiana asked members that had not returned their survey forms to please turn them in even if you are unable to donate anything. If someone needed a form, she had some extra forms. These forms are important because they let us know how much money we still need to raise. And once we receive information from principals, we will use form to coordinate distribution. They will be The Toys program provides gifts such as toys, clothing, shoes, gift cards and grocery gift certificates to families in need of assistance. UBO would like each boosters group and schools to donate \$200 towards the gifts for 1 child. If the Group wants to sponsor more than 1 child, we ask you to spend a minimum of \$200 on each child. If an individual, or a family, would like to donate any amount it is appreciated. Other ways to support T4T is by volunteering to shop, gift wrap or by donating wrapping paper and/or wrapping supplies.

Band will be donating blankets again this year.

Each year the program's success and the number of families sponsored in the district increases due to the generous donations of money and time. The T4T Program would like to thank the North Allegheny Athletic Booster Organizations, Marching Band, Parent-Teacher Associations, Business Groups, District Employees Private Donors and Residents. For additional information, or to make donations, please contact the Athletic Office at 724-934-7238 or Georgiana Thomas at [GThomas521@Verizon.net](mailto:GThomas521@Verizon.net)

UBO hosted a Spaghetti Dinner which resulted in \$1500 in profit and sold 150-170 meals

Valerie Scolieri will coordinate gift wrapping and requested donations of giant bags (not bike bags), gift card boxes, tape and tissue paper.

Tiger Items for Sale: Valerie Scolieri coordinated the efforts needed to sell NA merchandise. Portion of Proceeds will benefit the T4T program. Items available are blankets, sweatshirts, T-shirts, hats, sunglasses,

cellphone wallet, magnets and electrostatic stickers. \$ 5,290 in sales was achieved through sales from August 2025 to present.

Team Reports:

### **Cheerleading**

Cheer Boosters is a 501c3 organization

#### Number of Athletes

Highschool - 59

Middle school – 61

#### Booster Fees

HS - \$235

MS - \$180

\*Discounts available for siblings

#### Fundraisers

1 mandatory fundraiser – Purse Raffle -Oct 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025

2 Competitive fundraiser – Stunt Camp and Micro Mini Cheer Camp  
-Comp team athletes volunteer a few hours to work event

#### Volunteering

EQT Pittsburgh 10 Miler-November 9<sup>th</sup>- Cheered and passed out towels to marathon runners

Block at Northway Event– September 18<sup>th</sup> – Cheered at community market event

Season transitioning to Basketball

#### Competitive Team Updates

UCA Competition – November 16<sup>th</sup> – Convention Center

WPIAL –December 20<sup>th</sup> - Hempfield

Received bids for Nationals – 3 teams (Traditional, Gameday and JV)

\*Currently planning Nationals trip for 50+

### **Cross Country**

1. What are your dues? \$150 for the first athlete. \$75 for each additional athlete.
2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? If yes, what are the MS dues? Yes. \$30 per athlete.
3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? If so, explain. Yes. See #1.
4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year? Moe's Taco Kits, Yard Signs, Chipotle, Panera, Red Robin, SnapRaise, Mums
5. Is your team a 501C3 organization? Yes.

6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? If yes, explain.

We don't have any. We do however collect thousands of used shoes for Soles4souls every year....a charity that turns unwanted shoes into educational and economic opportunities, gets shoes to people in crisis, creates jobs and extends the life of shoes and clothes that would have been in a landfill.

### **Field Hockey**

1. What are your dues? **\$250/player**
2. Do you include a middle school program? **Yes, dues are \$80/player**
3. Do you offer a sibling discount? **We do not and we have several siblings on both teams**
- 3.. Fundraisers: **Spring Flower and Fall Mums**
4. Is your team a 501C3? **No, but we are in process**
5. Volunteer days?: **Not for outside organizations. Our players are asked to volunteer/assist during youth games and clinics.**

### **Football**

1. Dues are \$425 per family. There is only one mandatory fundraiser, which is \$200 in lottery tickets. Families may sell the tickets to recoup those funds, or may cover the cost themselves.
2. Our booster organization does not include middle school parents.
3. If more than one child is participating, the cost is \$900 for two children (this includes the lottery ticket cost.)
4. This year we did restaurant nights, concession stand sales, spirit wear (regular and military gear), hoagie and pepperoni roll sales, a boutique fundraiser, yard signs, and a garden and house flag sale.
5. We are a 501C3 organization.
6. We do not have designated volunteer days but do hold a car wash and participate in Toys for Tigers.

Dates ahead -

WPIAL Championship vs Central Catholic - 11/15/25

Banquet - 1/15/26

### **Marching Band**

1. 170 members 9-12 grade
2. Dues - \$350 - no sibling discounts. Discounts are available to families in need.
3. No middle school students
4. Fundraisers: Marianna hoagies, pep rolls, dining out, travel raffle, concert raffle, bingo night, neighborhood parades
5. Volunteer - Labor Day and Veterans Day Parades
6. 501C3- YES

### **Soccer Girls**

Season Summary – 48 team members High School – JV/Varsity

41 team members Middle School – 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade teams

Standings – Varsity Record – 14-3-2

WPIAL Champions

PIAA - Semi-Finalists

JV – 18-0-1

What are your dues?

