ENTERPRISING SACRAMENTO DUO TURN PASSION INTO USEFUL BUSINESS VENTURE

A vivid visual look at college football stadiums across America

Every autumn Saturday, millions of Americans turn to their televisions to watch their favorite college football team in action on the gridiron. For Sacramento area natives Jason Wolfe and his mother, Stephanie Wolfe, college football has always been a traditional family affair. They gathered around the TV each week in front of the fireplace and spent the day watching the Saturday games.

This pair elevated their passion for college football and turned it into an entrepreneurial success story. The result for the Wolfes is a labor of love—the finished product—a book called Autumn’s Cathedrals, A Pictorial Tour of Division 1-A College Football Stadiums. The Wolfes wrote and produced this unique, one-of-a-kind resource—a hard-bound, pictorial book filled with over 150 vivid color photos and a plethora of vital historical facts for all 117 Division 1-A college football stadiums. They are all here—from the legendary Notre Dame Stadium to the mammoth football venues of Michigan, Penn State, Tennessee, and Ohio State.

For the younger Wolfe and his father, the excitement of Saturdays growing up was watching their favorite college football team in action. Stephanie, the family matriarch, was fascinated by the stadiums. She was also more interested in the minutiae of each unique venue.

“Why couldn’t we do a book based on that notion?” the Wolfes asked. The answer was to research and develop a great reference book for diehard or casual college football fans alike. At their fingertips would be panoramic photos and a sampling of facts and trivia about each stadium’s heritage (such as whom the venues were named for or when they were built and renovated).

College football authority, Coach Vince Dooley, Athletic Director for the University of Georgia, gives Autumn’s Cathedrals two thumbs up, “I am proud to endorse this much needed compilation. The work will be a valuable coffee table reference for many football fans.”