



Breezeline Partners with West Virginia Black Bears to Support Monongalia County Schools

The U.S. internet provider donates \$5,000 to support STEM resources

MORGANTOWN, W.Va., August 28, 2023 – This summer, [Breezeline](#), the nation's eighth-largest cable operator, teamed up with the [West Virginia Black Bears](#) to raise funds for STEM resources at Monongalia County Schools.

Throughout the 2023 season, Breezeline donated to Monongalia County Schools every time a West Virginia Black Bears' player stole a base. With 103 stolen bases at home games, the Black Bears currently lead the MLB Draft League in the number of stolen bases.

"We are thrilled to partner with the West Virginia Black Bears to support Monongalia County Schools," said Sean Brushett, Breezeline's vice president of technical operations. "STEM education builds essential skills that will prepare students of Mon County for the future."

"We are proud to team up with Breezeline to support such an important cause," said Chris Allen, General Manager of the West Virginia Black Bears. "This initiative not only supports our local schools, but it also encourages our players to work harder on the field, knowing that their efforts will directly impact the community."

Susan Taylor, Coordinator of Student Programs and Community Resources for Monongalia County Schools, expressed her gratitude for the partnership, saying, "We are thankful for Breezeline's commitment to our schools and students. This donation will help us provide additional resources to support our students' educational needs and enhance their overall learning experience."

Breezeline is committed to making a positive impact in the Morgantown community. Earlier this month, Breezeline donated \$25,000 to the Hostetler Family Resource Center at WVU Children's Hospital and Breezeline held a digital literacy training at Monongalia Senior Center to help older adults learn internet basics.

ABOUT BREEZELINE

Cogeco US, operating as Breezeline, a subsidiary of Cogeco Communications Inc. (TSX: CCA), is the eighth-largest cable operator in the United States. The company provides its residential and business customers with Internet, TV and Voice services in 13 states: Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia. Cogeco Communications Inc. also operates in Québec and Ontario, in Canada, under the Cogeco Connexion name. Cogeco Inc.'s subsidiary, Cogeco Media, owns and

operates 21 radio stations as well as a news agency serving audiences primarily in the province of Québec.

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