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GOODBYE EXEC BOARD!
Three out of four members of the current Club Sports Exec Board will be graduating.
ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE EXEC BOARD!

Club Sports Banquet on April 18th was a success! We recognized Coach of the Year as well as Team of the Year to Men's Rugby and Women's Ultimate, respectively.

NEWSLETTER BY: KITTY LIANG, EXEC SECRETARY
SEASON RECAPS

Cycling and Triathlon
Our season record was hard to record since it's very individual based. However, so many people did their first triathlon this year! Definitely focusing on practice schedules next year.

Women's Water Polo
We finished 2nd in the Southeast league of the Collegiate Water Polo Association with a record of 8-3. At our championship tournament, we beat University of Florida to make it to the championship game, an ultimate feat considering UF won our league last year and got 4th at Nationals AND Emory hasn't made it to the championship game since 2003! We are proud to have recruited 11 freshmen this year, who now make up half of our team, and hope to recruit just as well (if not better!) next year. We also will focus on fundraising for our team since we had to dip into some emergency funds this year due to various insurance issues.

Women's Ultimate Frisbee (LUNA)
9-9 for this Spring. Highlights are definitely that we beat Georgia Tech (a season goal!) and we successfully took 2 teams to 2 tournaments!
SEASON RECAPS

Field Hockey
We won two games, tied one, and lost 3. We have had a better record other years, however this year UF, a team we play often, had many foreign exchange students who were members of internationally ranked hockey clubs. Next year we will focus on getting more members, even beginners, interested in joining the team and trying to plan practices that more of our team can attend.

Men’s Club Soccer
Wins/Ties/Losses: 5-1-3. Our biggest highlight was beating Georgia Southern in the last minute of the game and qualifying for Regionals for the first time in recent history. Next year, we’ll be focusing on recruiting as many talented freshmen as possible and maintaining impressive performance and track record. We are continuing to work on keeping our members motivated and engaged and ensuring that their goals align with the goals of the team.
Sydney Bunshaft
Field Hockey

How long have you been playing your sport? If it's a new sport you picked up at Emory, what motivated you to do so? If not, what made you want to be part of a Club team? Since 7th grade. I wanted to be a part of a team that was less stressful than a varsity environment but still just as fun.

Favorite mEmory with your sport/team? Overnights in Nashville and South Carolina.

What are some words of wisdom for younger members of your team? Keep playing so that you can maintain a nice balance in your life with academics and anything else!

What is the key to success in life? Don't take anything too seriously!

What will you be doing after graduation? Anything exciting? Planning on graduate school for genetic counseling.

Which time period would you visit in history? 1980-1983 because this is when the New York Islanders won 4 Stanley cups.
Kathryn Taylor
Women's Soccer

How long have you been playing your sport? If it's a new sport you picked up at Emory, what motivated you to do so? If not, what made you want to be part of a Club team? I’ve been playing soccer since age 4, and have played all four years at Emory.

Favorite mEmory with your sport/team? Eating at Waffle House at midnight in Florida after a late Friday game.

What’s the weirdest thing you’ve ever eaten? One time when I was a kid I accidentally ate a spoonful of plain butter because I thought it was ice cream.

If you could rule the world for a day, what is something that you’d ban (or allow)? I would ban 8:00 a.m. exams.
Hannah Harris
Women's Soccer

How long have you been playing your sport? If it's a new sport you picked up at Emory, what motivated you to do so? If not, what made you want to be part of a Club team? I have been on the club soccer team since my freshman year. Soccer has always been an important part of my life. I feel lucky that I have been able to continue playing competitively in college.

Favorite mEmory with your sport/team? My favorite moment on the soccer team was when we went to a Clemson tournament my sophomore year. We fit 13 players in two hotel rooms! It was the first time that I really felt like we were a team that would always stick together.

What is the key to success in life? Perseverance.

If you were a vegetable, what vegetable would you be? Potato.

Favorite music genre & why. Name a favorite song. I like indie rock because it is always interesting. One of my favorite songs is dreamers by Savoir Adore.
Daniella Bernstein
Women's Ultimate Frisbee

How long have you been playing your sport? If it's a new sport you picked up at Emory, what motivated you to do so? If not, what made you want to be part of a Club team? 4 years. I wanted to try something new in college, and there's no other women's frisbee teams

Favorite mEmory with your sport/team? Probably a tournament we had this past February. Everyone had improved so much from the beginning of the fall, and we were all able to play and have fun!
FAREWELL EXEC BOARD SENIORS!

Lucas Thompson
Treasurer
Men’s Lacrosse

How many years have you been on the Exec Board, and what initially made you want to join? I have served on the Exec Board for two years along with Gunnar and Alan. I wanted to join because I felt I could leave this organization in a better place than I found it. Looking back on my two years, I can say I did just that.

How has being on a Club Sports team enhanced your Emory Experience? I have a deeper appreciation for school spirit because I have represented the school in my sport all over the country.

What will you miss most about being on CSC Exec? I will miss being a representative for objectively the best organization on campus.

Words for the future Exec Board? Don’t mess up!
FAREWELL EXEC BOARD SENIORS!

Zhentian (Alan) Shen
Vice President
Emory Crew

How many years have you been on the Exec Board, and what initially made you want to join? 2 years. I wanted to be more involved on campus.

How has being on a Club Sports team enhanced your Emory Experience? I learned a lot of organizational skills that I wouldn’t have.

What will you miss most about being on CSC Exec? Not the budget hearings.

Any plans after graduation? I will attend the University of Chicago for a Master of Public Policy degree.

Words for the future Exec Board? Put in effort and you will get more out of this job than you have expected.
FAREWELL EXEC BOARD SENIORS!

Gunnar Wainwright
President
Emory Crew

How many years have you been on the Exec Board, and what initially made you want to join? 2 years. I joined because I knew the last president and she suggested that I run.

How has being on a Club Sports team enhanced your Emory Experience? Emory Crew has defined my experience at Emory. It has taught me toughness, preserverance, and an inconceivable faith in the process and my teammates.

What will you miss most about being on CSC Exec? I will miss organizing club sports wide events. These events were always a great time.

Any plans after graduation? I plan on working before going to graduate school for International Relations.

Words for the future Exec Board? Defend Club Sports with everything you have. This is a truly unique organization. Club Sports represents Emory on a national stage. Never let any governmental organization on campus tell you otherwise.
“ATHLETICS FOR ALL” CHALLENGES AND INSPIRES THE ENTIRE UNIVERSITY BY PROVIDING AN EXAMPLE OF COMMUNITY BUILDING AND BALANCE OF BODY, MIND AND SPIRIT.

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GOOD LUCK ON FINALS, HAVE A GREAT SUMMER EVERYONE!!!