

BAWSI GAME DAYS FALL 2010 – SPRING 2011

April 14, 2011

Gavilan College Volleyball team Welcomes the BAWSI Girls to Campus – to Tour, Play, and Cheer Gavilan Softball.

Gavilan Softball and Volleyball athletes have become important and regular visitors to the BAWSI Sites at Gilroy schools. The afternoon of April 14th, the BAWSI Girls packed a bus to capacity, to visit Gavilan campus, to play with the volleyball players, and to cheer their BAWSI “coaches” on the softball field as they competed in a fierce game against rival Hartnell College. Always the inspiring role models, moments after a disappointing loss, the Lady Rams enthusiastically welcomed all the BAWSI Girls to the field, to run the bases and then together they concluded the day on a high note singing the BAWSI song “Ooh, I feel so good!”

When: April 14, 2011
Where: Gavilan College
Teams: Gavilan vs. Hartnell College
Sport: Softball
Host Athletes: Gavilan Volleyball
BAWSI Girls Schools: Rod Kelley, Glen View, El Roble (Gilroy Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Participants: 90 BAWSI Girls, chaperones and staff

March 19, 2011

San Jose State University Women’s Gymnastics Hosts the WAC Championship Tournament, and San Jose BAWSI Girls.

SJSU Gymnastics invited the local BAWSI Girls to witness the top gymnasts in the Western Athletic Conference Championship tourney at the San Jose Event Center. The 90 BAWSI fans were able to observe up close and personal, the beauty and drama of the rotations from vault, balance beam, floor exercises, uneven bars, and all-around. Most of the BAWSI Girls had never attended a gymnastics meet before. They were captivated, cheered with delight, and waved their yellow and blue pom poms as the Spartans skillfully performed on each apparatus.

Date: March 19, 2011
Location: San Jose State University
Teams: SJSU, Boise State, Southern Utah, Sacramento State, Utah State, Cal State Fullerton
Sport: Gymnastics
BAWSI Girls Schools: Horace Mann, Washington and Gardner Elementary Schools (San Jose Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Participants: 76 girls + 14 chaperones and staff

February 26, 2011

Redwood City School District BAWSI Girls and Their Families are Guests of Stanford Basketball for a Fun Filled Afternoon Playing and Watching Championship Cardinal Women's Basketball

Following the tremendously successful BAWSI Girls' clinic and game day in January, the Stanford women's basketball team invited another full bus – this time from Redwood City School District, to enjoy personal instruction on the basketball court, followed by lunch and the exciting home game as Stanford handily beat University of Oregon and clinched their 20th Pac Ten Conference Championship. Stanford's women's gymnastics team enthusiastically accompanied the girls for the afternoon.

Date: February 26, 2011
Location: Stanford University
Teams: Stanford versus University of Oregon
Sport: Basketball
Host Athletes: Stanford Gymnastics
BAWSI Girls Schools: Taft, Selby Lane and Garfield Elementary Schools
(Redwood City School District)
Total BAWSI Participants: 65 girls + 55 school family members and staff

January 22, 2011

Stanford University Women's Basketball Hosts Clinic, Lunch, and Basketball Game for Mountain View BAWSI Girls and Their Families

A Stanford donor inquired as to whether Stanford could cast a broad net to offer court time with collegiate basketball players in the form of lessons, lunch, and enjoying a Pac10 basketball game, with girls from communities where this is typically not an option. Stanford contacted BAWSI to partner with their Mountain View programs to extend this offer to neighborhood 3rd, 4th and 5th grade girls. The first 80 to sign up were able to participate in the clinic, and their families, the broader school populations, and Stanford Volleyball players joined them to watch the game in the (packed) stands at Maples Pavilion.

Date: January 22, 2011
Location: Stanford University
Teams: Stanford versus University of Southern California
Sport: Basketball
Host Athletes: Stanford Volleyball
BAWSI Girls Schools: Landels and Castro Elementary Schools (Mountain View Whisman School District)

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Total BAWSI Participants: 80 girls + 131 school family members and staff

December 5, 2010

Santa Clara University Women's Basketball Hosts BAWSI Girls, BAWSI Rollers, and HERitage Circle

SCU Women's Basketball honored BAWSI this Sunday at their home game versus Sacramento State. BAWSI Girls and their families from Bowers, Briarwood, Pomeroy, and Scott Lane were in attendance as well as BAWSI Rollers and their families from Montague, Taylor, Majestic Way, and Blackford elementary schools. In addition to BAWSI Girls and BAWSI Rollers, HERitage Circle members were also a presence in the stands cheering on the Broncos. The BAWSI Girls and BAWSI Rollers took a tour of the student union on campus before the game. Several BAWSI Girls and BAWSI Rollers also had the opportunity to participate in on court activities during time outs and half time.

