

NATIONAL COLLEGE
 HALL OF FAME
 BASEBALL

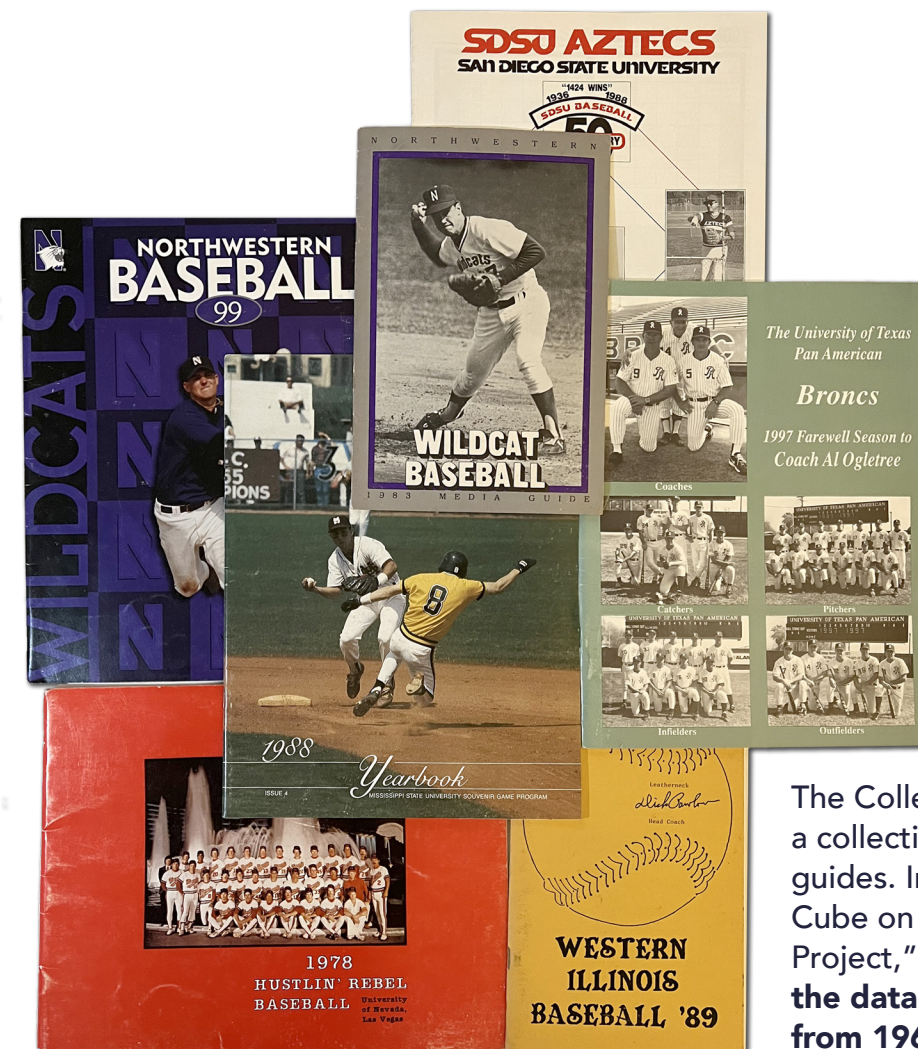


PRESERVING THE PAST, PRESENT & FUTURE OF AMERICA'S PASTIME.

Baseball has been a part of the college experience for more than 150 years. For most of that time, there has not been an organization devoted to preserving the milestones and artifacts of the great players of the college game.

But in 2004, the College Baseball Foundation created the National College Baseball Hall of Fame, and since then, has worked to recognize the GREATS of each college baseball season.

The National Baseball Hall of Fame is dedicated to the preservation of the history of college baseball.



The College Baseball Foundation maintains a collection of approximately 2,000 media guides. In collaboration with The Baseball Cube on the "College Baseball Data Project," the **CBF endeavors to rebuild the database of college baseball statistics from 1965 to 2001.**

College Diamonds

Every month, the College Baseball Hall of Fame publishes the College Diamonds newsletter - full of the latest news behind college baseball, the deeper stories behind the headlines, featurettes on hall of famers, inductee spotlights, featured artifacts and more.

