

STUDENT FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES

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The Board recognizes that students may wish to engage in fundraising activities. All such fundraising activities require prior approval of the Superintendent.

Student fundraising activities must be for the support of the school mission. Fundraising will not be school sponsored unless it is approved by the Superintendent or designee. All fundraising money must be deposited in the school activity accounts which shall be maintained according to standards and procedures established by the Superintendent or his/her designee, and these accounts shall be audited annually.

RAFFLES: RSA 287:A

A charitable organization may conduct a raffle to promote the purpose for which it was organized in the manner hereinafter provided, and not otherwise.

Printed Tickets – All raffle tickets shall be printed with the name of the charitable organization thereon, the date and place of the drawing, and the prize or prizes to be awarded and the amount of the donation.

Distribution of Tickets – Raffle tickets shall be sold only to persons 16 years of age or over and no raffle tickets shall be sold by persons other than the members of the charitable organization or such person or persons, as may be designated by the organization, and who shall receive no financial remuneration.

Agency No Permitted – No charitable organization shall act as an agent for conducting a raffle, where it is unlawful for the charitable organization's principal to conduct such a raffle.

Permit Required – Any charitable organization desiring to conduct a raffle under the provisions of this chapter shall first obtain a permit therefor from the selectmen or designee of the town, or the mayor and aldermen or designee of the city where the drawing for prizes is to be held. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the permit shall expire at the time of the drawing shall not be transferable. At the request of the charitable organization to conduct more than one raffle, the governing body may extend the permit to one year from the date of issuance.

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