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If you make one accurate throw all weekend, make sure it's your garbage going into a trash can!



Welcome

Welcome to Pittsburgh for the 2005 UPA High School Eastern Ultimate Championships! We are incredibly excited to be hosting Easterns and hope that our enthusiasm and passion for Youth Ultimate makes you feel welcome during your stay.

Pittsburgh is a town like no other, and as you ride from the airport and through the tunnel, your first glimpse of the city is like peering through a keyhole and being dazzled by the world outside. I am constantly surprised at what this town has to offer, as the geography of hills and bridges segments the city into small little communities each with unique history and offerings. While you won't have time on this visit to see all of what Pittsburgh has to offer, we hope you enjoy it while you are here.

We have worked hard to make the tournament a memorable experience. The Turner Valley Fields have always been a great site for the Mars tournament, with 10 regulation ultimate fields, a large pavilion, and a small creek running through the middle. We are very excited to see the finals field hillside packed with spectators enjoying an aerial view of great ultimate.

On Saturday night we encourage you all to head over to the North Versailles Bowling Center for the social event that we have reserved entirely for ourselves. Aside from 40 lanes of free bowling, we have turned a banquet room into an Ultimate Multimedia experience, with dueling screens of ultimate videos and a slideshow of the day's photography.

While it is our first time hosting a UPA Championship event, our community has staffed the event with energetic volunteers that are ready and willing to do whatever it takes to make your Easterns experience a pleasant one.

Sincerely,

Matthew Bourland, Tournament Director

Attention Players!

Make sure your current address is on file with the UPA!

Visit ***www.upa.org/members***

You won't want to miss the summer UPA magazine's coverage of High School Easterns, High School Westerns, and the College Championships!

Competition Rules

- All games to 15, hard-cap at 17.
- Half-time is 5 minutes.
- Each team has two timeouts per half.
- Regardless of how many timeouts a team has used before overtime, during overtime each team has one timeout.
- Overtime: A game is in overtime if tied at one point less than original game total, and the winning score will exceed said game total. (E.g. In a game to 15 goals, overtime occurs when the score reaches 14-14 and the minimum winning score is determined to be 16.)
- A soft time-cap will go on at end of round time on schedule. Add two points to higher score after first score after time-cap. Play to that total—no more win by two. The hard cap goes on 5 minutes before the next round is scheduled to start. At the end of that point the game is over unless the game is tied, in which case one more point is played out.
- **Time-caps do not affect timeouts.**

Spirit Awards

Ultimate has traditionally relied upon a spirit of sportsmanship which places the responsibility for fair play on the player himself. Highly competitive play is encouraged, but never at the expense of the bond of mutual respect between players, adherence to the agreed-upon rules of the game, or the basic joy of play.

- UPA 10th Edition Rules of Ultimate

Team Awards - Following every game, each team will be asked to rate its opponent on a scale of 1-5, with 5 being the rating for the highest level of sportsmanship. These ratings will be averaged and the team in each division with the highest rating will be awarded the Team Spirit Award after their division's finals.

Individual Awards - Teams will be each be asked to nominate a player from their own team who they feel displays the highest level of spirit. The definition of spirit is up to each team, but should include elements of sportsmanship, leadership, perseverance, fire, etc. Choose the person whose attitude you wish other people on your team would emulate and who other players off your team admire. Individual spirit winners will receive a medal and prize disc (courtesy of Discraft). Thanks to Discraft for their support of Ultimate and Spirit of the Game!

Directions

From the hotels to the fields:

Take 48 South for 8.3 miles (past the intersection with Route 30). Make a left at second light onto Lincoln Way (Wendy's on right, shopping plaza on left) and take it for about 1.5 miles. Make a right onto Coulterville Road (just past Buster's Ice Cream). Follow for about 1 mile to the top of the hill where you will come to a four way stop sign. Proceed straight through the intersection and you will now be on Turner Valley Road. Go down a steep hill, (careful of the speed trap) and follow the road around curve and out of woods. You will see a sign on the right that says "Welcome to Norwin Soccer Club." Turn right to enter here. Please observe 5 mph speed limit.

From the hotels to the social event:

Take 48 South until the intersection with Route 30 (Lincoln Highway). Turn right heading west on Route 30 (Lincoln Highway) past the intersection with Route 148. The bowling alley will be 0.4 miles after the intersection with Route 148.

From the fields to the UPMC McKeesport Hospital (1500 Fifth Avenue, McKeesport, PA, 15132):

Head up Turner Valley Road, proceed straight through the intersection, and continue onto Coulterville Road. Turn left on Lincoln Way. After 3.4 miles turn left onto Fifth Avenue. Hospital will be on your left after 0.2 miles.

