



## Introducing the SHS Rugby Booster Club

Our Mission Statement: To provide financial and human resources in support of the Simsbury High School Boys and Girls Rugby Teams in their efforts to develop a sustainable, competitive and dynamic program.

The Rugby Booster Club is a non-profit entity (currently pending an IRS determination for 501(c)(3) non-profit status) dedicated to supporting the Rugby players and coaches. Here are a few of things we are planning for the 2016 season:

- 3/18 - Kickoff Breakfast & Viewing Event – Have breakfast and mingle with other players and parents while watching an international rugby game.
- 3/19 – Chipotle Fundraiser
- 4/7-4/9 – Cherry Blossom Tournament Boys Tour (Washington DC)
- 2018 Girls Tour
- Creation of a keepsake Program/Booklet to include team photos, sponsors and Parent Shout-outs with player photos.
- Coordinate Team Meals–Continuing the great post-game Rugby tradition of sharing a meal with your opponent.
- Increase fundraising efforts to ensure a competitive program - Chipotle night / Munson’s candy / Flip Flops & Slides /
- End of Season Banquet – Dinner, awards and camaraderie.
- Fundraising philosophy:
  - Skin in the game vs. bleeding you dry.
  - Provide supplemental needs of program
  - Build sustainable traditions
  - Funds in excess of goals are to be spent during the year
- Booster Club Dues - \$55 (meals, shorts, shirt) vs. SHS Pay For Play - \$175.
- Interested in joining the Booster Club or just want to offer a suggestion?

Thank you for your support!

<b><u>Officers</u></b>	<b><u>Members at Large</u></b>
David Mudano - President	Liz Cary
Chris/Heather Haas –VP Boys	Tonia Gugliotti
Wendy White Walsh – VP Girls	Denis Horrigan
Laura Nigro - Treasurer	Catherine King
Marcy Dubois – Secretary	Heather Mudano
	Brenda Ransley

