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CHAMPIONSHIP BOUND – LIFE UNIVERSITY REACHES 6TH CONSECUTIVE USA RUGBY MEN’S D1A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TO BE TELEVISED ON CBS SPORTS NETWORK

Marietta, Georgia, April 30, 2018 – For the sixth consecutive year, Life University’s (LIFE) Varsity Men’s Rugby team will play in the USA Rugby Men’s D1A National Championship. LIFE will face off with the University of California, Berkeley in Santa Clara, California, hosted by Santa Clara University, on May 5, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. PST/5:00 p.m. EST for the Championship match.

LIFE enters the championship after a 9-0 regular season, and three subsequent playoff victories against Central Washington (87-7), Army (44-10) and Penn State (69-14). They averaged 66.8 points per contest, while allowing only 8.6 during the regular season. They are averaging 66.7 points per match, while allowing 10.3 during the postseason.

“We are looking forward to this week of preparation and the opportunity to compete in the 2018 D1A National Championship,” says Men’s Rugby Head Coach Colton Cariaga. “Life University as a whole, our support staff and our loved ones continually afford us the opportunity to prepare and compete week in and week out. We are tremendously grateful for that and know that it comes with responsibility. This week is certainly no different, and we look forward to representing Life University with our best on the field and off.”

Tickets for the National Championship can be purchased at the gate or in advance at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2018-collegiate-division-1-a-rugby-national-championship-match-tickets-44168860250?aff=life>. Gates open at Noon PST/3:00 p.m. EST., and a pre-match performance by The Voice contestant and Nashville recording artist Ryan Scripps will commence at 12:30 p.m PST/3:30 p.m. EST.

About Life University

Founded in Marietta, Georgia in 1974, Life University is a health sciences institution most known for its chiropractic program, the largest single campus chiropractic program in the world. Life University is regionally accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award baccalaureate, master’s and Doctor of Chiropractic degrees, and also has programmatic accreditation through the Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE), the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) and the



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Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE). The mission of Life University is to empower students with the education, skills and values necessary for career success and life fulfillment, based on a vitalistic philosophy.

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