Weekend Overview

Friday May 20th at Hampton Inn Meeting Room

- 6:00pm-10:00pm – Team Registration

Saturday May 21st at Turner Valley Fields

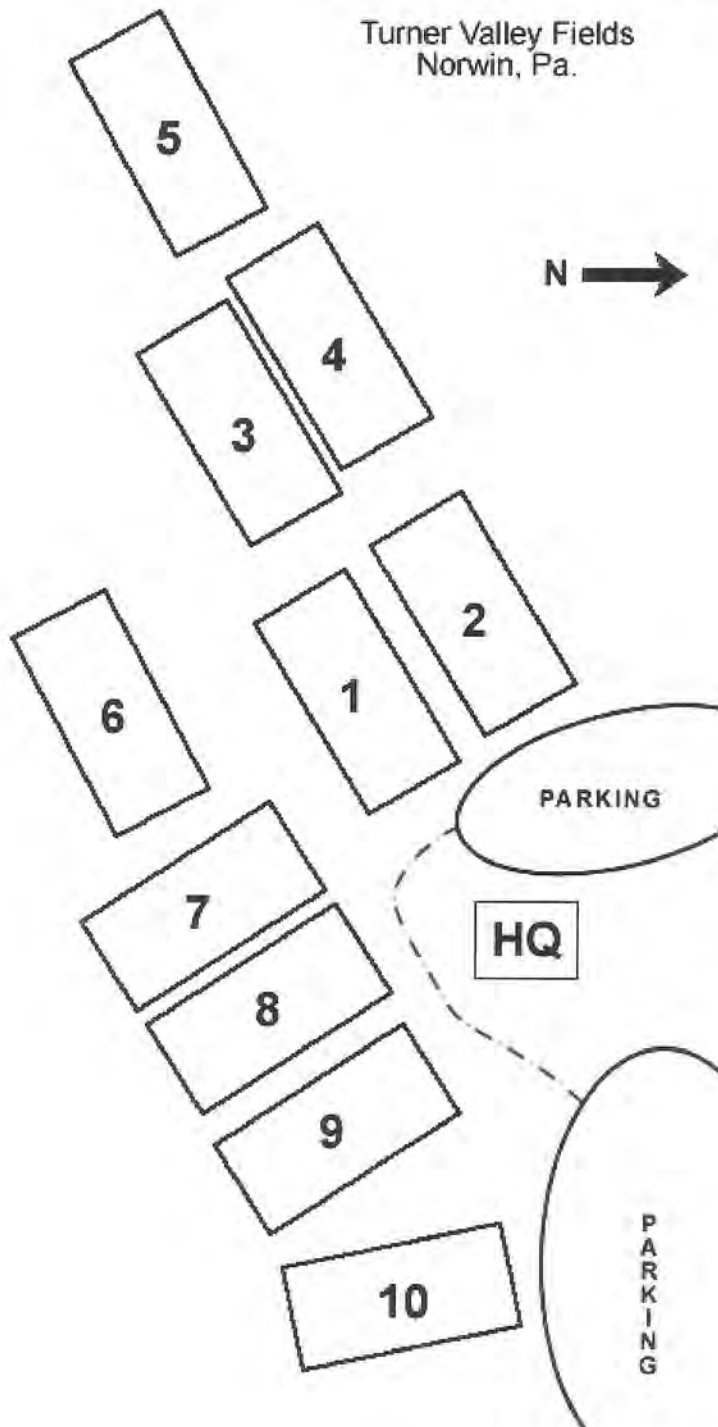
- 8:00am – Captain's Meeting (mandatory). Check in, go over competition rules, weekend schedule, field rules, etc.
- 9:00am (all day) – Pool play (Girls). Pool Play followed by Pre-quarters (Open).
- Evening (after play) – Social event - 7:30pm to 10:30pm at the North Versailles Bowling Center. The event will involve a closed complex with 40 lanes of bowling, plus a viewing area for a slideshow of Easterns images.

Sunday May 22nd at Turner Valley Fields

- 8:30am – Elimination and Placement play begins
- 2:30pm (estimated) – Finals (Open and Girls)
- Post-Finals – Award Ceremony. Immediately following the finals, awards will be presented to 1st and 2nd place teams in each division, Spirit Award teams, and Spirit Award individuals (one from each team).

Field Map

Turner Valley Fields
Norwin, Pa.

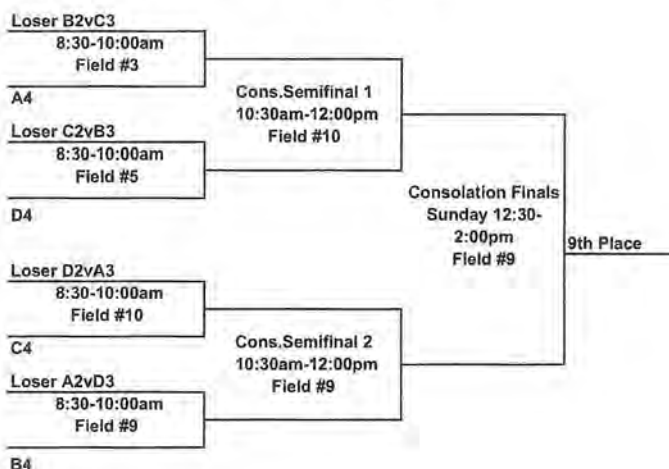


Open Division

All Games to 15 Cap 17	Pool A						Pool B					
	A1	Amherst HS					B1	Columbia HS				
	A2	Woodward Academy					B2	Memorial HS				
	A3	Fox Chapel HS					B3	LC Bird HS				
	A4	Lexington HS					B4	Andover HS				
Saturday		F#	Score		F#	Score		F#	Score		F#	Score
9:00 - 10:15	C2 v C4	1	-	D2 v D4	6	-	B1 v B3	7	-	B2 v B4	8	-
10:45 - 12:00	A1 v A3	1	-	A2 v A4	6	-	C2 v C3	7	-	D2 v D3	8	-
1:00 - 2:15	A1 v A4	1	-	A2 v A3	6	-	B1 v B4	7	-	B2 v B3	8	-
2:45 - 4:00	A1 v A2	1	-	A3 v A4	6	-	B1 v B2	7	-	B3 v B4	8	-
Re-seed teams 1-4 within each pool												
4:45 - 6:00	A2 v D3	1	-	B2 v C3	6	-	C2 v B3	7	-	D2 v A3	8	-