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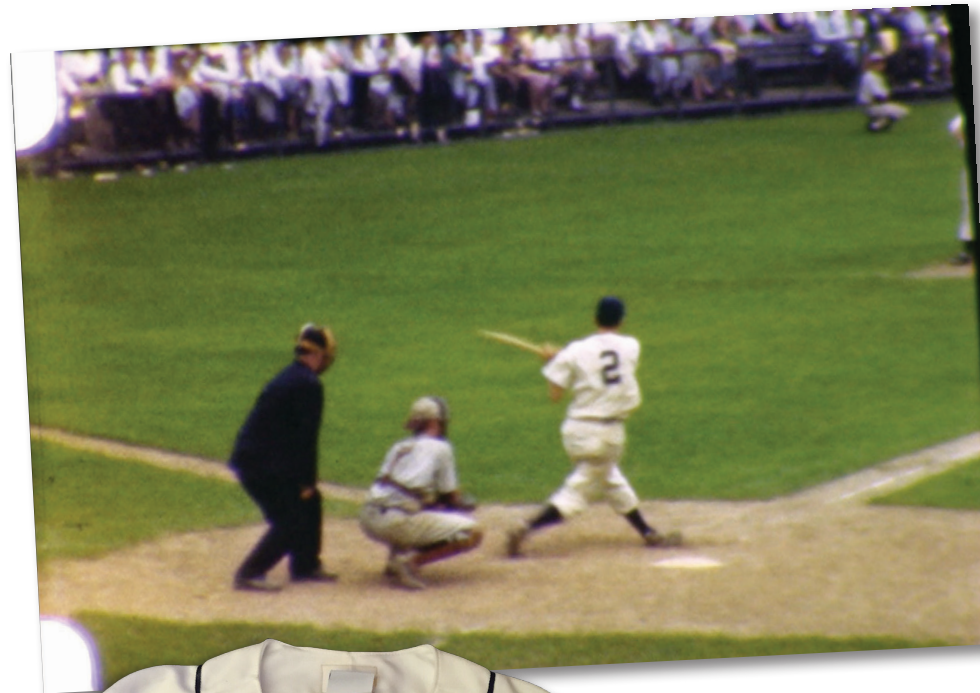
CURATING HISTORY.



THE ARTIFACTS COLLECTION

Since the beginning, there has been an emphasis on recording oral histories, collecting baseball artifacts and recognizing performance both on and off the field.

The task is preserving the history of the game. Generations of great players and coaches have a story to tell. Oral histories and artifacts have to be collected, curated and cared for so that generations from now, people will know about college baseball legends.



Ray Woods #49

CAROLINA TAR HEELS

2021 Baseball Lineup Card

Opponent: VIRGINIA

Date: 2-25-21 Site: Carroll Stadium Game: 1 or 2

NO.	NAME	POSITION	SUB
1.	(7) TEEBARK	LF	
2.	(1) SEARFITT	SS	
3.	(11) ROBERTS	RF	
4.	(20) THOMPSON	CF	
5.	(52) FRESK	C	
6.	(42) CENTRACHIO	1B	
7.	(17) CASALINO	2B	
8.	(17) HOLTZAPPE	DH	
9.	(10) HORNATH	3B	
10.	(44) LOVE	P	

Head Coach: Scott Forbes (21) Asst. Head Coach: Bryant Gaines (32)
Asst. Coaches: Jesse Wierzbicki (4), Jason Howell (37)



Our Present

CELEBRATING TODAY'S CHAMPS.

NIGHT OF CHAMPIONS

The College Baseball Night of Champions is the first and only program to recognize college baseball's major award winners and the Hall of Fame inductees.

Presented each year are the John Olerud Two-Way Player of the Year award, Brooks Wallace Award, National Pitcher of the Year award, National Collegiate Umpire Award and Skip Bertman National Coach of the Year Award.



