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We are very excited about the second edition (and the first for some of you) of our *Bi-Weekly Women's Sports E-Newsletter*! As stated previously, our goal for this newsletter is to keep all of our supporters for women's sports as up to date as possible, as we begin the transition of the women's sports annual fund to the Razorback Foundation in June. We cannot thank you enough for your support. Here are several recent highlights and events from the past two weeks:

- The **Women's Golf** team is off to Stanford next week, as they were selected to the NCAA West Regional Tournament after finishing 3rd at the SEC Championships! The Razorbacks had an impressive late rally to finish 3rd behind No. 6 Alabama, who won the Championship, and No. 20 Vanderbilt. Junior Kelli Shean placed 4th overall for the tournament and Senior Kristin Ingram tied for 10th place to lead the Razorbacks to finish ahead of No. 15 Georgia, No. 4 Auburn, and No. 17 LSU.
- **Gymnastics** finished in 5th place at the NCAA Gymnastics Championship Semifinal in Gainesville, Florida with a score of 195.60. Senior Casey Jo Magee and Sophomore Jaime Pisani qualified for the individual event finals. Magee finished 4th in the nation on beam, tied for 5th on bars, and 12th on floor. Pisani was 10th on floor and 12th on vault. Both gymnasts combined to earn 7 All-American honors for the 2010 season: Magee was First Team All-American in the all-around, on bars, beam, and floor and Pisani was First Team All-American on floor and vault, and was Second Team All-American in the all-around.
- This is an exciting weekend for Razorback **Softball** as the Hogs are coming off of a win on Wednesday against Missouri State and will host Ole Miss for another SEC series this weekend! The team is close to earning a spot in the SEC Tournament that will be here in Fayetteville, so we hope to see you at Bogle Park this weekend to cheer them on. The games are Saturday at 1:00pm and 3:00pm, and Sunday at 2:00pm. The SEC Tournament is May 13-15; times TBA.

- The **Women's Tennis** team concluded its season at the SEC Championships last weekend. The Hogs advanced in the first round, defeating Auburn 4-0, and lost a close match to Ole Miss in the second round of the tournament, 4-2. They await post season opportunity with the NCAA Women's Tennis Selection Show airing May 4th on ESPN News. It was also announced this week that Junior Anouk Tigu and Freshman Kelsey Sundaram were honored by the SEC. Tigu was named to First Team All-SEC and Sundaram was named to the All-SEC Freshman Team.
- No. 13 **Women's Track and Field** team will host the Arkansas Twilight track meet today at John McDonnell field with No. 16 Men's Track and Field. Field events begin at 9:00am and running events follow at 5:00pm. Come out and support the Hogs!
- The **Volleyball** team won its final match of the spring season last weekend in Barnhill Arena against Missouri State. The team won a close five game match with a strong offense. Head Coach Robert Pulliza is currently in Guatemala assisting the Puerto Rico Junior National Team as it competes in the 2010 NORCECA Continental Girls' Youth Championship.
- It was announced this week that Head **Swimming and Diving** Coach Jeff Poppell just signed the 10th member of the 2010-2011 signing class. The Razorbacks are excited about next season, competing in a very strong swimming conference. The team placed 5th at the SEC Swimming and Diving Championships last season, behind 4 SEC schools that are all top 10 programs in the nation.
- The Athletic Department hosted the Senior Awards Dinner last night in the Raymond Miller Room to honor all of our graduating student-athletes. Senior soccer player Kathleen Paulsen was the female recipient of the Brandon Burlsworth Scholar-Athlete Award and Senior gymnast Casey Jo Magee was awarded the female Senior Student-Athlete of the Year. Congratulations to all of our graduates!
- All student-athletes are studying today, as it is Dead Day on campus and they are preparing for finals. Good luck to our student-athletes on their finals next week!

You can also read about and follow all of our sports at www.arkansasrazorbacks.com for the most up to date information. You can also follow us on Twitter *@RazorFoundation* and on Facebook at *Razorback Foundation*.

Please make a difference by encouraging friends to join the Razorback Foundation to support the annual fund for women's sports by contacting Jessica Dorrell at jdorrell@razorbackfoundation.com or 479-575-7141. If you have any questions, or would like to make sure your friends are added to this mailing list, please contact Jessica as well.

Thank you and go Hogs!!!