\$180.00 High School \$80.00 Middle School

Does your booster organization include middle school parents? Yes. Dues listed above

If more than 1 child participates, do you offer discounts? No

Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year?

Chipotle Fundraiser

SNAP! Raise

Yard Signs, Magnets

Concession Sales

Toys for Tigers

Is your team a 501C3 organization? Yes

Does your team have volunteer days? If yes, explain. Yes

Concession stands – Soccer Games, 2 Football Games, and playoffs (Highschool and Middle school families) Middle School – Ball Girls at High School Soccer Games

### **Tennis Girls**

1. What are your dues \$200
2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? N/A If yes, what are the MS dues?
3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? N/A If so, explain.
4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year? N/A
5. Is your team a 501C3 organization? No
6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? No If yes, explain.

### **Volleyball Girls**

1. What are your dues for high school membership? **\$200**
2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? if yes, how much are the dues for these families? **No, we do not include middle school parents.**
3. If a family has more than one child participating, do you offer discounts? Please discuss. **No, we do not offer discounts for more than one child participating.**
4. Name several fundraisers your membership participates in during the year.

**Carwash**

**Shooters Golf event**

**Raffle ticket sales. \$10 per ticket with 4 chances to win \$500. Girls are responsible for 20 tickets each.**

**Apparel sales**

**Pink Out shirts (this is donated)**

**Invitationals**

5. Is your booster a 501C3 organization? **No, it is not.**

6. Does your sports team have “volunteer days”? If yes, please discuss.

**We partnered twice with Best of the Batch Foundation. Kids came out to NASH and played volleyball with the girls. And then later in the season the girls went down to the Clubhouse to help out with a project.**

**Golf Girls**

1. What are your dues? \$160 per player

2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? If yes, what are the MS dues? NA

3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? \$80 per player

4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year? 50/50 and Golf Raffle

5. Is your team a 501C3 organization? No

6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? Yes

**Soccer Boys**

1. What are your dues? \$250

2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? Yes, what are the MS dues? \$125

3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? No

4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year? SNAP and concessions

5. Is your team a 501C3 organization? Yes

6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? Yes

**Softball-Slow Pitch**

1. What are your dues? \$175

2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? Yes what are the MS dues? \$175

3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? \$25 reduction

4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year? Z'Roni, Taco kits and sponsorships

5. Is your team a 501C3 organization? No

6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? No

**Water Polo**

**Dues:**

Full expenses: \$1900 per player

Includes administrative fees to Tiger Water Polo Club, hotels, transportation, travel meals, banquet and team apparel for in season play. Postseason expenses are not included in this calculation.

**Does your booster organization include middle school parents? If yes, what are the MS dues?**

Middle School is run through Tiger Water Polo Club we run separately within the club

**If a family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? If so, explain.**

We have given a \$200 discount to a family with two players on the high school team in the past.

**Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year?**

Our only fundraiser this year was a 3 month lottery calendar which was mandatory and that has been much more successful than multiple smaller scale fundraisers. It runs through the end of December so final numbers are not in.

**Is your team a 501C3 organization?**

We are not on our own but Tiger Water Polo is.

**Does your team have “volunteer days”? If yes, explain.**

Our players have the opportunity to volunteer for the elementary water polo clinics and we are looking to increase our volunteerism in the off-season.

Athletic Director's Report:

Water Polo Girls won state championship, Water Polo Boys won second state championship

Boys/Girls Golf both competed in WPIAL championships

Field Hockey in championship

Girls Soccer won the championship at Highmark Stadium

Football is in the championship in PR this weekend

Girls Volleyball went on to the state championship

Boys Soccer competed in WPIAL tournament

Tennis won section championship

Cross Country in WPIAL

Marching Band did a great job at the Pep Rallys

Winter sports start in November

Thank you for volunteering and we hope you continue to volunteer

Kennywood profits are less and less each year, so new fundraisers are being coordinated

Adjournment: A motion made to adjourn the meeting by Christina Rittler and seconded by Geri Bacu. The meeting adjourned.

Next Meeting: ~~February 11, 2026~~ at 6:30pm - **RESCHEDULED TO MARCH 25TH**

Teams/Groups to present at next meeting: Golf Boys, Water Polo, Basketball-Girls, Basketball-Boys, Bocce, Bowling, Gymnastics, Ice Hockey, inline Hockey, Swimming/Diving and Wrestling

**PLEASE EMAIL YOUR REPORT TO BARB PRIOR TO THE NEXT MEETING**

Reports should include:

1. What are your dues?
2. Does your booster organization include middle school parents? If yes, what are the MS dues?
3. If family has more than 1 child participating, do you offer discounts? If so, explain.
4. Name several fundraisers your group participates in during the year?
5. Is your team a 501C3 organization?
6. Does your team have “volunteer days”? If yes, explain.