JOHN OLERUD TWO-WAY PITCHER OF THE YEAR AWARD



NATIONAL PITCHER OF THE YEAR AWARD



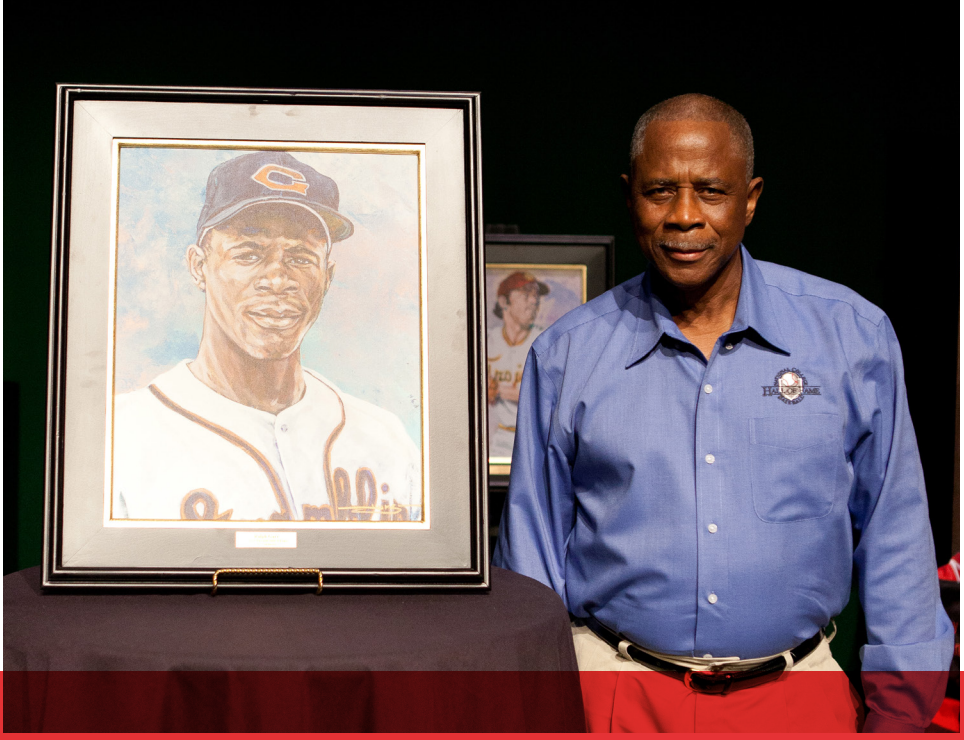
BROOKS WALLACE AWARD



NATIONAL COLLEGIATE UMPIRE AWARD



L) Kris Bryant of the University of San Diego and Marco Gonzales of Gonzaga enjoy the festivities during the 2013 College Baseball Night of Champions in Lubbock, Texas.



R) Ralph Garr of Grambling at his induction in 2013.



L) Eric Lauer of Kent State and Sheldon Neuse of Oklahoma visit children at University Medical Center during the 2016 Night of Champions festivities.



R) Southern University's Lou Brock at his Hall of Fame induction in 2012.

HISTORY OF THE HALL



The Board Votes to Create the National College Baseball Hall of Fame

Nebraska's Alex Gordon wins the Brooks Wallace National Player of the Year Award.



National Pitcher of the Year Award Created

Fourth Hall of Fame Class Inducted.

NCAA awards align to become part of the Night of Champions: The Dick Howser Trophy, given annually to the top NCAA Division I player, and the Johnny Bench Award, given to the top catcher.

The Black Legends & Pioneers Committee Created

MLB Advanced Media agrees to host the National College Baseball Hall of Fame website, collegebaseballhall.org.

The National Collegiate Umpire Award is created.

The College Baseball Night of Champions is established.

The sixth Hall of Fame Class is inducted.

Moody Foundation Awards \$5M Grant for Complex Construction

The inaugural Skip Bertman National Coach of the Year Award is won by Mike Dickson of NCAA Division III Gloucester County College.

Eighth Hall of Fame class inducted.

Tenth Hall of Fame Class Inducted

Dr. Bobby Brown, U.S. Rep Roger Williams and broadcaster Vin Scully honored with George H.W. Bush Distinguished Alumnus Award.

