



2009-2010 NAIA Calendar

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JULY

July 15	Eligibility Forms distributed by national office to athletics directors and faculty athletics representatives.
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SEPTEMBER

September 1	Year-End Reports for previous year due to national office. Visit www.naiahelp.com to submit reports online.
September 1	Unpaid membership dues delinquent.
September 1	Deadline for fall qualifying tournament plans (conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated) to be sent by commissioners to national office.
September 16-17	Conference Commissioners Association fall meeting, Kansas City, Missouri
September 27-28	Council of Presidents fall meeting and Presidential Congress, Kansas City, Missouri

NOVEMBER

November 1	Deadline for winter qualifying tournament plans (conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated) to be sent by conference commissioners/A.I.I. to national office.
November 6	Nomination deadline for Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athlete awards in the sports of Soccer, Cross Country, Football and Volleyball.
November 6	Nomination deadline for Buffalo Funds Five-Star <i>Champions of Character</i> team awards in Soccer, Volleyball and Cross Country.
November 17	Nomination deadline for Volleyball All-America awards. All-conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated teams and support materials are sent to NAIA National Office.
November 19	Nomination deadline for Men's and Women's Soccer All-America awards. All-conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated teams and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office.
November 20	Nomination deadline for Buffalo Funds Five-Star <i>Champions of Character</i> team award in Football.
November 20	NAIA-Cross Country Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Portland, Oregon.
November 20	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Men's & Women's Cross Country Scholar-Athletes.
November 21	Soccer and Volleyball National Championship Opening Round.
November 21	Men's & Women's Cross Country National Championships, Wayne E. Dannehl Cross Country Course, Kenosha, Wisconsin
November 21	Football Championship Series First Round, campus sites.
November 21	Release of Men's & Women's Cross Country All-Americans.
November 25	Nomination deadline for Football conference/independent Player of the Year forms to be sent to the national office.
November 28	Football Championship Series Quarterfinals, campus sites.
Nov. 30 – Dec. 5	Men's Soccer National Championship, Fresno Pacific University, Fresno, California.
Nov. 30 – Dec. 5	Women's Soccer National Championship, Decatur, Alabama.

DECEMBER

December 1-5	Volleyball National Championship, Tyson Events Center, Sioux City, Iowa
December 1-5	USA Track and Field Annual Meeting, Virginia Beach, Virginia.
December 4	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athletes in Men's & Women's Soccer and Volleyball.

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December 4	Nomination information packets for A.O. Duer and Emil Liston Scholarship Awards are distributed to faculty athletics representatives.
December 5	Release of NAIA All-American in Men's and Women's Soccer and Volleyball.
December 5	Football Championship Series Semifinals, campus sites.
December 7-9	Golf Coaches Association of America Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada.
December 8	NAIA-Men's Golf Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada.
December 9-12	National Fastpitch Coaches Association Convention, Nashville, Tennessee
December 10	NAIA-Softball Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee
December 16-20	American Volleyball Coaches Association Convention, Tampa, Florida.
December 17	Release of Football All-Americans.
December 18	NAIA-Volleyball Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Tampa, Florida.
December 18	Release of Football National Player of the Year.
December 19	Russell Athletic – NAIA Football National Championship Game, Rome, Georgia.
December 19	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Football Scholar-Athletes.

JANUARY

January 7	NAIA-Baseball Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Dallas, Texas
January 10-12	American Football Coaches Association Convention, Orlando, Florida
January 11	NAIA-Football Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Orlando, Florida
January 12	Release of Football National Coach of the Year.
January 12	Nomination information packets for Wally Schwartz FAR of the Year Award are distributed to institutions, conferences, and A.I.I.
January 13	Deadline for submission of proposed amendments to the NAIA Constitution and Bylaws. Proposals will be voted upon at the April 2010 Convention.
January 13-16	National Soccer Coaches Association of America Convention, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
January 15	Deadline for submission of basketball, football, soccer and volleyball brochures for NAIA-Sports Information Directors Association Publications Contests.
January 15	NAIA-Men's Soccer Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
January 15	NAIA-Women's Soccer Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
January 15	Deadline for NAIA-CTSA "All That's Right in Sport" Award nomination to national office.
January 30	Deadline to web sync fall statistics through Daktronics.

