

CHAMPION GYMNASTICS

Booster Club

Family Quick Start + Checklist: 2026–2027 Season

Welcome to Champion Boosters! We are a parent-led nonprofit that helps support the competitive team through meet registration, coaching support, fundraising, and volunteer efforts. All competitive families are expected to stay active, informed, and engaged so we can support every athlete fairly across the program.

Before the Season Starts

- Register your athlete for USAG at usagym.org.
- Accept the SportsEngine invitation and update all family contact information.
- Sign the Champion Boosters Membership Agreement.
- Pay the \$50 membership fee for each competitive gymnast by July 1.
- Review your gymnast's fair-share level and make a plan to donate, fundraise, or pay in installments.
- Join your gymnast's level Band for team and Booster Club communication.
- Join the Champion Gymnastics Booster Club Facebook page for updates and reminders.

During the Season

- Read Booster Club emails and Band messages regularly.
- Watch for meet schedules, volunteer sign-ups, payment reminders, and fundraiser information.
- Complete in-house meet volunteer assignments: 1 session per gymnast (maximum 2 per family).
- Complete Derby Classic volunteer assignments: 3 sessions per gymnast (maximum 5 per family).
- If you cannot work a required shift, be prepared to pay the missed-session donation (\$150 per session).
- If your athlete is invited to a camp/clinic, pay the registration fee plus 10% administrative fee by the deadline (these cannot be covered through fundraising).
- Notify your coach, AAK, and the Booster Club promptly if your athlete retires or leaves the program.

Helpful Notes

- Competitive meet expenses are managed through Champion Boosters, not AAK.
- **Your athlete must have an active USAG membership before meet registration can be completed.**
- Questions about membership, balances, or expectations are always welcome—please reach out early.

Financial Reminders

- Fair-share may be paid in full or in 6 installments due Aug. 10, Sept. 10, Oct. 10, Nov. 10, Dec. 10, and Jan. 10.
- A full fair-share contribution by July 1 reduces the amount by \$100; a full contribution by Aug. 1 reduces it by \$50.
- All fees, donations, and fundraising proceeds are non-refundable and cannot be reassigned to another athlete.

Communication Reminders

Official Booster Club communication is shared through Booster Club email, the Band platform, Booster Club Facebook posts by Board members, and team level representatives. Information shared informally through conversations, group texts, or social media may occasionally be incomplete or inaccurate. Please verify questions or concerns through official Booster Club communication channels/members when needed.

Questions? Membership: Whitney Rebholz | Board President: Christian Lauria