

CONSTITUTION

(BYLAWS)

December 2005

OF

BENGAL BOY'S GOLF BOOSTER CLUB

ARTICLE 1

NAME AND LOCATION

- Section 1. Name. The name of this organization is the Bengal Boy's Golf Booster Club (hereafter referred to as "Booster Club").
- Section 2. Location. The principal office for the transaction of business of this organization is hereby fixed and located at Columbia Country Club.

ARTICLE II

PURPOSE

- Section 1. a. The Booster Club consists of a group of interested adults whose purpose is to generate spirit and financial support of the special needs for the Boys golf team at Blythewood High School. The special needs would be those not normally provided by the district and athletic department funds. It is not the purpose of the Booster Club to get involved in decisions as to team play or organization.
- b. There is no connection between Booster Club membership or level of activity in the Club and the player's right to play on the team or in the matches. The Booster Club is separate from the coaching staff and School administration.

ARTICLE III

MEMBERSHIP

- Section 1. Anyone interested in the purpose of this organization may become a member upon payment of appropriate dues.
- Section 2. Membership dues shall be set by the Officers each year.
- Section 3. Memberships are based on a school year.

ARTICLE IV

GOVERNING BODY

- Section 1. The governing body of the Bengal Boys Golf Booster Club shall consist of an elected President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.
- a. Should a vacancy occur, a call meeting of the general membership shall be held as soon as practical at which time the vacancy shall be filled.
- Section 2. Powers:
- a. To conduct, manage and control the affairs and business of the Bengal Boys Golf Booster

Club and to establish and maintain policies, standards, rules and regulations that are not inconsistent with law or the Bylaws.

b. To prescribe the powers and duties of the officers of the organization, as may not be inconsistent with law or these Bylaws, and to remove an officer for cause.

c. To call special meetings of the Bengal Boys Golf Booster Club officers.

Section 3. Term of Office: Officers shall hold office for one term, a term beginning February 1 and ending the last day of January;

Section 4. One officer determined by the present governing board shall remain on the governing board the following year as an ex-officio officer with an equal vote, if practical.

Section 5. Quorum: A quorum shall consist of a majority vote of the officers.

ARTICLE V NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Section 1. A nominating committee shall submit a slate of nominees to the officers two weeks prior to the election.

Section 2. The Election Meeting shall be held prior to the beginning of the golf season preferably during the 1st organizational meeting. Nominations for the elected officers shall be open to the floor in addition to the slate presented by the nomination committee.

Section 3. Elections shall be by written ballot and shall require a majority of those present and voting

ARTICLE VI OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. President: The President shall serve as presiding officer of all meetings, assign committees for special projects, and call meetings as necessary to carry out the organization's business. The President shall approve requests for disbursements along with the Treasurer in accordance with Article VIII.

Section 2. Vice President: The Vice President shall assist the President in the performance of his duties and serve as presiding officer in the absence of the President. The Vice President shall be in charge of membership procedures and records and act as liaison between the Booster Club and Blythwood High School. The Vice President shall approve requests for money in the absence of the Treasurer or President

Section 3. Secretary: The Secretary shall keep all records of all meetings, both regular and called, and conduct such general correspondence as the Booster Club may require.

Section 4. Treasurer: The Treasurer shall be the recipient of all funds of the organization and shall deposit those funds with the Bengal Boys Golf Booster Club account at an approved FDIC or NCUSIF insured financial institution. The Treasurer shall approve all transactions involving the expenditure of funds by the golf coach.

ARTICLE VII REGULAR AND SPECIAL MEETINGS

Section 1. A membership and election meeting shall be held no later than February each year.

Section 2. Special meetings may be called by any of the Officers.

Section 3. Special meetings may be called by three members of the general membership upon request to the Officers stating the purpose of the meeting.

ARTICLE VIII
FISCAL AND FINANCE

- Section 1. Proposed expenditures in excess of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300. 00) shall be presented to the President for approval
- Section 2. All funds raised but not expended in the current year shall be carried over for the next school year.

ARTICLE IX
AMENDMENTS

- Section 1. The Bylaws may be amended at any regular or called meeting of the organization if adopted by a 2/3 majority vote of those present.

ARTICLE X
LIQUIDATION

- Section 1. In the event of dissolution of the organization, all undesignated funds of the Booster Club shall be given to the Athletic Program at Blythewood High School for the specific use of the Boy's Golf Team.