



**Council of Trustees Resolution  
Pennsylvania Western University**

The Council of Trustees of Pennsylvania Western University, upon recommendation of the president, hereby approve the naming of the field at Clarion Memorial Stadium the Al Jacks Field.

**WHEREAS**, Coach Al Jacks served with legendary distinction as the head football coach at Clarion from 1963 to 1981;

**WHEREAS**, Coach Jacks compiled a fantastic career record of 128-46-5 – a winning percentage of 72.9, including 18-straight winning seasons while capturing six PSAC Western Division titles (1966, 1967, 1969, 1977, 1978 and 1980) and three PSAC championships (1966, 1977 and 1980);

**WHEREAS**, Coach Jacks has been elected to numerous Halls of Fame -- including the Western Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, the Pittsburgh City League All Sports High School Hall of Fame, and the Clarion Sports Hall of Fame -- and the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference named him one of the top 150 all-time great contributors to the conference's history in football;

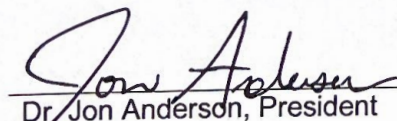
**WHEREAS**, Coach Jacks was a believer in the student-athlete as a complete person, guiding the young men in his program to success on the field and in the classroom as representatives of the Blue and Gold; and

**WHEREAS**, Coach Jacks' impact was felt throughout the Clarion community, as he was a tireless advocate for the university and built meaningful relationships with community leaders to the mutual benefit of the campus and town, now

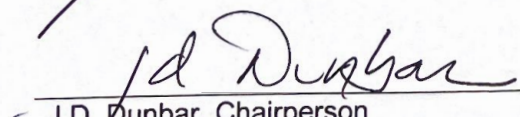
**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Council of Trustees of Pennsylvania Western University does hereby:

1. Endorse the naming of the field at the Clarion Memorial Stadium as Al Jacks Field, pursuant to the Pennsylvania Western University Policy for Naming Facilities and Programs; and
2. Include this resolution as a matter of formal record in the minutes of the Council of Trustees.

As approved by action of the Council of Trustees during the quarterly meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 2025.

  
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Dr. Jon Anderson, President

6-26-25  
Date

  
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J.D. Dunbar, Chairperson  
Council of Trustees

6-26-25  
Date