Consolation Bracket Sunday, May 22, 2005

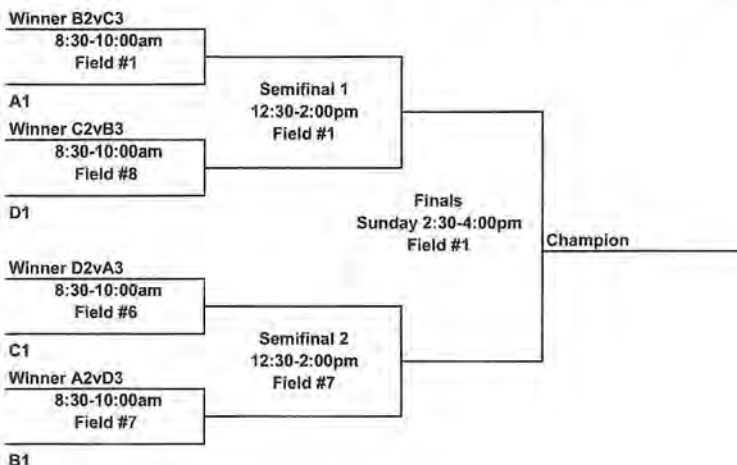


Consolation games to 15 cap 17

Game Schedule

Pool C				Pool D			
C1	Northfield Mount Hermon			D1	University School of Nashville		
C2	Wissahickon HS			D2	Hopkins HS		
C3	Madison West HS			D3	HB Woodlawn HS		
C4	Scarsdale HS			D4	The Beacon School		
	F#	Score		F#	Score	Bye	
C1 v C3	9	-	D1 v D3	10	-	Pool A	
C1 v C4	9	-	D1 v D4	10	-	Pool B	
D3 v D4	9	-	D1 v D2	10	-	Pool C	
C1 v C2	9	-	C3 v C4	10	-	Pool D	

Championship Bracket Sunday, May 22, 2005



Championship games to 15 cap 17

Girls' Division C

Saturday, May 21, 2005										
All Pool Games to 15 Cap at 17	Pool A					Pool B				
	A1	Amherst HS Varsity				B1	University Sch			
	A2	Memorial HS				B2	Amherst			
	A3	Stuyvesant HS				B3	Andover			
	A4	Chapel Hill HS				B4	Beacon			
	A5	HB Woodlawn HS				B5	Columbia			
Saturday		F#	Score		F#	Score		F#	Score	
9:00 - 10:15	A1 v A5	2	-	A2 v A4	4	-	B1 v B5	3	-	B2 v B4
10:45 - 12:00	A1 v A3	2	-	A4 v A5	4	-	B1 v B3	3	-	B4 v B5
1:00 - 2:15	A3 v A4	2	-	A2 v A5	4	-	B3 v B4	3	-	B2 v B5
2:45 - 4:00	A1 v A4	2		A2 v A3	4		B1 v B4	3		B2 v B5
4:45 - 6:00	A1 v A2	2	-	A3 v A5	4	-	B1 v B2	3	-	B3 v B5
Re-seed teams 1-5 within each pool										



Consolation Bracket Sunday, May 22, 2005

Loser B4vA5

12:30-2:00pm
Field #8

9th Place

Loser A4vB5

Loser A1vB4/A5

12:30-2:00pm
Field #3

5th Place (tie)

Loser B2vA3

Loser A2vB3

12:30-2:00pm
Field #5

5th Place (tie)

Loser B1vA4/B5

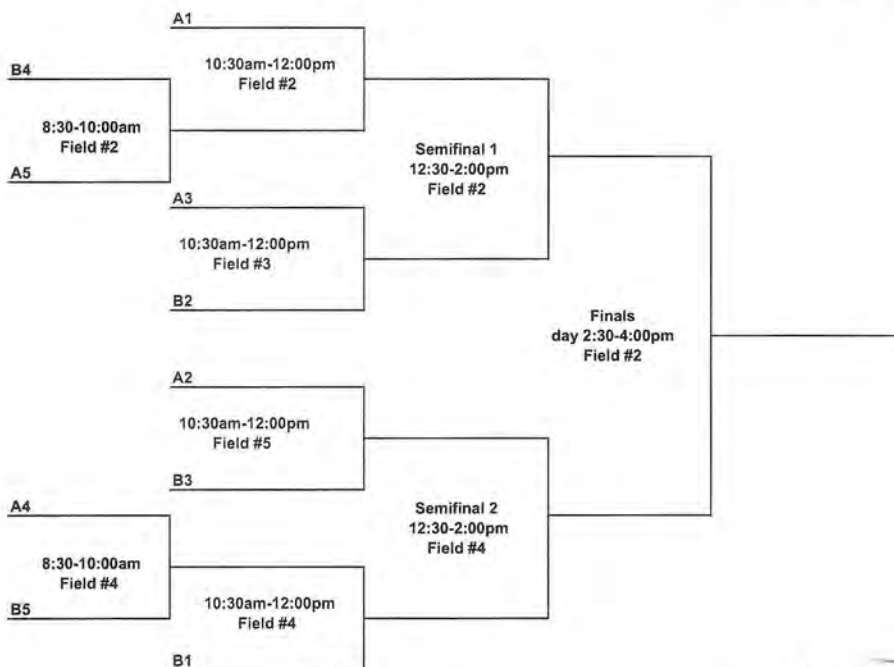


Consolation games to 15 cap 17

Game Schedule

School of Nashville st HS JV ver HS on HS bia HS					
	F#	Score	BYE		
B4	5	-	A3,B3		
B5	5	-	A2,B2		
B5	5	-	A1,B1		
B3	5	-	A5,B5		
B5	5	-	A4,B4		

Championship Bracket Sunday, May 22, 2005



Championship games to 15 cap 17

Open Division Rosters & Bios

HURRICANES

Amherst Regional HS

Amherst, Mass.

