



Grafton Hot Stove League
PO Box 52, Grafton, Ohio 44044

Dear Hot Stove/OGSO Booster/Area Merchant,

Planning for our 2017 baseball/softball season is upon us. Every year a letter is sent to the merchants of Grafton & surrounding communities asking for a donation to help keep our organization going. Most of the merchants have been generous with our request and we appreciate every bit of the support especially as our participation increases!

We are asking for your help for the upcoming 2017 season. Rising expenses such as insurance, umpire fees, field maintenance, equipment and uniforms require strong sponsorship support and tireless fundraising throughout the year to remain a healthy organization.

Each player will continue to keep his/her shirt and hat upon completion of the 2017 season. Grafton Hot Stove reserves the right to determine the place of purchase and style of lettering on the uniforms and/or banner for a team sponsor. The boys' hats will keep the traditional "G". Beginning the 2013 season our girls program has been doing business as Midview OGSO under the Grafton Hot Stove umbrella. The entire girls program became one back in 2011 with the merger of Midview North OGSO into Grafton OGSO. To follow suit with all OGSO communities in the Lorain-Medina program GHS agreed to rename the program starting with the 2013 season to emulate the school district.

Team sponsors will be on a first come, first served basis. If there is a special team you would like to sponsor, please send your response as soon as possible. All donations are requested to be received no later than January 14, 2017 so jerseys can be distributed in time for opening day. Please email me at GHSPresident@graftonhotstove.org if you have any questions.

We are looking forward to an exciting 2017 season. Thanks in advance for your support!

Sincerely,

Chris Miscuda

Chris Miscuda
Grafton Hot Stove & Midview OGSO President

Yes, we want to Sponsor a Grafton Hot Stove or Midview OGSO Team for the 2017 Season in the donation amount of \$450.

Sponsor Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Sponsor Check, made payable to: **Grafton Hot Stove League, Inc.**
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