

MEDIA INFORMATION



Press Credentials

Media and photography credentials are unnecessary for UCLA home meets. For any media request prior to a meet, write, call or e-mail Mike Leary at the UCLA Sports Information Office, PO Box 24044, Los Angeles, CA 90024, (310) 206-7873. E-mail mleary@athletics.ucla.edu. All requests should be submitted at least 24 hours in advance.

Photography

During competition, video and still photographers may only shoot from the bike path. The dock or launch areas may not be obstructed. Contact the sports information office at (310) 206-7870 for special arrangements.

Interview Policies

All interviews must be arranged through the sports information office. Please do not expect rowers to be available if you have not made prior arrangements.

Interview Availability

The UCLA team is scheduled to practice in the morning at the boathouse in Marina del Rey. Players and coaches are available after practice. Arrangements for facility access must be made in advance through the sports information office. The best time to reach Coach Fuller Kearney is late morning/early afternoon.

Travel Information

For security purposes, the UCLA Sports Information Office does not release to the general public any travel information for UCLA athletic teams. If you would like to reach a member of the UCLA rowing team on the road, please contact the Sports Information Office.

UCLA Boathouse

The UCLA Boathouse is located off-campus in Marina del Rey, Calif. From campus, take the San Diego Freeway (405 South) to the Marina del Rey Freeway (90 West) until the freeway ends. Make a left on "Mindanao", a left on "Lincoln Blvd" and a right on "Fiji Way". The Aquatic Center is located at the end of Fiji Way, behind the Villa Venetia Apartment Complex. The phone number at the facility is (310) 823-0048.

UCLA's Primary Media Outlets

Newspapers

Los Angeles Times
202 West First St.
Los Angeles, CA 90053
(P): 213-237-7145
(F): 213-237-7876
sports.latimes.com

Orange County Register
625 N. Grand Ave.
Santa Ana, CA 92711
(P): 714-796-7817
(F): 714-565-6765
ocregister.com

Los Angeles Daily News
P.O. Box 4200
Woodland Hills, CA 91365
(P): 818-713-3600
(F): 818-713-3436
dailynews.com

Riverside Press Enterprise
3540 14th St.
Riverside, CA 92501
(P): 951-368-9533
(F): 951-368-9029
pe.com

South Bay Daily Breeze
5215 Torrance Blvd.
Torrance, CA 90509
(P): 310-540-4201
(F): 310-540-3067
www.dailybreeze.com

Long Beach Press Telegram
604 Pine Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90844
(P): 562-499-1338
(F): 562-437-8914
presstelegram.com

Pasadena Star News
San Gabriel Valley Tribune
1210 N. Azusa Canyon Rd.
West Covina, CA 91790
(P): 626-962-8811
(F): 626-856-2758
pasadenastarnews.com
sgvtribune.com

UCLA Daily Bruin
308 Westwood Plaza
Los Angeles, CA 90024
(P): 310-825-2095
(F): 310-206-0906
dailybruin.ucla.edu

National Media

Associated Press
221 So. Figueroa, S 300
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(P): 213-626-1200
(F): 213-346-0200
ap.org

USA Today
10866 Wilshire #406
Los Angeles, CA 90024
(P): 310-882-2400
(F): 310-882-1901
usatoday.com

Television

KCBS (Ch. 2)/KCAL (Ch. 9)
4200 Radford Ave.
Studio City, CA 91604
(P): 818-655-2400

NBC4 (Ch. 4)
3000 W. Alameda Ave.
Burbank, CA 91523
(P): 818-840-4237
(F): 818-840-3076

KTLA (Ch. 5)
5800 Sunset Blvd.
Hollywood, CA 90028
(P): 323-460-5907
(F): 323-460-5333

KABC (Ch. 7)

500 Circle Seven Dr.
Glendale, CA 91201
(P): 818-863-7677
(F): 818-863-7889

KTTV (Ch. 11)/KTTV (Ch. 13)
1999 S. Bundy Dr.
Los Angeles, CA 90025
(P): 310-584-2030
(F): 310-584-2450

Fox Sports Net West
1100 S. Flower St., Suite 2200
Los Angeles, CA 90015
(P): 213-743-7800
(P): 213-763-4633

ESPN
ESPN Plaza
Bristol, CT 06010
(P): 860-766-2000

CBS College Sports
Chelsea Piers, Pier 62
New York, NY 10011
(P): 212-342-8760

Radio

KLAC Sports 570
3400 W. Olive Ave. #550
Burbank, CA 91505
(P): 818-559-2252
(F): 818-566-6114 or
818-566-6105

