



"BOW DOWN TO WASHINGTON,
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MIGHTY ARE THE MEN
WHO WEAR THE PURPLE AND THE GOLD,
JOYFULLY WE WELCOME THEM
WITHIN THE VICTORS' FOLD.
WE WILL CARVE THEIR NAMES
IN THE HALL OF FAME
TO PRESERVE THE MEMORY OF OUR DEVOTION.
HEAVEN HELP THE FOES OF WASHINGTON;
THEY'RE TREMBLING AT THE FEET
OF MIGHTY WASHINGTON,
THE BOYS ARE THERE WITH BELLS,
THEIR FIGHTING BLOOD EXCELS,
IT'S HARDER TO PUSH THEM OVER THE LINE
THAN PASS THE DARDANELLES.
VICTORY'S THE CRY OF WASHINGTON...
LEATHER LUNGS TOGETHER
WITH A RAH! RAH! RAH!
AND O'ER THE LAND
OUR LOYAL BAND
WILL SING THE GLORY
OF WASHINGTON FOREVER."

WHAT DOES IT TAKE

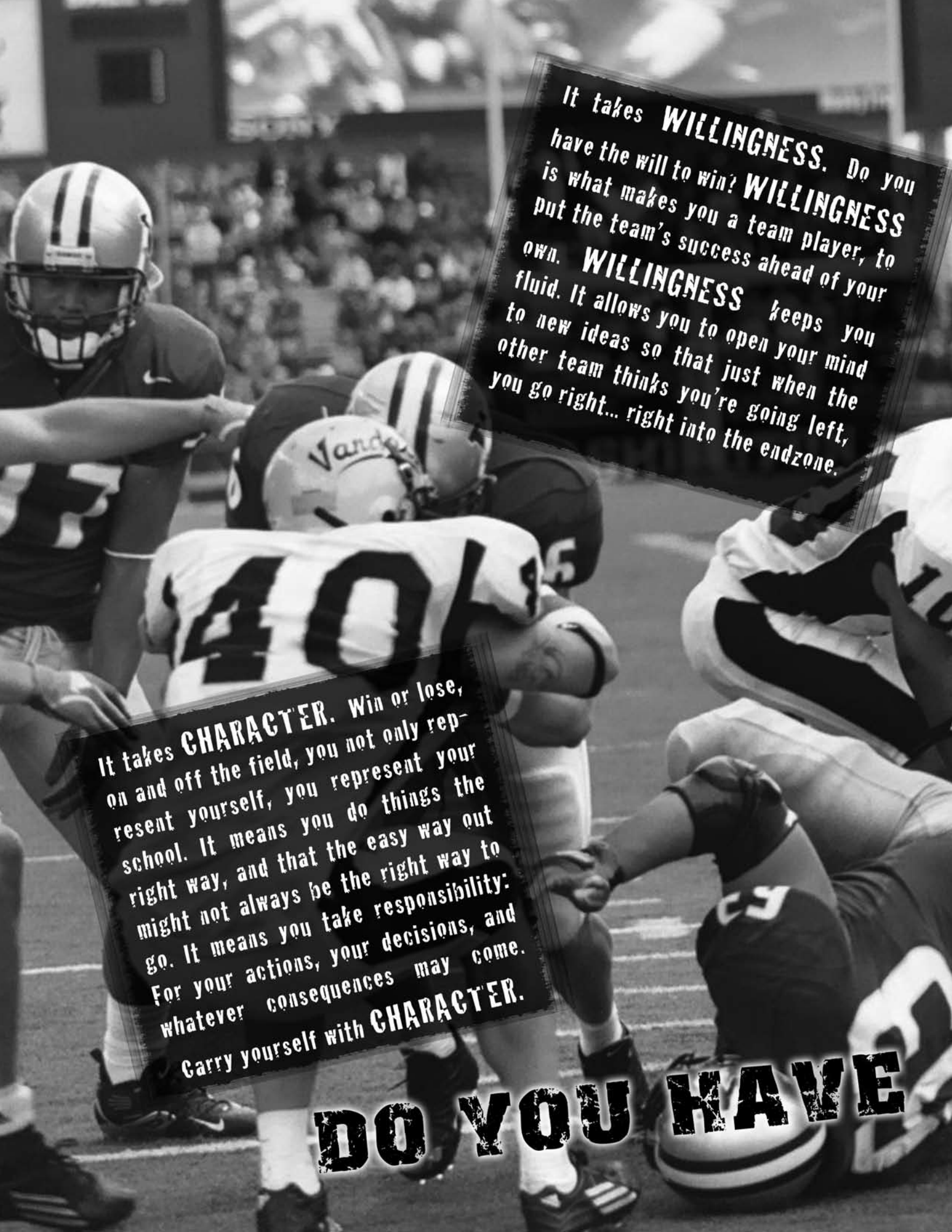
It takes a **FIGHT**ing spirit. For every loose ball, for every inch on the field, for your teammates, for those who wore the uniform before you, and for those who will be inspired to wear it after you, you **FIGHT**. You **FIGHT** for the family that raised you, for all who have coached you, taught you, and cheer for you. For respect and for yourself, You **FIGHT**.

It takes **TENACITY**. It means hitting the books as hard as you hit your opponents. With **TENACITY** is how you play the game. It is delivered with every block, every tackle, every stiff-arm. **TENACITY** is the engine that drives you, relentless and uncompromising. It will take all of them to bring you down if you play with **TENACITY**.

TO BE A HUSKY?



It takes **COURAGE**. It is the trust you place in your coaches and team to put you in a position to win. It is your belief in yourself and your ability to execute no matter who your opponent, whether physical or mental. Playing with **COURAGE** doesn't mean playing without fear, it means being aware of it, and then doing your job anyway.



It takes **WILLINGNESS**. Do you have the will to win? **WILLINGNESS** is what makes you a team player, to put the team's success ahead of your own. **WILLINGNESS** keeps you fluid. It allows you to open your mind to new ideas so that just when the other team thinks you're going left, you go right... right into the endzone.

It takes **CHARACTER**. Win or lose, on and off the field, you not only represent yourself, you represent your school. It means you do things the right way, and that the easy way out might not always be the right way to go. It means you take responsibility: For your actions, your decisions, and whatever consequences may come. Carry yourself with **CHARACTER**.

DO YOU HAVE



It takes **ENDURANCE**. It means pushing yourself during those two-a-day practices, busting out that last rep in the weight room, and running that extra mile. **ENDURANCE** means you know how to bounce back when things don't go as planned. Having **ENDURANCE** means when all is said and done, your team will be the last one standing.

WHAT IT TAKES?



DAWG'S DAY OUT

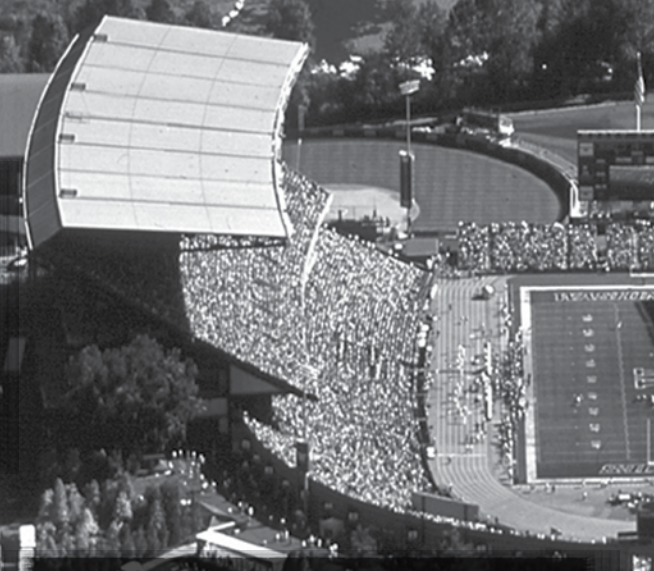
Leading the team out of the tunnel and roaming the sidelines during the game is Whitepaw's Arlut Spirit of Gold Dust, or "Spirit" for short. Making his debut as Washington's mascot in 1999, he is the 10th Alaskan Malamute to have served as the Husky mascot. Retiring at the end of the season, a new pup will take his place in a line of mascots that date all the way back to 1922. For more on this Husky tradition, check out Spirit's listing in the Husky Football A-Z section.

Gameday at



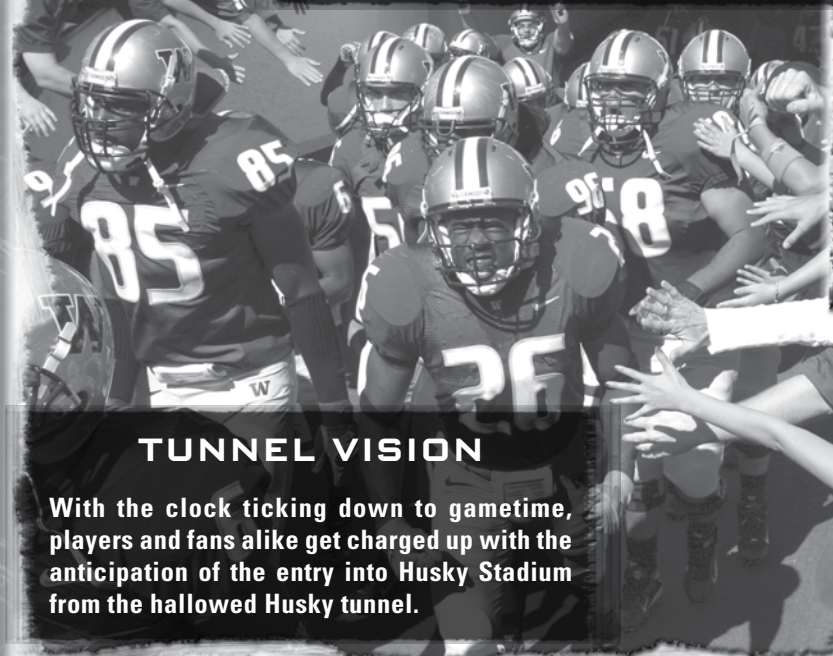
"SHE BANG! SHE BANG!"

No gameday would be complete without the sights and sound of the Husky Band. Led by Dr. Brad McDavid, the band has produced some memorable half-time shows which recently included the Husky Band's tribute to "Star Trek" and a rousing performance by "American Idol" celebrity William Hung.



IT'S A PARKING LOT OUT THERE!

Sometimes used to describe Seattle traffic, die-hard Husky Tailgaters know that gameday is an all-day affair, and come prepared with all the comforts of home in their RVs and trailers.



TUNNEL VISION

With the clock ticking down to gametime, players and fans alike get charged up with the anticipation of the entry into Husky Stadium from the hallowed Husky tunnel.

SHIPS AHOY!

One of the more unique sights on gameday at Washington is the armada of boats that line the moorings in Lake Washington at UW's Waterfront Activities Center. From sailboats to yachts, the diversity of watercraft is as diverse as the fans who come to the games.

Washington

MAKE SOME NOISE!

Ever faithful, win or lose, rain or shine, the men and women of the Husky Cheer Squad never lose resolve in rooting on the Huskies, and always do it with a smile on their faces.

THAT'S HOW WE ROLL

Another familiar sight on gameday is the Husky helmet car. Carrying members of the band and cheer squad, this tricked-out ride might not break any speed records, but has been known to "make waves" as it laps Husky Stadium.

Did you know...

The Washington Huskies used to be called the "Sun Dodgers"? Other possible names included—

Vikings	Squid	Malamutes
Eagles	Blue Moon	Tyees
Indians	Northmen	Olympics

"Sunny Boy"

WE "WAVED" FIRST

Now performed by fans in stadiums everywhere, "The Wave" can trace its origin back to Husky Stadium. It first happened on October 31, 1981, when former cheerleader Robb Weller was back on the sidelines and instructed the Washington crowd in one section to raise then lower their arms in front of them to create the visual effect of a human wave when seen by other fans in Husky Stadium. The original Wave saw Husky fans remain standing until the a full circle was completed in the stadium.

WHO WAS THAT MASKED MAN?

If it's the third quarter at Husky Stadium, it's Captain Husky, aka Barry Erickson. Without fail at every Husky home game, he can be spotted in his purple aviator cap, a full cape loaded with plenty of props, and enough enthusiasm to lead the entire stadium in a cheer of "H-U-S-K-I-E-S!"

1932



1936



1937



1953



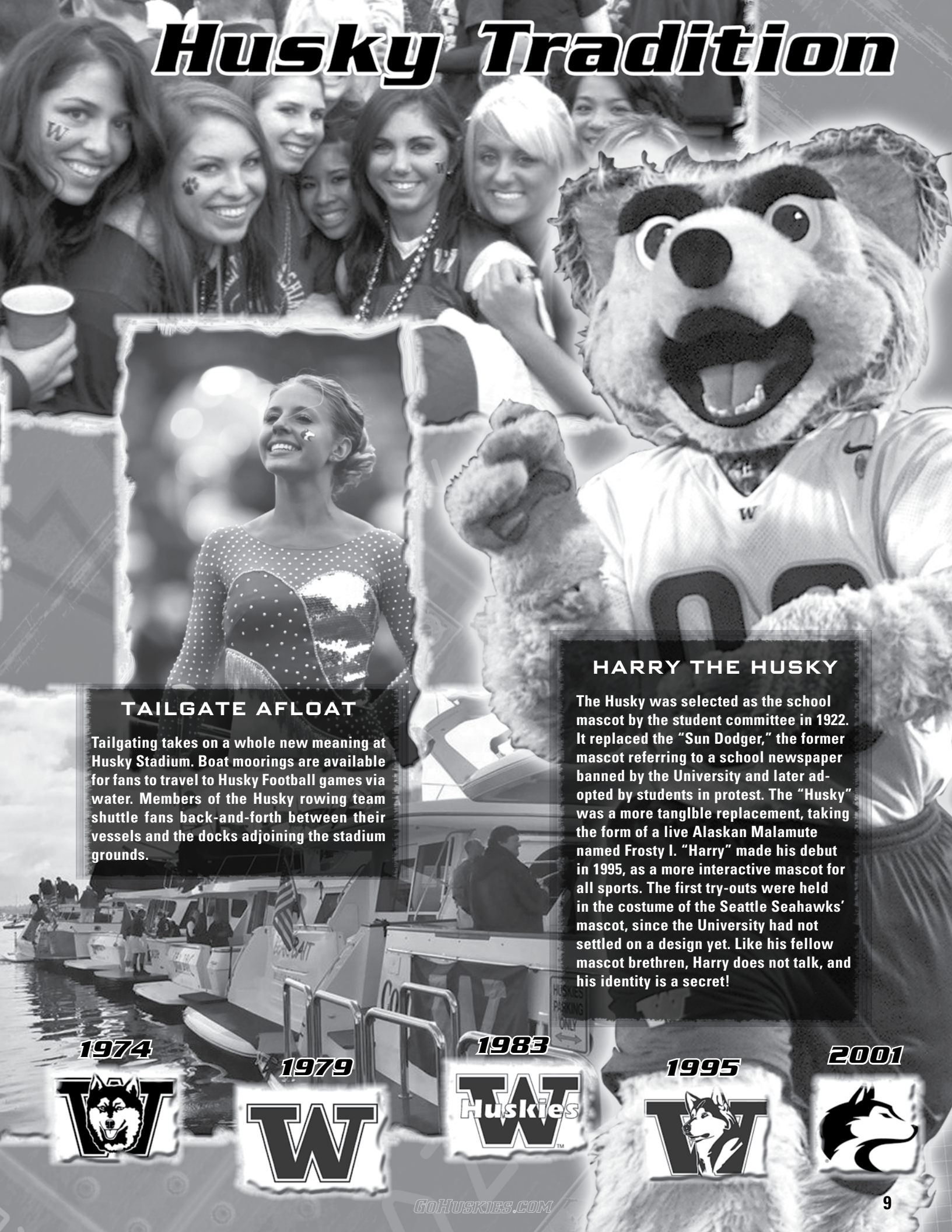
1958



1959



Husky Tradition



TAILGATE AFLOAT

Tailgating takes on a whole new meaning at Husky Stadium. Boat moorings are available for fans to travel to Husky Football games via water. Members of the Husky rowing team shuttle fans back-and-forth between their vessels and the docks adjoining the stadium grounds.

HARRY THE HUSKY

The Husky was selected as the school mascot by the student committee in 1922. It replaced the "Sun Dodger," the former mascot referring to a school newspaper banned by the University and later adopted by students in protest. The "Husky" was a more tangible replacement, taking the form of a live Alaskan Malamute named Frosty I. "Harry" made his debut in 1995, as a more interactive mascot for all sports. The first try-outs were held in the costume of the Seattle Seahawks' mascot, since the University had not settled on a design yet. Like his fellow mascot brethren, Harry does not talk, and his identity is a secret!

