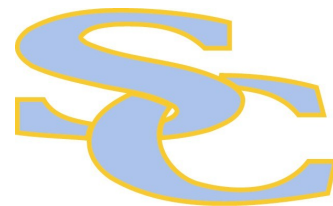


Booster Club Newsletter

2011-12 Edition # 1



School is in Session!

Generals Supporters—

It's that time of year again. Our student-athletes are back on campus now and our coaching staff is preparing for another successful season of Generals Athletics!

All four of our teams are currently either already in-season (Rodeo & Volleyball) or preparing for the upcoming season (Men's & Women's Basketball). As always, optimism is high during this time of year!

Our women's volleyball team is heading in a new direction under new Head Coach Jennifer Weitzel. Coach Weitzel took over the program during the middle of the summer and has done a great job to get her girls prepared for this season.

Our Rodeo team is under the direction of 3rd-year

Head Coach Marc Gilkerson and expectations are higher than ever. After making a jump in the CNFR Regional standings of more than 1,000 pts from Coach Gilk's first year to last year, and signing an elite recruiting class, everybody is excited to see how the Rodeo team does this year!

Our Women's Basketball team is poised to have a great year as well, returning 6 players from a team that won the North Region 9 title last year (with only 1 sophomore) and signing some great incoming student-athletes to round out the roster.

Finally, our men's team is again looking to make a push for a North Region 9 Title and a Region 9 Championship. The men's team has 5 returning players, and a great incoming class

of freshmen that will compete right away.

We'd like to invite you to our Free Athletics Barbeque on Wednesday, September 21st at 6pm in the Golden Dome. You'll get a chance to meet our athletes, interact with coaches, and have a great time with all of our supporters. Please attend if you are available!

Also, our 2011-12 Booster Club Member Drive is under way, and the application is on page 4 of this newsletter. Please continue to support our student-athletes; you can make a difference!

Go Generals!

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Upcoming Events!

- **Free Athletics BBQ for all community supporters on Wednesday, Sept 21 @ 6pm in the Golden Dome!**
- **Member Drive is beginning now! See back page!**
- ***Corporate Elite Marketing Package is almost full! Contact Steve Smiley for more info! Only 3 spots left in Dome!***
- ***Contact Steve Smiley for the newly formed Elite President's Club!***
- ***Golf Tourney... May 11, 2012 (save the date)***

A quick thanks to all of the local businesses that have committed to our Corporate Elite Marketing Program, our Dome Advertising Program, and through our other Marketing Venues! You are helping to make a difference in our student's lives! Contact Steve @ ssmiley@sheridan.edu or 674 6446 x 4000 for more info on how to market your business w/ the Booster Club!

Generals Sports Nation TV Show!

Check out the all new season of Generals sports show with in-depth coach & player interviews, game footage, and much more!

Bresnan Ch 21, Wed, 6pm + additional times & at www.scgenerals.com

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Marc Gilkerson,
Rodeo Coach



Jennifer Weitzel,
Volleyball Coach



Frank McCarthy,
Women's Basketball



Steve Smiley,
Men's Basketball

Sheridan College Women's Volleyball

The Sheridan College Volleyball team is gearing up for an exciting year. With a few returning players, a new coach and some new faces the Lady Generals are looking to bring their hard work onto the court. Jennifer Weitzel (former Region 9 standout at Laramie County CC and most recently the Interim Head Coach at Black Hills State University) will be leading the Lady Generals as their first-year head coach.

The Lady General returners include Andrea Hespern (6'2 Middle Hitter/Gillette, WY), Kylinn Brenden (5'11 Middle Hitter/Setter Billings, MT), Katy Siroky (6'0 Outside Hitter/Dayton, WY), Reyns Acosta (5'4 Libero/Pearl City, HI), Katelyn Sigala (5'9 Rightside Hitter/Douglas, WY), and Shelby Smiley (5'9 Outside Hitter/ DS Sheridan, WY).

Incoming freshman include Kaitlyn Round (5'6 Defensive Specialist/Billings, MT), Erica Caves (5'6 Setter/Glenrock, WY), Malinda DeMunbrun (5'4 Setter/DS Gillette, WY), Ashlei Lili (5'9 Outside Hitter/Aiea, HI), and

Jenny Jones (6'2 Middle Hitter/Delta, CO).

We have a diverse team this year with the ability to be a threat at all aspects of the game. The Lady Generals have worked hard this summer to prepare for this season and they are excited to show the community what they can accomplish. Our schedule is packed with exciting games this season including two home tournaments at the beginning of the season (Aug 26-27 and

Sep 2-3) as well as hosting the Region IX tournament. So there are ample opportunities for fans to come see the Lady Generals live in action! Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you in the Dome this season!

Go Generals!



Sheridan College Rodeo Team

The 2011-2012 Sheridan College Rodeo team practices have started, and we are very excited about the talent that we have returning and the new freshman recruits. The rodeo team members have been honing their skills all summer, and many have placed and won Pro Rodeos and many are sitting very well in amateur associations. The team's attitude and work ethic in practice this year is very exciting, as our athletes are showing enthusiasm, purpose and maturity in their individual events and there is great team camaraderie.

