



The  
Raleigh Sports Club



**Dear Members, Guests, and Friends of Raleigh Sports Club:**

**This has been quite a year in collegiate athletics with NIL and the transfer portal. Our Club has learned a lot from speakers this year. First with Graham Boone, UNC's NIL collective "Heels for Life" then Jeff Smith, Compliance Officer at NCSU. We also heard from Barton College's D-2 Athletic Director Todd Wilkinson on how it has affected their program.**

**This week we are pleased to have as our speaker, Ben Broussard, Executive Director of NCSU's Wolfpack Club. The Wolfpack Club is the fundraising arm that directly supports NCSU athletics. Broussard was named Executive Director June 1, 2020 after serving the University of Colorado as Associate Athletic Director and Executive Director of the Buff Club. He earned both his Bachelors and Masters degrees from LSU and before moving to Colorado, he worked in multiple capacities for the LSU Athletics Department, most notably as Vice President for Development; raising millions of dollars for multiple LSU athletics's projects.**

**He is a native Cajun from Lafayette, La with four children, two sons, two daughters and great stories both in and out of athletics. He should also be able to give his perspective on the recent changes in collegiate athletics and the future moving forward.**

**Come join us this week, Wednesday, February 22, 2023 for good food, fun, and camaraderie!**



**About the Raleigh Sports Club:**

Our meetings are held in Bradley Hall in Highland Methodist Church, 1901 Ridge Road at the intersection of Lake Boone Trail, just inside the Raleigh Beltline. **Buffet lines open at 11:30 a.m., and the meeting is from Noon until 1:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.** Meetings typically occur every week (except Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's holiday) early September through late March. Please continue to check out the Raleigh Sports Club website ([www.raleighsportsclub.org](http://www.raleighsportsclub.org)) for details on the 2022-23 meeting season.

As part of our weekly program, we recognize a local Wake County high school student athlete! The student and coach speak briefly. **This week we will honor Terra Schmitt, an outstanding student and low scoring golfer from Wakefield H.S.**

**Membership for the remainder of our season is \$45.** You can register or renew at the check-in table...or by downloading and mailing to the address indicated on the form found on the RSC website.

Member attendance fee is \$20 per meeting whether eating or not. Guest fee per meeting is a very affordable \$25 whether eating or not!

**Please feel free to attend as a member, guest, or perspective member. We look forward to seeing you.**

Best Regards,

The Raleigh Sports Club Officers and Board of Directors