Coaches: Tiina Booth, Woody Cliff

David Baecher, 5'11", SO
Jeremiah Berlin, 5'10", JR
Sam Burnim, 6'1", Sr Maryland
Brian Cook, 5'10", Sr RIT
Christian Foster, 5'10", JR
Matt Guild, 5'7", SO
Andrew Hollingworth, 5'10", JR
Peter Johnson, 6'1", JR
Sam Kanner, 5'10", JR
Ben Mew, 5'9", Sr
Patrick Meyers, 5'8", Sr Tufts
Josh Patulak, 6'0", Sr Quinnipiac
Darden Pitts, 6'4", Sr
Patrick Roberts, 6'1", SO
Robin Stewart-DeMartino, 6'2", JR
Nick Walkowicz, 6'4", Sr
Providence
Russell Wallack, 5'9", SO

GOLDEN GOPHERS

Andover HS

Andover, Mass.

Evan Carter
Matt Colbert
George Eichman, IV
Peter Galebach
William Galebach
Nathan Hass
Alex Lippa
Jeff Maguire
Ben Nelson
Robert Niebudek
Kevin O'donnell
Alexander Ortstein
David Ramsdell
Eric Ramsdell
Daniel Schmidt
Dave Shin
Tyson Smith
Jason Westgate
Keith Wetterskog
Andrew Whiting

BLUE DEMONS

The Beacon School

New York, N.Y.

Coach: Chris Lehmann

1 Arthur Dobrynine 6'0 Sr
4 Adam Stern 5'10 Jr
5 Desi Hernandez 5'7 So
7 Nick Croft 5'8 Jr
19 Reuben Goldstein 5'11 Sr
Earlham
22 David Silverman 5'8 Sr
Wisconsin
23 Alexi Lunn 5'9 Fr 40
33 Noah Ginsberg 6'0 Jr
99 Brandon Xuereb 5'5 Fr
Chris Diaz 6'0 So
Tanawat Luekr-U-Suke 6'1 Jr
Katiah Lunn 6'1 Jr
Chris Mera 6'2 Sr
Cid Rivera 6'2 Sr Arizona State
Gabe Schwartz 5'6 Jr
Jevon Williams 5'7 So
John Zinzer 6'1 Jr

Without school fields to play on, The Beacon Blue Demons practice at 6:30 am every morning in the outfield of a city ball field in good weather and run the hallways of the school on bad-weather mornings. The team has been in existence for nine years, and the team has enjoyed varsity status for all nine of those years. Beacon has been the New York City Ultimate League champions three times in the last eight years, and we expect our fourth championship this year.

Beacon is the reigning New York State Champions, with no team scoring more than four points against them at 2004 States. Beacon reached the quarterfinals at the 2004 UPA National Championships last year, and the team won over thirty

games, beating such national powerhouses as Columbia High School, Northfield Mount Herman and Madison High School. This year's team is one of the favorites to win both the city and state championships this spring. Beacon Ultimate is marked by a tenacious never-give-up style of play that counts on gritty defense to compliment smart offense. The style is borne out of an alarm clock ringing at 5:00 am, so we can climb over city park fences to get to our dust-bowl practice fields. Beacon brings a strong team ethic and passion for the game to Easterns.

SKYHAWK ULTIMATE

LC Bird HS

Chesterfield, VA

Coach: Nick Ligatti

1 - Scott Nuckols, Sr, 5'11", Longwood
2 - Tray Rives, Sr, 6'0", Virginia Tech
3 - Nick Furnish, Sr, 5'9"
4 - Michael Clapman, Sr, 6'2", Virginia Tech
5 - Josh Kushlak, Sr, 5'11", Virginia Commonwealth
7 - Gerard Barwell, Sr, 5'11", Virginia Commonwealth
10 - Keenan Watson, Jr, 5'10"
11 - Adam Potts, Sr, 6'0", Virginia Tech
12 - Andrew di Stefano, Sr, 5'11", Virginia Tech
15 - Randy Inge, Sr, 6'6", Longwood
19 - Chris Bowling, Jr, 5'11"
22 - Darryl Eckert, Sr, 6'3", Virginia Tech
23 - Stephen Powell, Sr, 5'8", Old Dominion Univ.
24 - Randy Pearson, Sr, 6'0",

Virginia
51 – Jake Fuller, sophomore,
5'11"

The team has been in existence since 2001, with most of the current roster playing since 2002. The following are some of our achievements from 2004. During the summer, we traveled to Poquoson, VA for a one-day mini-tournament with some teams from around the state. The team earned five wins and no losses, closing with a hard fought win over a tough club team made up of players from Virginia Tech and Radford University. After the win in Poquoson, we went to the UPA Club Sectional Tournament at Ft. Belvoir, VA, where we competed as the only high school team. We went 3-2 against college teams and 0-2 against Club teams. We began as the 23rd seed and finished in 9th place. The final tournament we played in December 2004 was the Sue Inge Memorial Tournament, which we hosted in memory of one of our player's mother, who had recently passed away from cancer. The team won the first three games, playing suffocating defense and allowing one point over the span. Then, in the championship game, we defeated Yorktown 13-11. This win brought an end to the 2004 season, in which the Skyhawk Ultimate Club went undefeated against high school teams and provided tough competition for college clubs.

COLUMBIA HS Maplewood, N.J.

Joshua Cincotta
Edward Cooney IV
Julian Elman
Jaryd Emmens
Michael Johnston

Campbell Morrissey
Jesse Moy
Declan O'Connell
Evan Padgett
Zander Padgett
Stephen Panasci
Michael Rubin
Ryan Thompson
Travis Volpe
William Watts

FOXES

Fox Chapel HS
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ariel Altschuler
Daniel Berk
Matt Bigbee
Alec Bosler
Jesse Evans
Noelle Evans
David Gladowski
Brad Kline
Tyler Kotovsky
Yile Li
Libby Neubert
Laura Perkins
Jack Rago
Matt Roberts
Eric Siegmund
Jon Taft
Bryan Weber
Paul Weber
J.C. Yambao

HURT

Hopkins HS
Minnetonka, Minn.