Last year our men's team placed 10th in the region, almost tripling our points from 670 to 1690. The men's team was led by freshman bareback rider and team roper Shane Stevens who placed 4th in the region in the bareback riding and 9th in the team roping with partner Allen Auer. Allen is coming off of a good summer going to over 50 rodeos. He is currently ranked in the Badlands Circuit in the bullriding. Matt Schieck has been roping

tough with his brother Brad Schieck and they are looking forward to a good year, Matt has also been roping calves very well. Jake Mangis is a new face for the men's team and is no stranger to competition in the team roping. Other returners and new members are; Dusty Benoit, Kacey Townsley, Wacey Stuart, Tyson Reese, Liam Collins, Henry Collins, Tate Schwagler, Cotter Kinghorn, Jordan Moncks and Zach Scofield

On the women's side sophomore Chelsey Kelly is returning, and will be competitive in the goat tying. Freshman Laine Hanson from Jamestown, ND is coming in with a ND state title win in the breakaway roping as well as a 6th place finish in the breakaway roping at the National High School Finals Rodeo, (she also placed 4th in the short round). Freshman Jade Benson from Scobey, MT is a two-time ND state breakaway roping champion and a multiple time National High School Finals Rodeo qualifier. Mandy Newman from Melstone, MT is also a

multiple National High School Finals Rodeo qualifier. Two new faces to the team, but not the college rodeo ranks are Toree Gunn who transferred from EWC to Sheridan for the Dental Hygiene program, and Echo Veit who rodeoed for Gillette is a new face on campus and breakaway ropes and ties goats. Other new and returning members are; Chancey Stirling, Logan Hubek, Brittany Beyer and Laramie Jackson.

The team goals are set high and we plan on representing Sheridan College at the CNFR this year. Thank you for all of your support and encouragement!



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Sheridan College Men's Basketball

The SC Generals Men's Basketball Team is gearing up for another great campaign during this 2011-12 season. Our players have been working hard in fall conditioning, strength sessions, and individual workouts and our staff is really excited for the new year.

The Generals will feature some familiar faces and also some new faces this year. First off, we're proud to announce that Dan Magrino has been hired as our Head Assistant Coach, and Aaron Mines is back as well for his second year as an assistant with the Generals.

On the court, we have five returners from last year's 24-10 season and Region 9 Runner-up finish; Lamont Prosser (Fort Wayne, IN), Jermaine Lippert (Munich, Germany), Robert Heyer (Worland, WY), Rolands Narkis (Riga, Latvia) and Khion Sankey (Stockton, CA).

The Generals will also welcome in 10 new freshmen from across the country. Wayne Bradford is a guard from Balti-

more, MD, Donald Gaddy is a point guard from Tacoma, WA, Victor Bermudez is another guard from Las Vegas, NV, and RJ Leverette is a point guard from Kansas City, MO. The Generals signed Ron Mvouika (Paris) Grayson Moore from Logan, UT to play a wing position, and also will bring in Aaron Tyser from nearby Buffalo, WY to play the wing. Tate Stensgaard is a forward from Rapid City, SD, Brandon Pines is a post player from Baltimore, MD and Isaac Oeltjen is another post from Welch, MN. Our highly-touted freshmen class will once again be expected to play heavy minutes right away, so we're excited to see how they mesh with our returners.

We open up in early November this year with a home game on Nov 1 vs. Williston State College (ND). After that, we hit the road for 3 consecutive weekends to play at tournaments in Gillette, Torrington, and Powell, and then come back for the Annual Lions Club Thanksgiving Classic and the

Holiday Inn Tournament in early December, before North Region 9 league play begins in mid-December. This year is supposed to be one of the best Region 9 years ever for Men's Basketball, so we're excited to compete once again.

We want to thank the Booster Club for all of your support! You help make this a first-class program! Go Generals!



Sheridan College Women's Basketball

The women's basketball team is very optimistic about the upcoming basketball season!

After again winning the National junior College North-sub region 9 for the 8th straight year (which earned the # 1 seed in the region 9 tournament), hopes are very high for the 2011-2012 basketball season.

With 7 returners, including Kelli Cordell (Cheyenne), Ruth O'Neal (Ft. Washakie), Lauren Hoffman (Custer, MT), Karly Miller (Billings), Laura Pelse (Latvia), Jordan Hirsig (Cheyenne), and Fallon Lewis (Dayton) and a solid incoming class of transfer Letesia Left Hand (from Little Big Horn), and 5 freshmen which include Jasmine Davis and Kayla Kiriau (both from New Zealand), Brodie Bennett (Metete), Brianna Smith (Sheridan), and Shelby Stevenson (Ashland), things are looking good for the Lady Generals.

This team looks as strong as the 2009 Region 9 Championship Team,

but the proof is in the pudding ... This team looks very strong on paper but how quickly they buy-in and get along as a team will determine how successful they will be.

The team will also add a full-time assistant coach, former head volleyball coach Todd Cooper, along with long time assistant coach Cameron Karajanis.

The Generals open fall work-out's September 6, followed by official practice October 1.

This year's schedule includes 12 home games including 2 home tournaments (the annual Holiday Inn Class in November, and the Lions Club Tournament over Thanksgiving Day weekend.)

With Region 9 moving to a North-South alignment for the first time in Region

history, the league will be more competitive than ever!

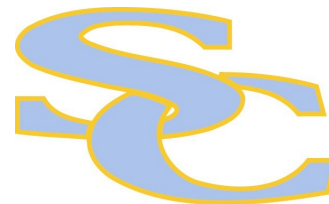
We hope to see everyone at the Dome this year as we aim for another North Sub-Region Championship and the chance to host the Region 9 Tournament!

Go Generals!

Coach Frank McCarthy



Sheridan College Booster Club Membership Application & Renewal 2011-12



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Division Selected (circle one): 5-star (\$2500 & up) 4-star (\$1000 to \$2499)
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