

Athletic Advisory Committee

2022-2023 Academic Year

- Committee Members (Faculty Athletic Liaison Assigned Sport)
 - Dave McCall (Football) - Chair
 - Bob Griffith (Men BBall) – Vice-Chair
 - Cathy Archer (Soccer) – Secretary
 - Joanie Hazelton (Men/Women Tennis)
 - Steve Hundersmarck (Track & Cross Country)
 - Lee Templin (Volleyball)
 - Joe Pole (Men/Women Golf)
 - Brady Flachs (Hockey)
 - Lori Armstrong (open)
 - Kim Beistle (Wom. BBall)
 - Kim Hancock (faculty rep)
 - Open (Stud. Gov)
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 - Open (SAAC)
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 - Nick Campau (Admin. Rep.)
 - Nick Scheible (Softball)
 - Open (Alum)
 - Steve Brockelbank (non-voting)
 - Sara Higley (non-voting)
 - Mallory Ford (Eligibility Coord.)
 - Emma Vermette (Athletic Learning Specialist)

- Summary
 - NCAA is no longer requiring us to do a self-study (last completed in 2021-2022).
 - Something may replace this in the future, but for now nothing to complete
 - Set up training with Navigate to assist with progress reports for student-athletes
 - Mental Health Initiative
 - Joint sub-committee with Student Life

- Focused on helping students across campus with mental health awareness and support
 - Large portion of those being trained are Ferris student-athletes
 - Continued focus on growing the Faculty Liaison Program
 - Helping with new Athletics Strategic Plan
 - Election of chair and secretary positions for 2023-2024 academic year
- Discussion
 - Committee members sometimes have difficulties getting information from athletic coaches to report back as a Faculty Athletic Liaison.
 - This in turn limits our ability to assist coaches and student athletes.
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 - No other issues to report. Great committee to work with.
- Recommendations
 - Chair will work with athletics staff to develop a better process and better buy-in from coaches to participate in the Faculty Athletic Liaison program.
 - We are also planning on creating a SharePoint site to house ideas and resources for liaisons to use when they meet with teams.