



HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2015

The Ohio State Athletics Hall of Fame will induct nine more men's members the weekend of September 18-19 when the Northern Illinois Huskies come to Columbus. The new inductees increase the total of men's Hall of Famers to 293.

Reservations for the Athletics Hall of Fame Dinner Sept. 18, a joint dinner for the men and women inductees, are being accepted online at www.hangonsloopy.com/varsityo. The event will be held in the Hayes Grand Ballroom at The Renaissance Columbus Downtown and begins at 5:30 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres and cocktails; dinner will follow at 6:30 p.m. Individual tickets are \$75, with tables of eight available for \$600.



TIM ANDERSON
Football, 1968-70

A three-year starter in the Ohio State defensive backfield from 1968-70. A member of Ohio State's renowned "Super Sophomores" recruiting class, Anderson helped Ohio State to a 27-2 record in his three seasons, two Big Ten championships, a victory in the 1969 Rose Bowl over Heisman Trophy winner O.J. Simpson and Southern California, and national titles in both 1968 and 1970.

The native of Colliers, W. Va., was formidable to opposing offenses, earning First Team All-America honors and Second Team All-Big Ten recognition as a senior in 1970, when he totaled 49 tackles, eight pass break-ups, and a blocked extra point against Michigan. He recorded three career interceptions -- including a key one in the 1969 Rose Bowl victory -- and also had 10 punt returns for 72 yards.



JUSTIN COOK
Men's Soccer, 2000-02, 04

A 2004 All-American and the Big Ten Player of the Year, leading the Buckeyes to the program's first Big Ten regular season championship as a senior. A four-year letterwinner, Cook concluded his career ranked second in career goals (33) as well as the Buckeyes' career shots leader (191), season shots leader (71) and tied for first in career assists (17). He picked up Soccer America All-Freshmen team honors in 2000 and also earned NSCAA all-America third team honors in 2004. Cook was a four-time all-conference selection and is one of only two players in Big Ten history to be awarded both Big Ten Freshmen of the Year (2000) and Big Ten Player of the Year (2004) accolades.



TERENCE DIALS
Men's Basketball, 2002, 04-06

The 2006 Big Ten Player of the Year and First Team All-Big Ten selection, is No. 14 all-time in career scoring at Ohio State with 1,566 points. He ranks fourth in career field goal percentage, making 56 percent of his shots (604-1,082). Not only a consistent scorer, Dials rates fifth all-time with 876 career rebounds as a Buckeye. He led his teammates in rebounding in 2004, 2005 and 2006.

A two-time captain (2005, 2006), Dials earned Most Valuable Player honors as both a junior and senior. The Chicago Tribune named him the Big Ten's Most Valuable Player in 2006, his final campaign in Columbus. The Youngstown, Ohio, native played 132 career games for the Buckeyes, the 11th most appearances in Ohio State history.

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JOEY GALLOWAY
Football, 1991-94

A four-year letterwinner at wide receiver for the Buckeyes from 1991-94. He played in 36 games and started 27 times at split end. He finished his career as one of the great receivers in school history with 108 receptions for 1,894 yards and 19 touchdowns, totals that would be much higher had he not missed all but two games of the 1992 season because of injury. He still ranked in the Top 5 in school history in receptions (fourth), receiving yards (fourth) and touchdowns (second) while averaging more than 17 yards per catch. A two-time All-Big Ten Conference honoree and a Third Team Associated Press All-American in 1993.

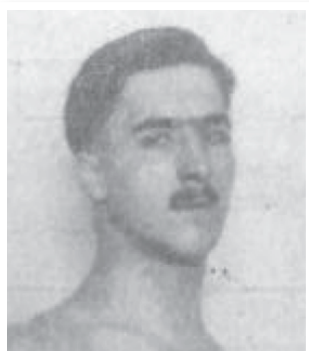
Galloway was an outstanding student. He was honored with a National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame Scholarship in 1994 -- just the 15th Buckeye in school history to achieve the honor -- and he was a three-time Academic All-Big Ten honoree who majored in marketing.



J JAGGERS
Wrestling, 2006-09

Jagers led the wrestling team to new heights on his way to winning back to back NCAA titles in 2008 and 2009. A three-time All-American and four-time NCAA qualifier, Jagers was one of the key members of the 2008 and 2009 Buckeye squads that finished second at the NCAA championships. One of just four Ohio State wrestlers in school history to win multiple national titles, Jagers collected 107 wins over his career and was the 2009 Ohio State Male Athlete of the Year.

