



The JetHawks Journal

The Official Newsletter of the Flight Crew
Booster Club of the Lancaster JetHawks Professional Baseball Club

June 2011

Notes From The Chair

Organizations are only as strong as its membership and those willing to serve to accomplish the goals of the group. June is Board of Director nomination month, if you wish to run for one of the five positions available contact me. Nominations will also be accepted from the floor at the June General Membership on June 23rd.

Lester still has openings to provide sides for the Booster Club sponsored Friday post game meal. Contact Lester in Section 105, Row A if you are willing to provide sides such a baked potatoes, casseroles, and etc.

A few Booster Club woven heavy blankets (48 x 67) remain for sale. The blankets are beautiful, 4 color woven blankets that will help keep you warm at the early season games (and this season some not so early season games). The POC for the blankets are Dallas or Kim Russell in Section 105. Blankets can be ordered and delivered at the stadium but they are not sold in the stadium.

Shirt off Your Back is coming July 9th – Robin has selected a Brick Red Astros batting practice jersey that is very sharp and one you will want to wear – Get your bids ready.

-Curt Redecker



Upcoming Booster Club Events

June	4 - Board Meeting
June	8 - Shakey's Fund Raiser (5-8 PM)
June	18 - Bake Sale
June	23 - Gen. Membership Meeting
July	2 - Board Meeting
July	9 - Shirt Off Your Back Night
July	28 - Gen. Membership Meeting

General Membership Meeting

Thursday, June 23rd

7 PM

Lancaster Texas Cattle Company

Arrive early of you want to eat.

Annual Player Appreciation Banquet at the Cascades - August 22nd tickets now on sale.

2011 COMMITTEES

Almond Sales-Barbara Toman & Laura Kersten
 Bake Sale - Barbara Toman
 Banquet -Dallas Russell
 Bat Sales -Curt Redecker
 Bat Repair - Dallas Russell
 Fund Raising - Kathy Leon & Bob Ortiz
 Hall of Fame - Curt Redecker, Dallas Russell, Arlene Belderok
 House Hold - Laura & John Kersten
 JetHawks Interface - Curt Redecker
 Membership - Darlene Silverman
 Newsletter - Sue Mathis
 Recycle - Curt Redecker
 Player Cookies - Wendy Richmond
 Player of the Month - Curt Redecker
 Player Sponsor Program - Judy Lester
 Pass the Hat - Robin Andersen
 Pot Luck - Kathy Leon
 See's - Arlene Belderok
 Shirt Off Your Back - Robin Andersen
 Sunshine - Barbara Toman
 Telephone - Barbara Toman
 Web Site - Bob Ortiz

Bats

As a fund raiser the FCBC refurbishes game used bats for resale. If you have bats you would like to donate please contact Dallas Russell at 400-1782.

Banquet Ticket Sales

Our annual Player Appreciation Banquet will be at the Cascades Restaurant on Monday August 22nd. Tickets are now on sale from Dallas and Kim Russell in section 105 Row H. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$20 for children 12 years old and under. If you would like to help with banquet activities or would like to provide an auction basket contact Dallas.



Fund Raising

If you have a fund raising idea for the club contact Kathy Leon (803-5148) or Bob Ortiz (524-6851) and they will address your suggestion.



Recycling News

The 2011 season is under-way and so is the FCBC CRV recycling. If you can spend a few minutes following each game to help recycling the stadium please contact Curt in Section 104, Row H, Seat 2. Latex gloves and collection bags are provided.



Health Thank You

Thank you to all my good friends for their good wishes during and after my surgery. I hope to be back to the stadium soon.

-Darlene

Booster Club Board of Directors

Chair Person..... Curt Redecker
 Vice Chair..... Robin Andersen
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 Secretary..... Darlene Silverman
 Directors..... Laura Kersten
 Kathy Leon
 Bob Ortiz
 Kim Russell
 Barbara Toman

