Connecticut Technical High School System

Policy and Procedures For the Student Activity Program Department of Education Connecticut Technical High School System

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2009 Revisions to Student Activity Fund Manual Policy and Procedures for the Student Activity Program Department of Education- Connecticut Technical High School System

- Added under Superintendent Responsibilities "donation forms must be submitted to appropriate Assistant Superintended first".
- Changed under Principal responsibilities:
 "Annually appointing" to "appointing Student Council Advisor(s) and other activity advisor(s) to available vacancies."
 Deleted "selecting and" ... to "approving various team members within student activities."
 Changed "deciding on" to "approving mode of transportation acceptable for SAF activities."
- Changed under Business Manager responsibilities:
 "Training and approving collection team members selection"
- Replaced general advisors responsibilities: outlined into three categories the faculty advisor responsibilities to match the updated Advisor's Handbook as follows:
 - 1. Student Council Advisor
 - 2. Other Faculty Advisors
 - 3. Volunteer Faculty Advisor
- Changed under Advisor's responsibilities, category, "planning activities and fund-raisers "to" "raising funds to cover <u>all</u> organization/club expenditures."
- Deleted section of other clubs and organizations, which responsibilities are now included on the revised advisor categories.
- Under Student Activities Association, changed to "This constitution shall be distributed and revised each year, at the first meeting of the entire student council."
- Replaced Student Congress delegate's selection to match updated constitution to "... Student Council membership of each school in accordance to the Student Congress by-laws."
- Changed under minutes of meetings "provide the original copy for the business manager."
- Updated Student Activity Account Matrix and added language footnote regarding Budget submissions.
- Budgets "each advisor of annual account must submit a proposed budget to the Student Council by April each year who shall be responsible for compiling the total budget."
- The total budget for the upcoming year must be submitted to the business office/principal in May each year."
- Fee/Dues "The class dues paid by students will help defray senior class activities."
- Yearbook "Yearbook Agreement must be assigned with the state contracted vendor". The agreement will be effect during the production of the yearbook.
- Deleted yearbook specific dates under the payment outlines.
- Added requirements needed to establish a physical School Store.
- Added requirement, "Football revenues and donations must be posted to the Football Account/Sub-Accounts."
- Revised and provided clarification for donations and gifts section made to the Student Activity Association.
- Added bidding requirement exemption outlined on Administrative Letter CT-7, Series 2008-2009, "Three bids are no longer required for procuring outside facilities for proms, dance, graduation, class trips etc. ...tickets purchased to attend outside events (theater, amusement parks, ski trips, etc.) do not require bidding. All other purchase of \$2500 or more and not available on state contract will still require evidence of three bids."
- Updated Purchasing Process Flow Chart for annual accounts to match revision included on Advisor's Handbook.
- Added a Purchasing Process Flow Chart for permanent accounts.
- Added to collections:
 - field trips fees collected by business office.
 - Cash must be safeguarded in school safe.
- Consolidated Financial reports for Activities/Fund-Raisers, SAF #9 & SAF#10 into one form for completion within ten (10) days following the event.
- SAF 4 Purchase Order/Receiving report requires signature by the receiver
- Journal Vouchers require supporting documentation
- Class Accounts/Disposition of Graduating Class Balance:
 - Added clause/examples regarding expected graduating class surplus prior to the end of the school year to help defray senior class obligations.
- Clarified "Scholarships Accounts must be established and awarded funds used solely according to donor's desire.
- Added specification for awarding scholarships for continuing education and student awards, "Established scholarships should be used for continuing education. However, if a student award is included in the awarding criteria, the procedures for student awards outlined herein must be followed. On instances where both scholarship and awards are given, the fund account name must be revised to read, i. e. John Doe Scholarship/Award Fund or John Doe Fund, etc. to cover both issuances."
- Added to student awards, "No cash should be awarded to students at any time."
- Added section for Donations for Scholarships/Student Awards
- Fund-Raising added/revised:
 -All student organizations/clubs must raise funds to cover expenditures.

-Fund-Raising shall be conducted and managed only by student organizations recognized by the Student Council or for special purposes approved by the Principal.

- Updated Fund-Raising Process and flowchart in accordance with advisor's Handbook and Administrative Letter CT-8, Series 2006-2007 to provide further clarification.
- Added under Fund-Raising section "Parent Faculty Organizations (PFO's) in the CTHSS" to include Superintendent's directive outlined on Administrative Letter CT-10, Series 2008-2009
- Added "In the absence of the Principal a second Administrator can be authorized at the bank to sign on behalf of the Principal."
- Increased returned check fee to \$25.00.
- Revised budget submission requirement, "... each advisor of annual and permanent accounts must submit a proposed budget to the Student Council by April each year. Permanent accounts budgets submitted to the Student Council Advisor are only for inclusion on the school Student Activity total budget and do not require approval through the Student Council minutes.
- Updated Student Activity Accounts matrix to reflect above mentioned budget change.
- Investment Account & Interest added chase to allow checking account maximum balance to exceed \$10,000 during the months of September and April through June to cover periods of high revenues collections, large disbursements for obligations such as down payments for rentals for graduation/prom facilities, yearbooks, and other scheduled payments.
- Corrected "accrued interest pending transfer" to be credited monthly to all permanent accounts.
- Miscellaneous & General Fund Surplus Operation added bullet to reference transfers into fund for unused class balances and revised instructions in transfer out funds.
- Connecticut Sales & Use Taxes added applicable DRS Links for reference.
- Inventories updated inventory recording system for SAF purchases.
- Transportation Per the Superintendent's changes added.
 - State Owned Vehicles may be used for all approved Student Activities in or out of state...
 - Private Vehicles Use of personal vehicles must receive prior approval from the Connecticut Technical High School System <u>Superintendent.</u>
- Records Maintenance added bank reconciliations, cancelled checks and outstanding checks to the list of records maintained separate and distinct from regular school business records.
 - Added Record Retention Policy reference to maintain SAF records, "three years, or until audited, whichever comes later."
- Appendix I
 - SAF Forms added to forms list and to each forms/instructions on who must completed each form.
 - Total Budget for Student Activity Fund is now a required form (SAF #1a) requires completion and submission by the Student Council Advisor for all SAF Accounts.
 - Combined and simplified SAF 9 and 10 into one Form "Financial Reports on Fund-Raiser or Activity"
- Appendix II
- Sample forms
 - Sample Total Budget Now requires completion and submission by the Student Council Advisor for all SAF Accounts.
 - Budgeting for Yearbook corrected "Requesting pre-approval from Student Class Council to Senior Class for additional allocation of funds for cover a deficit."
 - Yearbook agreement is now a required form SAF #10 added note "all signatures required on agreement must be obtained PRIOR to or during yearbooks.

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POLICY

MISSION/PURPOSE

The Mission of Connecticut's Technical High School System is to provide a unique and rigorous high school learning environment that:

- ensures both student academic success, and trade/technology mastery and instills a zest for lifelong learning;
- prepares students for post-secondary education, including apprenticeships, and immediate productive employment; and
- responds to employers' and industries' current and emerging and changing global workforce needs and expectations through business/school partnerships.

Superintendent

PERTINENT LAW AND INFORMATION

The importance of co-curricular and interscholastic programs in the development of Connecticut's Technical High School System (CTHSS) students, was recognized by the Connecticut General Assembly in 1974, when it provided that, "The State Board of Education shall establish a student activity program consisting of athletic and non-athletic activities at each of its Connecticut Technical High School". (CGS sec.10-95a).

A Student Activity Fund is operated in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-52 to 4-55 inclusive of the General Statutes for the purpose of conducting all financial transactions of the Student Activity Program.

CRITERIA FOR STUDENT ACTIVITIES

In order to fully prepare its students for their future role as members of the community, the Connecticut Technical High School System offers its students opportunities to experience democratic processes, to participate in social organizations and to develop interests that will lead to enjoyable leisure time activities.

Therefore, the CTHSS provides a Student Activity Program to supplement the core educational program.

Student activities are educational enrichment experiences which are complementary to the CTHSS curriculum. Student activities enable students to explore interests and develop leadership capabilities, social competencies, civic understanding, appreciations, and various mental and physical skills. These educational enrichment experiences, which take numerous forms such at athletics, assemblies, creative arts, honor societies, clubs, lectures, trips, dances and student councils, are available to the entire student population, regardless of race, creed, color, gender, handicap, religion, sexual orientation, or socio-economic background. The essential element in these activities is that they are characterized by student participation and they exist for the benefit of the students.

REVENUE

Approved revenue sources other than State funds include: Fees, Dues, School Store, Fund Raising, Vending Machines, Donations and Gifts, and Athletic Revenues from games or other sporting events.

DESIGNATION OF AUTHORITY

The Superintendent of the CTHSS is authorized to develop administrative procedures to operate the program of Student Activities, and to provide exceptions to existing procedures upon receipt of valid documentation of need.

The School Principal is responsible for ensuring that the Program of Student Activities is operated in accordance with State Board of Education Policy, State Procedures and procedures promulgated by the Superintendent, and is accountable for all funds.

PROCEDURES

<u>FUND</u>

NAME OF THE FUND

he Student Activity Fund (SAF) which is established in each school shall be named as follows: "(Name of School) – Student Activity Fund". This name must appear on all the records of the

RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FUND

SUPERINTENDENT

In addition to developing administrative procedures to operate the program of Student Activities, responsibilities include:

- appointing a member of Central Office to serve as coordinator for the Student Activity Fund.
- appointing a member of Central Office to serve as an advisor at Student Congress Meetings
- granting prior approval for each fund-raising activity

fund and separate bank accounts must be carried in that name.

 approving SAF donations (donations forms must be submitted to appropriate Assistant Superintendent first).

PRINCIPAL

The CTHS Principal is responsible for the overall supervision of the Student Activity Fund and shall have the power to veto any activity, including those involving Student Activity Fund monies.

Responsibilities include:

- appointing a school administrator to oversee Student Activities
- appointing Student Council Advisor(s) and all other activity advisors to available vacancies
- calling a meeting of Student Council if necessary
- approving statement of purpose/by-laws for each club/organization
- having authorization to sign checks
- approving the budget
- approving items sold in the school store
- approving social activities and fund-raisers
- approving purchase orders and expenditures
- approving account requests
- approving petty cash vouchers and journal vouchers
- approving various team members within Student Activities
- approving mode of transportation acceptable for SAF activities

BUSINESS MANAGER OR BUSINESS OFFICE DESIGNEE

The Business Manager or Business Office Designee in each school, shall be responsible for recording any and all fiscal transactions involving Student Activity Funds and shall do so in accordance with written policies and procedures. The Business Manager shall also be available to act as a resource person to assist in the decision-making process.

Responsibilities include:

- providing SAF financial training to advisors during orientation
- keeping copies of SAF meetings on file in the Business Office
- approving the budget
- having authorization to sign checks
- assisting in purchasing
- approving expenditures
- assigning appropriate clerical or fiscal members to collect & issue receipts, prepare deposits, verify deposits, posting to SAF and reconciling following Internal Accounting Controls/Separation Duties
- ensuring that bank deposits are made
- reviewing requests for planned activities
- training and approving collection team members
- approving account requests
- ensuring reconciliation of bank statements
- acting as Petty Cash custodian
- reviewing financial reports and maintaining copies of all requests and reports
- generating and distributing a monthly individual account status report for each SAF account to the Advisor.
- preparing annual reports
- ensuring submission of State Sales & Use Tax Reports and Federal tax reports

FACULTY ADVISORS

The Faculty Advisors for the individual student organizations shall be directly responsible for their group. They shall oversee all activities of group and assure that written policies and procedures are correctly followed. They shall be responsible for preparing financial reports prior to the close of the year or more frequently, as requested or required by the Business Manager.

Responsibilities include:

1. Student Council Advisors (Participation in meetings or activities after the normal school day can be required for advisors.)

- providing orientation/training in conjunction with the Business office during August P.D. date and two follow-up meetings during the school year to other advisors. (SAA Administrator in attendance)
- scheduling meetings
- establishing bylaws and officers/members eligibility requirements
- reviewing activities and fund raisers for scheduling purposes on the school master calendar
- initiating and approving reports
- overseeing and approving account expenses
- initiating and reviewing purchases and payments for student government and volunteer
- raising funds to cover <u>all</u> organization/club expenditures.
- planning collections and ensuring that all monies are collected according to cash collections guidelines, i.e., appropriate trained teams
- maintain records of minutes, activity/fund raise data

2. Other Faculty Advisors (Participation in meetings or activities after the normal school day can be required for advisors.)

- attending advisor's orientation provided by Student Council Advisor and the school Business Office during August P.D. dates and two follow-up meetings during the school year. (SAA Administration in attendance)
- scheduling meetings
- establishing bylaws and officers/members eligibility requirements
- initiating and approving reports
- initiating and reviewing purchases and payments
- raising funds to cover <u>all</u> organization/club expenditures.
- overseeing and approving account expenses
- creating, maintaining and submitting at least twice a year a spread sheet to the business office with the student account status.
- notifying students of status of their individual accounts
- planning activities and fundraiser for student organization/club.
- planning collections and ensuring that all monies are collected according to cash collections guidelines, i.e., appropriates trained teams
- maintain records of minutes, activity/fund raise data
- 3. Volunteer Faculty Advisors (Participation in meetings or activities after the normal school day can be required for advisors.)
 - attending advisor's orientation provided by Student Council Advisor and the Business Office during August P.D. dates and two follow-up meetings during the school year. (SAA Administration in attendance)
 - scheduling meetings
 - establishing bylaws and officers/members eligibility requirements
 - raising funds to cover <u>all</u> organization/club expenditures.
 - initiating and approving reports
 - Overseeing and proving account expenses
 - initiating and reviewing purchases and payments for submission to Student Council Advisor for payment
 - notifying students of status of their individual accounts
 - planning activities and fundraiser for student organization/club.
 - planning cash collections and ensuring that all monies are collected according to cash collections guidelines, i.e., appropriate trained teams.
 - maintain records of minutes, activity/fund raise data

STATE BOND

All state employees handling or having possession of student activity funds or property are covered under a state bond. The policy carries a rider in which the word "employee" is deemed to include any student enrolled in a school under the jurisdiction of the insured.

PLANNING AND CONTROL OF ACTIVITIES

All activities that occur within each account shall be planned and controlled by the student body and approved as designated on the Student Activity Accounts Matrix. All activities shall also have the approval of the Faculty Advisor and the School Principal and shall be in accordance with the policies and procedures as detailed in this document. Each individual account will be clearly identified in the Chart of Accounts. (Refer to Financial Section – pg 11.)

The complete list of the Chart of Accounts is maintained by the Central Office Student Activity Fund Coordinator. Activities must be approved prior to activity date to insurance compliance with established procedures and availability of funds to cover the expense. An activity shall not conflict with a pre-scheduled activity in the school's master calendar.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION

The entire student body of a school shall be known as the Student Activities Association. Each Student Activities Association will be guided by a Constitution which will establish as its governing body, a "Student Council". The Student Council shall be comprised of representatives from each class. There shall also be at least one faculty Advisor, appointed by the school Principal, assigned to oversee the Student Council. The Constitution shall include the format and the procedures to be followed. The Constitution should be clear, simple and easily understood by the average student. This constitution shall be distributed and reviewed each year, at the first meeting of the entire Student Council.