A three-time team captain, Jagers, from Northfield, Ohio, ranks in the Top 20 in career wins (17th, 107), single season points (16th, 132.5, 2008), career points (16th, 281.0) and fastest fall (10th, 25 seconds).



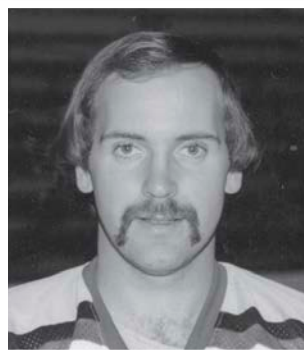
PERRY MARTTER
Wrestling, 1921-23

One of the pioneers of the sport of wrestling at Ohio State, starring on the first varsity team in 1921 and winning conference championships in both 1921 and 1922. As a sophomore in 1921, he won the Big Ten title at 158 pounds and then repeated in 1922, winning the 145-pound weight class. Before an injury derailed the end of his senior season, Martter led the Buckeyes to an undefeated record and conference championship in 1923, just the team's third season in existence. He was also named the Big Ten Wrestler of the Year (the first of five Buckeyes over 94 years to win the award) and finished his career with a 19-1 record (.950).



DAN SEIMETZ
Baseball, 1995-98

A four-year letterwinner for the baseball team from 1995-98, earning First Team All-Big Ten honors three times (1995, '97, '98). An NCBWA Second Team All-American and Collegiate Baseball Third Team All-American in 1997, Seimetz still holds the Ohio State records for single-season RBI (80), doubles (25) and home runs (19), all set in 1997. In addition, the three-time All-Big Ten pick garnered Mizuno and Baseball America Freshman All-American honors after hitting .396 with 20 doubles, 10 home runs and 58 RBI in 1995. The .370 career hitter and 1997 Big Ten Player of the Year was drafted in the 49th round of the 1997 amateur draft by the Yankees but elected to come back for his senior season.



PAUL TILLEY
Men's Hockey, 1977-80

A three-time all-CCHA performer for the hockey team, earning first team all-league honors in 1979 and second team accolades in 1977 and 1980. Tilley was named the program's Rookie of the Year in 1977 before garnering MVP honors in both 1978 and 1979. He was voted to the All-Buckeye Team as part of the program's 50th anniversary celebration in 2014.

Tilley ended his career with 212 points, the second-highest total at the time and a mark that is tied for fourth in program history. He is third among all Buckeyes with 131 career assists, while his 81 career goals are tied for the seventh-most among all Buckeyes.



JIM TRESSEL
Football Coach, 2001-2010

Tressel guided the Buckeyes to an overall record of 94-21 with nine bowl appearances (including seven BCS games), six 10-win seasons, six Big Ten titles and a national championship, all while posting an 8-1 record against rival Michigan. His 2002 team captured the Big Ten's first consensus national title since 1968, posting a 13-0 regular-season record and then defeating top-ranked Miami in the Tostitos Fiesta Bowl in a 31-24 double-overtime thriller, becoming the first Division I-A school to record a 14-0 campaign in the process.

229-78-2 in 24 years as a head coach, also guided Ohio State to national championship game appearances in 2006 and 2007.

Tressel, a native of Mentor, Ohio, will be enshrined into the National Football Foundation (NFF) & College Football Hall of Fame Class of 2015 in December.

You are cordially invited to The Ohio State University Athletics Hall of Fame Ceremony to honor the following inductees:

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Tim Anderson, Football
Justin Cook, Men's Soccer
Terence Dials, Men's Basketball
Lara Dickenmann, Women's Soccer
Natalia Diea, Women's Diving
Annabelle Fago, Rowing
Joey Galloway, Football

Therese Hession, Women's Golf Coach
J Jagers, Wrestling
Perry Martter, Wrestling
Teresa Meyer, Pistol
Dan Seimetz, Baseball
Paul Tilley, Men's Hockey
Jim Tressel, Football Coach

**Friday, The Eighteenth of September
Two Thousand Fifteen
Cocktails & Hors D'oeuvres at 5:30 pm
Dinner following at 6:30 pm**

**The Renaissance Columbus Downtown
Hayes Grand Ballroom
50 North 3rd Street, Columbus, OH 43215**

Advance Reservations and Payment Required. Please visit <https://www.hangonsloopy.com/varsityo> for reservations. Individual tickets, \$75 /
Tables of 8 available, \$600

We are unable to accept payment at the door, please submit payment when making your reservation.

