Playing the Game?

If you haven't read <u>Widespread Nature of Chapel Hill's Academic Fraud Is Laid Bare</u> by Jack Stripling in yesterday's Chronicle of Higher Education, take a few minutes to do so. It is well worth your time. As you read the article, ask yourself, is UNC-CH the only university "... to create no-show classes that would keep underprepared and unmotivated players eligible. Over nearly two decades, professors, coaches, and administrators either participated in the scheme or overlooked it, undercutting the core values of one of the nation's premier public universities"? While you are at it, read a few of the comments.

Comment:

Where are all those who argued for years that big money football and basketball is a gateway for poor black and white kids to get a quality education? AFAM arguably should be the most knowledgeable about the need of a quality education for African-American athletes. This isn't simply a corruption of UNC-CH, it's stupid. Congrats to UNC-CH for leading the way as the dumbest institution of higher education. Don't feel bad, though, it's better than being Penn-Pedophilia-State University. All in all, nobody knows nuthin' about nuthin' at universities, but we know for sure that all the other schools are A-okay. Hey, they're accredited! They're audited! They're good!