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12th Monarch,

The 2017 Old Dominion University football season is ready to kick-off and we look forward to seeing you back on campus. We enter the 2017 campaign having sold out every home game since 2009; that’s 54 consecutive capacity crowds in Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium. That makes you part of history, as we try to extend this streak.

In this letter last year, I said that Coach Wilder and the Monarchs were trying to obtain their first bowl bid. Mission Accomplished! When the 2016 Bahamas Bowl Champions take the field this season, they know you’ll be there providing some of the best game day atmosphere in the country.

Coach Wilder and the Monarchs provide the best college football game day experience in our area. This season, the rest of the country can tune in to all six home games and witness for themselves the excitement in S.B. Ballard Stadium. What a tribute to our 12th Monarch fan base.

Thank you for your loyalty and continued support.

Go Monarchs!

Dr. Wood Selig
Director of Athletics
GAME DAY

ODU TAILGATE AND FANFEST AREA ON KAUFMAN MALL
On game days Kaufman Mall is turned into a fan experience with fun atmosphere including; live DJ, tabling vendors, ODU apparel for sale, the Monarchs’ pre-game radio show broadcast and open space for tailgating with family and friends. The ODU Tailgate and Fanfest Area opens three and a half hours before kick-off. *Weather permitting.

MONARCH MARCH
Don’t miss this tradition as the Monarch players and coaches’ march through campus on their way to S.B. Ballard Stadium. The march starts two hours and 20 minutes before kickoff. *Weather permitting.

“BOBBY WILDER COACH’S SHOW”
Join us Thursday’s at Wild Wing Café, 1437 Sams Circle in Chesapeake! The show runs from 7-8pm and if you can’t be there in person hear it live on the ODU Sports Radio Network! Visit ODUSports.com for any updates of date or time changes throughout the season.

FAN PROMOTIONS

*Located under the ‘Fan Zone’ tab at ODUSports.com.

LEXUS CUSTOMER APPRECIATION
Lexus owners can receive a complimentary gift/offer when they present their key at the Lexus Guest Services tent inside S.B. Ballard Stadium at all home games this season. Keep an eye on your email for additional owner benefits for Lexus drivers throughout the 2017 season! *Game tickets are not included. Limit two (2) items per customer. Subject to availability. Restrictions may apply.

MOE’S SOUTHWEST GRILL
*Taco Tuesday*
When the ODU Football Monarchs score 28 points and win (home or away), ODU fans can visit the 7550 Granby Street or 520 West 21st Street, Norfolk Moe’s Southwest Grill locations the following Tuesday and receive one (1) FREE Taco by showing their game ticket stub or student ID. Limit one ticket per person, one taco per person. Offer expires 12/31/17.

NORFOLK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
*T-Shirt Launch*
Here is your chance to catch a flying t-shirt that could have a $500 air travel certificate inside form your airline of choice that serves the Norfolk International Airport!
WHEN ODU SCORES, YOU SCORE.

If ODU scores 28 points or more, bring in your ticket stub or student ID on Tuesday after the game for a FREE TACO.

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FAN CONTESTS / REGISTER–TO–WIN

ABNB “Monarch for a Day”
Register at any ABNB branch locations for your chance to win (2) two game tickets, pre-game hospitality in the ODU Sports Properties hospitality tent, sideline access during the first quarter and an once-in-a-lifetime experience leading out the Monarchs onto the field before kick-off!

MCDONALDS MONARCH TEE KID
Monarch fans ages 6-13 years of age could win the opportunity of a lifetime: Monarch Honorary Kickoff Kid! One lucky kid will be selected for every home game to run onto the field after the Monarchs first kickoff to retrieve the tee. Each winner will receive the opportunity to be on the field during pre-game warm-ups, four (4) game tickets and hospitality for the winner and his/her family, and a McDonalds official tee kid t-shirt and more! Visit ODUSports.com for registration link under “Fan Zone.”

BUD’S PLUMBING, HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
“Bud’s Hot Seat Experience”
Register to win at ODUSports.com for you and a guest to “move” down to the ODU home sideline for one select quarter. Two game tickets and pre-game hospitality will be included along with official Bud’s Hot Seat t-shirts.

TOYOTA “Return for a Ride Contest”
Fans, register online at ODUSports.com football homepage for your chance to win a two year lease on a new Toyota if an ODU player returns the opening kickoff, (first or second half)! *Home games only. *Specific car details can be found on ODUSports.com!