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS: Friday, September 4, 2015

Please contact Varsity O if you have any questions at 614.688.3707 or email varsityo@osu.edu

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Deadline for reservations:

Friday, September 4, 2015

- > Printable reservation form is available online at <https://www.hangonsloopy.com/varsityo>
- > To submit reservation and payment by mail please return this form and payment (checks should be made payable to Ohio State Athletics) to:

Ohio State Athletics
c/o Jessi McCloy
Fawcett Center 8th Floor
2400 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, OH 43210

We apologize for any inconvenience, however, we are unable to accept payment at the door. Please submit payment when making your reservation.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime phone _____

E-mail _____

Individual tickets _____ @ \$75 \$ _____

Table of 8 @ \$600 \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Please indicate the names of guests attending:

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



Your Varsity “O” Alumni Association fulfills its mission of “Athletes Helping Athletes” in three main ways: Connecting Buckeyes; Supporting Student Athletes; and Preserving History and Tradition. How we do that is familiar to many of you, but this letter will serve as a brief refresher.

We connect Buckeyes with each other to help them in their employment. Our VO Network, and on-line Directory, give each of us the opportunity to link up with others in similar lines of work. If you are a young alum just getting started in your career, you may want to talk with former Buckeye athletes in your field. Chances are, those fellows know and appreciate the value of hiring former Buckeye athletes, who have the drive, ambition, work ethic, and will to succeed that make for a great hire. And if they can’t hire, maybe they know someone else who would benefit from hiring a Buckeye. These same principles apply to the more experienced alum who is looking to make a job change.

When I need to refer a case to an attorney in another city, or within Columbus in an area outside my area of expertise, I look to the Directory, as my first choice is to send the business to a fellow Buckeye athlete. I was the beneficiary of referrals like this years ago, and am now “paying forward”. Recently, I managed to pull a muscle and it was very painful. I chose a physician in my health insurance plan, and was delighted to discover that he is a loyal Varsity “O” member, a swimmer. It gave me a great deal of comfort to know that I was being treated by a Buckeye doctor (and he fixed me right up - Thanks, Dr. Tim Duffey!)

We also recognize the value of renewing old friendships, and making new ones with former teammates and others. So we put on a free huge tailgate party before the Homecoming Football game (October 18, see information in this Newsletter); we have parties at away football games (we are going to have a great event on October 23 before the Rutgers football game); we host pre-game receptions for football player members in the Varsity “O” Room in Ohio Stadium; we have special events at other sporting events (a hockey game and a wrestling match in the last two years); and pre-game receptions in the Fred Taylor Room at basketball games. All to connect Buckeyes.

To encourage you to return to campus and experience current Buckeye competitions, your Varsity “O” membership entitles you to free attendance for two at Olympic sports. As an Ohio State letter winner, you have unique opportunities to purchase OSU football tickets.

Another part of connecting is through written communications, accomplished through this Newsletter, e-mail messages, and our presence on Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn, as well as our website, osumensvo.com.

We support student athletes first by helping with college expenses. We have fully funded four scholarships. We also provide a scholarship for graduate school at Ohio State for an outstanding senior student athlete. In addition, we provide \$1,000 to the team with the highest grade point average, and another \$1,000 to the team with the most improved grade point average, all to benefit the coach’s discretionary fund.

Beyond supporting athletes by recognizing and rewarding their academic excellence, we provide the captains of each team with handsome personalized pewter mugs, typically presented at the post-season banquets. And, each new letter winner participates in a special ceremony in the Varsity “O” Room in Ohio Stadium, where Varsity “O” celebrates the presentation of letter jackets.

Finally, one of the privileges of serving on the Board of Varsity “O” is to honor our rich heritage, and preserve our history and tradition. For over a century, Varsity “O” has been an important part of The Ohio State University. All of you who have worn the scarlet and gray, and competed in historic venues, are part of this history. We honor our most outstanding Buckeye athletes each year with induction into the OSU Athletics Hall of Fame. This year’s class is again amazing, all well deserving of this special recognition. You can read about their accomplishments in this Newsletter, and how to participate in the recognition banquet on September 18.

