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Letter From the President

Dear Lettermen:

Excitement is everywhere this spring and summer in Athens. The G-Day alumni flag football game brought back many of our younger lettermen as well as ole ones and their families. Bulldog Haven continues to be the kind of place we all want it to be. Try and visit the site and take notice of the "hedges" and victory bell.

Coach Richt's 2009 Bulldogs are working very hard for the upcoming season. We look forward to the Tennessee Tech game as Jim Baker and his crew will put on the best spread ever and congratulations to the class reunions of 1999, 1989, 1984, 1979, 1969, 1959, and 1949 this fall. Have a great summer and see you this fall.

Sincerely,

Mack H. Guest III

Important Dates to Remember

August 22, 2009

Board Meeting
UGA Lettermen's Club

April 7, 2010 (Tentative)

Board Meeting
UGA Lettermen's Club

October 31, 2009

UGA/Florida Tailgate
Jacksonville, FL

April 8, 2010 (Tentative)

21st Annual Vince Dooley Open
The Georgia Club

November 7, 2009

UGA vs. Tennessee Tech
Athens, GA
Lettermen's Tailgate & Reunion

April 9, 2010 (Tentative)

21st Annual Hartman-Dukes
Classic
The Georgia Club

February 4-6, 2010

Frostbite Tournament
Jekyll Island Club Hotel

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Alumni Flag Football Game

On Saturday, April 11, 2009, around 100 lettermen played football at Sanford Stadium one more time. The alumni flag football game took place before the annual G-Day Game. All participants enjoyed a great day of football and fellowship. Congratulations to Coach Jack Davis and his team on their victory.





**20th Annual
Vince Dooley Open Results**

April 9, 2009

**20th Annual
Hartman-Dukes Classic Results**

April 10, 2009

Scores - Senior Division

Low Gross

1st Make Cavan
2nd Craig Hertwig

Low Net

1st Glynn Harrison
2nd Joel Darden

Scores - Open Division

Low Gross

1st David Dukes
2nd Jimmy Harrell

Low Net

1st Ryan Schnetzer
2nd Jim Hickey

Special Winners

Close Ups

Hole 2 Black Wally Williamson
Hole 3 Red John Smith
Hole 8 Red Dick Conn
Hole 8 Black Horace King

Long Drive

Hole 5 Black Marisa Simpson
Hole 7 Red Wally Williamson

**21st Annual Vince Dooley Open
& Hartman-Dukes Classic**

When making reservations at the Holiday Inn Express for the golf tournaments next year, you can call the hotel direct at (706)546-8122 or 1/800/HOLIDAY (worldwide) and ask for the Georgia Football Lettermen's Club or "GFL" group code to obtain the special rates and to be sure your reservations get in the assigned block of rooms. The room rate will be \$84.00 per night. The cut off date for making reservations is **March 17, 2010**. The dates for the tournaments are **April 8, 2010** and **April 9, 2010**. The tournaments will be held at The Georgia Club.

**LETTERMEN CONTACT INFORMATION
MOVING? CHANGE IN JOBS??
NEW EMAIL ADDRESS???**

Please be sure to contact **Sally Haugabook** at **sallyhaugabook@georgiadogs.com** with any change in your contact information. It is important for us to have the current mailing address for you. Also if Sally does not have your email address, please send it to her. She periodically sends out emails concerning lettermen, tailgating, golf tournaments, and shirt sales. Thanks for your help!

