

Spartanburg Methodist College
The Report on Athletic Program Participation Rates and Financial Support Data

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The Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act Survey (EADA) was designed to make prospective students and prospective student athletes aware of an institution of higher education's commitment to providing equitable athletic opportunities for its men and women students. The EADA requires the disclosure of information about varsity teams and the financial resources and personnel that the school dedicates to those teams.

The EADA requires that any coeducational institution of higher education that participates in Title IV, the federal student aid program, and has an intercollegiate athletics program, must comply with the EADA by preparing an annual report, officially called *The Report on Athletic Program Participation Rates and Financial Support Data*; more commonly known as the *EADA Report*. The *EADA Report* must be published by October 15 each year and must be made available upon request to students, prospective student-athletes, and the public.

Institutions must submit their EADA data to the Secretary of Education within 15 days of making it available to students, prospective student-athletes, and the public. The sole mechanism for submitting the data is via the EADA Web-based data collection, commonly known as the EADA Survey.

Athletics Participation

Federal regulations require that the following information, based on the previous reporting year be available for inspection by students, prospective students, and the public by October 15 of each year.

This table lists the number of participants by gender for each varsity team. According to the published federal regulations governing EADA reporting, a participant is defined as a student-athlete who, as of the day of a varsity team's first scheduled contest:

- a) Is listed by the institution on the varsity team's roster; or
- b) Receives athletic related aid; or
- c) Practices with the varsity team and receives coaching from one or more varsity coaches.

Any student-athlete who satisfies one or more of these criteria is a participant, including students withheld from competition to preserve eligibility (i.e., red-shirt) or for academic, medical, or other reasons.

TOTAL PARTICIPANTS PER SPORT

	Men's Teams	Women's Teams
Baseball	56	-
Basketball	17	20
Cross Country	8	9
Golf	13	4
Soccer	30	26
Softball	-	20
Volleyball	-	15
Total Participants	124	94
Unduplicated Count	124	94
% of Participants	57%	43%

Athletically Related Student Aid

Athletically Related Student Aid: any scholarship, grant, or other form of financial assistance, offered by an institution, the terms of which require the recipient to participate in a program of intercollegiate athletics at the institution.

ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS BY SPORT

	Male	Female	Total
Baseball	\$ 63,000	\$ -	\$ 63,000
Basketball	\$ 56,080	\$ 49,072	\$ 105,152
Cross country	\$ 16,308	\$ 19,692	\$ 36,000
Golf	\$ 12,500	\$ 13,000	\$ 25,500
Soccer	\$ 63,500	\$ 65,500	\$ 129,000
Softball	\$ -	\$ 51,765	\$ 51,765
Volleyball	\$ -	\$ 50,750	\$ 50,750
Total aid	\$ 211,388	\$ 249,779	\$ 461,167
% by Gender	46%	54%	

Athletic Department Recruiting Expenses

Recruiting Expenses: These include all expenses an institution incurs attributable to recruiting activities. This includes lodging, meals, telephone use, transportation (including vehicles used for recruiting purposes) for both recruits and personnel engaged in official and unofficial visits, and all other expenses related to recruiting.

RECRUITING EXPENSES

	Male	Female	Total
Baseball	\$ 390	\$ -	\$ 390
Basketball	\$ 379	\$ -	\$ 379
Cross Country	\$ 137	\$ 155	\$ 292
Golf	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Soccer	\$ 114	\$ 1,190	\$ 1,304
Softball	\$ -	\$ 812	\$ 812
Volleyball	\$ -	\$ 369	\$ 369
Total	\$ 1,020	\$ 2,526	\$ 3,546
% by Gender	29%	71%	

Coaching Staff Salaries

Coaches' Salaries: all wages and bonuses the institution pays an individual for coaching.

