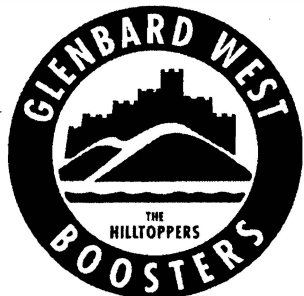


Glenbard West Boosters

Glen Ellyn, Illinois



March 2011

Dear Alumni and Friends:

As we move into 2011, it is time to reflect on the past accomplishments of Glenbard West High School after another outstanding year in the classroom, on the athletic field, and within the community. This past year was full of significant achievements and great news including:

- *Last spring over 1000 Advanced Placement exams were taken by more than 400 students with nearly an 80% pass rate, with 163 earning the designation AP Scholar. Also, five students were named National Merit Scholar Semifinalists and four students received a perfect ACT score of 36.*
- *The Rededication of Memorial Field was held on September 25, 2010 commemorating the recently completed installation of the new synthetic turf football and soccer field. This multipurpose project was made possible by the combined efforts of District 87, the Glenbard West Boosters, the Glen Ellyn Park District and nearly 500 community donors who all contributed to make this much needed addition to our campus a reality.*
- *Another successful Homecoming weekend was held in early October in which four alumni reunion groups returned to reconnect with their classmates, experience campus improvements, and cheer on our state ranked football team.*

These fine achievements would not be possible without the ongoing support of alumni like you, working together with the school administration, teachers, and coaches. ***For over 50 years the Glenbard West Boosters Club has also supported our school through the funding of academic, athletic and co-curricular programs designed to enrich the high school experience and prepare our children for life after graduation.*** In fact, in the last 10 years the Boosters have raised and disbursed over \$1 million to Glenbard West and the community in the following areas:

- *Provided funding for many academic programs within the school including a new language learning lab supporting all language disciplines, numerous laptop computers, white boards and other essential technology for learning advancements in the classroom, and audio equipment to enhance music and theatre performances.*
- *Purchased uniforms and athletic gear for the boys football, basketball, tennis and golf teams as well as the girls basketball, softball, golf and badminton programs ensuring that all of our student athletes have the proper equipment and are safe in competition.*

CALL TO ACTION

In an effort to continue this worthwhile support, and expand on the scope and quality of all that the Boosters do for the Glenbard West students, we ask that you as an alumni give back to your school and contribute to this worthy cause. ***Your alumni donation will go directly toward providing the highest quality education possible for our students, with the goal of preparing our sons and daughters for successful careers in the working world.*** Please see the pledge form on the reverse side for directions on how to make your tax deductible donation.

Finally, the Boosters are looking to enhance the Glenbard West alumni experience in new and exciting ways throughout the coming year. ***Look for future announcements detailing several Boosters events designed to engage alumni of all ages and allow you to once again bond with your fellow friends and classmates.*** That is our mission, to enhance the Glenbard West alumni experience and offer different ways for you to reconnect with your fine school.

Thank you once again for all of your past support as we strive to maintain the proud tradition of excellence that we have come to expect at Glenbard West.

For more information, please visit the Boosters website at www.gwboosters.com.

Sincerely,

Cindy & Chuck Purdom
Glenbard West Boosters President

Go West!

Yes! I would like to be a proud supporter of Glenbard West High School

Enclosed is my contribution for: \$ _____

- Copper Level: up to \$75
- Bronze Level: up to \$150
- Silver Level: up to \$250
- Gold Level: up to \$500
- Platinum Level: up to \$1,000
- Wall of Fame: over \$1,000

In order to maintain our alumni database please complete the following:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____
(Maiden if applicable)

Graduation Class Year: _____

Phone: _____

Street Address: _____

City / State / Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

*Please make your check payable to: **Glenbard West Boosters***

(A tax deductible receipt can be provided upon request)

*Send your donation to: **Glenbard West Boosters, P.O. Box 154, Glen Ellyn, IL 60138***

You may also make your donation via credit card (MasterCard or Visa - no debit cards please):

Name On Credit Card: _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

*Pin: _____

(* 3 digit number on back of credit card)

Signature: _____

Glenbard West appreciates your support!