Place	Team	Score	Place	Team	Score
1	David Dukes Zippy Morocco Dale Williams Ralph Clark	56	14	Ryan Schnetzer Willie Martinez Mark Johnson Jim Hickey	65
2	Dave Allison Jim Curington J.B. Alexander Stan Charping	59	15	Todd Williams Tyger Vollrath Preston Riddlehuber Mixon Robinson	65
3	Ernest Ponder Andy Johnson Mark Hodge Mack Guest	59	16	Horace King Doug Davis James Mosteller Bobby Poss	66
4	Glynn Harrison Rex Putnal Bill Cole Scott Adams	61	17	Brad Lastinger Joe Comfort Billy Slaughter Paul Snellings	66
5	Larry Rakestraw Ray Lamb Patrick Smith Mitch Frix	61	18	Curt Mull Joel Darden John Gurley Jiggy Smaha	66
6	John Lastinger George Patton Bill McCullough Neal Franklin	62	19	Mike Bobo Butch Mulherin Will Colley Burt Jones	66
7	Stacey Searels Jack Davis Bett Hansen Ian Knight	63	20	Kevin Butler Jimmy Harper Ted Tarpley Keith Harris	67
8	John Smith Ric Reider Larry Kohn Curt McGill Sr.	64	21	Spike Jones Tony Ball Andrew Kardian	67
9	Paul Messer Charley Whittemore Michael Brown Matt McCormick	64	22	John Griffin John McEachern Marisa Simpson Tony Cushenberry	68
10	Don Blackburn Robert Goodwin Wally Williamson Frank Ros	64	23	Andrew Chadwick Bartley Miller John Lily Gabe Galt	69
11	Jon England Joey Hester Derrick Bailey Curt McGill	64	24	Craig Hertwig Norman King Marcus Hunter Vernon Smith	69
12	Jimmy Harrell Don Soberdash Ed Greenway Robert Clemens	64	25	Charles Pledger Clyde Childers John Jancek Andy Loy	71
13	Dick Conn Denny Shimkus Robert Honeycutt Bruce Sills	65			



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BULLDOG HAVEN

Bulldog Haven is a designated section of the historic Oconee Hill Cemetery that is now open exclusively to UGA football lettermen, their spouses, and families. Located adjacent to Sanford Stadium, Bulldog Haven offers a unique resting place in the heart of the University of Georgia campus. This is Athens' only cemetery designated to honor and celebrate the lives of UGA football lettermen. We invite you to consider supporting Bulldog Haven by deciding now to invest in a plot for yourself and your loved ones.

We recently hosted a work day at Bulldog Haven with lettermen and current UGA football players working together to beautify the area. A special thank you to Coach Vince Dooley and Dr. Michael Dirr for all of their planning, help, and support. The next time you are in Athens, be sure to visit Bulldog Haven at Oconee Hill Cemetery. Please contact **Sexton Brian Adler** to schedule a tour- (706) 543-6262. For further information please visit www.bulldoghaven.org.





In Memoriam

Let us not forget the recent deaths of our lettermen. These men loved the game of football and all that it had to offer.

<i>Johnny Carson</i>	<i>Kenneth Pillsbury</i>
<i>Pete Case</i>	<i>Sonny Pittman</i>
<i>Danny Dantzler</i>	<i>Jim Wilson</i>
<i>Michael Merola</i>	

Send a Memorial

You can send a memorial gift to the Georgia Lettermen Education Foundation in memory or in honor of a loved one. This is a special way to honor those people who you loved. Gifts can be sent to 1070 Lake Wellbrook Drive Athens, GA 30606. For more information, please contact **Sally** at sallyhaugabook@georgiadogs.com. Thank you to those people who have taken part in this opportunity.

- Jim Baker in memory of Felecia Miles*
- Jim Baker in memory of Leroy Dukes*
- Jim Baker in memory of Tucker Bridges*
- Jim Baker in memory of Jean Russell*
- Jim Baker in memory of Margaret Dyer Smith*
- Jim Baker in memory of Ryals Baxter*
- Jim Baker in memory of John Kirbabas*
- Peggy King in memory of Leroy Dukes*
- C. Jeff Carter in memory of Leroy Dukes*
- Joel M. Darden in memory of Leroy Dukes*
- Jerry A. Snell in memory of Leroy Dukes*
- Jerry A. Snell in memory of Ken Pillsbury*
- Carol A. Freeman in memory of Pete Case*
- Zippy Morocco in memory of Mike Merola*
- Jim Baker in memory of Josh Kelly*
- Jim Baker in memory of Nate Gudger*

