

Stanford University Women's Basketball Presents:

WHERE ARE THEY NOW? WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

TEAMWORK

WITH COACH TARA VANDERVEER



**AN INTERACTIVE ILLUSTRATED STORY
WHERE YOU WRITE THE ENDING!**



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TEAMWORK

Welcome to "TEAMWORK", part of the
**Interactive Creative Writing Program from the Stanford
Women's Basketball team and Coach Tara VanDerveer.**

In its first year, the program is an initiative to promote reading,
writing, and creative thought in elementary school children.

The program runs from September 2010, through the
spring of 2011, with each participant reading the provided
illustrated workbooks, and finishing up each story either online
or through the printed version you hold in your hands.

Participants submit their results to
their teachers or finish the story online at
www.gostanford.com/sports/w-baskbl/wbbgrant.html

A winner will be chosen from each school and you
can read about them online!

**But that's not all! At the back of this workbook,
you will find a voucher for free admittance to a Stanford
Basketball Game on November 28, 2010. Just bring your
parents, brothers, sisters, and all your friends, and listen for
an announcement of winners during the game!**

Good luck to everyone who participates!
Coach VanDerveer and Stanford University salute you!

For information on participating in this program,
please e-mail Sarah Boruta — sboruta@stanford.edu

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COACH TARA VANDERVEER...
...AND YOU WRITE THE ENDING!

Message 10 of 13

From: Marina Vallejo

Kimmy-
Will you be at the Women's Basketball
exhibition game @ Stanford tonight? Isis,
Pete & James will be there 2...

I guess there's also a talk on
teamwork... COOL?

Done

Respond

Kimmy:
See U there! :)

YOU
WERE RIGHT,
MARINA, THIS
IS AWESOME!

THE
STANFORD
CARDINAL
REALLY KNOWS
HOW TO
PLAY!

THE
BEST PART
IS COMING UP--
A TALK BY...

...**COACH TARA
VANDERVEER!**



AFTER A FUN EXHIBITION, THE COACH SPEAKS ABOUT...

...TEAMWORK!

THE EXPERTS
IN OUR COMPUTER
DEPARTMENT DEVELOPED
THIS SPECIAL APP...

...HIGHLIGHTING
OUR HARD-WORKING
BASKETBALL ALUMNI!

LATER...

THANKS
FOR COMING!
GO CARDINAL!



THANK
YOU! I'M VERY
PROUD OF MY
PLAYERS...

...AND HOW
THEY ALWAYS
WORKED AS A
TEAM!

THAT'S
HARDER THAN
IT SOUNDS!

WHAT
DO YOU
MEAN?

WELL,
I'M THE
BEST SHOT
ON OUR
TEAM...

...BUT SHE
REALLY
HOGS THE
BALL!

PETE!

HI COACH!
OUR AFTER
SCHOOL TEAM
IS PLAYING AT
HALFTIME IN
YOUR NEXT
HOME GAME!

GREAT
SPEECH,
COACH!



HA HA!
MAYBE I CAN
LEND YOU ALL THE
I-CARDINAL DEVICE
FOR A BIT...

...THE
TEAMWORK
APP MAY
HELP!

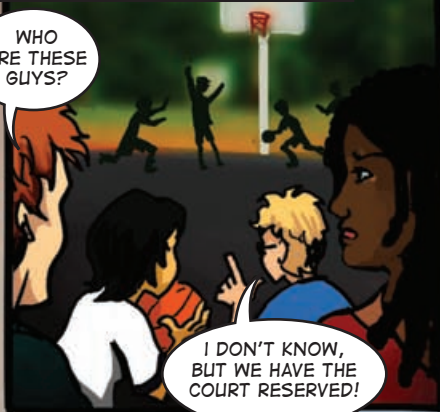
THANKS,
COACH!



THE NEXT DAY, AND THE KIDS ARE READY
TO PRACTICE FOR THEIR UPCOMING GAME...

WHO
ARE THESE
GUYS?

I DON'T KNOW,
BUT WE HAVE THE
COURT RESERVED!





WELL, I'M
GOING TO GO
YELL AT THEM TO
GET LOST...
...OR
ELSE!

WAIT,
JAMES!

INTERACTIVE WRITING WARM-UP

WHAT SHOULD JAMES SAY TO
THE KIDS ON THE COURT?

HAVE YOU EVER FELT ANGRY ABOUT
SOMETHING AT SCHOOL?

