

**University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Athletic Board
Annual Report 2001-2002**

Meetings: The Athletic Board met 8 times. In addition the Chair of the Board met with Athletic Department Director 8 times. The Subcommittees [Fiscal, Long Term Development, Personnel, Governance and Compliance, and Academic Integrity] also met as needed.

Issues Discussed and Policies Reviewed:

Budget/ Financial needs for 01-02

Klotsche Expansion Project and Environmental Impact

Evaluated the Academic Assistance area and Student Athlete Study Habits

Hosting the 2003 Horizon League Men's Basketball tournament

Athletic Eligibility Requirements

Fall GPA summaries [Dept. GPA 3.083 for 270 student athletes]

Equity in Athletics Disclosure Report

Academic Policies and Tutor Schedule

Game schedules and Tournament schedule for all sports

Graduation Rates

Athletic Board Bylaws, Student Athlete Handbook, Guide for boosters, Supporters and Fans of UWM Athletics

Interviews/Discussions:

Interviewed candidates for numerous positions in the Athletic Dept., including Fundraiser, Associate Athletic Director, Assistant Sports Information Director, Tickets and Events Coordinator

Discussed Apple Conference, Healthy Choices project, Athlete CORE survey

Met with representatives and advisors of the Cheerleaders, Mascot, and Dance Team; and the Assistant Athletic Directors

Other Activities:

Individual members attended various athletic events, Midnight Madness, Basketball Kickoff Luncheon, NCAA Children's Volleyball clinic, Scholar-Athlete Recognition Reception

Members assisted with Horizon League volleyball and men's soccer tournaments

Sent congratulatory letters for successful seasons to all head coaches.

Items of Interest: UWM placed 84 student-athletes on the 2001-02 Horizon League Academic Honor Roll (cum GPA 3.25 or above).

In the 2000-01 year UWM ranked second in Academics in the Horizon League.

In the summer of 2001 UWM won the Horizon League McCafferty Award (based on points accumulated by academics and athletic events).

Members:

Laurie K. Glass, Chair

Carol Haertlein

Janice Miller

James W. Cleary, Alumni Rep

Fred Eckman

Gwyn Wallander, Secretary

Rita Cheng, Faculty Athletic Rep

Ex-Officio: Bud Haidet, Director Athletics; Deanna D'Abbraccio, Associate Director; MA Kelling, Assistant Director.

Michael Gordon

William Horstman

Jose Torres

Rene Gratz, Vice-Chair

Andre Tyson

Errol Barnett, Alumni Rep

6 Students were appointed in February but did not attend any meetings