

Athletics Committee February 20, 2024 3:30 pm

Discussion Item

ATH-1 Head Coach Speaker – Janelle Breneman, Softball

Background Information

<u>Coach Janelle Breneman</u> is in her 12th year at the helm of the UNCG softball program. She is the program's all-time leader in coaching wins with an overall record of 360-217. Under her guidance, the Spartans have won the last six Southern Conference Regular Season Championships (2017 to 2023, excluding 2020), three SoCon Tournament titles (2018, 2021, & 2023), and a spot in the 2019 SoCon Championship Game.

Coach Breneman received SoCon Coach of the Year awards in 2018, 2019, 2022, and 2023, and has guided the Spartans to a winning record in every season during her time at UNCG. Her teams have topped 30 wins in eight of her twelve seasons, one of which was shortened due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Coach Breneman will discuss her insights and experience with UNCG Athletics and the Softball team. She will discuss this season's expectations and some challenges she faces in the changing landscape of college athletics.