THE OPPORTUNITY

COLLEGE FOOTBALL OWNERSHIP

For 25+ years, USA TODAY Sports has partnered with the American Football Coaches Association to produce a weekly top 25 ranking of NCAA Division 1 college football teams voted on by a panel of FBS coaches.

The coveted crystal ball is awarded to the winner of the National Championship game and the top ranked team in the AFCA Coaches Poll.



131MM AUDIENCE In the U.S. identify as College Football Fans

UNPRECEDENTED ACCESS To Division 1 College Football Coaches

MARKETING PROGRAM An Elite Multimedia Portfolio

USA TODAY Network NCAAF Audience Insights

63%
REACH TO
SUPER NCAAF
FANS
Highest among all
sports competitors

63%
REACH TO
ACTIVE &
ENGAGED NCAAF
FANS
Highest among all
sports competitors

56%
REACH TO
FEMALE
NCAAF FANS
Highest among all
sports competitors

54%
REACH TO
NCAAF FANS
A18-34
Highest among all sports competitors

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CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE: 2020 comScore//GfK MRI Multi-Platform Fusion (Trended: Oct-Dec 2019, Jan 2020/S19)

NCAAF audience = users who responded on a scale of 1-10 self-evaluating level of fandom (1-4 = weak fan, 5-7 = average fan, 8-10 super fan, Contact USATSMStrategy@usatoday.com for more info





THE PROGRAM

A DIVERSE AND EXPANSIVE PORTFOLIO WITH ALL-ENCOMPASSING TOUCHPOINTS

ENTITLEMENT SPONSORSHIP brand inclusion in national and local weekly digital and print distribution of the AFCA Coaches Poll across USA TODAY Network

TROPHY NAME INCLUSION naming rights on the AFCA Coaches' Trophy

EDITORIAL weekly digital and print editorial support through articles and video content across USA TODAY Network

SOCIAL weekly social support across USA TODAY Network's social channels

MEDIA strategic high impact digital and print media throughout the CFB season

BRANDED CONTENT multiple pieces of high quality custom content that are developed around a brand's KPIs

RESEARCH custom studies around media and branded content performance

AUDIO brand inclusion in our weekly college football podcast Inside the Coaches Poll hosted by Dan Wolken

ON-SITE ACTIVATION ability to use the **real** AFCA Coaches' Trophy to interact with fans at some of the biggest matchups in college football on a season long Trophy Tour

D1 COACH ACCESS exclusive coach access for sponsored content or additional brand speaking engagements

Additionally... Co-Branded Marketing Campaign, Public Relations Efforts, National Championship Game Hospitality, Media Appearances, AFCA Convention Access and more!

The AFCA Coaches Poll program can be completely customized to meet a brand's unique needs

CHECK OUT OUR SIZZLE REEL!







Dan Wolken







THE RESULTS

PROVEN SUCCESS



DID YOU KNOW?

The Coaches' Trophy has been at the White House for the 2018 and 2019 National Championship winner's celebration



AWARENESS

16B aggregate readership with advertising equivalency of \$156M*

(earned media)



INTENT

50.1% lift in intent to learn more about Amway^

(category norm: 7.2%)



FAVORABILITY

15.9% lift in favorability^

(category norm: 4.2%)

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*Meltwater Aug 20 – Jan 21

^Nielsen Digital Brand Effect Study Aug 19-Jan 20