1974



1979



1983



1995



2001



Huskies

Tyrone Rodgers and Don James with the Rose Bowl trophy

SUPREME SHUTOUT

In the 1982 Rose Bowl, the Washington Huskies shut out the Iowa Hawkeyes 28-0. The shutout was the first in the Rose Bowl since USC blanked Wisconsin 7-0 in 1953. Jacques Robinson, the game's leading rusher, scored two touchdowns to lead the underdog Pac-10 champs to an easy victory over the Big Ten co-champs before a crowd of 105,611.

PERFECT SEASON

In what many believe is the best performance ever against a high-rated team in the 1992 Rose Bowl, Washington mauls No. 4 Michigan 34-14 to gain a share of the national championship with Miami. Don James' Huskies make their record 12-0 for the season as their defense holds Michigan to 72 yards and sacks quarterback Elvis Grbac five times while limiting Heisman winner Desmond Howard to one pass reception.

ROSES AND TEARS

Much of the Huskies' powerful drive to win the 2001 Rose Bowl game was in honor of a fallen comrade. Two months earlier, safety Curtis Williams suffered a severe spinal cord injury in a game against Stanford. Although in a rehabilitation center in San Jose, Williams was flown in, and watched from the press box level. After receiving the Rose Bowl trophy seconds after the win, Washington coach Rick Neuheisel held it aloft, but couldn't hold back his own tears. Facing the press box with trophy and head held high, Neuheisel's voice boomed out over the stadium: "This was for you, C.W."

in the Rose Bowl

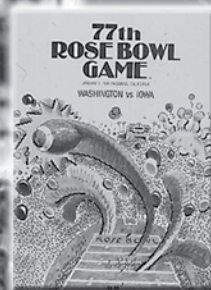
"I said it before the game that Washington is the best team I've seen in this league, EVER, and I still stand by that..."

***-Rich Brooks,
Oregon Head Coach***

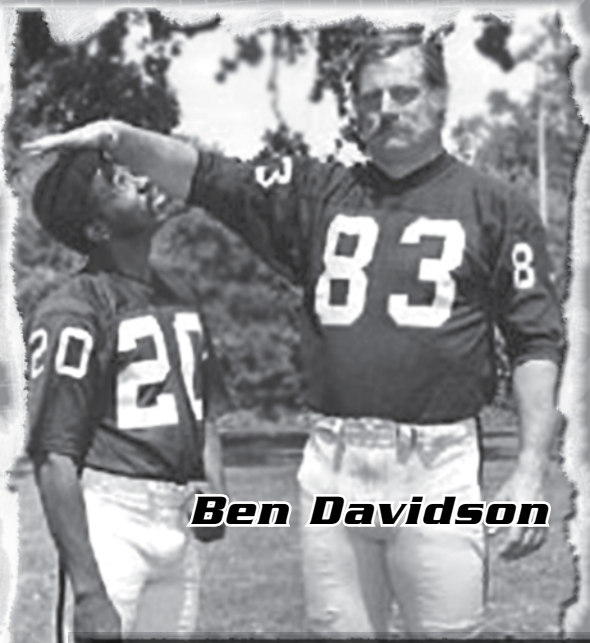


14 ROSE BOWL APPEARANCES:

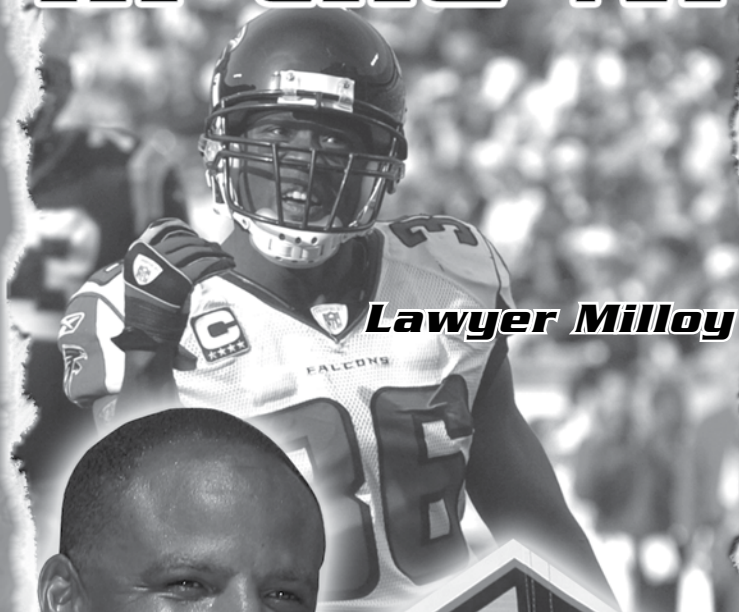
1924	Washington 14, Navy 14
1926	Alabama 20, Washington 19
1937	Pittsburgh 21, Washington 0
1944	USC 29, Washington 0
1960	Washington 44, Wisconsin 8
1961	Washington 17, Minnesota 7
1964	Illinois 17, Washington 7
1978	Michigan 27, Washington 20
1981	Michigan 23, Washington 6
1982	Washington 28, Iowa 0
1991	Washington 46, Iowa 34
1992	Washington 34, Michigan 14
1993	Michigan 38, Washington 31
2001	Washington 34, Purdue 24



Huskies in the NFL



Ben Davidson



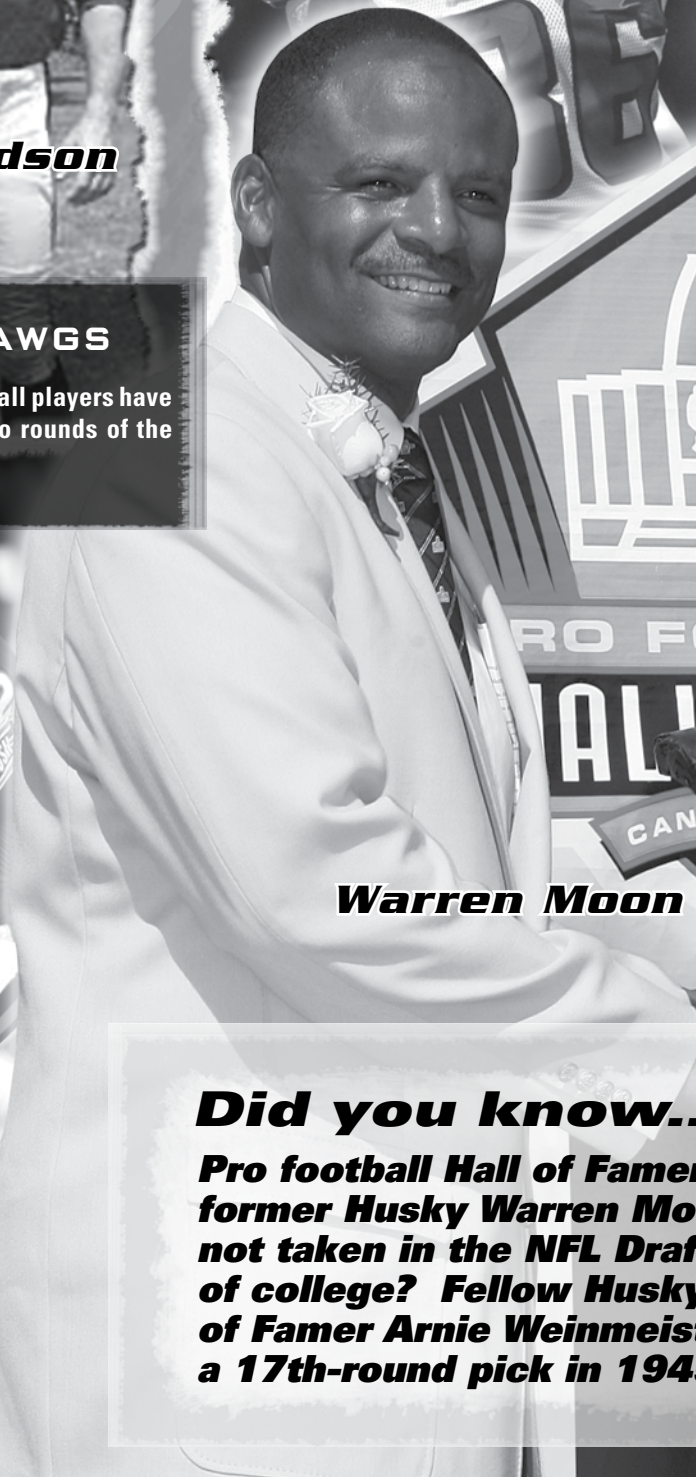
Lawyer Milloy

DRAFTED DAWGS

Over the years, 46 Husky football players have been selected in the first two rounds of the NFL Draft.



Chris Chandler



Warren Moon



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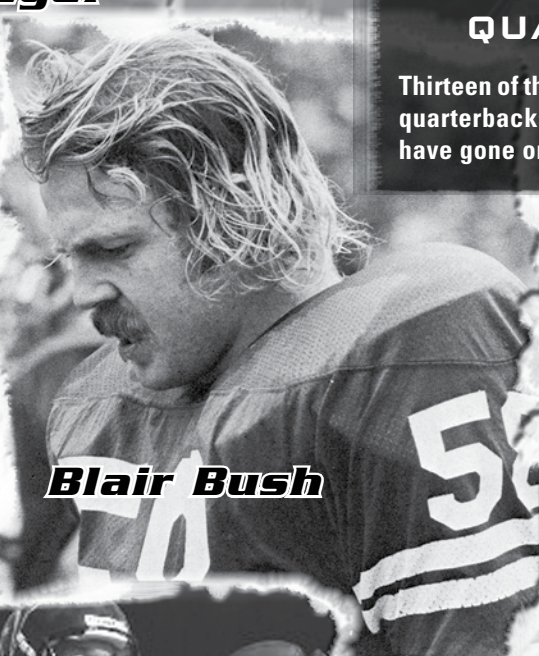
Pro football Hall of Famer and former Husky Warren Moon was not taken in the NFL Draft out of college? Fellow Husky and Hall of Famer Arnie Weinmeister was a 17th-round pick in 1945.

A black and white photograph of Jeff Jaeger, a football player, in action. He is wearing a dark jersey with the number 1 and white pants, running with the ball while being tackled by a player in a dark jersey with the number 6.

Jeff Jaeger

QUARTERBACK U

Thirteen of the Huskies' last 14 regular starting quarterbacks, dating back to the mid-1970s, have gone on to play in the NFL.

A black and white photograph of Blair Bush, a football player, looking down with a focused expression. He is wearing a dark jersey with the number 56.

Blair Bush

A black and white photograph of Mark Brunell, a football player, in a white jersey with the number 3, holding a football and preparing to throw it.

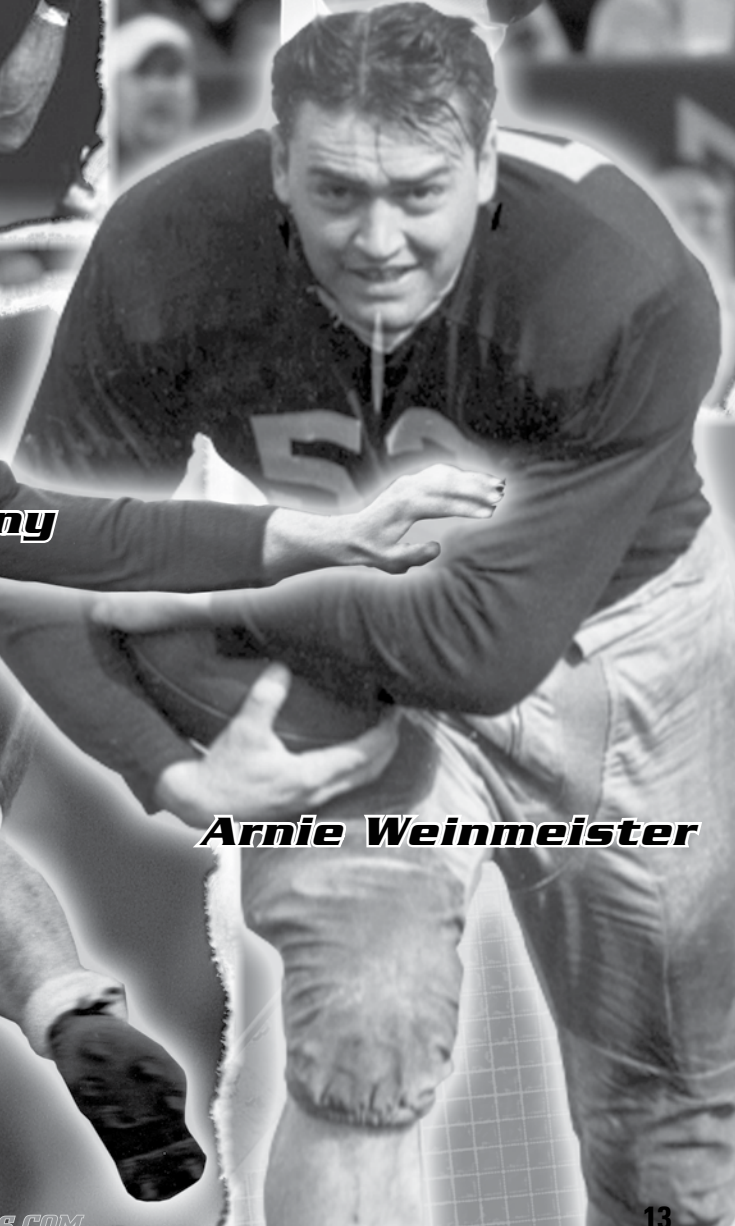
Mark Brunell

A black and white photograph of Mark Bruener, a football player, in a white jersey with the number 87, running with the ball while being tackled by a player in a dark jersey with the number 56.

Mark Bruener

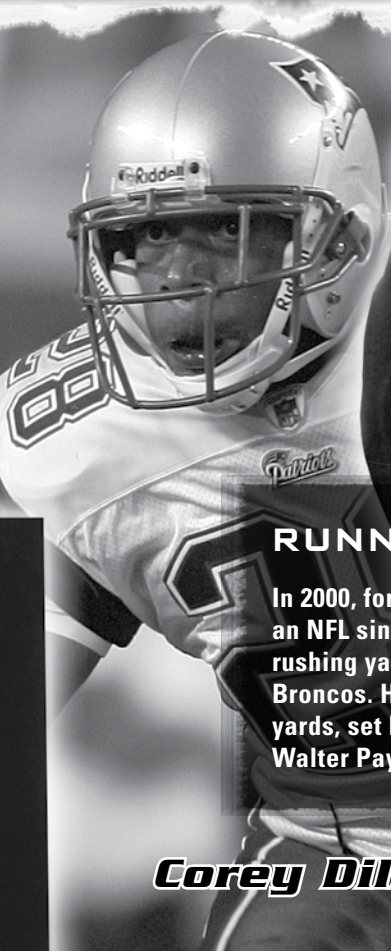
A large black and white photograph of Hugh McElhenny, a football player, in a dark jersey with the number 52, running with the ball while being tackled by a player in a white jersey.

Hugh McElhenny

A black and white photograph of Arnie Weinmeister, a football player, in a dark jersey with the number 52, running with the ball while being tackled by a player in a white jersey.

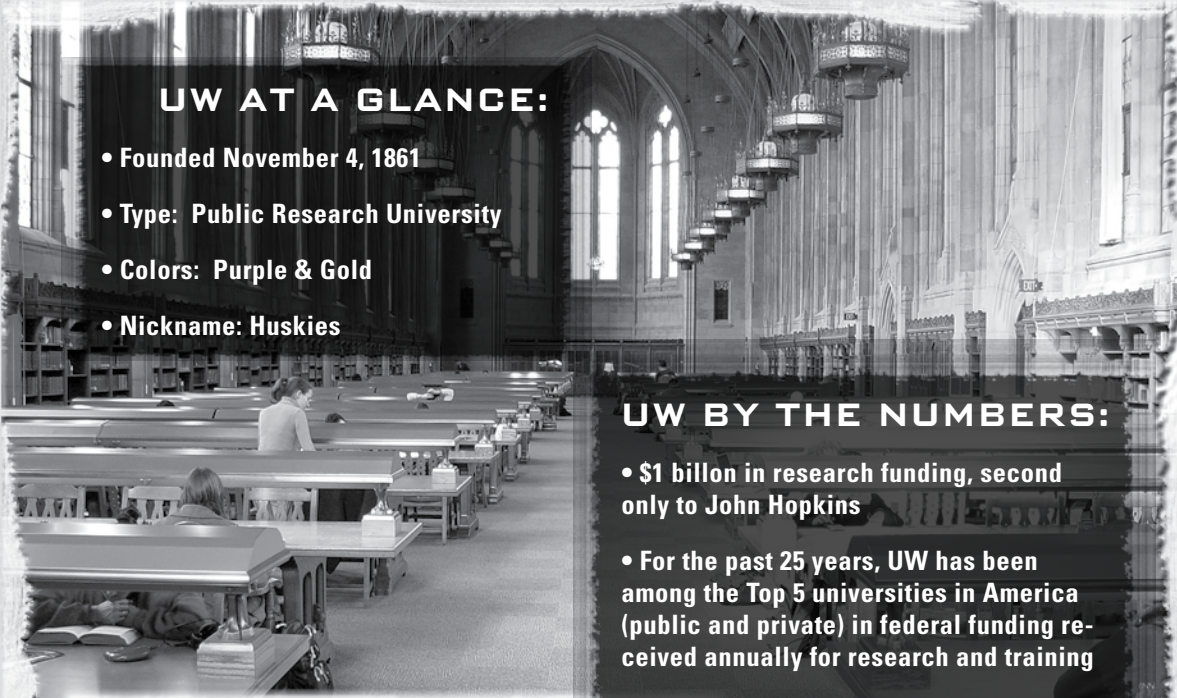
Arnie Weinmeister

RUNNING RECORD

A black and white photograph of Corey Dillon, a football player, in a white jersey with the number 27, running with the ball while being tackled by a player in a dark jersey.

