

Duquesne Athletics Compliance Insider

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JUST DO IT ...The Right Way!

Welcome to 2017-18

With the turn of the calendar to August 1, we embark on a new academic year here at Duquesne University. The Compliance Office would like to send out a warm welcome to all of our new staff and a welcome back to those returning! Just as a reminder, new staff members are required to do an orientation with one of our Compliance Office staff members. We will be coordinating that soon.

Legislative Updates

August 1 also marks an important day with NCAA Legislation. In many situations, it is the first day new legislation takes effect. In this edition of the Insider, we will look at a few of these new rules and go through some Q&A regarding each.

Ask the Coach

This month we are introducing a new monthly feature called, "Ask the Coach." It will be an effort to engage our coaching staff on specific topics in which they may have questions or concerns. The Compliance Office will reach out to various coaches throughout the year, but if you are interested in participating, email Mike Scerbo.

This month we sat down with Jody Fetterhoff and the topic of promotional activities was discussed. Inside we will run through more on this topic.



<http://www.goduquesne.com/compliance/duqu-compliance.html>

Recruiting Calendars August 2017

Football

August 1 – 23 Dead Period
August 24 – 31 Quiet Period

Men's Basketball

August 1 – 31 Quiet Period

Women's Basketball

August 1 – 31 Quiet Period

Track and Field/CC

August 1 – 12 Quiet Period
August 13 - 31 Contact Period

Women's Lacrosse

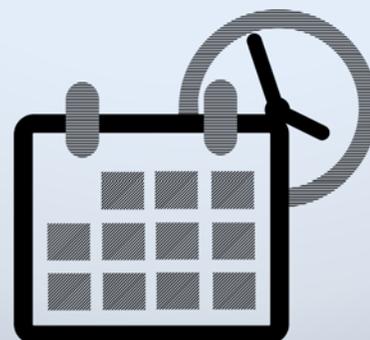
August 1 – 14 Dead Period
August 15 – 31 Quiet Period

Volleyball

August 1 – 31 Contact Period

All Other Sports

August 1 – 31 Contact Period



Ask the Coach: Jody Fetterhoff - Bowling

Promotional Activities

Regulations pertaining to promotional activities are intended to limit the opportunities for commercial entities to benefit financially from the association with collegiate student-athletes. Because of this, these rules impact the use of a student-athlete's name, image and likeness. As a general rule, a student-athlete's name image or likeness cannot be used to promote a commercial venture. However, there are times that promotional activities are allowed. Here is a brief Q&A regarding promotional activities:

1. Q – Is an institution allowed to use the picture of an enrolled student-athlete to promote future games?
A – YES. Schools, Conferences, and the NCAA are permitted to use a SAs name image or likeness to promote contests, provide they have obtained written permission from that SA.
2. Q – Is a non-profit organization allowed to use an enrolled student-athlete to promote their organization?
A – YES, with conditions. There are a variety of conditions that need to be met, therefore the Compliance Office requires approval prior to any promotional activities.
3. Q – Is an enrolled student-athlete allowed to appear in a commercial for the family furniture store?
A – NO. Enrolled SAs are not allowed to promote a commercial entity.
4. Q – Is a coach allowed to promote a commercial entity?
A – YES. Coaches are not subject to the regulations surrounding promotional activities, only enrolled SAs.
5. Q – If a student-athlete promoted a commercial entity prior to enrollment at Duquesne, can they continue to promote that product once they matriculate?
NO – Enrolled SAs are not allowed to promote a commercial entity. Furthermore, if the SA did promote something and was compensated in anyway, they could have issues with amateurism. Remind them to be careful.

Hot Topics

- **Red Card Process** – As the new academic year kicks off we wanted to remind you all of the red-card process for walk-on student athletes. All potential walk-ons should be directed to the Compliance Office to get the proper paperwork to begin the process. As they move through the process to obtain the proper signatures, we will keep all coaches informed of their status. Once they have completed all signatures, the Compliance Office will provide a “Red-Card” authorizing the student-athlete to engage in practice and conditioning. At no time should a student-athlete be permitted to workout with a team without clearance from the Compliance Office. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us.
- **NLI Signing Dates for 17-18** – The following are the NLI signing dates for the 2017-18 Academic Year
 - **Basketball** – Early: November 8-15, 2017; Regular: April 11, 2018 to May 16, 2018
 - **Football** – Early: December 20-22, 2017; Midyear JC: December 20, 2017 to January 15, 2018; Regular: February 7, 2018 to April 1, 2018
 - **Soccer** – February 7, 2018 to August 1, 2018
 - **All Other Sports** – Early November 8-15, 2017; Regular: April 11, 2018 to August 1, 2018
- **Full Time All the time** – Please remind your student-athletes that they must remain full-time students at all times or they will automatically become ineligible. In certain specific situations they may be permitted to take less than the 12 credits necessary (9 for graduate students), but to do so, they must obtain approval from the Compliance Office.

