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## A report from Memphis Crime Commission on 901 Fund fundraiser with UofM women's basketball 'Night Out' safety event for all

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The Memphis Crime Commission worked with the 901 Fund to coordinate four University of Memphis women's basketball players to join us Tuesday, August 6, to help celebrate National

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Night Out at Toby Park in the Tillman MPD precinct and at the Austin Peay MPD precinct. The players were Tilly Boler, Layken Cox, Bailey Gilmore and Destyne Jackson.

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National Night Out represents an opportunity for neighborhoods throughout the community to celebrate and highlight the partnership between law enforcement and neighborhoods to help prevent and reduce crime.

We thank the many residents as well as law enforcement who organized National Night Out events throughout the community. And we thank our UofM athletes for their participation.



DA Steve Mulroy in center with pink tie is surrounded by members of the Police Dept. and the University of Memphis Women's Basketball team. All came together to work with the 901 Fund to celebrate National Night Out at Toby Park for a good cause. (Photo/Courtesy: Crime Commission)



Members of the University of Memphis Women's Basketball team and friends are all smiles after completing a successful event to stress safety in neighborhoods. (Photo/Courtesy: Crime Commission)

## UFL's EJ Perry and TJ Carter sign with NFL's Jaguars and Cardinals ... from sports page 1

geles Rams. He made his only two NFL regular season appearances as a member of the Rams, playing five defensive snaps and five special teams snaps in 2022. Carter joined the Panthers after being selected in the 24th round

of the 2022 USFL Draft, the first

defensive tackle picked.

He appeared in nine games for the Panthers that season and posted 24 tackles to go along with 2.5 sacks.

The United Football League (UFL) is the premier spring football platform, formed by the merger of the XFL and USFL in 2024 under the combined own-About the United Football ership of Redbird Capital Part-

ners, FOX, Dany Garcia and Dwayne Johnson. The UFL has eight teams in Arlington (TX), Birmingham (AL), Detroit (MI), Houston (TX), Memphis (TN), San Antonio (TX), St. Louis (MO), and Washington D.C.

Wrap-up

## Monaghan records 300th career win as Tigers take down Alabama A&M, 5-1

MEMPHIS, Tenn. August 15, 2024 -- Memphis women's soccer won its first match of the season, securing a 5-1 victory over Alabama A&M on Thursday night at the Track and Soccer

The win marked the 300th of Brooks Monaghan's 25-year coaching career. He joins a list of 45 Division I women's soccer coaches to win 300 career games, and he is one of 17 to reach the milestone with the same Division I program.

"I've had so many great memories with this program," Monaghan said. "Even amid the grind of the season, it's nice to be able to step back and appreciate the success that the girls have had." The Tigers (1-0) took just two minutes to open the scoring on senior night, as sophomore forward Ashley Henderson poked a loose ball into the back of the net. The Memphis native would add to her tally six minutes later after being released by a Momo Nakao through ball.

Junior defender Izzy Monck got on the end of a 19th-minute corner to add the third goal of the half. The middle 40 minutes saw the Tigers create plenty of chances, but Nakao's strike in the 59th minute made the lead four, the 12th goal of the midfielder's career.

The Bulldogs (0-1) hung around the game and capitalized on a counterattack to score in the 75th minute through Chelsie Charles, their only shot of the game. Memphis responded quickly as an own goal two minutes later made the score 5-1.

Henderson's 10-minute brace is the first of her collegiate career. Sophomore defender Finley Lavin provided the assist for Nakao's second-half goal.

This marked the collegiate debut for Tigers Ally Casey, Ai Kitagawa, Abby Kudla, Alex Mackay, Evelyn Mackay, Jaileah McPherson, Elise Perron, Gillian Poiesz, and Olivia Silcox. Flavie Dubé, Camber Hayes and Maddie Eskin made their first appearances as Memphis players.

The Tigers totaled 23 shots and forced goalkeeper Liliana Ribeiro into 10 saves.



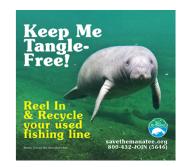
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