HEAD COACHES' SALARIES

	Men's Teams	Women's Teams
Average Annual Institutional Salary per Head Coaching Position	\$ 44,282	\$ 39,359
Number of Head Coaching Positions Used to Calculate the Average	5	6
Number of Volunteer Head Coaching Positions	0	0
Average Annual Institutional Salary per Full-time equivalent (FTE)	\$ 49,202	\$ 42,937
Sum of Full-time Equivalent (FTE) Positions Used to Calculate the Average	4.5	5.5

Operating (Game-Day) Expenses

Operating (Game-Day) Expenses: all expenses an institution incurs attributable to home, away, and neutral-site intercollegiate athletics contests (commonly known as “game-day expenses”) for: (A) lodging, meals, transportation, uniforms, and equipment for coaches, teams, members, support staff (including but not limited to team managers and trainers), and others; and (B) officials

OPERATING (GAME-DAY) EXPENSES

	Male	Female	Total
Basketball	\$ 55,979	\$ 39,591	\$ 95,570
Baseball	\$ 64,775	\$ -	\$ 64,775
Cross Country	\$ 12,013	\$ 13,547	\$ 25,560
Golf	\$ 22,418	\$ 17,330	\$ 39,748
Soccer	\$ 33,268	\$ 28,798	\$ 62,066
Softball	\$ -	\$ 26,236	\$ 26,236
Volleyball	\$ -	\$ 68,110	\$ 68,110
Total	\$ 188,453	\$ 193,612	\$ 382,065
% by Gender	49%	51%	

Total Expenses

Total Expenses: Includes appearance guarantees and options, athletically related student aid, contract services, equipment, fundraising activities, operating expenses, promotional activities, recruiting expenses, salaries and benefits, supplies, travel, and any other expenses attributable to intercollegiate athletic activities.

TOTAL EXPENSES

	Male	Female	Total
Basketball	\$ 198,755	\$ 159,908	\$ 358,663
Baseball	\$ 254,899	\$ -	\$ 254,899
Cross Country	\$ 63,032	\$ 71,078	\$ 134,110
Golf	\$ 86,957	\$ 89,091	\$ 176,048
Soccer	\$ 163,503	\$ 166,265	\$ 329,768
Softball	\$ -	\$ 141,100	\$ 141,100
Volleyball	\$ -	\$ 192,070	\$ 192,070
Total	\$ 767,146	\$ 819,512	\$ 1,586,658
% by Gender	48%	52%	

Expense not allocated by Gender/Sport	\$ 425,120
Grand Total Expenses	<u><u>\$ 2,011,778</u></u>

Total Revenue

Total Revenue: all revenues to intercollegiate athletic activities. This includes revenues from appearance guarantees and options, an athletic conference, tournament or bowl games, concessions, contributions from alumni and others, institutional support, program advertising, and sales, radio and television, royalties, signage, and other sponsorships, sports camps, state or other government support, student activity fees, ticket and luxury box sales, and any other revenues attributable to intercollegiate athletic activities

TOTAL REVENUES

PIONEER CLUB ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT	\$ 1,580
TOTAL NOT ALLOCATED BY GENDER/SPORT	\$ 1,580

PIONEER CLUB-MEN'S BASEBALL	\$ 21,656
PIONEER CLUB-MEN'S GOLF	\$ 1,368
PIONEER CLUB-MEN'S BASKETBALL	\$ 11,520
PIONEER CLUB-CROSS COUNTRY	\$ 1,632
PIONEER CLUB-MEN'S SOCCER	\$ 7,304
TOTAL MEN'S SPORTS REVENUE	\$ 43,480

ATHLETICS-AUXILLARY INCOME-WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL	\$ 250
PIONEER CLUB-WOMEN'S BASKETBALL	\$ 2,626
PIONEER CLUB-CROSS COUNTRY	\$ 1,632
PIONEER CLUB-WOMEN'S SOFTBALL	\$ 7,473
PIONEER CLUB-WOMEN'S GOLF	\$ 415
PIONEER CLUB-WOMEN'S SOCCER	\$ 1,348
PIONEER CLUB-WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL	\$ 5,578
TOTAL WOMEN'S SPORTS REVENUE	\$ 19,322