CONSTITUTION FORMAT

The Constitution of the Student Activities Association shall have the following minimum essentials:

- 1. Name of Organization ______ S. A. A.
- 2. Purpose and Powers (including Principal power to veto)
- 3. Membership (the entire Student Body)
- 4. Governing Body (Student Council)
 - a) Officers and Student Congress Delegates
 - b) Qualifications for holding and retaining office and procedures for removal
 - c) Duties of individual officers (including procedures and responsibility for budget and expenditures of student activity funds)
 - d) Method of nominating and election of officers
 - e) Schedule of regular meetings of Governing Body (Student Council) (not less than four (4) per year)
 - f) Authorizing clubs and organizations (responsibility, procedures and sponsor)
 - g) Quorum
 - h) Parliamentary Authority (Robert's Rules)
 - i) Amendments (procedures for)
 - j) By-laws (as needed)

CONSTITUTION CONSIDERATIONS

The following outline presents only minimum recommendations for a constitution. The structure of the individual council may necessitate considerable expansion of this outline. However, in whichever way stated, the constitution should clearly define the following:

- 1. Power and responsibilities of council
 - a) To speak for student body
 - b) Jurisdiction of council for certain areas of student activity determined by school policy
 - c) Maximum control of its funds, guided by school policy and subject to Principal's veto
 - d) Delegation of authority
- 2. Identification of organizational procedures
 - a) Regular, planned time of meeting
 - b) Communication procedures
 - c) Standing committees, if any

STUDENT CONGRESS DELEGATES

Student Congress Delegates are selected from the Student Council membership of each school in accordance to the Student Congress by-laws. The delegates represent the interests of the Student Council. The delegates share information and concerns from each school.

The Superintendent of the CTHSS appoints a professional member of the central office staff to serve as Student Congress Statewide Advisor. The Advisor works with the delegates, organizes the agenda, distributes information, selects a meeting place and time, and is responsible for ensuring that the democratic process is fully utilized by the delegates without violating laws, regulations, and policy.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

STUDENT COUNCIL

It is recommended that the full Student Council meet at least once every month for the purpose of conducting its regular business and such other matters which may be brought before it for consideration. Additional meetings may be called if, in the opinion of the Principal, the Advisor and/or the Executive Board, such meeting(s) is/are considered necessary. The Executive Board may meet in Executive Session whenever it is necessary. Business transacted in Executive Session shall be reported to the full Student Council at the next regular meeting.

The Student Council shall have a minimum of four officers; a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer and a least one faculty Advisor who has been approved by the Principal.

The four Student Council Officers and such additional members as may be appointed will be known as the "Executive Board" of the Student Council.

ADDITIONAL CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

In order to be allowed to be a part of the Student Activities Program, each student club/organization will have By-laws including a basic statement of purpose that is recognized by the Student Council and the CTHS Principal. Each club/organization will abide by the guidelines and fiscal requirements set forth by the Student Council and the corresponding Student Activity Fund policies and procedures.

Student club/organizations, other than Student Council, will meet a minimum of twice during the year. They may schedule additional or regular meetings if necessary.

OFFICERS

All student clubs/organizations shall have a slate of student officers elected from the membership through the democratic process. There shall be a minimum of three elected officers: a President, a Secretary and a Treasurer.

ADVISORS

There shall be at least one faculty Advisor for each club/organization with the approval of the Principal. That person will be responsible for overseeing all activities of the group.

MINUTES OF MEETINGS

SAF Form 12 has been provided for recording the minutes of meetings. There are four parts to this form. The first is the agenda and summary sheet and the additional parts are the detail sheets. The detail sheets may be used as needed. Signatures are required on each page. Instructions for completing the minutes are included with the form as a guideline to recording all minutes. An example of the minutes, sign-in sheet, and pre-printed attendance list is included in Appendix II.

The minutes of all meetings held by all clubs and organizations of the Student Activity Program shall be on file in the school business office, and shall be available for audit in accordance with the Retention of Records Policy. These minutes must clearly indicate all action taken by the group, particularly that concerning financial matters. <u>Student Activity funds may not be expended</u> without prior approval as reflected in official minutes of the Student Activities Organization. The minutes must be legible and written in ink, typewritten, or computer generated. A sufficient number of copies shall be made. Provide the original copy for the business manager and subsequent copies for the Faculty Advisor and others as needed. The pages shall be numbered consecutively.

FINANCIAL

The Student Activity Accounts are used to record the transactions of the fund. Standard account numbers are used for the system.

CHART OF ACCOUNTS SUMMARY

ACCT # ACCOUNT NAME

ACCT # ACCOUNT NAME

| 0^{****} | ASSET ACCOUNTS | 22** | YEARBOOK ACCOUNTS |
|------------|----------------------------|------|----------------------------|
| 01** | CASH & INVESTMENT ACCOUNT | 2207 | YEARBOOK 2007 |
| 0101 | CASH * CHECKING | 2208 | YEARBOOK 2008 |
| 0102 | CASH* SAVINGS | 2209 | YEARBOOK 2009 |
| 0103 | PETTY CASH | 2210 | YEARBOOK 2010 |
| 0104 | INVESTMNET | 2301 | STUDENT GOVERNMENT |
| 02** | SPECIAL CASH ACCOUNTS | 3000 | MISC. & GENERAL SURPLUS |
| 024 | STIF | 3001 | RESERVES* EQUIPMENT |
| 04** | INVENTORIES | 3002 | RESEVERS* INVENTORY |
| 0410 | RESALE INVENTORY | 3003 | INTEREST PENDING TRNFR |
| 1^{***} | STD ANNUAL BUDGET ACCOUNTS | | |
| 2*** | STD PERMANENT ACCOUNTS | | |
| 21** | CLASS ACCOUNTS | | |
| 2108 | CLASS OF 2008 | | |
| 2109 | CLASS OF 2009 | | |
| 2110 | CLASS OF 2010 | | |
| 2111 | CLASS OF 2011 | | |
| 2112 | CLASS OF 2012 | | |
| 2113 | CLASS OF 2013 | | |
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Changes are made to the Chart of Accounts by submitting SAF Form 2, Account Request Form, to the Central Office Student Activity Fund Coordinator.

STUDENT ACTIVITY ACCOUNTS MATRIX

Within the Student Activity Fund, all accounts must be designated for a specific use. A separate account shall be set up for each activity. All financial transactions which apply to each particular activity will be entered on the account established for that particular activity. See the following chart.

| | | | PROCEDURE FOR DISBURSEMENT | | | |
|--|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| NAME OF ACCOUNT | TYPE OF ACCOUNT | SOURCE OF REVENUE | STUDENT APPROVAL BY | VOUCHER SIGNED BY | CHECK SIGNED BY | YEAR END ACTION |
| CLUBS* | ANNUAL MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO SCTUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 12 | **STUDENT COUNCIL VOTE | ACTIVITY STUDENT OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | CLOSE OUT TO MISC.GENERAL ACCOUNT |
| ATHLETIC ACCOUNT | ANNUAL MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO STUDENT COUNCIL* | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | STUDENT COUNCIL VOTE | ACTIVITY STUDENT OFFICER & ATHLETIC & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR. | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | CLOSE OUT TO MISC.GENERAL ACCOUNT |
| INTEREST INCOME ACCOUNT | ANNUAL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | N/A | N/A | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | CLOSE OUT TO PERMANENT ACCOUNTS |
| CLASS ACCOUNT | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO STUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | INDIVIDUAL CLASS VOTE | CLASS OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR. | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP.*** |
| YEARBOOK | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO STUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | CLASS VOTE | CLASS OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP |
| STUDENT GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO STUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | STUDENT COUNCIL VOTE | ACTIVITY STUDENT OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS, MGR | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP |
| NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY ACCOUNT | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO STUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY VOTE | N.H.S OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR. | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP |
| SKILLS USA ACCOUNT | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO SSTUDENT COUNCIL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | SKILLS USA VOTE | VICA OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR. | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP |
| MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT OR GENERAL ACCOUNT | PERMANENT MUST SUBMIT BUDGET TO BUSINESS OFFICE PRINCIPAL | APPROVED REVENUE SOURCES SEE PAGE 13 | ****STUDENT COUNCIL VOTE (JV TRANSFER TO ACCOUNT DESIGNATED) | ACTIVITY STUDENT OFFICER & ACTIVITY ADVISOR & PRINCIPAL OR BUS. MGR | PRINCIPAL AND BUSINESS MANAGER | COMP. BALANCE SHEET & STATEMENT OF REC. & EXP |

* Yearly blanket power may be granted for recurring trips where the total funds collected for the trip cover the total funds dispersed for the trip. I.E., Ski trip.

** Class or Club minutes must reflect vote.

*** Minutes must indicate disposition of balance for graduating class. Funds must be completely liquidated within 6 months of graduation. Any unexpended funds will revert to school's SAF general funds. School personnel will not maintain funds for reunion expenses.

**** Blanket power may be granted to Business Manager for paying recurring expenditures I.E., Taxes, writing off bad debts, etc.

TYPE OF ACCOUNT

An annual account is established on a yearly basis, closed out at the end of the fiscal year and except the interest income account, is responsible for submitting a yearly budget. Budget submission for annual accounts is due in April each year. The total budget for student, Government and annual accounts is due to the business office principal for approval in May each year.

A permanent account is established for ongoing activities which retain asset balances until they are formally closed out. A budget for the upcoming year is due to the Student Council Advisor for the business office/principal for approval in April each year.

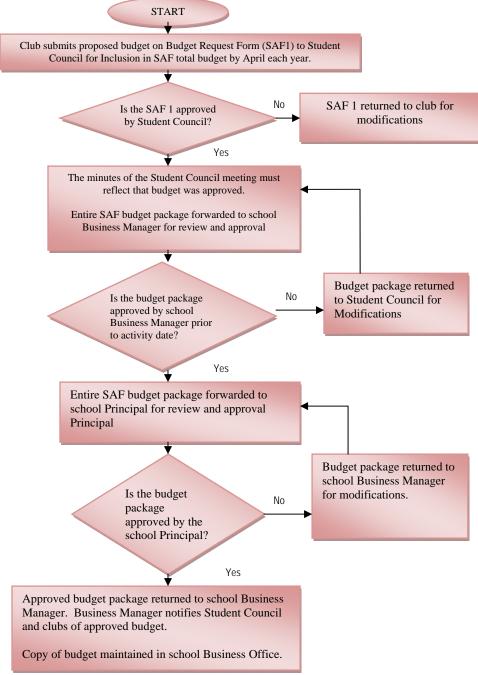
BUDGETS

• facilitate proper financial practices and to ensure solvency, each advisor of annual and permanent accounts must submit a proposed budget to the Student Council by April each year who shall be responsible for compiling the total Student Activity budget including Student Government budget. <u>Permanent accounts budgets submitted to the Student Council Advisor are only for inclusion on the school student activity total budget and do not require approval through the Student Council minutes.</u> Annual accounts budgets will be approved through the student council minutes as outlined on the flow chart below. The total Student Activity budget for the upcoming year must be submitted by the student council, the business office/Principal in May of each year.

An Example of a total budget form has been included in the appendix section of this manual. The budget, SAF form 1, must have the approval of the Business Manager and the Principal. If it is necessary to revise a budget, the budget revision request must be submitted to the Student Council for approval and to the Business Manager and Principal for final approval.

BUDGET APPROVAL PROCESS

Annual Account Only



REVENUE

Approved revenue sources other than State funds may include:

<u>Fees/Dues:</u> Each class shall set acceptable fees/dues. *The class dues paid by students will help defray senior class activities.* The Yearbook, Prom/dances, Student Activity Program events, and individual student dues paid by members of approved organizations shall be collected separately from the class dues.

<u>Yearbook</u>: An Annual budget should be developed to assist schools in the yearbook decision making process. A Yearbook Budget form example is included in Appendix I. The form must be submitted to the Student Council Advisor and Student Activity Fund Coordinator for approval prior to ordering the yearbook. The yearbook Advisor, School Business Manager, and School Principal must ensure the liquidity of the SAF yearbook account. (See Appendix I – Budgeting for Yearbooks, Yearbook Budget form and Budget Worksheet). After budget approval, a yearbook agreement must be signed with the state contracted vendor. The agreement will be in effect during the production of the yearbook (See Appendix 1 for Yearbook Agreement). The timelines for yearbook payments outlined in the contract award and agreement must be adhered to. The contract award yearbook agreement outlines the timelines for payments as follows.

| Term of payment | <u>20%</u> | on December |
|-----------------|------------|---------------------------------|
| | <u>50%</u> | on March |
| Final Payment | <u>30%</u> | Due after receipt of yearbooks. |

<u>School Store</u>: A school may operate a school store for the sale of items such as book covers, pencils, pens, aprons, safety glasses and locks. The sale of other items must receive prior approval from the Principal. The establishment of a school store must receive prior approval in writing from Principal, Student Council and Business Manager.

<u>Activity or Fund-Raising</u>: Income from activities or fund raising is permitted if its purpose is identified. All Student Organizations/Clubs <u>must</u> raise funds to cover expenditures. The amount and time limits are specified and the fund-raising activity is approved by student council, business manager, the school Principal, and the Superintendent (see page 24).

<u>Student Awards:</u> Established scholarships should be used for continuing education. However, if a student awards is included in the awarding criteria, the procedures for student awards outlined herein must be followed. On instances where both scholarships and awards are given, the fund account name must be revised to read, i. e. John Doe Scholarships/Award Fund or John Doe Fund, etc. to cover both issuances.

<u>Vending Machines:</u> Income derived from the operation of vending machines is permissible as an acceptable SAF revenue source. Items available in the vending machines shall not be in violation of the competitive food regulations for commissions. Revenues from vending machines will be sent to Central Office by the vendor for accountability and distributed back to the schools as cited in the Accounting Procedures Manual, State Comptrollers. All revenues derived from the operation of a Canteen or Vending Machine which are not attributable to any other State fund and pertaining to the activities of the students will be credited to these funds.

<u>Athletics Games or Sporting Activities</u> - Income derived from games or other sporting activities is considered a Student Activity Revenue. Thus, all athletics' revenue must be deposited into the SAF account under the athletics account. Football revenues and donations must be posted to the football account or sub-accounts accordingly.

<u>Donations and Gifts:</u> A school may accept donations and gifts as revenue in accordance with the Policy for Acceptance of Gift in Connecticut Technical High Schools. Thus, Student Activity Association donations and gifts do not require completion of the Gifts Acceptance Form for

receiving monetary donations or gifts for the Student Activity Fund. The Student Government or student organization must acknowledge receipt of donations/gifts through the minutes.

Per past practice, issuance of the Student Activity Fund state receipt (CO-99) or equivalent to the donor is needed and submission of a SAF #2 Account Request Form to the Student Activity Coordinator in order to establish a fund account to manage and distribute the funds in accordance with the donor's desire /criteria.

However, if Student Activity Fund accepts equipment or supplies and wants it to go to the school, then the Student Activity Association should donate it to the school using a Gift Form. The Student Government will need to vote to donate the existing and future equipment, supplies or uniforms to the school and minutes to indicate the vote.