Relocation Committee Established to Find New Hall of Fame Home

Although no Hall of Fame class was inducted due to the relocation process, the Foundation continued to recognize current on-field achievements.

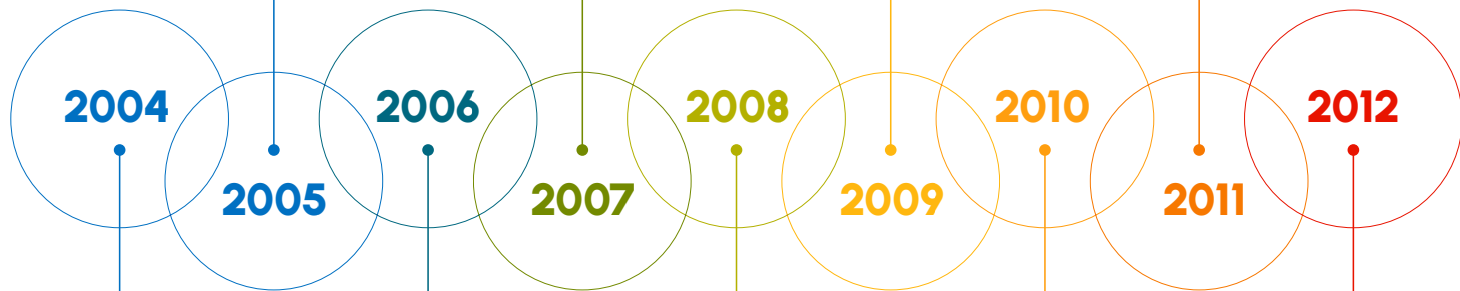
College Baseball Foundation Announces Inaugural All-American Team

Twelve Hall of Fame class inducted.

Fourteenth Hall of Fame Class Inducted

The College Baseball Hall of Fame hosts the 2021 Virtual College Baseball Night of Champions.

The College Baseball Foundation board votes to make umpires part of the Hall of Fame classes rather than a separate award in recognition of their integral roles.



2004

2005

2006

2007

2008

2009

2010

2011

2012

College Baseball Foundation Established

The Brooks Wallace National Player of the Year Award is created. The first winner is Kurt Suzuki of Cal State Fullerton.

The Inaugural Class is inducted into the National College Baseball Hall of Fame

University of Houston pitcher Brad Lincoln wins the Brooks Wallace Player of the Year Award.

Third Hall of Fame Class Inducted

Buster Posey wins the Brooks Wallace Award after a season at Florida State that saw him make news for playing all nine positions in a single game while he hit .463 on the season with 26 home runs.

The John Olerud Two-Way Player Award created

Fifth Hall of Fame class inducted.

The City of Lubbock (Texas) donates approximately 5 acres downtown for the permanent home of the National College Baseball Hall of Fame complex.

Seventh Hall of Fame Class Inducted.

2013

2014

2015

2016

2017

2018

2019

2020

2021

President George H.W. Bush (Yale Team Captain) Lends His Name to Hall of Fame Building

The George H.W. Bush Distinguished Alumnus Award is presented to its namesake.

Ninth Hall of Fame class inducted.

Eleventh Hall of Fame Class Inducted

Dr. John Olerud honored with the George H.W. Bush Distinguished Alumnus Award.

