

JCAAE WEEKLY EWSLETTER





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View it here...

Registration is open!

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Keep up with the countdown to the end of registration on the NJCAAE website!

Tier 1
Premier
Series

38 days until registration ends!

Tier 2
Contender
Series

38 days until registration ends!

Tier 3
Open
Series

Open
rolling enrolment
is now open!

ANNUAL SIGN-UP FORM

The time for institution's to renew membership and their annual sign-ups is here!

All NJCAAE members must fill out the <u>Annual Sign-up Form</u> to be eligible for competition registrations. This form gives the NJCAAE National Office all of the information is needs to update member information and contact the correct parties of each member institution. If an institution has not submitted a completed form by the listed due dates, they may not be eligible for Tier 1 or Tier 2 registrations.

Fall Due Dates

T1 & T2 - 9/19/24

Spring Due Dates

(Only if this wasn't finished in Fall) T1 & T2 - 2/13/25

SPRING 24 ALL ACADEMIC



The NJCAAE is looking to highlight those who over achieve in their academic studies. Students who have achieved at least a 3.5 GPA during the Spring 2024 academic semester, meet all other NJCAAE Student Eligibility requirements, and NJCAAE Code of Conduct requirements are eligible to be listed as an "All Academic Student" for the NJCAAE.

If you have students who meet these requirements, please fill out the <u>All Academic Form</u> by **September 13th 2024 at 11:59 pm** for them to be considered for All Academic prizing.

NJCAAE All Academic Form



With a host of customization and gear options, CRIT will be able to provide institutions everything they'll need to represent their brand in a professionally. Learn more at **critapparel.com**!



COMPETITION SCHEDULES

All NJCAAE members are able to find the competition schedules for current and upcoming seasons not only in the <u>NJCAAE Welcome Package</u>, but also under each <u>tier page</u>. Both the NJCAAE Welcome Package and tier pages can be found on the NJCAAE website.

Welcome Package

This package covers all of the information members need in hand for the start of the current year of NJCAAE membership!

Click here to view...

Competition Schedules

You can view the planned schedules for the current membership year here. Click here to view...

COMPETITION CHANGES



As always, a number of changes have been implemented to keep up with the ever-changing environment within collegiate esports. Below are a few of the major changes that have been implemented through the NJCAAE Committees and National Office.

Round Robin Check-in Requirement:

No longer twenty-four (24) hours in advance.

No-shows:

One verified No-show in Tier 1 and Tier 2 competitions may lead to complete removal from the competition, and possibly further sanctions.

Tier 1 - Team Limitations:

Game titles with only two (2) players on a team are no longer limited to one (1) team for the Tier 1 - Premier Series. This means you can field as many teams as you'd like for Tier 1 competition for these game titles. Our suggestion is that each team you field in Tier 1 competition have at least one person filling a sub slot.

ARTICLE: RECRUITMENT FOR YOU

This summer, the NJCAAE announced that NJCAAE Member Institutions who have paid their annual membership dues will have access to the LOS PORTAL for recruitment! The LOS Portal is designed to bridge the gap between high school students and higher education opportunities, including collegiate esports programs. Using LOS PORTAL will put NJCAAE Member Institutions in front of 20,000+ student prospects and give them introductory access to these prospects.

Access to this platform is the first step in many initiatives focused on helping institution's stabilize and grow their collegiate esports programs coming from the NJCAAE. Read more about our upcoming initiatives related to program development on page 9!

You can find more information on how to join the LOS Portal HERE.



PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

EVOLVING LANDSCAPE OF TITLE IX

The NJCAAE is excited to announce that it is the first and only association taking active steps to promote its member institution's esports program success! In an effort to assist in stabilization of member institution's esports program development, the NJCAAE is taking steps to create professional development courses and materials that paid members will have access to.

1. Introduction to Recruitment

Successful recruiting efforts will lead to a program that not only positively impacts the institution as a whole, but the individuals who participate in any level of the esports program.

Click here to learn more...

Join ATIXA and NJCAA for an engaging and timely webinar designed exclusively for NJCAA members! Gain practical advice and strategies to help your institution navigate the current regulatory environment and ensure full compliance with Title IX requirements. Don't miss this opportunity to enhance your knowledge and stay informed!

Join us on Tuesday, August 13th at 1:00 PM ET / 12:00 PM CT to hear from W. Scott Lewis, J.D., Managing Partner with TNG; Chair, NABITA Advisory Board; co-founder and advisory board member of ATIXA and Jeff White, NJCAA Chief Legal Officer & Sr. Vice President- Internal Affairs.

Register Here



ANNUALMEETING

Wednesday, August 14th -4:00 pm ET

Join in to the NJCAAE Opening Annual Meeting learn about the upcoming year of NJCAAE activity! The current state of the association, major news, changes, adjustments, and more will all be covered by the NJCAAE National Office Staff and Committee members.

Click here to save the meeting...



Did you know NJCAAE is a member institution driven association? This is primarily accomplished through committees. NJCAAE committees are manned by coaches, leads, administrators, and directors from member institutions. Learn more about the committees below!

Looking to send a proposal for the NJCAAE and committees to review?

Send in a proposal form today!

Game Title Subcommittees

Game Title Subcommittees advise on rules, expectations, and schedules for games the NJCAAE hosts activity for. Chairs of each subcommittee make up the NJCAAE Competition Committee.

Submit interest today!

Committees

The NJCAAE committees advise the NJCAAE National Office on proposals, rules, operations, and much more! We're currently looking for Athletic Directors, Deans, Administrators, and Decision Makers from institution's to join the Advisory Committee.

Submit interest today!



NJCAA ESPORTS

In 2019 the National Junior College Athletic Association formed NJCAA Esports to better serve their existing community of member institutions who wanted a competitive association focused on their unique needs and the groups they serve. To date, NJCAA Esports serves over 6,000 students and is working with over 230 institutions.

With a focus on breaking down barriers to entry for member colleges and their students, we have created the only association capable of thoroughly meeting the needs of 2-year and community colleges. The NJCAA Esports offers many program solutions through the association and our partners. These offerings range from program development, competition, media, broadcasting, gearing solutions, and much more!

View us online at

njcaaesports.org!

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