In 2000, former Husky Corey Dillon set an NFL single-game record with 278 rushing yards in a game vs. the Denver Broncos. He broke the record of 275 yards, set by Chicago Bears legend Walter Payton 23 years earlier.

Corey Dillon



UW AT A GLANCE:

- Founded November 4, 1861
- Type: Public Research University
- Colors: Purple & Gold
- Nickname: Huskies



UW BY THE NUMBERS:

- \$1 billion in research funding, second only to John Hopkins
- For the past 25 years, UW has been among the Top 5 universities in America (public and private) in federal funding received annually for research and training
- 29 fraternities & 16 sororities
- 21 libraries - ranked 12th among university research libraries in the U.S. & Canada
- 643 acres, 218 buildings, 8 residence halls
- 140 majors, 90 minors, and 1,800 undergraduate courses
- The University of Washington ranks in the top 20 in 37 different academic categories
- UW Medical school was recently ranked #1 in the country for Primary Care and Nursing
- 92% of freshmen return for their sophomore year
- UW is home to the only medical school in a four-state region
- The Academic Ranking of World Universities places UW 17th-best in the world
- In a recent survey by Success Magazine, UW's Business school's entrepreneurship program was ranked 12th out of 25 programs, ahead of Stanford, MIT, and Harvard



The University of

Did you know...

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**University of Washington
faculty members have
been awarded the Nobel
Prize?**

UW ENROLLMENT:

- Total enrollment: 40,218
 - 28,555 Undergraduates
 - 5,338 Freshmen
- 11 to 1 student-to-faculty ratio
- Average undergraduate class is 35
- Maximum class size:
 - English: 22
 - Foreign Language: 24
- Class profile:
 - 52.4% women and 47.6% men
 - Minority Students: 33.8%

Washington

HANK KETCHAM
 CARTOONIST
 CREATOR OF
 "DENNIS THE MENACE"



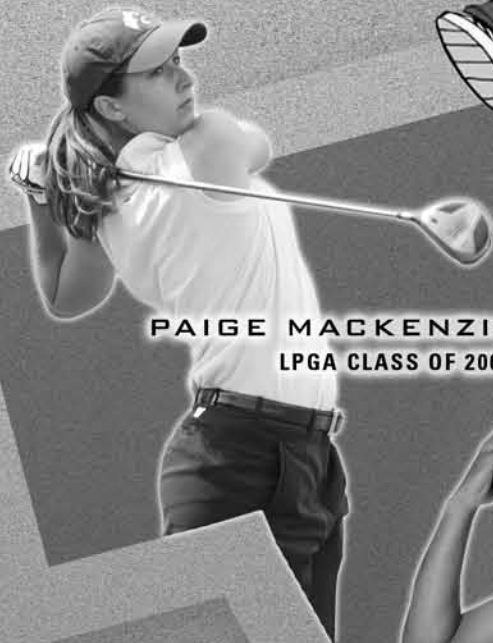
BOB SAPP
 MIXED MARTIAL ARTS CHAMPION
 FORMER WRESTLER
 FORMER NFL PLAYER
 ACTOR



TIM Lincecum
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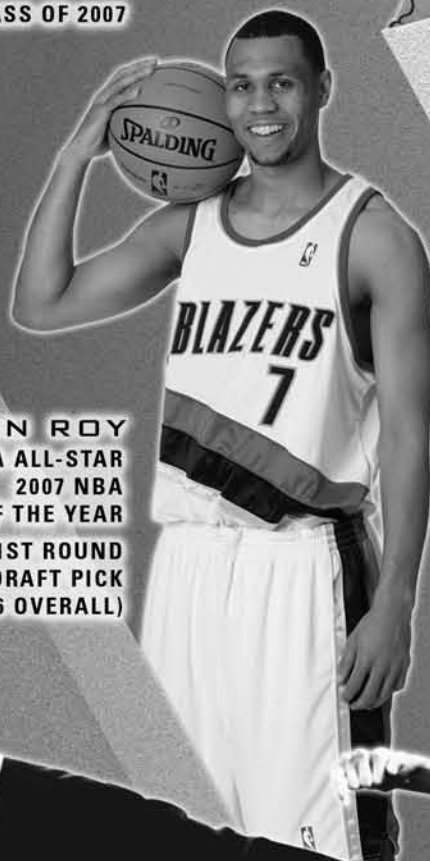


PAIGE MACKENZIE
 LPGA CLASS OF 2007

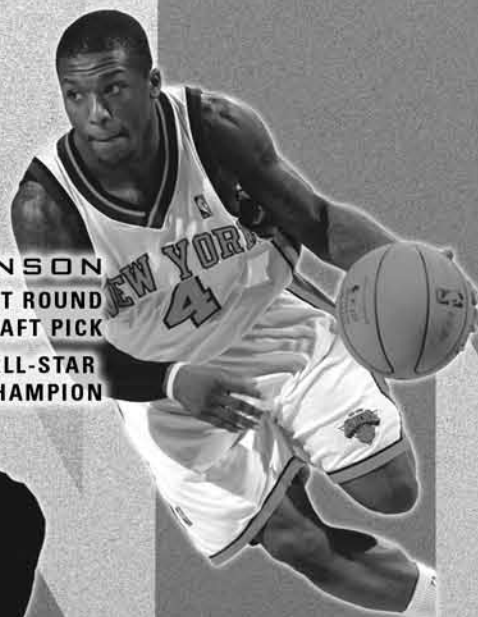


Famous

BRANDON ROY
 2008 NBA ALL-STAR
 2007 NBA
 ROOKIE OF THE YEAR
 2006 NBA 1ST ROUND
 DRAFT PICK
 (NO. 6 OVERALL)



NATE ROBINSON
 2005 NBA 1ST ROUND
 DRAFT PICK
 2006 NBA ALL-STAR
 SLAM DUNK CHAMPION

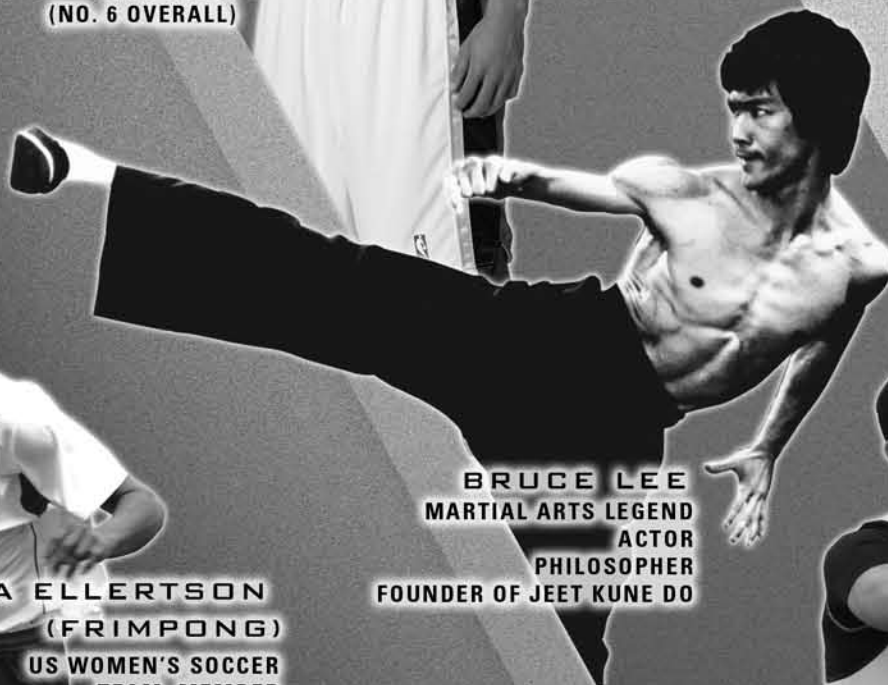


BRETT NEWLIN
 2005 WORLD CHAMPION
 SILVER MEDALIST

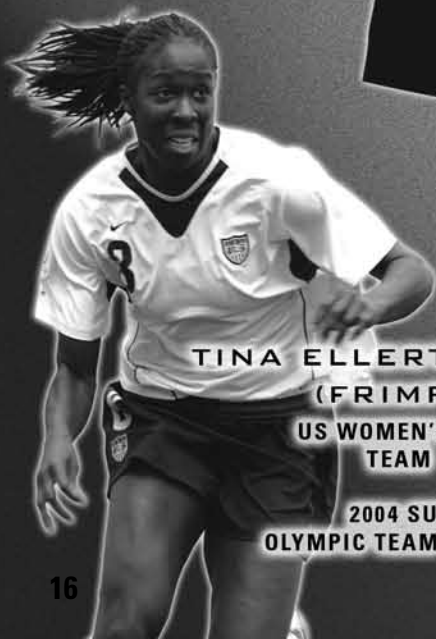
2-TIME US ROWING
 NATIONAL TEAM
 MEMBER



BRUCE LEE
 MARTIAL ARTS LEGEND
 ACTOR
 PHILOSOPHER
 FOUNDER OF JEET KUNE DO



TINA ELLERTSON
 (FRIMPONG)
 US WOMEN'S SOCCER
 TEAM MEMBER
 2004 SUMMER US
 OLYMPIC TEAM MEMBER



Husky Alumni



RAINN WILSON
ACTOR
"THE OFFICE"
"JUNO"

ANNA FARIS

ACTRESS
"SCARY MOVIE 1-4"
"THE HOUSE BUNNY"



HOPE SOLO
US WOMEN'S SOCCER
TEAM MEMBER

2004 & 2008 SUMMER US
OLYMPIC TEAM MEMBER



KENNY G
(GORELICK)

GRAMMY AWARD-WINNING SAXAPHONIST
SMOOTH JAZZ LEGEND



WARREN MOON
2006 PRO FOOTBALL
HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE
23 YEAR PRO FOOTBALL
CAREER (5 CFL, 18 NFL)



LOUISE FRIBERG
2008 WINNER OF
THE MASTERCARD CLASSIC
(LPGA TOUR)



ANNA CUMMINS
(MICKELSON)
2008 OLYMPIAN
2006 FISA WORLD CHAMPION
GOLD MEDALIST



BRAD WALKER
2008 OLYMPIAN

WORLD CHAMPION
POLE VAULTER

2-TIME NCAA
INDOOR POLE VAULT CHAMPION

4-TIME NCAA
ALL-AMERICAN

Diversity on

University District StreetFair

THE "AVE"

The U-District is one of the city's oldest and most diverse neighborhoods. Boasting a unique mix of ethnic restaurants, coffeehouses, retail shops and other services, University Way NE or "The Ave," caters to the needs of UW students through a rich, culturally diverse atmosphere. A local Hip-Hop group, Blue Scholars, glorifies "The Ave" as the cultural melting pot of Seattle.

Campus

STEPPING OUT

An annual step show is held by the Graduate and Professional Student Senate, the ASUW Black Student Commission and the UW Business School. It is one of the largest African-American events on campus and showcases performances from the nine African-American Greek organizations. About 3,000 people come to watch these groups compete.

BY THE NUMBERS

33.8%

The percentage of Student Body, Faculty and Administration of color

22

The number of registered student organizations for minorities

550

Organizations and Student groups UW undergrads are able to join, from the Human Powered Submarine Team to Engineers Without Borders

THE SUNNY CIRCUS

A large grass area central to campus, known as "The Quad" is a gathering spot for a variety of people. When the sun is shining high, hundreds of students and visitors alike gather on this lawn for a variety of activities including trampoline jumping, tight rope walking, singing, dancing, drum beating, frisbee throwing, tanning, student activism and more.

MUST-SEE IN SEATTLE:

- **PIKE PLACE MARKET:** Catch a fish thrown to you by the world famous Fish Mongers, and get a latte at the first Starbucks in the world.
- **SPACE NEEDLE:** Located in the Seattle Center, this landmark was built for the 1962 World's Fair, and is known for the best view of the city in 360 degrees.
- **MOUNT RAINIER NATIONAL PARK:** Renowned for its majestic beauty, Mount Rainier is a frequent destination for day-hikers and serious mountain climbers alike.
- **PUGET SOUND:** To appreciate the unique beauty of Washington state, you must take a ferry ride to one of the many islands contained within Puget Sound.



BOEING

Seattle:

WHAT OTHERS SAY ABOUT SEATTLE:

- Consistently rated in the top 10 among favorite cities in the Continental U.S. and Canada, World's Best Cities annual readers' poll -Travel + Leisure
- Most Livable City in America – U.S. Conference of Mayors
- America's Fittest City – Men's Fitness Magazine
- Most educated city in America according to the annual U.S. Census Bureau
- #7 Best City for Young Professionals -Forbes Magazine

GUITAR HEROES AND ROCK BANDS

From musical pioneers such as the Ventures, Jimi Hendrix and Quincy Jones to the grunge legends of Nirvana, Pearl Jam, and Soundgarden, the Seattle music scene has always been at the forefront of alternative sounds. Much of the history of Seattle music can be explored at The Experience Music Project in the Seattle Center.

amazon.com

BUSINESS BOOMTOWN

Whether you know it or not, you've probably got a little piece of Seattle wherever you live. If you've played tennis on your Nintendo Wii or booked a flight on Expedia on your Microsoft powered PC, or ordered a book from Amazon.com to take with you on your flight onboard a Boeing 747, you've benefitted from products produced by businesses that started here in Seattle.

Microsoft

FRASIER

HOLLYWOOD NORTH?

While only a handful of movies and TV shows are actually filmed in Seattle, the town is the fictional home for many shows including *Grey's Anatomy*, *Frasier*, *Dark Angel*, *Twin Peaks*, and *Reaper*. Movies set in Seattle include *10 Things I Hate About You*, *Disclosure*, *Firewall*, *Say Anything*, *Singles*, and of course, *Sleepless in Seattle*.

The Emerald City

Nintendo®

A MAJOR LEAGUE CITY

Home to the Seahawks, Mariners, Storm, and Sounders Football Club, if there is any doubt that Seattle is a big-league sports town, you need only to go to a game at Qwest Field, Safeco Field, or Key Arena to to see world-class athletes competing at the highest levels.



LOOKING UP

Every year, the Husky football team puts in extra time off the field to spend some time in the community through a number of different community outreach programs. In giving back to the community, the Husky players gain inspiration and motivation on and off the field.

LIFE SKILLS

For the Huskies, each May is "Football Education Month" and in each week of that month, players are required to take part in different "life skills" events, such as attending a career day, working at a food bank and listening to a talk from a representative of the NFL Players Association about the impact of a college education and life after football.

"It's kind of cool just to realize that you have people like this that look up to you," he said. "They are only 5 and 6, but it kind of makes you proud to wear this uniform."