KSPN 710 (ESPN Radio)
3321 S. La Cienega
Los Angeles, CA 90016
(P): 310-840-2492
(F): 310-558-5648

uclaradio.com
308 Westwood Plaza
Los Angeles, CA 90024
(P): 310-825-9104



WOODEN ATHLETIC FUND

The UCLA Athletics Campaign has endowed 208 of the 282 NCAA allowable athletic grants-in-aid. UCLA Athletics expresses its sincere gratitude to the individuals listed for their support in the continuing effort to distinguish UCLA as the nation's premier academic and athletics institution.

An endowment generates income to the University in perpetuity. By investing the gift principal and using just the interest earned to help meet the cost of a grant-in-aid assures the Athletic Department of ongoing funds to maintain the quality and diversity of its program.

Currently, UCLA provides financial assistance to over 650 student-athletes participating in 22 intercollegiate sports. However, expenses such as the cost of tuition for student-athletes have increased dramatically in the last several years while department revenues have remained relatively stable.

Tax-deductible gifts to the UCLA Athletic Fund play a pivotal role in meeting the escalating costs of team travel, recruiting, equipment replacement and, most importantly, in providing athletic scholarships. Now more than ever, private support is necessary if UCLA is to maintain its position as the best athletic program in the country. Your help is truly needed and greatly appreciated.

To encourage private support of our program, the best football and basketball tickets are allocated to our most generous donors. Members of the Wooden Athletic Fund receive priority in the assignment of tickets for home contests in the Rose Bowl and in Pauley Pavilion in accordance with the UCLA Priority Seating Policy. In many cases, special reserved parking is also available for our donors.

Any questions regarding the Wooden Athletic Fund or the benefits members receive, should be directed toward UCLA's Athletic Development Office at (310) 206-3302.



BRUIN VARSITY CLUB

The mission of the Bruin Varsity Club is to connect the UCLA family of alumni athletes to the University and enhance their relationships with the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. We seek to uphold the tradition and legacy of UCLA Athletics through a united and engaged alumni community and to establish a culture of philanthropy and participation. Whether your collegiate athletic career ended last season or 60 years ago, whether you live in California or on the other side of the country, you are forever connected to the champions that are UCLA.

Members who pay their annual dues will receive the following Bruin Varsity Club PREMIER benefits and club card:

- Complimentary invitation to the annual Bruin Varsity Club Homecoming Tailgate Party and other sponsored events.
- One free admission to ALL regularly-scheduled UCLA home football games in a priority seating area. The option to purchase up to three additionally priority season tickets normally offered exclusively to donors in the blue section.
- One annual Olympic Sport Card Passes*
- Bowl Game Ticket Purchasing Opportunities
- Exclusive Bruin Varsity Club annual gift
- Invitation to sport specific reunions, receptions and other special events
- Ticket purchasing opportunities for otherwise limited UCLA sporting events
- Menotring and networking opportunities with other fellow Bruin Varsity Club members and current student athletes
- Subscription to the Bruin Blue, a monthly UCLA athletics newsletter

*Excludes admission to men's basketball, NCAA Championships and/or special events.

For more information please contact the Director of the Bruin Varsity Club at 310-206-4458 or via email at ccosso@athletics.ucla.edu

2012 UCLA Summer Rowing Camps

Marina del Rey, Calif.

Rowing Day Camp
Boys & Girls, Ages 13-18
July 23-26

Rowing Overnight Camp
Girls, Ages 13-18
July 29-August 1

Contact: UCLA Sports Camps Office
Phone: (310) 206-3550
E-mail: camps@athletics.ucla.edu
Web Site: uclaspportsamps.com

Coaches: Amy Fuller Kearney
Luke Cunningham
Justin Price



The UCLA Athletic Department wishes to express its gratitude to the Louise & Tom Jones Family and William, Christy and Stephanie Neidig for making the UCLA endowed women's rowing scholarships a reality:

For information on how you can endow a scholarship, call the UCLA Athletic Fund Office at (310) 206-6533.

UCLA ATHLETICS

Dr. Gene Block became chancellor of UCLA in August 2007. As chief executive officer, he oversees all aspects of the university's three-part mission of education, research and service.

A champion of public universities, Chancellor Block has set four major priorities for UCLA during his administration: academic excellence, diversity, civic engagement and financial security. He has called for UCLA to deepen its engagement with the Los Angeles region and to increase access for students from underrepresented populations.

