

CLUB SPORTS NEWSLETTER

April, 2013



MARCH/APRIL SCORECARD

Tennis, 3/30	W
BADGERS	30
FLORIDA GULF COAST	10

W Volleyball A, 4/4	W
BADGERS	2
PENN STATE	1

M Water Polo, 4/6	W
BADGERS	14
PURDUE	7

W Lacrosse, 4/6	W
BADGERS	18
NORTHWESTERN	6

W Volleyball B, 4/4	W
BADGERS	2
ILLINOIS STATE	0

W Rugby 4/6	W
BADGERS	56
UW-OSHKOSH	5

SAVE THE DATE: Club Sports Banquet




Wednesday, May 1, 2013
6:00-9:00pm
Great Hall, Memorial Union

TICKETS:
\$12.50/person
Can be purchased at the UW Rec Sports website, under "Courses & Offerings"

Join your fellow athletes, coaches, student coordinators, and professional staff for an evening dedicated to honoring your success! The banquet will include a catered dinner, along with guest performances by the Redefined and Fundamentally Sound a cappella groups, along with the Understudies Improv group and Bucky Badger himself! This is a formal event—come dressed to impress!

We look forward to seeing you on May 1st!

DEADLINES:	Friday 4/19	Friday 5/3	Friday 5/3	Monday 5/3
	Summer Practice Requests due: WIN (4:30pm) Banquet Nominations due: WIN (5:00)	Fall Practice Requests due: WIN (4:30pm)	Annual Report due: WIN (4:30pm)	Equipment Inventory Report due: WIN (4:30pm)

Traveling with RecSports

Over spring break, several Club Sports took trips to spend time as a team and to get some extra practice. The Triathlon, Men's Rugby, and Waterski/Wakeboard clubs all took some time to share their experiences!

MEN'S RUGBY

In preparation for the Big Ten Championship and National Championship, the Men's Rugby Club journeyed to Ireland to play some competitive rugby and spend time as a team. 45 club members and three coaches made the trip. The group stayed in Galway the first two nights, and Dublin the remaining five nights. Over the course of their time in Ireland, the team played four matches against Irish teams. The competition was tough, and each match was intense and close. The team ended up winning all four matches, finishing 4-0! On days without games, they took advantage of their time and held two hour practices to further prepare. With all that work, they still had time to enjoy the rich Irish culture and see the beautiful countryside. That scenery included the Cliffs of Moher, which the team thoroughly enjoyed. To experience some culture, the group went on numerous tours including one of the Guinness Factory in Dublin. Overall the trip was a huge success for the team, and many of the players hope to return soon!



WATERSKI AND WAKEBOARD



We all know the weather in Madison isn't exactly ideal for waterskiing or wakeboarding. Eleven members of the Waterski and Wakeboard Club traveled down to the Bennets Water Ski and Wakeboard School in Zachary, Louisiana, in search of warmer weather and open water to begin preparing for their upcoming season. They spent five days at the site and practiced four times a day, switching between the different events of their sport. Those events include slalom, trick skiing, and jumping. For a break from practice the members spent a night in New Orleans, LA and had a lot of fun in the French Quarter. They also checked out the local scene in Baton Rouge. The team returned from their trip with a new addition: 'Big Red.'



This new towboat will be used to pull during practice. Come check it out yourself at their kickoff meeting for the spring season, which will be on April 14th at 6pm in Union South!

TRIATHLON

Twenty-eight members of the Triathlon Club headed southeast to Seneca, South Carolina this spring break. The weather in Seneca was ideal for biking, running and swimming, and the team was able to get a solid amount of practice in during their trip. They stayed in a house on a lake that was perfect for open water swimming. The house was nearby quiet, smooth roads for biking and running. Nearby mountains also provided the team with more challenging bike workouts.

A team tradition is to do a quad brick during spring break. A quad brick consists of biking then running immediately afterwards, repeated four times. For this brick, they biked for 3 miles and followed up with a 1 mile run. Bricks help the team better prepare for the bike-to-run transition that happens during a race. When asked what they did for fun, the team responded, "We swam, biked, and ran. Our sport is fun." Their trip was very enjoyable and they are prepared for warmer weather!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

KEY

Away Game
Home Game
****DEADLINE****

SUNDAY	M	TU	W	TH	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>14</p> <p>Triathlon, Collegiate Nationals (Tempe, AZ)</p> <p>Tennis, USTA Championships (Sunrise, AZ)</p> <p>W Basketball, Nationals (Raleigh, NC)</p> <p>W Lacrosse, Big 10 Tournament (West Lafayette, IN)</p> <p>Lacrosse MCLA @ Arkansas and Missouri (Columbia, MO)</p> <p>Baseball D1 @ Marquette</p> <p>Cycling @ Purdue and Notre Dame</p> <p>W Water Polo @ Ohio State</p> <p>Fencing, USACFC Championships (East Lansing, MI)</p> <p>Badminton, Wisconsin Open (Milwaukee, WI)</p>	15	16	17	18	<p>19</p> <p>Japanese Karate, AAKF Spring National Seminar (Minneapolis, MN)</p> <p>Archery, Regionals (Lacrosse, WI)</p> <p>**SUMMER PRACTICE REQUESTS DUE (WIN, 4:30PM)**</p> <p>**BANQUET NOMINATIONS DUE (WIN, 5:00PM)**</p>	20
				<div style="border: 2px dashed black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Remember, your club can get points for attending another club's game, tournament, or event!</p> </div>		<p>20</p> <p>Japanese Karate, AAKF Spring National Seminar (Minneapolis, MN)</p> <p>Archery, Regionals (Lacrosse, WI)</p> <p>Baseball D1 @ Northwestern (Evanston, IL)</p> <p>Baseball D2 @ Columbia (Chicago, IL)</p> <p>W Lacrosse, Regionals (Columbus, OH)</p> <p>Lacrosse GLLL, Tournament (Lake Forest, IL)</p> <p>Water Ski/Wakeboard @ Mizzou (Columbia, MO)</p> <p>Racquetball, Illinois Tournament (Champaign, IL)</p> <p>M Rugby D1, Nationals Round 1</p> <p>M Rugby D3 @ Milwaukee (Milwaukee, WI)</p> <p>W Soccer @ Iowa</p> <p>Lacrosse MCLA v. Robert Morris</p>
<p>21</p> <p>Japanese Karate, AAKF Spring National Seminar (Minneapolis, MN)</p> <p>Archery, Regionals (Lacrosse, WI)</p> <p>Baseball D1 @ Northwestern (Evanston, IL)</p> <p>Baseball D2 @ Columbia (Chicago, IL)</p> <p>W Lacrosse, Regionals (Columbus, OH)</p> <p>Water Ski/Wakeboard @ Mizzou (Columbia, MO)</p> <p>Cycling, Regionals (Madison, WI)</p>	22	23	24	25	<p>26</p> <p>Lacrosse MCLA v. Iowa (Madison, WI)</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Baseball D1 @ UW-Eau Claire (Eau Claire, WI)</p> <p>Baseball D2, Makeup Game</p> <p>W Soccer, Tournament (Lacrosse, WI)</p> <p>Water Ski/Wakeboard @ Iowa State (Aimes, IA)</p> <p>M Rugby D1, National Quarterfinal</p> <p>M Rugby D3, Border Battle 7's (Eau Claire, WI)</p> <p>Lacrosse GLLL, Championship Tournament (Madison, WI)</p> <p>Capoeira, Open Roda (Madison, WI)</p> <p>Triathlon, Crazylegs Classic (Madison, WI)</p>

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