



March 16, 2024

RE: 2023-2024 RAMS BASEBALL BOOSTERS PROGRAM SPRING UPDATE

Dear Millikan Rams Baseball Booster,

Congratulations! In Fall 2023, we met at the American Legion and challenged everyone to help us meet our \$70,000 fundraising goal to help pay for coaches, equipment, new technology, and facility improvements. With (65) families in the Program, this was a fundraising goal of approximately \$1,000 for each family.

I am writing you today with great news! Thanks to you, our sponsors, and our supporters, we have met our 2023-2024 Challenge of \$70,000, which means we will NOT need to ask any families to write donation checks this year—for the first time in many years—to cover the costs for the Spring Season.

\$70,000 Fundraising Goal: Here is How We Did It!

To fund these investments in our players, we asked each of you to help us raise over \$1,000 EACH. Here is how we raised it (these numbers reflect net income rounded off to the nearest hundred):

- Cornhole Tournament: \$9,000
- Beato Memorial Tournament: \$5,500
- World Series Challenge: \$3,000
- Snap Raise: \$36,200
- Golf Club Cleaning: \$2,000
- Oktoberfest: \$500
- Donations & Sponsorship: \$2,500
- Opening Day: \$3,300
- Superbowl: \$3,000
- Poker Night: \$5,000

Note: these fundraising numbers are through February 2024 and do not include "Survey Income" nor the "Banner Advertising" revenue that is collected by the MHS ASB program account. Those numbers will be added to the total when the year is completed.

2023-2024 Challenge: Here is What You Paid For!

Like youth baseball or travel ball, we are a 100%, volunteer-supported organization, responsible for raising the resources required to put our teams in the best position for on-field success. In 2023-2024, we anticipated a \$70,000 budget to fund operations and facility improvements for our players.



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Below is a summary of what your efforts funded so far this year:

- \$36,000 in coaching stipends for (10) coaches (all levels).
- \$10,000 for umpires, field permits, tournament fees, travel and other game-related costs.
- \$7,000 for fields and facilities including fencing, bullpen, and infield improvements.
- \$6,000 for equipment including baseballs, practice equipment, and weight room.
- \$6,000 for temporary Outfield Fencing from January through May (reserved for 2024-2025)
- \$3,000 for uniform scholarships to cover uniforms, and clothing.
- \$2,000 in Beato Memorial Scholarships for graduating seniors continuing to play baseball.

**Visit the Rams Boosters [Fundraising Homepage](#) for more information.*

Thank You!

With your help, hard work, and generosity, *Anything is Possible*. Together, we are making a dramatic impact on the student athletes of Millikan High School. If you have any questions, or would like to get involved in helping with a fundraiser or other event in the coming year, please contact me at (562) 673-2586 or by emailing info@ramsboosters.org.

Sincerely,

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About Millikan Rams Baseball Boosters

The Millikan Rams Baseball Boosters are a registered 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Our mission is to build a dynamic community of parents, families, and friends who dedicate our time and resources to supporting on-field success for our players and coaches. Tax ID 46-1128991. Donations are tax deductible, however we recommend tax deduction matters be discussed with a tax professional.

More information about the Rams Baseball Boosters online at www.ramsboosters.org.

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