FEBRUARY

February 1	Deadline for qualifying tournament plans (conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated) to be sent by commissioners to national office.
February 15	Nomination deadline for Dr. Leroy Walker Character Award and NAIA Coach of Character Award to conference commissioner.
February 19	Nomination deadline for Buffalo Funds Five-Star <i>Champions of Character</i> team awards in Swimming & Diving, Wrestling and Indoor Track and Field.
February 5	Deadline for A.O. Duer and Emil Liston Scholarship award nominees to be sent by schools to conferences and A.I.I.

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February 19	Nomination deadline for Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athlete awards in the sports of Swimming & Diving, Basketball and Wrestling.
February 22	Receipt deadline for entries for the NAIA Indoor Track & Field National Championships.
February 26	Nomination deadline for Buffalo Funds Five-Star Champions of Character team awards in Division I and II Basketball.
February 26	Proposed Constitution and Bylaws Amendments for the 2009 NAIA Convention are distributed to the membership.
February 26	Deadline for Conference/A.I.I. A.O. Duer and Emil Liston Scholarship award nominees to be sent to national office.

M A R C H	
March 1	Nomination deadline for Clarence "Ike" Pearson Sports Information Director of the Year Award.
March 1	Declaration of Intent to Participate Forms, Emerging Sports Designation Form, Sunday Declaration Form, and Sport Exception Form available online at www.naiahelp.com .
March 1	Deadline for commissioners to send Leroy Walker Award nominee Coach of Character nominee to national office.
March 3	Nomination deadline for Division II Men's and Women's Basketball All-America award. All-conference/independent teams and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office.
March 3	NAIA-Swimming & Diving Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, St. Peters, Missouri.
March 3-6	Men's & Women's Swimming & Diving National Championships, St. Peters, Missouri.
March 3	NAIA-Wrestling Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
March 4	NAIA-Track & Field Coaches Association Business Meeting, Johnson City, Tennessee.
March 4-6	Men's & Women's Indoor Track & Field National Championships, Johnson City, Tennessee.
March 4-6	Wrestling National Championships, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
March 5	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Wrestling and Men's & Women's Swimming & Diving Scholar-Athletes.
March 6	Release of Wrestling and Men's & Women's Indoor Track & Field All-Americans.
March 10	Nomination deadline for Division I Men's and Women's Basketball All-America award. All-conference/independent teams and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office.
March 10-16	Division II Men's Basketball National Championship, College of the Ozarks, Point Lookout, Missouri.
March 10-16	State Farm – NAIA Division II Women's Basketball National Championship, Sioux City, Iowa.
March 15	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Division II Men's and Women's Basketball Scholar-Athletes.
March 16	Release of Division II Men's & Women's Basketball All-Americans.
March 17-23	Division I Women's Basketball National Championship, Jackson, Tennessee.
March 17-23	Buffalo Funds – NAIA Division I Men's Basketball National Championship, Kansas City, Missouri.
March 22	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athletes in Division I Men's and Women's Basketball.
March 23	Release of Division I Men's & Women's Basketball All-Americans.
March 31	Deadline for submission of baseball brochures, softball brochures, multi-sport brochures, individual sport brochures for NAIA-Sports Information Directors Association Publications Contests.
March 30	Announcement of A.O. Duer & Emil Liston National Award Winners.

A P R I L	
April 1-5	National Association of Men's Basketball Coaches Convention, Detroit, Michigan.
April 2	Deadline for Wally Schwartz FAR of the Year nominations to be sent by schools to conferences/A.I.I.
April 2-6	Women's Basketball Coaches Association Convention, San Antonio, Texas.

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April 3	NAIA-National Association of Men's Basketball Coaches Annual Business Meeting, Indianapolis, Indiana.
April 5	NAIA-Women's Basketball Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, San Antonio, Texas.
April 9-13	69th Annual NAIA National Convention, Cincinnati, Ohio.
April 22	Nomination deadline for Athletic Trainers Association Al Ortolani Undergraduate Scholarship.
April 22	Nomination deadline for the Athletic Trainer of the Year Award.
April 27	Membership dues invoices sent to all NAIA presidents with copies sent to athletics directors.
April 29	Nomination deadline for Buffalo Funds Five-Star Champions of Character team awards in Women's Golf, Men's Golf, Softball, Baseball, Tennis and Outdoor Track & Field.
April 30	Deadline to web sync winter statistics through Daktronics.
April 30	Deadline for entries for NAIA-Sports Information Directors Association Web Site and writing contest.
April 30	Nomination deadline for Daktronics-NAIA Scholar-Athlete awards in the sports of Softball, Golf, Tennis, Baseball and Track and Field.

