COMPLIMENTARY ADMISSIONS REMINDERS

Official Visits
- During an official visit a prospect may receive a maximum of three complimentary admissions to a home athletics event. If a prospect is a member of a nontraditional family (e.g., divorce, separation), he/she may receive up to two additional complimentary admissions to accommodate the parents accompanying the prospect (e.g., stepparents).
- Complimentary admissions are to be used only by the prospect and those individuals accompanying the prospect on the visit. Current student-athletes may NOT receive a complimentary admission from the prospect unless the current student-athlete is a relative of the prospect (e.g., brother, sister).
- It is permissible for a current student-athlete to receive a complimentary admission to attend an athletics event if the athlete is the prospect’s host. If a prospect has multiple hosts, only one host may receive a complimentary admission.

Unofficial Visits
- During an unofficial visit a prospect may receive a maximum of three complimentary admissions to a home athletics event.
- Complimentary admissions are to be used only by the prospect and those individual accompanying the prospect on the visit. Current student-athletes may NOT receive a complimentary admission from the prospect unless the current student-athlete is a relative of the prospect (e.g., brother, sister).

Entertainment for Prospects’ Coaches
- Entertainment of a high school, preparatory school or two-year college coach or any other individual responsible for teaching or directing an activity in which a prospect is involved is limited to a maximum of two complimentary admissions to a home athletics event.

NEW LEGISLATION - TIME LIMITS FOR ATHLETICALLY RELATED ACTIVITIES
Effective immediately, countable athletically related activities may not occur between midnight and 5 a.m. except for during participation in a conference championship or an NCAA championship, in any competition that begins prior to midnight and concludes after midnight or a promotional practice activity (e.g., first practice of the season).

MEDIA GUIDE LEGISLATION UPDATE
In January, the proposals regarding media guides were forwarded to the NCAA membership for review. This legislation will be voted on in April. Proposal 2009-41 would prohibit an institution from printing in a hard copy format a media guide, recruiting brochure or any other athletics publication. This proposal has an immediate effective date. Proposal 2009-42 would prohibit an institution from providing a printed media guide or other athletics publications to a prospect, the prospect’s parents, school and coaches. This proposal has an August 1, 2010 effective date.

GAMBLING REMINDER
With the Super Bowl just around the corner, please keep in mind that it is not permissible for athletics department staff members to participate in any sports wagering activities involving the NFL. Staff members may not participate in sports wagering activities in which there is an entry fee required or there is an opportunity to win a prize (e.g., Fantasy Leagues, betting pools).

COMPLIANCE MEETING REMINDER
The first compliance meeting (for all sports other than MFB, MBB, WBB, MIH, WVB) for the spring semester is February 17 @ 8:30 a.m. in the Smith Center.