A. Donated Cash

- 1. <u>When Principal May Be Expended</u>, the funds will be deposited in the Student Activity Fund account and entered on the Cash Receipts Record, the credit being made to an account set up in the name of the donor and/or the purpose of the gift. Disbursements from this account will be made in accordance with the provisions specific by the donor.
- 2. <u>When Principal Must Be Held in Trust</u>, the funds will be deposited in an interest bearing account, preferably the Treasurer's Short Term Investment Fund (STIF). The Treasury recommends that all agency investments or cash in excess of operating expenses be deposited in a STIF account.

An offsetting liability account will also be established. Example: "John Doe Trust Fund". A journal voucher will be used to allocate appropriate balances into the STIF account and the liability account as specified in the donation, and to add accrued interest.

Funds may be expended as provided for in the terms of the gift. All expenditures will be made through an asset account upon submission of approved vouchers and appropriate minutes. If payment is made through the checking account a corresponding journal voucher will be made to transfer funds from the asset investment account to the checking account to cover the checks drawn for this purpose.

B. Securities

- 1. <u>If the securities are to be converted into cash</u> as authorized in the donation specifications, these funds will be handled as specified in the previous sections "Donated Cash- When Principal Must be Held in Trust".
- 2. <u>If the securities are to be retained</u>, an asset account and an offsetting liability account will be established to identify the security. Example: "American Telephone and Telegraph Stock Fund".

Market value will be determined utilizing current security value as quoted in the Wall Street Journal. A journal voucher will be used to allocate this market value of the security as a balance into the security asset account and the liability account. This balance will be updated annually on June 30.

C. Personal Property

- 1. <u>If the property is to be converted into cash</u>, such property should be disposed of in accordance with good practices, i.e., competitive bid, advertising, etc., in order to obtain the best possible price. The funds derived from the sale of property will be handled in the manner stated or under whichever conditions are applicable under the terms of the gift.
- 2. <u>If the property is to be retained as such</u>, the items donated, if equipment should be set up on the inventory system at fair market value; if commodities are on hand at the end of the year they should be included in the inventory of commodities at fair market value at the time of acquisition.

Note: A monthly individual account status report for each Student Assistant Fund account must be generated and distributed to each advisor. The reports must be printed after closing each month. **STATE STUDENT ACTIVITY FUNDS**

Each year the Principal may allocate 10020 funds to the Student Activity Association. Example of what these funds may be used for are:

Athletic Fees Athletic Uniforms Athletic Supplies School Trips National Honors Society Skills USA

PURCHASING PROCEDURES

All goods services including computer hardware and other equipment and services must be procured by the issuance of a purchase order/expenditure voucher (SAF Form 4) which is submitted to the Business Manager for perusal and forwarded to the principal for approval.

Per Purchasing Regulations outlined in the Comptroller's Accounting Procedures Manual for Activity and Welfare funds, "Purchases must be made at the best prices obtainable. Before making a purchase, the officer must contact the business office or the Director of Student Activities and obtain information about special rates available on State contracts. **Competitive bids must be obtained for major purchases".** Expenditures and purchases over \$2500 must provide evidence of bids or quotes. Except for expenditures outlined on Administrative letter CT-7, Series 2008-2009. The letter states,

Three bids are no longer required for purchasing outside facilities for proms, dance, graduation, class trips etc. In addition, tickets purchased to attend outside events (theater, amusements parks, ski trips, etc.) do not require bidding. These types of activities are considered "non-competitive purchase" as defined by purchasing authority 71D. <u>All other purchases of \$2,500 or more and not available on state contract will still require evidence of three bids.</u>

1. FAIR PRACTICES IN PURCHASING

a) The CTHSS recognizes its obligation to promote the best public interest of its professional staff, students and vendors by dealing fairly in its purchasing of all supplies, equipment, goods of services relating to student activities, and will not knowingly extend favoritism to any vendor. Each and every purchase shall be made

on the basis of quality, price, and delivery and past service of a favorable nature shall be a factor only when other considerations are equal.

- b) All employees of the CTHSS and its students are prohibited from accepting gifts according to State policy, either directly or indirectly, from any person(s), firm, or corporation doing or desiring to do business with the CTHSS.
- c) All contracts for supplies, equipment, goods, or services not available on State Contract and over \$2500 or current State minimum, should be awarded on the basis of competitive bidding by a minimum of three (3) vendors.
- d) Specifications for supplies, equipment, goods or services shall be clearly and fully drawn to encourage all potential vendors to participate in the bidding process.
- e) Specifications for such student activities as graduation site rentals, yearbooks, photographs, class rings, and similar items shall be drawn to meet the needs and interest of the students rather than those of a specific vendor.

2. <u>UNAUTHORIZED PURCHASING Per Administrative Letter: CT -42 (Series 2005-06 issued</u> by the Superintendent

No employee is ... authorized to order, purchase, and/or procure supplies and services on behalf of the State of Connecticut without an approved state issued purchase order. This requirement applies to all funding sources – Federal, State, Private, and Student Activity Funds.

In instances where staff has not complied with these requirements, the expectation should be that they are donating the item(s) to the State and you may provide them a donation form.

The intent of Administrative Letter CT-42 regarding Unauthorized Purchasing is to ensure a state issued purchase order or SAF #4 is issued directly to the vendor thereby eliminating these types of employee reimbursements. A state employee is not an authorized vendor of the State of Connecticut.

3. UNAUTHORIZED EXPENDITURES

As cited in the State Comptroller's Accounting Procedures Manual for Activity and Welfare Funds, expenditures for the following items will not be made from activity or welfare funds:

- a. Routine expenditures such as equipment, supplies, forms and postage for State use.
- b. Repair or maintenance of State equipment (except certain jointly used equipment).
- c. Professional books, magazines and memberships in professional organizations not related to specific activity/welfare fund functions or for which the greater benefit does not accrue to the students.
- d. Salaries for services that are the responsibility of the institution or agency.
- e. Gifts, services, or donations to State employees, private citizens, or organizations*. Specific fund-raising for charitable organizations are not excluded and must be accounted for in a restricted account.

Only the net profits of the proceeds may be donated to the charitable organization. If the fund-raiser event does not meet the expenditures for the event, proceeds may not be donated to the charity organization. The fund must cover all expenditures of the event. CTHS STUDENT ACTIVITY PROGRAM/FUND MANUAL However, if the fund policy provides guidance on this issue, the policy statement prevails.

- f. Loans to State employees and persons other than students of the institution or agency.
- g. Other expenditures that directly benefit the employees, except expenditures from restricted accounts that are established in accordance with Section IV-B.4 (REVENUES-Restricted Accounts). However, expenditures for State Agency sponsored joint ventures participated by employees in conjunction with students may be made from the activity funds.

*This section of policy & procedures is different from the State Comptroller's Policy & Procedure Manual.

3. FEDERAL INCOME TAX REPORTING

Total payments of \$600.00 or more made in one calendar year for services to an individual or partnership must be reported to the Internal Revenue Service by using Form 1099- Misc.

The copy of the form for the individual must be postmarked by January 31 of the following year. The copy for the IRS must be postmarked by March 1 of the following year. Each school must use their own FEIN number when communicating with the IRS.

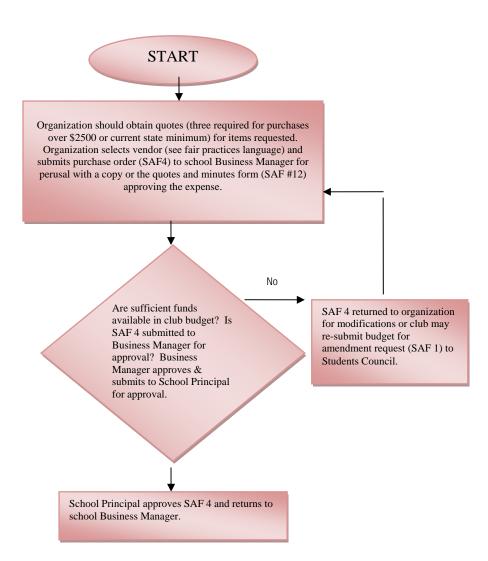
Form 1096 is used as a cover sheet when sending paper forms 1099 to the IRS. These forms may be requested by calling 1-800-829-3676.

PURCHASING PROCESS

Annual Accounts

ORGANIZATION MAY NOT OBTAIN GOODS OR ENTER INTO ANY AGREEMENTS FOR GOODS OR SERVICES WITHOUT AN APPROVED PURCHASE ORDER (SAF 4)

Club requests to expend budget



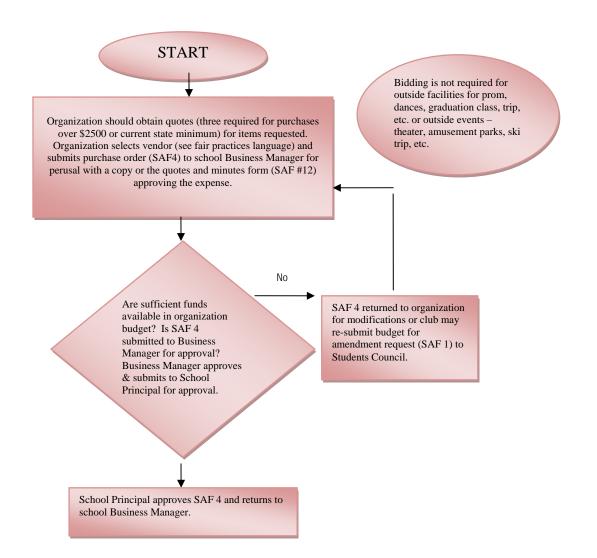
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PURCHASING PROCESS

Permanent Accounts

ORGANIZATION MAY NOT OBTAIN GOODS OR ENTER INTO ANY AGREEMENTS FOR GOODS OR SERVICES WITHOUT AN APPROVED PURCHASE ORDER (SAF 4)

Club requests to expend budget



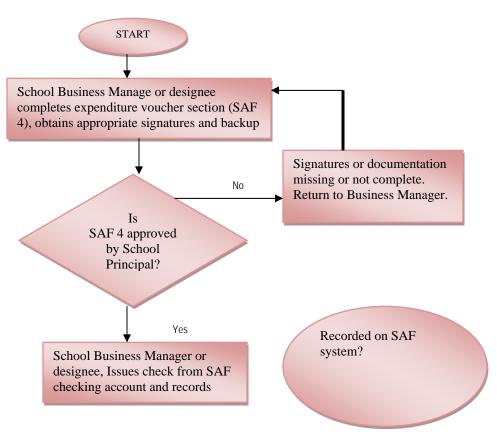
PAYMENTS

Payments for goods or services are to be initiated by preparing the expenditure voucher portion of form (SAF Form 4) which has been approved by the Principal/Business Manager.

An appropriate expenditure voucher must be supported by documentation such as an approved purchase order, and must be substantiated by a vendor's invoice and/or receipts. In cases where invoices are not available, a written statement containing pertinent data should be prepared by the officer of the organization requesting payment. <u>All payments must be accompanied by approved minutes from the appropriate association or clubs.</u>

Payments by check will be initiated from authorized expenditure vouchers. The expenditure vouchers will be signed by the appropriate officer in charge of the association or club acknowledging receipt of the goods and/or services.

The Principal and School Business Manager in each school shall be authorized to sign checks and both signatures must appear on the check. The signatures of these authorized persons shall be listed with the bank on the bank authorization card and a copy shall be on file in the school business office. The persons named shall be bonded by the state. Additional staff signatures may be on file if necessary. In the case of an extended leave of one of the two parties (Principal, Business Manager) another party may be authorized by the Superintendent or the Principal to perform this duty.



SAF ACCOUNTING PROCEDURES

COLLECTION AND RECORDING OF RECEIPTS

The school Principal will identify a person from the Business Office to collect receipts at a specified time and location. In the event this person is not available, an approved, trained team, consisting of a student and a faculty member, (SAF Form 7), may collect for the school store, the concession at social events or other Principal approved social event where a state issued receipt (CO-99) or equivalent is not required for individual revenue collected. The time and place for all team collections must be pre-approved by the Principal/Business Manager (SAF Form 8). A state receipt will be issued to the team by Business Office personnel for the entire amount of the collection.

The main purpose of the team is to provide fiscal experience while assisting in a collection process. The team shall not replace the position of a ticket-taker for athletic events. **The team may not collect for student dues, yearbook advertisements, yearbook sales or prom tickets and field trips fees.** A State issued receipt (CO-99) or equivalent is needed for the activities mentioned, therefore, a person from the Business Office will issue the receipt. When the team collects for an item on a prepay basis, a ticket system should be used and the names of the people who have paid should be recorded for future reference. Should there be any discrepancies between recorded receipts and deposits, an explanation of said discrepancies must be prepared and submitted to the Principal by the next business day.

A second person, also from the Business Office, will independently verify the amounts received and deposited. Should there be any discrepancies between recorded receipts and deposits, an explanation of said discrepancies must be prepared and submitted to the Principal by the next business day.

All student funds received by the Business Office must be deposited on a daily basis according to State procedures. No expenditures of student funds can be made except through the established payment procedures. No funds may be withheld for change or petty cash.

Deposit of Collections

Consistent with C. G. S. Section 4-32, deposits should be made generally within 24 hours after receipts. Cash must be kept safeguarded in school safe.

All receipts must be accounted for by depositing into bank and recording into SAF accounting program. At no time, should cash received be taken to pay directly for services and/or donations to be made by the Student Activity Fund.

Cash receipts received by the Business Office shall be supported by a receipt form. For this purpose a pre-numbered duplicate receipt form shall be used, the last copy of which is permanently bound. The receipt form should indicate the date, the amount, and the type of payment, the name of the remitter, the purpose of remittance and the name of the person issuing the receipt form. The name of the fund as specified should be imprinted on the receipt forms, however, state receipt form CO-99, may be used as an official receipt.

Any activity/Fund-Raiser, sponsored by the Student Activity Fund must be pre-approved by the Principal and Business Manager on SAF Form 3, Activity or Fund-Raiser Request Form. The activity/Fund-raiser must be listed in the CTHSS Student Activity/Fund Raiser approval form for the Superintendent/Assistant Superintendent approval. The results must be reported on SAF Form 9, "Financial Report of Activity/Fund-Raiser". The financial report must be completed within ten (10) working days following the event. One copy of SAF Form 3 and SAF Form 9 must be on file in the school office and be available for audit.

Internal Controls – Accounting and Reporting

Internal control practices will be performed by each school. The school Principal and Business Manager will identify the staff member from the business office responsible for each transaction to provide management with reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded and transactions are authorized, valid, complete and accurate.

Separating duties for physical security and assets from related record keeping is a critical control. No person should have control over a transaction from beginning to end. Separation of duties should follow the following pattern:

- > a business office staff member to collect and issue receipts
- ➤ a business office staff member to prepare deposits
- ➤ a business office staff member to verify deposits
- > a business office staff member to reconcile and post entries in the general ledger

DISBURSEMENTS AND RECORDING OF EXPENDITURES

Every disbursement must utilize SAF Form 4 and this must be signed by the Principal/Business Manager or designee. The vendor's invoice, or a copy issued by the vendor marked "duplicate", shall be attached along with minutes and other pertinent information. These expenditures shall be by check or Petty Cash Fund. The expenditures voucher section shall indicate when merchandise or services are received and who receives them, therefore, this form shall also serve as a receiving report <u>and</u> must be signed by the receiver.

