The 2019 PROGRAM
MISSION: To graduate student-athletes and win championships.

VISION: We are nationally recognized for the exemplary character, achievements and contributions of our student-athletes to better our society.

MISSION / VISION / CORE VALUES

STUDENT-ATHLETE WELL-BEING
We are committed to the health, safety, academic, athletic and personal growth of each student.

INTEGRITY
We do the right thing and hold each other accountable.

RESPECT
We respect all people, their culture, beliefs, identity and thought.

STEWARDSHIP
We are responsible guardians of the University’s resources, relationships and reputation.

FAMILY
We are a collaborative team supporting one another.
Joel Nielsen, Director of Athletics

On behalf of our student-athletes and staff, thank YOU for your continued support of Kent State Athletics.

Kent State University continues to invest in the student-athlete experience and the experience for our fans. We were thrilled to see the M.A.C. Center Videoboard/Audio System upgrade become a reality this Fall and enhance our game day experience. The upgrade includes a new center-hung videoboard that displays large flat screens for viewing live action, graphics, and replays. The project was the first phase of the M.A.C. Center renovation plan.

This February construction began on the new Basketball and Volleyball Development Center. The Development Center will be an invaluable resource for our student-athletes, providing dedicated training space year around. The project is scheduled to be completed this August.

Last year, Kent State Athletics launched its first crowdfunding campaign. Sixteen teams requested funding for various projects to meet needs within their programs. With an initial goal of $80,000, the 16 micro-campaigns started by The Golden Flashes Club raised over $128,000, totaling 842 gifts from 498 unique donors. One of the most successful micro-campaigns came from the Kent State Wrestling team, generating over $25,000 from 201 donors.

This year we surpassed last year’s goal and then some! Sixteen teams requested funding, with an initial goal of $100,000. The micro-campaigns raised over $150,000 in 27 days, totaling over 1100 gifts from Golden Flashes supporters all over the world. Two of the most successful micro-campaigns came from the Kent State Baseball team, generating over $40,000 from 150 donations and track & field/cross-country securing $19,500 from 211 donations.

2019 marks the first competition for our women’s lacrosse team. Head coach Brianne Tierney and assistant coaches Amanda Glass and Morgan Fee will provide coaching to 24 student-athletes on the inaugural team. Also, a new state-of-the-art locker room welcomed the ladies to campus last August.

The success of our department and university would not be possible without the support from our donors, fans, alumni and community members. I look forward to another great year of Kent State Athletics and cheering on the Golden Flashes with YOU at our events!

Go Flashes!
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The Annual Athletics Scholarship Auction is the signature fundraising event for Kent State University Intercollegiate Athletics. All proceeds from the event support scholarships and ensure the sustainability of a first-class academic, social and athletic experience for over 400 Golden Flash student-athletes.
Football started pre-season by visiting a local Multi-County Juvenile Center, where they were able to connect with juveniles ranging in age from 12-18. Our football players took the time to talk openly with the kids, and share with them, life goals to help them become successful on the outside. On the same day, half of the football team went to a nearby homeless shelter to help prepare for the upcoming week. The players did laundry, cooked food, cleaned and made the beds. This was an eye-opening experience for both, as they learned to be grateful for what has been given to them.

Our largest elementary event of 70 KSU student-athlete’s (representing all teams) participated in the sixth annual Moving with the Flashes, a full day consisting of several different physical activity stations taught by the athletes.

Partnering up with the 2nd and 7 Foundation our athletes read and gave out over 800 Hog Mollie Children Books to over 10 different elementary schools. Each book is read to the children, and after the athletes spoke on the importance of literacy. Each child gets to take a book home for themselves.

Baseball and softball teams assisted in creating 130 holiday baskets for the community members of King Kennedy Center. Those baskets were then distributed during the Center’s holiday party to those in need.

Men’s and women’s golf programs teamed up with the Ben Curtis Family Foundation in their efforts to service underprivileged youth in the Kent area by giving each student a “Birdie Bag” filled with food and other supplies to help get them through extended weekends.

KSU gymnastics hosted their 11th annual “Pink Meet” event. This year’s meet collected $8,000 in proceeds that went to the COSA CARES program, a non-profit agency that helps families battling with breast cancer.

Helping others is what our student-athletes do. The athletes collected new clothing and donated over 40 large boxes of clothing toward the Hurricane Harvey relief efforts.