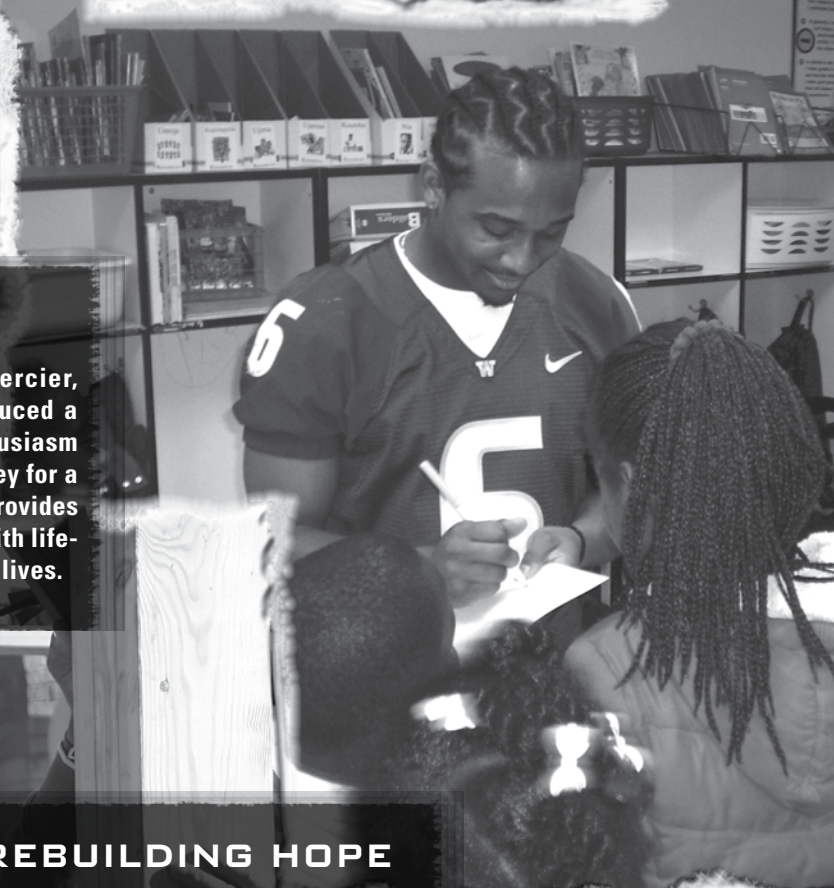
-Mark Armelin, Husky Lineman

Huskies in the



HUSKY NATION

Former Husky wide receiver Alex Mercier, along with fellow Husky players, produced a CD of original music to generate enthusiasm for Husky football as well as raise money for a local non-profit, Soulumination, which provides professional photographs of children with life-threatening illnesses to celebrate their lives.



REBUILDING HOPE

UW coaches, athletes, students, and volunteers from Bank of America work with Habitat for Humanity to build homes for low-income families.

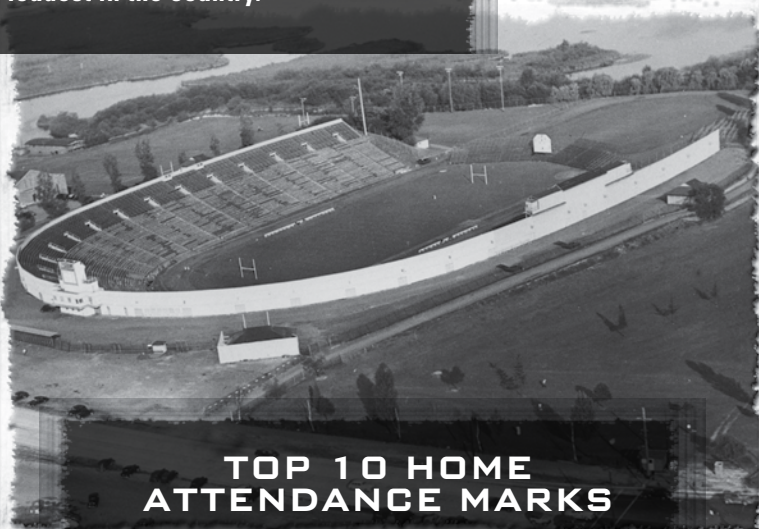
Coach Willingham was honored with the 2000 Eddie Robinson Coach of Distinction Award. The award is presented to a college football coach nationwide for career achievement and his outstanding service as a role model.



Community

HUSKY STADIUM AT A GLANCE:

- Built in 1920 with expansions in 1936, 1950, 1968, 1987, and 1989.
- Seating Capacity: 72,500 (15th largest on-campus facility, and largest stadium, college or professional, in the Pacific Northwest.
- Field Surface: FieldTurf
- Husky Stadium is widely regarded to have one of the prettiest settings to watch a game, and also to be one of the loudest in the country.



TOP 10 HOME ATTENDANCE MARKS

NO.	YEAR VS. OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
1.	1995 vs. Army	76,125
2.	1997 vs. Arizona State	74,986
3.	2007 vs. Ohio State	74,927
4.	2003 vs. Washington State	74,549
5.	1995 vs. USC	74,421
6.	1997 vs. Washington State	74,268
7.	2000 vs. Miami (Fla.)	74,157
8.	1995 vs. Washington State	74,144
9.	2001 vs. Michigan	74,080
10.	1995 vs. Oregon	74,054

* Washington tied for the sixth-highest average attendance increase in the nation in 2007

"All I saw



Husky Stadium

HUSKY STADIUM RANKINGS

#2 - Five College Football Stadiums Every Fan Should See Before They Die

-Tom Dienhart, The Sporting News

#5 - Sporting News College Football Stadiums Top 10

-MSNBC.com

#6 - Best Stadium Atmosphere

-Kirk Herbstreit, ESPN

#6 - 25 Toughest places to play

-EA Sports NCAA College Football 2005 Video Game

was Purple...

- USC quarterback Todd Marinovich



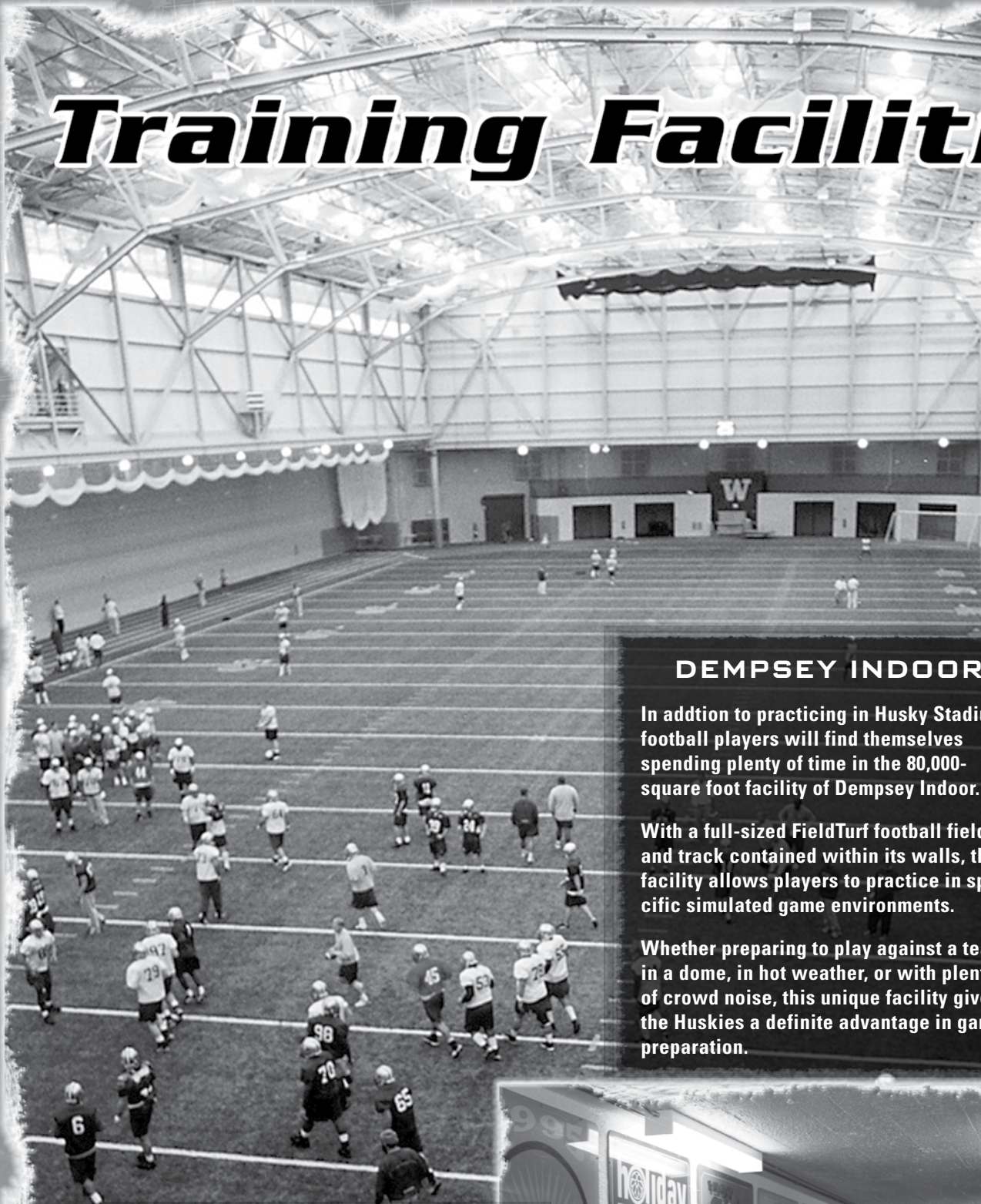
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Husky Stadium is one of only two college football facilities that fans can get to games by boat?

(The other is Neyland Stadium at the University of Tennessee).

Training Facilities



DEMPSEY INDOOR

In addition to practicing in Husky Stadium, football players will find themselves spending plenty of time in the 80,000-square foot facility of Dempsey Indoor.

With a full-sized FieldTurf football field and track contained within its walls, this facility allows players to practice in specific simulated game environments.

Whether preparing to play against a team in a dome, in hot weather, or with plenty of crowd noise, this unique facility gives the Huskies a definite advantage in game preparation.



HALLOWED HALL

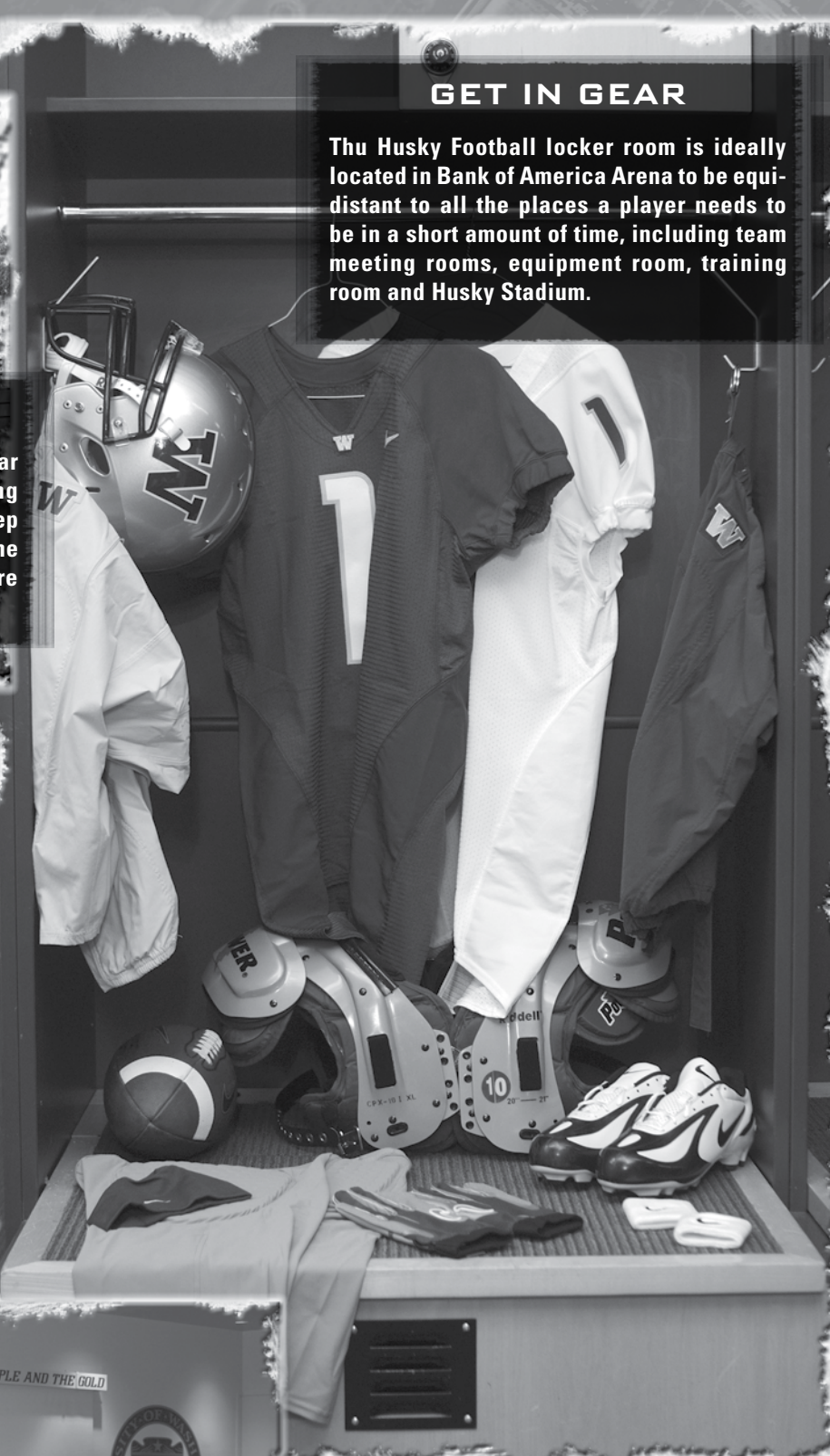
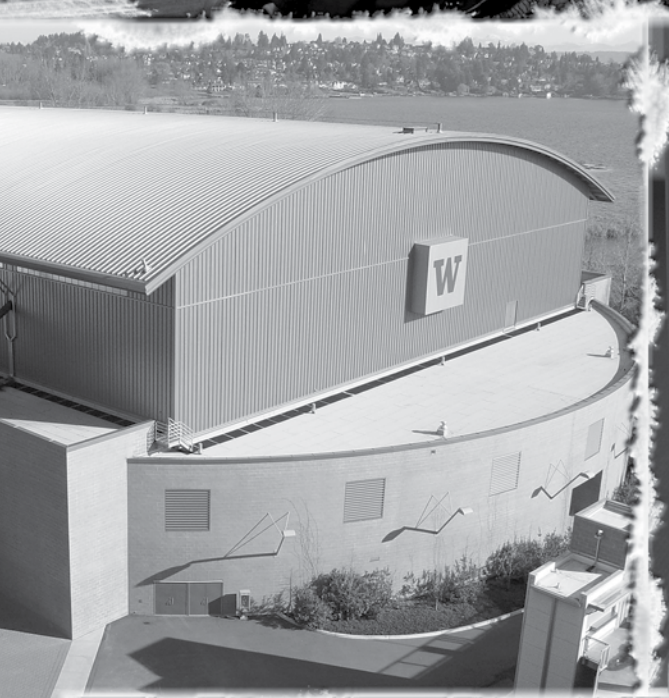
Connecting Bank of America Arena to Husky Stadium underground is the Husky Tunnel, which also serves as a passageway to the locker rooms and team meeting room. Every Husky bowl game appearance is commemorated on the left wall going out into the entrance into Husky Stadium





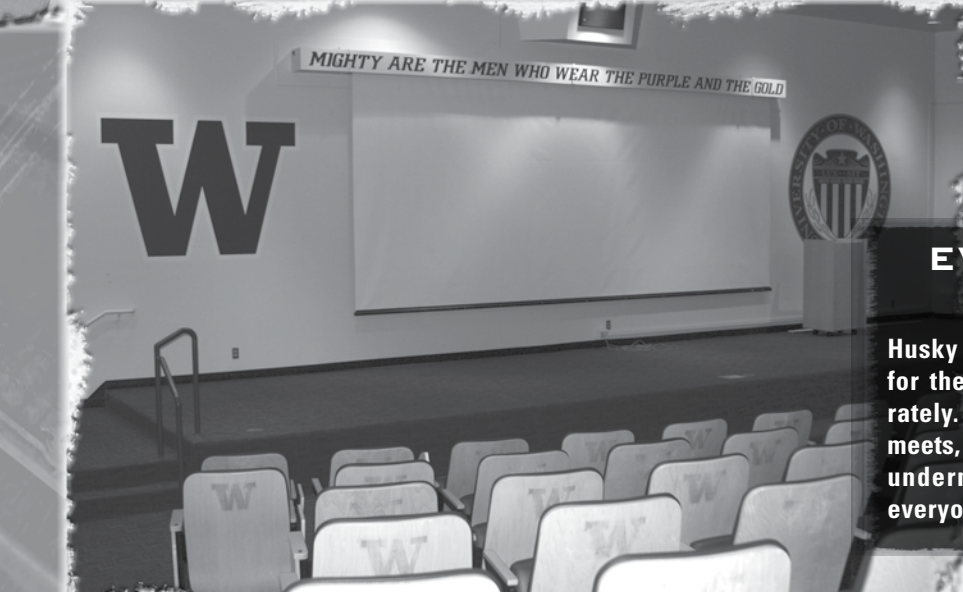
A ROOM WITH A VIEW

Windermere Cup Dining Hall at the Conibear Shellhouse is home to the Husky Training Table nutritional program, designed to keep athletes in top form. It also has one of the best views of Lake Washington anywhere on campus.



GET IN GEAR

Thu Husky Football locker room is ideally located in Bank of America Arena to be equidistant to all the places a player needs to be in a short amount of time, including team meeting rooms, equipment room, training room and Husky Stadium.



EVERYONE ON THE SAME PAGE

Husky Football has several meeting rooms for the offense and defense to meet separately. For occasions where the whole team meets, this college classroom size auditorium underneath Husky Stadium has seats for everyone.