Other season long enter to win contests include YNOT Italian and the Virginia 529 College Savings Plan. Make sure to visit ODUSports.com for more details!
Our friendly, helpful, well-trained staff will ensure that your event experience will be an enjoyable and memorable one. The guest services tent is located at the South East end of the stadium, next to section 122.

**GUESTS WITH DISABILITIES**
The Stadium is accessible to all guests and features accessible seating and three companion seats at the bottom of sections 101, 102, 108, 109, 114, 115, 121 and 122. Wheelchair seating is available at the bottom of sections 105, 111 and 112. ADA parking is available on the first level of the Red Garage located on the corner of 49th Street and Bluestone Ave. To obtain more detailed information regarding our services for guests with disabilities, you may contact the Box Office at (757) 683.4444.

**ALCOHOL POLICY**
Alcoholic beverages or containers of any kind are NOT permitted inside the stadium. Persons identified with alcohol will be asked to leave the premises. Guests appearing intoxicated will be subject to ejection and turned over to police.

**ANIMALS**
Animals are not permitted in or on stadium grounds, with the exception of trained service animals for our fans with disabilities.

**ATM LOCATIONS**
Portable ATM's will be available on the East Plaza located behind section 120.

**BABY CHANGING STATION**
One family restroom with a baby changing station is located on the south side of the Atlantic Bay Football Complex. Changing stations also located on the east and west side of the stadium in the restrooms.

**BAG CHECKS**
All purses and diaper bags will be inspected prior to entrance to Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium.

**BANNERS / SIGNS / FLAGS**
Handheld banners/signs are approved as long as they represent good sportsmanship and do not block the view of others. Flags are approved, however, flag poles are not allowed and flags cannot block the view of others.

**CAMERAS**
Still cameras and mobile phones with lenses less than six inches are allowed, however flash photography and stands/tripods are prohibited. Videos cameras are not allowed in the stadium.

**CONCESSIONS**
ARAMARK is the concessionaire for games at the stadium. Points of sale locations are located behind the east and west sides of the stadium.

**DRONE USE**
FAA regulations prohibit the operation of unmanned aerial vehicles, a.k.a. drones, in the immediate vicinity of Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium during game days.

**FIRST AID**
If medical assistance is required, notify the nearest Event Staff person. They will escort you to the Bon Secours First Aid station. The facility is fully equipped to handle all minor injuries. The station is located on the first floor in the Atlantic Bay Football Complex at the south end of the stadium.

**FAN BEHAVIOR**
Individuals attending athletic events at Old Dominion University are expected to conduct themselves in a manner respectable of the nature and character of the University. Persons acting in a disruptive, disrespectful, or disorderly manner may be asked to leave the premises or be subject to criminal sanctions. Students may also be subject to sanctions of the University's Code of Student Conduct.

Old Dominion University offers an in-stadium, fan assistance program at football games to assist fans in alerting game management on a variety of concerns ranging from ticket and medical emergencies to inappropriate language. Fans have several options to report their concerns, to include alerting the nearest usher or a member of the game management staff, or sending a text to (757) 617.7457 with your seat location and concern during the game. A member of the game management staff will respond to the message immediately. Public address and LED announcements will run throughout the game providing the text number for fans.
GATE OPENINGS
General Public gates (A, B, D, & E) open 90 minutes prior to game time. Suites/Loge gate (C) open two (2) hours prior to game time.

GAME PROGRAMS
Game day programs are available for purchase at all gate entrances to the stadium for $5.

INCLEMENT WEATHER AND CLOSURE
Decisions on whether to cancel athletic events will be made by the Director of Athletics or the designated athletic administrator in accordance with NCAA Guidelines and any conference guidelines in coordination with the opposing head coach and team. Announcements will be made on the Athletic Department website at www.odusports.com, media outlets throughout Hampton Roads, and social media. Every attempt will be made to conduct an athletic event, barring any unsafe local, or regional conditions especially if the visiting opponent has arrived at the athletic venue or is in the city limits.

ITEMS NOT PERMITTED INSIDE STADIUM
- Alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs
- Backpacks or large bags
- Glass bottles or aluminum cans
- Coolers or containers
- Fireworks, firearms, or other weapons
- Beach balls and other inflatables
- Outside food and beverage
- Skateboards or rollerblades
- Water bottles or mugs
- Items that can be thrown such as balls or Frisbees

NOISE MAKERS NOT PERMITTED
- Cowbells
- Horns
- Whistles
- Drums
- Megaphones

APPROVED NOISE MAKERS
- Thunder sticks
- Balloons
- Rollabana

LOST AND FOUND
All Lost and Found items are to be turned into the Guest Services tent located at the South East end of the stadium next to section 122.

