#### COYOTE ATHLETICS STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE



PRESENTATION TO WC BOARD OF TRUSTEES, 11/10/22

**ASST. ATHLETIC DIRECTOR JEFF LIGHTFOOT** 

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO OUR STUDENT ATHLETES

"You have five choices in life with regards to your success – you can be bad at what you do, you can be average, you can be good, you can be excellent or you can be elite at what you do. To be excellent or elite requires that level of commitment – you reap what you sow"

Nick Saban

Alabama Football

Thank you for choosing to be elite!

# 2021-22 year in review

- > 200 Student-Athletes
- **SA's in the classroom (average 15 hours per semester)** 
  - enrolled in more than 6,000 hours in 21-22
- 145 SA's in Coyote Village & eating in the WC Café
- > 200 SA's utilizing our Academic Support Center & Staff
- 60+ SA's are headed to universities with the expectation to earn a degree
- 20+ of those SA's entered the workforce (many through WC programs such as the Vet Tech Program)

COYOTE RODEO Head Coach Johnny Emmons

- 17 scholarships/ 72 athletes
- Women's Team National Champs!
- **5** individual National Champions
- 5 currently sit #1 heading into this Year's World Championships
- > 23 AA degrees
- 12 headed to universities
- ▶ 17 entered the workforce

COYDTE BASEBALL Head coach Jeff Lightfoot

- 20 scholarships/40 SA's
- ▶ 39 wins
- Ranked as high as #5 nationally
- Regional qualifier/Quarterfinals
- ▶ 17 AA degrees
- 21 headed to universities
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year award (Team GPA 3.0+)
- Two current Coyotes in the MLB 34 former players have played professional baseball

# COYOTE SOFTBALL Head Coach Haylee Williams

- > 20 scholarships/20 athletes
- **27** wins
- Postseason berth/ 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish in regional
- ▶ 7 AA degrees
- 7 headed to universities
- **6** academic All-Americans
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year award ( 3.0+ team GPA )

## LADY COYOTE BASKETBALL

Head Coach Bob McKinley

- 15 scholarships/15 SA's
- **15 wins**
- Regional Qualifier/ Lost to #7 NMJC in regional
- Ranked as high as #12 nationally
- ▶ 7 headed to universities
- ▶ 4 AA degrees
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year award (Team GPA 3.0+)
- Coach McKinley approaching career win 1,000!!

# COYOTE BASKETBALL Head Coach Chris Lewis

- ▶15 Scholarships/ 15 SA's
- ▶15 wins
- ▶5 headed to universities
- ▶4 AA degrees
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year Award (Team GPA 3.0+)
- **•** OFF TO A HOT START THIS FALL (6-1)

Head Coach Jesse Speirs

COYOTE GOLF

- 5 scholarships/8 SA's
- National Qualifier
- ▶ 1 team 1<sup>st</sup> place finish/ 1 second & 1 third
- 3 individual wins
- Ranked as high as #15 nationally
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year Award
- **Finished with the 4<sup>th</sup> highest team GPA in the nation**

## COYDTETENNIS

Head Coach Mitch Veccione

- ▶ 6 scholarships/8 SA's
- National Qualifier
- 2 headed to universities
- Finished #8 in the nation
- 1 All-American
- Received the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year Award (Team 3.0+ GPA)

COYOTE VOLLEYBALL Head Coach Kailee May

12 scholarships/ 17 SA's
Conference Champs!
Regional Finals
21 Wins
1 headed to a universities
Coach May – Conf. Coach of the Year

# OUR COYOTES ARE LEADERS!



Hadley Butler Kibbe WC Rodeo 16-18 BA Tarleton; MS Sul Ross Dir Title III STEM, Sul Ross Pres. ANRS & Rodeo Exes Assoc. Asst. Rodeo Coach



**Bobby Garner** WC Baseball 12-13 BS UT Dallas DO Arkansas College of Medicine Orthopedic Surgery Resident



**Zach Naylor** WC Basketball 17-18 Tarleton Grad Professional Basketball Player Finland



#### **Dovile Strimaityte**

WC Basketball 17-18 BS/MS UNT Biomedical Engineering Works in Bio Tech

### **OUR COYOTES ARE INNOVATORS!**



Resources Brice Nengsu WC Basketball 04-05 BA Creighton Crieghton Law School grad

Skyler Wheeler WC Baseball 12-13 BS TCU Geology MS Rice Petroleum Geology MBA SMU Petroleum Geologist Started his own Company, SPW Resources



Jessica Cundiff WC Basketball 94-95 BS, MS Missouri St MA Harvard Paleontologist



Jared Parsonage

WC Rodeo 12-14 BS Tarleton Ag Business Professional Bull Rider Canadian Bull Riding Champion National Finals

## COYDTE OUTREACH

**KIDS CAMPS** 





Miracle League

WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE!

**CHALLENGER LEAGUE** 

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