



Former Amphitheater High School teammates Jerry Krohn, Riki Ellison and Jim Krohn leaving the LA Coliseum

Former UA Starting QB Makes Scholarship Donation to the Youth Impact Program

Former Amphitheater High School state champion and University of Arizona Quarterback Jim Krohn has made a generous scholarship gift to the Arizona Youth Impact Program, which will hold its first-ever Arizona program on the University of Arizona Campus from June 14th through June 25th.

<https://www.youthimpactprogram.org/programs/youth-impact-program-at-university-of-arizona-2021/>

Jim Krohn made the donation in memory of his younger brother Jerry Krohn, a former Amphi standout who also attended and walked on to play football at the University of Arizona earning a scholarship before his life was tragically cut short while still attending the UA. Jim Krohn led the UA to a Fiesta Bowl bid versus Dan Marino and the Pitt Panthers at the end of this season. That was UA's first bowl appearance since the 1968 Sun Bowl under coach Darrel Mudra. The scholarship donation will allow ten local 6th through 8th graders to attend the life-changing Youth Impact Program.

YIP Founder Riki Ellison (a former All American at Amphitheater High School and teammate of Jim and Jerry Krohn as well as 3-time Super Bowl Champion with the 49'ers) said: "We honor and greatly appreciate the leadership and generosity of Jim Krohn in making this gift in honor of his brother Jerry Krohn. Both are stellar leaders representing the ideals of these two great institutions and set the pathway for our University of Arizona Youth Impact Program. Jim continues to Lead to Win." Craig Barker, University of Arizona Foundation CFO and former Amphi teammate of Krohn and Ellison said: "Jerry Krohn was not only a wonderful athlete, but more importantly he was a kind and good person. Those of us who were fortunate enough to know Jerry will never forget him."

Any questions about the Youth Impact program should be directed to Andie.Jump@youthimpactprogram.org