

SPORTS YEAR IN REVIEW

MEN'S SOCCER

Oct. 10, 2014 – With 3.8 seconds left in the game, Ryan McCarty scored a tie-breaking goal to secure a 2-1 win over the Tennessee Temple Crusaders.

Nov. 28, 2014 – The BJU Bruins were awarded the NCCAA DI South Region Sportsmanship Award. Ryan McCarty and Travis Woodham were selected to the all-region team while Eric Moisant was selected to the NCCAA DI South Region all-tournament team.

WOMEN'S SOCCER

Sept. 6, 2014 – The Bruins secured their second win of the young season by defeating Southern Wesleyan University 3-2. With the match tied 2-2 late in the game, Natasha Walters finished a cross to give BJU the victory.

Oct. 10, 2014 – BJU thrashed visiting Tennessee Temple University 3-1 on Faculty Appreciation Night. Anna Daulton scored three goals for a hat trick, pushing her tally up to nine on the season.

Oct. 18, 2014 – On an emotional Senior Night, the second-ranked Bruins upset the top-ranked team in the country, Clearwater Christian College. Jenn Wise scored the lone goal of the match just 47 seconds into the match, and the Bruins held off the Cougars to improve to an 11-3-2 record.

GOLF

Sept. 23, 2014 – The Bruins golf team won their second straight title at Hiwassee College invitational; they won in their inaugural 2013 season as well.

Sept. 30, 2014 – Clay Wiginton set a school record, finishing in first place with a 66 (-6) in the final round of the NCCAA South Regional Tournament.

Nov. 4, 2014 – Clay Wiginton became the first Bruins golfer to reach the NCCAA national championship. He finished 35th overall in a field of 65 golfers from all over the country.

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Sept. 7, 2014 – The Bruins men's team placed third at the Warrior Invitational at Southern Wesleyan University. Five Bruins finished in the top 25 with Nathan Zakariasen finishing sixth overall.

Nov. 1, 2015 – The Bruins placed first at the TFC Eagle Invitational at Toccoa Falls College. BJU had five members of the team finish in the Top 10.

Nov. 8, 2014 – Senior Nathan Zakariasen set a school record, finishing with a time of 25:29 for 16th place in the NCCAA National Championship race in Houghton, New York.

Nov. 24, 2015 – Senior Joshua Anderson and juniors Samuel Koenke and Daniel Marinelli received the NCCAA scholar-athlete awards. The award recognizes students who maintain a 3.4 GPA throughout the academic year.

Feb. 13, 2015 – The Men's cross country team was named as an NCCAA all-scholar team for the Fall 2014 semester, earning a team GPA of 3.44.

WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Sept. 27, 2014 – The Lady Bruins finished in second place in the Warrior Invitational at Southern Wesleyan University's hosted meet. Elena Wornom finished in 22:05 and placed seventh overall.

Nov. 1, 2014 – The BJU women overcame a short week of rest to finish second overall at the Toccoa Falls College's Eagle Invitational. The Bruins eventually went to the NCCAA National Championships.

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Nov. 1, 2014 – The Bruins opened up the 2014-2015 season with an 88-69 win against Crown College. The Bruins went 8-9 from three-point range in the second half to pull away and secure the victory.

Jan. 31, 2015 – Just a day after their huge comeback win against Warren Wilson College, the Bruins beat rival Clearwater Christian College for the first time. Kyle Turner and Dustin Killough combined for 46 points to lead the Bruins to an 83-55 victory.

Feb. 27, 2015 – Kyle Turner scored 25 points to become the first Bruins athlete to score 1,000 career points for BJU. His performance sparked a 86-72 win over Piedmont International University.

March 12, 2015 – The Bruins defeated Columbia International University 97-93 for BJU's first post-season win in program history.



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Nov. 8, 2014 – The Bruins found their first win of the season, topping Trinity Baptist College 65-61 in the Tip-Off Classic in Jacksonville, Florida.

Dec. 13, 2014 – The Bruins found victory in a 48-44 win over Johnson University. The game was also a farewell to Bre Bullard, a graduating senior who captained the team since the start of the program in 2012.

Jan. 27, 2015 – Maggi Ford set a program record with 32 points, including 26 in the second half, as the Bruins capped a dramatic comeback with a 68-67 win over the visiting Johnson and Wales University.

Feb. 28, 2015 – In the last game of the regular season, Kendra Jeffcott scored her 1000th career point and the Bruins overcame a slow first half to finish off Southern Wesleyan University 53-50. BJU eventually finished the season with an 18-14 overall record and a berth in the NCCAA D1 South Region Championship.

MEN'S INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Nov. 22, 2014 – The Alpha Theta Pi Razorbacks advanced to the Turkey Bowl for their third straight year and defeated the Pi Gamma Delta Royals in dramatic fashion. The Razorbacks won the penalty shootout after sophomore Alex Kornivskiy blocked Pi Gamma's seventh penalty kick.

March 13, 2015 – The Beta Gamma Delta Patriots (12-0) re-established themselves as an intramural powerhouse with a 72-66 victory over the Zeta Epsilon Chi Tornadoes (11-1) in the men's basketball championship.

March 31, 2015 – The Pi Kappa Sigma Cobras prevented the Alpha Omega Delta Lions from claiming their third straight softball championship, defeating the Lions best two out of three games. The Cobras lost the first game, but rallied in the next two games to claim the series.

April 28, 2015 – The Pi Kappa Simga Cobras beat the Beta Gamma Delta Patriots 3-1 for the men's intramural volleyball championship title.

WOMEN'S INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Oct. 25, 2014 – The Nu Alpha Phi Flames found victory over the Beta Epsilon Chi Cardinals in the women's intramural volleyball championship. The Flames won a dramatic fifth set to win the championship.

Dec. 13, 2014 – The Pi Delta Chi Classics topped the Theta Sigma Chi Colts in the women's intramural soccer championship. The Classics' offense overwhelmed the Colts' defense in a 3-1 victory.

April 10, 2015 – The Pi Delta Chi Classics defeated the Theta Sigma Chi Colts in the women's intramural basketball championship.

April 27, 2015 – The Theta Sigma Chi Colts defeated the Theta Delta Omicron Tigers in the women's intramural softball championship.

