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## AROUND THE NCAA

### [DII Championships Committee backs budget requests](#)

#### [Initiatives focus on enhancing championships experience, increasing opportunities](#)

September 18, 2017 2:30pm Rachel Stark

The Division II Championships Committee is recommending the approval of 23 new budgetary requests from Division II governing sport committees, focusing primarily on initiatives that would enhance the championships experience and increase participation opportunities for student-athletes.

The committee will pass its recommendations on to the Division II Management Council and Presidents Council for review at their October meetings. The Planning and Finance Committee will consider the recommendations in December and make final recommendations for approval by the Presidents Council in January. Approved budget requests will take effect Sept. 1.

(click on title for full article and proposed budgetary requests)

## PROPOSED NEW LEGISLATION FOR 2018-2019

-Schools in Mexico may join Division II, required to go through membership process

-Eliminate legislated penalty for sports wagering, currently if a SA engages in point shaving for example, they cannot appeal the penalty. Still impermissible, but this will provide institutions with the option to appeal the penalty.

- Amend award legislation that:

1. provides greater flexibility for SA's to receive awards for outside competition
2. reduce burden on institutional staff members
3. award limitations only apply to NCAA events.

For example, SA participates in golf tournament, the award must conform to USGA standards. increase award limits to be in the same spot as other two divisions. (A SA can still receive prize money up to the cost of actual and necessary expenses.)

- Volleyball can engage in first date of competition one week earlier during years that the fall festival occurs

## Dates to Remember...

October 9 & 10

No Classes

October 13 - 19

Midterms

October 20

Midterm Deficiencies

## Wildcats

## Home Schedule

### [Women's Tennis](#)

3:30pm Oct 1 vs Oswego

5:00pm Oct 5 vs Houghton

7:00pm Oct 20 vs N.Y. Institute of Technology

12:00pm Oct 21 vs Long Island University Post

### [Men's Tennis](#)

3:30pm Oct 1 vs Oswego

5:00pm Oct 5 vs Houghton

### [Women's Soccer](#)

3:00pm Oct 4 vs Roberts Wes

11:00am Oct 7 vs Mercy

3:00pm Oct 10 vs Mercyhurst

11:00am Oct 14 vs University of Bridgeport

### [Men's Soccer](#)

1:00pm Oct 7 vs Mercy

1:00pm Oct 10 vs University

Pittsburgh-Johnstown

1:00pm Oct 14 vs University of Bridgeport

1:00pm Oct 21 vs University of DC

### [Women's Volley Ball](#)

2:00 pm Oct 13 vs Molloy

2:00pm Oct 14 vs Queens College

3:30pm Oct 28 vs Am

International College

7:30pm Oct 28 vs Roberts Wes

### [Women's Bowling](#)

7,8 & 9pm Oct 24 vs Thiel College



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## RECRUITING REMINDERS

- Submit all forms with complete information in ARMS
  - o Be sure to get up to date transcripts and senior class schedule
- Admissions will assist with PSA class visits
  - o Reach out to Heidi Popeck in admissions to schedule, you will want to let her know their name, where they are from, intended major, HS name, what year they will be entering in HS or at Daemen) and the class they want to sit in on.
- National Letter of Intent day is approaching November 8 - 15
- Dead Period is 7 AM November 6<sup>th</sup> – 7 AM November 8<sup>th</sup>
- Beware of Extra Benefits
  - o Gifts
  - o Use of an institutional employee's mobile device
  - o Storage of SA's belongings
  - o Cash or Gift Cards
  - o Loans
- Student Hosts
  - o Give them notice and plan the itinerary
  - o Meet with them and with your recruit to sign the student host form and prospect form

## GET TO KNOW THE DAEMEN COACHING STAFF



John Metz  
Head Coach Women's Triathlon

Where are you from?  
[Buffalo, NY](#)

How long have you been a triathlete?  
[Over 10 years](#)

Favorite thing about coaching?  
[Coaching gives me a platform to influence, inspire and serve.](#)

WOULD YOU RATHER...

Eat breakfast for dinner or dinner for breakfast?  
[Breakfast for dinner](#)

Go swimming in the ocean or a lake?  
[Ocean](#)

Always talk in rhymes or sing instead of speak?  
[Talk in rhymes](#)

