

Warhawks Athletics Strategic Priority Fund

The University of Wisconsin-Whitewater is a premier comprehensive institution, and Warhawk Athletics is committed to providing our more than 700 student-athletes with a first-class experience academically, athletically and socially. The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics is dedicated to UW-Whitewater's institutional mission and we seek to contribute to the university's overall success. That means competing on a national stage and winning championships.



In 2018 the Women's Gymnastics team won the NCGA National Championship for the second straight season and fifth time in program history.

Warhawk Athletics has a tradition of longtime coaches who are mentors, teachers and role models for our student-athletes. From recruitment to graduation, our coaches work with athletes and their families to help students balance the pressures of practice, competition and school work. They encourage teams to be active in community service and be positive role models on and off the field. Coaches work with individual students to develop their potential to achieve overall team goals. They support students experiencing challenges and celebrate personal breakthroughs. We continue to graduate well-rounded, talented student-athletes by providing intercollegiate athletic opportunities, engraining leadership values and providing academic resources.

As we look to the future of Warhawk Athletics, we recognize that the department must invest in its programs to provide all student-athletes with the necessary amenities to be successful. We seek to provide our coaches with adequate resources for recruiting a strong team, including training camps, in-season travel and additional training gear and equipment.

We envision a first-class experience for our studentathletes that supports their post-workout nutrition needs and invests in their personal development through award-winning programs, like our Warhawk Leadership Academy. The Warhawk Leadership Academy is the first of its kind for a Division III program, combining peer mentoring to help freshmen and sophomores transition into the role of

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a student-athlete with outside speakers to work with students to translate their personal skillset for the workforce.

The Warhawk Athletics Strategic Priority Fund will allow the Director of Athletics to best focus resources on projects that will maximize the student-athlete experience and benefit the overall health and competitiveness of individual sport programs. Warhawk Athletics is Powered by Tradition and driven by the coaches and alumni who tirelessly worked and continue to work to achieve a hard-earned reputation for excellence. With you, new tradition in Athletics can begin.



Seniors Malia Smith, Brooke Trewyn and Andrea Meinert hold the conference tournament champion trophy. The three were named to the All-Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference first team. A season filled with achievements for the Warhawks women's basketball team came to a close with hugs, a few tears and plenty of pride.



In 2014 UW-Whitewater became the first school in NCAA history to win the trifecta – National Championships in football, mens basketball and baseball in one year.



UW-Whitewater junior Jordan Newman, earned a fall over UW-Stevens Point's Cody Nielsen.

