Welcome!

We are looking forward to a successful year on and off the field for Southern Miss Athletics! The Compliance Office will be sending out these newsletters throughout the year with important updates regarding compliance issues. Please take a few minutes to read each newsletter closely, as these rules govern all of us. As always, if you read anything in the newsletter or elsewhere that you have questions about, please do not hesitate to contact any member of the compliance office; we are here to help you! #SMTTT

Reminders for Coaches

♦ Please be sure to fill out Unofficial Visit forms and have your recruits sign them each time a recruit visits Southern Miss;
♦ Please contact Scott Garrison for all football PSA complimentary ticket requests;
♦ Please continue to add your recruits to ARMS. As soon as we begin recruiting a PSA (e.g. call, evaluate, contact, etc.), he/she should be added to ARMS immediately;
♦ Below is a friendly reminder about the general CARA rules:

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<th>In Season</th>
<th>Out of Season (during academic year)</th>
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<td>4 hours per day</td>
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<td>20 hours per week</td>
<td>2 hours per week for skill instruction (except football)</td>
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Recruiting Calendars

FB: Quiet/ Evaluation Period all of September
Baseball: Quiet Period Sept. 1-10; Contact Period Sept. 11-30
MBB: Quiet Period Sept. 1-8; Recruiting Period Sept. 9-30
WBB: Quiet Period Sept. 1-8; Contact Period Sept. 9-29; Evaluations permitted at certified nonscholastic women's basketball events Sept. 25-27; Evaluation Period Sept. 30
All other sports: Contact Period all of September

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Academic Calendar
Aug. 28–Oct. 30
All approved drops between these dates will be issued a grade of W

September 23
Last day to withdraw from 8W1 courses

October 16
Deadline for name to appear in Fall Commencement Program
SPORTS WAGERING
As we enter the football season, please remember that as a staff member, you may not bet on any sport that the NCAA sponsors (e.g. football, basketball, tennis, etc.) at any level of that sport (e.g. high school, college, professional). Also, you may not provide information to individuals involved in or associated with any type of sports wagering activity. This includes information on injuries that are not disclosed to the public. Unfortunately, fantasy leagues are also included in this ban if a fee is charged to participate and each player has an opportunity to win a monetary prize (e.g. Draft Kings, Fan Duel). However, you are free to participate in fantasy leagues for fun that do not involve a wager of any kind, or participate in fantasy leagues that are free to enter even if a prize is offered to the winner. If you have any questions regarding sports wagering, please see the compliance office.

Upcoming USM Home Schedule

Football
6:00pm October 3: USM hosts North Texas

Men’s Golf
September 14-15: Sam H. Hall Intercollegiate at Hattiesburg Country Club

Soccer
4:00pm September 20: USM hosts South Alabama
1:00pm September 27: USM hosts Old Dominion

Volleyball
6:00pm September 15: USM hosts New Orleans
6:00pm September 25: USM hosts Florida Atlantic

Contact the Compliance Office with questions or concerns. Daniel is located in the Duff Athletic Center. Scott, Anthony and Stephen are in the West Football Stadium.

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Compliance Trivia Question

Throughout the year the compliance office will be keeping track of correct answers to our trivia questions. The points earned will go towards an end of the year prize provided by the compliance department. Please send all answers to the trivia question to Anthony (anthony.d.martinez@usm.edu). Only answers received within 1 week of the delivery of this newsletter will be counted.

If a student-athlete reports for athletics participation at USM prior to his or her qualifier status being certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center, the student-athlete may practice, but not compete during a period of how many days?

A. 14  C. 45
B. 60  D. 30