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IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW IN JANUARY



4th - NCBBA Phone Day

Jan 1st - New Year's Day

Jan 4th - NCBA DII Team Previews Due



11th - NCFA Phone Day

Jan 10th - STS West Registration Paperwork Due

Jan 11th - NCBA DI Team Previews Due



17th - Suite 301

Jan 15th - NCFA LPA Renewal Deadline

Jan 19th - NCBA DII Preseason Top 20 Released



18th - NCBA Phone Day

Jan 25th-31st - Players Can Be Removed From Roster:
— NCSA, NCBA & NCBBA



25th - NCSA Phone Day

Jan 26th - NCBA DI Preseason Top 20 Released

Jan 28th - NCFA League Meeting

Oakland University Claims 2nd NCFA National Championship: Defeats Middle Georgia State 24-14!!

In a thrilling back and forth game in Wheeling, West Virginia, the Oakland University Golden Grizzlies defeated the Middle Georgia State Knights. Initially trailing most of the first half, Shak Williams had an impressive return to give the Grizzlies the lead at the closing seconds of the first half. From there, the Knights couldn't seem to string enough plays together to come back up on top. The frustration was apparent when Oakland was able to hold the Knights scoreless in the second half and eventually take the title 24-14 & Shak Williams earning the game MVP award. Congrats, Oakland!

Oakland also finished their regular season with 12 players making the NCFA All-American teams with Bobby Saad being selected as defensive player of the year and Coach Tom Menas being selected as coach of the year.



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2016 NCFA POST SEASON AWARDS!





		NCFA 2016 All American Team				
1st Team Offense						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
QB	Will Kassar	SR	Sacred Heart	6'	200	GI, NY
RB	Ivan Mangaul	SR	Eastern Connecticut	5'7	195	Enfield, CT
RB	Malik Pettway	JR	Oakland	5'11	220	Sterling Heights, MI
TE	Anthony Bedward	JR	George Mason	6'3	215	Camden, DE
WR	Patrick Enright	SO	Wright State	5'11	150	Hilliard, OH
WR	Kevin Williams III	JR	Middle Georgia State	5'10	165	Albany, GA
WR	Shakeer Williams	SR	Oakland	5'10	160	Redford, MI
OT	Sean Butler	SR	Eastern Connecticut	6'6	290	Norwalk, CT
OT	Malik Jelks	FR	Middle Georgia State	6'	318	Gadsden, AL
OG	Kaleb Robinson	FR	Middle Georgia State	5'9	235	Baxley, GA
OG	Jake Alton	FR	Sacred Heart	6'	230	Atlantic City, NJ
C	Sam Messenger	JR	Vermont	5'11	215	Middlebury, VT
1st Team Defense						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
DE	James Bartsch	SR	Oakland	6'1	235	Commerce, MI
DE	Brian Moore	JR	Sacred Heart	6'	211	Red Hook, NY
DT	Conor Deal	SR	Loyola	6'1	220	Palatine, IL
DT	Zack Eaglen	SR	Oakland	6'	220	Lake Orion, MI
LB	Brian Khashola	SR	Oakland	5'9	210	Sterling Heights, MI
LB	John Rock	SO	Sacred Heart	5'11	180	Brewster, NY
LB	Bobby Saad	SR	Oakland	6'	205	Fair Haven, MI
LB	Stephen Shock	SO	Wright State	6'3	215	Wooster, OH
S	Mark Barranger	SO	Sacred Heart	6'2	190	Clark, NJ
S	Shakeer Williams	SR	Oakland	5'10	160	Redford, MI
CB	Steven Oconnell	SR	Oakland	5'10	165	Clawson, MI
CB	Nathaniel McCrary	SO	Middle Georgia State	5'10	162	Marietta, GA
1st Team Special Teams						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
K	Chris Polite	SR	Oakland	5'11	165	Auburn Hills, MI
P	Noah Myers	SO	Middle Georgia State	6'1	230	Watkinsville, GA
R	Raymond Artist	SO	Oakland	5'6	160	Eastpointe, MI
LS	Blake Fetterhoff	SO	Oakland	5'9	176	Rochester Hills, MI
1st Team All-Purpose Player						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
AP	Mark Barranger	SO	Sacred Heart	6'2	190	Clark, NJ

