

UW CHAMPS Cup

This competition is for all UW varsity teams. Through the CHAMPS Cup, we hope to reward those teams and individuals who represent the complete student-athlete. Athletes must submit a point sheet in order to receive points for personal enhancement and community outreach categories. Points are updated on the Life Skills board and can be earned between Aug. 1st & April 1st.

Student-athletes can earn points for their teams in six categories:

Academic Achievement:

Teams will be awarded points based on how their team GPA ranks with other teams (men and women are in separate categories). The team with the top GPA receives 100 points, second place equals 95 points, third place 90 points, etc. Additionally, teams that meet the 925 mark in APR scores will receive 100 points. Finally, points will be awarded for Academic All Big Ten.

Athletic Achievement:

Teams that place in the top three of their conference will be awarded points. Conference champions will get 100 points; second place will get 90 points and third will get 80 points.

Personal Enhancement:

Teams can earn points for fulfilling certain mandatory Life Skills Curriculum events/requirements. These mandatory events/requirements include: New Student Orientation (First Year Student-Athletes), Service Hours (Second Year Student-Athletes) and Fiscally Fit (Third Year Student-Athletes). Teams will be awarded 100 points if all required student-athletes attend the event or fulfill the requirement. For example, if all the first year student-athletes on the women's soccer team attended the new student orientation, the women's soccer team will receive 100 points.

Community Outreach:

This category refers to our proud tradition of service to the community. Outreach can be done as a team, with other student-athletes from other teams, or individually.

Code Red Games:

This category awards points to teams and athletes that go the extra mile to support their fellow student athletes by attending each other's sporting events. Any athletes who attend this competition will receive points, individually or as a team. Code Red Games will be announced via email and posters.

SAAC Participation:

Teams will earn 10 points for each meeting they have two representatives in attendance. In the case that a meeting conflicts with practice or competition, the team can earn points by notifying Bridget of their absence and reading the minutes to their team in the following week.

SAESO Participation:

Individuals will earn 10 points for attending a SAESO meeting. In the case that a meeting conflicts with practice or competition, the individual can earn points by notifying Bridget of their absence.

The Scoring System:

Individual Points – Individuals will earn 100 points for their team for each individual effort. At the end of each week, the *points will be divided by the number of student-athletes* on the active roster for each sport. This should account for the varying numbers on rosters

Team Points - Team efforts, defined as 70% participation or 20 members, for all categories earn 100 points per event. All *mandatory* events require 100% participation in order to receive points.

Reward:

There will be two winners, one women's and one men's team. Both teams will be recognized at the Buckingham in April. Also, the men's and women's team with the highest GPA as well as the team with the most community service points will also be recognized at the Buckingham. The winning teams will get to choose their prize; previous winners have gone on Betty Lou Cruises and Brewer Games!!

** Student-athletes will be counted as part of the team if they are listed on the eligibility roster. Athletes listed on two rosters will count points towards both teams.