Another of our traditions is the Tunnel of Pride before the football game against TTUN. It looks great to see the VO Banner proudly displayed on the field for the players to run under.

We honor our heritage further by hosting reunions for championship teams. For example, we are excited to be a part of the upcoming celebration of the 1966 National Champion Baseball Team.

We know that you are proud of your connection to Ohio State athletes, and your unique status as a Buckeye letter winner. To show your pride of being a key part of that history and tradition, your Varsity “O” membership allows you to buy rings, apparel, hats, and flags to show the world that you were—and are—a Buckeye athlete.

I hope this quick review has allowed you to recall all of the many ways your Varsity “O” helps athletes, past, present, and future. Thank you for being a part of Varsity “O”, and supporting our mission.

Go Bucks!

Steve Chappellear, President
Wrestling 1974



2015 HOMECOMING REUNION & TAILGATE

Ohio State vs. Maryland

Saturday, October 10, 2015

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Tailgate inside French Field House

NOON – Game Kickoff

Join fellow Varsity O members for a free homecoming reunion tailgate!

- Varsity O members may receive up to **5 complimentary admission tickets** to the Tailgate
- Varsity O members can purchase additional tailgate tickets for \$5 each
- ANYONE who wishes to enter French Field House **MUST have a ticket** to gain entry into the event
- Tickets **MUST** be purchased in advance and **will NOT be sold at the doors** the day of the event

To receive your complimentary tailgate tickets and/or to purchase additional tickets, please fill out and submit the form below along with any payment necessary by September 18, 2015 to:

**Varsity O Homecoming
Fawcett Center 8th Floor
2400 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, OH 43210**



First Name

Last Name

Varsity O member number

Mailing address

Email address

Phone

Sport & Years

Number of Complimentary Tickets: (up to 5 people, including yourself) _____

Number of Purchased Tickets: (if you plan on having more than 5 people in your group) _____

Total Number of Tickets _____

Amount Enclosed (\$5/ticket) \$

Varsity O cannot provide tickets to the Homecoming Game. We encourage you to attend this reunion event, visit campus, connect with former teammates and meet other athletic alumni who share the great experience of being an athlete at The Ohio State University!

Reservation and deadline to purchase tickets is Friday, September 18, 2015!

FOOTBALL

SEPT	07	at Virginia Tech
	12	HAWAII
	19	NORTHERN ILLINOIS
	26	WESTERN MICHIGAN
OCT	03	at Indiana
	10	MARYLAND
	17	PENN STATE
	24	at Rutgers
NOV	07	MINNESOTA
	14	at Illinois
	21	MICHIGAN STATE
	28	at Michigan
DEC	05	Big Ten Championship

After capturing the eighth National Championship in program history a season ago, the Ohio State football team looks to repeat in 2015 under fourth-year head coach Urban Meyer. The Buckeyes, who return 16 starters from last season, including seven on offense, seven on defense and both kickers, have seen 11 players garner preseason All-America honors before the 2015 campaign.

Offensively, the Buckeyes return both quarterbacks who saw time on the field last season – J.T. Barrett and Cardale Jones – although neither was slated to play much before a shoulder injury sidelined Braxton Miller. Barrett and Jones combined to set single-season school records for passing yards, touchdowns and completions and a healthy Miller, now at receiver, is back to pack even more punch to an offense that scored a school record 675 points a year ago. Also returning is junior running back Ezekiel Elliott, the nation's leading rusher with 1,878 yards and 18 touchdowns on the ground in 2014. The St. Louis, Mo., native looks to have plenty of room behind an offensive line that returns four starters in center Jacoby Boren, left tackle Taylor Decker, left guard Billy Price and right guard Pat Elflein.



The Buckeyes also should be strong on the other side of the ball behind a defense that ranked 19th nationally in total defense last year. Joey Bosa and Adolphus Washington will anchor the defensive line once again. A unanimous All-American and Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year last season, Bosa led the Big Ten with 21 tackles for loss and 13.5 sacks while Washington was named honorable mention All-Big Ten after tallying 10.5 tackles for loss and 4.5 sacks. The linebacking corps returns preseason All-American Darron Lee and Joshua Perry, who led the Buckeyes with 124 tackles a season ago. The secondary also keeps the trio of Eli Apple, Vonn Bell and Tyvis Powell which combined for 13 of the team's Big Ten-best 25 interceptions in 2014.