Zack Alter
Greg Arenson
Michael Arenson
Michael Baill
Brian Boy
Dorrie Chazin
Paul Chodosh
Dan Curme
Ben Feldman
David Fruchter
Gabe Fruchter
Nick Grewe
Yosi Kakou

Justin Kaminsky
Evan Klane
Alex Lau
Avi Mash
David Price
Jon Reynolds
Andrew Schock
Eli Swaden

HUCKING FOOLIGANS

Lexington HS
Lexington, Mass.

Garrett Bernstein
Jason Bongiovanni
Mark Chen
Thomas DiLascio
Max Gillett
Brian Grimson
Beverly Hsu
Lonny Irving
Douglas Jette
Louis Katz
Noe Kinet
Chris Lee
Peter Lubersbane
Scott Miley
Jamie Osborn
Grant Patch
Mike Pogran
Elan Rochbert
Katie Shafer
Ben Shanholtz
Kevin Slane
Andrew Snyder
Nick Stulck
David Wyman

In 1999, a bunch of students coalesced to form the Hucking Fooligans. The name came from combining our two best attributes at the time, hucks and tomfoolery. The team joined the BUDA High School League and won the division the first two years, and has qualified for the NE tournament every year of its existence, finishing fourth last year. Over a dozen alumni have gone on to play in college. What was feared by some to be

Open Division Rosters & Bios (cont.)

a rebuilding year instead has the makings of one of the best seasons to date. The team is young and strong and gaining experience quickly, with a full slate of games, four tournaments, and tough practices. Sr captains Jason Bongiovanni, Jamie Osborn, and Katie Shafer, along with captains-in-training Garrett Bernstein and Peter Lubershane, have done a lot of work to help their fellow players, as have the rest of the veterans. The Fooligans are looking forward to an awesome experience, great spirit, and hopefully success at Easterns.

MADISON WEST HS

Madison, Wisc.

John P. Bergen
Jack Beyler
Georgia Bosscher
Matt Greuel
Colin Harari
Matthew Krueger
Kane McDermott
Matt Nauman
David Philbin
John Ploeser
Eric Reynolds
Ben Rotter
Scott Teschendorf

MIDWEST EXPRESS

Memorial HS
Madison, Wisc.

Omar Almagri Sr 6'2" Johns
Hopkins
Tyler Boyd Sr 6'4" Calvin
Kevin Donley Sr 6'0" Minnesota
Jon Fok Jr 5'4"
Peter Goitom Sr 5'8" UW-Stevens
Point
Sean Grossberg Sr 6'2"
Wisconsin
Nick Gunther Sr 5'9"

Clark Hamann Jr 6'6"
Matt Heller Sr 5'10"
Andy Huemmer Sr 5'11" UW-
Milwaukee
Eric Huemmer Sr 5'11" UW-
Milwaukee
Andy Ji Sr 5'10" MIT
Austin Josephs Sr 5'5" UW-
Milwaukee
John Marshall Jr 5'11"
Andrew Mueller Sr 5'7" St. Olaf
Josh Newman Sr 5'9" UW-
LaCrosse
Zach Stoll Sr 5'8" UC-Berkeley
Russ Taylor Sr 5'10" Minnesota
Andy Trevino Sr 5'10" Nebraska
Gio Troia Sr 5'8" MATC
William Yu Sr 5'3" Wisconsin

Midwest Express started five years ago as a club team with players from three high schools. During this time it has built a strong tradition of success (including producing the captains for the last two college champion teams). Last year we lost in a hard fought battle against NMH in the quarterfinals. This year we have won the Madison Fall Classic, come in 4th at "Hold Back the Snow," and come in 3rd at the MadisonMudBath.

HOGGERS

Northfield Mt. Hermon
Northfield, Mass.

Peter Bryant-Hirsig
Ian Curtis
Lukasz Dziurzynski
Jon Gustafson
Tanner Halkyard
Weston Halkyard
Rusty Ingold-Smith
John Kaleczyc
Owen Kasser
Timothy Mossey
Austin Murata

Pieter Naeff
Ryan Schwartz
Charlie Stalla
Chris Swoszowski
Ankush Tandon
Kalin Thompson
Christopher Weyers

HELLFISH

Scarsdale HS
Scarsdale, N.Y.

Benjamin Antell
Kenny Beck
Dan Buglione
Daniel Caplan
Meryl Corsun
Michael Flum
Isaac Goldberg
Matt Huang
Richard Hwang
Damien Lazar
David Meyer
Paul Peterson
Eduardo Vaisman
Alex Vogel
Itay Zaidenberg

BRUTAL GRASSBURN

University School of Nashville
Nashville, Tenn.
Coach: Mike Lutz

Robert Berezov, Jr. 5'11"
Shyam Deshpande, So. 6'0"
Patrick Donbeck, Jr. 6'2"
Daniel Finney, Jr. 6'2"
Chris Jensen, Jr. 6'1"
Edward Linton, So. 5'10"
MacRae Linton, Sr. 6'2", Duke
Sam Linton, Fr. 5'11"
David Martin, Sr. 6'3" Tulane
Bud Ries, Sr. 6'1" Tulane
Joel Soltman, Sr. 5'9", Brown
Joseph Spradley, Jr. 5'11"
Ryan Starnes, Sr. 5'11", Clemson
Craig Stewart, Sr. 6'2", Furman
Sam Warlick, Fr. 6'1"

University School of Nashville has competed at Jr. Nationals every year since 1999, when Brutal Grassburn took home the championship trophy. We advanced to the quarterfinals of nationals in each of the last two years, and we hope to improve on these performances at Easterns 2005. Having won both Jrs tournaments in which we have participated, we feel we can compete with any team in America. At Atlanta's Terminus, we went 6-0, defeating teams including Woodward (GA) and Fox Chapel (PA) before routing Cheltenham High School (PA) in the final (13-3). We repeated as champions in River Campus Classic 6, beating CHUF (NC) in the finals (13-5). Behind the dexterous disc mastery of Brentwood's finest, the aerial domination of the Kin Fo, and the sheer realness of the White Ninja, we have set our sights on the championship, and we're not looking back. We are the ultimate...

