



REGISTER YOUR TEAM

Please provide us with your contact information and select from the categories below.



Team/Company Sponsor: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- ☐ Platinum: \$2,500 (team of four, large banner, hole sign)
- ☐ Steel: \$1,000 (team of four, a banner & a hole sign)
- ☐ Maroon: \$500 (hole sign)
- ☐ Panther: \$250 donation
- ☐ Team Registration: \$500
- ☐ Individual Player: \$125
- ☐ Lifetime Member: \$100
- ☐ Early Bird Registration: \$400 (ends May 31st)

YOUR TEAM:

Player 1: _____ (____ T-shirt size)

Phone/Email: _____

Player 2: _____ (____ T-shirt size)

Phone/Email: _____

Player 3: _____ (____ T-shirt size)

Phone/Email: _____

Player 4: _____ (____ T-shirt size)

Phone/Email: _____

- ☐ I don't have a partner, please pair me.
- ☐ Luncheon only (Non-Golfer \$25 meal)

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT INFORMATION

Remit registration form and checks payable to Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation to P.O. Box 434, 1500 North Lombardy Street, Richmond VA 23220.

Online payment: www.vuu.edu *Donate*Designation
*Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation (Golf Tournament)



BURNING SANDS ALUMNI FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

The Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation is a nonprofit 501C3 organization with the primary mission of raising money to support various educational and athletic initiatives of the Virginia Union University football program.

MISSION

The Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation will:

- Support the overall mission of Virginia Union University and the Department of Athletics football program.
- Strive to continue the development of the Virginia Union University football program and its student-athletes.
- Support initiatives to raise funds to advance Virginia Union University's football program.
- Support community engagement initiatives to foster relationships between campus and community.
- Raise funds to support various functions of the Virginia Union University football program that support the recruitment of and scholarships for football players.

MEMBERSHIP

The Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation is comprised of men and women spanning many professions who are either former VUU football players, coaches, athletic trainers, cheerleaders, or just loyal supporters of the university.

DUES

Annual Membership Dues: \$100 due January 1st of each year

Lifetime Membership: \$1,500 one-time payment (installment plan)

ENDOWMENT FUND SUPPORT

In November 2021, the organization established "The Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation Endowed Scholarship Fund" for football players to ensure that there are perpetual funds to support this program. Donations are accepted and can be made online at www.vuu.edu by clicking on Donate and scrolling to the Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation (Endowed Scholarship).



BURNING SANDS ALUMNI FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

10th ANNUAL CELEBRITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Honoring Joe Taylor, Legendary VUU Football Coach
Proceeds to benefit VUU student-athletes



**SATURDAY
JULY 29, 2023**

BIRKDALE GOLF CLUB

8511 Royal Birkdale Drive • Chesterfield VA

9:00 A.M PUTTING, CHIPPING &
LONGEST DRIVE CONTESTS

SHOTGUN START AT 10:00 A.M.

Registration Deadline: July 15, 2023



Joe Taylor was promoted to Vice President of Intercollegiate Athletics and Community Wellness at Virginia Union University in July 2019. Before that, he was appointed Director of Athletics in 2013.

Since 2014, the Athletic Department has honored over 500 student-athletes for GPAs over 3.0 or higher. The athletic department has also won 15 divisional,

conference, and regional championships since 2014.

Coach Joe Taylor is a legend in college football. He has won four National Championships, 14 Conference Championships, and seven Bowl Games, and has a lifetime win-loss record of 233-96-4. He is respected with the likes of Eddie Robinson and Jake Gaither.

As a Head Football Coach, he has transformed the lives of thousands of young men over his forty years of coaching. He was the head football coach at Florida A&M University from 2008-2012, and before FAMU, he was the head football coach at Hampton University from 1992 to 2007. He was also the head coach at Virginia Union University from 1984 to 1991, winning one conference title on his way to an overall record of 60-19-3 (.750). His career 233-96-4 ranks third in career victories and fourth in career winning percentage among active coaches in the NCAA Division I Football Championship Subdivision and third in HBCU history behind Eddie Robinson and John Merritt.

Coach Taylor has been elected to the following Halls of Fame: Western Illinois University, Virginia Union University, the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association, the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference, the National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame, and Hampton University.

Coach Taylor has served on numerous committees, including the American Football Coaches Association, of which he was President in 2001.

In December 2019, Coach Joe Taylor was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame, and in February 2020, he was inducted into the Black College Football Hall of Fame.

Joe Taylor was appointed to serve on the National College Football Playoff Selection Committee in 2020.

In March 2022, Coach Joe Taylor was among four VUU legendary football coaches honored by the Burning Sands Alumni Football Foundation with "Adopt-A-Street" signs bearing their names erected at the corners of North Lombardy Street and Brook Road.

Joe Taylor's college education started at Western Illinois University, where he received a B.S. in Health and Physical Education in August 1972. He obtained his Master of Administration and Supervision degree at Eastern Illinois University in May 1979.

He is a Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity member and the JRE Lee Chapter of the Mason Prince Hall of Shriners.

In the summer of 2015, he was inducted into the Washington DMV Athletes in Action Legends Organization.

Joe Taylor is the author of the book, "The Making of a Champion - Success is An Inconvenience."

He and his wife Beverly are proud parents of sons Aaron and Dennis.



EVENT INFORMATION

BURNING SANDS ALUMNI FOOTBALL FOUNDATION 10TH ANNUAL CELEBRITY GOLF TOURNAMENT SATURDAY, JULY 29, 2023

BIRKDALE GOLF CLUB
8511 Royal Birkdale Drive
Chesterfield, Virginia 23832

- 8:00 A.M. Registration
- 9:00 A.M. Putting, Chipping, and Longest Drive contests
- 10:00 A.M. Shotgun Start
- 2:00 P.M. Awards Luncheon, Raffle, and Prizes

AWARDS AND PRIZES

- 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Place Awards
- Closest to the Pin (Ladies and Men)
- Longest Drive (Ladies and Men)
- Special Awards
- Raffle Prizes



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Virginia Union University student-athletes
All donations are tax deductible

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