M A Y

May 1	Receipt deadline for Declaration of Intent to Participate Forms, Emerging Sports Designation Form, Sunday Declaration Forms, and Sport Exception Form to be completed online.
May 1	Deadline for conference commissioners to submit Affiliated Conference Certification form and conference governing documents to the national office.
May 1	Deadline for conference commissioners to submit Football Certification forms to the national office.
May 1	Year-End Report forms available online at www.naiahelp.com
May 7	Deadline for conferences/A.I.I. Wally Schwartz FAR of the Year nominations to be sent to the national office.
May 10	Nomination deadline for Men's Golf All-America awards. Nomination forms and support materials to be sent to All-America Selection Committee Chair.
May 12	Nomination deadline for Men's & Women's Tennis All-America awards. Nomination forms and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office.
May 14	Nomination deadline for Softball All-America awards. All-conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated grouping teams and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office.
May 14	Nomination deadline for Baseball All-America awards. All-conference/A.I.I./unaffiliated grouping teams and support materials to be sent to NAIA National Office and the All-America Committee Chair.
May 17	Nomination deadline for Women's Golf All-America awards. Nomination forms and support materials to be sent to All-America Selection Committee Chair.
May 17	NAIA-Tennis Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Mobile, Alabama.
May 17	Receipt deadline for entries for the NAIA Outdoor Track & Field National Championships.
May 17	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Men's Golf Scholar-Athletes.
May 18-21	Baseball National Championship Opening Round Tournaments
May 18-21	Men's Golf National Championships, TPC @ Deere Run, Quad Cities of Iowa and Illinois.
May 18-22	Men's & Women's Tennis National Championships, Mobile, Alabama.
May 20-26	Softball National Championship, Decatur, Alabama.
May 21	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Men's & Women's Tennis Scholar-Athletes.
May 22	Release of Men's & Women's Tennis All-Americans.

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May 23	NAIA-Women's Golf Coaches Association Annual Business Meeting, Rapid City, South Dakota
May 24	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Women's Golf Scholar-Athletes.
May 24	Release of Men's Golf All-Americans.
May 25	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Softball Scholar-Athletes.
May 25-28	Women's Golf National Championships, Meadowbrook Municipal G.C., Rapid City, South Dakota.
May 26	Release of Softball All-Americans.
May 26	NAIA-Track & Field Coaches Association Business Meeting, Marion, Indiana.
May 27-29	Men's & Women's Outdoor Track & Field National Championships, Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion, Indiana.
May 28	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Men's & Women's Track & Field Scholar-Athletes.
May 28 – June 4	Baseball National Championship, Lewis-Clark State College, Lewiston, Idaho.
May 29	Release of Men's & Women's Outdoor Track & Field All-Americans.
May 31	Release of Women's Golf All-Americans.

JUNE

June 1	Nomination receipt deadline for NAIA Hall of Fame.
June 1	Deadline for conference commissioners to send basketball referee ranking forms to the National Office.
June 3 or 4	Release of Daktronics-NAIA Baseball Scholar-Athletes.
June 4 or 5	Release of Baseball All-Americans.
June 15	Nomination deadline for Larry Lady Officiating Award.
June 22-25	National Athletic Trainers Association Convention, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
June 22-25	National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics Convention, Anaheim, California.
June 24	NAIA-Athletic Trainers Association Annual Business Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
June 30	Nomination deadline for Scholar Team award in all team sports.
June 30	Deadline to web sync spring statistics through Daktronics

JULY

July 1	Deadline for membership dues to be sent to national office.
July 1	Nomination deadline for previous year's Conference/A.I.I. Athletics Director of the Year Award. Nomination forms to be sent from commissioners to national office.
July 1	Nomination deadline for previous year's Charles Morris Athletics Administrator of the Year Award.
July 3	NAIA-Sports Information Directors Association Annual Business Meeting, San Francisco, California.
July 4	Release NAIA-SIDA Publication Award Winners.
July 4-7	College Sports Information Directors of America Convention (COSIDA), San Francisco, California.
July 15	Deadline for commissioners to submit conference information (Personnel, committees, raters, and meeting schedules through NAIAHelp. Visit www.naiahelp.com to submit report.

AUGUST

August 1	Release of Scholar Team awards in all team sports.
August 15	<i>Champions of Character</i> Annual Reports for previous year due to national office.
August 15	<i>Champions of Character</i> Program Center Annual Reports from previous year due to national office.