The Kent State Athletic department held its annual adopt-a-family for the holidays. Teams purchased presents for three families registered with the KSU Adult & Veteran Services.
Kent State’s twist on the ESPY Awards, the Golden Flash Gala brought together student-athletes and staff in an event showcasing the best performances of another great Golden Flash year on Monday Oct. 22nd in the Kent State Ballroom. During the evening, 10 athletes were recognized for their achievements and dedication on and off the playing field/court.

HOSTED BY KENT STATE’S OWN TY LINDER, THE GOLDEN FLASH GALA IS ABOUT MORE THAN JUST SPORTS. IT WAS A NIGHT FOR ALL STUDENT-ATHLETES TO HANG UP THEIR TENNIS SHOES OR CLEATS AND DRESS TO IMPRESS, AS THEY WALKED THE GOLD CARPET.

GOLDEN FLASHES GALA

FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
Pimnipa Panthong – Women’s Golf

LEADERSHIP AWARD
Matt Bahr – Football

MALE ACADEMIC TEAM OF THE YEAR
Cross Country

FEMALE ACADEMIC TEAM OF THE YEAR
Women’s Cross Country

WOMEN’S TEAM COACH OF THE YEAR
Rob Marinaro – Soccer

MEN’S TEAM COACH OF THE YEAR
Herb Page – Men’s Golf

MEN’S COMMUNITY SERVICE TEAM OF THE YEAR
Football

WOMEN’S COMMUNITY SERVICE TEAM OF YEAR AWARD
Women’s Basketball

STAFF MEMBER OF THE YEAR
Bob Lemieux
ACADEMIC HIGHLIGHTS

WOMEN’S GOLF
MAC LEADERS
20th consecutive MAC Championship, tied for 5th at NCAA Championships
In Learfield Cup standings in 75th place with 294.25 points

WRESTLING
Second in nation in Team GPA

HOLLY SPEERS
First player in softball program history to earn All-American First Team honors

RACHEL STYPINSKI
Became a three-time MAC Gymnast of the Year

3.30
AVERAGE TEAM G.P.A.

3.779
WOMEN’S CROSS COUNTRY
HIGHEST TEAM G.P.A.

3,500+
HOURS
STUDENT-ATHLETE VOLUNTEER WORK

Number of student-athletes with a 3.4 or higher G.P.A. (Dean’s List)

205 Fall Semester / 174 Spring Semester

Number of student-athletes with a 4.0 G.P.A. (President’s List)

48 Fall Semester / 43 Spring Semester
ATHLETIC HIGHLIGHTS

- All-MAC Selections
- MAC Distinguished Scholar Athletes
- MAC Freshman of the Year Honors
- MAC Coaches of the Year
- MAC Team Championships
- Academic All-American Honors from 12 different student-athletes
- Academic All-District Selections
- Academic All-MAC Team Members

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4 - MAC Coaches of the Year
5 - MAC Team Championships
16 - Academic All-American Honors from 12 different student-athletes
08 - Academic All-District Selections
03 - Academic All-Americans
22 - MAC Distinguished Scholar Athletes
68 - All-MAC Selections
148 - Academic All-MAC Team Members
Holly Speers

SOFTBALL

ATHLETIC HIGHLIGHTS

- NFCA First Team All-American (2018)
- MAC Player of the Year (2018)
- USA Softball Collegiate Player of the Year Top 25 Finalist (2018)
- NFCA All-Mideast Regional First Team (2018)
- All-MAC First Team (2018)
- USA Softball National Collegiate Player of the Week (2016, 2018)
- NFCA National Player of the Week (2016, 2018)
- Six-time MAC East Player of the Week
- MAC All-Tournament Team (2017)
- Academic All-MAC (2017)
- Part of winningest class in program history (140 wins)

Position: Infield
Hometown: Surrey, British Columbia
High School: Lord Tweedsmuir
Secondary School:

SPEERS IN THE MAC RECORD BOOK

- Second in career walks (129)
- Fourth in career slugging percentage (.711)
- Tied for fourth in career home runs (48)
- 10th in career RBIs (147)
- Highest single season batting average at .483 (2018)
- Recorded most walks in a single season with 60 (2018)
- Drove in the sixth most runs in a single season with 58 (2018)

LED THE NATION AND SET MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE SINGLE-SEASON RECORDS IN BATTING AVERAGE, ON-BASE PERCENTAGE (.656), SLUGGING PERCENTAGE (1.033) AND WALKS PER GAME (1.2). HOLLY SPEERS BECAME THE FIRST NFCA FIRST TEAM ALL-AMERICAN IN KENT STATE HISTORY.

