



**REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION III MANAGEMENT COUNCIL  
PLAYING AND PRACTICE SEASONS SUBCOMMITTEE  
JULY 8, 2020, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

**ACTION ITEMS.**

- None.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

1. **Welcome and announcements.** Laura Mooney welcomed the members of the NCAA Divisions III Management Council Playing and Practice Seasons Subcommittee.
2. **Review subcommittee's July 1, 2020, report.** The subcommittee reviewed and approved the report from its July 1 videoconference.
3. **Consideration of 2020-21 playing seasons.** The subcommittee discussed NCAA Division III Bylaw 17 playing season regulations for the 2020-21 academic year and reviewed various potential approaches to address concerns regarding playing season regulations in wake of the ongoing COVID-19 public health crisis. The subcommittee discussed an alternate playing seasons model that would eliminate the distinction between traditional and nontraditional segments and permit institutions to have a specific number of days to conduct athletically related activities. The subcommittee noted there is value in this model given it would provide increased flexibility for institutions. The subcommittee noted it will continue to review approaches to playing season regulations for the 2020-2021 academic year during its July 15 meeting.
4. **Future meetings.** July 15 and 28, 2020.
5. **Adjournment.** The subcommittee adjourned at 4:07 p.m. Eastern time.

*Committee Chair: Laura Mooney, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts*

*Staff Liaisons: Tiffany Alford, Academic and Membership Affairs*

*Laura Peterson, Championships and Corporate Alliances*

*Zach Romash, Academic and Membership Affairs*

<b>NCAA Division III Management Council Playing and Practice Seasons Subcommittee July 8, 2020, Videoconference</b>	
<b>Attendees:</b>	
Sarah Feyerherm, Washington College (Maryland).	
Catherine Lanigan, Juniata College.	
Laura Mooney, chair; Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts.	
Kandis Schram, Maryville College (Tennessee).	
Joseph Walsh, Great Northeast Athletic Conference.	
Michelle Walsh, Vassar College.	
<b>Absentee:</b>	
Michael Vienna, Emory University.	
<b>NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>	
Laura Peterson and Zach Romash.	
<b>Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>	
Dan Dutcher, Lauren Frost, Jarett Gerald and Jeff Myers.	