Hall of Fame Establishes National College Baseball Day

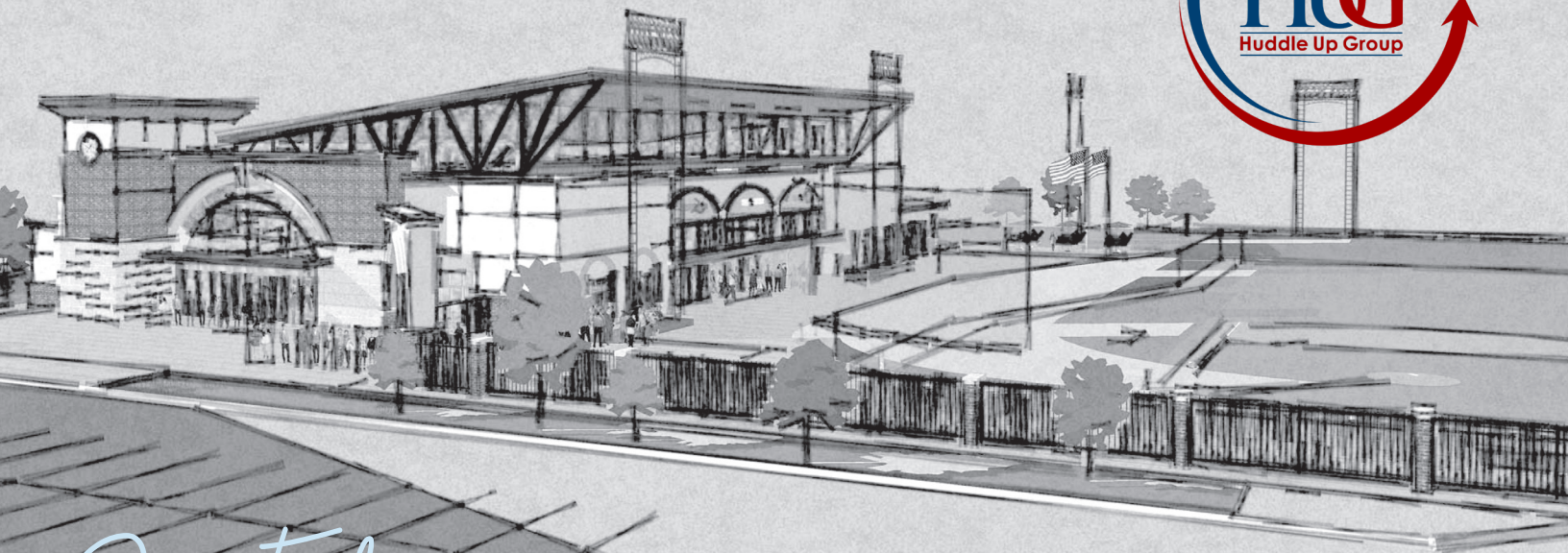
The Foundation continues to award current on-field players with College Baseball Hall of Fame Awards.

Thirteenth Hall of Fame Class Inducted

The College Baseball Foundation hosts the 2020 Virtual College Baseball Night of Champions.

Judge Thelton Henderson is presented the George. H.S. Distinguished Alumnus Award.





Our Future

BUILDING A HOME

The College Baseball Foundation is currently moving forward on a home for the College Baseball Hall of Fame through out partnership with Huddle Up Group (HUG).

We envision this complex to not only pay homage to college baseball's GOATs, but to educate and preserve the history of college baseball:

- THE place where guests can see our growing collection of curated artifacts and memorabilia
- a state-of-the-art complex where baseball teams of all ages come to compete in tournaments
- a home away from home for spring training and college athletes
and so much more!

Our work over the years has been to lay the ground work for the National Baseball Hall of Fame to even exist and now, we are closer than ever to realizing this future! **Follow us on social media, visit our website and sign up for our newsletters to get the latest updates on our growth.**

BE A PART OF OUR STORY

As a supporter, you can dig in and be a part of our story.
Support the College Baseball Foundation and help us keep up the good work!

