The Men’s hockey team wasted no time jumping into their community service project for this year! The team volunteered at Hopeful Journeys, a non-profit education center for people with mental disabilities. The men participated at the program’s annual fall carnival fundraiser helping with set up and managing various activities.

Head Coach Scott Geddis is happy that the team was able to do their part to help out the community and make such an impact at this wonderful event.

For more information about how your team can get involved at Hopeful Journeys visit their website at www.Hopefuljourneys.org.

Baseball is already hitting this season out of the park! On September 23rd, the team participated in the Driven to Give event for the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Lowell. The next day Junior Cam Simes pitched a 5 inning no-hitter during their 10-0 win against the University of Connecticut. Keep up the great work!

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This past weekend the field hockey team played two games to start off their fall season. The home opener was against Emmanuel College and the second game against UMass Amherst. The team came off to a strong start as they came up with a win over Emmanuel College, shutting them out with a win of 10-0. The team showed a strong offensive composition as the goals were evenly distributed across the team. The next day when the team took the field against UMass Amherst, the competition was much more evenly matched. UMass Amherst came out strong scoring their first goal within the first five minutes of the game. Amherst used their momentum on break aways coming up victorious against the home team. Lowell did not give up; the game was a back and forth of breakaways and with some heartbreaking misfires on cage. Lowell tacked on their first loss onto their season’s record. They will be taking on Brown, Holy Cross and Northeastern this weekend. Good luck to field hockey as their season continues on!

Every year Club Sports comes up with a motto for all of the student athletes to embody for the year. This year’s motto is ‘Be the Example’. Club Sport athletes are expected to be a good representation of their team, Campus Recreation and UMass Lowell as a whole.

While traveling to other schools, other states and tournaments across the country UMass Lowell club sport athletes are winning prestigious national and regional titles. Being the example on off the field is paramount in the foundation of Club Sports.

Our club sport teams lead by example when they show sportsmanship on the field and off the field by participating community service events.
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CLUB SPORTS BBQ 2017

As a welcome back for students, Club Sport Council put together a barbeque for all returning club sport athletes as well as their potential recruits.

On a picture perfect day, there were various lawn games set up such as Spikeball, Kan Jam, corn hole and kickball. Nick took charge behind the grill cooking up hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken, and veggie burgers! The Club Sport Council helped with various tasks to help the event run smoothly. The club sport community came together as one big team and enjoyed the afternoon together.

Two hundred student athletes participated in the welcome back festivities. With the success of this year’s barbeque, Club Sports athletes are already looking forward to next year’s event. Thank you to all of the students who helped make the day one to remember!

RIVER HAWK SPOTLIGHT

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**Important Announcements**

- Paperwork must be filled out and emailed back to Nick by March 28th.
- Budget hearing meeting sign up sheet is posted on the door of the Club Sport Office.
- Team members who are attending the meeting are expected to come prepared to discuss the previous year's and upcoming year's budget.
- If you have any questions, email Nick Lowery at Nicholas_Lowery@uml.edu.

This issue's spotlight goes to Maggie Harding from the Rowing team. Maggie has been on the team for 3 years and still holds all the Women's records for all levels of erg test since the team went club. She has raced the Head of the Charles Regatta twice, re-qualifying both times and won a Silver and a Bronze in the W1V4+ at the New England Rowing Championships. Maggie also led the 4+ women's boat this past weekend beating Marietta College and SUNY Geneseo.

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- **Softball** vs Merrimack, 9/30 @ 12pm, @ St. Louis Field
- **Field Hockey** vs Brown, 9/30 @ 6pm, @ Wicked Blue
- **Baseball** vs Merrimack, 10/1 @ 11am, @ Wicked Blue Turf
- **Men’s Soccer** vs Merrimack, 10/1 @ 4pm, @ Green Turf
- **Women’s Soccer** vs Harvard, 10/7 @ 11am, @ Green Turf
- **Men’s Hockey** vs Norwich, 10/8 @ 1:30pm, @ Tsongas Arena
- **Men’s Soccer** vs Vermont, 10/8 @ 4pm, @ Green Turf
- **Women’s Hockey** vs Curry College, 10/8 @ 4:10pm, @ Tsongas Arena
- **Men’s Hockey** vs Stonehill, 10/9 @ 2pm, @ Tsongas Arena
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