2009 Georgia Football Schedule

September 5, 2009	UGA vs. Oklahoma State	Stillwater, OK
September 12, 2009	UGA vs. South Carolina	Athens, GA
September 19, 2008	UGA vs. Arkansas	Fayetteville, AR
September 26, 2009	UGA vs. Arizona State	Athens, GA
October 3, 2009	UGA vs. LSU	Athens, GA
October 10, 2009	UGA vs. Tennessee	Knoxville, TN
October 17, 2009	UGA vs. Vanderbilt	Nashville, TN
October 31, 2009	UGA vs. Florida	Jacksonville, FL
November 7, 2009	UGA vs. Tennessee Tech	Athens, GA
November 14, 2009	UGA vs. Auburn	Athens, GA
November 21, 2009	UGA vs. Kentucky	Athens, GA
November 28, 2009	UGA vs. Georgia Tech	Atlanta, GA



2009 Annual Campaign

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- \$250
- \$100
- \$50
- other: _____



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Lettermen News

2004: Jake Hooten just recently married the former Lindsay Sherrill of Miami, FL on November 22, 2008.
Email: hootie981@aol.com

2003: Sean Rivas and his wife, Kristi, are finally moving back to Georgia after living in Omaha, NE for the last two years. They are excited to be close to family and back in Bulldawg country!
Email: rivas980@hotmail.com

2002: Braxton Snyder and his wife are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Harper Rose Snyder, who was born on April 15th. She weighed 7lbs. 7oz. and was 19.5 inches long.
Email: braxbbs@gmail.com

2001: Richard Hamilton and his wife, Michelle, are expecting their first baby on July 10, 2009. It's a Girl- Ella Jane Hamilton.
Email: valarious@gmail.com

2000: Brett Millican and his wife, Melissa, are proud to announce the birth of their third child, Landon William Millican. Landon was born on November 20, 2008 and weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. He is doing wonderful & big sister Kiley (4 1/2) & big brother Ethan (2 1/2) just adore him!
Email Address: brett.millican@yahoo.com

1997: Matt Rabon and his wife, Kasay, are proud to announce the birth of their second daughter, Christina Morgan, born October 29, 2008. Proud grandparents are Mac McWhorter (1973) and his wife, Becky.
Email: Matt- Matt.Rabon@Merial.com; Mac- mcwhorterhp@athletics.utexas.edu

1995: Jason Cancel will marry Rufina Sau Ping Wong on August 8, 2009 in Hong Kong. Jason is currently teaching at a primary school in Hong Kong and Rufina, his fiancée, is working in the Student Affairs office at Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.
Email: mondesi@rocketmail.com

1992: Andrew Chadwick and his wife, Kelly, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Callum Williams Chadwick, born October 27, 2008. Callum and Kelly are both healthy, while Claire (Callum's 2 years old sister) and Dad are not sleeping much!
Email: coachchadwick@gmail.com or wide_right_ac@yahoo.com

1992: Jack Swan and his wife, Amie, welcomed their first child on February 5, 2009. His name is Jack Lawson Swan.
Email: Jack.Swan@lighthousepartners.com

1988: Troy Sadowski (Countrywide Home Loans) has made the transition to Bank of America Home Loans. He is excited about the transition and the opportunity that it offers himself as a Mortgage Loan Officer. Countrywide Home Loans will enter into a SMA (Strategic Marketing Agreement) with Troy's wife's company (Cassidy & Company Real Estate) to offer the best that the Real Estate and Mortgage Industry has to offer. They will be specializing in foreclosures/REO properties and short sales.
Email: troy.sadowski@bankofamerica.com

1983: Brad Ansley along with 3 colleagues in Hickory, NC just broke the Guinness world record for the longest Doubles Tennis Match ever by playing for 50 consecutive hours while raising money to benefit the Hickory, NC YMCA.
Email: wbansleysr@aol.com

1983: David Chandley just celebrated his 20th anniversary at WSB-TV as on-air meteorologist. Recently, he was awarded the CBM (Certified Broadcast Meteorologist) designation from the American Meteorological Society. This is the highest mark of distinction and recognition available in broadcast meteorology.
Email: dchandley@comcast.net