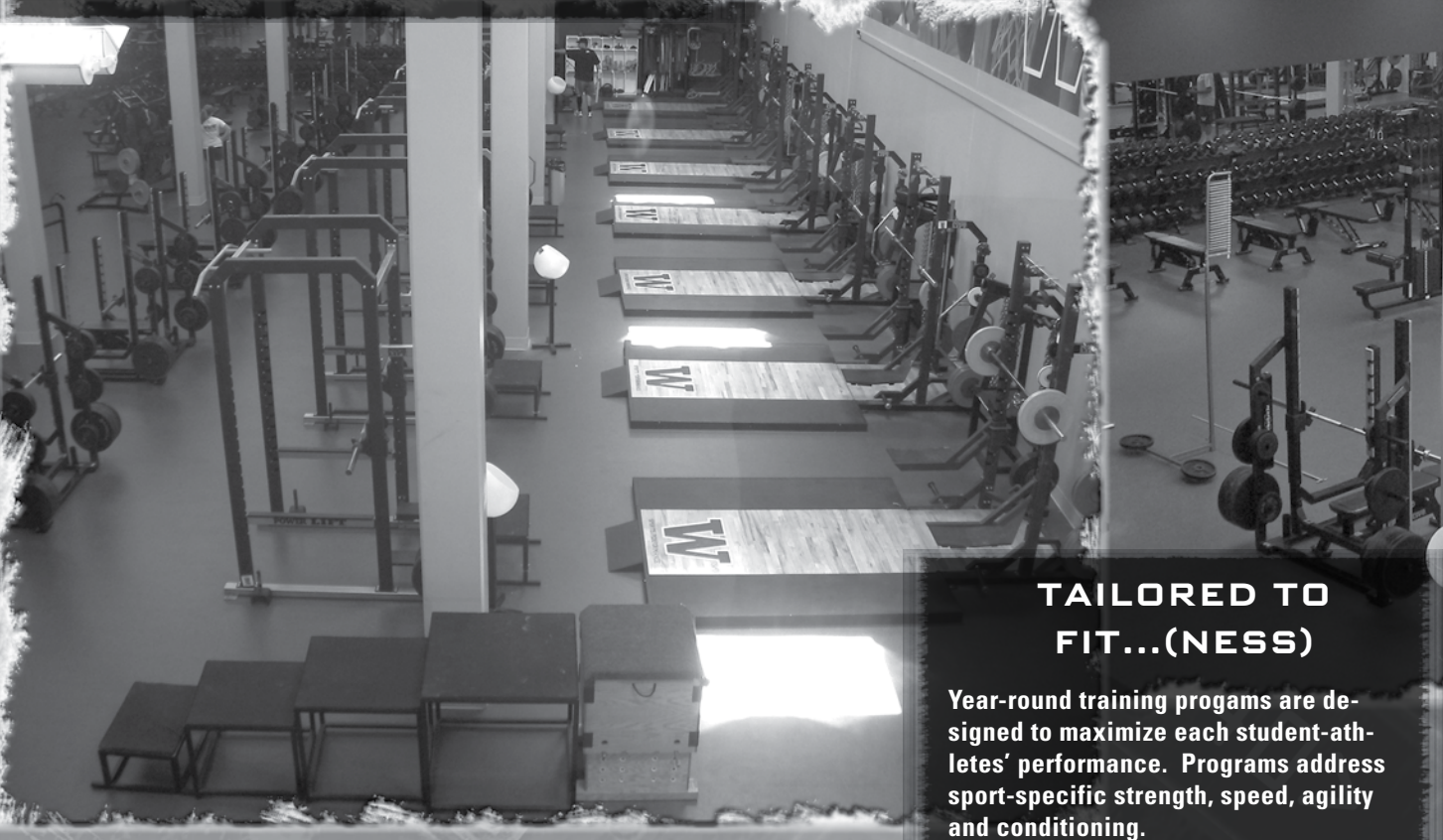
A black and white photograph of the Sports Performance Staff. There are seven people in total, five men and two women, all wearing white polo shirts with a 'W' logo and dark pants. They are posed in two rows: three standing in the back and two sitting in the front. The background shows a gym with various exercise machines.

SPORTS PERFORMANCE STAFF

Back Row From L to R: Trent Greener, Jason Phillips,
Hans Straub, Justin Lord, Matt Ludwig

Front Row From L to R: Rose Baker, Ashley Wildhaber

Sports



A black and white photograph of a gym interior. The foreground shows several treadmills with 'W' logos on their side panels. In the background, there are rows of weight racks filled with dumbbells and other gym equipment. The lighting is bright, coming from windows on the right.

TAILORED TO FIT...(NESS)

Year-round training programs are designed to maximize each student-athletes' performance. Programs address sport-specific strength, speed, agility and conditioning.

STATE OF THE ART

Located inside of the Graves Annex, the Sports Performance room was upgraded and remodeled in 2007. This 11,000 square foot facility is a great asset in promoting game-readiness for student-athletes for all sports.

Performance

SPORTS PERFORMANCE BY THE NUMBERS

- 1 Room completely devoted to nutritional supplementation
- 1 Full-time Yoga instructor
- 8 Certified Strength and Conditioning coaches
- 12 Olympic platforms
- 12 sets of Olympic plates
- 19 power racks
- 19 bench presses
- 34 various cardiovascular pieces



IT TAKES BALLS TO PLAY THIS GAME

200 of them approximately, to get
through a typical football season.

Equipment



BIG SHOES TO FILL

The smallest shoe size on record that
was filled by a Husky football player is
7 1/2. The largest so far has been 18.



EQUIPMENT MANAGERS

From L to R: Bart Fullmer, Tony Piro, Jose Naguit



Room

THE HUSKY HELMET

Husky football players have over 4 helmet styles and 20 facemasks to choose from, and can add a clear visor for eye protection. (Reflective or tinted eye shields are no longer allowed by the NCAA). Allow 2 minutes for decals and striping to be added to the gold helmet and you are good to go.



SHOES: THE SEQUEL

Typically a player will wear 8 pairs of shoes throughout the season. One pair for home, one for away, and then also depending on the playing surface, specialized shoes for turf or grass.



Did you know...

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When a player is fully dressed from helmet to shoes, he is wearing approximately 15 lbs of equipment?

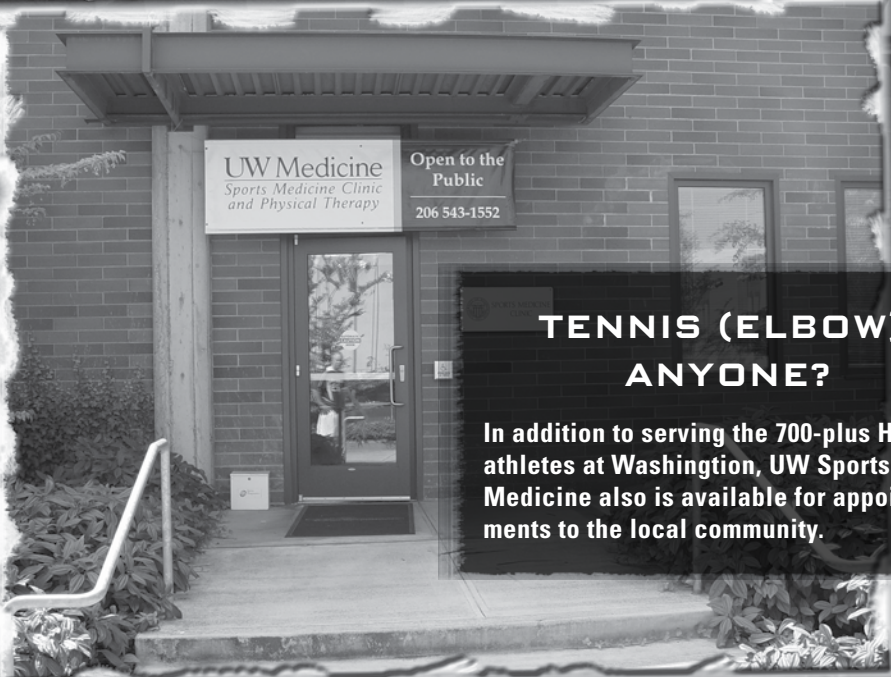


SPORTS MEDICINE STAFF FOR FOOTBALL

From L to R: Matt Nerrie, Dr. Trey Green, Dr. Kim Harmon,
Katie Green, Dr. Roger Larson, Dr. John O'Kane, Rob
Scheidegger, Daren Nystrom.



TENNIS (ELBOW) ANYONE?



In addition to serving the 700-plus Husky athletes at Washington, UW Sports Medicine also is available for appointments to the local community.

Sports Medicine

GIVE THESE DAWGS YOUR BONES

As a student-athlete at the University of Washington, you are provided top-notch care from some of the best specialists in their respective fields. With a staff of seven full-time certified athletic trainers, 12 student trainers and a staff of seven doctors, all are available for any of the UW student-athletes' needs.

Did you know...

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UW Orthopaedic Medicine was ranked as the 15th best in the nation out of 173 hospitals and clinics in 2008 by US News and World Report?



STUDENT ATHLETE ACADEMIC SERVICES

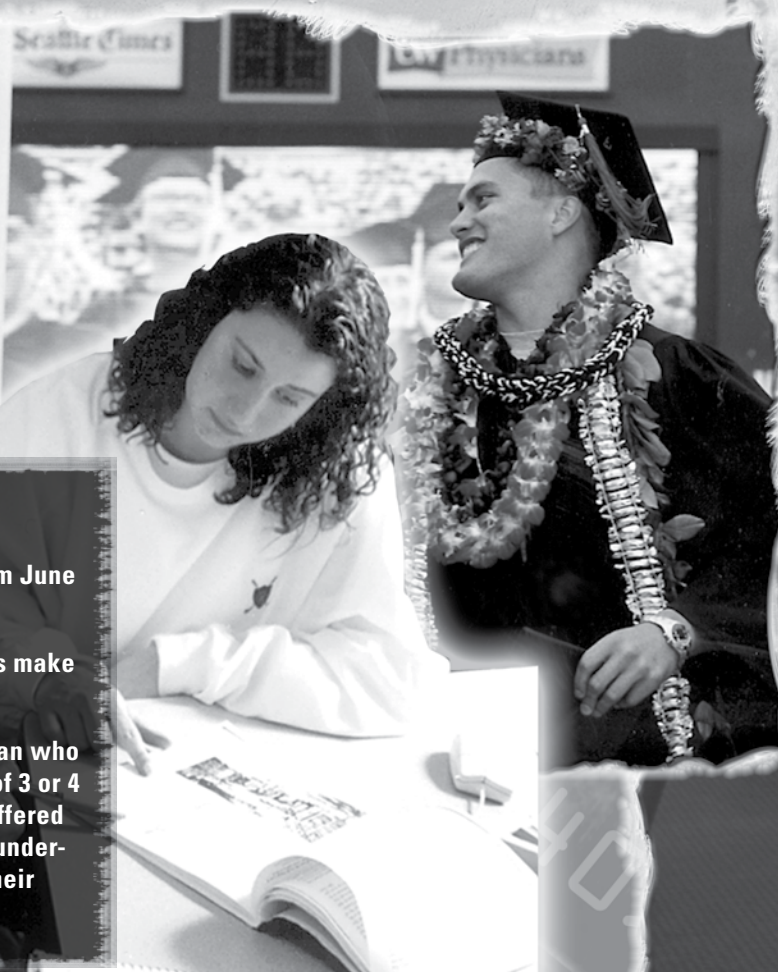
Back row: Rod Jones, Bruce Hilliard. Middle row: Kristen Guymon, Kim Durand, Pam Robenolt, Kiara Bell, Carrie Bayless, Ashlee Anderson, Alafiani Washington. Bottom Row: Ink Aleaga, Rick Mulcahy, Rob Post.

THE FRESHMEN BRIDGE

Freshman Orientation Programs: offered by the University from June to September

Summer Bridge Program: a cooperative effort to help students make the transition from high school to the UW

Freshman Interest Groups (FIGs): FIGs comprise 20-25 freshman who have similar academic interests and share the same cluster of 3 or 4 courses for their 1st quarter at UW. More than 100 FIGs are offered in the autumn and each FIG is assigned a Peer Instructor, an undergraduate upperclassman who assists the FIG students with their transition into the UW.





CONIBEAR SHELLHOUSE

The Shellhouse houses the new academic center, opened in spring of 2005, featuring a state-of-the-art computer lab with free printing services, large study tables and small group tutoring spaces, a 50-person classroom, a student lounge, two wireless enabled study atriums, an athlete dining hall, and staff offices.



Academic Support



SUPPORTING EXCELLENCE

The SAAS staff assists student-athletes through academic and life-skills programs that address the needs of a diverse population. It is the first program of its kind nationally, founded in 1971, and also the best funded.

SAAS has four Academic Counselors who provide guidance with all aspects of educational planning. Counselors assist students with designing their quarterly schedules, setting goals for academic majors, planning for graduation, and developing career interests.

Life as a



FIRST WORK, THEN PLAY:

The Husky football team takes an extra day to relax on the shores of the Hawai'iian coast after a toughly-fought game at U. of Hawai'i, topping off the 2007-2008 season. A Hawai'iian Luau was also held for the players, complete with Hula dancers and a barbeque.



Student-Athlete

WSAAC

WSAAC is the Washington Student-Athlete Advisory Council, a student-athlete group representing all 23 teams competing for the University of Washington. WSAAC serves as a liaison between the student-athlete body and University administration, providing an opportunity for student-athletes to voice their concerns, as well as planning various fun activities for athletes at UW such as movie nights, bowling, pizza dinners and community service opportunities.

ATHLETES ABROAD

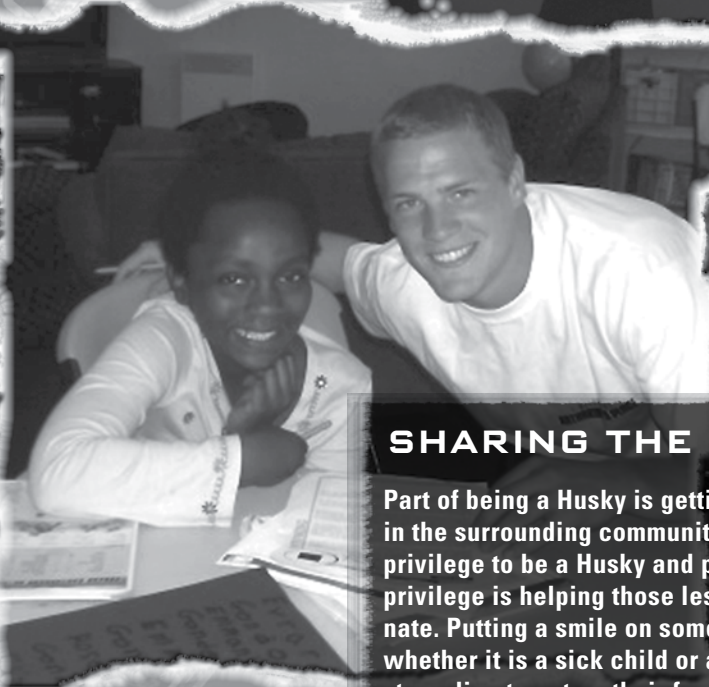
Athletes at the University of Washington have the opportunity to travel all around the world. Above left: A group of Husky Football athletes studies abroad in South Africa. Above Right: A pair of Husky basketball players sight-see in Greece while competing against Greek pro teams.





INSPIRING OTHERS

As a student-athlete at the University of Washington, you are many people's first impression and sometimes only association with the school. Whether you are in another country or just around the corner at a community center, you may not realize it, but you've got the power to make someone's day, and who knows, they just might make yours as well.



SHARING THE SPIRIT

Part of being a Husky is getting involved in the surrounding community. It is a privilege to be a Husky and part of that privilege is helping those less fortunate. Putting a smile on someone's face, whether it is a sick child or a family struggling to get on their feet, is the goal of every proud Husky.





