

## **COMPLIANCE NEWS**

April 11, 2014 - April 17, 2014

### **RECRUITING CALENDER**

## <u>Baseball</u>

Apr 11 – Apr 13: Contact Period Apr 14 – Apr 17: Dead Period

### Men's Basketball

Apr 11 – Apr 13: Contact Period Apr 14 – Apr 17: Dead Period

### Women's Basketball

Apr 11 – Apr 13: Quiet Period Apr 14 – Apr 17: Dead Period

#### Football

Apr 11 – Apr 14: Quiet Period Apr 15 – Apr 17: Evaluation Period

### Cross Country/Track

Apr 11 – Apr 17: Contact Period

### Women's Volleyball

Apr 11 – Apr 13: Quiet Period Apr 14 – Apr 17: Dead Period

### Men's & Women's Golf

Apr 14 - Apr 17: Dead Period

### Women's Tennis

Apr 14 - Apr 17: Dead Period

#### Women's Rowing

Apr 14 - Apr 17: Dead Period

# **Tip of the Week**

# **Periods of Recruiting Activities**

Dead Period – A dead period is a period of time when it is not permissible to make in-person recruiting contacts or evaluations on or off the institution's campus or to permit official or unofficial visits by prospective student athletes to the institution's campus. The provision of complimentary admissions to a prospective studentathlete during a dead period is prohibited, except as provided in Bylaw 13.7.2.5 for a prospective studentathlete who visits an institution as part of a group. During a dead period, a coaching staff member may not serve as a speaker at or attend a meeting or banquet at which prospective student-athletes are in attendance except as provided in Bylaw 13.1.8.1 and may not visit a prospective student-athlete's educational institution. It remains permissible, however, for an institutional staff member to write or telephone a prospective student athlete during a dead period.

NCAA Bylaws 13.02.5

# **WSU Compliance News**

- Coaches please remember that CARA forms are due each Monday of the new week.
- Also phone logs are due for March, please turn them in as soon as possible.

# **NCAA News: Random NCAA Drug Test Saved Pitchers Life**

ELON, NC—Joe McGillicuddy was randomly selected for the NCAA drug test last fall. The test revealed devastating news.

Last fall, Joe was one of five Elon student athletes selected to take a drug test. It was nothing out of the ordinary, just routine NCAA testing. However, what the test revealed was anything but ordinary.

Joe's test revealed extremely high levels of testosterone. The levels were so high, it was not even consistent with positive drug testing results. The school trusted that Joe wasn't doping, realizing the levels could point to something more serious. They advised him to get further testing by a doctor.

"I was throwing well, everything was going great, my classes were great. I wasn't worried about something like this," said Joe.

Further testing determined that Joe had testicular cancer. According to the <u>American Cancer Society</u>, the average age at the time of diagnosis of testicular cancer is about 33. Joe was 21.

That random drug test found something that was otherwise unnoticed.

Head baseball coach, Mike Kennedy said, "What a blessing because he had zero symptoms. He was going through all our workouts playing at a high level, very advanced in the weight room, very advanced on the field, no symptoms whatsoever and really competing at a high level."

"If we didn't find out when we did, you just can't even imagine the consequences," said Joe.

Since the diagnosis, Joe has been through three cycles of chemotherapy. He beat cancer. Now, he's working out with the baseball team again to get his arm in shape to pitch.

"A lot of times these young guys. They think they're invincible and they can do a lot of things. It just creates a dose of reality," said Coach Kennedy.

Joe has a different outlook on things now. He's dedicated to be an advocate for people who go through similar situations. Joe volunteered at cancer centers near his hometown of Fairfax, VA while he was undergoing treatment.

- 1. Institutional financial aid based in any degree on athletics ability may NOT be reduced or canceled during the period of the award if the recipient \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Renders himself or herself ineligible for intercollegiate competition.
  - b. Performs below athletic expectations.
  - c. Engages in serious misconduct warranting substantial disciplinary penalty by the institution's disciplinary board.
- 2. An institution may pay the air transportation for two parents (or legal guardians) to accompany a prospective student-athlete during an OFFICIAL visit.
  - a. True.
  - b. False.

# **LOGIC PUZZLE**

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Five patients, all potential blood donors, are waiting in the doctor's surgery and are sitting on the bench from left to right. Can you determine the position of each patient along with their blood group, age, height and weight? Their ages are 5, 9, 30, 46 and 60. Their heights are 40, 48, 60, 65 and 74. Their weights are 40, 75, 96, 125 and 165.

- The person on the far right is 37 years older than Jason, and is 60 inches tall.
- Jason weighs 56 pounds more than his height.
- Alan weighs 75 pounds and is 74 inches tall.
- John is type AB and weighs 56 pounds less than Jason.
- The person in the centre is 9 years old, is blood type AO and weighs 96 pounds.
- Adam, who is the first, is 65 inches tall, and weighs 100 pounds more than his height.
- The person who is blood type O, is 25 years older than the person to the left of them.
- Kevin is 60 years old.
- The person who is blood type A, is 55 years younger than Kevin and is not next to the person who is type AO.
- The person who is next to the 9 year old but not next to the person who is 65 inches tall, is blood type B, and weighs 125 pounds.

#	Name	Туре	Age	Height	Weight

# All Sports (except Football and Basketball)

• Beginning July 1<sup>st</sup> at the completion of the junior year – **One Call Per Week** 

# **Football**

• Beginning September 1<sup>st</sup> of the senior year – **One Call Per Week** 

# Men's Basketball

• Beginning June 15<sup>th</sup> at the completion of the sophomore year – **Unlimited Phone Calls** 

# Women's Basketball

Beginning September 1<sup>st</sup> at the beginning of the junior year – Unlimited Phone Calls

# **Compliance Website/Social Media**

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- Compliance Website <a href="http://www.wsucougars.com/compliance">http://www.wsucougars.com/compliance</a>
- Compliance Facebook <a href="http://www.facebook.com/WSUCompliance">http://www.facebook.com/WSUCompliance</a>
  - Compliance Twitter <a href="http://twitter.com/WSUCompliance">http://twitter.com/WSUCompliance</a>

# **Compliance Quiz Answers**

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### Answers to Compliance Quiz:

- 1. B) Performs below athletic expectations. 15.3.4.2; 15.3.4.3.
- 2. B) False. 13.5.2.1; 13.5.2.2.1