MERCHANDISE
The Follett/University Village bookstore and its on-campus satellite locations are the exclusive vendors for game days. The bookstore will have five satellite retail locations in and around the stadium, selling Monarch fan gear and spirit items. Sales tents are located outside Gate C, at Gates A and D at Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium, on Kaufman Mall and the Blue Lot (WHRO parking lot). In addition, the Village bookstore on Monarch Way will be open from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. on game days.

MERCHANDISE LICENSING REGULATIONS
Any non-Follett vendor that is selling merchandise on the campus will be served with a cease and desist letter, will have their merchandise seized and be asked to leave the campus by University Police. Any vendor that is selling merchandise off the ODU campus should have the appropriate peddler’s license from the City of Norfolk. The Norfolk Police Department will patrol the outlying areas of campus to make sure vendors have the appropriate license. Any vendors without a license will be written a citation by the Norfolk Police. Only merchandise items bearing the CLC approved hologram emblem on the tag are official ODU licensed items. If an item does not have this hologram, it is not an Old Dominion University authorized item. If interested in becoming an ODU licensed vendor to sell merchandise off campus, please visit www.odu.edu/licensing.

PLAYING FIELD
Guests do not have access to the playing field at any time. VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO ARREST AND MAY BE PROCESSED.

PRESS BOX / COACHES BOX
The press box is located at the top of section 105 on the west side of the Stadium; this area is restricted to only those who have proper identifiable credentials. The coaches’ box is located at the top of section 118 on the east side of the Stadium; this area is restricted to only those who have proper identifiable credentials.

RESTROOM FACILITIES
Restroom facilities are located on the east and west sides of the stadium and the south Atlantic Bay Football Complex. Portable restrooms are also available in various locations surrounding the stadium.

SOLICITATION
The selling and/or distribution of any item by anyone other than University authorized personnel in and around Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium and the ODU campus, including parking lots, is prohibited. Violators are subject to prosecution.

SMOKING
Smoking is not permitted in the seating areas, plaza/concourse, or restrooms. The smoking area is located outside gates A and D. Smoking is restricted to the designated areas.

STADIUM RE-ENTRY
Re-entry to stadium is prohibited.

STADIUM SEATS
Portable stadium seats are permitted inside Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium provided the seats do not exceed a width of 18” and a depth of 11”

UMBRELLAS
Umbrellas are discouraged inside the stadium. However, as a guest service, personal sized umbrellas shall be allowed. Umbrellas shall not be opened or raised in the seating areas to preserve an unimpaired view by others, and should be stored under seats at all times.

PNC GRIDIRON CLUB / SUITE WRISTBAND POLICY
All suite and club ticket holders will be given a wristband upon entrance allowing them access to their designated seat locations in the Atlantic Bay Football Complex.
TICKET INFORMATION

NON-GAME DAYS
The Box Office is located in the Ted Constant Convocation Center on the corner of 43rd Street and Hampton Blvd. The hours of operation are 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Friday, and 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. on Saturday, as well as variable hours on event days. The Ted Constant Convocation Center Box Office is the main contact for Old Dominion University men’s and women’s basketball games, wrestling matches held in the Constant Center, football, and all non-ODU Athletic Events.

GAME DAYS ONLY
The stadium ticket office is located on the east side of the 49th Street parking garage, located directly behind the Atlantic Bay Football Complex. The box office will open three hours prior to kickoff.

SEASON / SINGLE GAME TICKETS
Every year Old Dominion University has season football tickets available due to attrition and ticket returns from visiting teams. To inquire about season and single game tickets pricing and availability please visit www.ynottix.com. Call the athletic ticket office for more information at (757) 683.4444.

STUDENT TICKETS
STUDENT TICKETS FOR FOOTBALL AVAILABLE ONLINE! Old Dominion University students, who have paid the student activity fee, are admitted free to all Old Dominion University athletic events. Student tickets can be transferred to other ODU Students ONLY by logging on to odusports.com/students. The resale or attempted resale of the ticket at a higher price than appearing on the ticket is grounds for seizure and voided without compensation. Tickets which are lost, stolen, and counterfeit or obtained from an unauthorized source will be voided. The registration schedule for ODU Student Ticket is available at odusports.com/students. Students will need to type in their UIN number and password and select the appropriate game. One student ticket is permitted per UIN number.