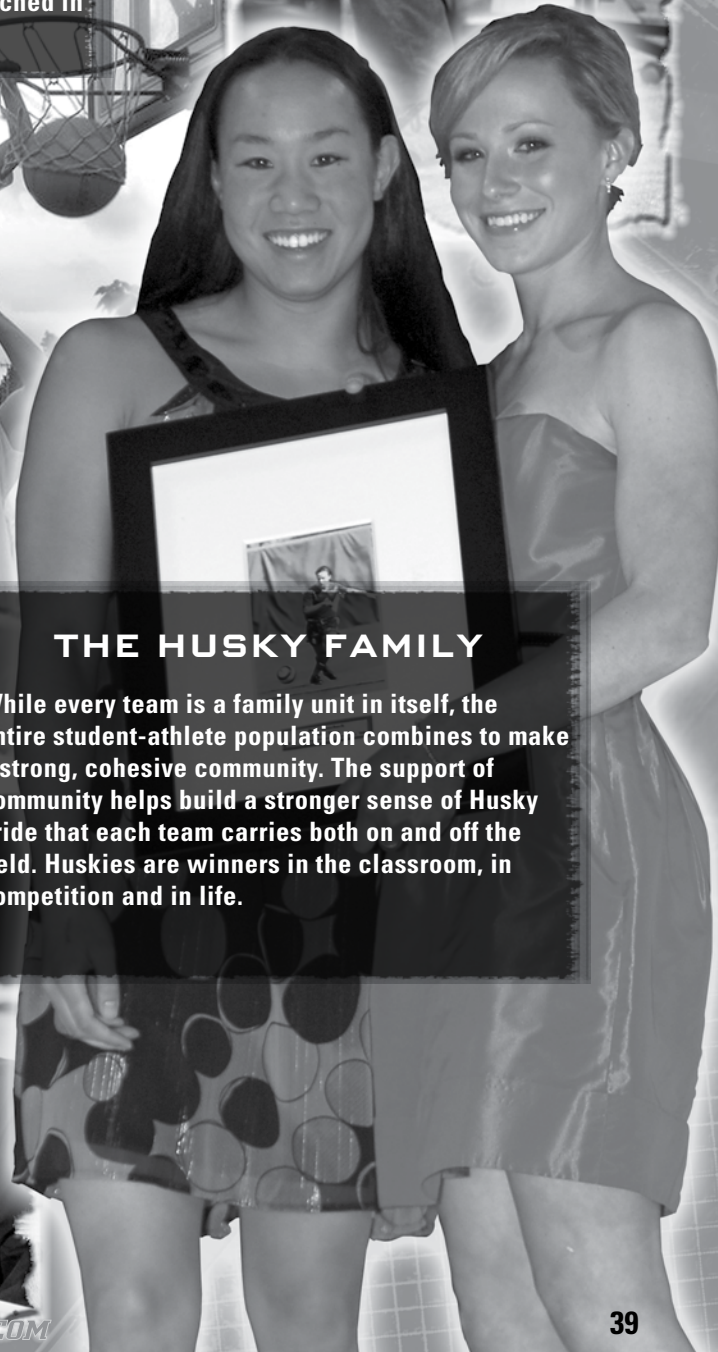
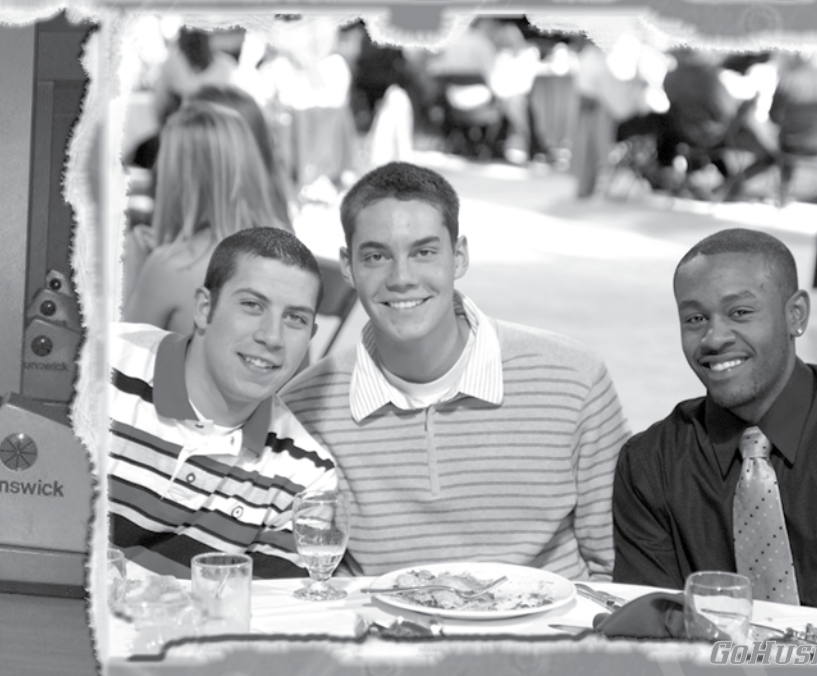
BFFS AND LOLs

During your time at the University of Washington you will forge life-long friendships, create ever-lasting memories and partake in many once-in-a-lifetime experiences. The unique opportunities the UW offers in an academic environment are unmatched in the beautiful Pacific Northwest.



THE HUSKY FAMILY

While every team is a family unit in itself, the entire student-athlete population combines to make a strong, cohesive community. The support of community helps build a stronger sense of Husky pride that each team carries both on and off the field. Huskies are winners in the classroom, in competition and in life.



KUKORS CONQUERS

One of UW's most accomplished swimmers in just her first season, Ariana Kukors currently holds six school records and has helped four relay teams to new UW records. A three-time All-American, finishing in the top four of three events at the NCAA Championships, Kukors was named Pac-10 Newcomer of the Year following her two Pac-10 individual titles.

SKY-HIGH STATS

The Husky softball program has produced 34 All-Americans and has been to the NCAA tournament in all but the first of its 16 years of existence. The Huskies have advanced to the Women's College World Series seven times.

UW Athletic

ALL ABOUT ALLEN

Husky soccer player, Ely Allen was Pac-10 Co-Player of the Year in 2007 and first-round MLS draft pick by the LA Galaxy.

TRIFECTA

The Husky women's crew won the first three NCAA championships ever awarded. The UW finished second at the NCAA regatta in 2008. The Husky men's rowing team won the 2007 IRA championship and took second in 2008.

Did you know...

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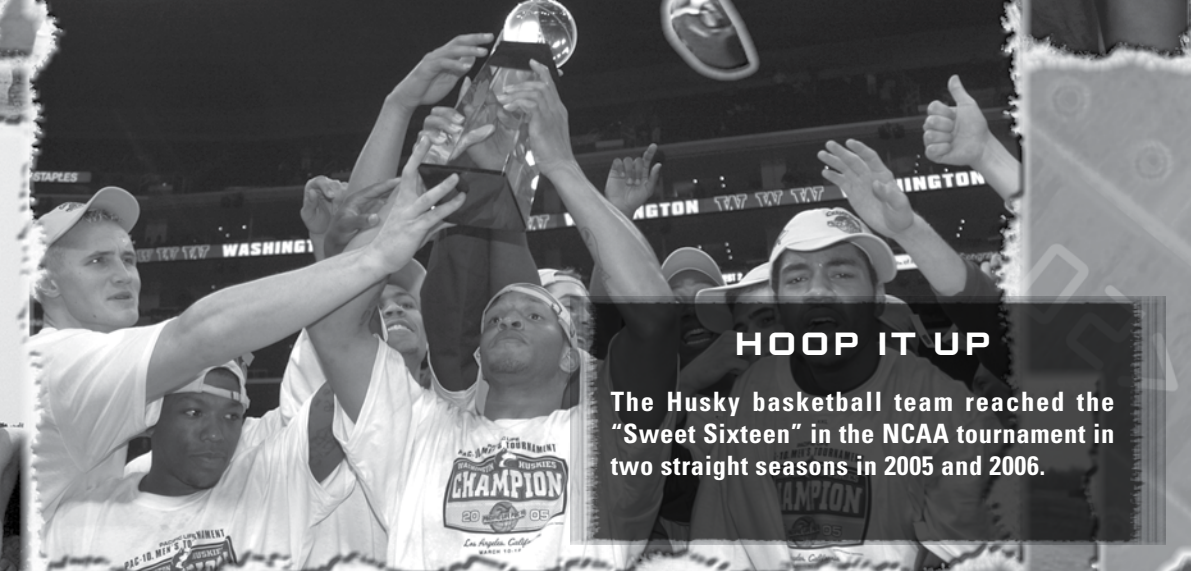
Is UW's 2007-08 ranking in The NACDA Directors' Cup, which ranks all 341 NCAA Division I programs for overall athletic excellence and achievement.



VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONS

The Washington volleyball team won the 2005 NCAA championship and appeared in the volleyball Final Four in 2004, 2005 and 2006.

Excellence



HOOP IT UP

The Husky basketball team reached the "Sweet Sixteen" in the NCAA tournament in two straight seasons in 2005 and 2006.



TAYLOR MADE (THE CUT)

Washington's men's golf team earned a seventh-place finish at the 2008 NCAA Championship, with Nick Taylor finishing second individually. Taylor also earned a spot to play in the 2008 U.S. Open at Torrey Pines.

THE FAST LANE

UW men's track and field team has finished in the top 20 at the past four NCAA Meets. At the 2008 outdoor meet, the men scored their most points since 1983. On the women's team, Katie Follett became Washington's first Pac-10 women's champion since 2004, winning the 1,500 meters. Follett was one of three Husky All-Americans in the mile. She was also a part of the 2007 women's cross country team that finished eighth in the NAAs, its highest finish ever.



ARIZONA

Nickname: Wildcats

Location: Tucson, Ariz.

Colors: Arizona Red and Blue

Year Included in Pac-10: 1978 (Pac-8)

CONFERENCE OF CHAMPIONS

Entering the 2008-09 season, the Pacific-10 Conference continues to uphold its tradition as the "Conference of Champions." Pac-10 members have claimed an incredible 159 NCAA team titles over the past 18 seasons, for an average of more than eight championships per academic year.



ARIZONA STATE

Nickname: Sun Devils

Location: Tempe, Ariz.

Colors: Maroon and Gold

Year Included in Pac-10: 1978 (Pac-8)

CALIFORNIA

Nickname: Golden Bears

Location: Berkeley, Calif.

Colors: Blue and Gold

Charter Member (PCC): 1915



OREGON

Nickname: Ducks

Location: Eugene, Ore.

Colors: Green and Yellow

Charter Member (PCC): 1915



OREGON STATE

Nickname: Beavers

Location: Corvallis, Ore.

Colors: Black and Orange

Charter Member (PCC): 1915



Did you

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**The Pac-10
NCAA
one shot
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the Pac-10**

The Pac-10

FORMERLY KNOWN AS...

The Pacific Coast Conference (1915-1959)

The Athletic Association of Western Universities
(1959-1968)

The Pacific-8 Conference (1968-1978)

STANFORD

Nickname: Cardinal

Location: Palo Alto, Calif.

Colors: Cardinal and White

Year Included in Pac-10: 1918 (PCC)



UCLA

Nickname: Bruins

Location: Los Angeles, Calif.

Colors: Blue and Gold

Year Included in Pac-10: 1928 (PCC)



USC

Nickname: Trojans

Location: Los Angeles, Calif.

Colors: Cardinal and Gold

Year Included in Pac-10: 1922 (PCC)



WASHINGTON

Nickname: Huskies

Location: Seattle, Wash.

Colors: Purple and Gold

Charter Member (PCC): 1915



WASHINGTON STATE

Nickname: Cougars

Location: Pullman, Wash.

Colors: Crimson and Gray

Year Included in Pac-10: 1917 (PCC)



ou know...

**Pac-10 captured 13
titles in 2007-08,
y of the all-time
record of 14 set by
c-10 in 1996-97?**

Conference

Husky Football A to Z

Here's a look at some of the more interesting aspects of the University of Washington, its athletic history and the Huskies' proud football tradition.

AIR HUSKY: A familiar sight around Husky Stadium are the low-flying float planes that use Lake Washington and Lake Union as their staging areas. One company, Kenmore Air Harbor of Kenmore, Wash., offers UW fans a chance to fly in the one-of-a-kind Husky Air Force. One plane in its fleet, a 10-passenger deHavilland Turbine Otter, has been detailed with the Husky color scheme and logos.

ALMA MATER: Here are the lyrics to Washington's alma mater:

To her we sing who keeps the ward
O'er all her sons from sea to sea;
Our Alma Mater, Washington,
A health! a health! we give to thee.
Child of the mighty western land,
You're the mother of a mighty race;
Silent her gentle vigil holds
In Strength and purity and grace.
Chorus
All hail! O Washington!
Thy sons and daughters sing glad acclaim
Through years of youth and loyalty;
And still in age we sing thy fame.
In honor thy towers stand,
Thy battlements shine in dawning light
And glow again in sunset rays.
All hail! O Washington!



American Idol finalist Matt Rogers

AMERICAN IDOL: The highest-rated television show in the nation, "American Idol" featured former Husky offensive guard Matt Rogers during the 2004 season. The Fox network program, which was in its third season, featured a talent search for the nation's next pop superstar. Rogers was one of more than 40,000 contestants to audition around the country. He wowed the panel of celebrity judges (including pop star Paula Abdul) and the voting public with his singing and stage presence. Through a series of elimination stages and telephonic voting by the public, Rogers advanced to the round of live televised performances and placed 11th overall. The former offensive guard has toured with the other finalists, and recorded a rendition of "Dock of the Bay." Rogers' single was featured on the "American Idol Season 3: Greatest Soul Classics" album released in 2004. A transfer from Iowa, Rogers only played at Washington during the 2000 season, starting in UW's Rose Bowl victory that year. When not belting out tunes, he owns a mortgage business in California.

APPLE CUP: The annual battle between the UW and cross-state rival Washington State is known as the Apple Cup. It's interesting to note that, unlike the Stanley Cup, the Apple Cup trophy is not actually a cup.



ASTRO TURF: Washington became the first major college in the country to use AstroTurf as an outdoor surface, covering its stadium floor in the summer of 1968 when it replaced its old sod field with the new synthetic surface at a cost of \$300,000. The advantages of the new surface were said to be a reduction in the number of injuries because of the uniformity of the surface and the fact that the turf would be unharmed by rain. The AstroTurf surface was removed to make way for the revolutionary FieldTurf surface that debuted in Husky Stadium in June 2000.

BAND DAY: Band Day is scheduled for UW's Sept. 27 game versus Stanford. A number of high school bands from across the state participate in the activities. Each band is introduced and plays a tune during pre-game warmups. The high school bands then join the Husky Marching Band for the playing of the national anthem and a halftime show. Band Day was originated during the 1950 season by former UW band director Walter C. Welke as a means of honoring six cities which had been loyal to the University and its activities. High school bands from those six cities performed alongside the UW band.

THE BEAST: Former Husky lineman Bob Sapp had a very successful career on the gridiron at Washington but it does not compare to the fame he has found in K-1 Championship Fighting, a combination of karate, taekwondo, and kickboxing. "The Beast," as Sapp is known in the world of K-1, became a national celebrity in Japan. At 6-7 and 375 pounds, Sapp is one of the largest competitors in the K-1 ranks. He quickly established himself in the sport by defeating four-time K-1 World Grand Prix Champion Ernesto Hoost of Holland. Sapp's popularity in Japan soared. His outrageous personality — he once gobbled down handfuls of squid during a tour of Tokyo with an



Bob "The Beast" Sapp

ensemble of media — has attracted hundreds of commercial endorsements. Sapp has been featured on the cover of Time and the Wall Street Journal. ESPN Magazine and HBO's Real Sports have both profiled the former Husky who scored a touchdown on a fumble recovery in UW's historic 38-20 win at Miami in 1994. Sapp's matches usually air on pay-per-view and are replayed on ESPN. Sapp has more recently starred in the movies "Elektra" and "The Longest Yard".

BIG W CLUB: Consisting of Husky letterwinners that have completed their athletic eligibility, this is the UW's Athletic Alumni Association. Their purpose is to promote a continued relationship between former letterwinners and UW Athletics.

BLANKET DRIVE: Part of the festivities at UW's annual Homecoming is the Blanket Drive coordinated by the Big W Alumni Club. The event annually raises close to \$20,000 and 10,000 blankets for St. Vincent de Paul Society. The UW Alumni Association has earned an award from the Council for Advancement and Support of Education for the public relations effort in promoting the drive.

BLANKET PARADE: Homecoming at Husky Stadium is also marked by the annual Blanket Parade following the Husky Marching Band's halftime show. Former Husky letterwinners are allowed onto the field to form a tunnel for the Huskies as they return to the field. Many letterwinners bring along their letter blankets for the activity. This year's Homecoming game and Blanket Parade will be Oct. 18 vs. Oregon State.

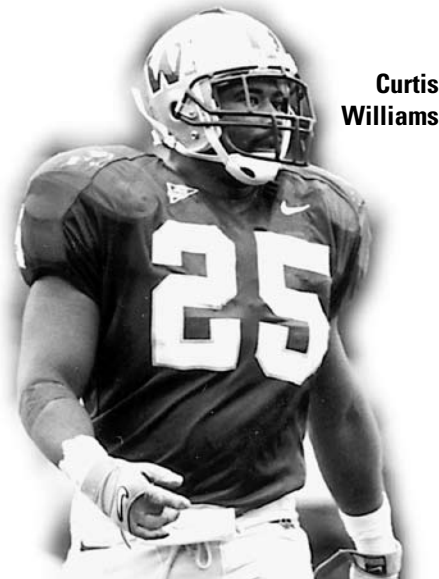
BOB ABEL: Although Washington lost its Husky Stadium dedication game to Dartmouth 28-7 on Nov. 27, 1920, Bob Abel holds the distinction of scoring the first touchdown in the new facility. He grabbed a blocked Dartmouth field goal attempt and raced 63 yards for the score.