1980: Greg Bell's daughter, Janae, has accepted a swimming scholarship to West Point Academy. She finished 15th in the state in the 100 meter freestyle in March 2009. She has maintained a 4.0 grade point average taking many AP classes all through Woodstock High School. She also is a member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, and also sings in the Woodstock High School Chorus. Her family is very proud of her accomplishments, dedication, sacrifice, hard work!
Email: bellmail4@juno.com

1979: Matt Braswell and his wife, Marilou, welcomed their first grandchild, Caroline Grace Nelson. She was born on September 13, 2008 to their daughter, Laci, and her husband, Adam. Laci is in her last year at Virginia law school and Adam, a two-time Olympic silver medalist in the shot put, finished his MBA at UVA in December 2008.

Matt was promoted to VP of sales for Med-Fit Systems, Inc. Marilou is now the National Director of Cheerleading for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes as of December 1, 2008.
Email: matt@medfitsystems.com



Lettermen News, cont.

1978: *Phil Aaron*'s daughter, Harley Savannah Aaron, age 11 is the Georgia AAU Gymnastics Level 2 State Champ for her age group. At the State Gymnastics Meet at Winder-Barrow High School she placed 1st in the following events:

1st on Beam, 1st on Bars, 1st on Vault, 2nd on Floor and 1st All-Around State Champ

She will be competing in the AAU Nationals in Savannah June 24 – 28, 2009.

Email: JPAARON@southernco.com

1978: *Mack Guest*'s daughter, Laura, graduated from Oconee County High School in May and received the Warrior Club Scholarship and the Oconee County Volleyball Scholarship. She was an honor graduate and also in National Honor Society. Laura will attend The University of Georgia in the fall.

Email: mguest@ladtrucklines.com

1976: *Ken Helms*' son, Kenneth Wilson Helms, Jr., is teaching and coaching at Southwest Guilford High School in Greensboro, NC. Ken is in his 25th year of teaching and coaching in North Carolina. How bout them Heels?

Email: helmsk@gcsnc.com

1976: *Matt Robinson*, HomeTeam Equity Founder, announced that HTE has expanded to 6 locations in Florida to include acquiring Florida football star Chris Doering's mortgage office in Gainesville and adding Scott Brantley, another Florida football and Tampa Bay Bucs star to the Tampa office. Other locations include Jacksonville, two offices in Orlando, and Mark Wilson's office in Lakeland. Of course, Robinson started with UGA lettermen Mark Wilson and Kevin Butler along with UGA golf great Billy Kratzert as partners in HTE. Other athletes with a full vested interest in the company include Davey Johnson (MLB), Phil Esposito (NHL), Bill Bates and Everson Walls of the Dallas Cowboys, Brian Mogg (PGA Tour Instructor), Chris Parrish (World Record holder/Slalom Skier), and Chip Carey of the famed Carey MLB broadcasting family.

Robinson also stated that HTE has expanded its licensing into Alabama, Tennessee and finishing up Georgia right now. Mark Wilson is President of HTE Commercial Capital; HomeTeam Equity's commercial funding division while all other athletes are representing HomeTeam mortgage products and services to individual clients and companies. HTE is a full service residential and commercial funding company that can be researched at www.hometeamequity.com.

Email: mathte@gmail.com

1974: *Jerry Paul*'s daughter, Jeni, played volleyball at Brewton Parker College and was inducted into the schools Hall of Fame in March 2009! He is very proud of her, and Jeni was only the fourth woman to be inducted!!

Email: dapaul@alltel.net

1973: *Danny Dantzler*'s son Watts (6'7" - 295) made the EA Sports All-American Sophomore team.

1973: *Chris Hammond*'s son, Lappin, was wed in April to Solidad Espinola. Both are from Tifton but met in California where they reside. Lappin was a manager in the 1990's.

Email: hawg@friendlycity.net

1971: *John Jennings*' daughter Jessie is a Dean's list student at Athens Tech and is a freshman majoring in accounting. His son Will's Elbert County High School Golf team finished 3rd in the Class AAA state tournament. Will had a round of 77 and is a freshman.