STUDENT GUEST TICKETS
Available on a limited basis for football and basketball games. Guest tickets must be purchased at the same time as student registration, and limited to four guest tickets per ID in the student section. Student Guest Registration schedule is available at odusports.com/students. Our football game against WKU on Friday, October 20, has been designated as Family Day. Discounted tickets for this contest will be available to families participating in Family Weekend. For more information contact the Student Transition and Family Programs at (757) 683.3428.

STUDENT ENTRANCE
The McDonald’s Student Entrance is located at Gate E in the northwest corner of the Stadium. The Student Entrance opens 90 minutes prior to kick-off and is open throughout the game. Students must have a current ODU student ID and ticket for admission to the stadium.

VISITING TEAM FANS
Visiting team fans are guests of Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium. Harassment of the visiting team or its fans will not be tolerated and may result in ejection of the offender.

WILL CALL
• Public will call is located at the Stadium Ticket Office next to Gate C.
• High School Prospects will call is located at Gate D.
• Visiting Team will call is located at Gate A.
• Media will call will be located at the service gate by Gate D.
• High School Coaches’ and ODU Team will call is located at Gate D.
• Suite Holders VIP will call is located at Gate C.
Please have photo ID available when picking up tickets. All will call windows open two hours prior to kickoff. Gate D will call opens 90 minutes prior to game.

CAN'T MAKE THE GAME?
Season Ticket holders can transfer tickets to others online at www.ynottix.com/myaccount. Simply log in and select the game(s) and seats you want to share. An email will be sent to the recipient of your tickets so they can print the tickets at home.

ODU Athletics is proud to partner with StubHub as the official resale marketplace for ODU football tickets. Visit www.ynottix.com/myaccount to link your season ticket account to StubHub, providing a safe and secure platform to sell tickets you are unable to use.
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Students

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Visitors

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For additional information about premium seating options, please contact the ODAF at (757) 683.6961

**LUXURY SUITES**
The third and fourth levels of the Atlantic Bay Football Complex feature 26 spacious suites including patio, loft, and standard styles. Suites include tiered stadium seating, upholstered furniture, televisions, and food and beverage service.

Suites will open two (2) hours before each game. Suite entrances are located at Gate C or Garage E levels three and four. Suites are located on the third and fourth floor of the south Football building. Suites 300-312 are located on the third floor and suites 401-412 are located on the fourth floor. Access to the suite levels requires proper credentials.

**PNC GRIDIRON CLUB**
Located on the second floor of the Atlantic Bay Football Complex, PNC Gridiron Club Seats are available in two and four-seat packages. PNC Gridiron Club ticket holders receive exclusive access to the terrace level and scholarship lounge, which includes a full service bar and upscale concessions. Standing Room Only Tickets are also available.

PNC Gridiron Club Seats (sections 201-211) and the Scholarship Lounge will open 45 minutes before each game. PNC Gridiron Club ticket holders can enter through Gate C or the second level of Garage E. Access to PNC Gridiron Club Seating requires proper tickets and/or credentials.

**PREMIUM SIDELINE SEATS**
Ticket holders with premium mid-field seating have access to the Lexus Field Pass Terrace, on the ground level of the Atlantic Bay Football Complex. Donors must have a minimum ODAF donation of $1,000 to purchase these seats.

**FIELD PASS TERRACE**
The Lexus Field Pass Terrace will open 90 minutes before game time and remain open throughout the game. Alcohol will be served on the Terrace until the start of the fourth quarter. Langley Premium Sideline Seat ticket holders are allowed access to the Terrace with their game ticket, which contains a silver Langley logo on the ticket.

**THE SCHOLARSHIP LOUNGE**
The Scholarship Lounge is located on the second floor of the complex and opens 45 minutes prior to kick-off, and is open throughout the game. The lounge is open to suite and PNC Gridiron Club seat holders, who may purchase a buffet meal and beverages in a climate controlled environment.
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TAILGATING INFORMATION

Old Dominion University wants you to have an enjoyable experience during your visit to campus. The parking and tailgating policies below are designed to ensure your safety and comfort. Tailgating is permissible in surface lots and designated spots on campus. Admission to campus surface lots will be by display of a proper vehicle pass, provided by the ODAF.

1. Tailgating areas will open four (4) hours prior to each football game’s kickoff. TAILGATING AT HALFTIME AND DURING THE GAME IS PROHIBITED and fans must vacate the parking lots no later than two hours after the completion of the game.