LATER, PRACTICE HAS BEGUN,
AND THE GAME GETS OFF TO A
ROCKY START...

ISIS,
ARE YOU READY
TO GET SCORED
ON?

SURE, ONLY
IF YOU ARE
READY FOR MY
SUPER DEFENSE,
MARINA!

HA!
YOU TELL
HER, ISIS!

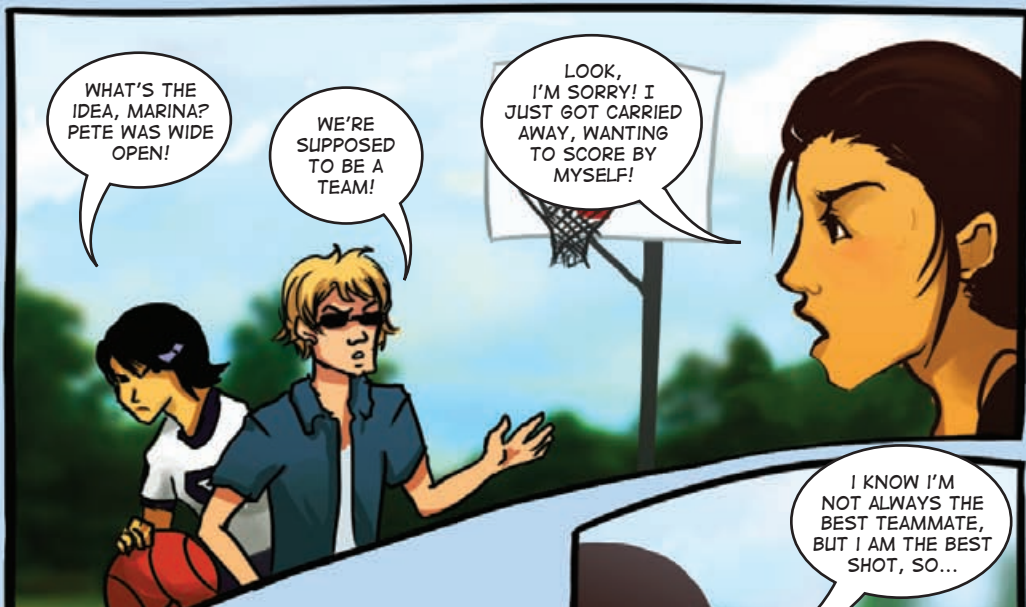
MARINA--
I'M OPEN!
PASS THE
BALL!

SORRY,
PETE, I CAN'T
RISK IT! WE NEED
THIS BASKET TO
WIN!..

WHOOPS!

THE BALL SLIPS FROM
MARINA'S HANDS...





INTERACTIVE WRITING MODULE

THE I-CARDINAL DEVICE HAS A SPECIAL PROJECTOR IN IT, PRESENTING TALES OF STANFORD WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ALUMNI.

USE YOUR IMAGINATION AND WRITE DOWN TWO OTHER AMAZING THINGS THE I-CARDINAL DEVICE COULD DO-- NOTHING IS TOO CRAZY!

WHAT ARE SOME MODERN DAY INVENTIONS THAT WOULD HAVE SEEMED IMPOSSIBLE 200 YEARS AGO?



THE I-CARDINAL DEVICE BEGINS TO GLOW,
AND THEN AN AMAZING 3-D PROJECTION
SOARS INTO THE SKY BEFORE THE KIDS!

CANDICE WIGGINS

Played for Stanford: 2004-2008

One time in practice, Candice was playing on the red team with the starters. The starting team kept beating the team of substitutes, and the players on the white team were discouraged. Coach VanDerveer switched Candice to the white team, knowing it would help the white team play better. Because Candice was so enthusiastic and competitive, the white team won the rest of the games. White won with Candice on the team, because she made everyone she played with better.

I CAN'T
BELIEVE IT--
THIS IS SOOOO
COOL!

WOW!
SHE HAS
ACCOMPLISHED
SO MUCH!





LOOK,
ANOTHER
STORY!

ANOTHER
TALENTED
CARDINAL!

ANOTHER
TEAM
PLAYER!



KATE STARBIRD

Played for Stanford: 1993-1997

Stanford was playing USC, and Kate was hot; every shot she took went in. Kate may have been taking most of the shots, but that was the best thing she could do for her team at that moment because she was making everything. The game came down to the last second and one of her teammates, Charmin, had the ball at the top of the key after coming off of a screen. The defenders ran to the wing to guard Kate, which left Charmin open to drive to the basket for the game-winning layup. Kate's great individual performance created openings for her teammates and the team won the game because of the play of everyone.

