

CLUB SPORTS NEWSLETTER

MARCH 2013



FEBRUARY/MARCH SCORECARD

W. VOLLEYBALL, 2/23	W	MEN'S ULTIMATE, 2/17	W	WOMEN'S HOCKEY, 2/17	W
BADGERS A-TEAM	4	BADGERS	13	BADGERS C-TEAM	2
UW MILWAUKEE	1	CORNELL	5	SAUK PRAIRIE	0

TENNIS, 2/17

The Tennis Club played at the USTA Campus Championship, held in Madison, WI. The team won 7/8 games by an average of 11 points per game. Their 5th place finish qualified them for Nationals in Arizona (April).

CYCLING, 2/13

The Cycling Club traveled to Columbia, KY to compete against other schools in the Midwest Conference. Alex Meyer placed 1st in the Men's A Road Race, and Joe Maloney placed 4th in the Men's A Criterium.

FIGURE SKATING, 3/2

The Collegiate Synchronized Skating Team traveled to Dearborn, MI for the 2013 National Championships. The team received their highest score of the season, placing 7th out of 13 and beating long-time rival Western Michigan.

JAPANESE KARATE, 3/2

The Japanese Karate Club traveled to Rosemont, IL for the 2013 Windy City Tournament. Daniel Lador took 1st in both brown belt kata and kuma, while Laura Miller placed second in both intermediate kata and one-time-attack.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are in the process of creating a promotional video for the Club Sports program. The video will debut at the Club Sports Banquet, set to be held May 1, 2013. If you have any pictures or video footage, please send them to cschlecht@wisc.edu.

SAVE THE DATE!

Club Sports 1st Annual Banquet
Open to all Club Sport members
May 1, 2013, 6:00-9:00pm
Great Hall, Memorial Union
(Ticket information coming soon!)

DEADLINES:



APRIL 3

Club Sports Council Meeting (5:00pm, NAT)

APRIL 5

Spring Exam Week Practice Facility Requests due (4:30pm, WIN)

APRIL 19

Summer Practice Facility Requests due (4:30pm, WIN)

FENCING

This club has been a part of the University for many years. Once upon a time fencing was a varsity sport at UW-Madison, but we are still active in the Midwest fencing scene. Our coach, Prevot d'Armes Michael Garrison, is one of the best in the country, with experience and credentials that have made him a respected regular in the modern American fencing scene and earning him the Midwest Conference Coach of the Year in 2010. Mike has guided this club and its team for years.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

April: National Championships of United States Association of Collegiate Fencing Clubs (Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI)



CONTACT INFORMATION:

We welcome questions and new members throughout the whole academic year, so feel free to contact Club President Kyrie Caldwell at kcaldwell@wisc.edu

If you've ever been interested in the sport as seen in the Olympics or in movies, please come try fencing! The club has all the equipment you need other than your athletic clothes and your mind, waiting to discover how fun and enthralling the sport can be. We hope to see you soon!

CLUB PROFILE

RecSports: How often do you hold practices?

Fencing Club: The club practices for two hours, two times per week, with the team having one more two-hour practice on top of that. We can also practice at our coach's private fencing school, the Madison Fencing Academy, which meets for two hours twice a week.

RS: What are some of your goals for the upcoming season?

FC: We've seen a big increase in numbers this year, so we're hoping to get as many fencers to competition as possible. A weekend-long tournament [requires] weeks and weeks of practice, so it's great to get out and compete.

RS: What's been your biggest accomplishment so far?

FC: Our biggest accomplishment lies with our individual fencers, and we're very proud of the dedication and

talent each one brings to the club and team. We have made great fencers out of students who have never fenced or even participated in competitive sports before.

RS: How often does your team travel?

FC: The team travels throughout the Midwest, usually to Northwestern and Notre Dame, as well as to our National competition, which varies by location yearly.

RS: What makes your club unique?

FC: Fencing is a very unique sport, one that requires individual performance based on mental agility as much as if not more than physical prowess. Our coach calls fencing "chess at 100 miles per hour," which suggests why the sport is so cognitively interesting. Despite the sport's individuality, our club also acts as a social network, always producing a close-knit group.



UPCOMING EVENTS: MARCH

KEY: Away Game
Home Game
DEADLINE

SUNDAY	M	T	W	TH	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
10 Women's and Men's A Ultimate: Stanford Invite (Palo Alto, CA) Lacrosse MCLA @ St. Cloud and Duluth (Minneapolis, MN) Women's Hockey: League Tournament (TBD) Men's B Ultimate (Cedar Rapids, IA)	11	12	13	14	15 Tae Kwon Do: Samurang Games & Marital Arts Festival (Palatine, IL) Wrestling (Little Chute, WI and Reedsburg, WI)	16 Tae Kwon Do: Samurang Games & Marital Arts Festival (Palatine, IL) Baseball @ Loyola (Chicago, IL) Cheerleading: Xtreme Spirit Midwest National Championship (Wisconsin Dells, WI) Kendo: 6th Annual Midwest Tournament (East Lansing, MI) Women's Lacrosse: Exhibition/Free Clinic Women's Rugby Scrimmage
17 Baseball @ Loyola (Chicago, IL) Cheerleading: Xtreme Spirit Midwest National Championship (Wisconsin Dells, WI) Lacrosse GLLL (Platteville, WI) Women's Lacrosse: Exhibition/Free Clinic	18	19	20	21	22 Lacrosse MCLA (Wales, WI)	23 Men's Rugby, Ireland Tour Baseball, Spring Break Trip (Plant City, FL) Cycling @ Lindenwood University Women's Ultimate (Austin, TX) Men's Ultimate A (Wilmington, NC) Men's Ultimate B (Naperville, IL) Women's Hockey (Beaver Dam, WI) Women's Rugby (Nashville, TN) Wrestling: Purple Pummel Open (Whitewater, WI) Figure Skating (Ann Arbor, MI)

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