

NORTHWEST ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

Funding Request

Please complete this funding request in its entirety.

- It is the policy of the NW Athletic Boosters not to purchase any uniform items.
- NWAB encourages items that will benefit many athletes for many seasons.
- Approval is more likely with consistent attendance and participation at NWAB meetings and activities by parents and coaching staff.

Amanda Anspaugh

Team Requesting Item: Volleyball Contact Name/Email: amanda.anspaugh@nwschools.org

Item: AcuSpike Team Trainer Total Cost (including shipping): \$3,050.00

Vendor Name: Acuspike Do you have quotes from other vendors? YES or NO only 1 vendor

Why/How will this item benefit Northwest Athletics? *****Please attach a description of the item*****

This item can be used from youth - 12th grade to improve ~~see~~ hitting approaches, footwork, and arm swings. (see attachment)

How many athletes will benefit from this item? entire program

How many years is this investment expected to last? heavy duty construction built to last

Has the school (or other source) been approached for funding support? Outcome? The program plans to purchase one machine and is asking the boosters for funding for a 2nd machine

What is the balance of your 72 account? \$5,000 How much will you contribute to this item? _____

In the past two years, what other non - budgeted requests have been made of NWAB? Please include short description, date, amount, and if approved. The volleyball program, to my knowledge,

has never requested financial support from the NWAB

In the past two years, how have you / your sport contributed / fundraised with NWAB? Over the past 2

year the VB program has worked more concessions than any other sport and are willing to help when asked, especially w/ the cash bash.

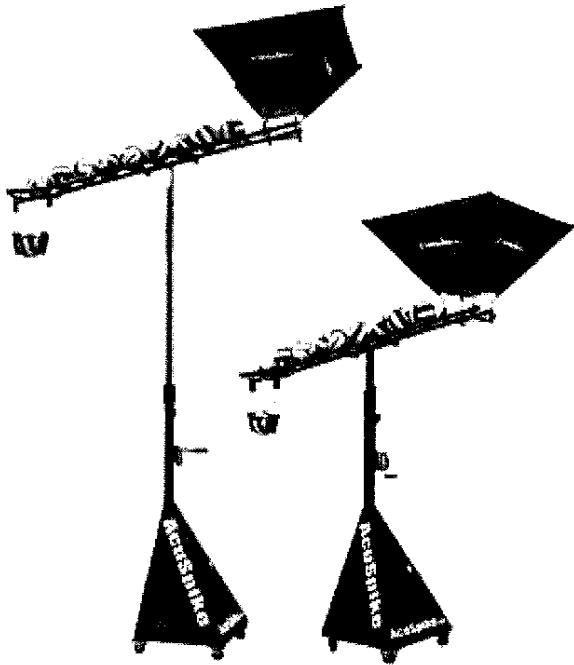
Signature of Head Coach/Contact Person: Amanda Anspaugh (validating request)

emergency

Signature of Athletic Director: _____ (validating athletic need)

Please submit this completed form to the Athletic Director for approval at least one week before the next NW Athletic Boosters meeting. AD will forward to NWAB Board.

Team Trainer - Space Saver



A Valuable Training Tool

Volleyball coaches know hitting skills are not developed overnight, taking years of playing experience for a player to master the correct footwork, approach, and arm swing to maximize their hitting potential. AcuSpike accelerates this process, providing the hitter with a predictable and easily adjustable target.

Whether an athlete trains with weights, a stop watch, or a baseball pitching machine, the key to perfecting and improving any skill is repeatable and measurable increases. AcuSpike makes it easy to track individual progress over time, including maximum vertical jump while maintaining a downward ball trajectory.

Repetitions and Conditioning

Traditionally, hitters could only practice hitting with the assistance from a setter or coach. What's more, younger athletes often don't fully develop their volleyball approach until they can clear the net. AcuSpike makes it possible to train without a setter, and with or without a net, at your convenience.

Expert volleyball players will find the AcuSpike useful as an endurance, conditioning, and vertical jump training tool. With AcuSpike, an athlete can exercise their approach and jumping limits to exhaustion,

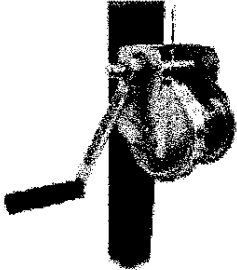
with measured feedback.



Results-Oriented

Most coaches agree that among the hardest skills to teach in volleyball are proper approach, jump, and arm swing; and then getting a player to do them all at the same time becomes a whole new challenge.

AcuSpike makes the job easier by providing a consistent target; it will give you the freedom to really focus on other fundamentals of the volleyball attack.



Monitor Progress

To meet every hitter's personal training targets, AcuSpike's height can be adjusted easily between 6 ft and 11ft (ground to the top of the ball). AcuSpike lets experienced volleyball players fine tune their technique, by monitoring vertical jump or hitting force in response to changes. It can be also used to test vertical jump height.

See the Ball Trajectory

Since AcuSpike releases every ball, you see the trajectory and power of every hit, giving you valuable feedback. Nearly all of the energy of each hit is transferred to the ball, which means that AcuSpike is instantly ready for the next hitter, with no machine vibration.

AcuSpike ball grippers are made from a thick, high compression foam, with contoured shapes for improved performance, and covered with ripstop nylon for maximum durability. The gripper rods are made from durable and flexible fiberglass, similar to tent poles.

Built to Last

The AcuSpike trainer is extremely sturdy, constructed with high strength carbon steel and engineered to withstand years of use by the most intensive high school, club, collegiate, or national level teams. Its heavy-duty assembly and integrated ballast system ensure it will not vibrate or move when struck. In addition, industrial grade casters with two-way locking mechanisms (swivel and roll) allow one person to easily move, lock down, or put away the AcuSpike. The reload hopper is made from high-strength nylon. AcuSpike is committed to quality, innovation, and building the world's undisputed best volleyball spike and vertical jump trainer.