JOURNAL VOUCHERS

A journal voucher (SAF Form 5) shall be used to record transactions which occur in the general journal, such as adjustments and transfers of funds.

The journal voucher should provide a complete explanation of the transaction and be authorized by the Principal/Business or designee <u>prior</u> to entry into the accounting records. Each journal voucher must show a debit and a credit entry. Journal vouchers should be numbered sequentially and maintained in the business office. Supporting documentation must be attached to the journal voucher.

CLASS ACCOUNTS/DISPOSITION OF GRADUATING CLASS BALANCE

If the class is expecting to have a surplus prior to the end of the year due to the success of student fund-raisers and before graduation events, funds may be invested to help defray/lower student cost obligations such as dues, senior prom, senior class trip or picnic, or any other senior initiatives.

Beginning with the Class of 1997, no balances will be carried forward for class accounts after the time of graduation except to fulfill year end commitments. The money must be completely liquidated within six (6) months following graduation. Minutes must indicate the disposition of the balance for graduating classes, i.e., school gift, donation to student assistance fund or other student organizations, scholarships, etc. within the Student Activity Fund that would benefit the student population. If there are no specific instructions left in the class minutes regarding use of the funds and a class account has had no activity for six months and it is certain that all encumbrances have been paid, then the funds will revert to the student activity association's miscellaneous and general fund and the account is closed. School personnel will not maintain funds for reunion expenses. Graduation class monies balances must be kept and managed by the Student Activity Association Fund for accountability and to ensure benefit of the student population.

DONATIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS/STUDENT AWARDS

A school may accept donations and gifts as revenue for scholarships and/or student awards in accordance with the Policy for Acceptance of Gift in Connecticut Technical High Schools. Thus, Association donations and Gifts do not require completion of the Gifts Acceptance Form for receiving monetary donations or gifts for the Student Activity Fund. The Student Government or student organization must acknowledge receipt of donations/gifts through the minutes.

Per past practice, issuance of the Student Activity Fund state receipt (CO-99) or equivalent to the donor is needed and submission of a SAF #2 Account Request Form to the Student Activity Coordinator to establish a fund account to manage and distribute the funds in accordance with the donor's desire /criteria.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships accounts must be established and awarded funds used <u>solely</u> according to donor's desire. Written criteria must be on file and a copy forwarded to the Student Activity Fund Coordinator when requesting the scholarship account. Scholarships will be issued from Student Activity Funds to the institution on behalf of the student. Established scholarships should be used for continuing education. However, if a student award is included in the awarding criteria, the procedures for student awards must be followed. On instances where both scholarships and awards are given, the fund account name must be revised to read, i.e., John Doe Scholarship/Award Fund or John Doe Fund, etc. to cover both issuances.

STUDENT AWARDS

Student awards will be given according to donor's desire. Written criteria must be on file and a copy forwarded to the Student Activity Fund Coordinator when requesting the award account. Student awards will be paid from the Student Activity Account in the form of a certificate, plaque or other ceremonial awards, or through a SAF check issued to the student for the amount specified in the award criteria. No cash should be awarded to students at any time.

FUND-RAISING

POLICY & PROCEDURES

Income from activities or fund-raising is permitted if its purpose is identified, the amount and time limits are specified and the fund-raising activity is approved by the school Principal, Student Council, and Business Manager and receives prior approval of the Superintendent of the Connecticut Technical High School System or designee. A fund-raising event shall follow all guidelines listed below.

Fund-raising may be conducted in accordance with the following:

Fund-raising activities may be held to supplement the level of state funds, fees dues and/or gifts.

Fund raisers shall not interrupt the educational program.

All student organizations/club must raise fund to cover expenditures.

Fund-raising shall be conducted and managed only by student organizations recognized by the Student Council or for special purposes approved by the Principal.

Fundraising activities involving foods and beverages must meet nutrition guidelines established by the CTHSS School Wellness Policy. Administrative Letter CT-08, Series 2006-2007 states that the CTHSS will "eliminate fundraisers of foods of low-nutrional value (e.g. such as soda, candy bars, fried foods, donuts, candy coated popcorn, etc) and focus on increasing the sales of flowers, plants, seeds, calendars, candles, etc."

The above Administrative Letter also references Public Act 06-63 which limits the sale of beverages offered by a fundraising activity and lists the beverages allowed for sale. Thus, the Administrative Letter provides guidance and allows the sale of low nutritional foods and beverages by Student Activity as follows.

Low nutritional foods and beverages other than those described above <u>may</u> be offered for sale at events such as athletic games, dances, and performances outside of the school day as long as the sale is at the location of the event; and the beverages are not sold from a vending machine or school store.

Requests to conduct fund-raisers shall follow the procedures indicated on the following flowchart. SAF Form 3 should be submitted to Student Council for review and approval for the upcoming year for submission to Central Office by October 1st. Other requests may be added during the year at least 30 days prior to the anticipated starting date. When timelines have expired, the fund-raising activity will cease.

The School Business Manager will supervise the financial management of all students fundraising, per the Student Activity Fund Procedures Handbook and guidelines of the State.

Records of inventory, collections, and deposits shall be maintained in accordance with auditing standards, and the Policy and Procedures for the Student Activity Program. Specifically, all cash must be deposited as per State accounting procedures. All necessary Student Activity Fund Financial reports (SAF #9) will be prepared within ten (10) working days of the cessation of the activity.

Competitive Foods Regulations

National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs have Federal and State regulations regarding the sale of competitive foods. The regulations prohibit the sale or dispensing to students of extra food items anywhere on the school premises from thirty minutes prior to the start of breakfast (break) until thirty minutes after the last lunch period.

Parent/Faculty Organizations (PFOs)

PFO fund-raising activities do <u>not</u> come under the auspices of the Connecticut Technical High School System.

- Students may not participate in PFO fund-raisers during school hours.
- Student Activities fund-raisers take precedence and PFO fund-raisers must not conflict with a scheduled SAF event/activity.
- If a PFO desires to donate proceeds to a Student Activity Association, they must follow procedures for donations and gifts.

Administrative Letter CT-10, Series 2008-2009 provides clarification regarding PFOs as follows:

<u>Purpose</u>

Parent Faculty Organizations (PFOs) are formed to improve the connection between the school faculty and parents for the benefit of the students. PFOs also solicit donations and conduct fund-raising activities for the purpose of providing additional resources to students and schools.

As separate and distinct organizations, PFOs are not subject to the accounting controls and oversight procedures as are funds administered by the state including student activity funds.

Fund-Raising Recommendations

For purpose of fund-raising, CTHSS PFOs should be advised to:

- Maintain their own accounting controls including the establishment of a checking account for purposes of depositing and disbursing of revenues;
- Comply with the Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act or file a Claim of Exemption from Registration (CPC-54) with the Department of Consumer Protection (DCP);
- Ensure all fund-raising advertising clearly identifies the PFO as the solicitor;
- Comply with the Connecticut Department of Revenue Services (DRS) regulations for the collection of sales and use tax during fund-raising events. (It should be noted that PFOs qualify for five one-day fundraising exemption per year under C.G.S. 12-412 (94));
- Apply with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for a determination letter stating that it qualifies for exemption from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code 501 (c) (3);

Limitations

- CTHSS employees that participate in the PFO may not serve as key officers including President and Treasurer;
- CTHSS employees may not utilize normally scheduled work hours (except during personal lunch periods) to conduct PFO business;
- CTHSS students may not participate in PFO fund-raising during school hours.
- When PFOs are conducting fund-raising events on school grounds whereby members of the public (exclusive of students, parents, school staff) will be in attendance, they must complete and Application for Use of School Facilities form (CT-86) and provide proof of insurance. If maintenance staffing ins not normally scheduled to work during the fund-raising event, PFOs are expected to reimburse the State of Connecticut for payroll expenses incurred based on the State Board of Education approved rate structure;
- Funds administrated by the state including federal, state, and private funds and SAF funds cannot be transferred/donated to the Parent Faculty Organization.
- All PFO fund-raising conducted for the Skills USA State and National Contests should be donated <u>from the PFO to the respective school's Student Activity Funds (SAF)</u> and all Skills USA disbursements made from the SAF account.

Role of the CTHSS Principals

- Ensure school staff is not conducting PFO business during their normally scheduled workday;
- Ensure all PFO fund-raising complies with the School Wellness Policy;
- Ensure PFO fund-raising does not conflict with SAF fund-raising;
- Ensure PFOs complete applicable Use of Facilities documentation and provide proof of insurance;
- Ensure all PFO donations are acknowledged by completion of Gift Acceptance form approved by the Superintendent;
- If PFOs are operating the school store, the principal should ensure a Superintendent approved Request for Approval of Volunteer form is on file for all applicable PFO members prior to working in the store;

Role of the CTHSS Business Managers

- Ensure that PFOs do not utilize the SAF tax exemption identification number to avoid the paying of sales tax on applicable purchases;
- Ensure that PFO financial activities are not accounted for using SAF bank accounts, SAF records, and SAF financial systems;
- Ensure that applicable Use of Facility charges are collected and deposited;
- Ensure all disbursements for the State and National Skills USA contests are made from the Student Activity Fund account.

FAIR PRACTICES WITH VENDORS (Fund-Raisers)

All potential "fund-raisers" shall be allowed equal time to present their proposals to the appropriate student advisor who will then evaluate the presentations and make a recommendation to the Student Council. Vendors who request to bid on a proposal will be afforded the opportunity to do so.

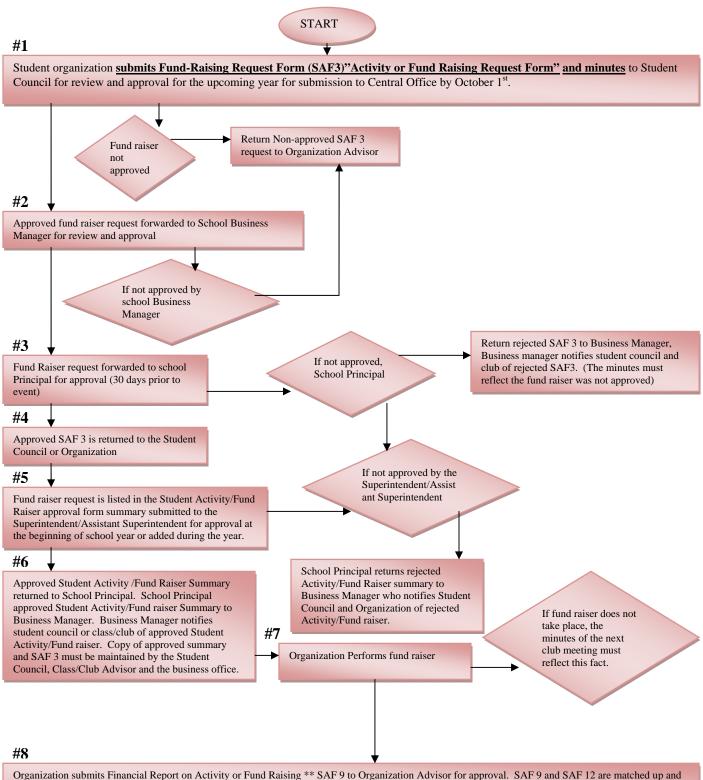
A list of potential vendors will be maintained by the Student Activity Coordinator. The Student Council will provide the coordinator with the names of new vendors used. School recommendations for successful fund-raisers can be downloaded from the Intranet under the Student Activities Association at: http://sde-cthsi/saa/index.htm

FUND-RAISING FORMS

Forms that are used for fund-raisers are:

| SAF 3 | Activity or Fund-Raising Request Form |
|-------|--|
| SAF 4 | Purchase Order/Expenditure Voucher |
| SAF 9 | Financial Report on Activity or Fund-Raising |

FUND-RAISING PROCESS



Organization submits Financial Report on Activity or Fund Raising ** SAF 9 to Organization Advisor for approval. SAF 9 and SAF 12 are matched up and maintained on file in the school business office.

BANK ACCOUNTS

ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A BANK ACCOUNT

All student Activity Fund accounts must be maintained in banks approved by the State Treasurer and State Comptroller.

In order to establish a bank account a CO-929 (Bank Account Establishment Request Form) or current comptroller's form must be submitted to the Division of Finance and Administrative Services, Revenue Reporting Section. A written authorization must be obtained from the State Comptroller and State Treasurer.

After an account is approved, a bank account number must be submitted to the Division of Finance and Administrative Services, Revenue Reporting Section.

DUAL SIGNATURES ON CHECKS

Two signatures for checks issued out of the SAF checking account are required. Checks should be printed with two signature lines. The authorized staff to sign the checks on behalf of the Student Activity Association are the school Principal and the Business Manager. In the absence of the Principal a second Administrator can be an authorized at the bank to sign on behalf of the Principal.

CHECKING ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION

Each month the Business Manager or designee must reconcile all bank checking account statements to general ledger within **five (5) days** of the receipt of the statement. The checkbook balance must be in agreement with the general ledger. A trial balance of the general ledger accounts should be taken monthly to verify postings.

Bank service charges need not be paid on Student Activity Fund bank accounts carried in banks in which the State Treasury maintains deposit accounts if the Treasury has indicated a willingness to absorb these charges based upon the size of the account.

OUTSTANDING CHECKS

If a check has not been redeemed within six months of issuance, the check should be voided with the bank, and a journal voucher will be processed that will debit the checking account and credit the unrestricted liability account. An attempt to reach the receipt of the check should be made prior to voiding the check. Sec. 3-64a state that miscellaneous uncashed are considered abandoned after three (3) years.

DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS

When a school receives notice that a check was not accepted for deposit, the school Business Manager or designee must make a determination that the balance is really due to the Student Activity Fund. When it has been determined that it is, then a \$25.00 or bank returned check penalty fee is added to the original check amount. Written notification must be sent by the business office to the individual or organization that wrote the check. The letter does not have to be sent via certified mail. No references to possible actions to be taken are included in the letter.

The letter should allow twenty (20) working days for repayment, and should name applicable CTHSS Student Activity Fund as the payee.

After the twenty (20) working days have passed and repayment has not yet occurred a copy of the letter prepared by the CTHSS should be forwarded to the Revenue Reporting Unit. The Revenue Reporting Unit will pursue the collection of the debt.

When and if they secure the owed amount it will be returned to the appropriate CTHSS Student Activity Fund. If the amount is deemed uncollectable, after following this procedure, State accounting guidelines will prevail.

INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS & INTEREST

If the balance in the checking account is greater than is needed for current operations, an amount of money should be placed in a Short Term Investment Fund (STIF) in order to earn a return on the asset. The maximum reasonable amount of cash to be maintained in a Student Activity Fund checking account is **\$10,000***. Transfers for balance over the maximum limit in checking to the STIF Account will be completed by the authorized staff as needed without prior authorization.

*An exception to allow a greater amount in checking is acceptable during periods of high revenue collections, large disbursements for obligations such as down payments for rentals for graduation/prom facilities, yearbook and other scheduled payments. <u>The months during school the</u> year that checking account overage will be allowed are September and April through June.

