University of Missouri, Department of Athletics Donations Policy

The University of Missouri, Department of Athletics has recently implemented a new donation policy in an effort to satisfy the increasing number of donation requests. Fans and organizations have the opportunity to request select memorabilia *OR* tickets for an upcoming event.

To request a donation, please fill out the Appearance, Memorabilia and Ticket Donation Request Form, located on the MU Tigers website (http://www.mutigers.com), under the link "Inside Athletics."

- After your request is submitted, you will receive confirmation via e-mail that your request has been received.
- After your form has been reviewed, you will receive a second e-mail either approving or denying your request. This e-mail will include any additional information and/or details pertaining to your request.

Upon receiving the second e-mail, please respond with the date the donated item(s) will be picked up and the name of the person picking them up. Items will be left at the Athletics Administration Receptionist Desk, located on the south side of Mizzou Arena, and will be marked with the name of the individual you have identified for pick-up purposes. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. If an in-person pick up is not feasible, you may request shipping for your item.

Available Memorabilia

*Gary Pinkel autographed football ($30)
*2008-09 Mizzou Football replicated team autographed ball ($45)
*Mike Anderson autographed basketball ($30)

We accept cash, credit cards (excluding American Express), money order, and checks. Please make checks payable to the University of Missouri. The shipping charge for footballs/basketballs is $15 for the first ball and $5 for each additional ball. If you are requesting shipping, and have a commercial UPS/FedEx account, you may provide your account information for express mailing service.

Tickets

Requests for donated tickets are limited to general admission tickets for one game (women's basketball, gymnastics, baseball, or softball). Be sure to include the date, sport, and number of tickets requested on the donation form.

We are not donating football tickets at this time. This issue will be revisited at the end of the school year. Tickets for upcoming seasons and t-shirts, stickers, etc. are also not available. Fans and organizations looking for novelty items are encouraged to submit a campus bookstore donation request form (available at http://www.mubookstore.com).

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Thank you for your support of Mizzou Athletics. Go Tigers!

**Please note that all items are subject to availability and are donated at the discretion of the MU Department of Athletics.*

Request for Appearances or Donated Memorabilia/Tickets

Note: Pursuant to NCAA regulations, items will not be donated to any group or cause where proceeds will directly or indirectly benefit individuals between 9-12th grade.

Organization/Contact Person_____

Address_____ City/State/Zip_____

Phone_____ Fax_____ Email_____

Classify the beneficiary of the request:

☐ Nonprofit/Charitable Organization ☐ Educational/Scholastic Entity ☐ Personal Use

☐ Institutional (e.g., MU organization) ☐ Other (please describe)_____

Request Category (All requests are subject to availability.)

☐ **Tickets**

Sport_____ Quantity _____Date/Game (current season only)_____

Note: Donated football tickets are not available at this time.

Memorabilia

☐ Coach Pinkel autographed football ($30)

☐ 2008-09 Mizzou Football Team replicated autograph ball ($45)

☐ Coach Anderson autographed basketball ($30)

Appearance (list name)

☐ Student-Athlete(s)_____

☐ Coach_____

Will the event be advertised? _____

Will you provide transportation, meals or lodging?_____

Note: MU student-athletes, coaches and staff members may not give recruiting presentations or have direct recruiting contact with any student who has started classes in the 9th grade.

Nature and Purpose of Request

Is this for a fundraiser? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, list date/time/location_____

Will event involve 9th-12th graders? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Will the proceeds directly or indirectly benefit any student between 9th-12th grade? ☐ Yes ☐ No

In the space below, provide a detailed description of your event or purpose for the request. If available, attach a flyer, brochure or letter. For requests of a personal nature, list the beneficiary's name, age and grade level (where applicable).

Provisions of NCAA Bylaw 12.5.1.1 - Institutional, Charitable, Education or Nonprofit Promotions

NCAA Bylaw 12.5.1.1 permits a member institution or a charitable, educational or nonprofit agency to use a student-athlete's name, picture, or appearance to support its charitable or educational activities, provided the following conditions are met:

a) The student-athlete receives written approval to participate from the Director of Athletics via this form.
b) The specific activity or project in which the student-athlete participates does not involve co-sponsorship, advertisement or promotion by a commercial agency other than through the reproduction of the sponsoring company's officially registered regular trademark or logo on printed materials such as pictures, posters or calendars. The company's emblem, name, address and telephone number may be included with the trademark or logo. Personal names, messages and slogans (other than an officially registered trademark) are prohibited;
c) The name or picture of a student-athlete with remaining eligibility may not appear on an institution's printed promotional item (e.g., poster, calendar) that includes a reproduction of a product with which a commercial entity
d) is associated if the commercial entity's officially registered regular trademark or logo also appears on the item;
e) The student-athlete does not miss class;
f) All moneys derived from the activity or project go directly to the member institution, member conference or the charitable, educational or nonprofit agency;
g) The student-athlete may accept actual and necessary expenses from the member institution, or the charitable, educational or nonprofit agency related to participation in such activity;
h) The student-athlete's name, picture or appearance is not used to promote the commercial ventures of any nonprofit agency;
i) Any commercial items with names, likenesses or pictures of multiple student-athletes (other than highlight films or media guides per Bylaw 12.5.1.8) may be sold only at the member institution at which the student-athlete is enrolled, institutionally controlled (owned and operated) outlets or outlets controlled by the charitable or educational organization (e.g., location of the charitable or educational organization, site of charitable event during the event). Items that include an individual student-athlete's name, picture or likeness (e.g., name on jersey, name or likeness on a bobble-head doll), other than informational items (e.g., media guide, schedule cards, institutional publications), may not be sold; and
j) The student-athlete and an authorized representative of the charitable, educational or nonprofit agency sign a release statement ensuring that the student-athlete's name, image or appearance is used in a manner consistent with the requirements of this section.

PLEASE NOTE: The NCAA prohibits any group from using the name, likeness, or picture of an individual student-athlete for any type of promotional or fundraising activity without proper consent and documentation.

Verification Statement

I certify I have read the provisions of NCAA Bylaw 12.5.1.1 (above) in its entirety and agree to the stated terms and conditions.

Signature of Authorized Representative_____ Date_____

For Internal Use Only

☐ **May fulfill request/participate in activity** ☐ **May NOT fulfill request/participate in activity**

Additional Comments:

_____ _____

Signature, Director of Athletics (or designee, Athletics Compliance Office) Date