The Buckeyes look to avenge their lone loss from a season ago when they open the 2015 campaign at Virginia Tech Sept. 7. Home games against Hawaii (Sept. 12), Northern Illinois (Sept. 19) and Western Michigan (Sept. 26) round out the non-conference slate before Big Ten play opens at Indiana Oct. 3. The Buckeyes then host Maryland Oct. 10 and Penn State Oct. 17 before taking on Rutgers Oct. 24 in Piscataway, N.J. The back stretch of the schedule starts with a home contest against Minnesota Nov. 7 and a road trip to Illinois before a trip to Illinois Nov. 14. Ohio State then hosts Michigan State on Senior Day Nov. 21 before wrapping up the regular season at rival Michigan Nov. 28. The Big Ten Championship Game is slated for Dec. 5 at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis. The College Football Playoff Semifinals will be held at the Orange Bowl and Cotton Bowl Dec. 31 with the National

SOCCER

AUG	16	NOTRE DAME (exh.)	14	at Kentucky	
	21	vs Xavier (exh.) ¹	18	WISCONSIN	
	28	CAL STATE FULLERTON ²	21	CLEVELAND STATE	
	30	BINGHAMTON ²	25	at Rutgers	
SEPT	04	at UMBC	31	MARYLAND	
	06	at Navy	NOV	04	MICHIGAN
	11	at Northwestern		7-15	B1G Tournament ³
	16	at Akron		19	NCAA 1st Round
	20	PENN STATE	22	NCAA 2nd Round	
	25	DAYTON	29	NCAA 3rd Round	
	29	LOUISVILLE	DEC	04-06	NCAA Quarterfinal
	OCT	04		at Michigan State	11/13
07		BOWLING GREEN			
10		at Indiana			

¹Fort Wayne, Ind. ²Bert and Iris Wolstein Classic ³Campus Sites ⁴Kansas City, Mo.



Under the direction of 19th-year head coach John Bluem, the Ohio State men's soccer team enters 2015 looking to build off a strong finish to 2014 in the NCAA Second Round.

Leading goal-scorer Danny Jensen returns after tallying six goals and an assist in 21 matches a season ago. Senior defenders Kyle Culbertson (4 goals, 3 assists) and Liam Doyle (5 goals, two assists) also return to anchor a back line that will be relied

upon heavily after the loss of goalkeeper Alex Ivanov, who finished his Buckeye career last fall with 15 shutouts and a 1.03 goals-against average.

After exhibitions against Notre Dame and Xavier, the Buckeyes host the Bert and Iris Wolstein Classic Aug. 28-30, taking on Cal State Fullerton and Binghamton in Columbus. Ohio State then hits the road for matches against UMBC, Navy, Northwestern and Akron before the Big Ten home opener against Penn State Sept. 20. The Buckeyes then conclude the month with home contests against Dayton and Louisville.

A road match at Michigan State awaits Oct. 4 before a home matchup with Bowling Green Oct. 7 and two more road games at Indiana Oct. 10 and Kentucky Oct. 14. The Buckeyes then close the regular season with a stretch of four of five matches at home: hosting Wisconsin, Cleveland State, Maryland and Michigan sandwiched around a road contest at Rutgers.

The Big Ten Tournament will begin with a Big Ten play-in game Nov. 7. The quarterfinal matches will be hosted by the Top 4 seeds, while the semifinal matches and championship match will be hosted by the highest remaining seed. The NCAA Tournament begins Nov. 19 with the College Cup scheduled for Dec. 11-13 in Kansas City, Mo.

CROSS COUNTRY

SEPT	05	Dayton Flyer 5k Challenge ¹	NOV	01	B1G Championship ⁵
	19	Vanderbilt Invitational ²		13	NCAA Regional Championship ⁶
OCT	03	All-Ohio Championships (men) ³		21	NCAA Championship ⁷
	17	Pre-Nationals Invitational (men) ⁴			

¹Kettering, Ohio ²Nashville, Tenn.

³Cedarville, Ohio ⁴Terre Haute, Ind.

⁵Chicago, Ill. ⁶Madison, Wis. ⁷Louisville, Ky.

After finishing 10th at the NCAA Great Lakes Regional a season ago, the Ohio State men's cross country team looks to continue to improve under coach Karen Dennis.

