

# UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

## END OF YEAR STUDENT-ATHLETE COMPLIANCE MEETING

1. Summer Contact Form (online)
  - a. Please complete the online form prior to **May 20<sup>th</sup>**! An email with the link to complete the form was emailed to all student-athletes on April 17.
2. Summer Reminders
  - a. Athletic Department Policies
    - i. All Athletic Department policies remain in effect for all student-athletes during the summer.
    - ii. This includes the Student-Athlete Code of Conduct, Drug Education and Testing Program, Sports Wagering, etc.
    - iii. All of the policies can be found in the Student-Athlete Handbook which you received a PDF of at the beginning of the year and is also located on the UWM compliance website.
  - b. Summer Athletic Financial Aid
    - i. Eligibility
      1. In order to receive athletic aid during the summer term, you must:
        - a. Have received athletic aid during the spring 2017 term or will be receiving athletic aid for the first time in fall 2017;
        - b. Be taking classes required for your major or NCAA eligibility;
        - c. Be taking classes through UWM (online or in-person).
          - i. Courses taken at other institutions are NOT covered by your athletic scholarship.
      - ii. **CHANGE:** Due to recent changes in NCAA rules, the UWM Athletic Department has changed the amount of athletic aid that student-athletes can receive during the summer.
        1. Full tuition will be award to all student-athletes meeting the above criteria for their first two summer school courses.
        2. Any courses beyond the first two summer school courses will be covered by athletic aid in the same proportion that you received during the previous academic year or will be receiving for the following academic year if you were not on aid this year.
        3. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or better (unless a lower grade is applicable to your degree). Failure to complete a course with a degree applicable grade may result in future requests for summer athletic aid to be denied.
          - a. There will be an appeal process outlined in next year's Student-Athlete Handbook.
      - iii. If you receive full room and board during the regular academic year, you will receive room and board for the weeks that you are enrolled in class and living in Milwaukee.
      - iv. The Compliance Office will monitor summer school enrollment and will post any athletic aid to a student-athlete's account after they have enrolled.
        1. You will receive an email from Jill once your athletic aid has been posted.
        2. If you change your summer schedule after receiving the email from Jill, YOU MUST NOTIFY JILL AND YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR OF THE CHANGE.
        3. If you are required to be in summer school, a hold will be placed on your account to prevent changes from being made without approval. If you need to change your schedule you will need to contact your academic advisor.
  3. Employment
    - a. If you are going to have a job over the summer (or at any time), please remember the NCAA guidelines for employment:
      - i. You can only be paid for work you actually perform;
      - ii. You must be paid the "going rate" (meaning the same rate as everyone else doing your job).
  4. Camps
    - a. Employment

- i. You can be paid for working at a camp or clinic only if you engage in some type of supervisory activity.
    - ii. You cannot be paid if you only lecture or demonstrate.
    - iii. International Students-Per Visa guidelines, you are not allowed to engage in off-campus employment which includes camps (even the camps run by your coaches).
  - b. Athletic Activity
    - i. Regular camp activities are not considered countable athletically related activities.
    - ii. Any athletic activities that are not part of the camp (i.e. pick up game during lunch hour) must be done as a voluntary activity and the coaches cannot be present.
5. Summer Workouts
- a. All summer workouts for sports other than basketball are voluntary.
    - i. In order for a workout to be considered voluntary the following conditions must be met:
      1. You cannot be required to report the activity back to any coaches or athletic department staff;
      2. Nobody that observes the activity can report information back to the coaches;
      3. The activity must be initiated and requested by you;
      4. It is permissible for specific times to be provided to you for use of facilities;
      5. Attendance at the activity may not be recorded;
      6. You cannot be subjected to any penalty for not participating and cannot be given a reward for participating.
    - ii. Individual Sports
      1. A coach may participate in individual workout sessions with you during the summer provided that the request for the workout came from you.
      2. These are still voluntary workouts, and thus you cannot be penalized for not participating or rewarded for participating.
  - b. Basketball Summer Athletic Activity
    - i. You can engage in required weight-training, conditioning and skill-related instruction for up to 8 weeks.
    - ii. Activity is limited to 8 hours per week and not more than 2 hours can be skill instruction.
    - iii. You must either be enrolled in summer school or meet academic benchmarks in order to participate.
6. Summer Leagues-Basketball
- a. You may participate in one summer league between June 15 and August 31
  - b. The League must be certified by the NCAA in order for you to participate
  - c. You must receive permission from the Athletic Director prior to any participation-You can do this by completing the attached form and turning it in to the compliance office
  - d. No more than 2 players with remaining eligibility can participate on the same team
7. Summer League-Soccer
- a. You may participate an outside team starting May 1<sup>st</sup>
  - b. No more than 5 players from UWM can participate on the same team
  - c. You must receive approval prior to beginning any activity-you can do this by completing the attached form and turning it in to the compliance office
  - d. You cannot miss class for any practice or competition
8. Summer League-Volleyball
- a. You may participate an outside team starting May 1<sup>st</sup>
  - b. No more than 2 players from UWM can participate on the same team
  - c. You must receive approval prior to beginning any activity-you can do this by completing the attached form and turning it in to the compliance office
  - d. You cannot miss class for any practice or competition
  - e. All practice and competition is limited to doubles tournaments in outdoor volleyball, either on beach or grass
9. Summer League-Baseball
- a. You may participate in a summer baseball league starting after the conclusion of the UWM season and only during the official summer vacation period

- b. No more than 4 players from UWM can participate on the same team
- c. You must receive approval prior to beginning any activity-you can do this by completing the attached form and turning it in to the compliance office

10. Student-Athlete Survey

- a. Survey's should have been completed by today.
- b. Thank you for everyone that has completed it!