



March 28, 2023

Dear Parents / Guardians:

Welcome to the 2023 Sayreville Bombers Baseball season. We hope you are as excited as we are to see the boys back out there doing what they love. My name is Mike Romanello, and I am President of the Sayreville Bombers Baseball Booster Club. We support Coach Novak and his staff with fundraising and all off field activities.

The Booster Club, which is entirely operated by the dedication of volunteers, has been proudly supporting our baseball teams on all levels since 1988. As the 2023 season is upon us, we look forward to working with all our Bomber players, coaches, and families to have another successful year.

All the money raised from our various fundraisers goes directly to benefit the players. In the past years, we have been able to give out scholarships to the graduating seniors, host a year end banquet, provide an end of year gift, and buy much needed equipment for the teams. I want to emphasize, all we do for our players / your sons, is due to funds made available through the efforts of the kids, parents, and Booster Club when it comes to fundraising.

We have several fundraisers planned and are always looking for volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering and supporting our efforts, please email us @ savrevillebombersbaseball@gmail.com.

2023 SAYREVILLE BOMBERS BASEBALL BOOSTER CLUB

Executive Board:

President: Mike Romanello
Vice President: Cait Arvanites
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Secretary: Lizette Anthony
Event Coordinator: Kat Molina
Event Coordinator: Kara Schlaline

Sponsorship Coordinator: Michele Maher Sponsorship Coordinator: Allison Kaufman

COMMUNICATION & CONTACT INFORMATION

The coaching staff will be communicating to the players while the Booster Club will be the communication source for the parents. We also will be communicating in the following ways.

- Email: our email contact is sayrevillebomberbaseball@gmail.com
- Facebook: "like" our page @ https://www.facebook.com/BombersBaseball2020
- Instagram: follow us @ https://www.instagram.com/bomberbbfamily/
- Twitter: follow us <u>@BomberBBBooster</u>
- Blast Sports: Sayreville War Memorial Baseball (2022 2023) | Blast Athletics

BOMBER BASEBALL BOOSTER CLUB PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Cash
- Check made payable to Bombers Baseball Booster Club
- Venmo Acct: @Sayreville-BombersBaseball
- PayPal Acct: @SBombersBaseball

FUNDRAISING

This year we have several fundraisers planned. There is a "Dates to Remember" list included in this document. Below is a listing and details of the fundraisers we have scheduled for now, there may be additional ones as the season progresses.

- 50/50 Ticket Fundraiser total due \$100
 - o *All players* will be required to sell *TWENTY*, 50/50 tickets for \$5.00 each.
 - o Tickets will be distributed as soon as we get them from the printer.
 - o The 50/50 fundraiser will run till the middle of June. \$100 is due to your Coach and/or Team Parent by *Friday, June 9th*.
 - o The winning number will be drawn at our Banquet.
- Mother / Son Dance this fundraiser will replace our annual Patriot's game that we have done in the past.
 - Expectations all players will attend, moms, grandmas, aunts, sisters, all are welcome. Players are FREE, their "date" is \$20, each additional "date" is \$15.
 - We are asking all players to bring a dessert
 - We are asking all players to assist in working the event for a period of time during the event
 - Ticket requests are due by Saturday, May 6th.

• Car Wash – **total due \$25**

- o Car Wash will be held on Saturday, April 22nd from 9am-3pm at the High School.
- o All players will be required to pre-sell **FIVE** car wash tickets at \$5.00 each
- o All monies are due by *Thursday, April 20th*.
- o Each team will have a designated time to work the event, times TBD

Clothing Drive

 Our clothing drive will take place on Saturday, April 22nd from 9:00am – 2:00pm in the back of the High School by the Varsity Baseball field.

Proceeds Nights

- o We have a few proceeds night scheduled as well, here are the details
 - Shake Shack (Edison), Thursday, April 13th
 - Chick Fil-A: Monday, April 17th
 - TJ's Pizzeria: Tuesday, April 25th
 - Bubba's: Monday, May 2nd

Blast Athletics

- o This is a new communication platform that will encompass everything Bombers
 - New communication tool
 - Schedules for all games and events
 - Team Store Bomber apparel available all year around
 - Videos & Highlights
 - Fundraising Campaign
- Parents instructions for accessing and utilizing Blast
 - Register
 - Register using **Your Name** and information; you will link to your child later.
 - Click the link below and follow Steps. Once joined, then download the Blast Athletics app
 - Join Varsity: https://www.blastathletics.com/teams/73492/join
 - Join Jr. Varsity: https://www.blastathletics.com/teams/73592/join
 - Join MS Grey: https://www.blastathletics.com/teams/78969/join
 - Join MS Blue: https://www.blastathletics.com/teams/78968/join
- Help your child build a list of 20 potential sponsors (family & friends)
 - Once registered, you will see a yellow Invite Sponsors button
 - Your child will click the button and enter the list of names, cell phone numbers (email for International) of potential supporters that you helped create
- Post Coverage at games, traveling and training (see videos below)

- Tag your child!
- Blast Explainer Videos
 - Fundraiser Demo Video: https://www.blastathletics.com/lovefundraising
 - Reward Your Supporters
 - Video: https://www.blastathletics.com/rewardyoursupporters
 - Learn Blast in 100 Seconds: https://www.blastathletics.com/basics

SCHEDULES

Schedules for all teams can be found on the Blast Team Page or on the High School website, link is below.

Sayreville Public School (greatermiddlesexconference.org)

DATES TO REMEMBER

April 3rd – Opening Day for Varsity and JV

April 10th – Opening Day for MS Grey

April 13th – Proceeds Night @ Shake Shack

April 14th - Opening Day for MS Blue

April 17th – Proceeds Night for Chick Fil-A

April 22nd – Car Wash & Clothing Drive

April 23rd – Varsity Game – Autism Awareness Tournament

April 25th – Proceeds Night for TJ's Pizzeria

May 2nd – Proceeds Night for Bubba's

May 7th – Varsity Game vs Matawan @ Trenton Thunder Stadium

May 12th – Mother / Son Dance

May 13th – Senior Day & Future Bomber Day @ SWMHS

June 15th – Bomber Baseball Banquet

On behalf of Coach Novak, his entire staff, and our players and managers, I thank you for coming to Jersey Day. We hope you that you enjoyed it and we look forward to a season of fun, winning and many good times.

We wish our Bomber teams the best of luck and a very successful 2023 season.

Thank you for being part of our Sayreville Bomber Baseball family.

Sincerely,
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