2025 USC HS Cross Country Booster Meeting: Parents, Coaches & Athletes: August 13, 2025

- **Welcome and Introductions**
- Coaches:

  Doug Petrick - dpetrick@uscsd.k12pa.us & Maureen Chermack - mchermak@uscsd.k12.pa.us

- 2025 Board: The slate of officers as listed was presented and elected on June 3, 2024

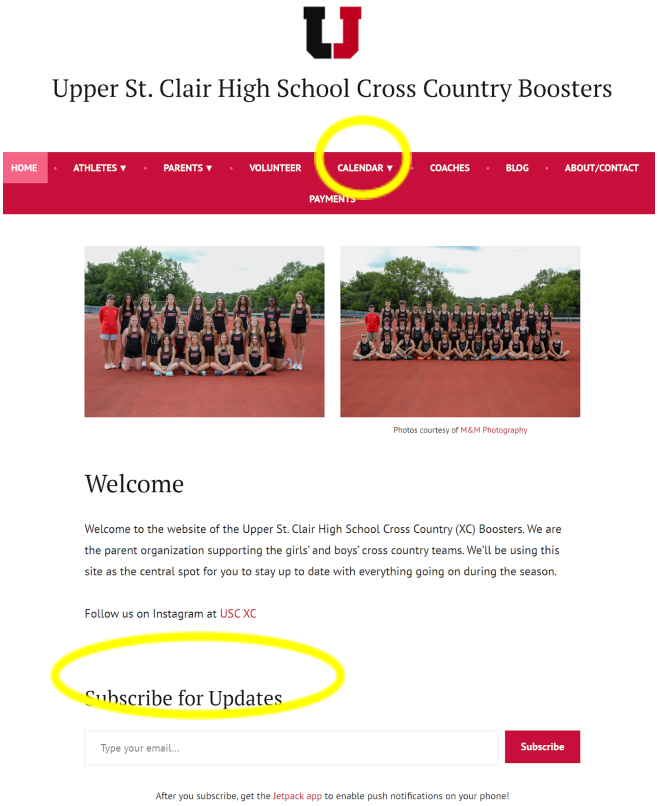
  Booster President: Amy Sarkett Booster Vice President: Shannon Paupa

  Booster Treasurer: Rob Leggat Booster Secretary: Megan Pasquini

  Agenda Item: vote to elect co-VP nominee due to upcoming needs of the boosters: Stephanie Hull

- **Communication: Amy Sarkett**

  - Sports You: communication from coaches to both athletes and parents. Critical Information such as practice schedule as bus times. SportsYou Access Code: WL28-FRND
  - Website: There are tabs for both athletes and parents, but is overall more geared towards parents: coaches' calendar and boosters' calendar, Volunteer tab, car rider note, PA Milesplit Upper St. Clair High School Cross Country Boosters (usccrosscountry.com)
  - Blog: For parents- **subscribe at the home page** of the website in order to receive notifications of new blog posts from boosters
  - Team Chat: Communication among athletes
  - Instagram: promotes and celebrates the team: usc.xc
  - Email: uschsxc@gmail.com for individual communication



- **Events: Megan Pasquini & Shannon Paupa**
- Sign-making after practice on August 18, volunteers needed, pizza provided
- Pasta Dinners before each meet, senior families host, volunteers needed to contribute food
- Senior Rec: Wednesday, October 8 (pasta dinner): All athletes, only senior parents, coaches
- First Meet/Parent Meet & Greet: August 30 at PennWest Cal U
- End-of Season Banquet: October 30 Crowne Plaza

- **Fundraisers: Nicole Birmingham**
- Magnets available tonight for $10
- Saturday August 23 10:30-1:30 Please sign up on website. This is typically our biggest fundraiser!!
- Moe's Taco Kits: September 10

- Chick-Fil-A: TBD early October
- **Budget & Booster Dues: Rob Leggat, treasurer**
- Booster Dues: $120/athlete. Pay by Zelle uschsxc@gmail.com in Zelle app. Reference Athlete Name or mail check to USC Cross Country % Rob Leggat, 2304 Weston Dr. USC PA 15241
- Separate fee of $75 payable to athletics
- Overview of budget: we are in good shape financially, fundraising did well last year
- Items for athletes purchased by dues & fundraising: locker signs, decor, senior banners, warm-ups

- **Agenda Item: Vote on budget, including spending of surplus funds for warm-ups: Amy Sarkett**

- **Volunteer Needs: Sign Up Tonight!!**

Committee	Chair	Volunteers
Fundraising Car Wash, Moe's Night, Chick-Fil-A	Nicole Birmingham (12)	
Pool Party Book Montclair Pool, Be on site	Katie Scherer (12)	
Pasta Dinner Organizer Support Pasta Dinners	Megan Pasquini (11)	
Senior Rec Order & Deliver Catered Pasta, Set up, Decorate, clean-up, Hang Banners	Megan Pasquini (11)	
Meet Day Snacks Store, Organize and bring snacks to team bus on meet days	Sonia Krugh (11)	
Chocolate Milk Purchase & bring to practice prior to meets	Chris Kashak (12)	
Front Door Signs for Seniors/WPIAL Prep signs and supervise students	Megan Pasquini (11)	
Tent Storage Bring tent to bus, dry out if wet, store	Greg Sarkett (12)	
Instagram Use own/contributed photos and post to promote meet days & achievements	OPEN	
XC Gear/Gift Coordinator Order End of Year Banquet & put together gift bags, order Mingo shirts	Michele Unice (12)	
Team Photos Take meet and other photos, upload for sharing and end of year slide show	OPEN	
Banquet Program Design Banquet Program Printing	OPEN OPEN	

- **NOW LET'S HEAR FROM OUR COACHES!!**