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		NCFA 2016 All American Team				
2nd Team Offense						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
QB	Brandon Thomas	JR	Middle Georgia State	6'	210	Savannah, GA
RB	Jeffie Johnson	SR	Ohio State	5'10	190	Hilliard, OH
RB	Vontez Fricks Williams	FR	Robert Morris - Peoria	5'10	160	Rockford, IL
TE	Anthony Brown	FR	Middle Georgia State	6'5"	230	Douglasville, GA
WR	Raymond Artist	SO	Oakland	5'6	160	Eastpointe, MI
WR	Charles Hunter	FR	Robert Morris - Peoria	6'2	170	Romeoville, IL
WR	Mark Barranger	SO	Sacred Heart	6'2	190	Clark, NJ
OT	Hamzah Masood	JR	Ohio State	6'5	291	Hilliard, OH
OT	Matt Loreti	FR	Sacred Heart	6'2	220	Mahwah, NJ
OG	Donald McCook	FR	Middle Georgia State	5'8"	255	Americus, GA
OG	Devin Gevodon	JR	Wright State	6'3	300	Fairborn, OH
C	Joseph Lee	JR	Robert Morris - Peoria	5'11	265	Pekin, IL
2nd Team Defense						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
DE	Tyler Favreau	SR	Eastern Connecticut	6'3	245	Plainville, CT
DE	Jamon Williams	FR	Robert Morris Peoria	6'2	175	Chicago, IL
DT	Tyrell Deriso	JR	Middle Georgia State	6'2	285	Vienna, GA
DT	Ben Burke	FR	Sacred Heart	6'1	225	Hebron, CT
LB	Johnathon Maebane	SR	Robert Morris Peoria	6'1	208	Normal, IL
LB	Luke Dushaj	JR	Oakland	6'3	195	Auburn Hills, MI
LB	Austin Wotherspoon	JR	Eastern Connecticut	5'9	180	Old Saybrook, CT
LB	Brandon Banks	FR	Middle Georgia State	6'	225	Union City, GA
S	Tralik Cofield	FR	Middle Georgia State	6'	175	Atlanta, GA
S	Kyle McKenna	SR	Robert Morris Peoria	5'11	175	Pekin, IL
CB	Ken Merchant	SR	Ohio State	5'9	140	Cincinnati, OH
CB	Makerius Brown	SO	Middle Georgia State	5'8	175	Forsyth, GA
2nd Team Special Teams						
Position	Name	Year	School	Ht	Wt	Hometown
K	Gonzalo Rodriguez	FR	Loyola	5'8	150	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
P	Casey Jehn	SR	UW-Milwaukee	5'10	150	Waukesha, WI
R	Kevin Williams III	JR	Middle Georgia State	5'10	165	Albany, GA
LS	Augustus Murray	FR	Middle Georgia State	5'5	150	Covington, GA
2nd Team All-Purpose Player						
AP	Kyle Wirtz	SR	UW-Milwaukee	5'11	175	Brookfield, WI

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		NCFA 2016 POST SEASON AWARDS	
AWARD		Name	School
 <p>OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR</p>		Will Kasser	Sacred Heart
<p>Will was a huge part of Sacred Heart's success this past year. He posted incredible numbers completing over 80% of his passes with an astonishing yards per attempt average of over 11 showing that the high completion percentage wasn't because of a dink and dunk offense. Will ended up with one of the best passing seasons in NCFA history</p>			
 <p>DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR</p>		Bobby Saad	Oakland
<p>Although Oakland's defense was a monster as a whole, one guy stood out among the others and that was Bobby Saad. His combination of strength and speed allowed him to be a terror to opposing quarterbacks as well as a force in the run game. Every offense needed to account for him on each and every play. A complete blend of skill, athleticism, motor and heart, Saad helped anchor the Oakland defense in 2016.</p>			
 <p>COACH OF THE YEAR</p>		Tom Menas	Oakland
<p>Coach Menas led Oakland to a perfect NCFA Championship season as both the head coach and defensive coordinator. There is no one that will argue when you say the defense was the catalyst for their success. They pitched multiple shutouts this year and showed the ability to overcome adversity in the NCFA playoffs. Coach wore the dual hats well and is most deserving of this title</p>			
 <p>TEAM PRESIDENT OF THE YEAR</p>		Xavier Savannah	George Mason
<p>George Mason struggled through their 2015 campaign putting to the end with barely enough bodies to finish the season. Xavier came aboard as the team president and helped rebuild the ship and led Mason to a successful 2016 campaign. For spearheading their turnaround he is the 2016 President of the Year</p>			
 <p>CONFERENCE COORDINATOR OF THE YEAR</p>		Eric Kenter	Great Lakes
<p>Eric continues to be a valuable asset to the NCFA. He once again was seamless in his communication with Great Lakes teams. His leadership helps the Great Lakes as a whole and it doesn't surprise that each of the last 3 NCFA title games featured the Great Lakes Champs as a contestant.</p>			