Email: JJennings@saia.com

1966: *Bill Harber* and his wife, Joyce, would like to announce the birth of their granddaughter, Brooke Elyse, to their son, Brad and Wendy Harber of Dublin, GA and the birth of their identical twin grandsons, Hayden and Hunter, to their son, Michael and Kathye Harber of Jacksonville, FL. With the additions of Brooke, Hayden, and Hunter, Bill and Joyce now enjoy seven grandchildren, five granddaughters and the twin boys.

Bill is retired from the USAF, VP Technical Colleges, and retired for a third time after spending the last two years as the senior business analyst and consultant to the HQ USMC and the USMC Logistics Command in Albany, GA. Bill completed the reorganization and realignment of USMC Logistics in late 2008 and has opened his retirement woodworking hobby shop.

Email: wharber@alltel.net

1963: *Bill McCullough* is going to retire in June. He has put twenty years service in public education, at Lanier Senior High for Boys in Macon, Northeast High School in Macon, Cedar Shoals High School in Athens, and Hart County High in Hartwell. He will complete twenty four more years in private education at Woodward Academy in College Park, GA. He has served as a teacher, coach and school administrator in those years.

Email: bill.mccullough@woodward.edu

1962: *John Paul Holmes* was elected to a two year term as Vice-Chair of the Technical College System of Georgia which oversees the operation of Georgia's 33 technical colleges.

Email: paul@holmesoffice.com



Lettermen News, cont.

1959: Gene Littleton suffered a stroke in October 2007, resulting in rather severe speech impairment, and the discovery that the left carotid artery has 100% blockage. Nevertheless, he has done well, regained some speech, and suffers only minor weakness on the right side. When Gene returned to his neurologist for a routine visit this spring, the doctor ordered a Doppler ultrasound, so that he could compare with the last test. To their shock and dismay the results confirmed that the left artery was completely blocked, but also revealed 95% blockage in the right carotid artery. Fortunately, they were able to see a neurosurgeon almost immediately and on April 29 Gene had carotid stent surgery on the right side. Happily, and to their great relief, the results were excellent (reduction of blockage from 95% to 5%), and Gene is doing extremely well. Of course, this surgery doesn't correct any damage that was already done, but it certainly increases his quality of life, and possible longevity.

Email: coelittleton@windstream.net

1960: Carter Matthew Ramsey, Jr. retired from Sea Island Company, as Director of Transportation after 26 years. He started a business: Carter's Antique Tractor Brokers. They buy, restore, sell, and broker antique tractors.

Email: cmbus@bellsouth.net

1958: Norman King is proud to announce that his granddaughter, Kendall Taylor, will be going to the University of Georgia in the fall. She has earned a charter academic scholarship and is very excited about becoming a lady bulldog. She graduated from Nease High School in FL (home of Tim Tebow). Her uncle also played football at Georgia. Her grandmother is Gaye Boardman and her proud parents are Mike and Susan Taylor of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL. Kendall is a soccer star in Ponte Vedra Beach and a very smart and good looking girl; she will be an asset to UGA.

Email: n.king9@comcast.net

1946: Doc Ayers recently hosted the Ayers-Beck Celebrity Golf Tournament for the eighteenth year. The tournament was held at the Cherokee Golf and Country Club and is the largest tournament in the South. They have twenty-eight to thirty teams each year that are made up of six players. Many college and pro athletics participate in the tournament each year. They have given over a quarter of a million dollars to charities in Polk County. Six scholarships are given each year- 3 to Cedartown High School and 3 to Rockmart High School.

Email: docayers@bellsouth.net

Lost Lettermen

Lost Lettermen! The following lettermen do not have a current address with us. If you have any information of their whereabouts, please contact **Sally** at sallyhaugabook@georgiadogs.com or mail information to 1070 Lake Wellbrook Drive, Athens, GA 30606. Thanks for your help!

