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*"A man will never
construct something he
cannot conceive."
-Leland Stanford • 1885*

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Mark Talbott
Director of Squash

I am overwhelmed by the outpouring of support from the entire Stanford community for our squash program. Never did I imagine that we would be this far down the road so quickly. It is a very exciting time to be involved in Stanford Squash and we have a unique opportunity to create and build our teams and programs from the early stages.



I felt such excitement and joy for the alumni student founders of Stanford Squash at the ribbon cutting ceremony for the new squash center. It was quite a change to go from the old DeGuerre gym to the finest university facility on the west coast. There was also tremendous pride that evening when Athletic Director, Dr. Ted Leland announced that the women's team was being elevated to varsity status. Stanford Athletics has now helped set the stage to build championship teams and also fulfill our goal of expanding west coast squash. The response by prospective student athletes has been incredible. The word is spreading quickly that Stanford Squash is on the map!

We could not have reached these goals so quickly if not for the support of the friends of Stanford Squash. I hope to not only build our annual fund for the many expenses which we incur with two teams but also hope to build a strong endowment to ensure that the program is secure for the foreseeable future. Thanks to some generous donors, we now have a unique challenge matching gift of \$1,000,000 towards our endowment.

Please join our teams and help us reach our goals and dreams and write the history of Stanford Squash. Hope to see you at the matches,

-Mark Talbott



Dear Friends of Stanford Squash,

The stage has been set for Stanford Squash to enter a new chapter in the history of intercollegiate squash. Thanks to the work of many ambitious individuals and the generous support of donors, the

Stanford women's team has been elevated to full varsity status beginning in the fall of 2006.

With the official opening of the Arrillaga Recreation Center in Oct. 2005, the Stanford men's and women's teams are practicing and competing in the finest



collegiate facility on the west coast. Our teams continue to climb up in the rankings under the leadership of coach, Mark Talbott, with the women making the largest single season jump of any collegiate team, from 30th to 19th place..

This season we will host 2 round robins that will involve 12 intercollegiate men's and women's teams traveling to the Bay area from all parts of the country. In addition we will be hosting 2 Bay area open tournaments. In an effort

to expand grass roots development at the junior level we are establishing plans with the regional high schools to form club teams within the individual schools. We have already reached near capacity on the usage of the facility by Stanford affiliates and regional players. This is a sure sign that squash commands a strong presence within the Stanford community.



Stanford Squash was born from the vision of a few enthusiastic and dedicated students just seven years ago. This visionary spirit is what drives the Stanford Squash Teams to reach new heights. Your financial gifts have been and continue to be essential in helping us fulfill our potential of becoming a team that will carry on the Stanford tradition of excellence.

We thank you for your support,

Ashley Pattee Cate Crowley Aaron Ligon
Stanford 2005-06 Squash Team Captains

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Your tax deductible contribution enables us to realize our dreams!

"With the addition of Mark Talbott as our Director of Squash (a year ago) and the generosity of anonymous donors, who have provided start up funds and a \$1,000,000 challenge/match to encourage others to endow the program, we are now in position to elevate women's squash to a varsity program"

- Dr. Ted Leland, Stanford Athletic Director -

- Premier Squash Facility
- Varsity Status for Women's Team
- Three East Coast Trips Per Team
- Twelve Visiting Teams @ Stanford
- Expanded Club Membership
- On Line Court Reservation Service
- Regional Grass Roots Development