

# Where Do My Dues Go?

Since 2002, MGN dues and donations have been responsible for a variety of major purchases to further the progress of the Maryland Football Program. Your support enables the team to make these important purchases outside of the football program's annual operating budget.

The three most significant financial outlays were:

**Football Team House Expansion**      **\$500,000**  
*Thanks to your support, this commitment was fulfilled 2 ½ years ahead of schedule*

- State-of-the-art auditorium with 165 extra-large chairs
- 160-seat dining facility for year-round training table (within NCAA guidelines)
- Expanded head coach's suite with sitting area and direct view of the football field
- Academic Support wing with 6 tutor rooms; 28 computer stations; a 25-seat classroom; and 5 full-time staff
- Hall of Fame Lobby featuring a replica 1953 National Championship trophy and the 2001 ACC Championship trophy

**Fluoroscan Machine**      **\$65,000**

- Allows for the x-ray of extremities in the Gossett Team House training room, instead of going to the hospital
- Provides instant pictures that can be viewed by the training staff and team physicians

**SwimEx Machine**      **\$100,000**

- Rehabilitation swimming pool for use by all student-athletes
- Allows athletes to recover more quickly from injury and therefore return to the field faster

## Other Big Purchases

- Team House Message Board System      \$35,000
- Recruiting Software Upgrades      \$20,000
- Recruiting Private Plane Travel      \$50,000
- Cybersports Website      \$35,000
- DV Sport Video System      \$80,000

A complete list of expenditures can be found online

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## 2009 Board of Directors

### Football Staff

**Ralph Friedgen**  
*Head Football Coach*

**Jemal Griffin**  
*Director of Football Operations*

**Mike Mattia**  
*Team Administrative Coordinator*

### Athletic Department Liaison

**Chris Boyer**  
*Senior Associate Athletic Director  
for Administration*

### Executive Board Members

**Lawrence Grabenstein,**  
*President*

**Denise Del Vecchio Collins**  
*Co-Chair, Membership Committee*

**Jamie Wu**  
*Co-Chair, Letterman Committee*

**Fabian Jimenez**  
*Chair, Events Committee*

**Bob Pennington**  
*Chair, Volunteer Committee*

**Sammy Popat**  
*Chair, Membership Retention*

**Colin Potts**  
*Chair, Membership Upgrade*

**Paul Douglas**  
*Chair, New Members*

**Noli Nalda**  
*Chair, Communications*

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# Maryland Gridiron Network (MGN)



*2001 ACC Champions*

*2002 Peach Bowl Champions*

*2004 Gator Bowl Champions*

*2006 Champs Sports Bowl Champions*

*2008 Humanitarian Bowl Champions*

*The Official  
Support Group of  
Maryland Football*

# MGN Silver Benefits

## Member-Exclusive Events

- \* Recruiting Celebration & Post-Celebration Party
- \* Spring Update Catered Event
- \* Spring Golf Outing and Outback Social *(includes Lettermen)*
- \* Kickoff Catered Event
- \* Gloria Friedgen's Post Home Game Tailgates
- \* Outback Tailgate (2 Tickets at a Nominal Price)
- \* Members-only Raffle at Breakfast with Fridge
- \* Bus Trips to Away Games
- \* Discounted Tickets to the Team Banquet

Four Terp Points Per \$100 Dues Paid Annually for Terrapin Club Members

## Annual Membership Card

Monthly Issue of the Maryland Gridiron Network Newsletter

Annual Copy of the Football Media Guide

# MGN Gold Benefits

All MGN Silver Benefits, PLUS

## Member-Exclusive Events

- \* Spring Practice & Picnic with the Coaching Staff
- \* Cocktail Party at Ralph & Gloria's Home
- \* Outback Tailgate (2 Free Tickets)

Preferred Seating at the Team Banquet and the Gala & Auction

## Annual Gift

# Membership Policies

- The membership year runs January 1st - December 31<sup>st</sup>  
Membership renewals are sent out in mid-August
- The renewal period runs August Kickoff - December 31<sup>st</sup>

*Any member who joins or renews outside of the renewal period is only covered for that calendar year*

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Updated 9/18/08

## ANNUAL DUES:

- \_\_\_ \$1,200.00 MGN Gold (\$100/mo EFT)
- \_\_\_ \$ 150.00 MGN Silver (\$12.50/mo EFT)
- \_\_\_ \$ 100.00 MGN Silver (\$8.33/mo EFT) If Letterman OR Terrapin Club Member

**PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY!**

## FORM OF PAYMENT:

- \_\_\_ EFT Form enclosed *(don't forget the voided check!)*
- \_\_\_ Check enclosed, payable to: **UMCP FOUNDATION**
- \_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_ MC \_\_\_ American Express \_\_\_ Discover
- Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_
- Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## MEMBER INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Which is the billing address of your credit card? HOME WORK**

Phone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By: \_\_\_\_\_

- My employer has a matching gift program. **Please submit the form with this application**
- I am a member of the Terrapin Club
- I am a parent of a current player
- I am a Football Alumnus Last year played \_\_\_\_\_
- I am a football season ticket holder

**Send completed application and payment to:**

Maryland Gridiron Network Byrd Stadium, Football Complex College Park, MD 20742

**Phone: (301) 314-7095 Fax: (301) 314-9980**

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