Redshirt junior Nick Pupino is back after he missed the 2014 season due to injury but was the top Buckeye runner in 2013. He earned All-Great Lakes region honors with a 20th-place finish at the 2013 NCAA Great Lakes Regional Championships and was the top finisher for Ohio State at the Big Ten championships, placing 28th overall. Sophomores Nick Elswick and Clayton Bowie also look to spark the Buckeyes in 2015. Elswick was the top Buckeye runner at three meets during his freshman season. He finished in the Top 30 at the Roy Griak Invitational and Greater Louisville Classic while collecting Top-10 finishes at the Bluegrass Invitational and Flyer 5k Challenge. He earned a 69th-place finish at the Big Ten championships. Bowie competed in six meets as a freshman last year, highlighted by a 55th-place finish at the Big Ten championships.

The Buckeyes open the season at the Dayton Flyer Sept. 5 in Dayton, Ohio, before the Vanderbilt Invitational Sept. 9 in Nashville, Tenn. Ohio State then travels to the All-Ohio meet Oct. 3 in Cedarville, Ohio and Pre-Nationals Oct. 17 in Louisville, Ky. The Big Ten Championships are set for Nov. 1 in Chicago, Ill., with NCAA Regionals Nov. 13 in Madison, Wis., and NCAA Nationals Nov. 21 in Louisville, Ky.





NATIONAL LETTERWINNERS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Varsity "O" traveled to Baton Rouge, Louisiana in June to meet with other letterwinner organizations from around the country to share ideas about "best practices." On June 18-20, Varsity "O" President Steve Chappellear attended the National Letterwinners Association annual conference on the campus of Louisiana State University.

The conference kicked off with an opening reception at a sports bar neighboring the campus. The reception provided a great setting for introductions and making connections with the other attendees. 32 universities sent representatives to the conference. From the Big Ten Conference, we were joined by Indiana, Maryland, Nebraska, Michigan State, and Michigan. Other universities in attendance included Notre Dame, Kansas, Louisville, New Mexico, Iowa State, Alabama, Mississippi, Clemson, Oregon, Houston, Rice, Baylor, Navy, and Southern Mississippi.

The first day began with discussions by a staff member from the NCAA about a national networking database to help all present and former student-athletes with career and networking advice. There were also sessions regarding career fairs, the use of social media such as Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn to connect and communicate with members, diversity and outreach, and letter award presentations.

In each of the sessions, designated presenters discussed what their schools did, and shared false starts, problems, and successes. Then other attendees would chime in with their own stories and suggestions. It was a collaborative, sharing process with everyone engaged trying to make all of our Varsity letterwinner associations better. Of course, there was also some occasional "trash talk" between rival schools.

The day also included behind the scenes tours of the LSU athletics facilities and the campus.

On the second day, there were presentations about Board leadership, organizational structure, game day activities, and how to build an alumni association.

For Varsity "O", lessons learned from the conference are that our organization leads the pack in the benefits provided to our members and in the support provided to current student athletes and the Athletic Department, all central to the stated mission of "Athletes Helping Athletes"; that Varsity "O" is recognized among its peer organizations as a national leader; and that we are constantly striving to improve, in all areas, such as by sparking new ideas and making connections at meetings such as this conference.

GRATEFUL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

My name is Andrew Moses. In May of 2010, I received the Varsity O Post-Graduate Scholarship. After being a football student athlete from 2005-2009 and receiving two undergraduate degrees, I was thrilled to have the opportunity to continue my education at The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law. The Scholarship made the costs of law school a little easier to bear and provided added incentive to remain a Buckeye for three more years. I am so grateful to have had my law school experience at Ohio State.

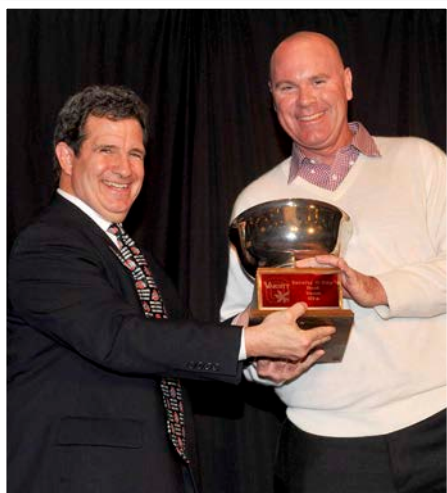
I graduated from Moritz in May of 2013, thankfully passed the bar exam that summer, and began working at the Brouse McDowell law firm in their Cleveland office. For the last two years, I have worked primarily in the firm's litigation practice group handling a wide variety of cases. Brouse has been a great place to learn as a young lawyer, and witnessing the renaissance of downtown Cleveland has been an added bonus. If you haven't visited the North Coast in the past 2 years, I would love to show you around!