2. University and Virginia state statutes and regulations on drug and alcohol consumption will be strictly enforced. University policy and state law precludes the serving of alcoholic beverages to anyone less than 21 years of age. Hosts who furnish alcohol to underage students may incur criminal risks and personal civil liability exposure.

3. Glass containers are not permitted in the tailgating area.

4. Kegs, party balls, drinking apparatus, drinking games and/or mass consumption purchases of alcohol are prohibited.

5. Grills are permitted in University surface lots and restricted areas of Kaufman Mall only and must be elevated at least one foot above the parking surface so that heat does not cause damage to the asphalt. Coals from charcoal grills must be disposed in marked fire retardant receptacles on campus. Open pit fires are prohibited. Gas grills are restricted to 10 gallon propane tanks per vehicle.

6. Gas generators are prohibited.

7. Pegging tents in parking lots is not permissible.

8. No animals will be permitted in any designated tailgate areas and/or spaces, with the exception of trained service animals for fans with disabilities.

9. Waste food items and trash must be disposed of in appropriate containers provided throughout campus.

10. Tailgating areas may not extend beyond the designated parking space per vehicle, and may not impede vehicular traffic in the assigned lots/areas.

11. No household furniture, sofas, recliners, etc., are allowed within designated tailgate areas and/or spaces.

12. Bicycles, scooters, skateboards, and roller blading is prohibited within the designated tailgate areas and/or spaces.

13. Any violation of the above policies may result in termination of tailgating privileges, criminal prosecution and/or disciplinary action through the Office of Student Conduct & Academic Integrity if the violator is an ODU student.

PARKING DIRECTIONS
ODAF PARKING:

Access to the Black & Blue Lots:
Take Hampton Blvd. (N. or S.) toward 49th St. and turn right or left for direct access to lot

Access to the Silver Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd. (N. or S.) make a right or left turn on 49th St. (W.) for direct access

Access to the Pink Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 49th St. and follow signs

Access to the Gold Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 47th St. and follow signs

Access to the Teal Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 48th St.

Access to the Beige Lot & Red Garage:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left turn at 43rd St. (W.) make a right turn on Powhatan Ave. and turn right on 49th St. and follow signs

Access to the Monarch Village Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 41st St.

Access to the Yellow Garage, Orange Lot, & Green Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.) to 43rd Street (W.) make a right turn on Elkhorn Avenue and follow signs

Access to the Brown Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 43rd St. (W.) and cross over Powhatan Ave. for direct access to the lot

Access to the White Lot:
Take Hampton Blvd (N. or S.), make a right or left on 43rd St. (W.) make right on Powhatan Ave. and turn left before the Powhatan Apartments

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A REPRESENTATIVE OF ATHLETIC INTERESTS

The information in this section is a summary of rules and regulations governing athletic interests

- NCAA definition of representatives of athletic interests
- Recruiting prospective student-athletes
- After becoming a student-athlete

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q: Who is a representative of athletic interest?
A: A representative of athletic interest (also known as a booster), refers to any individual that has ever:
- Joined any of the various athletic support groups;
- Contributed to the athletics department or its booster organization;
- Assisted in the recruitment of prospects;
- Provided benefits (i.e. summer jobs) to enrolled students-athletes;
- Otherwise promoted the institutions athletics program (i.e. alumni).

Q: Once an individual has been identified as a “representative of athletic interests,” how long does he retain this identity?
A: Forever

Q: Is Old Dominion University responsible for the acts of representatives of athletic interests and booster support groups?
A: Yes. Athletic interests are governed by the same NCAA and University rules and regulations as those placed upon all institutional athletic staff members

RECRUITING

Q: Is it permissible to contact a prospective student-athlete, the prospect’s parents or his legal guardian(s) off-campus for the purpose of recruitment?
A: No. Representatives of athletic interests are prohibited from making in-person, on- or off-campus recruiting contacts, or written or telephonic communications with a prospect or the prospect’s relatives or legal guardian(s). For purposes of this rule, a facsimile (fax) or other electronically transmitted correspondence is considered written correspondence.

Q: Are representatives of athletic interests prohibited from any contact with prospects?
A: The NCAA Interpretations Committee has determined that this regulation was not intended to relate to an unavoidable incidental contact with a prospect by a representative of athletic interests, it being understood that such a contact
- a) is not prearranged by the representative of athletic interests or an athletic department staff member;
- b) does not take place on the grounds of the prospect’s educational institution or at sites of organized practice or competition involving the prospect or the prospect’s team;
- c) is not for the purpose of recruitment of the prospect; and
- d) involves only normal civility.

