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Hi! I'm **Jarrad Smith**, your NIKE Student Rep. It's my job to spotlight **sports & NIKE knowledge** on this campus for you. If there's something that you think is missing on this *SportsPage* or if you know of an EXTRAORDINARY non-Varsity athlete who deserves recognition, let me know at jarrad.smith@nike.com . . . If you want to talk to NIKE HQ directly, use: sports.page@nike.com.

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9 WON'T FIT ON 13TH. . . CHALLENGE SOCCER/I ESSLINGER RACQUETBALL COURTS, 6:00-10:00 PM BASKETBALL/I MANDATORY PLAYOFF MEETING CEDAR EF-EMU, 4:00 PM VOLLEYBALL/I MANDATORY PLAYOFF MEETING CEDAR D-EMU, 5:00 PM	10 WON'T FIT ON 14TH. . . OPEN SWIM MEET/I LEIGHTON POOL 4:00-6:00 PM NO CHARGE! TRIATHLON COMPETITION/C LEIGHTON POOL, 3:30 PM	11 FREE THROW, HOT SHOT, 3-POINT/I ESSLINGER 38 & 43 4:00-6:00 PM NO CHARGE! CHALLENGE SOCCER/I ESSLINGER RACQUETBALL COURTS 6:00-10:00 PM	12	13 MEN'S BASKETBALL/V AT CALIFORNIA W/BASKETBALL/V VS. CALIFORNIA MAC COURT, 7:00 PM WOMEN'S SOFTBALL/V ASU COCA-COLA CLASSIC TEMPE, AZ (THROUGH THE 16TH)	14 MEN'S WRESTLING/V AT OREGON ST., 7:30 PM MEN'S GOLF/V AT TAYLOR MADE WAIKALOA COLLEGIATE KONA, HAWAII, ALL DAY MEN'S TENNIS/V VS. PORTLAND EUGENE SWIM & TENNIS CLUB, 2:00 PM	15 MEN'S BASKETBALL/V AT STANFORD 7:30 PM WOMEN'S BASKETBALL/V VS. STANFORD MAC COURT 7:00 PM
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IN CREATING THIS SPORTSPAGE, NIKE HAS MADE EVERY EFFORT TO ACCURATELY PRESENT THE TIME AND LOCATION FOR UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS ON CAMPUS. WE REGRET ANY SCHEDULE CHANGES OR MISTAKES. IF YOUR CLUB OR INTRAMURAL SPORT WASN'T COVERED, LET YOUR NIKE STUDENT REP KNOW AND WE'LL TRY AGAIN NEXT MONTH.

SIDE LINES

Whether running is your passion or just a hobby for keeping in shape, you'll want to **join the River Runners**. We run three times a week on all sorts of different trails throughout the Eugene area. Runs are self-paced; you'll run with people who share your fitness level. E-mail me at jarrad.smith@nike.com if you'd like more information. Remember, U of O is the **running capital of the world**. Let's show 'em why! . . . Do you want to know what a true, die-hard athlete looks like? If so, you have to come see the University of Oregon Triathlon Club compete. If you're interested in joining the club or just want more information, call Chris Scheller at 456-1891. **All fitness levels** are encouraged to check out this **great opportunity** to tune your skills and become the best athlete you can be.



The pageantry. The emotion. The uniting of athletes from around the world . . . (oh all right, around campus):

The 1997 Swoosh Challenge is Coming!

This epic weekend battle, April 19-20, will pit teams of six coeds (three men, three women) in events ranging from a mini-triathlon with an in-line skating leg to flag football and a Speed Agility Quickness (S.A.Q.) obstacle course. NIKE will be on campus for two weeks prior to the Swoosh Challenge to offer S.A.Q. training. Two lucky teams will win NIKE apparel and a personal team trainer!

Six Swoosh Challenge winning teams from around the country will be flown to NIKE HQ in Oregon to participate in the championship.

Keep an eye on this space for details, and start limbering up!

DOING IT...



Frigid temperatures and blizzard-like snowfall on the mountain cause Ben Wallace to experience sweating palms, irregular heartbeats and churning feelings in his stomach. Winter conditions mean only one thing to Ben: powder.

Ben was introduced to the sport of skiing 15 years ago at the age of five by his parents and has been strapping on his sticks for the opening day of each season ever since. A skier-turned-racer, when Wallace is not free-doggin'

it on the hill, he's devoutly turning poles with one goal in mind: improving his racing technique. Ben is one of five members of the U of O Men's Traveling Alpine Ski Team.

If you want to watch Wallace push it on the slopes, you'll have to search around. During the week, you can find Wallace at Hoodoo Ski Resort in Sisters, Oregon, where he trains more than 12 hours for each two-minute race. On weekends, look for Wallace running gates in Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, and Oregon with the U of O team.

If a big storm full of flaky flurries has just passed, your best bet is to look to the clean, cold powder at the top of the mountain.

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