



2026 RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Selections Timeline

This information is subject to change:

- Sunday, February 1 – Deadline for institutions to submit squadding plan and relay times to the rule's interpreter and NCAA championship manager. **5 p.m. Eastern time.**
- Sunday, February 22 – Deadline for institutions to submit qualifying scores to NCAA online score reporting system. **6 p.m. local time.**
- Sunday, February 22 – For NCAA qualifier matches, the NCAA Rifle Committee will require the host institution to email vlipscomb@ncaa.org & mwatsky@ncaa.org the graphic scorecard (.pdf reports) at the conclusion of the match (and no later than 6 p.m. local time) for score verification purposes. These reports must show the number of centers.
- Monday, February 23 – Committee teleconference to confirm team and individual selections. **10 a.m. Eastern time.**
- Monday, February 23 – Team and individual selections announced via selection show and press release on ncaa.com **6 p.m. Eastern time.**
- Monday, February 23 – Team and individual selection notifications e-mailed from the NCAA (roster forms, travel info, hotel info, [Elite Scholar Athlete Award](#), etc.) **after 6 p.m. Eastern time.**
- Monday, February 23 – Participating institutions and individuals make necessary travel arrangements with Short's Travel Management (866-655-9215).
- Tuesday, February 24 – Participating coaches videoconference with the host and NCAA. **1 p.m. Eastern time.**
- Monday, March 2 – Teams selected to participate in the championships must submit their initial roster of the five student-athletes participating in the championships. Institutions with individuals selected to participate in the championships must confirm those individuals will participate in the championships. Roster submissions and individual confirmations should be sent to Victoria Lipscomb (vlipscomb@ncaa.org) at the NCAA and Evan Derr (derr.51@osu.edu) at The Ohio State University. **Noon Eastern time.**
- Monday, March 2 – Institutions with teams or individuals participating in the championship should submit the completed *Appendix A of*

Participants Manual – Travel Information/Roster form to Victoria Lipscomb (vlipscomb@ncaa.org) at the NCAA and Evan Derr (derr.51@osu.edu) at The Ohio State University. **Noon Eastern time.**

Monday, March 2 – **5 p.m. Eastern time** deadline to upload the following items to <https://ncaaenterprise.box.com>:

- 1) High resolution JPEG headshots of each student-athlete from your institution competing in the championships. The student-athletes name should be included in the file name.
- 2) Institutional logo.
- 3) Institutional fight song.

Thursday, March 5 – Deadline to make hotel reservations at the Marriott OSU **5 p.m. Eastern time.**

Monday, March 9 – Elite Scholar Athlete Award nomination forms due online [here](#). **5 p.m. Eastern time**

Wednesday, March 11 – Student-Athlete Information Form (Appendix B) due at team registration.