Q: What is the definition of an “in person” contact?
A: Any face-to-face encounter between a prospective student-athlete, the prospect’s parents or legal guardian(s) during which any dialogue occurs in excess of an exchange of a greeting constitutes an “in person” contact. Additionally, any face-to-face encounter which is by prearrangement or which takes place on the grounds of the prospect’s educational institution or at the site of organized competition and practice involving the prospect or the team which the prospect represents, shall be considered a contact, regardless of the conversation which occurs.

Q: Is the contact rule applicable to established family friends or neighbors?
A: No; however, it must be understood that such contacts are not made for recruiting purposes and are not initiated by any Old Dominion University coaching staff member.

Q: Who is considered a prospect?
A: A prospect is a student who has started classes for the ninth grade. In addition, a student who has not started classes for ninth grade becomes a prospect if the institution provides such an individual (or the individual’s relatives or friends) any financial assistance or other benefits that the institution does not provide to prospective students generally. Junior College, Prep School, and four-year transfers are considered prospects.

Q: How long is a prospect considered a prospect?
A: A prospect remains a prospect even after signing a National Letter of Intent to attend an institution, and both the institution and the prospect continue to be governed by NCAA recruiting legislation until:
- a) The prospect reports for regular squad practice;
- b) The registrar or director of admissions certifies that the prospect is officially registered and enrolled at the institution on the opening day of classes, or
- c) the prospect attends a class or classes in any regular term.

Q: Can a representative of athletic interests make contact with a prospective student-athlete, the prospect’s parents or his legal guardian(s) on an official visit to the campus?
A: No.
Q: What about alumni who enroll for a course and, therefore, are considered students?
A: Part-time attendance in college by a representative of athletic interests would not permit the representative of athletic interests to avoid the application of the rule.

Q: How are the following groups treated?
A: 1) Faculty Members
   Faculty members are not permitted to recruit off-campus except for a luncheon, dinner or brunch at the home of a faculty member during a prospect's official visit to campus. They may have on-campus contact with prospects in all sports. They may write prospective student-athletes.

2) Student-Athletes
   Student-athletes are not considered to be representatives of athletic interests as long as any recruiting contact with a prospective student-athlete is incidental and does not occur at the direction of a member of Old Dominion's athletic department. Student-athletes are permitted to serve as student hosts.

3) Students who are non-athletes
   College students are not considered to be representatives of athletic interests unless they make recruiting contacts at the direction of a member of the Old Dominion University athletic department.

4) Old Dominion University Athletic Personnel
   Old Dominion University athletic department staff members are not permitted to recruit off-campus. In all sports, only those coaches counted among the numerical limitations may contact or evaluate prospective student-athletes off-campus. Athletic department staff members may have contact with prospects on-campus.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interest to write or call prospective student-athletes or legal guardians for the purpose of recruitment?
A: No, and this restriction includes: facsimiles, chat rooms, message boards, internet forums, text messaging, videophones, internet phones, etc…

Q: During the recruitment of, or prior to the individual's enrollment, can a representative of athletic interests be involved directly or indirectly in making arrangements for a prospect, the prospect's relatives or friends to receive money, financial aid or equivalent inducements regardless if similar financial aid, benefits or arrangements are available to prospective students in general, their relatives or friends?
A: No.

Q: What are considered additional types of inducements?
A: Other types of inducements that are prohibited include, but are not limited to:
   1. Cash or loans.
   2. The promise of employment after college education.
   3. Special discounts or payment arrangements on loans.
   4. Employment of relatives or friends of a prospect.
   5. Involvement in arrangement for free or reduced charges for professional or personal services, purchases or charges.
   6. Use of an automobile.
   7. Providing transportation to or from a summer job or to any other site.
   8. Signing or co-signing a note for a loan.
   9. The loan or gift of money or other tangible items (e.g. clothes, cars, jewelry, electronic/stereo equipment) to the prospect, the prospect's relatives or friends.
   11. Purchase of items or services from a prospect or the prospect's family at inflated prices.
   12. Providing directly or indirectly transportation to enroll in class or the institution.
   13. Any financial aid other than that administered by Old Dominion University.
   15. Free or reduced cost housing arrangements.
   16. To pay or arrange for the payment of transportation costs incurred by relatives or friends of a prospective student-athlete.