WISSAHICKON HS

Ambler, Pa.

Deepak Bapat
 Kyle Baynes
 Bill Gao
 Jordan Hill
 Andrew Ip
 David Kelly
 Michael Kelly
 Beom Jun
 Jason Lee
 Bryan Mack
 David Montanyé
 Aman Nalavade
 Preeti Nalavade
 Michael Plunkett

HB WOODLAWN HS

Arlington, Va.

Stephen Alexander

Joe Baker
 Danny Cherlow
 Mackenzie Conway
 Alex Cook
 Brandon Diachenko
 Greg Doyle
 Mike Fraser
 Tony Fuchs
 David Gibbs
 Eddie Hazera
 Michael Huber
 Peter Ketchum-Colwill
 Alan Kolick
 Andre Kosovych
 Trevor Langston
 William Levendis
 Matt Macinness
 Ari Molina
 Bobby Nolden
 Andrew Raines
 Chase Raines
 Justin Waddell

WAU

Woodward Academy
 College Park, Ga.

Coaches: Eileen Murray, Chris Hatton, Josh Marquette

- 1 - James Waddell, JR, 6'1,
- 2 - David Gordon, Sr, 5'6, UGA
- 3 - Sam Robertson, Fr, 5'9"
- 4 - Robert Runner, Sr, 6'3,
- 5 - Philip Smith, Sr, 5'10, Auburn
- 6 - Carl Hertzberg, Sr, 5'10, Miami (Ohio)
- 7 - Chris Marshburn, Sr, 5'10, Tennessee
- 8 - Andrew Wilder, Sr, 6'0, Auburn
- 9 - Davis Waller, Sr, 5'8, William & Mary
- 11 - James McNash, Sr, 5'11, Georgia Tech
- 12 - Jason Kim, Sr, 5'9, USC
- 13 - Robert Norback, Sr, 5'11, Cornell
- 15 - Thomas Rivas, Sr, 6'1, Notre Dame
- 16 - Zach Cohen, Sr, 5'8, Appalachian State
- 17 - Drew Johnson, Sr, 5'9, Colorado

- 18 - Adam Podber, Fr, 5'9
- 19 - Josh Stein, Sr, 5'6, Tulane
- 20 - Zubair Abdulla, Sr, 5'11, Illinois
- 21 - Matt Axelrod, Sr, 5'6, FSU

The Woodward Academy Ultimate program is now in its 8th year. Eileen Murray has been the coach since the fall of 2000 and has seen the team's growth in both numbers and skill. Woodward's two assistant coaches, Chris Hatton and Josh Marquette, have been playing competitive club for many years. All Woodward coaches have completed the UPA coaching clinic and are certified coaches. Woodward continues to be one of the only schools in the country in which the players receive varsity letters.

The 2005 season has been great. The varsity squad has played several colleges and tournaments including Terminus, GruelFest, Chilly Dog Classic, and the State Championship. They have beaten UGA B, Georgia Tech B, Covenant College, Ashville Area Schools, Paideia's Gruel, and Fox Chapel HS. Woodward has also played competitive games against SPSU, Georgia Tech, Emory, and Birmingham Southern. With a team of mostly Srs who have been playing together for four years and several promising underclassmen, Woodward Academy is a force to be reckoned with.

Girls' Division Rosters & Bios

HURRICANES

Amherst Regional HS

Amherst, Mass.

Coaches: Susan Morrello, Jason Stevens

Varsity:

0 Anna Rockwell Sr. 5'3"

Wisconsin

2 Brittany Kaplan Sr. 5'2" Vassar

3 Mia Valentini Sr. 5'2"

Concordia

6 Emily Damon Sr. 5'6" Stanford

7 Rosa Neff So. 5'4"

8 Amber Sinicrope So. 5'4"

11 Kiersten Mailler Jr. 5'4"

12 Dory Zipstein Jr. 5'6"

17 Julie Green Jr. 5'1"

18 Leah Schwartz Sr. 5'5"

McAlister

21 Sophie Herscu So. 5'4"

22 Southey Saul Sr. 5'10"

Haverford

23 Emily Baecher Sr. 5'7"

34 Spring Greeney Sr. 5'4"

47 Hazel Crowley Sr. 5'5"

88 Chelsea Murphy Jr. 5'3"

Sophia Hale Rabinovitz

Michelle Huber

Katy Iglehart

Meaghan Lass

Madeline Newcomb

Kaitlyn Sephton

Maura Shea

Jenny Tiberio

Bryce Van Cleef

Samantha Mindlin

Sarah Motola

Nina Paroff

Sarah Pollack

Marta Prokhorova

Rebecca Reilly

Clare Robins

Cleo Stern

GOLDEN GOPHERS

Andover HS

Andover, Mass.

Caitlin Ashley-Rollman

Jackie Booth

Vicki Chang

Ellen Delisio

Rebecca Ginsburg

Sarah Hempstead

Meghan Hill

Andrea Kurkul

Victoria Lee

Emelie Mckain

Jennie Mckain

Annelise Mesler

Franziska Niendorf

Aubrey Scarborough

Margaret Wang

Rachael Westgate

Steph Wong

THE BEACON SCHOOL

New York, N.Y.

Maggie Boals

Ashley Brichter

Olga Buzovetsky

Rebecca Chin

Eileen Emond

Heidi Guzman

Anna Henschel

Erica Kaufman

Rachel Klepner

Anna Lenes

Colleen Lidz

Gabby Mello

DURGA

Chapel Hill HS

Chapel Hill, N.C.

