
The Athletic Board, which represents the faculty in the control of Intercollegiate Athletics, presents its annual report to inform the faculty of the extent and nature of the athletic program. The membership and responsibilities of the Athletic Board are defined in the Rules and Regulations Governing the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee (p. 26).

The Athletic Board meets regularly during the academic year and once a year with the Madison Athletic Board.

Intercollegiate Staff

All members of the coaching staff are assigned one-half time in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics and one-half time in the Department of Physical Education. The resignation of W. Burns, the request of A. Kraeft to be relieved of coaching assignments and the addition of a staff position in Physical Education resulted in the following staff additions and reassignments of personnel:

- W. Dreyer
- H. Kluge
- R. Rebholz
- W. Ritter
- J. Tierney
- R. Geske
- D. Bartkowski

Football, Golf
Athletic Director, Swimming
Basketball, Tennis
Baseball, Assistant in Football
Track, Cross Country
Assistant in Football (part-time)
Wrestling (part-time)

The Dean of Education and the Athletic Board recommended the appointment of W. Dreyer as an Assistant Professor of Physical Education; R. Geske and D. Bartkowski were recommended for part-time appointments to handle coaching assignments vacated by the resignation of W. Burns.

The University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee is a member of the Wisconsin State College Conference and the National Collegiate Athletic Association both of which establish the basic regulations concerning eligibility, rules, schedules, etc. The ruling body of the Conference is the Conference Committee composed of faculty representatives from each member school. The UW-M representative is R. Tillema.

A summary of the competitive records of the teams in 1960-61 is:

In conference play the football team won 2 games and lost 4 games, the season record was 2 wins and 6 losses. Bradley University was added to the schedule for the first time.

In conference play the basketball team won 5 games, lost 7 games; and finished sixth in the conference standings; the season record was 8 wins and 12 losses.
The cross country team won 8 meets, lost 4 meets, placed second in the State AAU meet and placed 19 out of 30 in the NCAA meet.

The swimming team won 5 meets, lost 7 meets and participated in the Lawrence College Invitational meet in which several individual players placed.

The wrestling team won 3 matches, lost 9 matches, tied 1 match, placed fifth in the Conference meet, placed seventh in a State College meet and placed third in the State AAU meet.

The track team, running indoors, won 2 meets, lost 2 meets and placed first in the State AAU meet. The track team, running outdoors, has just started the season and has won 1 dual meet, placed fifth in the Ferris Institute Invitational meet and participated in the Bradley Relays in which individual players placed.

The tennis team has just started the season and has won 2 matches and lost 1 match.

The baseball team so far this season has lost 2 conference games; the season record to date is 4 wins and 7 losses.

The golf team has not had any matches as yet this season.

Three hundred and thirty-five students participate in the Athletic Program.

Policy Review by Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee

At the request of the Provost, the Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee jointly considered existing policies governing the athletic program. The existing policies are enumerated in faculty document #148, Exhibit I.

After considerable discussion of athletic policies by the Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee, it was agreed that there were three areas of interest upon which faculty opinion should be expressed.

Membership and Duties of the Board

While noting that the Athletic Board acts in an administrative capacity as well as being a policy making body, the majority of the two groups agreed that a new procedure for selecting the Athletic Board, in which part of the faculty representation on the Board is elected by the faculty, will provide better liaison between the Board and the faculty. At the April meeting of the faculty, the faculty approved a joint recommendation of the Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee defining the membership of the Board and its selection as:

Membership.

The Director of Intercollegiate Athletics, ex-officio; three faculty members to be elected by the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee Faculty; two faculty members to be appointed by the Provost; one student to be selected by the Student Government; and an alumni representative to be appointed by the Provost; the Provost shall appoint one of the faculty members as faculty representative to the Athletic Conference.

The faculty also approved the adding of a sixth function to the functions of the Board, as follows:
(6) shall review the policies governing intercollegiate athletics and shall recommend to the faculty, from time to time, changes that appear to be in keeping with the long-term development of the University.

Finances

Under existing policy, the financing of the Milwaukee program in athletics subsequent to the academic year 1956-57 has come in part from state funds and in part from revenues. A maximum of approximately $48,000 a year has been available from state funds. Under present policy any increase in the budget for operation of the intercollegiate athletic program (except salary increases) must come from increased revenue. At the May meeting of the faculty, the Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee will jointly present a resolution to the faculty requesting affirmation of this policy.

Facilities for Physical Education Activities

At the present time there is no space or building facility which is used solely for intercollegiate athletics. All space and facilities are used coordinately by the combined physical education activities (Physical Education, Intramurals, Campus Elementary School and Intercollegiate Athletics), ROTC and other campus organizations. The projected campus plan indicates continued coordinate use of facilities by these groups. The Athletic Board also permits use of the physical education facilities for activities sponsored by community and charitable organizations including Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Junior Optimists, Catholic Youth Organization (swim meet), Milwaukee Recreation Department (career day), Milwaukee City High Schools (indoors track relays), Braveland Conference High Schools (indoors track meet), etc. The Athletic Board is in complete agreement with the ideas of coordinate use of facilities and space and operates under a policy that additional facilities must be determined by the combined needs of all physical education activities, ROTC and other campus organizations. Since the problem is not of immediate concern and the Athletic Board and the University Committee--Milwaukee have not completed their discussions in this area, no specific recommendation is being made to the faculty at this time.

The Athletic Board believes that the Intercollegiate Athletic Program is an integral part of the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee program, that measures now in effect maintain a realistic degree of emphasis on the program, and that the growth and development of the athletic program should be coordinated with the growth and development of the total program of the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.

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