



RALPHIE'S REVIEW



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PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES

CU or a recognized entity of CU (e.g., fraternity, sorority or student government organization), the Big 12 Conference, or a charitable, educational or nonprofit agency may use a student-athlete's name, picture or appearance to support its charitable or educational activities or to support activities considered incidental to the student-athlete's participation in intercollegiate athletics, provided:

- The activity is approved by Compliance
- The activity does not involve co-sponsorship or promotion by a commercial agency (e.g. Food Drive, sponsored by HotPockets)
- The student-athlete does not miss class
- The student-athlete does not appear in any printed items containing multiple commercial items from the same company (e.g., The Chipotle Classic with pictures of SA's eating burritos)
- All funds go directly to the organization

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VOLUNTEER ASST. COACH

In sports other than football and basketball, a volunteer coach is any coach who does not receive compensation or remuneration from the CU Athletics Department or any organization associated with the athletic department (e.g., CU Foundation, Bank of the West). The individual:

- Is prohibited from recruiting off-campus and from off-campus scouting of opponents
- May perform recruiting coordination functions
- May receive a maximum of two complimentary tickets to a home contest in their sport.
- May receive complimentary meals incidental to organized team activities (e.g., pre- or postgame meals, occasional meals, but not training table meals)
- May receive meals provided during a PSA's official visit, provided the individual dines with the prospective student-athlete.

Please note, volunteer coaches can get paid for working camps.

PROTECT

YOUR  TEAM

OBLIGATION TO WITHHOLD

If a student-athlete is ineligible under N.C.A.A. rules, CU is obligated to apply immediately the applicable rule and to withhold the student-athlete from all intercollegiate competition. The student-athlete is ineligible from the time the violation is discovered, although CU may appeal to the Committee on Student-Athlete Reinstatement for restoration of the student-athlete's eligibility.

REIMBURSEMENT FOR TRAVEL TO PRACTICE & COMPETITION

CU may not reimburse a student-athlete if the individual provides his or her own transportation to attend practice at an on- or off-campus site. However, CU may pay necessary parking fees incurred by student-athletes in conjunction with practice and competition.

PRE-SEASON WITHDRAWALS

Once an individual becomes a counter in a head-count sport, the individual normally continues as a counter for the remainder of the academic year. However, if he or she voluntarily withdraws from the team prior to the first day of classes or before the first contest of the season (whichever is earlier) and releases the institution from its obligation to provide financial aid, the individual no longer would be considered a counter.

SKILL INSTRUCTION

From September 15 until April 15, it is permissible for sports (other than football) to provide skill instruction to their student-athletes in groups of more than four. Multiple sessions can be held concurrently in DIFFERENT facilities (e.g. Coors, Carlson, the Rec Center).

COMPLIANCE UNSUNG HERO



BYRON ELLIS

Marketing

Byron has been a real asset to CU Athletics, both as a Buffs student-athlete and with the Marketing Office. His experience as a student-athlete gave him a unique perspective of NCAA rules. Byron was able to use that knowledge in the promotional activities duties he assumed by overseeing the *Read With The Buffs* program. Byron was "Big Time" with that program and will be missed now that his internship is complete. Best of luck Byron!

OFFICIAL VISIT REQUESTS

- To request an Official Visit, please:
- Complete an Official Function form for any group meals provided (with attendees!)
 - Compile a detailed itinerary
 - Submit transcripts and test scores to Dee Menzies for a Core Evaluation
 - The PSA must be registered with the NCAA Eligibility Center

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