STIF accounts and other asset accounts must be reconciled monthly by the Business Manager or designee.

The Treasurer's office recommends consolidation of all money market accounts into the Short-Term Investment Fund (STIF). Funds in the scholarship and award accounts should be transferred to the STIF account. An offsetting liability account will be maintained under the general ledger showing balances. The donor stipulations/criteria will need to be looked at to ensure that the consolidation is in agreement with the donor's desire.

When interest is added to the STIF account by the Treasurer's Office, a journal voucher should be prepared and posted to the General Ledger Account as follows:

Credit: STIF Account

Credit: Interest Pending transfer

When interest is added by the bank, a journal voucher should be prepared and posted to the General Ledger accounts as follows:

Credit: Cash in Checking Account

Credit: Interest Pending Transfer

Accrued interest in Interest Pending Transfer account will be credited **monthly** on a pro-rated basis to all permanent accounts based on the balances in the individual accounts (see Appendix 1 for a sample distribution formula). This will be done by a journal voucher.

Debit: Interest Pending Transfer

Credit: Individual Permanent Account

OPERATION MISCELLANEOUS & GENERAL FUND SURPLUS

This fund exists for the following purposes:

- <u>Transfer into the account unused balances from annual accounts.</u> Revenue balances on annual accounts will be transferred at the end of the school year into the Miscellaneous & General Fund Surplus by the Business Office and the annual account is closed. If the club or annual account is in existence the following year, the money is transferred back into the annual account via a journal voucher (SAF #5).
- <u>Transfer into the account unused balances from annual accounts</u>. <u>Unused balances left by a graduating class with no instructions for spending will be transferred into the miscellaneous general surplus after all class obligations have been paid</u>.
- <u>All Transfer out funds needed to cover for the other clubs expenses or student activities,</u> <u>deficits must be voted on and approved through Student Council minutes.</u> After approval, the transfer is made via a journal voucher (SAF #5).

ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A PETTY CASH FUND

petty cash fund within the Student Activity Fund may be established on the following basis:

CASH ADVANCES

A check should be drawn payable to the "Business Manager (Name) – SAF Petty Cash Custodian" and converted to cash to provide the funds with which to start the Petty Cash Fund. This would be entered on the Cash Expenditures Record, and charged to be account "Petty Cash Fund".

The funds shall be limited to miscellaneous payments for which it would be impractical to issue individual checks. The amount of funds maintained for this purpose shall be as small as possible but adequate for the requirements of the funds.

As expenditures are made, petty cash vouchers shall be prepared. A copy of each voucher should be retained in the petty cash box until the reimbursement is made. At all times, therefore, there should be in the petty cash box, cash and vouchers totaling the amount of the Petty Cash Fund. No entries are to be made on the records at this time.

When reimbursement is to be made, an expenditure voucher will be prepared to cover all petty cash vouchers in the box. The expenditure voucher will show the total to be charged to each activity in accordance with the petty cash vouchers which must be attached to the expenditure voucher. A check will be drawn to "petty cash" for the total amount shown on the expenditure voucher. The check will be converted to cash to replenish the available cash on hand. In recording the payment on the Cash Expenditures record the total amount of the reimbursement shall be distributed in the appropriate columns for the activities on which petty cash payments were made.

If the amount of the Petty Cash Fund is not sufficient to cover this advance in addition the current operations of the funds, an additional amount of petty cash should be drawn from the checking account in the same manner as the original transaction which started the petty cash account. This amount is then placed in the petty cash box.

CASH FOR CHANGE PURPOSE

If money is needed for making change at some location other than that at which the petty cash account is carried, this sum of money may be taken from the petty cash on hand. A petty cash voucher is then placed in the petty cash box, signed by the person to whom the money is given, showing the date, the amount, and the purpose for which the funds are to be used. This slip will stay in the box until the money is returned, at which time the clerk will receipt the form to show that the money has been returned and give the form to the individual. The return of the cash to the petty cash box shall be done promptly when its need for change purpose has been met.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A STUDENT ASSISTANCE FUND

Each school will establish a Student Assistance Fund to assist student experiencing financial hardship.

Guidelines for Student Assistance Fund

While enrolled in CTHSS, students are expected to pay class dues and participate in the senior class trips as part of the graduation activities^{*}. In the event that a student is unable to pay any of these fees due to a financial hardship, a reserve will be established in the Student Activity Association Fund to provide financial assistance.

*The yearbook and Prom fees are not covered under the Student Assistance Fund. Student assistance for these fees would be considered only in extenuating circumstances.

- A student in need may be identified and referred by any of the following individuals: student, class/activities advisor, teacher, parent, school counselor, administrator, psychologist or social worker.
- Verification of the student's financial need will be the responsibility of the school counseling department. The school counseling department will evaluate the need for continued financial support on an annual basis.
- To ensure student confidentiality, approval through the minutes is not required.
- Assistance funds paid for the students to pay class dues and participate in the senior class trips as part of the graduation activities are neither <u>non-refundable</u> nor <u>transferable</u>.

Funding for the Program Student Assistance Fund

- Up to 10% of the annual balance in the Miscellaneous and General Fund Surplus under the Student Activity Fund (SAF). The funds will be automatically transferred to the Student Assistance Fund account at the beginning of the school year (July) for the upcoming year.
- Other sources may be made available through donations, grants, school sponsored activities or fund-raisers.
- The school Business Manager or SAF designee will complete the annual transfer without further approvals.
- The amount granted each year must not exceed the limit set by the school depending on available funds. Under extenuating circumstances, applications can be reviewed and funds awarded beyond the limit established by the school.
- The Student Assistance Fund will be considered an annual account. Any unused balance left in the Student Assistance Fund at the end of the fiscal year (June) will be transferred back to the SAF Miscellaneous & General Surplus Account.
- When the CTHSS Foundation has sufficient resources, funding for the Student Assistance Fund may be requested.

Process to Request Student Assistance

- The student requests funds from the assistance fund through the guidance office by completing the attached confidential SAF #16 "Student Assistance Request Form." (SAF #16 is also posted in the intranet under Student Activities Association/Forms.)
- As financial needs may change from year to year, the student must apply for financial assistance on an annual basis to cover the assigned fee for graduation expenses for the year.
- The Guidance Department forwards approved request to the School Principal.
- The School Principal forwards approved request to the School Business Manager.
- The Business Manager forwards the approved request to the SAF designee.
- The Business Manager or SAF designee ensures that no funds have been paid in the past on behalf of the student through direct remittance or fund-raising discounts.
- The SAF designee will prepare a journal voucher and transfer the approved amount from the Student Assistance Fund to the specified account.
- The Guidance Department will be notified of the transfer.
- The class or activity advisor will be notified that funds for the student have been received and added to the account without further mention as to how the funds were received.

TAXES

SALES AND USE TAXES – WHEN STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND IS PURCHASER

Purchases by the Student Activity Fund are exempted from Sale and Use Tax when they are made exclusively for the purposes for which the organization was established and payment is made on a school voucher with a check drawn on the organization's account. Cash purchases of \$10.00 or less are permitted providing organization funds are used and purchaser complies with exemption requirements.

Purchases eligible for exemption must be made by giving the vendor a State of Connecticut exemption certificate indicating Sec. 12-412(1a) as statutory authority. The vendor should be requested to mark the purchaser's invoice "State of Connecticut". http://www.ct.gov/drs/lib/drs/fillable_certificates/cert-134fillable.pdf

Purchases of yearbooks, locks or safety glasses are considered to be purchased for the students and not for the school and are subject to Connecticut sale tax. http://www.ct.gov/drs/cwp/view.asp?A=1511&Q=267406&pp=12&n=1

An exemption from Sales and Use Tax for meals and lodging is possible if certain conditions specified by the Department of Revenue Services are met. http://www.ct.gov/drs/lib/drs/fillable_certificates/cert-112fillable.pdf

DUE TAX

Dues assessed by clubs or organizations sponsored and controlled by a school are exempted from due tax.

SALES AND USE TAXES – WHEN STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND IS SELLER

A sales tax must be collected on all sales by the Student Activity Fund except where the sales are exempted from the tax by law.

Each school handling sales through the Student Activity Fund must obtain a seller's permit. Such a permit can be obtained by filling an Application for Tax Registration Number. The business office can provide the assigned Connecticut Sales and Use tax number. At the end of each quarter or previously agreed upon period time, the Department of Revenue Services will mail a sales tax return which must be completed by the school and forwarded with payment to the Commissioner of Revenue Services.

The following sales are not taxable and should not be included in the amount of gross sales for the tax purposes.

Exemptions:

The following sales through the Student Activity Fund are exempted from tax and must be included in the amount of gross receipts and then deducted as provided for on the tax return:

- Sales of items for not more than twenty dollars each.

- Sales of ice cream from bulk container (report under "Food Product for Human Consumption") NOTE: SODA, CANDY OR GUM IS NOT EXEMPTED FROM TAX.

- Sales at bazaars, fairs, picnics, tag sales or similar events to the extent of five such events of a single day duration held during any calendar year. (DRS:SN98(11) http://www.ct.gov/drs/cwp/view.asp?A=1514&Q=268742
- Sale of clothing under \$50.00.

FILING SALES AND USE TAX RETURNS: (Per Dept of Revenue Services, Taxpayer's Division)

Once the state agency registers for a seller's permit, the Connecticut Department of Revenue Services will automatically send Form OS-114, *Sales and Use Tax Return* at regular intervals. The reporting period for most sellers is the calendar quarter. However, if the state agency's sales and use taxes total more than \$4,000 a year, it may be required to report on a monthly basis. If, on the other hand, the state agency expects their annual tax liability to be \$1,000 or less, it may request permission to file an annual return. The request for annual filing should be sent to:

Department of Revenue Services Registration Unit 25 Sigourney Street Hartford, CT 06106

The state agency must file a return even if it made no sale during the reporting period and no taxes are due.

See Appendix I for an Example in filing Sales and use Tax Return

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Records must be kept in the school office to support the information shown on the sales tax return. Current tax law will supersede information presented here. Specific questions may be referred to the Department of Revenue Services (1-800-382-9463) and/or Chapter 219 of the General Statutes.

INVENTORIES

DESCRIPTION

The coding used for this transfer will reflect the fact that the items were paid for with SAF funds (**Dept., Sid 1100-10020**). As purchases are made, the items will be accounted for under the state inventory system and will continue to be identified with coding that reflects the Student Activity Association as the purchaser. The inventory will be kept on file in the school office and will be available to the Auditors of Public Accounts for audit purposes.

Faculty and students are to be made aware that Student Activities equipment and state equipment and supplies are the property of the State of Connecticut and the items are placed in the care of faculty and students and must be returned to the school upon conclusion of the activity. Items, such as sport uniforms etc., are issued on a loan basis and must be returned to the school and/or appropriate faculty member upon demand or no later than the end of the school year.

TRANSPORTATION

There are three types of vehicles which are utilized in transporting students to and from Student Activities. The Connecticut Technical High School Principal, in keeping with current policies, shall decide which mode of travel will be acceptable. The choice will be state owned vehicles, commercial vehicles or private vehicles.

STATE OWNED VEHICLES

School buses or other school vehicles may be used for all approved Student Activities in or out of state, but usage shall not conflict with production work which has first priority.

Only persons holding an appropriate Connecticut license to drive state owned vehicles shall be permitted to drive same.

State and Federal procedures must be followed in regards to purchasing gas and oil, stopping at railroad crossings and transporting passengers.

COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Commercial vehicles may be used for all out-of-state or in-state travel.

Commercial vehicles are to be used when the State vehicles are not available because of size, lack of licensed driver, or prior commitments.

Evidence of liability insurance should be obtained from the transportation company when buses are used for field trips or transportation for any school activities.

PRIVATE VEHICLES

Proof of minimum state insurance requirements for use of personal vehicles for state approved activities shall be on file in the school office. Proof shall be for vehicle and driver.

Use of personal vehicles must receive prior approval from the Connecticut Technical High School Superintendent.

Note: Additional information on travel may be found in the administrative letter: "Policy and Procedures for School Trips in Connecticut Technical High Schools including International Travel Procedures".

RECORDS MAINTENANCE

Records of the Student Activity Fund shall be maintained in the business office of the school and shall be kept completely separate and distinct from regular school business records. These records are to include the budget plans, monthly financial reports, all receipts, disbursement, transfers and adjustments, annual reports, inventory, minutes, bank reconciliations, cancelled checks, and outstanding checks. They are subject to audit by the state auditors and must be retained in accordance with department regulations regarding record retention (three years, or until audited, which ever comes later).

ACCOUNTING REPORTS

Prior to closing the **month**, trial balance and general ledger reports must be generated and maintained as a permanent accounting record.

At the end of each fiscal **year**, computerized end-of –the-year reports must be generated and printed prior to performing the closing process. The statement of receipts and expenditures for the end of the year are computerized. Other reports needed at the end of the year are:

Comparative Balance Sheet SAF Form 14 – Cash Reconciliation for June 30 _____. SAF Form 11 – Annual Report of Student Store Budget for Next Year

If applicable: Accounts Receivable Accounts Payable Supplies Inventory Equipment Inventory

The reports are to be maintained in the Business Office and submitted to the Central Office SAF Coordinator upon request.

Appendix I Student Activity Fund Forms

- SAF #1 Budget Request Form (Completed by advisors and must be submitted to the Student Council Advisor in APRIL each year.)
- SAF # 1a Total Budget for Student Activity Fund (Completed by Student Council Advisor & submitted to Business office during MAY each year.)
- SAF #2 Account Request Form (Completed by Student Council Advisor and submitted to Business Manager.)
- SAF #3 Activity or Fund Raising Request Form (Completed by Student Organization/Club and submitted to Student Council.)
- SAF #4 Purchase Order/Expenditure Voucher (Completed by Student Organization/Club and submitted to the Business office.)
- SAF #5 Journal Voucher (Completed by Business office for all approved transfer/adjustments.)
- SAF #6 Petty Cash Voucher (Completed by Business office/Borrower.)
- SAF #7 Team Training for Collections (Completed by Business office.)
- SAF #8 Staff and Student Collection Sheet (Completed by the Collection team.)
- SAF #9 Financial Reports on Activity or Fund-Raising (Completed by Advisor/Student and submitted to Business office within 10 days of completion of activity or fund-raiser).
- SAF #10 Yearbook Agreement (Completed by the Yearbook Advisor and submitted to the Business office with appropriate signatures.)
- SAF #11 Annual Report of Student Store (Completed by the Business office only.)
- SAF #12 Minutes Form (includes completing instructions) (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary.)
- SAF #13 Comparative Balance Sheets (Completed by the Business office.)
- SAF #14 Cash Reconciliation (Completed by the Business office.)
- SAF #15 Statements of Receipts and Expenditures (Completed by the Business office.)
- SAF #16 Confidential Student Assistance Request Form (Completed by the Student at the Guidance office.)

