



FRIENDS OF PRINCETON RUGBY

EDUCATION THROUGH ATHLETICS

WHAT WE DO

The Friends of Rugby provide critical fundraising support (*including annual and major gifts*) and foster engagement between our members and student-athletes through communications, events and career development. The group is comprised of Princeton Rugby alumni, parents of student-athletes and donors.

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SUPPORT PRINCETON RUGBY

The Friends of Rugby provide full financial support for the women's varsity and the men's club programs. This support allows us to continue offering a transformational experience to our student-athletes while also supporting the highest priority budgetary needs of the head coaches.



2025-26 Fundraising Priorities

Coaching Salaries

Team Travel

- Queen's College, NC (Women)
- University of Delaware (Men)

Performance Equipment & Technology

- Catapult
- Footwear & Practice Gear

Recruiting (Women)

Friends of Rugby Events

All donations are fully tax deductible



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Additional Ways to Give:

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Call **(609) 258-8508** on Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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