Date: December 5, 2010
Location: Santa Clara University
Teams: SCU versus Sacramento State
Sport: Basketball
Host Athletes: SCU Women's Soccer, Softball, and Rugby
BAWSI Girls Schools: Bowers, Briarwood, Pomeroy, and Scott Lane (Santa Clara Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Participants: 240

December 3, 2010

Menlo College Invites Mountain View BAWSI Girls Schools to Women's Basketball Game

66 BAWSI Girls and their families from the Mountain View Whisman schools were invited to cheer on their coaches from Menlo Basketball as they took on Oregon's Lewis & Clark State. The BAWSI Girls had the chance to spend a few minutes in the student union before and after the game. During the game, BAWSI Girls coaches from Menlo Softball accompanied the girls in the stands. For the half time show, eight BAWSI Girls participated in a fun filled relay race.

Date: December 3, 2010
Location: Menlo College
Teams: Menlo College versus Lewis & Clark State
Sport: Basketball
Host Athletes: Menlo Softball
BAWSI Girls Schools: Landels and Castro Elementary Schools (Mountain View)

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Total BAWSI Participants: 66

November 5, 2010

Gilroy Unified BAWSI Girls Cheer on Lady Rams Volleyball

74 BAWSI Girls from the Gilroy Unified School District watched as their coaches from Gavilan College took on West Valley College Friday evening. The BAWSI Girls were welcomed by Gavilan's Softball team, who guided them on a campus tour and cheered with them throughout the game, waving their Gavilan Rams rally towels.

When: November 5, 2010
Where: Gavilan College
Teams: Gavilan College vs. West Valley College
Sport: Volleyball
Host Athletes: Gavilan Softball
BAWSI Girls Schools: Rod Kelley, Glen View, El Roble (Gilroy Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Girls: 74

October 15, 2010

San Jose Schools Watch Evergreen Valley College Soccer Take on Mission College Soccer

Evergreen Valley College Soccer invited the BAWSI Girls from five San Jose schools to watch their game against Mission College. The Notre Dame High School Girl's Soccer team joined the 152 BAWSI Girls in the stands to cheer on their coaches from Mission and Evergreen Soccer. During half time, the girls took a walk through campus to the Evergreen Valley College locker room, where they got to have a college locker room experience.

Date: October 15, 2010
Location: Evergreen Valley College
Teams: Evergreen Valley College vs. Mission College
Sport: Soccer
Host Athletes: Notre Dame High School Girls' Soccer
BAWSI Girls Schools: Dorsa, Ryan (Alum Rock Unified School District) and Horace Mann, Washington, Gardner (San Jose Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Girls: 152

October 2, 2010

Brandi Chastain Invites the BAWSI Girls to her Testimonial Game

Brandi Chastain personally invited BAWSI Girls from Pomeroy and Bowers elementary schools to come and watch her testimonial game at SCU's Buck Shaw Stadium. A testimonial game is a tradition that announces a player's retirement. In this case, all of the proceeds from the game went to Chastain's new foundation, The Reach Up Foundation. The girls had the wonderful opportunity to take the field before the game, where they welcomed the players and posed for pictures. The Santa Clara Women's Club Rugby Team joined the BAWSI Girls in the stands to cheer Chastain on.

When: October 2, 2010
Where: Buck Shaw Stadium, SCU Campus
Teams: Brandi Chastain's Testimonial Game
Sport: Soccer
Host Athletes: Santa Clara University Women's Rugby
BAWSI Girls Schools: Pomeroy Bowers (Santa Clara Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Girls: 50 invited

October 1, 2010

Redwood City BAWSI Girls Head to Stanford

The Redwood City BAWSI Girls had the amazing opportunity to watch the top ranked Stanford Women's Volleyball team take on Oregon State. The evening began with a visit to see their Stanford Women's Lacrosse coaches scrimmage against California. The girls then took a walk through the athletic facilities to Maples Stadium where they watched the Cardinals win over Oregon State.

When: October 1, 2010
Where: Maples Pavilion, Stanford Campus
Teams: Stanford vs. Oregon State
Sport: Volleyball
BAWSI Girls Schools: Selby Lane, Taft, Garfield (Redwood City Unified School District)
Total BAWSI Girls: 64