A Quick Guide to Raising Money for Your Team

Through Ballard High School Foundation Fundraising Events









Dear Ballard Athletics Booster,

Thank you for helping support Ballard's student athletes through your participation as a team rep, volunteer, or coach. The Ballard High School Foundation hosts several events throughout the school year that offer multiple ways to raise money for your team. Founded in 1997, the Ballard High School Foundation has raised more than $5 million for Beaver Athletics.

These fundraisers include:

- The **Running of the Beavers 5K** at Golden Gardens in March.
- The **Celebrating All Things Ballard Online Auction**,
- The **Salmon Barbecue Dinner with Live Auction** in August**,**
- The **Victor Salvino Golf Classic** at Newcastle Golf Course in August, and
- The fall **Breakfast of Champions** event (next date TBD).

When you support these events through securing sponsors, procuring items and/or event participation, **your team will benefit**.

The **Celebrating All Things Ballard** event features a two-week online auction as well as a celebratory culminating **Salmon Dinner Event** and in-person auction at Pacific Fishermen Shipyard that takes place the day before the annual Golf Classic.

- **100% of the items procured for the silent and live auctions will go directly to your team or activity.** (*Examples include neighborhood restaurant dining opportunities; area merchant wines and shopping options; travel offerings, golf outings, as well as professional sports or theater tickets.*)
- **100% of the dinner ticket sales and direct team donations will go directly to your team or activity.**

The **Victor Salvino Golf Classic** is held every August at the Newcastle Golf Course. Teams benefit by recruiting golfers (or signing up their own foursome) and/or sponsors.

- **100% of registration or sponsor fee, or direct team donations, will go directly to your team or activity.**

The fall **Breakfast of Champions** has focused on student athlete mental health as well as the presentation of the **Sue Stimac Verduin '78 Woman of Impact Award**. The October 4, 2025 event celebrated retired BHS PE Teacher **Bebe Burns**, who taught and coached at BHS for 30 years and still inspires in her eighties as an award-winning weightlifter.

- **100% of ticket sales or sponsor fee, or direct team donations, will go directly to your team or activity.**

Finally, for the popular **Running of the Beavers** 5k Fun Run/Walk on March,

- **70% of your entry cost will go to your team or activity** (*the remaining 30% goes toward race day event costs*) and **100% of your sponsorship recruitment efforts and direct team donations will go directly to your team or activity.**

For details on how to document your participation, receive credit for your team and/or activity, or for any questions, please contact Dick Lee at rjlee@seattleschools.org or 206-391-5555.

Thanks and Go Beavers!

Raising Funds for Your Team is Easy!

Thank you for your interest in team fundraising at Ballard High School Foundation events. Our goal is to get your team the biggest bang for your buck. **By securing a dedicated team donation through our online event link, or participating as an event volunteer or selecting your team as the recipient of your registration, and your team will keep 100% of your proceeds.** (*Note: Due to race course administration fee participating teams get 70% from Running of Beavers fundraiser registration.*)*
Want to learn more? Here's an example of how your team might benefit!

Running of the Beavers

• 2 event sponsorships	**$1,000**
• 10 adult registration fees	**$300** (**$210)*
• 5 student registration fees	**$100** (**$70*)
• 4 dedicated team donations	**$400**
• Team Event Volunteer stipend	**$1,200 min.**
Team Total Raised:	**$2,880**

Breakfast of Champions

• 2 table registrations	**$600**
• 3 adult tickets	**$105**
• 2 sponsor a coach/student	**$70**
• 1 Event sponsorship	**$500**
• Team Event Volunteer stipend	**$200 min.**
• 4 dedicated team donations	**$400**
Team Total Raised:	**$1,875**

Celebrating All Things Ballard (CATB) Online Auction

• Golf for 4 at a local golf course	**$500**
• 3 night stay at local resort	**$750**
• 6 bottles of wine	**$250**
• 4 tickets to a Mariners game	**$400**
• 2 admissions to MOHAI	**$100**
• 2 tickets to Nordic Museum	**$100**
• 2 tickets to a Storm game	**$150**
• 2 tickets to a Sounders game	**$200**
• 2 tickets to a Seahawks game	**$250**
• 2 tickets to a Reign game	**$200**
• 1 Electric Boat Cruise	**$500**
• 1 Dinner for 4 at Great Wheel	**$1000**
• 6 restaurant gift cards	**$300**
Team Total Raised:	**$4,700**

CATB Salmon Dinner Event/Auction

• 3 table reservations	**$1200**
• 2 restaurant gift cards	**$100**
• 2 tickets to a Kraken game	**$300**



• 1 table reservation	**$400**
• 3 adult registration fees	**$150**
• 2 dedicated team donations	**$400**
• Team Event Volunteer stipend	**$200 min.**
Team Total Raised:	**$2,750**

Victor Salvino Golf Classic

• 1 Longest Drive sponsorship	**$250**
• 2 student golf registrations	**$390**
• 2 Foursome registrations	**$2,360**
• Team Event Volunteer stipend	**$200 min.**
Team Total Raised:	**$3,200**

Team Total Raised for All Foundation Events $15,405

