

Silver Bluff Athletic Booster Club

Meeting – August 3, 2026

6:00 pm

Attendee's

Ben Barfield, Jenn Barfield, Lorna Bayer, Ashley Brittain, Kristen Hamic, Jennifer Kolmar, Sharon Steed, Shelby Strother, Dan Sullivan, Christina Wall, Amanda Weathersbee, David Weathersbee, Robbie Weathersbee, Gurney Wiggins, Kathy Wiggins

Meeting called to order by Ben Barfield at 6:06 p.m. Minutes reviewed from last meeting and approved 1st Ben Barfield and 2nd Amanda Weathersbee

Financial Report:

Balance in Accounts

- Venmo- \$12,971.98
- General Fund Checking- \$51,416.84

Old Business:

- HVAC plan update
- Homecoming tailgate
- Cheer Fundraiser
- Night of Champions
- Maintenance on baseball/softball fields
- Booster Club helping with athletic expenses to offset cost

New Business:

• **2026-2027 Booster Club Memberships**

1. Update on Memberships/ Sponsorships- 5 Booster Families, 5 Sponsors, and 4 Donors totaling \$4757.87.
2. Discussed props/cons of selling parking passes in booster lot for non booster members. We decided to sell extra spots for \$50/spot. Buyers will get parking close to side gate due to them having to still enter through home side ticket entrance. We will begin advertising this week for these spots.
3. The booster club reconsidered having another homecoming tailgate. We discussed certain protocols that would have to take place, but we voted too not have another tailgate this year.
4. The booster club made a purchase for supplies for Cammie (trainer) for \$2500.00.
5. All teacher/staff shirts and athletic gear for Cammie have been bought and given out.

• **Golf Tournament Report**

1. Golf Tournamnet produced 26 teams. \$5625.00 was raised and after all expenses paid, we profited around \$2400.00.

• **Maintenance responsibilities for new baseball/softball fields update**

1. The Coaches will handle cutting their fields turf. Per Strother they attended a meeting discussing how to use mower and take care of the turf.
2. The mower will rotate through district to each school when schools turf needs to be maintained.
3. The district will over seed and handle all other field maintenance.
4. Ms. Kolmar said that the contractor is still trying to produce a design for baseball/softball netting that best fits our needs.

- **Varsity coaches mandatory meeting**

1. Strother stated in the meeting that there was no need for a coaches/board meeting to discuss how things are run through the booster club. He said that everything needed would be required to come through him and he would approve.

- **HUDDLE questions**

1. Strother stated that there are no other options except what we have already.
2. Ben asks when the contract will be up. Strother said that he would find out and let us know.
3. Several members questioned why the system was not used for other sports. Strother told us that it can be used for all sports. We have 3 iPads and tripods that are available for us.

- **Update on hiring of Assistant AD**

1. Ms. Kolmar and Strother said that they have 3 applicants they just have not had the extra time to review them.

- **Football Workday**

1. A workday to clean up areas around football complex will be August 15th from 7 a.m.-2 p.m.
2. Air in the football press-box has been approved and will be installed ASAP.
3. Dan Sullivan spoke with the painter's union, and they are doing local jobs to help with hours for their apprentice and journeyman. They will check their work schedule and come into re-paint booster seating area blue, re-paint railings, and possibly band area. We will provide the paint, and they will provide the labor.

Extra Discussion

1. The Night of Champions will be October 9th during half time. Robbie and Amanda Weathersbee will contact Rico Hughes for old games film footage that he has made. We will be making a video board display for this event. We will also be discussing a program and t-shirt for champions and for fans to purchase.
2. Gurney Wiggins spoke with someone at Jackson First Alert about bringing ambulances out for games. They said they would consider doing this at no charge- they will let us know.
3. David and Robbie Weathersbee said that they will go out to baseball field and check/measure distances to see if home plate can be moved back vs. leaving it where it is and moving outfield fence.
4. Erica Millwood will run video board again this year. Erica also said that she needs all sponsorship logos for board. Amanda will get those and membership tiers to her. She also mentioned if whoever had media day photos or senior photos, please get them to her for the board.
5. We discussed senior banners and who would be doing them this year. We mentioned going back Midland Photography in Columbia, SC. We also discussed letting parents go back to purchasing the banner for their senior.

Meeting adjourned @ 6:50 p.m.

Next Meeting – September 14, 2026 @ 6 p.m.