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Contact Period



Quiet Period



Dead Period



Evaluation Period



JUTTPFORWARS

Knott Wright University - Question of the Month

Bylaws: 16.02.4, 16.6.1.6- Institutional Sports Banquet

Knott Wright University (KWU) is conducting its annual cross country banquet at the end of the month. Kilo Meter, a sophomore student-athlete on the team, achieved First Team All-America honors this year, so her parents and two siblings would like to attend the banquet. Is it permissible for KWU to provide complimentary admissions to Kilo's family members?

Yes. NCAA Bylaw 16.6.1.6 states that an institution may provide complimentary admissions to an institutional awards banquet for the family members of any student-athlete being honored at the banquet. [R] (*Adopted: 11/1/00, Revised: 1/19/13 effective 8/1/13*)

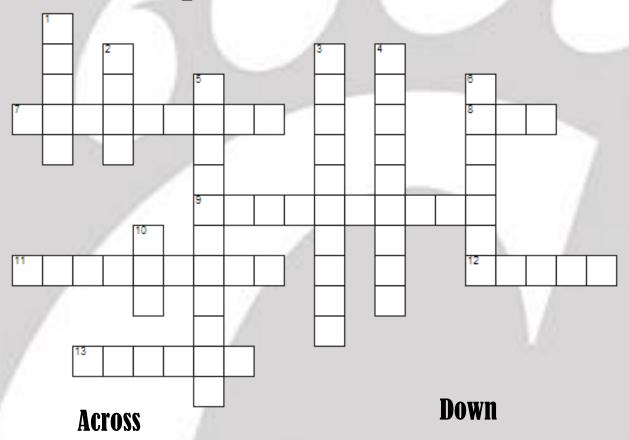
As a reminder, Bylaw 16.02.4 states that for purposes of Bylaw 16, a family member is an individual with any of the following relationships to a student-athlete: spouse, parent or legal guardian, child, sibling, grandparent, domestic partner or any individual whose close association with the student-athlete is the practical equivalent of a family relationship. (*Adopted: 1/19/13 effective 8/1/13*)

Mark your recruits as fully committed

If your prospects signed an NLI or GIA make sure you update their communication status so they are easily found and Compliance can open up communication rules within JumpForward (if applicable to your sport). To change their communication status do the following:

- Login got JumpForward and go to your prospect database.
- Check the box next to the prospect's name to select them.
- Click the STATUS button above the prospect list.
- Choose FULL COMMITMENT from the drop-down menu and click UPDATE.

Compliance Crossword



7 sport-related activities cannot be counted towards
athletically related activities in or out of season.
3. S-As have mandatory day(s) off while their sport is
out-of-season.
3. A S-A's failure to complete and sign a S-A Statement & Dru
Festing Consent Form results in the S-A becoming $___$ in all
sports.
1. A shall be eligible for financial aid, practice, and
competition during the first academic year.
2. All competition and athletically related activities on days o
competition counts as hours regardless of actual
duration of activities.
3. Sports that are in season have hours per week to
participate in Countable Athletically Related Activities.

year.
2. More than S-As from the same team may be
involved in skilled-related instruction with their
coaches from September 15th to April 15th.
3. A S-A may compete in an outside competition during the academic
year as a(n) provided the S-A represents themselves and
receives no expenses (with prior
Compliance approval).
4. Fall sports with a preseason have practice until first regular
season contest or first day of school.
5. A S-A may not in their sport if they missed the Team
Compliance Meeting or did not see the Compliance Office.
6. A prospect that attends an orientation session for the upcoming
fall term is now a athlete.
10. A full covers tuition and fees, room and board, and required

1. A S-A must have a declared by the beginning of their junior

Make sure to fill this out and return to Trever Wright for some candy!

course-related materials.

All submissions will be raffled off to win a gift certificate drawn in May.

News Headlines

(USAToday.com, Nov.) — The men's basketball program at Southern Miss is under investigation by the NCAA for violations that are alleged to have occurred during Tennessee coach Donnie Tyndall's tenure there, multiple media outlets reported. The investigation reportedly stems from possible financial assistance that was given to Southern Miss players who were academically ineligible at the time.

Under the NCAA's Proposition 48, ineligible players are able to take coursework to become eligible prior to receiving a scholarship. But the investigation, first reported by Bleacher Report, will examine how tuition fees were handled for those ineligible players.

In a previously scheduled press conference Thursday, Tyndall said he would cooperate with the investigation, if asked. "That's all I will say or can say at this time," he said. Tyndall added that he has not yet been contacted by any investigators.

Later in the day, the athletic department released a statement regarding the investigation into the former program of Tyndall, who was hired as the Vols' coach in April. "We are aware of the situation at Southern Miss and will not comment further until there is a resolution," the statement read. "We have an extensive vetting process with all potential coaching candidates, including very specific conversations with the NCAA and school officials at Southern Miss regarding compliance during Coach Tyndall's tenure there, during which no issues were brought to our attention.

"In a statement, Southern Miss acknowledged that the school is "working together with the NCAA to review potential issues related to our men's basketball program. "This is not the first time that a Tyndall-led program has been accused of committing violations. In 2010, sanctions were brought on Tyndall's Morehead State program for an incident that involved a booster offering improper benefits to recruits, among other violations. Upon his hiring at Tennessee, Tyndall told reporters that the Morehead State situation was a learning experience for him.

Reminder:

The residence halls and dining halls are closed from December 13, 2013 to January 11, 2014.

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Remember to

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