

BOOSTERS

Through donations of their time and financial resources, boosters play an important role in assisting UNE in the task of providing student-athletes with an outstanding experience. Boosters are subject to NCAA bylaws and violations can carry serious consequences that can directly impact student-athletes, prospective student-athletes, coaches, sports programs, athletic departments, and the involved booster.

ARE YOU A UNE BOOSTER?

Boosters include anyone that has done at least one of the following for any varsity sports program at UNE:

Made a financial contribution/donation

Became a member of a booster organization

Been involved in the promotion of UNE's athletic programs

Purchased season tickets or provided a donation in order to obtain season tickets

Assisted in providing benefits or employment for enrolled student-athletes or their families





ONCE A BOOSTER, ALWAYS A BOOSTER

ONCE AN INDIVIDUAL HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A BOOSTER THEY
RETAIN THAT IDENTITY FOREVER

TOP THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW AS A UNE BOOSTER

Always ask before you act - Boosters that break NCAA rules can render a student-athlete ineligible for competition. The NCAA holds the University, coaches, and student-athletes accountable for the actions of fans, friends, and boosters.

Leave the recruiting to us - Only certified UNE coaches and staff are authorized to recruit. If you learn of a special athlete, please pass the info along to the UNE coaches. Do not make contact with any prospect, their family, or anyone connected to them.

Never use a student-athlete for a commercial purpose - You cannot use the name, likeness, photograph, or representation of a student-athlete to promote a commercial purpose or establishment.

Do not provide an extra benefit to a student-athlete, prospective student-athlete, or their family/friends - An extra benefit is any arrangement to provide a gift, money, or benefit that is not readily available to the general public or to all general students. Occasional meals may be provided under very strict guidlines and must be arranged directly with the head coach.

Thank you for your generosity and support of the University of New England and our athletics program. You are part of our TEAM and we appreciate your adherence to NCAA regulations. Your partnership is an important ingredient to our success as we strive for excellence with integrity!