CAREER

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“Kent State gave me the opportunity to pursue my academic and athletic goals. Academics are a very high priority and the academic staff creates an environment to thrive. Our coaching staff pushes their athletes to be their best possible selves on and off the field to create champions.” — H. Speers, Softball
“To me Kent State means opportunity and family. There are many benefits that come with many attending Kent State outside of being an athlete, one of them being the amazing support system. Another one is finding life-long friends that turn into family.”

Jade Brown

JUNIOR
LANSING, MICHIGAN
ANNUAL GIVING

Your support enables young men and women to come to Kent State and earn a degree while competing in the Mid-American Conference. A gift of any size is beneficial. **A donor becomes a TGFC member with an annual contribution of $100 or more.** Gifts to the annual fund directly support the $7 million student-athlete scholarship bill.

2018 CALENDAR YEAR

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2019 GOALS

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Private support from alumni, faculty and staff, students, and fans of the program enhance every aspect of the Golden Flashes student-athlete experience. We thank you for making the difference in the lives of so many.

COST OF STUDENT-ATHLETE

Your investment makes it possible for our student-athletes to achieve success in the classroom, in competition and in life. **Average cost to put one student-athlete through one year of school:**

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## The Golden Flashes

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Join the 110% Club by increasing your previous year’s donation by 10%. Every bit of extra effort makes a huge difference. Each member will receive a unique 110% Club gift.

Please call (330) 672-2078 if you would like more information about your last gift.

110% CLUB

OUR GOLDEN FLASHES GIVE 110% IN THE CLASSROOM AND IN THE COMPETITIVE ARENA. WE ARE ASKING YOU TO DO THE SAME!

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LOYALTY CLUB

WE RECOGNIZE THE COLLECTIVE PHILANTHROPIC LOYALTY OF OUR GOLDEN FLASH SUPPORTERS.

Donors receive exclusive incentives for their affinity to The Golden Flashes Club upon reaching milestone years noted for their continual investment in Kent State Athletics.

Upon reaching milestone years of 3, 5, 10, 15 & 20+ you will receive:

1: A unique username and password through the TGFC Loyalty Club gift redemption online store to select a special Loyalty Club gift at no cost to you!

2: Exclusive invitation for recognition at a special event for 20+ year donors.

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Q: HOW DO I RECEIVE BENEFITS THROUGH THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB?

Any gift towards supporting athletic scholarships (specific sport or endowment scholarships) qualifies you for benefits through The Golden Flashes Club.

Q: DOES MY PAYMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN EVENTS SUCH AS THE GOLF OUTINGS QUALIFY ME FOR THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB BENEFITS?

No. The goal of The Golden Flashes Club is to directly support student-athlete scholarships and help us close the gap on our $7 million annual scholarship bill. Payments for these events are allocated to cover event costs and are unable to be applied towards our scholarship bill.

Q: DO I NEED TO GIVE DURING A CERTAIN TIME OF THE YEAR TO RECEIVE FULL BENEFITS?

The Golden Flashes Club is on a calendar year giving schedule (January 1 – December 31). Your benefits become active from the date you make your gift through the remainder of the calendar year. For example: if a donor makes a gift in January, he or she will receive their full benefit package from January through December enabling them to reap their benefits for the calendar year.

Q: IF I MAKE A GIFT TO A PARTICULAR SPORT, DOES THAT CONTRIBUTION COUNT AS A GIFT TO THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB?

Yes! As long as the gift is to support scholarships, you will be eligible to receive benefits.

Q: IF I MAKE A NEW GIFT TO AN ENDOWMENT FUND IN INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS, DOES THAT GIFT COUNT AS A CONTRIBUTION TO THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB?

Yes! However, only if it supports a scholarship.

Q: DO MATCHING GIFTS COUNT AS PART OF MY TOTAL GIVING TO THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB?

Yes! You will receive credit for all matching gifts. Please be aware that match amounts are not tax deductible. Please visit www.kent.edu/match to see if your employer offers this benefit.

Q: ARE MY GIFTS TO THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB TAX DEDUCTIBLE?