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Name of School)

BUDGET REQUEST

(Completion by all individual student organization advisors and submitted to Student Council Advisor during APRIL)

Submitted by: ______ for the Year: _____

Class/Club Advisor

S. A. F. Account No. _____ Activity _____ # of Members _____

Estimated Receipts:

Total Submitted:

| | | Total: |
|--|--|--------|

Estimated Expenditure:

| | | Total: |
|--|--|--------|

*** Approval Section ***

This Budget Request is approval for the total amount of: \$ _____

| Approved: | Approved: | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|------|
| Activity Student Officer Date | Activity Advisor | Date |
| | Student Council Advisor | Date |

TOTAL BUDGET

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Completed by Student Council Advisor & Submission to Business office during May each year)

(Name of School)

For the year _____ - ____

| \$ in accordance with school \$ | \$ chart of accounts) \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ |
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* In the schools where the income-producing activities will finance the expenditure program, the levying of a Student Fee may be estimated.

Submitted by:

Title

Date

Approved:

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

ACCOUNT REQUEST FORM (Completed by Student Council Advisor and submitted to Business Manager)

SCHOOL

| TYPE OF ACCOUNT | ASSET PERMANENT | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|----------|
| (Circle one) ADDITION | | DELETION |
| NAME OF ACCOUNT | | |
| ACCOUNT NUMBER IF I | DELETION | |
| | | |
| STUDENT COUNCIL AD | VISOR | |
| | Signature | Date |
| BUSINESS MANAGER | | |
| | Signature | Date |
| PRINCIPAL | | |
| | Signature | Date |

Send all requests to the Central Office Student Activity Fund Coordinator. Scholarships/Awards account requests must include a copy of awarding criteria and donors letter. Club account requests must include a copy of by-laws or purpose of the student organization.

For Internal School Approval Only

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND ACTIVITY OR FUND-RAISING REQUEST FORM (Completed by Student Organizations/Clubs and Submitted to Student Council)

| | | Date of Request |
|---|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (Please check type of request) | □ Activity | □ Fundraiser |
| 1. Name of School | | |
| 2. Organization or Activity making the re | quest | |
| 3. Beginning Date | Ending Date | |
| 4. Staff member who will have total respo | onsibility | |
| 5. Final SAF Financial Report Due to CT | H School Principal | |
| ľ | - | kimum 10 days after end of event) |
| 6. Purpose of the Activity or Fund-Raiser | | |
| (Describe Briefly Who Will Benefit and V | Why Needed) | |

8. Means of Raising Funds (Describe any sales, who collects and where, purchases and expenditures, anticipated distribution, etc.)

| Note: At no time, should cash received be taken to pay directly for services and/or donations. | | | | |
|--|------|--|------|--|
| 9. Reviewed: | | 10. Approved Non-Approved (circle one) | | |
| Student Council Advisor | Date | CTH School Principal | Date | |
| Business Manager | Date | | | |

IMPORTANT! After approval, the form is returned to the Student Council or Activity Advisor The Student Council or Activity Advisor maintains approved form in the school SAA file and ensures that the activity is listed in the CTHSS Student Activity/Fundraiser Summary Approval Form available in the Intranet under forms center.

DUPLICATE COPY REQUIRED FOR OFFICE

SAF #4

(Completed by Student Organization/Club and submitted to the Business office)

| NAME OF S | CHOOL | | | | |
|--|---|------------------------------|------------------|-----------|---|
| PURCHASE ORDER/EXPEND | ITURE VO | OUCHER | PO/V | OUCHER NO | _ |
| SAF ACCOUNT NO ACC'T N | IAME | ACT | IVITY | DATE | _ |
| VENDOR: | | Ven | dor ID # | | _ |
| To Vendor: This is authorization to furnish the materials Materials will be shipped via least expensive method to a Bill to: | or services as indic iddress below, F. O | . B. destination, unl | to: C/O Business | - | - |
| Telephone# | | | | | - |
| Description of Materials or Services Requested | | | | | : |
| | | Quantity | Unit Price | Amount | 7 |
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| Request by: Activity Student Officer | | | Student Activit | y Advisor | |
| Approved By: CTHS Principal/Business Mar | | | Date | | |
| | | | | | = |
| EX | | CHOOL USE ON DUCHER/RECEI | | | |
| PAYMENT REQUESTED AND CERTIFIED CC (BILL/INVOICE/SALES SLIP/MINUTES/DOCUMEN | | IED) | | | _ |
| Activity Student Officer | Date | Activ | ity Advisor | Date | _ |
| APPROVED BY: | | | | | |
| | CTH Sc | chool Principal/Bu | isiness Manager | | |
| Paid by Check No | Date | | Paid by (Initial | 5) | |

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

Name of School

JOURNAL VOUCHER

(Completed by Business office for all approved transfer/adjustments)

| | | Voucher No Date | |
|-----------------|------------|--------------------|--|
| DEBT: | | | |
| <u>ACTIVITY</u> | ACCOUNT NO | AMOUNT | |
| | | | |
| CREDIT: | | | |

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ACTIVITY

ACCOUNT NO.

AMOUNT

EXPLANATION:

APPROVED: _____

CTH School Principal/Business Manager

Date

ATTACH SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION, E.G., VENDOR INVOICE, SALE SLIP, ETC.

Important! This voucher must be completed and approved <u>prior</u> to completing transaction on Manatee Accounting System (MAS)

SAF # 6

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

| (Name of | of School) | |
|-----------|--|---|
| PETTY CAS | H VOUCHER | NO Date: |
| 1 | | |
| | | |
| ITEM | Price | Amount |
| | Total | |
| | | |
| | Cash Loa | |
| | Checked: | |
| | | |
| | PETTY CAS (Completed by Bus Recipient: | ITEM Price Total Change Returned Cash Loa Messenger |

Attach documentation, e.g., vendor invoice, sales slip, etc.

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND TEAM TRAINING FOR COLLECTIONS

(Completed by Business Office/Advisor/Student)

Name of School

Date

| I, | , have been selected by the Principal of the CTHSS to |
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|----|---|

participate in team collection for the SAF. I have been trained in cash collection procedures by

_____of the CTHS Business Office.

I understand that all collections will be pre-scheduled with the Business Office and collections will always be made with both members of the team, a faculty member and a student, present and actively participating in the process. I also understand this is strictly a volunteer activity in which I will be participating and I expect no compensation.

All monies collected will be verified against receipts and will be turned into the business Office for deposit immediately following the collection.

Signature of Team Member

Date

APPROVED BY:

Principal

Date

Business Manager

Date

SAF #8

STAFF AND STUDENT COLLECTION SHEET

(Completed by Student/Advisor)

Fill in top of form prior to collection

| Ac | count Name | | Account Number | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----|
| Event Name | Event Name | | of Event | |
| Date of Collection | | tion | Collection Location | |
| Receipt Number(s) | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | Amount | of Receipts | Number of Receip | ots |
| Deposits Amount turned into office | | | | |
| Bills: | | (| Coins: | |
| \$50.00 | | Half Dollar | | |
| | | | | |
| \$20.00 | | Quarters | | |
| \$10.00 | | Dimes | | |
| \$5.00 | | Nickels | | |
| \$1.00 | | Pennies | | |
| · | | | | |
| Total for Bills: | | Total for Coi | nc | |
| Total for Dills. | | | | |
| Number of check(s) |] | Fotal Dollar Amount | t of Checks: | _ |
| Total Amount of Collection | ion: | | | |
| Total Amount of Collection | ion Written Out: _ | | | |
| | | | | |
| Staff Participant | nt Name | | C'anatana | _ |
| Pri | int iname | | Signature | |
| Student Participant | nt Name | | C'anatana | |
| Pri | int iname | | Signature | |

Note: An approved SAF #7 "Team Training for Collections" must be on file authorizing the collection team signing his form.

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Completed by Advisor/Student and submitted to Business office within 10 days of completion of activity or fund-raiser)

(Name of School)

FINANCIAL REPORT ON ACTIVITY OR FUND -RAISER

(Completed by Student Organization/Club Advisor/Student)

(A Separate Financial Report Should Be Issued for Each Event)

Organization Reporting _____ Event or Activity _____ Date _____ **RECEIPTS:** Total **Tickets Numbered** Through @ \$ @ \$ Tickets Numbered Through Total \$ Through @ Tickets Numbered Total Missellenseus Ressints (itemize) Solling Drize Total Quantity cold

| | | Total Receipts | \$ |
|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-------|
| | | @ | \$ |
| | | @ | \$ |
| | | @ | \$ |
| ivilscellaneous Receipts (Itemize) | Quantity sold | Selling Prize | lotal |

Total Receipts

| DEDUCT: | |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Expenditures (itemize) | |
| | \$ |
| Prizes | \$ |
| Returns for credit | \$ |
| Values entry Inventory | \$ |
| | Total Expanditures: \$ |

Total Expenditures: \$ _____

Profit or (Loss) \$

(Total Expenditures from Total Receipts)

Record of Funds Turned in For Deposit (list)

| Date | Receipt No. | Amount | Date | Receipt No. | Amount |
|------|-------------|--------|------|-------------|--------|
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| Approved: | | Approved: | |
|--------------------------|------|------------------|------|
| Activity Student Officer | Date | Business Manager | Date |
| Activity Faculty Advisor | Date | CTHS Principal | Date |

| YEARBOOK AGREEMENT |
|---|
| (Completed by the Yearbook Advisor and submitted to the Business office with appropriate signature) |
| This agreement will be in effect for one school year |
| Start date of Agreement End date of Agreement |
| Date Yearbooks will be shipped <u>June 1-10, 20</u> |
| Number of Yearbooks to be printed and shipped |
| Number of pages per YearbookNumber of pages in color |
| Trim size of YearbookType of Binding: Smythe Sewed |
| Type of Cover Type of Paper stock (Example attached) |
| Make and Version of Software to be used |
| Base price of Yearbook Cost per extra page (Per Contract Award No. 07PSX0253-Exihibt B) (Per Contract Award No. 07PSX0253-Exihibt B) |
| Optional Additional expenses \$ (Please circle extra charge(s): Vinyl Covering, Foil Application, Name Stamping, World Events, Supplements; Art Work; More or less pages-per Contract Award No. 07PSX0253-Exhibit B |
| Total Price for Yearbook |
| Terms of Payment 20% on December <u>15</u> |
| 50%onMarch 15Final Payment30%(Due after receipt of Yearbooks) |
| Payments to be sent to Jostens Inc. |
| 3601 Minnesota Drive, Suite 400 |
| Minneapolis, MN 55435 |
| Timelines for submission of manuscript to Yearbook Company ((Per Contract Award No. 07PSX0253-Exihibt B, refer to specific yearbook production) Per Contract Award, Exhibit B, there is no charge for missed deadlines |
| Fees for Corrections NO CHARGES (Per Contract Award No. 07PSX0253-Exhibit B) |
| Fees for late Payments – If Applicable (over 45 days after receipt of final invoice and goods; C.G.S., Sec.4a52-13.Payment, © The contract shall be allowed to charge interest at a rate of one percent per month on amounts due whenever any state agency fails to make timely payment in accordance with subsections (a) and (b) of this section.) All Signatures required below must be obtained PRIOR to ordering yearbooks. |
| Signature of Class Advisor Date |
| Signature of Yearbook Advisor Date |
| Signature of Student Council Advisor Date |
| Signature of Business Manager Date |
| Signature of School PrincipalDate |
| Signature of Yearbook Company RepresentativeDate |

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Name of School)

| ANNUAL REPORT OF STUDENT STORE (Completed by the Business office only) | | | | |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| From 7 | °o | | | |
| Total Sales for Period | | | | |
| COST of GOODS SOLD Inventory at beginning of period | | | | |
| Add: Merchandise Purchase (Item) (Net of purchase returns) | | | | |
| Incoming Transportation Total Net Merchandise Purchases Total Inventory and Purchases Deduct: Ending Inventory Cost of Good Sold | <u>\$0.00</u> <u>\$0.00</u> | <u>\$0.00</u> | | |
| CROSS PROFITS ON SALES | | <u>\$0.00</u> | | |
| OPERATING EXPENSES Salaries Operating Supplies (Itemize) | <u>\$</u> <u>\$</u> | | | |
| Total Operating Expenses | | <u>\$</u> | | |
| NET PROFIT ON SALES <u>Gross Profit on Sales</u> Total Sales | =Percentage of Gross Profit to Total S | <u>\$</u> Sales - Current year | | |
| (from previous year's report) If the above figures show an excessive decrease in Percentage | =Percentage of Gross Profit to Total S e of Profit, an explanation should be sho | - | | |

Signed _

Activity Advisor

APPROVED:

Business Manager

APPROVED: _

CTHS Principal

Instruction for Completing MINUTES OF MEETING

(Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary)

The minutes of a meeting are the official record of business transacted and provide a permanent record of deliberations, activities, decisions and actions of the group.

Minutes are not a word for word account of everything said at the meeting. The good secretary is an intelligent listener capable of identifying the pertinent facts in any discussion or debate. The most simple and direct way to organize minutes is to follow the main headings in the agenda.

Names of persons who make motions and those who second them must always be noted. No Student Activity finances may be expended without a formal motion as noted in the Student Activity Minutes. All motions should be entered verbatim and reread to the group before the vote is taken. The disposition of each motion should be noted as; MOTION, CARRIED or MOTION FAILED, and the number in favor or opposed must be listed.

