

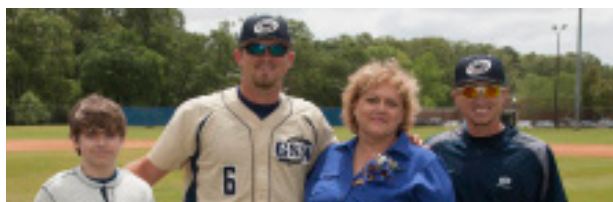


WHAT IS 360?

For one thing, it's a circle. A circle is a group of people sharing an interest, activity, or achievement. A circle is also a sphere of influence or interest. For another thing, it's a 360 degree turn - a full turn, especially one done very rapidly.

To turn around the GSW Athletics program and provide each sport a better chance at winning championships, we need your help. Your support of the Canes 360 fund with a commitment to the Canes 360, 110% Club, or Young Hurricane Alumni memberships will combine with others to provide athletic scholarships at a competitive level, to enhance capital improvements for the playing fields, and to improve team travel. Your contribution will elevate the student athlete experience, give the coaches resources to make improvements where improvements are needed, and lead to championship level of play in which we can all take pride and enjoy watching.

Now, to the sphere of influence part. In addition to your commitment to the Canes 360 fund, we need you to ask two friends to do the same. Why a 5-year commitment? In order to plan for available scholarships for students and prioritize improvements, the program needs to be able to expect that money available in one year will also be available at the same or higher level in future years.



"This scholarship has provided me with courage in doing everything I can to attain my dreams of playing ball at the next level...It motivates me in the classroom and on the field and has been a big part of my success."

Earl Dupree
Evan Bozof Athletic Scholarship Recipient

WHAT CAN BOOSTERS DO THAT IS PERMITTED?

Boosters can let coaches know of outstanding prospects in their area, and can observe a prospect's contest as long as they booster does not have any contact with the prospect or his/her parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s). If the prospect is a neighbor, relative, or family friend, you may have a relationship with him/her, but cannot be involved in the recruitment process of that particular prospect.

If a prospect knows you are a GSW booster, he/she can phone you as long as the prospect initiates the call. Please direct any questions from the prospect about GSW Athletics to the athletics staff.

In addition to recruiting help, boosters can also provide an occasional meal to current student-athletes as long as the meal is at the booster's home. Boosters may provide tickets to a movie or other reasonable entertainment for current student-athletes when the team is at away games.

WHAT IS NOT PERMITTED FOR BOOSTERS?

Boosters cannot:

- Write, call, make in-person recruiting contacts with a prospect or his/her parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s);
- Make a recruiting presentation to prospects;
- Contact a prospect's high school coach, principal or counselor to evaluate the prospect;
- Visit a prospect's high school to obtain a transcript, or make a video in order to evaluate the prospect's academic or athletic ability nor can a booster provide this information to an athletics staff member;
- Provide extra benefits to a prospect, current student-athlete, or their friends and relatives

For more information, visit:

www.gswcanes.com/booster-info.pdf



Georgia Southwestern
State University Athletics



2024 Peach Belt Conference Baseball Pitcher of the Year
Rijnaldo Euson

CANES 360

CANES 360 is a group of people dedicated to the rapid turnaround of resources available to the Georgia Southwestern Hurricane Athletics program. We have a devoted coaching staff and enthusiastic student athletes. A look at the highlights of the past year in the following column indicates some of the outstanding achievements of our players and teams.

2023-24 INDIVIDUAL & TEAM HIGHLIGHTS



The women's basketball team won its second consecutive **Peach Belt Conference regular season & tournament championships**. The Lady Hurricanes advanced to the **Elite Eight** in the NCAA national tournament and finished with the most wins in a season (29) since joining the NCAA in 2007.



The baseball team finished with its most wins in a season (35) during GSW's NCAA era. The Hurricanes had a program-best **eight Peach Belt All-Conference** selections and Rijnaldo Euson became the fifth straight Hurricane to win the **PBC Pitcher of the Year** award. Euson earned **All-America** honors and Calvin Alexander won the NCAA Division II ABCA/Rawlings **Gold Glove Award** at catcher.



The men's golf team claimed three team titles in 2023-24 and earned its **fifth consecutive NCAA Super Regional** bid. The Hurricanes finished the season **ranked No. 3 in the country** and will take a **streak of 40 consecutive polls ranked in the Top 25**, dating back to September 2019, into the fall of 2024. Erik Fogel and Payne Sells earned **PING All-Region** recognition.



A GSW record **111** student-athletes earned Peach Belt Conference **Presidential Honor Roll** distinction for the academic year, with 22 earning the top status of "Gold Scholar." The department won its fourth Peach Belt **Presidents' Academic Award**. The award recognizes excellence in academics concerning all of an institution's student-athletes compared to their undergraduate student body.



CANES 360

I (we) pledge to support the Georgia Southwestern Hurricane Athletic Program with a gift to the Canes 360 fund which will be used for enhancements to athletics through increased student scholarships, capital equipment/field upgrades, and other improvements as needed. (\$360/yr, \$1800/5 yrs)

110% Canes 360 Club

I (we) pledge to increase Canes 360 fund support by 10%. (\$396/yr, \$1980/5 yrs)

Young Hurricane Alumni

Graduates of GSW within the last five years are eligible to join Canes 360 at a discounted rate.

(\$60/yr, \$300/5 yrs)

Exclusive Basketball Courtside Seating

I (we) would like to add ___ basketball reserved courtside seat(s). (additional annual payment of \$180 per seat) *Not eligible for tax deduction, reserved upon receipt of payment*

Name(s) as it should appear on lists and recognition:
ex., Joe & Mary Smith

Name:

Mailing Address:

City, State, & Zip:

E-Mail Address:

Telephone:

If you wish to contribute more than the minimum requirement to the Canes 360 Fund, please adjust the figures below in the way that works best for you.

I (we) pledge the amount checked above to the Canes 360 Fund to be paid in the following way:

_____ Monthly - for 5 years

via ___check, ___bank draft, ___credit card

_____ Annually - for 5 years

via ___check, ___bank draft, ___credit card

_____ In total

via ___check, ___bank draft, ___credit card

If needed, Bank Draft Authorization: (Draft to be made on or shortly after the 15th of each month)

Bank Name:

Please attach voided check for bank and routing information

If needed, Credit Card Authorization:

Credit Card Type:

Number:

3-digit CV code from back of card:

Exp. Date:

Name as it appears on card:

Signature:

This contribution is being made at the request of:

www.gsw.edu/canes360

Thank you for your support of Georgia Southwestern Hurricane Athletics