All gifts not associated with ticket purchases or other benefits are 100% deductible. The Golden Flashes Club and the Kent State Foundation recommend consulting with your tax advisor regarding donations to Kent State Athletics and their tax-deductible value.
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WE WERE PROUD TO REVAMP THE VARSITY “K” CLUB IN 2018 AND WE ARE EXCITED FOR WHAT 2019 HAS IN STORE. KENT STATE ATHLETICS INVITES ALL FORMER STUDENT-ATHLETES TO JOIN THE 2019 VARSITY “K” GOLD CLUB, WHERE YOU CAN ENJOY AN UPDATED BENEFITS PACKAGE EXCLUSIVE TO FORMER STUDENT-ATHLETES OF KENT STATE UNIVERSITY.

Former student-athletes may join by calling The Golden Flashes Club at 330-672-2078 or going online at kentstatesports.com/varsityk.
What a great weekend for the 100th year of Homecoming! We hope you were able to attend the 7th Annual Varsity “K” FLASHBACK All Sports Reunion. This event was the largest one to date with over 500 former student-athletes and their families in attendance! We enjoyed sharing the experience with you and the joy it brought everyone to reconnect and reminisce with former teammates about the great times they had here at Kent State University.

Current and former varsity sports programs were represented at this event, uniting teams of the past and student-athletes of the future. No matter where you go, you will always be member of the Kent State Golden Flashes! #FlashesForever

HALL OF FAME 2018 INDUCTION

The 40th Annual Varsity “K” Hall of Fame Induction Brunch and Ceremony took place on Saturday, October 20th. The inductees elected to the Hall of Fame included eight former student-athletes and one coach from nine different sports. The 2018 Inductees were Kerry DeVries (Field Hockey), Jenny Eckel (Gymnastics), Jamie Fitzpatrick (Softball), Anthony Gallas (Baseball), Danielle Holt (Volleyball), Mike Inge (Men’s Track), Eugene Leonard (Wrestling), Colleen Ramharak (Women’s Track), and Usama Young (Football). The 2018 Honorees were Distinguished Athletic Alumnus Ben Rings, Honorary Varsity “K” Members Scott & Connie Hamilton, Varsity “K” Person of the Year Barbara Donaho and the Teams of Distinction 1958 Wrestling and 2000 & 2002 Field Hockey.

During halftime of the Kent State vs. Akron football game, we had the opportunity to recognize the Hall of Fame Class and Honorees on the field.
## 2019 Football Season Ticket Pricing

ELIGIBILITY GIFTS OR PAYMENTS MADE FOR COLLEGE ATHLETICS EVENT SEATING RIGHTS ARE NO LONGER 80% TAX DEDUCTIBLE, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018 PER THE TAX CUTS AND JOB ACTS H.R.1

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FOOTBALL HOSPITALITY

1. IBAKA PLATFORM
   - **Annual Donation**: $100 + or complimentary to all former student-athletes
   - **Location**: Covered Northeast platform
   - **Hospitality Includes**: Discounted prices on satellite concessions and beer. Game program.
   - **Number of Guests**: Limited to number of season tickets purchased
   - **Parking**: Complimentary East or West side parking

2. JIM & CAROLYN PHELAN VARSITY “K” ROOM
   - **Annual Donation**: $250 +
   - **Location**: Jim and Carolyn Phelan Varsity “K” Room & covered patio
   - **Hospitality Includes**: Complimentary heavy hors d’oeuvres, popcorn and discounted beer prices. Game program.
   - **Number of Guests**: Limited to number of season tickets purchased
   - **Parking**: Complimentary designated West side parking

3. PATIO PASS AT THE PRESIDENT’S BLUE & GOLD SUITE
   - **Annual Donation**: $2,500 for 2 passes (season ticket purchase required)
   - **Location**: Suite level West side patio
   - **Hospitality Includes**: Access to complimentary amenities in the President’s Blue & Gold Suite. Game program.
   - **Number of Guests**: Limited to number of season tickets purchased
   - **Parking**: Complimentary designated West side parking area

4. THE PRESIDENT’S BLUE & GOLD SUITE
   - **Annual Donation**: $5,000 for 2 seats (season ticket purchase required)
   - **Location**: Suite level West
   - **Hospitality Includes**: Complimentary food and full service bar. Game program.

For more information about hospitality options, please contact The Golden Flashes Club at (330) 672-2078 or athleticsstewardship@kent.edu.
Dix Stadium gates will open 90 minutes prior to kickoff and will host Happy Hour for the first 60 minutes with discounted food and beverage pricing.

