

Spring update from S.A.A.C.

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Contributors

2010 has rolled around and the Student Athlete Advisor Committee (SAAC) here at Brevard College has been hard at work. This special group of student athletes has joined together to make the lives of your BC athletes easier and more fulfilled. However we also focus on making the lives of others better, by raising money for our chosen charity – the Make-a-Wish Foundation. As a group, we have already undertaken several projects including “Kids Night Out”, Make-a-Wish Stars, and loose-coin collections.

On Dec. 12, 2009 SAAC hosted the annual “Kids Night Out” in which several kids from the local area came out to Boshamer Gymnasium to interact with student athletes and coaches. Stay tuned

for another Kids Night event to take place in the Spring!!

Another fundraising initiative that we have taken on is the selling of Make-A-Wish stars for one dollar in which all proceeds will go to the foundation. SAAC members will be selling these stars for the remainder of the year at various sporting events around campus.

Through this collected effort SAAC has already raised around \$300 and will continue to raise money through the end of the year. Although this is a great start we need your help in reaching our goal of \$2000 to beat out our rival conference schools in the running for most money collected! Every penny donated goes directly to Make-A-Wish Foundation and helps hundreds of children worldwide.

SAAC is also assisting in the Hope for Haiti fundraising effort to bring relief to the deadly effects of the recent earthquake. To help with these efforts just text the word

“QUAKE” to the number 22202 and \$10 will automatically be donated to the Hope for Haiti fund out of your monthly cell phone bill!

In addition to fundraising, the SAAC committee recently helped coordinate the basketball event “Pink Zone” which was a great success. SAAC Vice President Cori Emory won the “Tater Tots for Ta Ta’s” contest and raised around \$300.

The committee as a whole has also been working hard to improve conditions and relations in all athletic areas, including athletic training, coaches’ relations, NCAA rules and regulations, college policies, and off-season conditions.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding athletics, or would like to represent your team in the SAAC, please contact your team in the SAAC, please contact Coach Stubbs, Millie Wharton or Nathan Whitmire. Good luck with the conclusion of winter sports and the kick off of spring seasons!!



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