Husky Football A to Z

BOW DOWN TO WASHINGTON: Washington's fight song, "Bow Down to Washington," was written by Lester Wilson in 1915. Wilson, who could not read music, is said to have written the song in response to a fight song contest in Washington's student newspaper, *The Daily*. Wilson pulled an all-nighter on the eve of the contest deadline, refining the song on the piano while a friend put the music to paper. The song made its debut at the UW's game vs. Cal in Berkeley on Nov. 6, 1915, sparking the Huskies to a 72-0 win. The song has earned acclaim worldwide, even leading the *San Diego Journal* to state, "It is generally agreed that 'Bow Down' is the greatest college fighting song." Following are the lyrics to the tune, which Husky students and alumni proudly sing at Husky sporting events.

Bow Down to Washington,
Bow Down to Washington,
Mighty Are the Men
Who Wear the Purple and the Gold,
Joyfully We Welcome Them
Within the Victors' Fold.
We Will Carve Their Names
In the Hall of Fame
To Preserve the Memory of Our Devotion.
Heaven Help the Foes of Washington;
They're Trembling at the Feet
Of Mighty Washington,
The Boys Are There With Bells,
Their Fighting Blood Excels,
It's Harder to Push Them Over the Line
Than Pass the Dardanelles.
Victory's the Cry of Washington...
Leather Lungs Together
With a Rah! Rah! Rah!
And O'er the Land
Our Loyal Band
Will Sing the Glory
Of Washington Forever.

CAPTAIN HUSKY—While Spirit roams the sidelines as Washington's official mascot, you don't have to go any further than the west (enclosed) endzone to find the Huskies' "unofficial" mascot — Captain Husky. With a purple aviator cap, a full cape and plenty of props, Captain Husky keeps fans in the "Fun Zone" entertained and into the spirit of the game. In reality, Captain Husky is Barry Erickson, who works in marketing in Seattle and is a member of the Tyee Sports Council.



Curtis Williams



"Captain Husky"

C-DUB: Former Washington safety Curtis Williams, who played for the Huskies from 1996-2000, was known affectionately by his teammates as "C-Dub," a takeoff of the University's nickname of U-Dub. He suffered a spinal cord injury during an Oct. 28, 2000, game at Stanford that ended his football career and left him paralyzed below the neck. Williams died on May 6, 2002, just a week after returning to Seattle and Husky Stadium for the first time since his injury to watch UW's annual Spring Game. At a memorial service held at Washington, Williams' family was presented with his undergraduate degree that he had intended to complete. Williams' courage and determination to succeed despite his physical setbacks was an inspiration to his teammates, coaches and Husky fans who rallied to his assistance by raising more than \$400,000 for a support fund. Following his death, the "Curtis Williams Fund" was converted to a scholarship program to support needy undergraduate students.

THE COLLAPSE: No, this does not refer to a team blowing a lead or a late-season failure. The collapse remembered by most people associated with Washington athletics occurred February 25, 1987, during construction of the second deck of the north grandstand at Husky Stadium. The first partially completed section (only about 50 feet wide) toppled because of construction site errors, not stadium design, but no one was injured in the accident. The project, however, was still completed in time for the opening game of the 1987 season.

DEDICATION GAME: On Nov. 27, 1920, the UW dedicated Husky Stadium in a 28-7 loss to Dartmouth. Interestingly, it marked the fifth time Dartmouth participated in a stadium dedication game.

DEMPSEY INDOOR: One of the newest, and certainly the largest, addition to Washington's growing athletic complex is Dempsey Indoor. Since opening in September of 2001, the 80,000-square foot practice facility has provided training space for Washington's football, softball, baseball and soccer teams, and a practice and competition area for the UW track teams. Dempsey Indoor includes a full

football field and an indoor track, which has earned a reputation as one of the nation's fastest. The facility is named for California businessman Neal Dempsey, a 1964 Washington graduate. Dempsey and his wife, Janet, made the largest-ever individual contribution to the University in January of 2001, announcing a gift of \$10 million to be split between the business school and athletics. In addition to helping fund the building, Dempsey's gift for the athletic department also helped fund scholarships and the renovation of the Conibear Shellhouse, which serves as the Student-Athlete Life Center.

DENNY FIELD: Washington's only other on-campus stadium site for football was Denny Field, located in the north section of campus near 45th Street. Denny Field is occupied today by a grass field, as well as tennis, volleyball and basketball courts for student use. The area is bordered by Hutchinson Hall to the south, and dormitories to the north and east.

DIRECTOR'S CUP: The Director's Cup is an annual award presented by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA), United States Sports Academy, and USA TODAY to the best overall collegiate athletics program in the country. In 2007-08, Washington was honored for its overall athletic excellence with an 22nd-place ranking in the final Director's Cup standings. In 2003-04, the UW equalled the best-ever finish by ranking eighth, the same as in 1997-98. Washington finished the year with 19 of 23 sports making postseason appearances. The UW boasted Pac-10 team titles in men's golf, men's tennis, men's basketball and women's volleyball. Individually, three Huskies were named Pac-10 Player of the Year while five coaches won the Pac-10 Coach of the Year award.

FIELDTURF: In 2000, Washington became one of the first major-college programs to install FieldTurf as its primary playing surface, replacing the AstroTurf which blanketed the stadium floor beginning in 1968. FieldTurf consists of a synthetic sand and recycled rubber infill which holds each individual artificial grass fiber like natural earth holds real grass. The new surface was made possible by a gift from Seattle Seahawks owner Paul G. Allen, whose team played its home games at Husky Stadium in 2000 and 2001 while construction was completed on a new open-air stadium at the former Kingdome site. On Aug. 5, 2000, the Seahawks became the first NFL team to play a game on FieldTurf, hosting the Indianapolis Colts in a preseason game. The surface proved to be so popular with the Husky players and coaching staff that Field Turf was installed in Washington's new Dempsey Indoor practice facility, on the Huskies' east end practice field, and on the intramural athletics fields just west of Husky Ballpark.



Remnants of "The Collapse"

Husky Football A to Z

FIFTH QUARTER: The Fifth Quarter is a post-game gathering of contributors at Dempsey Indoor. Over 1,000 contributors gather for some post-game tailgating that includes the band, a raffle and comments from a coach.

THE FIRST WIN: Washington won its first football game on December 17, 1892, beating the Seattle Athletic Club 14-0 at Madison Park. J. Harvard Darlington played quarterback, and Frank Atkins, the team's fullback, scored the first touchdown in school history on a five-yard run in the second quarter. Atkins was probably Washington's best all-around athlete. In addition to playing football, Atkins set a number of UW track and field records, including triple jump (41-10), pole vault (7-6 1/2) and high jump (5-1 1/2).

THE FIRST SELLOUT: Washington's first-ever sellout (21,500) at Husky Stadium came October 20, 1923, when the Huskies played USC for the first time. As a result of Husky fans snapping up all available tickets, the Seattle P-I's radio station, KFJC, arranged for the first radio broadcast of the game. UW won the game 22-0 as George Wilson scored one TD and set up another with a 72-yard kick return.

FLAHERTY, GUY: Guy Flaherty began his football career at the UW and played every minute of every game during the 1906-07 seasons. A severe case of boils on his arm prevented him from playing in all but the first and last game of the 1908 season. But even while too ill to play, Flaherty turned out every day with the squad, and actually performed manager duties while unable to play. His willing service to UW football was recognized by every member of the squad, thus a medal was named in his honor. Today the Guy Flaherty Medal is awarded annually to the player voted "most inspirational" by his teammates, and is considered the top award given to a football player. The Flaherty Award is generally regarded as the first inspirational award offered in the country in intercollegiate athletics.



GIL DOBIE: Legend has it that Gil Dobie, who coached the Huskies to a 58-0-3 record between 1908-1916, was one of the most tyrannical and pessimistic coaches to ever stalk a sideline. It seems everyone, except his players, had a dislike for Dobie's less-than-optimistic attitude. But to Dobie's credit, that pessimism was very calculated. Once, after a player had scampered 90 yards for a touchdown, Dobie told the would-be hero, "If you were any good at all you would do it more often."

GOODWIN: The first full-time UW football coach was W.B. Goodwin, hired in 1892. Not only was he the first football coach at Washington, he was the first coach for any athletic team at the school. Goodwin was a member of the Eastern College Alumni team that faced UW in its first-ever game in 1889.

GREENWOOD, SCOTT: The Scott Greenwood Memorial Scholarship is presented during Washington's annual Senior Reception to a Husky student-athlete who will pursue a postgraduate degree at the University. The 2007 recipient was Martin Bingisser, who also earned 1st Team All-America and 1st Team Academic All-America honors as a hammer thrower in Track & Field. Greenwood was a standout tight end at Washington from 1975-78. The winner of the 101 Club's Scholar-Athlete of the Year Award, Greenwood went on to become a vice president for Sellen Construction. After cancer took his life in 1992, Greenwood's family and friends established his memorial scholarship to assist a future Husky with postgraduate studies.

GOVERNOR'S TROPHY: Before they battled for the Apple Cup, starting in 1962, players from Washington and Washington State competed for a different trophy. Called the Governor's Trophy, it was originally presented to the victorious team in the annual showdown. The trophy was usually presented by the state's governor — hence the name Governor's Trophy. First up for grabs in 1934, it would remain on the shelf another year, as the two teams played to a scoreless tie. In 1935, however, the Huskies became the first team to take home the Governor's Trophy with a 21-0 win, and have compiled a 46-20-3 record in the series since the trophy's debut. Lost for decades, it turned up in the fall of 1995 in a Seattle sports memorabilia store. The owners had bought it from a scrap pile that was about to be melted down.

HALL OF FAME ROOM: In September of 2002, the Washington athletic department opened its new Husky Hall of Fame Room on the west end of Bank of America Arena at Hec Edmundson Pavilion. More

than two years went into the planning and development of the 5,000-square foot area that is located on the main concourse level of the Arena. Exhibits represent all eras of Washington's athletic history, highlighting the key individuals and events from each of the sport programs. A special wing displays information on the members of the Husky Hall of Fame, including new glass medallions with their achievements. The Husky Hall of Fame is free and open to the public during normal work hours.

HOME FIELD: Washington's football teams have played at nine different sites in and around Seattle during the 118 years of Husky football before landing permanently in Husky Stadium. Those locations include: 1) 14th and Jefferson; 2) 18th and Jackson; 3) at the old downtown campus where the Metropolitan Theater used to be; 4) downtown on Howell Street where the Manhattan Apartments used to be; 5) in West Seattle; 6) in Madison Park at the end of the old Madison Street street-car line; 7) at a YMCA Park that used to be on Jefferson Street; 8) at a former recreation park in north Seattle; 9) at Denny Field on the UW campus. When the campus was downtown, the team's practice field was where the Four Seasons Olympic Hotel now stands.

HUSKIES: The University officially accepted the nickname Huskies for its athletic teams on Feb. 3, 1922. The announcement was made at halftime of the Washington-Washington State basketball game. The nickname was selected by a joint committee of students, coaches, faculty, alumni and businessmen. The old name of "Sun Dodgers" was found unsuitable when it met with disapproval of fans and students alike. The name "Huskies" was presented at halftime by football captain-elect Robert Ingram. When Ingram made his speech, large white placards were hoisted in the rooters section occupied by varsity letterwinners displaying the slogans "The Husky stands for — fight and tenacity — character and courage — endurance and willingness." Other suggested nicknames were Wolves, Malamutes, Tyees, Vikings, Northmen and Olympics (also see Vikings and Sun Dodgers).

HUSKIES (OTHERS): There are nine other senior (four-year) colleges that share the UW's nickname of Huskies. Among the Division I-A ranks, Connecticut



The Governor's Cup Trophy

CENTENNIAL SQUAD: Washington celebrated 100 years of Husky football during the 1990 season. A Washington centennial team was selected by alumni, members of the media and long-time season ticket holders. Here is that team:

Offense

WR	Paul Skansi.....	'79-82
WR	Lonzell Hill.....	'83-86
OG	Max Starceovich.....	'34-36
OG	Chuck Allen.....	'58-59
OT	Vic Markov.....	'35-37
OT	Arnie Weinmeister.....	'42, '46-47
C	Blair Bush.....	'75-77
QB	Don Heinrich.....	'49-50, '52
RB	George Wilson.....	'23-25
RB	Hugh McElhenny.....	'49-51
RB	Joe Steele.....	'76-79
PK	Chuck Nelson.....	'80-82

Defense

DL	Paul Schwegler.....	'29-31
DL	Doug Martin.....	'76-79
DL	George Strugar.....	'55-56
DL	Ron Holmes.....	'82-84
LB	Rick Redman.....	'62-64
LB	Michael Jackson.....	'75-78
LB	Joe Kelly.....	'83-85
DB	Nesby Glasgow.....	'75-78
DB	Ray Horton.....	'79-82
DB	Calvin Jones.....	'70-72
DB	Dick Sprague.....	'50-52
P	Rich Camarillo.....	'79-80

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and Northern Illinois are the only other programs using Huskies as a nickname. The other seven schools are: Bloomsburg, Connecticut (Stamford), Houston Baptist, Michigan Tech, Northeastern, Saint Cloud State and Southern Maine.

HUSKIES-COUGARS: It's hard to believe, but there are eight known players who suited up for both Washington and Washington State. Call them Couskies. The eight — Jay Stoves, Bill Ward, Tag Christensen, Verne Oliver, Wally Kramer, Al Akins, Hjalmer "Jelly" Anderson, and Jim Thompson — all began their college careers at Washington State. During World War II the Navy and Marines transferred their new enlistees to Washington for the equivalent of officer candidate training. Washington State's football program, already depleted by military call-ups, was suspended until 1945. Those events saw six of those eight playing for the Huskies in 1943, after donning the Crimson and Gray of WSU the previous season. Washington went on to the Rose Bowl that season with Akins starting in the backfield, but lost to USC 29-0. Akins did not play football at WSU, but lettered on the Cougar basketball team in 1941 and '42. Anderson and Thompson lettered in 1942 for WSU and became Huskies after the war. Anderson lettered for UW in '46 and '47 and Thompson in '46.

HUSKY SPIRIT: A lifesize bronze statue of a Husky dog named "Husky Spirit" was dedicated on the plaza between Husky Stadium and the Bank of America Arena in 1996. The statue is a gift to the University from the Big "W" Alumni Club. The statue was sculpted by UW alumna Georgia Gerber, who is well known as the creator of the Pike Place Market Pig, replicas of which appear all over the Seattle area.

LEGENDS' SALUTE: Between the third and fourth quarters of every Husky home football game a former Washington Legend is introduced to the crowd. The event has become something Husky fans look forward to at every game. A video presentation on the HuskyTron video board helps to capture the Legend's playing days as a Husky.

THE LOGO: In April of 2001, Washington launched a new identity program resulting in new uniforms for six athletic teams, an enhanced block "W" logo, and a new secondary Husky logo, in an attempt to give the 23 athletic teams at Washington a uniform look, while maintaining the great tradition and heritage of the Huskies. For more information on Washington's official marks, visit the University's licensing web site at www.huskylogos.com

LOU GELLMANN: The public address voice at Husky Stadium since 1985 has belonged to Lou Gellermann, a 1958 UW graduate. Gellermann, whose trademark "Hello Dawg Fans" introduction echoes throughout Husky Stadium each gameday during the fall, was a four-year rower at Washington, and is a member of the Husky Hall of Fame as a part of the 1958 crew which rowed against the Soviets in Moscow. Gellerman retired during the 2007 season and was replaced by Eric Radovich.

LOUD: With nearly 70 percent of the 72,500 seats located between the end zones, Husky Stadium can be one of the loudest gridirons in the nation. How loud? During the 1992 Nebraska game, ESPN's sideline crew recorded a decibel reading of 135 during the course of the action.

LUCKY DAWGS: In 1996, members of the Husky football team began the Lucky Dawg program. The program allows youngsters who have been outpatients at Seattle's Children's Hospital or the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center to join the Husky team captains for the pregame coin toss at all home games.

THE MOAT: Athletic teams take great pride in protecting their home turf, so what would be better to symbolize that sense of battle in the Huskies' fortress than a moat? The Husky Stadium moat, however, is not constructed outside the stadium to ward off intruders, but inside to catch water runoff. The moat, surrounding three quarters of the stadium between the seats and the running track, was part of the original construction of the stadium in 1920, and was designed to help drain what amounts to 36,000 gallons of water from one inch of rainfall in the massive stadium. Though not designed to capture enemy personnel, the moat did claim one victim in 1992 — the Stanford Cardinal tree, which fell in while cavorting prior to the UW-Stanford matchup.