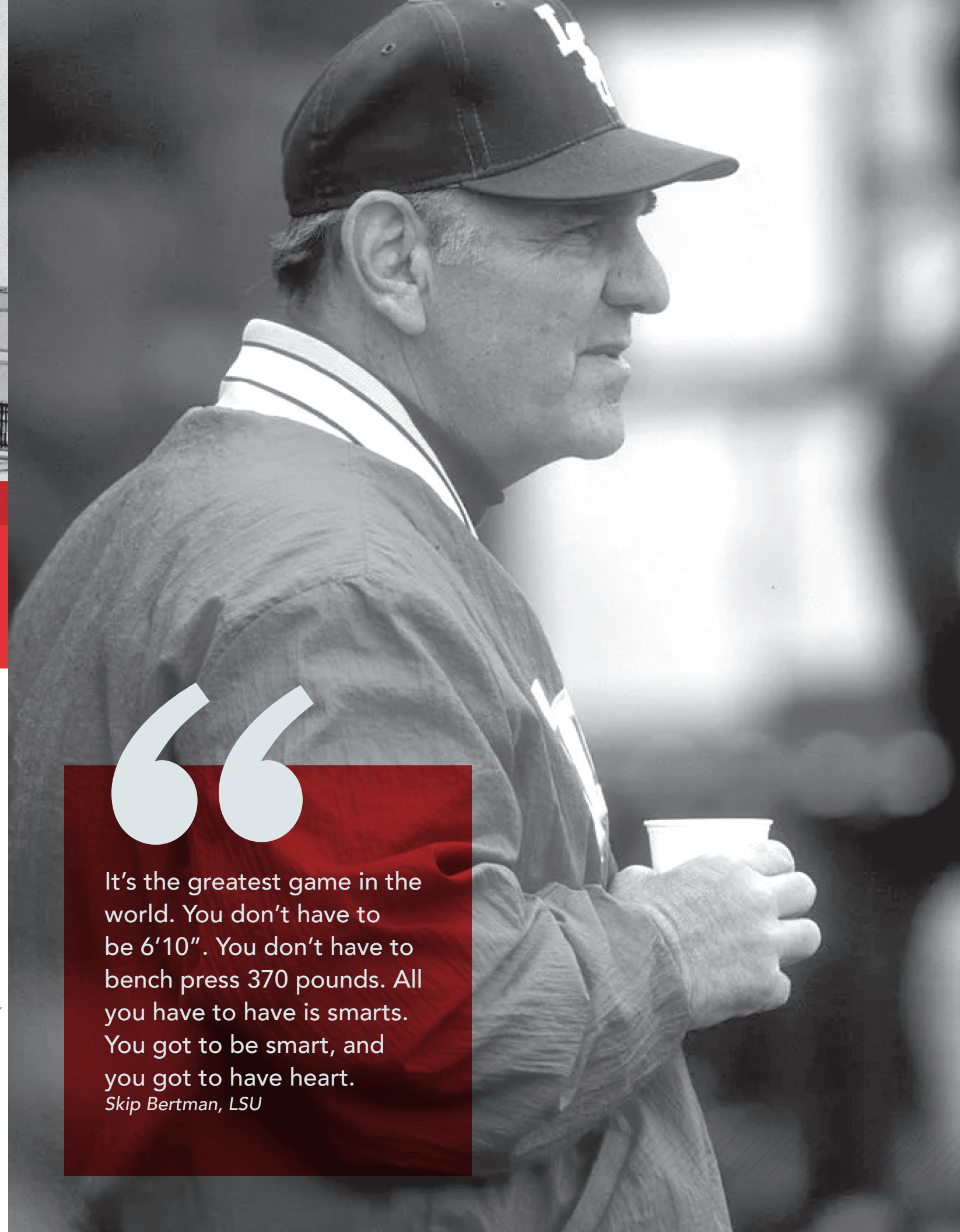
There are two ways to give:

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It's the greatest game in the world. You don't have to be 6'10". You don't have to bench press 370 pounds. All you have to have is smarts. You got to be smart, and you got to have heart.

Skip Bertman, LSU



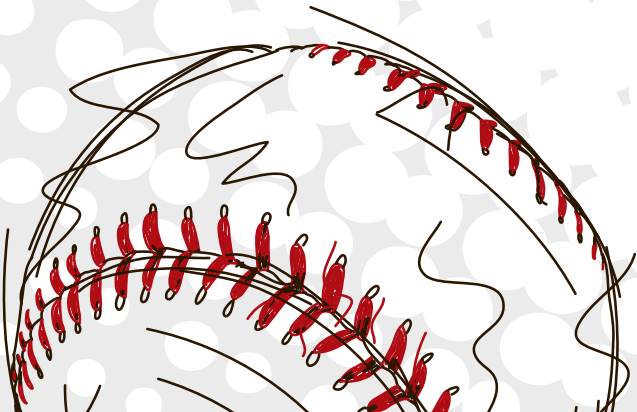


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