Coaches: Tom Herndon and Amy Morrison

Lucy Bell, Fr. 5'7"

Janna Coulter, So. 5'8"

Robin Coulter, Sr. 5'7"

Mariya Dryga, Sr. 5'3" Emory

Charliss Fenton, Sr. 5'2.75" UNC

Marieke Fenton, So. 5'7"

Rhey Haggerty, Fr. 5'6.39"

Katy Powers, Jr. 5'0"

Sarah Snoeyink, Jr. 5'8.46"

Adrienne Soo, 8th, 5'6"

Elena Steponaitis, Jr. 5'10"

Lily Steponaitis, Fr. 5'9"

Kelly Weeks, Fr. 5'5"

Though the snow and rain tried to stop them from playing, the Amherst women have finally started their season. They've made up for the lost time training hard and going 91 points to 9 at their first tournament. With 11 returners and eight seniors, experience runs deep. The new players have fit in well, and the whole team is hungry to do some amazing things this season.

Junior Varsity:

Kate Campbell-Strauss

Phoebe Cape

Taryn Collins

Alissa Correll

Emily Eddy

Annie Fisher

Silin Garfield

We went to Blue Ridge Blowout and Terminus this year. This is Durga's first year back after a two year hiatus. We have already proven to be competitive even with only three returning players from the former Durga roster. The team may be young and inexperienced, but has tremendous heart. These girls will give anything and everything on every disc, and through incredible friendships and teamwork we have the perfect combination of fun, spirit and intensity, which can only be accomplished when every member of the team works together. Ultimately, nothing is out of reach of a team this committed

and cohesive.

SPARKLE MOTION

Columbia HS

Maplewood, N.J.

Coach: Jen Freeman

- 00 - Alicia Mountain Jr 5'7"
- 2 - Marlena Skrobe Fr 5'3"
- 3 - Alissa Cooper Sr 5' Tufts
- 4 - Judith Garber So 5'2"
- 5 - Bit Hess Fr 5'1"
- 6 - Larissa Wohl Jr 5'4"
- 7 - Maia Cincotta Sr 5'0"
- 9 - Vanessa Low Sr 5'2" Rutgers
- 10 - Ana Griefen Sr 5'4" Univ. of Miami
- 11 - Mary Lamkin Sr 5'5"
- 12 - Lauren McLoughlin Sr 5'6" Rutgers
- 13 - Angela Holtz Sr 5'7" Massachusetts
- 17 - Bara Levitt Sr 5'6" List
- 19 - Monique Foreste Fr 5'1"
- 21 - Caitlin Rowe So 5'5"
- 24 - Leslie Miller Fr 4'10"
- Rachael Hotchkiss Sr Rutgers

We're starting our first year as a girls' team with a core group of girls that have been playing with boys for a few years and newcomers that are already looking like the bomb diggity.

MAHADIVAS

*Memorial High School
Madison, Wisc.*

- Lizzi Abbs, SR
- Meg Anderson, JR
- Eyleen Chou, SR
- Lisa Gruenisen, JR
- Ellen Hermanson, SR
- Allie Jacob, SR
- Anna Jenstead, SR
- Leah Kammel, JR
- Anita Kashyap, SR
- Amanda Klekamp, SR
- Nicole Powers, SR
- Natalie Russell, JR

- Emily Stix, SR
- Kelsey Szudy, JR
- Esther Tebbe, SR
- Bethany Turpin, SR
- Laura Vergeront, SR
- Marta Weber, SR
- Hiedi Wood, SR

BRUTAL GRASSBURN

*University School of Nashville
Nashville, Tenn.*

Coach: Mike Lutz

- Mandy Eck, Jr, 5'3"
- Rose Dortch, Jr, 5'6"
- Alison Douglas, Jr, 5'9"
- Justine Hart, Fr, 5'7"
- Nora Hoover, Fr, 5'5"
- Grace Killman, Jr, 5'10"
- Elizabeth Krebs, Jr, 5'4"
- Tessa Lamballe, Jr, 6'
- Jackie Lincoln, Jr, 5'2"
- Allyson Lutz, 7, 5'8"
- Laura Masulis, Sr, 5'8", Wesleyan
- Cait McHugh, Jr, 5'6"
- Audrey Richardson, Jr, 5'10"
- Frances Wright, Jr, 5'5"

Brutal Grassburn has long been a dynasty in girls' ultimate, placing second at Nationals in 2000, 2001, and 2002, and placing 5th the last two years. Last year, as a young team, we lost to the eventual champions Yale in the quarterfinals by only 3 points. The team is now ready to be the first ever Easterns champions. After graduating one senior, we return almost our entire team from last year, including our starting seven from Nationals 2004. We have been practicing since August, and our captain Laura competed for the US team in Finland at Worlds this past summer. This year, in addition to playing in many tournaments as a coed team, we have taken a girls team to more tournaments than ever before. We competed in the women's open division at Mudbowl

in Birmingham and Monkeybowl in Nashville, and the open division at our own River Campus Classic. We defeated multiple open and college women's teams, as well as two high school guys teams. This will be our first and only High School girls tournament of the season, and we are looking forward to making our mark in Pittsburgh!

HB WOODLAWN HS

Arlington, Va.

- Emily Boone
- Becca Brenneis
- Abby Brokaw
- Ana Brown
- Bonnie Carlson
- Mollie Connell
- Sarah Elkinton
- Morgan Fields
- Elise Freeman
- Becky Harnik
- Elizabeth Houston
- Anna Kayes
- Kathrine Kiendl
- Katie Mercer
- Shannon Peterson
- Becca Shinnors
- Audrey Siple
- Laura Swartz
- Staci Wienstock
- Kelsey Zorn

Where Are They Now?