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NCFA Player Profile: *Shakeer Williams, MVP* National Championship Game

Name: Shakeer Williams
School: Oakland University
Year: 4th/Senior

Q1: Who/what got you involved in football?
“What got me involved in football was my dad. Since little league he’s been a coach and he got me into loving the sport. He was not only a coach but motivation for me and broke the sport down easily to where I quickly caught on. Little do people know basketball was one of my first sports but once I picked up a football I instantly fell in love with it.”

Q2: What would you attribute your success to?
“I would say I would say majority of my success is from close friends that played the sport, trainers, all the way to every coach that had a chance to have me on their team. Without their input and critiques on my game, I wouldn’t be the player I am today.”

Q3: What does a typical training day look like for you?
“A typical training day would usually be light cardio and simply weights.”

Q4: What is your next step after school? Does it involve football?
“My next step after school I would be going towards my career in recreational management/business management. I would definitely love to play in any professional league if any team is interested. I would be willing to train extremely hard and get ready for that professional level. But as of now my mind won’t be focused on football after school.”



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2017 NCBBA WEEK 6 RAWLINGS TOP 15 POLL



RANK	TEAM	TOTAL POINTS	PREVIOUS RANK
1	East Carolina (7)	525	2
2	Ohio State (4)	495	1
3	Umass Lowell (1)	453	6
4	Wisconsin - WHITE (2)	438	T-9
5	Goodwin	297	T-12
6	Brown	276	T-9
7	Michigan State	270	3
8	St. Bonaventure	267	11
9	Purdue - GOLD	249	T-12
10	UNC Wilmington	240	8
11	Boston College	228	5
12	Delaware	210	NR
13	WVU	195	7
14	Michigan	180	15
15	Cornell	177	4

Total Points Available: 675

Others Receiving Votes:

TEAM	TOTAL POINTS	TEAM	TOTAL POINTS	TEAM	TOTAL POINTS
Bradley	159	Vermont	36	Towson	24
Pitt (1)	123	Harvard	30	Miami OH	15
SIUC	102	Kent State	30	Bowling Green	12
Dayton	60	St. John's	30	George Washington	12
Central Michigan	39	Georgia	27	Holy Cross	6
NKU	39	Georgetown	24	Lehigh	6
St. Joe's	39	Iowa State	24		
Wisconsin - RED	39	Syracuse	24		



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2016-2017 NCSA DECEMBER RAWLINGS TOP 15 POLL



RANK	TEAM	TOTAL POINTS	PREVIOUS RANK
1	Clemson University (10)	202	1
2	Naval Academy (3)	183	2
3	Arkansas State University	156	4
4	Virginia Tech	148	6
5	James Madison University	128	3
6	University of Illinois	102	10
7	Air Force Academy	100	9
8	University of Delaware	97	8
9	University of Missouri	93	11
10	The Ohio State University	83	5
11	University of Florida	82	7
12	Illinois State University (1)	74	14
13	Grand Valley State University	63	13
14	UC - Davis	30	12
15	Sacred Heart University	29	NR

Max Points Available: 210

Others Receiving Votes:

Lake Superior State Univ.	20	Bloomsburg University	9	Coastal Carolina University	3
East Carolina University	16	Northeastern University	9	West Virginia University	2
University of Pittsburgh	14	Penn State University	5	University of North Carolina	1
Florida State University	11	Michigan State University	3	Grand Canyon University	1
University of Kentucky	11	SUNY Cortland	3	Rutgers University	1

Dropped Out:

TEAM	PREVIOUS RANK
Florida State University	15



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