One of the best ways Varsity O can "pay it forward" is to give current student athletes the opportunity to continue their education at one of the greatest universities in the world. I want to thank all of you for your continued support of Varsity O and the Post-Graduate Scholarship. It made a huge difference in my life, and I know it has for other recipients as well.

Go Bucks!!

Andrew Moses '09, '10, '13 JD





Varsity "O" President Steve Chappellear presenting the VO Cup for the Team with the Highest GPA to Ty Tucker, Head Tennis Coach.



Andrew Braun, the winner of the Bill Wentz Post Graduate Scholarship, with Varsity "O" President Steve Chappellear.



Varsity "O" President Steve Chappellear presenting the VO Cup for the Team with the Most Improved GPA to Justin Sochor, Head Diving Coach.



Varsity "O" Board member Matt Terwilliger, serving as chauffeur for the Grand Marshal in the Bexley Fourth of July Parade.



First year letter winners from the Big Ten and National Champion wrestling team celebrating their letter jackets



Varsity "O" President Steve Chappellear, after presenting Captain Mugs to the 2015 Wrestling Captains, Hunter Stieber, Logan Stieber, Kyle Snyder, and Nathan Tomasello.



Head Wrestling Coach Tom Ryan models a 1934 era wrestling robe at the season ending banquet for the Big Ten and National Champions.



Spring Letter Jacket Ceremony



Time and Change: Contrasting photos of the Varsity "O" Room in Ohio Stadium, 1954 (scoreboard showing a Buckeye victory over That Team Up North), and 2015.



Varsity "O" Helps Build Ohio Stadium

In October, 1920, the men of Varsity "O" helped the fundraising effort for the construction of Ohio Stadium. They marched in the Stadium Week Parade. This photograph looks northeast from South High Street, just south of Broad Street.

The billboard on Capitol Square showed a drawing of the proposed stadium, with the phrase, "The magnet which will draw the rest of the world to Columbus."

Chic Harley said, "We're heart and soul for this stadium, the fellows who know what it is to go in there and fight with all that's in it for Ohio State and her glory."



The 1966 Ohio State baseball team won the national championship. The team begins a year-long celebration of its 50th Anniversary by being honored at the September 12 home opener football game against Hawai'i.

VO HOMECOMING HATS

The ever-popular homecoming hat makes a return for the thirteenth year. Always a sell-out, this year's edition has all the features you have to come to expect from your Varsity O Alumni Association. The khaki hat features accent stitching, Varsity O logo on the front and the traditional buckeye leaf on the bill. Hats are available to current, dues-paying members only. Proceeds from the sale of the hats support our Bill Wentz post-graduate scholarship and team academic awards. Hats are \$15.00 per hat (includes shipping). To order your hat, submit your contact information and payment (check made payable to Varsity O Alumni Association) and mail to :

VO Store
PO Box 736
Worthington, OH 43085

***DUE TO DEMAND, ONLY
TWO HATS PER MEMBER**



VARSIITY O FLAG

Special order from the Flag Lady in Columbus, Ohio. To order your flag (3' x 5'), submit your contact information and \$50 (check made payable to Varsity O Alumni Association) and mail to :

Varsity O Alumni Association
Fawcett Center, 8th Floor
2400 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, OH 43210



VARSIITY O RING

Your choice of Celestrum silver for \$180.00 or 10K yellow or white gold for \$924.00 (plus \$14.95 shipping & handling and tax). To order your ring, submit your contact information and payment (check made payable to Varsity O Alumni Association) and mail to :

Varsity O Alumni Association
Fawcett Center, 8th Floor
2400 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, OH 43210

CAPTAIN'S CLUB

Four years ago, Varsity O started to recognize all student athletes who served as captains for their teams by awarding an engraved pewter mug. Prior to that time only the football and basketball captains were recognized. These awards have been so well received that VO is making the same award available for purchase to any previous captain. Cost is \$130 which includes shipping. All proceeds support our scholarships and outreach programs.



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