

INTRODUCTION

USCB, as a provisional member institution of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), is responsible for ensuring that its donors, boosters, student-athletes, alumni, friends, and fans abide by NCAA, Peach Belt Conference, and institutional rules and regulations.

Your continued support of USCB Athletics, along with all of the support of our fans and friends is greatly appreciated and has helped our athletic program achieve success both on the field, in the classroom, and around our community.

However, in order to sustain and build upon this success, it is important that we adhere to all rules and regulations, as our goals come to fruition while maintaining the highest ethical standards.

Inappropriate actions, whether inadvertent or intentional, can jeopardize the eligibility of a prospective or current student-athlete and adversely affect the entire athletic department and/or institution.

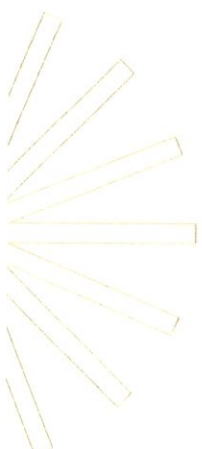
Please take a moment to read through this publication carefully and assist USCB in its commitment to integrity. This brochure is merely a guide for you; it cannot adequately address every possible situation where NCAA rules come into play for donors, alumni, fans, and friends of Sand Shark Athletics. Please do not hesitate to contact the Compliance Office with any questions you may have.

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Test Your Knowledge

1. **True or False** - An individual that has donated to USCB Athletics is considered a representative of athletics interest.
2. **True or False** - It is permissible for a donor to rent an apartment to an enrolled student-athlete at a discounted rate.
3. **True or False** - A prospect is any student that has started classes for 8th grade.
4. **True or False** - A donor can attend a state high school tournament and talk to parents of prospects about attending USCB.
5. **True or False** - A donor can cut out newspaper articles featuring top prospects in their area and send them to USCB coaching staff members.
6. **True or False** - A donor may send a gift to an enrolled student-athlete for earning a weekly conference honor.
7. **True or False** - A donor may not send flowers to an enrolled student-athlete recovering from surgery.
8. **True or False** - It is not permissible for a donor to purchase a meal for a student-athlete at a restaurant.
9. **True or False** - A donor is permitted to have contact with a prospect after they have signed an athletics aid agreement to arrange summer employment.
10. **True or False** - A donor can lend their car to an enrolled student-athlete so they can get back and forth from off campus practice locations.

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A Guide to NCAA Regulations for Donors, Alumni, & Friends of USCB Athletics



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