Chancellor Block holds UCLA faculty appointments in psychiatry and bio-behavioral sciences in the David Geffen School of Medicine and in physiological science in the College of Letters and Science. He also heads a research laboratory on campus that is funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIH).

Previously, he served as vice president and provost of the University of Virginia. He holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Stanford University and a master's and Ph.D. in psychology from the University of Oregon.

In Guerrero's nine years as Athletic Director, he has clearly established a pattern of "image and substance" that few in his profession can match.

UCLA stands as the No. 1 University in the nation for NCAA team championships (108) won, a number that continues to grow under his direction. In those nine years, UCLA teams have won 22 NCAA team titles (the highest total in the nation in that span) in 12 different sports, finished second 18 times and have had an additional 35 Top Five finishes (73 total). A staggering 176 teams (of 213 possible) have qualified for NCAA post-season competition and the football team has appeared in eight bowl games. The program has also won 47 conference championships in 15 different sports, produced over 460 All-Americans and featured four Honda Award winners, including the 2003-04 Collegiate Woman Athlete of the Year. Furthermore, during the 2008 Summer Olympic Games in Beijing, China, 39 Bruins participated as athletes or coaches, representing the United States and nine other nations. They won 15 medals, including four gold.

In the last nine years, UCLA has finished second three times (2007-08, 2006-07 and 2005-06), third twice (2004-05 and 2003-04), fourth (2009-10), sixth (2002-03), 11th (2010-11) and 16th (2008-09) in the race for the Learfield Sports Directors' Cup.

This past year in NCAA competition, UCLA won its 107th and 108th NCAA titles

Senior associate athletic director Bob Field has served as a member of UCLA's athletic administration since January 2001.

Field oversees men's and women's cross country, men's and women's track and field and women's rowing and serves as an aide to Dan Guerrero in all football matters. He also oversees housing, parking, training table, video services, agent relations and coaches' development.

Prior to his switch to administration, Field spent 22 seasons as an assistant coach with the UCLA football team. He was the assistant head coach during his final five seasons (1996-2000) and served as defensive coordinator for 16 seasons (1982-95 and 1999-2000) while tutoring outside linebackers, place kickers and defensive backs at various times in his career.

Field has been at UCLA since 1978, with the exception of the 1980 football season. Over the years, he has tutored some of the top athletes in school history and crafted numerous defenses ranked in the top 20 in various categories. He began his coaching career under the legendary Bear Bryant at Alabama (1971-72) and moved to Mississippi State in 1973. During his five-year tenure at Mississippi State, Field coached the secondary and served as defensive coordinator in his final four seasons with the Bulldogs.



CHANCELLOR • 5th Year

Alma Mater: Stanford '70

Chancellor Block and his wife, Carol, have two adult children. The Blocks are avid Bruin fans and attend the competitions of various Bruin athletic programs.



ATHLETIC DIRECTOR • 10th Year

Alma Mater: UCLA '74

in women's golf and women's volleyball, placed second in women's gymnastics and men's water polo, third in women's water polo, women's tennis (tied) and men's soccer (tied), fifth (tied) in men's golf, ninth (tied) in men's tennis and women's soccer, 17th (tied) in men's basketball, women's basketball, baseball, softball and women's soccer and 20th in women's swimming.

Guerrero came to UCLA in 2002 from UC Irvine, where he had served as UCI's fifth Director of Athletics for 10 years. Prior to arriving at UC Irvine, he was the Athletic Director for five years at Cal State Dominguez Hills (1988-92). He received his Bachelor's degree from UCLA in 1974 and played second base in the Bruin baseball program for four years. Guerrero, born on November 10, 1951 in Tucson, AZ, was raised in Wilmington, CA. He is married to the former Anne Marie Aniello and they have two grown daughters: Jenna and Katie.



SR. ASSOC. ATHLETIC DIRECTOR • 12th Year

Alma Mater: Arkansas '71

Field earned a bachelor's degree in science education at Arkansas in 1971 and was named to the All-Southwest Conference Academic Team his senior year. He was a three-year varsity letterwinner and two-year starter in the secondary.

In his three varsity seasons at Arkansas, the Razorbacks went 28-5 with two Sugar Bowl appearances. Field is married to the former Valorie Kondos and has three sons – Kyle, Brian and Michael.

UCLA Women's Rowing Support Staff



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