NATIONAL CHAMPS: Know this first: teams do not win an NCAA Division I national championship in football. Even with the BCS, teams are voted national champions by a myriad of organizations. Most fans recognize the 1991 season as Washington's first claim to a national title. The Huskies were voted No. 1 in the final CNN/USA Today coaches' poll in addition to several other publications. But did you know there are two other seasons when the Huskies received the top nod at the end of the year? In 1984, fresh off a win against Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl, The Football News picked the Dawgs over Brigham Young as national champions. In 1960 the Helms Foundation declared the UW national champion after the Huskies defeated top-ranked Minnesota in the Rose Bowl. At the time, Helms was the only organization to select its national champ after bowl games were played.

NFL DRAFT: NFL teams have continued to find former Washington players very attractive in the annual college draft, selecting 71 Huskies in the past 16 years and signing many more as free agents. Washington had 11 players selected in the 1992 draft, tying the previous high set in 1983.

NICHOLS, RALPH: Ralph Nichols was probably the first gridiron star at the UW. In 1893 he led the "Purple and Gold" in its first intercollegiate game against Stanford. The Indians won handily 40-0. Still, Nichols was impressive enough to catch the eye of Stanford's student manager who offered him a "free ride" if he would consider transferring to the Palo Alto school. That Stanford student manager turned out to be Herbert Hoover, who went on to become the 31st President of the United States. Nichols captained the UW team in 1894 and served as coach in 1895.

THE PENALTY: Early in the fourth quarter of the 1985 Orange Bowl, Washington was involved in one of the strangest spectacles in college football history. After Tim Lashar kicked a 22-yard field goal to give Oklahoma a 17-14 lead, a penalty was called on the Sooners which nullified the score. That was followed by another penalty on Oklahoma's mascot, the Sooner Schooner, a Conestoga wagon powered by two tiny ponies. The Sooner Schooner's driver, Rex Harris, apparently did not see the flag and charged on the field for a brief celebration. The officials promptly called a 15-yard unsportsmanlike conduct penalty on the Sooner Schooner and tacked it on the other penalty. The 20-yard setback made Lashar's next attempt a 42-yarder, which was blocked by Washington's Tim Peoples. Inspired by the momentum swing, Washington went on to score two touchdowns in less than 60 seconds around the five-minute mark, and won the game, 28-17.

PURPLE AND GOLD: Washington's school colors, Purple and Gold, were adopted in 1892 by vote of a student assembly on the original downtown Seattle campus. One patriotic group favored Red, White and Blue as the University's colors, reasoning that "since the school was named after the father of our country, our national colors should be the school's colors." The opposing faction argued that national colors should not be degraded for such everyday use. The debate was ended when a young English instructor, Miss Louise Frazier, stood and read the following excerpt from Lord Byron's "Destruction of Sennacherib."

"The Assyrian come down like the wolf on the fold,
And his cohorts were gleaming in purple and gold;
And the sheen of their spears was like stars on the sea,
And the blue wave rolls nightly on deep Galilee."

THE PURPLE GANG: No series of teams in Washington's first century of football was more permanently fixed in Husky football lore than the Purple Gang that Jim Owens unleashed on the Pacific slope in 1959 and 1960. Led by a one-eyed quarterback, Bob Schloredt, and a defense that was strictly for "Adults Only," the Purple Gang became Washington's first back-to-back Rose Bowl champions and sparked a renaissance in West Coast football that has lasted until the present day. The two teams combined for a 20-2 record. The 1959 team became the first entire football team inducted into the Husky Hall of Fame in 1994. Players previously inducted included Schloredt, Roy McKasson, George Fleming and Don McKeta.



A "Lucky Dawg" with Husky Captains

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RECORD DAY: On November 25, 1950, Washington's Hugh McElhenny and Don Heinrich had a record day during a 52-21 victory over Washington State. McElhenny romped for an all-time school record 296 yards and scored a modern-day record five touchdowns. Heinrich set a then-national completion record with his 134th of the season. How Heinrich's record came about constitutes an intriguing piece of Husky lore. With Heinrich one completion away from breaking the record, Washington State had the ball with time running out. So the Huskies decided to let the Cougars score so Washington could get the ball and give it to Heinrich. On the next play, WSU's Dick Gambold tossed a 21-yard touchdown while Husky defensive back Dick Sprague did nothing to stop it. On the subsequent Washington series, Heinrich completed a pass to get the record and moments later McElhenny got loose for an 84-yard touchdown run to break the then single-season conference record of 1,010 rushing yards.

THE ROUT: Enjoying a 30-pound weight advantage per man, Washington recorded its biggest win in school history on October 25, 1919 with a 120-0 drubbing of Whitman before 5,000 spectators at Denny Field. Washington sprinted to a school-record 19 touchdowns, seven of which were scored by halfback Ervin Dailey. On his TDs alone, Dailey amassed 350 yards rushing, which would have been a school record if official statistics had been kept. The game featured one notable amusement: In the second half, Washington's Gus Pope somehow tore a huge hole in his pants and the rout



Legendary UW quarterback Sonny Sixkiller and his "ballad".



had to be put on hold while trainer Hec Edmundson hurried on the field to stitch the tackle's trousers back together.

SENIOR SALUTE: Washington annually salutes its senior class at the final home game of the season. The Huskies take the field first and form a tunnel for the seniors to run into Husky Stadium for the last time.

THE SNEAKERS GAME: After the 1932 season, Washington coach Jimmy Phelan accepted a challenge by the West Seattle Athletic Club Yellow Jackets, an assortment of former collegians and semi-pros, to play a "City Championship" game for charity. The day before the game, Phelan noticed during a workout that freezing temperatures had turned the field practically into an ice rink. Phelan quickly purchased three dozen tennis shoes for his players to wear the next day. With the Yellowjackets slip-sliding all over, Washington scored touchdowns in bunches. In an attempt to keep their feet beneath them, all but three West Seattle players were playing without shoes on the frozen ground. It didn't help as Washington won 66-0.

SONNY SIXKILLER: The popularity of former Husky All-America quarterback Sonny Sixkiller was so great that a local radio disc jockey wrote a song called "The Ballad of Sonny Sixkiller" that remained on the charts in Seattle for weeks in 1971. A sampling of the lyrics follows:

"He was born one morning 'neath the sun and the heat.
The proud grandson of an Indian chief.
The Cherokee tribe from which he came
Was the first to learn of his famous name.
Sonny Sixkiller.
He grew up strong into a proud young man.
Determined breed, he left his land.
Put down his arrows, hung up his shield.
And became a warrior on the football field.
Sonny Sixkiller."

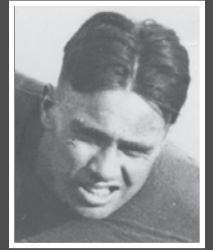
"The Ballad of Sonny Sixkiller"
Thunder Tummy Records (BMI)

SPIRIT— Whitepaw's Arlut Spirit of Gold Dust ("Spirit") made his debut as Washington's mascot in 1999. He is the 10th Alaskan Malamute to have served as the Husky mascot. He leads the team out of the tunnel before every home game and wanders the sidelines during the contest accompanied by trainer Kim Cross and several of Cross' children, who act as handlers. The previous mascots were Frosty I (1922-29), Frosty II (1930-36), Wasky (1946), Wasky II (1947-53), Ski (1954-57), Denali (1958), King Chinook (1959-68), Regent Denali (1969-80), Sundodger (1981-91), King Redoubt (1992-97) and Prince Redoubt (1998). The Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity acquired the first dog, Frosty I, and acted as its handlers. In 1959, Harry Cross, a professor of law at the University, took over the dog handler duties with King Chinook. Chinook's first appearance was the Idaho game that season. Cross' son, Kim, watched the dog on the sidelines.

Retired Husky Jerseys

2 Chuck Carroll

Chuck Carroll was a consensus All-American in 1928, capping an outstanding career in which he was a three-time letterwinner while helping lead the Huskies to a 24-8 overall record. He also received the Guy Flaherty award that season, as he set a Husky record with 17 touchdowns in one season, a record that stood until the 1996 season when it was broken by Corey Dillon. Carroll, a two-time All-Coast selection (1927-28), also owns the Husky record for most points scored in a game — 36 against Puget Sound in 1928. Carroll was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1964 and the Husky Hall of Fame in 1979.



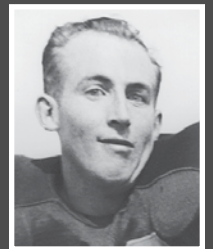
33 George Wilson

George Wilson was described as one of the most fearless all-around players in the country during his Husky career, twice outplaying such well-known legends as Red Grange of Illinois and Ernie Nevers of Stanford. In 1925 he joined those two greats on the All-America team as Washington's first consensus pick. He also was a three-time All-Coast selection (1923-25). Wilson scored a school record 37 touchdowns during his career and led Washington to Rose Bowl appearances in 1924 and 1926. Wilson was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1951 and the Husky Hall of Fame in 1980.



44 Roland Kirkby

Roland Kirkby was one of the most underrated members of the Washington's Fearsome Foursome backfield in 1950. As a senior he was named first-team All-Coast by a vote of the coaches and second-team by several different organizations. Kirkby set a school record that season when he caught three touchdown passes in a game against Kansas State, a record that has since been tied but not broken. Kirkby was honorable mention All-America as a sophomore in 1948 and honorable mention All-Coast as a junior.

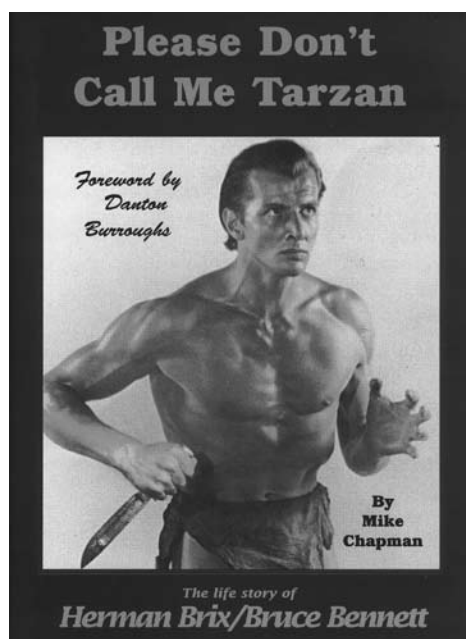


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THE STREAK: Washington has its place etched in the college record books in one category that may never be overtaken. From the last game of the 1907 season, until the 1917 campaign, Washington never lost a game during a 63-game stretch, winning 59 and recording four ties. The Sun Dodgers, as they were known at the time, tied Idaho 0-0 in the final game of 1907 and did not taste defeat until California toppled Washington 27-0 in 1917. During that run, Washington also pieced together a 39-game winning streak, the second longest in NCAA history.

SUN DODGERS: Washington's teams were called Sun Dodgers starting in November of 1919. The nickname originated when a college magazine of the same name was banned from campus and, in protest, students adopted the name for their teams. But "Sun Dodgers" did not do much for the Northwest's image, so a committee set out in 1921 to pick a new nickname. The decision came down to Malamutes and Huskies. The committee felt those were appropriate because of Seattle's nearness to the Alaskan frontier. The Husky was voted most appropriate.

TAILGATING, HUSKY STYLE: While Husky Stadium fans enjoy the event of tailgating like those at other stadiums, the fans at Washington add a unique element not found elsewhere — tailgating by boat. The stadium's location on the shores of Lake Washington makes it easily accessible by boat from all over the Seattle area, and encourages many fans to use the water to travel to and from games. Members of the Husky crew team ferry fans to and from the shore to catch the action, or a ride home.



Legendary UW football and track star Herman Brix took the stage name "Bruce Bennett" and starred in the movies as Tarzan.

TARZAN: Sure, Johnny Weismuller made the role famous, but did you know a Husky was one of the first actors who played the famous ape-man? Herman Brix, an outstanding Washington tackle who played in the 1926 Rose Bowl, was Tarzan in the movies during the 1920s. He appeared in a total of 75 movies during his acting career including "Treasure of Sierra Madre" with Humphrey Bogart. Brix was also an outstanding track athlete, winning the national shot put title in 1927, later setting a world record in the event and eventually earning a silver medal at the 1928 Olympic Games. In December of 2000, a 94-year-old Brix visited the Huskies in Pasadena, Calif., where they were practicing for the 2001 Rose Bowl, exactly 75 years after Brix's appearance in the game.

THE TUNNEL: The tunnel in Husky Stadium's north-west corner leads to the home and visitors' locker rooms. The Huskies' team assembly room is located halfway up the tunnel. That area also serves as the postgame media interview room. A colorful display of Washington's bowl heritage is displayed at the top of the tunnel near the Husky locker room.

THE TURNAROUND: Washington is believed to hold the record for the greatest collegiate comeback of all-time — only this comeback took a year to make. In 1973, the Oregon Ducks held the Huskies offense to 102 total yards, intercepted six passes, and recovered three Husky fumbles en route to a lopsided 58-0 victory in Eugene. The following year, the UW exacted its revenge by rolling up 508 total yards and scoring a school-record nine touchdowns while holding the Ducks to only 55 total yards in a 66-0 landslide victory at Husky Stadium. Not only are the 66 points a modern school record, but the swing of 124 total points is believed to be the largest in consecutive games of a series by any team.

U-DUB: Written often as UW or U of W, the most common way for Washingtonians to refer to the University of Washington is 'U-Dub' or, even simpler, just 'The U.'

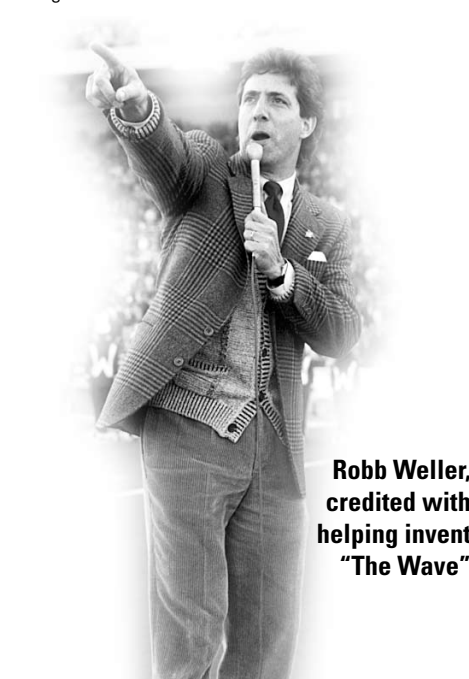
VIKINGS: The Washington Vikings? Believe it or not, for a very short period in 1922, Washington's athletic teams were nicknamed the Vikings. The name came about when students were suggesting a change from the nickname "Sun Dodgers" that had been in existence since November of 1919. While no progress was being made on the name change, athletic officials adopted Vikings during the semester break in December of 1921. When the students returned to campus, they immediately protested the name change. By February of 1922 the name Huskies was adopted.

WASHINGTON FIELD: In March of 1920, as construction was being completed on the new football stadium, a judging committee held a contest to name the arena. The winning entry of "Washington Field" was submitted by Harold M. Sheerer, a plant engineer of Shipping Board at Seattle. Sheerer, who graduated from Washington in 1909, was awarded a \$100 prize. His entry was selected among the 2,500 submissions. The other finalists were Crater and Cascadium. According to a story in the March

28 edition of the Seattle Times, "The committee preferred Washington Field in preference to Crater and Cascadium because it considered it a name which would be more easily known and understood throughout the United States."

THE WAVE: Despite claims by others, the Wave can trace its origin back to Husky Stadium. It was October 31, 1981 when former cheerleader Robb Weller (yes, the same Robb Weller who once co-hosted Entertainment Tonight) was back on the sidelines and instructed the Washington crowd to start in one section and make a human wave that rolled around Husky Stadium. The original Wave saw Husky fans remain standing until a full circle was completed in the stadium. Weller's original idea — working with former Husky band director Bill Bissell — was to have the crowd stand rapidly from the lowest seats to the highest, but they could not effectively coordinate the attempts. The Wave is believed to have started in the third quarter as the Huskies reeled off 28 points en route to a 42-31 win over the John Elway-led Stanford team. In 2001, Weller and Bissell returned to Husky Stadium to mark the 20th anniversary of The Wave. With the Huskies leading 10th-ranked Stanford 28-20 after three quarters, Bissell and Weller recreated the scene from that 1981 contest, leading the crowd in a Wave that ran all the way around Husky Stadium and spurred Washington, again, to 14 fourth-quarter points in a 42-28 upset.

WIN STREAK: A lesser-known fact about Husky football history is the 39-game winning streak coach Gil Dobie's teams compiled from 1908-1914. The Sun Dodgers, as they were known at the time, outscored their opponents 1,331 to 73, an average of 34-2. The UW managed 26 shutouts during the streak and even kept Oregon State off the scoreboard when the Beavers managed a 0-0 tie to end the run. The streak broke the previous mark set by Yale from 1890-93 and stood until Oklahoma reeled off 47 straight wins from 1953-57.



Robb Weller, credited with helping invent "The Wave"