BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB GUIDE
Greetings from the Farm!

The Buck/Cardinal Club is essential to the success of Stanford Athletics. Donations to the Buck/Cardinal Club from alumni, parents, friends, and fans make up 10 percent of the department’s annual budget. As a former Stanford student-athlete, I am grateful for the Buck/Cardinal Club support I received first-hand and heartened as an administrator to see its far-reaching impact on the athletics department.

Our mission is to **inspire champions in life**. I hope we can count on you to help us achieve our mission year after year.

Thank you – Go Cardinal!

Heather M. Owen, ’98, JD
WOMEN’S BASKETBALL
SENIOR ASSOCIATE ATHLETICS DIRECTOR • DEVELOPMENT
BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB DONOR
I am forever grateful and humbled by my time as a student-athlete at Stanford. The experience of playing on the women’s water polo team and representing Stanford on the national stage is something I will cherish forever. The Buck/Cardinal Club was instrumental in providing support to help my team meet our goals. I am thrilled to give back as a member of the Buck/Cardinal Club Board and to help inspire and support the next generation of student-athletes reach their dreams.

Kaitlyn Lo, ’14

WOMEN’S WATER POLO • NCAA CHAMPIONS 2011, 2012, 2014
COMMUNICATION & ART
BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB DONOR & BOARD MEMBER

Being part of the Stanford men’s soccer team has changed my life. My teammates mean the world to me—we’re brothers. It’s been unbelievably fun jelling as a team and winning national championships together. The Buck/Cardinal Club provides us with incredible resources so we can both compete at our best and focus on our degrees. I am extremely grateful for that support. When I graduate next year, I know I’ll have the skills to excel beyond the Farm.

Corey Baird, ’18

MEN’S SOCCER • NCAA CHAMPIONS 2015, 2016, 2017
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, & SOCIETY
So many great things have happened because of my relationship with Stanford Athletics. Thank you Buck/Cardinal Club, for supporting me, my brother, my teammates—all of us. I’m very appreciative of your donations, your time, and your energy. Thank you very much.

Jarron Collins, ’01
Urban Studies
Assistant Coach • Golden State Warriors
Buck/Cardinal Club Donor

My pride for Stanford is in the connections and the friendships I’ve made—the people. I want to thank donors to the Buck/Cardinal Club for everything they’ve done to make my experience at Stanford enjoyable and memorable. Thank you.

Jason Collins, ’01
Communication
Ambassador • NBA Cares
Buck/Cardinal Club Donor
Supporting Championship Programs

What inspires me is watching these young women bond together and become something greater than themselves. This is only possible with the resources provided by the Buck/Cardinal Club. The unwavering efforts from the folks in sports performance, psychology, nutrition, and academic advising allow our student-athletes to truly dream big and pursue their academic and athletic passions.

Kate Bertko
HEAD COACH • LIGHTWEIGHT ROWING
BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB DONOR

The Buck/Cardinal Club supports everything Stanford Athletics does. I’m so proud of our team’s national title from last year, but even more important, I’m proud of all our student-athletes for their relentless pursuit of academic, athletic, and personal excellence. They’re fierce competitors, incredible friends, and support one another. Stanford isn’t just a place, it’s a community of like-minded people committed to excellence, which includes Buck/Cardinal Club donors. Thank you!

Greg Meehan
PAUL A. VIOLICH DIRECTOR OF WOMEN’S SWIMMING
BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB DONOR

Coming to Stanford on the heels of a national championship has been remarkable. I feel very fortunate to coach the women’s volleyball team and work together to find what our success looks like. Thanks to the Buck/Cardinal Club donors’ generosity, the student-athletes and coaches here are supported, empowered, and pushed to achieve their potential in every way.

Kevin Hambly
DIRECTOR OF WOMEN’S VOLLEYBALL
BUCK/CARDINAL CLUB DONOR
Buck/Cardinal Club Support in Action

Your gift to the Buck/Cardinal Club provides 900-plus student-athletes across all 36 varsity sports with the opportunity to achieve success in the classroom, in competition, and in the community. Buck/Cardinal Club support is critical to the continued success of Stanford Athletics.

- Scholarships
- Sports Medicine
- Full Cost of Attendance
- Sports Performance
- Meals & Nutrition
- Recruiting
- Academic Advising
- Equipment
- Leadership Training
- Transportation & Lodging

DID YOU KNOW?

- Stanford’s varsity athletics program is entirely self-funded—it receives no subsidy from the university.
- Stanford is tied with Ohio State for the most varsity sport offerings in the Power Five conferences.
- Stanford student-athletes account for more than one-eighth of the undergraduate population.
- Private support is the largest revenue stream for Stanford Athletics.
Join the Buck/Cardinal Club and enjoy these benefits

If you have questions regarding the Buck/Cardinal Club, please call 650.721.2410. Stanford University’s fiscal year runs from September 1 to August 31. When you make a gift to the Buck/Cardinal Club between September 1 and August 31, you qualify for Buck/Cardinal Club benefits in the following fiscal year.

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**YOUR STANFORD EXPERIENCE

*A Young Cardinal is someone who has been out of college for 10 years or fewer.

**Any person who gives more than $25,000 in support of Stanford Athletics has the opportunity to create his or her own Stanford Experience. To find out what opportunities are possible, please call Matt Wittig, Associate Director, Development, at 650.723.5051.
HOW TO MAKE AN IMPACT

Matching Gifts

Planned Giving

Reunion Giving

$25k+

Legacy Level Annual Giving

Foundations

Donor Advised Funds