FINALLY THE PROJECTION FADES,
AND MARINA AND HER FRIENDS
STAND TOGETHER IN SILENCE.

WOW, THEY
ARE ALL SUCH GOOD
TEAMMATES--- AND
I'VE BEEN KIND OF
SELFISH...

...I'M REALLY
SORRY GUYS--
THE I-CARDINAL
DEVICE SHOWED
ME THE WAY!

I PROMISE
TO TRY AND WORK
WITH EVERYONE
FROM NOW ON...

...BECAUSE THAT'S
WHAT BEING PART OF
A TEAM IS ABOUT!

SO LET'S
GET TO WORK
ON...

PASSING!

SHOOTING!

TEAMWORK!

WOW,
I'M, LIKE, SO
CHOKED UP!

THE KIDS SMILE AT EACH OTHER,
FEELING TRULY LIKE A WHOLE TEAM
FOR THE FIRST TIME...

FAST FORWARD JUST A FEW DAYS, AND THE STANFORD ARENA IS BRIMMING WITH FANS, AS THE FIRST HALF OF THE GAME COMES TO A CLOSE!

GO CARDINAL!

CLAP CLAP CLAP

GO
CARDINAL!

I CAN'T BELIEVE
OUR EXHIBITION
GAME IS IN JUST
A FEW SECONDS---
COOL, HUH?

WE'VE
BEEN PRACTICING
SO HARD-- I KNOW
WE'LL WIN!

I GUESS I'M A
LITTLE NERVOUS---
SO MANY PEOPLE
ARE HERE!

I HOPE
I DO OKAY!

BEING
NERVOUS IS
NORMAL, MARINA--
FOCUS ON THE TEAM
AND YOU'LL DO
GREAT!

THANKS
FOR LETTING
US BORROW THE
I-CARDINAL DEVICE--
IT WAS GREAT!

COACH
VANDERVEER!

WELL,
MAYBE THERE'S
TIME FOR ONE
MORE STORY IN
HERE TO HELP!

COOL!

THE I-CARDINAL DEVICE
BEGINS TO GLOW ONCE
AGAIN, AS COACH
VANDERVEER SHARES
ANOTHER TALE OF A
STANFORD WOMEN'S
BASKETBALL GREAT!...

VANESSA NYGAARD

Played for Stanford: 1993-1998

Vanessa was hurt and redshirted for one season. Since she didn't play for a year, her teammates she was close to were all graduating while she was staying to play one more year. Vanessa was so emotional during her teammates' last home game that she was crying on the court. During the game, she would catch the ball, shoot, and wipe away her tears while running back down the court. She made a lot of baskets that game, because she didn't want her teammates' last game to be a loss. She was so close to her teammates and cared so much for them that even though it was not her last home game, she still did not want to lose.

ANOTHER
AWESOME
STORY!

MAYBE
YOUR STORY CAN
BE UP THERE SOME
DAY, MARINA!



THE GAME STARTS, AND THE KIDS ARE PLAYING GREAT--- BUT THEIR OPPONENTS PULL AHEAD IN THE FINAL MINUTES...



THANKS, KIMMY!

PETE PASSES TO MARINA...



WHO STARTS TO SHOOT, THEN PAUSES...



I'M OPEN!

I COULD PROBABLY MAKE THIS SHOT, BUT JAMES AND ISIS ARE OPEN, AND CLOSER!

I NEED TO BE A GOOD TEAMMATE!

TAKE IT AWAY, JAMES!

YOU GOT IT!



BEFORE JAMES CAN SHOOT, MARINA IS ACCIDENTALLY TRIPPED BY A PLAYER ON THE OTHER TEAM!



OW!

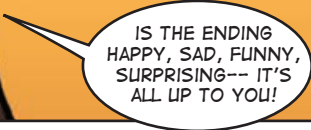
MY ANKLE--- IT'S TWISTED!



POOR MARINA!

WHAT WILL WE DO--- MARINA'S THE BEST PLAYER WE HAVE, AND WE ONLY HAVE A MINUTE IN THE GAME TO CATCH UP!

THINGS LOOK BAD FOR THE TEAM-- CAN YOU HELP SAVE THE DAY?



...THE END!

AUTOGRAPHS

**GET YOUR STANFORD WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
PLAYER AUTOGRAPHS AT THE GAME!**



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vs.
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12:30 PM**

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