Brian Michael Anderson	Keith D. Drayton	Wayne Johnson	Amber Tamara Reedy	Nathaniel Taylor
Abb Woolridge Ansley, III	Kenneth Dewayne Driskell	Ben Lee Lane	Gordon Robbins	Lemonte Donzell Tellis
Charles Richard Arkwright	Joseph Dupree	Michael Warren Lopatka	Joe Wayne Roberts	Christopher A. Terry
Ilya Berry	Robert P. Durand	Armin Robert Love	Cory Lamar Robinson	Andrew Odell Thompson
Joshua Billue	Robert L. Edwards	Elbert Manning	Durell Robinson	Horace Van Thompson
Gregory B. Blue	Terrence Jermaine Edwards	Kareem E. Marshall	Eric W. Robinson	Ralph Cecil Thompson
Benjamin Otis Boyd	Douglas Faircloth	Ricky McBride	Ronald William Rogers	Robert C. Van Buren
James Allen Branner	Anthony Thomas Flack	Mark McGinnis	Walter Rouse	Ken Antyon Veal
George B. Brewer	Albert J. Francis	Jack McHugh	Charles Terry Sellers	Michael Arthur Wallace
DeCory Bryant	David Dawayne Grace	Steven DeShay McKeever	Christopher Steven Shaw	Kirk Warner
Robert H. Burns	Joe Graff	Thomas B. McKinnon	Wilson E. Singletary	Andre Bernard Washington
Quincy Carter	Kip Hall	J. Adam Meadows	Kenneth Sims	Herbert Watkins
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Stanley M. Dooley	Michael Johnson	James Rahal	Michael Renai Taylor	

Featured Letterman

Stephen Allen Greer

1967-68-69

It is hard to believe that Steve Greer will be retiring from the University of Georgia Athletic Department on July 1, 2009. He has been a longtime fixture at the Butts-Mehre building for many years serving as coach and in administration. Over his career, he has coached for a total of 22 years serving at Auburn University and the University of Georgia. In 1993, he moved into administration and is retiring as the Director of Football Operations. Steve Greer has had the pleasure of working with great coaches such as Ralph Jordan, Doug Barfield, Vince Dooley, Ray Goff, Glynn Mason (10 days), Jim Donnan and Mark Richt.

Steve is surrounded by the love and support of his family. He is married to the former Susan Harrill Greer of Greer, SC. Steve and Susan have three sons. Stephen is married to the former Tricia Johansen of Americus, GA. They reside in Columbia, SC with their two sons, Sam (6) and Drew (18 mos.). Jeff still lives in Athens, and will be married to Wendy Hatcher of Macon, GA on June 6, 2009. Jeff, Stephen, Tricia, and Wendy are all graduates of Valdosta State University. Their son, Michael, is a graduate of the University of Georgia and currently resides in Athens.

University of Georgia Athletics has been a large part of Steve's life. Outside of UGA, Steve enjoys hunting and fishing and spending time with his sons and grandsons. Retirement will give Steve the opportunity to do this as well as travel with Susan. Steve is also a member of the Athens United Methodist Church.

When asked what his fondest memories are from his days at UGA, Steve sited three. They are dorm life with teammates, spring practice, and Seagraves. Steve enjoys the opportunity that the Lettermen's Club provides by being able to spend time with the great people of all eras of UGA football: Wally Butts Boys, Griffin, Dooley, Goff, Donnan, and Richt. He states that some of the guys are his best friends!!! Steve thanks Mack Guest for doing a great job with the Lettermen's Club and states that Sally Haugabook continues to keep everyone informed. The only improvement that he would like to see made is the involvement of recent lettermen. He encourages them to get involved and don't just show up on game day.

Coach Greer, we wish you the best in your retirement and thank you for your service to the University of Georgia!!

Contact Steve at steveg@sports.uga.edu



Lettermen Reunion

All lettermen will be honored at halftime of the UGA vs. Tennessee Tech football game on November 7, 2009. Instructions on where to meet and stand once your team is called will be provided at the Lettermen's Tailgate registration table at Oconee Hill Cemetery that morning. There will be a special recognition for the class reunion teams of 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60 years.

