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National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III Student-Athlete Advisory Committee

Microsoft Team

April 14, 2026
7 to 9:30 p.m. Eastern

1. Welcome and announcements. (Josey Johnson)
 - a. Ice breaker.
 - b. NCAA Division III Student-Athlete Advisory Committee roster and introductions. [Supplement No. 1]
 - c. Expectations of a SAAC member. [Supplement No. 2]
 - d. SAAC policies and procedures. [Supplement No. 3]
 - e. Division III Philosophy Statement and Strategic Positioning Platform. [Supplement Nos. 4a and 4b]
 - f. Robert's Rules of Order. [Supplement No. 5] *Informational*.
2. Review meeting report. **Action**
 - Approve Student-Athlete Advisory Committee January 12-13 report. To access the report, click [here](#).

Division III committees/subcommittees.

The following committees/subcommittees have action items, key discussion items, or address a topic prioritized by Presidents or Management Council.

3. Division III Championships Committee. [Supplement Nos. 6a and 6b] (Lauren Krupnikoff)
4. Division III Financial Aid Committee. [Supplement No. 7] (Shea McKenna)
5. Division III Interpretations and Legislation Committee. [Supplement Nos. 8a and 8b] (Bella Nesbeth)
6. Division III Membership Committee. [Supplement No. 9] (Liz Carlton)
7. Division III Nominating Committee. [Supplement No. 10] (Oliver Williams)
8. Division III Committee on Student-Athlete Reinstatement. (Kyle Neibch)

The following committees/subcommittees have a report with informational items only.

9. Division III Convention-Planning Subcommittee. [Supplement No. 11] (Michael Cohen)
10. Division III Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Subcommittee. [Supplement No. 12] (Paige Kluba)
11. Division III Management Council. [Supplement Nos. 13a and 13b] (Cohen, Luana Batista Soares, Myranda Crews, and Todd Gibson)
12. Division III Strategic Planning and Finance Committee. [Supplement No. 14] (Batista Soares)
13. Division III Presidents Council. (Holly Hall and Conor Dong)
14. Association-wide committees.
 - a. NCAA Committee on Competitive Safeguards and Medical Aspects of Sports. [Supplement No. 15] (Johnson)
 - b. NCAA Committee on Access, Opportunity and Interest. [Supplement No. 16] (Alfred Lamptey)

NCAA national office updates.

15. Board of Governors. (Greg Ricketts)

Division III Initiatives and updates.

16. Division III update. (Louise McCleary, Bill Regan)
17. Division III Analysis. (Kluba and Lamptey)
18. Division III Analysis discussion with Deloitte. [Supplement No. 17]

Strategic items for discussion.

19. Transfer Portal educational module. [Supplement No. 18] (Becca Trovato)
20. Division III legislative discussion topics.
21. Review of legislative process.

Division III SAAC business and subcommittees.

22. Overview from SAAC Executive Board on Division III Graduated Student-Athlete representative application for the NCAA Board of Governors. (Hall, Dom Petruzzelli)

- Approve applicants to be forwarded to the Presidents Council. **Action.**
23. Special Olympics partnership and updates. [Supplement No. 19] (Bryn Mangold)
 24. Discuss July Special Olympics event.
 25. 2026 Division III Week Recap. (Mangold)
 26. Revisit SAAC Start-Up Guide.
 27. Discuss agenda and plans for joint MC/SAAC meeting at July meeting. [Supplement No. 20]
 28. Conference Communications. (Trovato)
 - Best practices for communication with conferences and institutions.
 29. Subcommittee updates. [Supplement No. 21] (Jonathan Youngblood)
 - a. DIII Download.
 - b. Mental and physical health.
 - c. Congressional Engagement.
 30. Future meeting dates.
 - a. July 18-19, 2026, Indianapolis.
 - b. November 8, 2026 (tentative), Virtual.

Informational items and other business.

31. Division III campus SAAC liaison contact information. [\[\[link\]\]](#)
32. Congressional engagement monthly. [Supplement No. 22]
33. Division I Advisory and Advocacy Proposal. [Supplement No. 23] *Informational.*
34. Other business.
 - Content planning & messaging, branding & visuals, metrics review & approval.
 - Committee update form.
 - Professional development topic ideas.

- Possible Special Olympics items.
 - CSC Unite.
35. Adjournment.