

Potosi Athletic Booster Club Spring Concessions Work Schedule 2019

First of all, we would like to thank everyone who has supported the Booster Club financially and/or volunteered in the past. Without your support, the Booster club would not be able to do what they do!

As you know, the summer youth recreation season is upon us. With that comes the need for your support in working the concession stand at our home games. The Potosi Schools and the Potosi Athletics Booster Club (BC) have teamed up once again in an effort to offer concessions at all home games. While concessions are organized by and offered through the BC, people who support, volunteer, or work concessions do not need to be BC members (although we recommend that you become a member).

Working concessions is not a request, but an EXPECTATION for ALL parents with kids participating in extracurricular sports activities! Each parent is expected to work 2 or 3 activities throughout the year, i.e. basketball, volleyball, softball, baseball, or football, youth rec.

Why is this important?

Without financial support from the BC, there is a high possibility these activities would not be offered to your child(ren) due to the cost of the programs. The school's financial budget alone cannot and will not support the sporting program(s) your child or children participate in each year. In surrounding communities, parents sometimes pay up to \$200 per child for that child to participate in one sporting activity. Here in Potosi, because we have the financial support of the BC, the school system is able to continue offering activities/programs at a cost/fee that is affordable. In addition to this, parents who volunteer their time set a constructive and encouraging example for their children when it comes to volunteering; a characteristic that will last a life time.

What does the Potosi Booster Club do for you and your community?

The Potosi BC supports the following with yearly donations:

- Post Prom
- Signs in the gym
- Outdoor Sports Booths
- Taping of all games
- Additional Coaches
- Athletic Trainer
- High School Athletic Awards
- Strength & Conditioning T-shirts
- Scholarships
- Weight Room Equipment
- Various equipment needed by coaches (including youth rec!)
- Scoreboards in the gym and on the fields

Attached you will find the Work Schedule for the ball season. If you are scheduled when you have a child playing and would rather not work concessions, it is up to you to find a replacement. We know some of you spend a tremendous amount of time at the ball fields and are trying to cut down on extra time spent there. Perhaps you could even trade with another parent. If, after several attempts, you cannot find a replacement, please call Wendy Udelhofen (608-778-0657). **PLEASE DON'T JUST NOT SHOW UP!!!** Someone will always work for you! The kids depend on you for drinks and snacks!

There are directions posted to run the popcorn machine. We also provide hotdogs and or hamburgers. There are work instructions in a binder on the counter. Please refer to these when opening and closing the concession stand.

We realize that many people work outside Potosi and don't get off in time to make it back to town in time to get to the bank and open the concessions stand ½ hour before the game starts. If you are scheduled and find yourself in that circumstance, rather than not show up to work, you can call Wendy she will be glad to get the money bag from the bank and work until you can get there. Also, if you have never worked concessions before and would like one of us to come up and get you started, please just let us know.

On the attached work schedule there is one person/couple listed under 'worker-bank. This person is responsible for going to Tennyson/Potosí Bank and picking up the money bag. The bank has a schedule and will have the bag ready for you. There is a key to the concession stand in the money bag. Following your shift, two people should each count the money, record in in the binder and include a ticket in the bag with the deposit. You should also each initial the count. The money bag should then be deposited in the night deposit at the bank. There is a key in the bag for this.

Thank you in advance for your support of Potosi School sports programs! It is greatly appreciated!

The Potosi Athletic Booster Club