

# WAYS TO GIVE

A person wishing to contribute to the Big Green can do so in many ways. All donor giving is unique, so if you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us at 304.696.4661.

## CASH/CHECK/ONLINE DONATIONS

To join the Big Green Annual Fund, simply fill out the 2015 Pledge Card and send to:

Big Green Scholarship Foundation  
Marshall University  
P.O. Box 1360  
Huntington, WV 25701

Phone: 304.696.4661  
Fax: 304.696.6665  
Email: [biggreen@marshall.edu](mailto:biggreen@marshall.edu)  
Online: [www.mubiggreen.com](http://www.mubiggreen.com)

Checks should be made payable to the "Big Green Scholarship Foundation."

## DIRECT BANK WITHDRAW

Donors wishing to pay their BGAF pledge via a checking or savings account can do so by filling out the *Consumer Debit Authorization Form* and returning it to the Big Green Office. Note: A voided check and Annual Fund pledge card must accompany form. Withdrawals are taken monthly on either the 5th or 20th of the month.

## CREDIT CARDS

Big Green members wishing to pay their BGAF pledge via credit card can do so by enrolling in one of the following payment plans:

1. Monthly - cards are charged either the 5th or 20th of each month.
2. Four Installments - cards are charged April 1st, June 1st, August 1st and October 1st.
3. Three Installments - cards are charged April 1st, June 1st and August 1st.
4. Two Installments - cards are charged April 1st and June 1st.

The Big Green accepts all major credit cards: Master Card, Visa, American Express, and Discover. If you have any questions regarding payment of BGAF pledge via bank or credit card draft please contact the Big Green Office.

## GIFTS OF STOCKS

Gifts of stock are accepted and appreciated. Donors or their designated representative should contact the Big Green Office for trading instructions.

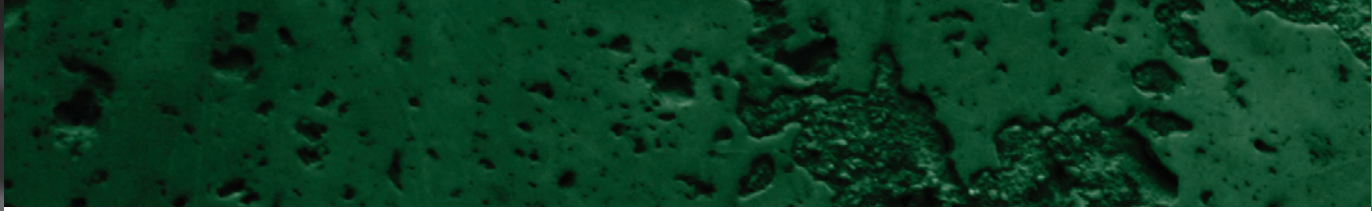
## MATCHING GIFTS

In many cases donors can apply for a matching gift from their employers that can increase their support to the Big Green, and in some cases, their associated giving level. Donors wishing to submit a matching gift are encouraged to check the Big Green's eligibility against their companies matching gift guidelines, and ensure the matching gift form is returned with their gift.



ANNUAL FUND





### GIFTS-IN-KIND

The Big Green allows donors that can provide goods and/or professional services that normally would incur a cost to the Department of Athletics to be eligible for credit against their annual pledge to the Big Green. Approval from the Big Green Board of Directors is required before gifts of goods and/or professional services can be accepted. Those interested in participating should contact the Big Green Office at 304.696.4661.

### Bequests:

Donors can ensure the financial future of the Big Green is sound by making contributions through wills and bequests. These types of gifts are the ideal way to sustain your family's name in conjunction with the Big Green and Marshall Athletics.

### Real Estate:

Substantial tax benefits can exist for gifts of real estate. Those interested in participating are encouraged to contact the Big Green office.

### Life Income Gifts:

Charitable gift annuities or charitable trusts can offer an opportunity to make a substantial gift to the Big Green without forfeiting the annual income produced by these assets. You retain income for your life and the life of your spouse. This gift can also be structured to create a substantial tax break over a period of years.

*Donors are encouraged to consult their tax advisors when making any contributions to the Big Green Annual Fund.*

*West Virginia residents may obtain a summary of the registration and financial documents from the Secretary of State, State Capitol, Charleston, WV 24305. Registration does not imply endorsement.*

### KORAKOT SIMSIRIWONG | Women's Golf | Narathiwat, Thailand

"For me, Marshall is everything. I am so proud to be able to represent the place that I love. Working with my "family" is my favorite part about being a Marshall athlete. We have the best coaches, athletic staff, and supporters. With them, I was able to take my golf game to the next level. Marshall has taught me so many things as an athlete and student. I am very thankful to have an opportunity to be given a scholarship to do what I love, but I certainly could not do it without you. Words cannot describe my appreciation for the Big Green donors. Because of what you do, I am able to get an education as well as pursue my dream to be a Division I college golfer."