Q: During the recruitment of, or prior to the individual's enrollment, can a representative of athletic interests be involved directly or indirectly in making arrangements for a prospect, the prospect's relatives or friends to receive money, financial aid or equivalent?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to contact a student-athlete from another four-year institution for the purpose of recruiting?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to pay or arrange for the payment of transportation costs incurred by relatives or friends of a prospective student-athlete to visit the campus or elsewhere?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to be involved in the on-campus entertainment of a prospective student-athlete and his legal guardian(s) during an official visit?
A: No.

Q: Can a representative of athletic interests entertain relatives or friends of a prospective student-athlete at any site off-campus?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide cash or use of an automobile to the prospect or student-host on his official visit to campus?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to pay in whole or part registration fees associated with summer sports camps?
A: No.

Q: During an unofficial visit to campus is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to entertain, buy a complimentary meal or expend any funds on the prospect student-athlete, his legal guardian(s), relatives or friends?
A: No. On unofficial visits to campus the prospect is limited to three (3) complimentary tickets from the institution to an athletic event and may not be entertained whatsoever.

Q: How many unofficial visits may a prospective student-athlete make to campus?
A: Unlimited.

Q: How many official visits is a prospective student-athlete permitted?
A: One per institution and not more than five total visits.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to pay costs incurred by an athletics scout in studying or recruiting a prospect?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to entertain, buy a complimentary meal or expend any funds on the prospect student-athlete, his legal guardian(s), relatives or friends?
A: No. However, it is permissible for Old Dominion University to provide two complimentary tickets to home athletic contests. These coaches need to contact the ticket manager to be placed on a pass list game by game. There are no season passes.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to reimburse the coach of a prospect for expenses incurred in transporting a prospect to visit the campus?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide free admission to the institution's away from home contests to prospects, their friends and relatives?
A: No.
RECRUITING

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to employ or arrange for the employment of a prospective student-athlete before the completion of the prospect’s senior year in high school?
A: No; however, the NCAA permits an institution to arrange employment for a prospective student-athlete that begins after the prospect’s senior year in high school subsequent to a prospective student-athlete signing a National Letter of Intent. It is permissible for a representative of athletic interests to contact (telephone, write, face-to-face) the prospect concerning summer employment arrangements.

Q: May a recruit call a representative of athletic interests?
A: A representative of athletic interests may have a telephone conversation with a prospective student-athlete only if the prospect initiates the call. The telephone call may not be prearranged by an Old Dominion University staff member, and the representative of athletic interests is not permitted to have a recruiting conversation with the prospect but may exhibit normal civility. The representative of athletic interests must refer any question about the Old Dominion athletic program to the athletic department staff.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to get into a “chat room” with a prospect?
A: No. “Chat Rooms” are considered phone calls.

Q: May a representative of athletic interests play a “pick-up” game with a prospective student-athlete?
A: Yes, provided there is no attempt to recruit the prospective student-athlete and the game is not prearranged by a member of the Old Dominion University athletic department staff.

Q: May a representative of athletic interests attend a public event (e.g. high school awards banquet or dinner) at which a prospective student-athlete is in attendance?
A: Yes, but any contact with a prospective student-athlete may not be prearranged by Old Dominion University athletic department staff and no attempt may be made to recruit the prospect.

Q: May a representative of athletic interests engage in evaluation activities on behalf of the institution?
A: The legislation does not preclude a representative of athletic interests from viewing a prospect’s contest on the representative of athletic interest’s initiative, subject to the understanding that the representative of athletic interests may not contact the prospect. However, the representative of athletic interests is prohibited from contacting the prospect’s coach, principal or counselor in an attempt to evaluate the prospect, as well as from visiting the prospect’s educational institution to pick up film or transcripts pertaining to the evaluation of the prospect’s academic or athletic ability.

