



Dear Community Member:

Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics (DFHA) requests your support as we work to advance scholarship, athleticism, sportsmanship and leadership in the homeschooling community.

Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics serves homeschool families in the greater Durham area by providing excellent instruction and competitive play at the Middle School and High School levels in boys' and girls' basketball and girls' volleyball.

Due to the high cost of running such a program (cost of gym time for practices and games, referees, uniforms, etc.) we rely on community donations. Without community help, we would not be able to offer a sports program to the more than 600 homeschooling families in Durham County. Durham Flight has been serving families in this way for more than 15 years. Time and again we hear from Durham Flight alumni that "Playing for Flight was the best thing about being homeschooled!"

There are two ways you can partner with us:

- 1) Make a charitable donation. Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics is a Section 501(c)3 nonprofit, so your gift may qualify as a charitable deduction for federal income tax purposes. Please fill out the attached Donation form.
- 2) Become a Durham Flight Sponsor. We have several levels of support which are detailed on the following page. Recognition of your business comes in various forms, including halftime recognition, printed materials, or even advertising on our website, depending upon the level of contribution.

If your sponsorship is being solicited by a current Flight player part may be used to defer player participant fees. Any remaining balance will be applied to our general operating fund or scholarship fund at the discretion of our Board of Directors. The amount designated for a particular player's fee is welcome but is not tax deductible according to Internal Revenue Service regulations.

On behalf of the kids, thank you very much for your consideration of this request. Please feel free to contact us at durhamflightinfo@gmail.com

Sincerely,
Briggs Greenwood
President, Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics

Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics
Fed Tax ID # 81-1560735

BOOSTER LEVELS AND BENEFITS

DIAMOND – DONATION OF \$1501+

-BENEFITS

- Your business's own banner featuring the Durham Flight logo and your business logo
- Program inserts with your ad for each home game
- One home game designated as your booster night
- Website ad through June 2018
- Recognition at home games
- Business name on any booster fanwear we print

PLATINUM – DONATION OF \$1000-1500

-BENEFITS

- Large print on booster banner
- invitation to our Boosters Night with Flight
- Website Ad through June 2018
- recognition at home games
- name on booster shirts

GOLD - DONATION OF \$751-999.00

-BENEFITS

- Medium sized font on booster banner for current sport season
- Invitation to Boosters Night with Flight
- Website ad for current sports season
- Home game recognition for current season
- name on booster shirts

SILVER – DONATION OF \$501-750.00

-BENEFITS

- Small font on booster banner for current sport season
- Invitation to Boosters Night with Flight
- Website ad for current season

GREEN – DONATION OF \$250-500

-BENEFITS

- Home game recognition
- Invitation to Boosters Night with Flight
- Banner recognition

WHITE – DONATION OF \$50-249

- Acknowledgement in printed programs for Senior Night and Year End Banquet

Proposed Rules for Boosters/Contributions

1. Contributions may be collected from either businesses or individuals
2. 75% of the total contribution may go toward the player who acquires the sponsorship up to but NOT exceeding the current sport's fees. This rule applies to all levels except WHITE. Contributions at the WHITE level may go 100% to player's fees, but are not tax deductible and receive only the benefit listed. Any donations at this level including multiple donations at the same level which exceed the player's fees will then roll into the general budget to be used at the discretion of the Board.
3. Absolutely no funds can be carried over to next season, a different sport or be transferred to a different player.
4. Checks must be made out to Durham Flight.
5. All contributions must be submitted to DFHA before the fees deadlines in order to count toward participant fees.
6. All players are ultimately responsible for covering any fees due to Flight by the deadline. An outstanding or anticipated contribution may not stand in place of fees.
7. The remaining 25% (or more if all fees have been covered with less) will go directly to the DFHA general operating budget to be used at the discretion of the Board of Directors or their designees. See rule 1 for the only exception to this rule.
8. Players may solicit more than one booster contribution, but again any monies above that player's fees will go into the operating fund and the 75/25% rule still applies.
9. Any contribution amount which covers a specific players fees is not tax deductible for the booster, but amounts over and above it may be. A receipt indicating any value to the donor will be issued.
10. A form indicating the booster name, contact information, contribution amount and Flight member's information must accompany each booster contribution. These must be turned into your sport's AAD, the Athletic Director or Sheri Henson, Flight Treasurer.
11. Any business or individual who wishes to a make a contribution to Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics which is not directed toward player fees will receive the benefits listed at the level of contribution reached.
12. Durham Flight Homeschool Athletics is profoundly grateful for any and all contributions which help us achieve our goals.



DURHAM FLIGHT HOMESCHOOL ATHLETICS



DURHAM FLIGHT HOMESCHOOL ATHLETICS BOOSTER INFORMATION FORM

Booster Name – as you would like it to appear on receipt	
Booster Contact	
Contact Address	
Contact Email or Phone	
Contribution Amount/Check #/date of contribution	
Flight Member Name	

Please contact Sheri Henson, Durham Flight Treasurer with any questions.

Sheri.henson@gmail.com

Contributions should be mailed to Sheri Henson, RE: DFHA, 4637 Angier Ave, Durham, NC 27705