

CROWDFUNDING REQUEST

Fundraising through crowdfunding services is permitted only with prior approval by the Superintendent
(Please review Policy 6605 and Administrative Guideline 6605)

Your Name: ANGELA WOOLBRIGHT

Date of Crowdfunding Activity: AS SOON AS APPROVED UNTIL GOAL IS MET

Building: ELIDA HIGH SCHOOL

Name of Group/Activity Involved: ELIDA LADY DAWGS WRESTLING

Project Name: GO FUND ME

- ☒ I have read the Elida Local School District policy on crowdfunding and administrative guidelines.
- ☒ I understand that if approved for this fundraiser, any proceeds or items purchased with the raised revenue is property of the Elida Local School District.
- ☒ I understand this event must be for the benefit of the group as a whole, not for the benefit of a student, staff member, or individual.

Please explain the purpose of the fundraiser, including what you plan to purchase or use the fundraiser dollars for. (attach additional information if necessary)

I HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT DONATING AND SPONSORING CLUBS AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS IS SO MUCH EASIER DOING IT ONLINE VIA PAYPAL, VENMO, BANK TRANSFER, AND ANY OTHER ONLINE SOURCE. I THOUGHT ABOUT AND LOOKED INTO OPENING A PAYPAL OR VENMO ACCOUNT FOR THE CLUB, BUT THERE ARE FEES. PLUS W/ VENMO YOU NEED A PHONE LINE AND I DO NOT HAVE A SECOND CELL PHONE. ALL MONEY DONATED WILL BE DEPOSITED INTO THE WRESTLING CLUB'S CHECKING ACCOUNT I OPENED USING THE CLUB'S NEW EIN NUMBER. THIS MONEY WILL BE USED TO PAY FOR:

How will the crowdfunding activity benefit Elida students?
 -EQUIPMENT
 -TRANSPORTATION COSTS
 -TOURNAMENT FEES
 -ANYTHING ELSE THE CLUB NEEDS

BECAUSE WE GET NO MONEY FROM THE SCHOOL, EVERYTHING MUST BE PAID FOR BY THE CLUB. FROM DONATIONS/SPONSORSHIPS FROM MY PARENTS (\$1,490) AND MY BROTHER AND HIS WIFE (\$500) I WAS ABLE TO PURCHASE 14 SINGLET+ WARM-UPS TO COVER EVERY WEIGHTCLASS. WE STILL NEED MONEY FOR HEADGEAR, A CERTIFIED WEIGHT SCALE, TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEES THAT ARE ABOUT \$300 PER TOURNAMENT, PAYING A BUS DRIVER IF WE NEED ONE FOR \$20.20 PER HOUR, AND ANY OTHER FEES/COSTS THE CLUB NEEDS OR MUST PAY. THIS PROGRAM WILL NOT BE SUCCESSFUL AND CAN'T FUNCTION OR GROW W/O

What vendor/site do you plan to use, and what are the financial arrangements (how will the vendor send funds, and what fees do they charge?)
 THIS MONEY

FOR THE CLUB
 GO FUND ME DOES NOT HAVE A FEE BUT IT DOES CHARGE A TRANSACTION FEE OF 2.9% PLUS .30¢ PER DONATION TO COVER THE COSTS OF PAYMENT PROCESSING. THIS FEE IS AUTOMATICALLY DEDUCTED FROM EACH DONATION. THIS IS MUCH CHEAPER THAN VENMO + PAYPAL.

How do you plan to advertise the fundraiser?

ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND WORD OF MOUTH. I MIGHT MAKE FLYERS TOO.

Timeline of Project: ONCE APPROVED AND ONCE GOAL IS REACHED

I certify that this crowd-funding activity will comply with all Board of Education policies and guidelines.

The staff member must produce a final report on the project to the Principal and Superintendent. Failure to publish a final report will jeopardize the employee's ability to engage in crowdfunding in the future. A copy of the report may be sent to the donors via email and the results of the campaign on the crowdfunding site may be posted if approved by the Principal.

A staff member who violates this policy/guideline is subject to disciplinary action.

Angela Woolbright
Teacher Signature

10-23-24
Date Submitted

Principal Approval (within 10 days of submission):

Daren Sharp
Principal Signature

11/15/24
Date

☒ Approved ☐ Rejected

Reason for Rejection:

Superintendent Approval (within 10 days of principal's approval):

Joel Mengerink
Superintendent Signature

11/18/24
Date

☒ Approved ☐ Rejected

Reason for Rejection:

Project must be completed by December 20, 2024. Info for the online posting must be approved by the H.S. Principal prior to the posting going live. The goal is to raise \$5,000.00

Board of Education Approval:

Board President Signature

Date

☐ Approved ☐ Rejected