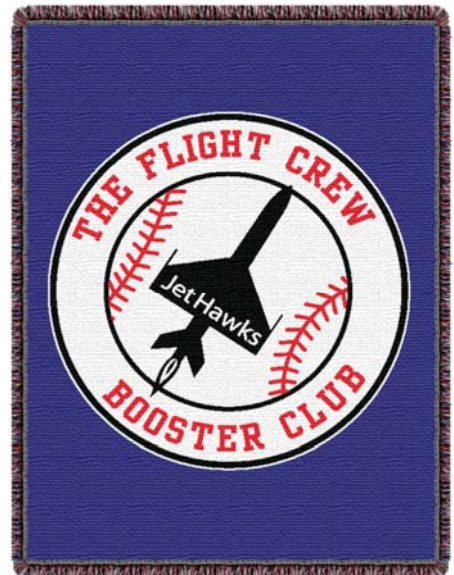
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Board Of Directors

If you need to contact a Board member for any reason the contact information for each board member is available on-line at our web site - www.jethawksboosterclub.com. If you do not have internet access feel free to contact Curt Redecker at 949-0600 for the appropriate contact numbers.

Booster Club Blankets

Want to keep warm at the games? We have beautiful FCBC Logo four color woven blankets for sale. The blankets are \$40 each and can be purchased from Dallas or Kim Russell in Section 105, Row H.



Sunday Potluck

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Pot Lucks for June will start at approximately 5 PM in the 3rd base tent. Pot lucks for July, August, and September will start at approximately 8 PM. Each family is asked to provide a main dish for 25 and the side as defined below.

June 5th

A – G Main Dish & Drinks
H – N Main Dish & Dessert
O – Z Main Dish & Fruit or Salad

June 19th

A – G Main Dish & Fruit or Salad
H – N Main Dish & Drinks
O – Z Main Dish & Dessert

July 10th

A – G Main Dish & Dessert
H – N Main Dish & Fruit or Salad
O – Z Main Dish & Drinks

July 24th

A – G Main Dish & Drinks
H – N Main Dish & Dessert
O – Z Main Dish & Fruit or Salad

Sunshine Committee

When one of our members or immediate family becomes ill we would like to send them a get well card to show our support for them in their time of need. If you know of a member who is ill please let Barbara Toman (945-5566) know so she can provide an appropriate card to the member.

Hooded Sweatshirt Sales

We have 5 heavy weight hooded sweatshirts in sizes L (1) and XL (4) available for sale. Each sweatshirt has the booster club logo on the left front – cost is \$40. Contact Curt at 317-5590 or at the membership booth.

Water Donation Thank You

Nestle Waters North America Inc. has donated 144 cases of water to the booster club for use by the players on road trips. The value of this donation is approximately \$1,000. The donation was arranged by Dallas Russell. I hope you will consider purchasing Nestle water for your personal use and pot lucks.



Candy Fund Raiser

The FCBC sells See's Lollypops and Rancho Raviri Almonds at our table near the gift shop prior to each home game. Four varieties of See's Lollypops are available at 3 for \$2.00. Bulk sales are also available at the table. A large variety of Almond products are available, including sugar free, which you can special order at the table or from Barbara Toman at 945-5566.

Player Sponsor Program

The FCBC provides a sponsor for each 2011 JetHawk player who desires a sponsor. If you would like to sponsor a player please contact Judy Lester at 800-7828 or talk to her at the stadium. Please allow Judy to arrange the player & sponsor combinations. Occasionally, a player contacts a member and if you desire to be that players sponsor contact Judy to work out the details.

Bat Rack Sales

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We have display bat racks for sale at the stadium. The 16 bat rotary rack is \$125 with a \$25 discount for members while the 12 bat rotary rack is \$100 with a \$20 discount. Several styles of wall mount racks available – price range is \$25 to \$50 with a \$5 discount to members. We also have several free standing flat bat & ball racks for \$80 with a \$10 discount to members. If you desire to purchase a bat rack please contact Curt at the membership booth.



Small wall mount with shelf



6 Bat Display



Large wall mount with shelf



12 Rotary Bat Rack



10 Bat Wall Mount



Take Me Out to the Ballgame!

Baseball News of the Month

What is the history behind a batter with two strikes being allowed foul off an infinite number of pitches but is out if a bunt is foul with two strikes?

Answer: At the turn of the century, in response to skilled hitters fouling off pitch after pitch to wear down a pitcher. The NL introduced a rule in 1901 that a foul ball if not caught counted as a strike – including bunts. In 1902 the NL added to the rule book that a batter is out if, after two strikes have been called, he obviously attempts to make a foul hit. A foul bunt falls under this category. In 1903 the AL added the rules to its rule book.



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