AFTER BECOMING A STUDENT-ATHLETE

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to pay or provide the actual and necessary expenses (room, board and transportation costs) incurred by friends or relatives to visit an enrolled student-athlete?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide a student-athlete or friend any benefit or special arrangement?
A: No. The NCAA considers the special arrangements as an “extra benefit” and are specifically prohibited, but are not limited to:

1. A special discount, payment arrangement or credit on a purchase (e.g. airline ticket, clothing) or services (e.g. laundry, dry cleaning, tailoring, typing costs).
2. A loan of money in any amount.
3. A guarantee of bond.
4. The use of an automobile.
5. Transportation to or from a summer job.
6. A benefit connected with off-campus housing (e.g. individual television sets or stereo equipment, specialized recreational facilities, room furnishings or appointments of extra quality or quantity).
7. Signing or co-signing a note with an outside agency to arrange a loan.
8. Selling or giving a student-athlete tickets to any athletic, university and/or town events.
9. The use of personal properties (e.g. boats, summer homes, cars, stereos).
10. Providing Christmas or birthday gifts.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to purchase and provide enrolled student-athletes or their friends tickets to athletic events/Artists Series or University concerts?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to buy an enrolled student-athlete complimentary tickets for an athletic event?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to purchase tickets to professional sports contests and provide them to enrolled student-athletes?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide any payment of expenses or the loan of an automobile for a student-athlete to return home or any other location for any personal reason or to receive an award?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide enrolled student-athletes with professional services (for which a fee would normally be charged) for personal reasons?
A: No. Professional services provided at less than normal or at no expense to a student-athlete are considered an extra benefit.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletics interests to expend funds to entertain student-athletes and friends?
A: No. However, a student-athlete or entire team in any sport may receive an occasional meal at the home of the representative of athletics interests, on-campus or in a facility that is regularly used for home competition. The following conditions must be met:

a) the meal must be provided in the home of a representative of athletics interests, on-campus or at a facility regularly used for home competition and may be catered; and,
b) meals must be restricted to infrequent and special occasions. All occasional meals must be approved in advance by the ODU compliance office.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to permit the use of and pay for long distance telephone calls?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide gifts or awards to a student-athlete for his athletic performance?
A: No. All awards must conform with NCAA awards legislation and must be approved by Old Dominion University.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to employ, use the name or picture of an enrolled student-athlete to directly advertise, recommend or promote the sale or use of a commercial product or service of any kind?
A: No.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide an honorarium to a student-athlete for a speaking engagement?
A: No. Student-athletes may only receive necessary travel expenses when speaking to educational or charitable groups. All speaking engagements must be approved in advance by Old Dominion University through the Assistant Athletic Director for Public Relations.
Q: Is it permissible for a booster club to finance a banquet for an institution’s athletics team?
A: Yes. One time per year, an institution’s booster club may finance an intercollegiate team’s transportation expenses to a recognition banquet. All expenses must be paid through the institution’s athletic department, the location of the event is not more than 100 miles from the campus and no tangible award is provided to members of the team. Before an event such as this occurs, you must receive approval from the athletic director.

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**EMPLOYMENT OF STUDENT-ATHLETES**

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to provide summer employment for student-athletes?
A: Yes, however, compensation must be paid only for work actually performed and at a rate commensurate with the going rate in that locality for services of like character. Employers should verify with the athletic department when hiring an athlete.

Q: Is it permissible for a representative of athletic interests to employ a student-athlete during the academic year?
A: Yes; however a student-athlete must register employment with the compliance coordinator. To ensure NCAA eligibility, the following regulations must be adhered to:

a) pay a student-athlete only for work actually performed;
b) pay a student-athlete at the going rate for the work performed;
c) designate an on-site supervisor for the student-athlete;
d) insure that the student-athlete is working on the job all the time for which he/she is being paid;
e) do not pay the student-athlete in advance for the work to be performed;
f) a student-athlete may not be employed to sell equipment related to the student-athlete’s sport, a student-athlete’s name, picture or athletics reputation may not be used to advertise or promote the product, the job or the employer;
g) do not provide a student-athlete employee benefits (e.g. meals, discounts, bonuses, services) unless such benefits are standard and provided to all similarly situation employees;
h) do not use the name or picture of a student-athlete to directly advertise, recommend, or promote the sale or use of a commercial product or service;
i) a student-athlete who works at a camp or clinic must meet NCAA guidelines.

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2017 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

9/2 ALBANY

9/9 at UMass

9/16 UNC

9/23 at Virginia Tech

10/7 FAU*
LETTERWINNERS DAY
PORT OF VA DAY

10/14 at Marshall*

10/20 WKU*
FAMILY WEEKEND

10/28 at North Texas*

11/4 CHARLOTTE*
HOMECOMING

11/11 at FIU*

11/18 RICE*
68TH ANNUAL OYSTER BOWL
MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY

11/25 at MTSU*

*C-USA games. Dates subject to change. Home games in bold and played on Foreman Field at S.B. Ballard Stadium.