A form for recording the minutes of meetings is provided in the manual. The following is a guide to the information that will be required:

Student Activity Minutes – School Name Name of Group or Organization Agenda Topics Regular or Special Meeting Meeting Number Date and time Place Presiding Officer (usually President)

Attendance (list members or attach a copy of the sign in sheet)

Order or business:

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Roll call
- 3. Secretary's Report
- 4. Treasurer's Report
- 5. Old Business (always report in a following meeting's minutes any motions that are canceled or altered)
- 6. New Business
- 7. Good & Welfare
- 8. Time of Adjournment

Next Meeting date and place (if known)

Secretary's initial and/or Signature on each page Advisor's Signature on required pages Principal's Signature on required pages

EXAMPLE – SIGN-IN SHEET

| Organization | |
|--------------|----------------------|
| Meeting # | |
| Date | - |
| | <u>Sign In Sheet</u> |
| Print | Signature |
| 1. | |
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EXAMPLE - PRE-PRINTED CLUB/CLASS MEMEBERS ATTENDANCE LIST

| Organization | |
|--------------|--|
| Meeting # | |
| Date | |

Pres. Mickey Mouse V.P. Dopey Secretary Minnie Mouse Treasurer Sleepy

| Seniors | Juniors | Sophomores |
|-------------|----------------|------------|
| Bambi | Goofy | Pluto |
| Thumper | Buzz Lightyear | Sneezy |
| Doc | Snowwhite | Woody |
| Donald Duck | Daisy Duck | Ariel |
| Chip | Dale | Huey |
| Dewey | Louie | Bashful |

| SAF #1 2 | 2 (revised 5/2006) |
|-----------------|--------------------|
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| <u>Minutes</u> | |
|--|--|
| (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary) | |
| Page 1 of | |

| School Name: | | | Page 1 of Secretary's Initials | |
|----------------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Name of Organ | ization: | | Meeting# | |
| | | Agenda (list to | Date: | |
| | | Agenda (list to | pics only) | |
| 1) Call to Order | r | | | |
| 2) Roll Call 3) Secretary's F | Report: | | | |
| | | | | |
| 4) Treasurer's l | Report: | | | |
| 5) Old Business | : | | | |
| 6) New Business | s: | | | |
| 7) Good and W | | | | |
| 8) Adjournmen | t | | | |
| 2) Roll Call: L | s called to order at ist the names of all those | e present at this me | | |
| 3) Secretary's R | | | etary: | |
| Minutes of the j | previous meeting # | on | were read by | _ |
| Motion to accep Seconded by: | ot minutes made by: | | | |
| Vote: | Hand: | Voice: | Ballot: | |
| in Favor: | #Opposed: | Carried: | Failed: | |
| Seconded by: | nd minutes from previo | ous meeting made | by: | |
| Vote to accept a | amended minutes: | | | |
| Vote: | Hand: | Voice: | Ballot: | |
| in Favor: | #Opposed: | Carried: | Failed: | |

| SAF # | 12 (1 | revised | 5/2 | 006) |
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<u>Minutes</u> (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary)

| School Name: Name of Organ | ization: | | Page 2 ofSecretary's InitialsMeeting#Date: | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|--|--|
| 4) Treasure's R | .eport: N | ame of Treasurer | | |
| Motion to accept | ot Treasurer's Report | made by: | | |
| Seconded by: | Hand: | Voice: | Ballot: Failed: | |
| in Favor: | #Opposed: | Carried: | Failed: | |
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<u>Minutes</u> (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary SAF #12 (revised 5/2006)

| (Completed b | oy Student C |)rganization/ | Club | Secretary) |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|------|------------|
| | | | | |

| School Name: | | | Page of Secretary's Initials | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Name of Organization: | | | Meeting# Date: | |
| 6) <u>New Busin</u> | ess: | | | |
| Motion # | Made by: | | Seconded by: | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Vote: in Favor: | Hand: #Opposed: | Voice: Carried: | Ballot: Failed: | |
| Motion # | Made by: | Seconded I | oy: | |
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| | | | | |
| Vote: in Favor: | Hand: #Opposed: | Voice: Carried: | Ballot: Failed: | |
| Advisor's Sig | nature: | Principa | l's Signature: | |

| | (Con | <u>Minutes</u> pleted by Student Organiz | | SAF #12 (revised 5/2000 |
|----------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------------|
| School Name: | | | | itials |
| Name of Organ | ization: | | Meeting# Date: | |
| (make addition | al copies of this page as | s needed) | | |
| 6) New Busines | | | | |
| Motion # | Made by: | | Seconded by: | |
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| Vote: | Hand: | Voice: | Ballot: | |
| in Favor: | #Opposed: | Carried: | Failed: | |
| Motion # | _ Made by: | Seconded | by: | |
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| Vote: | Hand: | Voice: | Ballot: | |

Advisor's Signature: _____

Principal's Signature: _____

| | (C | <u>Minutes</u> ompleted by Student Organizat | ion/Club Secretary) | SAF #12 (revised 5/2006) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|---|---|--------------------------|
| School Name: Name of Organ | nization: | | Page of Secretary's Meeting# Date: | Initials |
| 7) Good & We | lfare: | | Date: | |
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| | | | | |
| 8) Adjournmer | | | | |
| | to Adjourn made by: | | _ Seconded by: | |
| Vote: in Favor: | Hand: #Opposed: | Voice: Carried: | Ballot: Failed: | |
| The meeting w | as adjourned at | (time) by: | (| (name) |
| The next meeti | ng is scheduled for: | | | |
| Submitted by S | Secretary (Print) | Sią | gnature: | |
| Advisor's Sign | ature: | Principal | 's Signature: | |

SAF #13

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STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

(Completed by the Business office)

(Name of School) June 30,

| Current Assets | Year ended June 30, 2004 | Year ended June 30, 2005 |
|-----------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Cash on hand | | |
| Petty Cash Fund | | |
| Checking Acct. United | 37,354.42 | 40,911.60 |
| Checking Acct. CNB | | |
| Saving Acct. | 4,056.34 | 1,061.98 |
| STIF | 7,563.90 | 4,219.98 |
| Saving Cert. | 1,744.00 | 8,345.45 |
| Saving Cert. | 1,251.79 | 1,251.79 |
| 5 | 51,970.45 | 55,790.80 |
| Inventory | | |
| Supplies | 1,028.70 | 657.35 |
| Resale | 428.60 | 238.83 |
| | 1,457.30 | 896.18 |
| TOTAL ASSESTS | 53,427.75 | 56,686.98 |
| LIABILITUES RESER | VES, SPECIFIC ACTIVITY A YEAR ENDING 06/30/96 | |

Current Liabilities Accounts Payable

| <u>Reserves</u> | | |
|-----------------|----------|--------|
| Inventory | 1,457.30 | 896.18 |
| | 1,457.30 | 896.18 |

Accounts

| VICA Kenneth Merrill Award H. Wilbur Scholarship | \$ \$ \$ | 520.94 9,954.85 2,995.79 | \$ \$ <u>\$</u> | 874.00 432.78 2,895.79 |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| | \$ | 24,387.69 | \$ | 32,572.41 |
| Surplus | \$ | 27,582.76 | \$ | 24,962.39 |
| Total Liabilities Reserves, Specific Activity Accounts | | | | |
| and Surplus | <u>\$</u> | 53,427.75 | <u>\$</u> | 58,430.98 |

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Name of School)

CASH RECONCILIATION

(Completed by Business office)

June 30,

| Balance on Hand, July 1, | | | Х |
|--|-------------|----------|---|
| Add: Total Receipts *Interest | X X | Х | |
| Total Receipts | | X | |
| Total Funds Available | | | |
| Deduct: Total Expenditures | | | |
| Book Balance, June 30, | | | |
| | | | |
| Cash on Hand, June 30, Petty Cash | X X X | | |
| Cash in Checking Account Investment Account | X X | | |
| Cash Balance, June 30 | | <u>X</u> | |

*Interest not posted to the accounts.

SAF #15

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURES

(Completed by the Business office)

| Account | Account Name | Opening | Receipts | Expenditures | Transfer | Adjustment | End Balance |
|---------|-------------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Balance | | | | | |
| 0101 | Cash*Checking | 3235.65 | 29567.73 | -31062.24 | 412.81 | _ | 2153.95 |
| 0103 | Petty Cash | 50.00 | _ | _ | _ | _ | 50.0 |
| 0240 | STIF | 32144.82 | 1935.96 | _ | _ | _ | 34080.78 |
| 0401 | Supplies Inv. | 3045.16 | _ | _ | -461.90 | _ | 2583.26 |
| 0402 | Athletic Equip. | 12930.82 | _ | _ | _ | _ | 12930.82 |
| 1011 | School Store | _ | -1712.25 | 1707.73 | 4.52 | _ | _ |
| 2004 | VICA | -33.67 | -2397.61 | 3884.00 | -1512.26 | | -59.54 |
| 2025 | Rotary Club | -317.25 | _ | 315.00 | 2.25 | | _ |
| 2102 | Class of 2002 | -611.15 | _ | _ | -48.78 | | -659.93 |
| 2103 | Class of 2003 | -895.65 | _ | | -71.49 | | -967.14 |
| 2104 | Class of 2004 | -1209.44 | | | -252.63 | | -2161.27 |
| 2105 | Class of 2005 | Х | Х | _ | Х | Х | Х |
| 2106 | Class of 2006 | Х | Х | | Х | | Х |
| 2204 | Yearbook 2004 | -498 | -5645.00 | 10284.74 | -4141.74 | | _ |
| 2205 | Yearbook 20005 | -85.67 | | | -6.84 | | -92.51 |
| 2206 | Yearbook 2006 | -128.52 | | _ | -10.26 | | -138.78 |
| 3000 | Misc. & Gen Surp. | -10216.68 | | _ | -1105.27 | | -11321.95 |
| 3001 | Reserves Equip. | -14779.48 | | _ | | _ | -14779.48 |
| 3002 | Reserves Inv. | -3237.8 | | — | 453.59 | _ | -2784.21 |
| 3003 | Interest Pending | | - -1974.74 | — | 1974.74 | | |
| | | | | — | | | |

For the Fiscal Year _____

CONFIDENTIAL STUDENT ASSISTANCE REQUEST FUND (Form must be completed by student and returned to Guidance)

| | School | |
|--|--|-----------------------|
| Name of Student | | |
| Grade/Trade | | |
| Date of Request | | |
| Student ID | | |
| Reason for request | | |
| Amount Requested: \$ | | |
| | *** Approval Section*** For Office Use Only | |
| Ve | erification of need by guidance department | |
| CHECK OFF ONE Appro | oved 🗌 Non Approved | Counselor's Signature |
| Total Amount granted: \$ | | |
| | ***Administration Office Approvals*** | |
| Principal's Signature: | | |
| Business Manager's Signature: | | |
| Funds Transferred to SAF Account | | |
| | Name of Account | |
| Transfer Voucher # | Date of Transfer | |
| Student's Signature(Transfer Advised to the second | cknowledgement) | |

Appendix II SAF Examples (Appendix II includes some SAF forms examples.)

| Example SAF Forms | Example of Student Activity Fund Total Budget (SAF #1a) Example of Minutes Form (SAF #12) Example of Student Store Report (SAF #11 |
|---------------------|--|
| Other Example Forms | Example of SAF Interest Distribution Formula Example of SAF Deposit Summary Cover Sheet |
| Taxes | Example - Filing a Sales and Use Tax Return Flow Chart to determine Federal Tax Reporting (1099-Misc.) |
| Yearbook | Budgeting for Yearbook Yearbook Budget Form Yearbook Worksheet |

TOTAL BUDGET

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND

(Completed by Student Council Advisor & Submission to Business office during May each year)

(Name of School)

For the year _____ - ____

| Column1 | SUBMITTED | APPROVED |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Estimated Balance at Beginning of the Year | \$ | \$ |
| Estimated Receipts: (other accounts maybe added in | accordance with school cha | rt of accounts) |
| Student Government | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2010 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2011 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2012 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2013 | \$ | \$ |
| Yearbook | \$ | \$ |
| Skills USA | \$ | \$ |
| National Honor Society | \$ | \$ |
| Athletics | \$ | \$ |
| Ski Club | \$ | \$ |
| Drama Program | \$ | \$ |
| Dance | \$ | \$ |
| *Student Fees | \$ | \$ |
| Total Estimated Receipts | \$ | \$ |
| Estimated Total Funds Available | \$ | \$ |
| Estimated Expenditures | | |
| Student Government | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2010 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2011 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2012 | \$ | \$ |
| Class 2013 | \$ | \$ |
| Yearbook | \$ | \$ |
| Skills USA | \$ | \$ |
| National Honor Society | \$ | \$ |
| Athletics | \$ | \$ |
| Ski Club | \$ | \$ |
| Drama Program | \$ | \$ |
| Dance | \$ | \$ |
| | | |
| Total Estimated Expenditures | \$ | \$ |

* In the schools where the income-producing activities will finance the expenditure program, the levying of a Student Fee may be estimated.

Submitted by:

Title

Date

Approved:

Date

<u>Minutes</u> (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary)

| School Name: | Technical Hig | n School | | Page 1 of | <u> </u> |
|--|---|---|--|---|------------|
| Name of Organizat | ion: <u>Basket</u> | Weaving Club | | Secretary's Initials Meeting# Date: 11/24 | 3 |
| | | Agenda (list to | pics only) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| Call to Order Roll Call Secretary's Report | ort: _ | Read last meeting min | utes | | |
| 4) Treasurer's Rep | ort: | Give balance of account expenditures | | pcoming revenues & | |
| 5) Old Business: | | Results of survey from | | | |
| 6) New Business: | | Fund raiser, dance fiel | d trip, t-shirts | | |
| 7) Good and Welfa | re: | newsletter, bulletin bo | ards | | |
| 8) Adjournment | | | | | |
| 1) Call to Order: T The meeting was ca | lled to order at | <u>12:30pm</u> | By (Name | e): <u>Sally Smith</u> | |
| 2) Roll Call: List t | the names of all | hose present at this me | eting or attach a li | st. | |
| | | | | | |
| Sally Smith, John Ad Minnie Mouse | dams, Ben Frank | lin, Wiley Coyote, Bug | gs Bunny, Daffy D | uck, Yosemite Sam, Mic | key Mouse, |
| | | | gs Bunny, Daffy D | uck, Yosemite Sam, Mic | |
| Minnie Mouse | ort: | Name o | of Secretary: | | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Repo Minutes of the prev Motion to accept m | ort: vious meeting # inutes made by | Name o 2_ on | of Secretary: | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Repo Minutes of the prev | ort: vious meeting # | Name o 2_ on | of Secretary: 11/1/2008we | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Repo Minutes of the prev Motion to accept m Seconded by: | ort: vious meeting # inutes made by | Name o 2_ on | of Secretary: <u>11/1/2008</u> we Bugs Bunn Ba | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Report Minutes of the prevent Motion to accept m Seconded by: Vote: Hand #in Favor | ort: vious meeting # inutes made by Daffy I Daffy I I Vote: _9_# opposed inutes from pro | Name o 2_ on | of Secretary: <u>11/1/2008</u> we Bugs Bunn Ba edFai | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> ny llot Vote: | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Report Minutes of the prevent Motion to accept m Seconded by: Vote: Hand #in Favor Motion to amend m Seconded by: | ort: vious meeting # inutes made by Daffy I Daffy I I Vote: _9_# opposed inutes from pro | Name of the second se | of Secretary: <u>11/1/2008</u> we Bugs Bunn Ba edFai | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> ny llot Vote: | |
| Minnie Mouse 3) Secretary's Report Minutes of the prevent Motion to accept mean Seconded by: Vote: Hand #in Favor | ort: vious meeting # inutes made by <u>Daffy 1</u> I Vote: 9_# opposed ninutes from pro- d as follows: | Name of the second se | of Secretary: 11/1/2008we Bugs Bunn Baged Baged | <u>Minnie Mou</u> re read by <u>Secretary.</u> ny llot Vote: | |

SAF #12 (revised 5/2006) Minutes (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary) School Name: Technical High School Page 2 of 5 Secretary's Initials MM Name of Organization: Basket Weaving Club Meeting# 3 Date: 11/24/08 4) Treasure's Report: Name of Treasurer: Our account balance is \$4000.00 and we expect revenues this month of \$100.00 from donations. Upcoming expenditures include purchase of straw to weave more baskets approves in prior meeting of \$200.00. Motion to accept Treasurer's Report made by: Wiley Coyote Seconded by: Mickey Mouse Hand Vote: ____ **Ballot Vote:** Vote: Voice Vote: 0 Carried _____ Failed: **#in Favor** _9_ # opposed 5) Old Business: Include status report of prior planned activities: The results of last weeks survey are that 50 people prefer that we make square baskets and 20 people would like us to make round baskets.

