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SUBJECT: 2015-16 NCAA Wrestling Registration and Referee Clinics.

The NCAA wrestling referee clinic will be available online beginning September 15 and closing October 19. Chuck Barbee, secretary-rules editor, will review new rules and points of emphasis and Tim Shiels, national coordinator of officials, will offer the latest instruction on mechanics, positioning, mat control, and other useful topics designed to benefit the collegiate wrestling referee.

Each referee assigned to NCAA wrestling competition is required each year to pass the online exam, view the annual rules presentation and participate in the online NCAA officials clinic.

All officials who wish to be eligible to officiate NCAA wrestling competition will be required to register on the ArbiterSports [website](#), and complete the online test and clinic by October 19. ArbiterSports is the official site for NCAA wrestling officials. The site will house the annual rules test, a downloadable rules book, interpretations, points of emphasis, video clips, teaching materials, postseason assignments, ejection forms, updated officials mechanics information from Mr. Shiels, as well as interpretations and points of emphasis from Mr. Barbee.

More information will be available in the coming weeks.

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