FALL TEAM COMPLIANCE MEETING SCHEDULE

| SPORT | DATE | TIME | LOCATION |
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| Soccer, Women's | Thursday, August 3 | 4:00 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Volleyball, Women's | Monday, August 7 | 2:00 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Soccer, Men's | Tuesday, August 8 | 2:00 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Cross Country, Men's | Monday, August 14 | 3:00 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Cross Country, Women's | Monday, August 14 | 3:00 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Tennis, Men's | Sunday, August 20 | 4:30 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Tennis, Women's | Sunday, August 20 | 4:30 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Rowing, Women's | Sunday, August 20 | 4:30 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Lacrosse, Women's | Tuesday, August 22 | 8:45 PM | Bayer Hall - Pappert |
| Swimming, Women's | Tuesday, August 22 | 8:45 PM | Bayer Hall - Pappert |
| Bowling, Women's | Tuesday, August 22 | 8:45 PM | Bayer Hall - Pappert |
| Track, Men's | Wednesday, August 23 | 8:45 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Track, Women's | Wednesday, August 23 | 8:45 PM | Bayer Hall - Wolfe |
| Basketball, Women's | Thursday August 24 | 4:00 PM | AJP Basketball Theatre |

New Legislation

August 1 is always an important date in NCAA Legislation as many of the proposals that were adopted in April are effective today. Below are five changes that are now effective and could impact your recruiting efforts this year.

1. **On Campus Contact with Former Student-Athletes** – You are now allowed to arrange on-campus contacts between a former student-athlete and a prospect or a prospects parent/guardian even if that former student-athlete is a booster.
2. **Permissible Callers Five Days Before an Official Visit** – Now a non-coaching staff member (e.g. Director of Operations) is permitted to make unlimited phone calls to a prospect five days before an official visit.
3. **Telephone Calls and Electronic Correspondence in Conjunction with an Unofficial Visit** – Beginning the day before, until the conclusion of the visit, a coach is permitted to make unlimited telephone calls and send electronic correspondence to a prospect and anyone accompanying the prospect on an unofficial visit.
4. **Off-Campus Contact within 1-Mile Radius During an Unofficial Visit** – You are now allowed to have contact with a prospect off-campus within a 1-mile radius of campus. You are also permitted to provide transportation in conjunction with that contact. For example, if you want to go to lunch at Chipotle in Market Square with a prospect on an unofficial visit, you can now drive them there for that meal. Just do not pay for it!
5. **Photograph During a Visit** – You are now permitted to provide a photograph to a prospect or their family member during an official or unofficial visit. It cannot be framed, but if you do a photoshoot activity, feel free to give the picture to the prospect.

Quick Hitters

- Summer camp season is about over. Please remember to file all appropriate paperwork with the Compliance at least 30 days after the camp concludes.
- If you have not taken it already, be sure to contact the Compliance Office for the NCAA Recruiting Exam. All exams will be done on an appointment basis. Please contact any member of the Compliance Office to schedule a date.
- Please remember to update the Compliance Office with all additions and deletions from your rosters. Forms can be found the Compliance Resource page.



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Compliance Trivia Question

Any DU Athletics staff member to **email the correct answer to Tyler (wardent@duq.edu)** in the Compliance Office wins 20 team points towards their Dukes Compliance Cup total.

Which of the following can be provided to a prospect on an unofficial visit?

- 3 Complementary tickets to a home event
- Transportation to Market Square for lunch
- A free meal at Red Ring
- All of the above

Important Dates

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| August 4 | Staff Outing 12:00 PM Paradise Island Bowl |
| August 15 | Freshmen Move-In |
| August 16 | Freshmen Orientation Begins |
| August 20 | Mass of the Holy Spirit 11:00 AM Chapel |
| August 21 | Fall Classes Begin |

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