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|----------------|-----|------|----------|---------|--|
| <u>a</u> . | | | | 100 | |

(Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary)

| School Name: <u>Technical High School</u> | Page 3 of5_ |
|---|--|
| - | Secretary's Initials MM |
| Name of Organization: Basket Weaving Club | Meeting# <u>3</u> |
| | Date: <u>11/24/08</u> |
| 6) <u>New Business:</u> | |
| | |
| Motion #1 Made by:Ben Franklin | Seconded by: John Adams |
| | |
| To conduct a fund raiser to earn money for a field trip the Ba | sket Weaver's Hall of Fame in East Jabrew, Kansas. |
| We will sell baskets for #10.00 each from 12/1/2008. The ba | skets cost \$5.00 each to make so we make \$5.00 |
| profit for each basket we sell. Orders will be taken in advance | e and money collected in the Cafeteria during |
| lunches. Deliveries will be 12/23/2008 at the end of the scho | ol day in the lobby |
| Trained collection teams will conduct daily sales and bring m | noney to main office each day for deposit |
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| Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: | Ballot Vote: |
| | $d \underline{x} Failed: \underline{x}$ |
| Motion #2_Made by: Sally Smith | Seconded by: _Wiley Coyote |
| Field Trip to Basket Weaver's Hall of Fame on June 1, 200 | |
| Jabrew, Kansas and bring us back on June 2, 2009. We will | |
| person. 2 people per room. Food and all other purchases wi | |
| \$10.00 per person to the Hall of Fame and will be paid out of | |
| \$200.00. | The total is |
| <u>\$200.00.</u> | |
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| Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: | Pollot Votor |
| Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: #in Forum 0. # annoad 0. Comia | |
| #in Favor# opposedO Carried | |
| Motion #3_ Made by: Ben Franklin_ | Seconded by: <u>John Adams</u> |
| | |
| We would like to buy T-Shirts to wear on the Field Trip to th | |
| We will be purchasing 20 shirts at \$5.00 each from the T-Shi | |
| The shirts will be bright neon green with our school name on | the front and the words Dream Weavers on the back. |
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| | |
| Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: | Ballot Vote: |
| #in Favor <u>9</u> # opposed <u>0</u> Carried | d <u>x</u> Failed: |
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| Advisor's Signature: Principa | al's Signature: |
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| | <u>Minutes</u> |
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| (Completed by St | udent Organization/Club Secretary) |

School Name: Page 4 of Technical High School 5_ Secretary's Initials MM Meeting# Name of Organization: **Basket Weaving Club** 3 Date: 11/24/08 6) New Business Motion # _____ Made by: _____ Seconded by: _____ _____ Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: Ballot Vote: <u>0</u> Carried <u>x</u> #in Favor <u>9_</u># opposed _____ Failed: _____ _____ Motion # _____ Made by: _____ Seconded by: _____ Ballot Vote: ____ Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: <u>9</u> # opposed <u>0</u> Carried <u>x</u> Failed: ____ #in Favor _____ Motion # _____ Made by: _____ Seconded by: _____ Ballot Vote: ____ Vote: Hand Vote: Voice Vote: ____ #in Favor _9_# opposed 0 Carried x Failed: Advisor's Signature: _____ Principal's Signature: _____

<u>Minutes</u> (Completed by Student Organization/Club Secretary)

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| Name of Organization: <u>Basket Weav</u> | ving Club | Secretary's Initials <u>MM</u> Meeting# Date: <u>11/24/08</u> | 3 |
| 7) Good & Welfare: We will be posting our newsletter on the new New member recruitment should be done a | | | |
| 8) Adjournment: Motion to Adjourn made by: <u>Sally Smith</u> | Seconded | by: <u>Wiley Coyote</u> | |
| Vote:Hand Vote:#in Favor9_# opposed | Voice Vote:Ba0 CarriedxFa | llot Vote: | |
| The meeting was adjourned at | <u>1:00pm By: _Ben</u> | Franklin | |
| The next meeting is scheduled for: | to be announced | | |
| Submitted by Secretary: | Signature: | | |
| Advisor's Signature: | Principal's Signature: | | |

(Name of School)

ANNUAL REPORT OF STUDENT STORE (Completed by the Business office only) From __July, 1_____ To ___June, 30_____ **Total Sales for Period** \$17,910.16 **COST of GOODS SOLD** Inventory at beginning of period \$8,914.75 Add: Merchandise Purchase (Item) (Net of purchase returns) \$921.67 \$5,856.50 \$635.80 Incoming Transportation Total Net Merchandise Purchases \$7,413.97 Total Inventory and Purchases \$16,328.72 Deduct: Ending Inventory \$7,290.50 Cost of Good Sold \$9,038.22 CROSS PROFITS ON SALES \$8,871.94 **OPERATING EXPENSES** Salaries \$ \$ **Operating Supplies (Itemize) Total Operating Expenses** \$ NET PROFIT ON SALES \$ **Gross Profit on Sales** 50% Percentage of Gross Profit to Total Sales - Current year **Total Sales** (from previous year's report) 0.30% Percentage of Gross Profit to Total Sales - Prior year If the above figures show an excessive decrease in Percentage of Profit, an explanation should be shown below:

Signed ____

Activity Advisor

APPROVED: _____

APPROVED: _____

STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND EXAMPLE – INTEREST PENDING TRANSFER DISTRIBUTION FORMULA

| 3003 | INTEREST PENDING TRANS | | | \$124.00 |
|-------|---------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| 2004 | | \$376.78 | 1.99% | \$ 2.47 |
| 2013 | | \$2,071.26 | 10.92% | \$ 13.55 |
| 2044 | | \$3,890.12 | 20.52% | \$ 25.44 |
| 2197 | | \$4,694.88 | 24.76% | \$ 30.70 |
| 2198 | | \$6,823.46 | 35.99% | \$ 44.62 |
| 2199 | | \$1,104.23 | 5.82% | \$ 7.22 |
| | | | | \$ 124.00 |
| TOTAL | | \$18,960.73 | 100.00% | \$124.00 |

| DOCU | MENT DATE: | Stude Bank Depos | ent Activit sit Summary | y Fund y Cover Sheet | Depo | sit # |
|---------------|------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| CASH ACCT. | DATE | DESCRIPTION | CREDIT ACCT. # | CREDIT ACCT NAME | AMOUNT | Posted in Check Book |
| 101 | | | | | | |
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CHECKS

| 1 | 8 |
|--------------|----|
| 2 | 9 |
| 3 | 10 |
| 4 | 11 |
| 5 | 12 |
| 6 | 13 |
| 7 | 14 |
| Total Checks | |

| DOLLARS |
|---------|
| |

| \$100.00 |
|----------|
| \$50.00 |
| \$20.00 |
| \$10.00 |
| \$5.00 |
| \$1.00 |

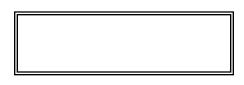
COINS \$1.00 \$0.50 \$0.25 \$0.10 \$0.05 \$0.01

Total Dollars

Total Coins

TOTAL DEPOSIT

DEPOSIT BAG NUMBER



EXAMPLE

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Filing a Sales and Use Tax Return

Sales and User Tax Return (Used when sales tax has been included in the price of the yearbook and for other various item when tax is collected as part of the item)

Sales and Use Tax Return – per Dept. of Revenue Services, Corrections Department Using Alternate Method for taxpayers who do not account for sales tax separately from gross receipts. (Sale tax has been included in the price of the sale item.)

Line 1- Gross receipts from sales of goods – write in alternate methods .943 Deduct the total of all exempt sales from gross receipts.

- This total is the amount you should have recorded on the back of the sheet under deductible items at 6% tax rate. Sales for resale sale of goods (under \$20.00)
- For receipts subjects to the 6% tax rate, multiply the remaining balance by 94.3% (.943)
- Now add back the amount you subtracted for exempt sales
- Enter this amount on line 1

Continue filing out the sheet.

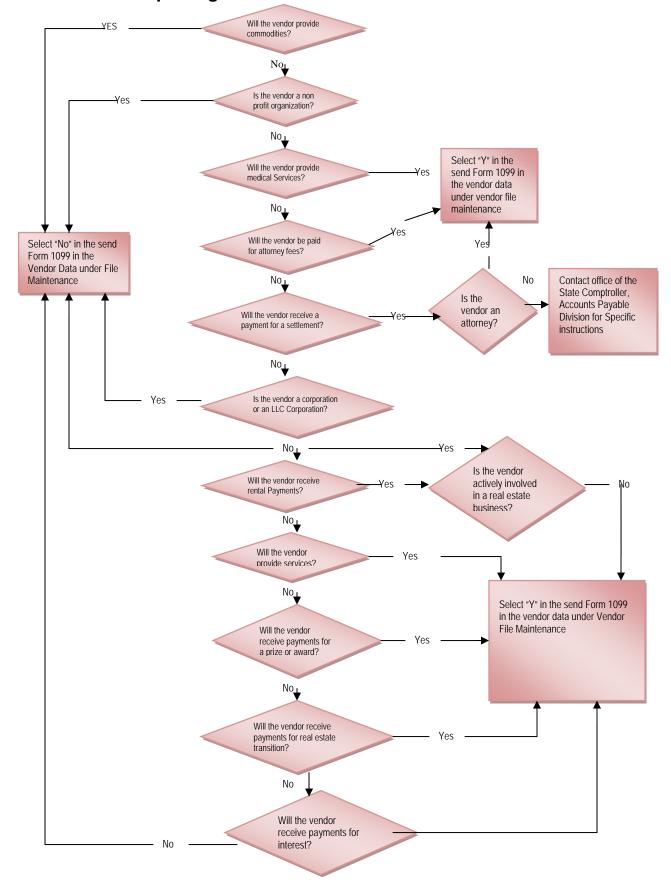
Bring down the total to line 7 and the deduction total to line 8 and the amount after deduction to line 9. Now multiply that amount on line 9 by 6% (.06)

Enter the total amount due for tax on line 14.

Example

| 1. Gross Receipts from Sales of Goods (Alternate method .943) | |
|--|-----------|
| Ex: Receipts were for \$3474.00 - \$77.00 (exempt sales amount) = | |
| \$3397.00 x .943 = 3203.37 + 77.00 = 3280.37 | \$3280.37 |
| 2. Gross Receipts from Leases and Rentals | |
| 3. Gross Receipts from Labor and Services | |
| 4. Purchases of Goods by your Business Subjects to Use Tax | |
| 5. Leases and Rentals by your Business Subject to Use Tax | |
| 6. Purchases of Services by your Business Subject to Use Tax | |
| 7. Total (Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6) | \$3280.37 |
| 8. Deduction Totals (please complete reverse side. Enter amount from total line on | \$ 77.00 |
| reverse) | |
| 9. Balance Subject to Tax (Line 7 minus Line 8 but not less than zero) | \$3203.37 |
| 10. Gross amount of Tax Due (line 9 x 6%) | \$ 192.20 |
| 11. Credits | |
| 12. Net Amount of Tax Due | \$ 192.20 |
| 13. For late payment of Tax | |
| 14. Total Amount Due | \$ 192.20 |

Student Activity Association Fund Determining Federal Income Tax Reporting For Issuance of 1099-Misc. Form



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BUDGETING FOR YEARBOOKS

An annual budget should be developed to assist schools in the yearbook decision making process. The availability of funding to cover the total cost of producing the yearbook may effect the yearbook content, design and features, and the quantities to be ordered.

The yearbook budget form is intended to facilitate the decision making process and should be completed by the yearbook advisor with guidance from the school business manager.

The yearbook advisor, school business manager, and school Principal or designee must ensure the liquidity of the SAF yearbook account. If the estimated expenses exceed the estimated revenues, the school may choose from several options including:

- Changing the content, design, and/or features of the yearbook
- Increasing anticipated fund-raising activities
- Requesting pre-approval from Senior Class for an additional allocation of funds

The form should be authorized and dated by the yearbook advisor, school business manager and school Principal or designee and forwarded to the CTHSS Central Office Student Activity Fund Coordinator for final approval prior to ordering the yearbook.

YEARBOOK BUDGET FORM SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL

| Yearbook Revenues | Cost | Date Available |
|---|-------------|----------------|
| a) Balance Forward | \$ | |
| b) Estimated revenues to be generated from the sale of yearbook advertisements: | | |
| | | |
| # of full-page ads x's \$ per ad = \$ | \$ | |
| # of half-page ads x's \$ per ad = \$ | \$ | |
| # of quarter-page ads x's \$ per ad = \$ | \$ | |
| # of one-eight-page ad x's \$ per ad = \$ | \$ | |
| c) Monetary Gifts/Donations for yearbooks(Other donations, class donations, fundraisers) | \$ | |
| | | |
| d) Estimated revenues from sale of the yearbook to seniors. | \$ | |
| e) Estimated revenues from sales of the yearbook to other students, family members, school staff, and | Ŷ | |
| community members | | |
| f) Miscellaneous revenues (i.e. bank interest, unused pictures sale) | \$ | |
| g) Total estimated revenues (add columns a through f) | \$ | |
| | | |
| YEARBOOK EXPENSES | | |
| h) Total quantity to be ordered x's price per yearbook * | \$ | |
| i) Postage and mailing expenses | \$ | |
| j) Additional expenses: \$ | \$ | |
| k) Total estimated expenses (add columns i through I) | \$ | |
| | | |
| YEARBOOK LIQUIDITY | | |
| I) Total estimated revenues less total estimated expenses (subtract column m from column h) | \$ | ** |
| | | |
| | | |
| * Includes costs of color photographs, cover selection, personalization, etc. | | |
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| ** If this figure is negative, the estimated expenses exceed the estimated revenues. The estimated revenues | | |
| and/or estimated expenses must be adjusted to ensure liquidity. | | |
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| Signature of the Yearbook Advisor: Date: / | 1 | |
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| Signature of the Yearbook Advisor: | | |
| Signature of the Class Advisor: Date:/_ | / | |
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| Signature of the Class Advisor: Date:/_ Signature of the Student Council Advisor: Date:/_ | / | |
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| Signature of the Class Advisor: Date:/_ Signature of the Student Council Advisor: Date:/_ Signature of the School Business Manager: Date:/_ | / / | |
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| YEARBOOK BUDGET WORKSHEET | ł |
|---------------------------|---|
| School Name: | |

Job No.

Advisor:

Date:

| INCOME | #OF | PRICE | TOTAL | COST OF PUBLISHING | EXAMPLE | PRICE |
|-------------------------------|-----|-------|-------|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| Yearbook Sales | | | | Base Price Additions: | | |
| Copies | | | | | | |
| Copies | | | | Plus Copies | | |
| Individual Options | | | | Plus Pages | | |
| Name Stamping | | | | Less Copies | | |
| Vinal Covers | | | | Less Pages | | |
| Other | | | | Cover | | |
| Other | | | | End Sheets | | |
| Advertising Sales | | | | Paper | | |
| Traditional Sales- display | | | | Second Color | | |
| Ads for Grads Sales - parents | | | | Four Color - 2 Multiples | | |
| Patron Sales - messages | | | | Senior Color | | |
| Sponsor Sale -Name of company | | | | Matalay - Foil | | |
| Other | | | | Supplement | | |
| Other | | | | Special Services | | |
| Budget Building Items | | | | Diet Cost | | |
| Activities -Senior writeups | | | | Shipping | | |
| Activities | | | | Name Stamping | | |
| Activities | | | | Vinal Cover | | |
| Products | | | | Lamination | | |
| Products | | | | Photography | | |
| Other | | | | Photographer | | |
| Other | | | | Film | | |
| Miscellaneous | | | | Processing | | |
| Senior Fund | | | | Other | | |
| Activity Fund | | | | Postage | | |
| Donations | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | | | |
| PROJECTED PROFIT OR LOSS | | | | | | |