PARKING
There will be a $5 charge for parking at Dix Stadium, East and West parking lots. All vehicles with a valid Kent State University parking permit will be permitted to park for free. Football season ticket holders will receive a parking permit valid for either the East or West lot.

HAPPY HOUR
Dix Stadium gates will open 90 minutes prior to kickoff and will host Happy Hour for the first 60 minutes with discounted food and beverage pricing.

FAMILY FUN ZONE
The South side of Dix Stadium hosts the Family Fun Zone. This area includes inflatables, giant games and fun for the whole family.

“As a member of the Golden Flashes Club I cannot express how moved and thankful my staff and I are to have your continued support of the student-athletes within our program. The opportunities provided to our FlashFAST family because of your support are exceptional. I look forward to watching our student-athletes continue to grow, as a result of your generosity. Thank You!”

Sean Lewis
HEAD COACH, FOOTBALL

Dix Stadium is located at 2213 Summit Street, Kent, OH 44242

Go Flashes!
The Golden Flashes Club Donor Lounge Annual Donation 100+
Location: The second floor Atrium of the M.A.C. Center
Hospitality Includes: Complimentary coffee, cookies, popcorn and a game program.

The NEW Club 33 pricing for our women’s basketball season tickets honor Coach Starkey’s favorite number, 33. For 2019-2020 season tickets, you may purchase a general admission package for just $33 or a chairback package for just $65. Starting next season, we will be adjusting all chairback sections to reserved seating only.

2019-2020 WOMEN’S BASKETBALL SEASON TICKET PRICING

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HOSPITALITY

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Todd Starkey
HEAD COACH
WOMEN’S BASKETBALL

“Kent State means family. I really love the atmosphere of Kent. Everyone is always willing to help me out. My scholarship allows me to get ahead in school.” — S. Brinlee, Women’s Basketball

WOMEN’S BASKETBALL

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Beginning 2019-2020, all ticket purchases are subject to a M.A.C. Center facility enhancement fee.

*Eligibility gifts or payments made for college athletics event seating rights are no longer 80% tax deductible, effective January 1, 2018 per The Tax Cuts and Jobs Acts H.R.1.

DONATIONS
All eligibility gifts should be made out to The Golden Flashes Club.

SEASON TICKETS
All season ticket payments should be made out to Kent State Athletics.
KSU Men's Basketball

SEATING CHART

MAC CENTER
KENT STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL ANNUAL SEATING CHART

LOWER RESERVE
SEC : L, K & J
ELIGIBILITY GIFT : $50 PER SEAT
TICKET PRICE : $85 PER SEAT
TOTAL : $135 PER 1 SEAT

CHAIRBACK
SEC : B, C & D
ELIGIBILITY GIFT : $500 PER 2 SEATS
TICKET PRICE : $265 PER SEAT
TOTAL : $1,030 PER 2 SEATS

SEC : A & E
ELIGIBILITY GIFT : $300 PER 2 SEATS
TICKET PRICE : $220 PER SEAT
TOTAL : $740 PER 2 SEATS

GENERAL ADMISSION : $85

Ticket Office : (330) 672-2244
kentstatesports.com
For info on our hospitality levels call The Golden Flashes Club at (330) 672-2078

“Kent State means hard work, perseverance, and sacrifice. I chose Kent State because I liked the winning tradition. My scholarship impacted me by making me realize how blessed I am. Not many people have this opportunity.” — K. Harris, Men’s Basketball
HOSPITALITY

THE GOLDEN FLASHES CLUB DONOR LOUNGE

Pre-game and halftime hospitality located on in the second floor atrium of the M.A.C. Center. The Donor Lounge is open to all members of The Golden Flashes Club ($100+ annual giving) and includes a cash bar accessible from the time gates open through the end of halftime.

Donors will enjoy complimentary coffee, cookies, popcorn, game program and a cash bar. Donors will also get to talk strategy with an assistant coach during Chalk Talk before tip-off.

FLASH’S NEST

An upscale hospitality reception area for donors at the All-Tournament level or higher ($2,500+ annual giving) available when gates open through the end of halftime. Flash’s Nest is located courtside in the M.A.C. Center arena and features a catered meal and open bar before every home game. The open bar is available through the end of halftime. Game programs are available.

“Thanks for supporting the men’s basketball program. Your support is the backbone to our program and all of our success!”

Rob Senderoff
HEAD COACH, MEN’S BASKETBALL
Thank You For Your Support!

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