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BONIVITAL SOCCER CLUB FUNDRAISING POLICY

General Principles and Guidelines

Bonivital's fundraising policy is framed as a set of general guidelines and recommendations to allow teams the widest possible latitude in designing their fundraising programs. They are also an attempt to provide guidance for the fair distribution of funds in circumstances where only a portion of players' families participate (the most common situation).

The only stipulation from the club is that all families are notified in advance by the team fundraising committee of any team fundraising opportunity and the conditions pertaining to participation and distribution of proceeds.

Families that then choose to participate in a fundraising venture do so per the terms of the planned activity. Those that do not, even though they are not participating, are likewise agreeing to and accepting the same terms.

In all cases, once a fundraising activity is underway, no parent or group of parents may attempt by majority vote or other method to change the terms of the fundraising activity.

Allocation of Funds Raised

Broadly speaking, there are two categories of team-level fundraising activities that Bonivital authorizes. The **first** includes those activities that are more "event-based", such as car washes, bottle drives, and Bud & Spud evenings, where the majority of the players and player's families participate. The **second** category includes those activities where monies are raised based on individual's activities, such as Momentum gift card sales, other coupon based sales, or individual sales sponsorship efforts (sponsor logos on training t-shirts, for example).

The Bonivital Fundraising Policy, in effect since March 2007, includes the following guidelines that will help determine how funds are to be allocated based on the types of fundraising activities.

1. Monies that are raised by individual players through activities such as the Momentum Gift certificates, Safeway Coupon Book sales, or other similar individual fundraising efforts undertaken as Bonivital and/or the team sees fit, are to be recorded on a separate statement or in a player's virtual account (Excel spreadsheet held by the team fund manager). All the "player accounts" funds can be combined with the team's general bank account.



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2. In cases where funds are raised through an event-based team effort (similar to a car wash, hotdog cart sale, bottle drive etc.), where one cannot attribute the funds directly to a specific player the following would apply:
 - a. If at the event only a minority of the players participate then the funds collected may be divided equally between only those who participated and credited to their individual virtual accounts.
 - b. If at the event the majority of the players participate in some form or fashion, (pre-event planning, post even clean-up, prize donations) then the funds collected may be equally divided amongst all team players and applied to their individual virtual accounts.

Or

 - c. The coaching staff and the team manager will use common sense in this area and arrive at a just and equitable formula to divide the funds received.