10 years ago 1999

Outback Bowl Champions
(8-4) Coach: Jim Donnan
Captains: Quincy Carter,
Steve Herndon, Orantes
Grant,
Richard Seymour

20 years ago 1989

Peach Bowl Participants
(6-6) Coach: Ray Goff
Captain: Ben Smith

25 years ago 1984

Citrus Bowl Participants
(7-4-1) Coach: Vince Dooley
Captain: Knox Culpepper

30 years ago 1979

(6-5) Coach: Vince Dooley
Captain: Gordon Terry

40 years ago 1969

Sun Bowl Participants
(5-5-1) Coach: Vince Dooley
Captain: Steve Greer

50 years ago 1959

SEC Champions
Orange Bowl Champions
(10-1) Coach: Wallace Butts
Captain: Don Soberdash

60 years ago 1949

(4-6-1) Coach: Wallace Butts
Captain: Porter Payne

Jimmy Payne Hardship Fund

The Jimmy Payne Football Lettermen's Hardship Fund has been established by the Georgia Football Lettermen's Club for the purpose of providing financial assistance to needy football lettermen who find themselves under hardship conditions. For an application, please visit our website- www.ugalettermensclub.com.



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Frostbite Golf Tournament

The 2009 Frostbite Tournament was held in February at the Jekyll Island Club. The tournament was held in memory of Leroy Dukes. The 2010 Frostbite Tournament will again be held at the Jekyll Island Club. The dates for the tournament are **Thursday, February 4, 2010 – Sunday, February 6, 2010**. Be sure to call the **Jekyll Island Club Hotel at 1-800-535-9547** to make your reservations. If you have any questions, call **Hawg Hammond** at **(229)392-4406**.



2009 Football Game Day Food Sponsorship

As always, we will be serving food in the Lettermen’s Club on home football game days. If anyone is interested in signing up to sponsor food, please contact **Sally** at **sallyhaugabook@georgiadogs.com** or mail your check to 1070 Lake Wellbrook Drive Athens, GA 30606. The cost is \$100.00. Thank you to those lettermen who have already signed up.

September 12, 2009- South Carolina

1. Skip James
2. Dick Conn
3. Jim Curington
- 4.
- 5.

October 3, 2009- LSU

1. David Weeks
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

November 14, 2009- Auburn

1. Mixon Robinson
2. Jim Baker
3. Bobby Baker
- 4.
- 5.

September 26- Arizona State

1. Arthur Johnson
- 2.
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- 5.

November 7, 2009- Tennessee Tech

- 1.
- 2.
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- 4.
- 5.

November 21, 2009- Kentucky

1. John Jennings
2. Johnny Cobb
3. Bobby Poss, III
- 4.
- 5.

Countdown to Kickoff • Children’s Charity Weekend

The Countdown to Kickoff Children’s Charity events are scheduled for **July 17 & 18, 2009**. Sponsorships, individual tickets, and family packages are available now. Please visit **www.ugakickoff.com** or call **Kristin Stanley** at **678.514.1187** for more information.



Athens Athletic Hall of Fame

The Athens Athletic Hall of Fame ceremony took place on May 18, 2009 at the Athens Classic Center. **Mike Brown** (1985-87) was inducted for the Class of 2009. Congratulations Mike on your accomplishments!

Macon Sports Hall of Fame

Mack Guest (1976-78) was inducted into the Macon Sports Hall of Fame on April 16, 2009 in Macon, Georgia. Congratulations Mack on your accomplishments!



Huddle Sponsor/Advertising Packages

Advertising packages are available for the Lettermen Huddle Magazine. This is a great opportunity to promote your company to all of your fellow lettermen. Listed below are the packages that are available. Please contact **Sally** at sallyhaugabook@georgiadogs.com for questions. Send us your ad and make your check payable to the Georgia Football Lettermen's Club and mail to 1070 Lake Wellbrook Drive Athens, GA 30606.

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Full page ad in Huddle
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½ page ad in the Huddle

Dawg Pound: \$35

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