

Sparta Area School District

Article 617 – Parent Teacher Organizations and Booster Groups

The Sparta Area School District recognizes the contributions of parent organizations, governing boards and booster clubs which support curricular and co-curricular programs of the school district.

The Board of Education appreciates and welcomes the generosity of these specific groups. Any contributions given to the District shall be approved by the Board of Education per Board policy. The Board reserves the right to accept, reject or return any or all contributions.

To be considered for endorsement and to maintain the endorsement of the Board of Education organizations must annually submit their mission statement, leadership names and contact information. These organizations are also encouraged to work cooperatively with the District in scheduling and organizing their fundraising events for everyone's benefit.

The following organizations are specifically endorsed by the Sparta Area School District:

1. Sparta Boys' Basketball Club
2. Sparta Girls' Basketball Association
3. Sparta Gridiron Club
4. Sparta Volleyball Association
5. Sparta Music Parents Association
6. SAILS Compass, Inc.
7. Sparta Public Education Foundation
8. FFA Alumni Association
9. Sparta Soccer Club
10. Sparta Wrestling Club
11. Sparta Dance Parents
12. Sparta Baseball Club
13. Sparta Softball Booster Club
14. High Point Charter Board
15. Pre-Kindergarten Charter Governing Council
16. Sparta Montessori Academic Resource Team
17. Innovations STEM Academy
18. Friends of the School Forest
19. Parent Teacher Organizations:
 - a. Cataract Elementary School - Cataract PTO
 - b. Lawrence Lawson Elementary School – Parent/Teacher/Link
 - c. Maplewood Elementary School – Maplewood PTG Teacher Group
 - d. Southside Elementary School – Southside PTO
 - e. Meadowview Intermediate School – Meadowview Intermediate PTG
 - f. Innovations STEM Academy – iSAP Innovations STEM Academy Parents

Legal Reference:

Cross Reference: Article 160 Contributions to the District
Article 603 Use of School Facilities
Article 519 – Fund-Raising Activities
Article 614 Education Foundation

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