A Look at Past High School Ultimate Stars

by Kyle Weisbrod, UPA Director of Youth Development

Josh Ziperstein

Josh Ziperstein, from Amherst, Mass., did not start playing Ultimate until his senior year at Amherst Regional HS. A track and soccer star at Amherst, Ziperstein, better known as Zip, competed at the 2001 UPA HS Championships in Nashville, Tenn., where his Hurricanes lost in the finals to Paideia. At that event, Zip was little more than an athletic role player for the powerhouse Amherst squad. Zip graduated and moved on to Brown University where he developed his game and became a dominant player and leader. During the four years Zip has played at Brown the team has steadily improved from a UPA Regional finals loss in 2002, to quarters of the UPA College Championships in 2003 and semis in 2004. During that time Zip has also played with the renowned Boston club team, Death or Glory. During both the 2002 and 2003 club season's Zip was one of DoG's primary cutters as he helped lead the team to the semifinals of the UPA Club Championships.

Going into the 2005 UPA College Championships, to be held Memorial Day weekend in Corvallis, Ore., Brown is one of the top seeds and Zip is one of the favorites for the Callahan award, college Ultimate's MVP. He was also recently selected to represent the United States on the national Ultimate team at the World Games this July in Duisburg, Germany. Zip is graduating with a degree in biomedical engineering and is planning to apply to medical school.

He is also a sandwich expert.

Miranda Roth

Miranda Roth from Atlanta, Ga., shook the sporting world of the small Paideia School when she quit as the captain of the varsity soccer team her senior year to play for the Ultimate team. Miranda had already been playing Ultimate on the side of her varsity soccer and basketball teams since her junior year but decided that her senior spring would be all about Ultimate. Unfortunately, while in high school, Paideia's graduation conflicted with the UPA HS Championships and the team was never able to attend. Miranda did, however, play on the 1998 US Juniors Women's team that competed in Heilbronn, Germany.

Miranda was recruited to play basketball at Carleton College, but her preference for Ultimate continued to reign as she ditched the basketball team to play Ultimate full time after her sophomore year. She emerged as one of the stars of the college women's division as Carleton made the quarterfinals of UPA College Championships in 2001 and 2002. After tearing her second ACL in 2003, she was back in 2004, leading her team second place at the UPA College Championships and won the 2004 Callahan Award.

After graduating from Carleton with a degree in neuroscience, Miranda moved to Seattle, joined Seattle Riot, and helped them win the 2004 UPA Club Championships. Miranda is playing out her fifth year of college

eligibility out at the University of Washington where she is also in her first year of a PhD program in physiology and biophysics. Miranda was also selected as an alternate on the 2005 national team.

Joshua Greenough

Joshua Greenough of San Mateo, Calif., came to Ultimate as so many of us do, through cross-country. He began playing in 1994 at San Mateo HS and while it was several years before the UPA began hosting HS Championship events, he played for the US Juniors team and won Bronze at the WFDF World Ultimate Championships in Jönköping, Sweden. Joshua graduated high school in 1997 and attended the University of Oregon. Joshua quickly developed into one of the top college

players and was soon leading the Ducks back to national prominence as Oregon made the semifinals of the UPA College Championships in 2001. After graduating from University of Oregon with a degree in Computer Science and Business Finance, Josh played the 2002 club season with Boulder's Johnny Bravo where they narrowly missed out on making the semifinals. In 2003 and 2004 Josh has played with San Francisco's Jam where he helped the team to the semifinals of the UPA Club Championships in 2003 and the finals in 2004. Josh currently lives in San Mateo where he works as a software engineer for a dot-com and devotes more time than he wants to as the UPA's National College Director.

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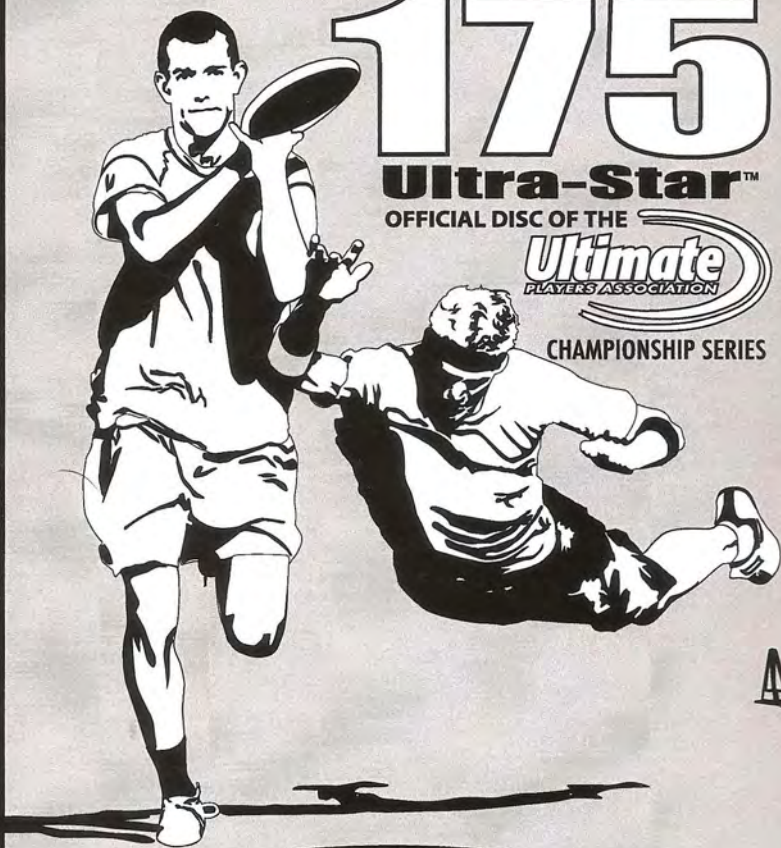
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