

## NCAA Division I Softball Recruiting Calendar

August 1, 2015, through July 31, 2016

(See NCAA Division I Bylaw 13.17.7 for Softball Calendar Formula)

- (a) August 1 through November 25, 2015 [except for (1) below]:\* Contact Period
  - (1) November 9-12, 2015: Dead Period
- (b) November 26, 2015, through January 1, 2016 [except for (1) below]: Quiet Period
  - (1) December 2 through December 5, 2015: Dead Period
- (c) January 2 through July 31, 2016 [except for (1) and (2) below]: Contact Period
  - (1) April 11-14, 2016: Dead Period
  - (2) May 31 through June 9 (noon), 2016:\*\* Dead Period
- (d) During high school regional and state championship competition that does not occur during a dead period: Evaluation Period
- (e) The following state specific contact/evaluation periods are permissible:
  - (1) In Hawaii, contacts and evaluations shall be permissible between November 26, 2015, and January 1, 2016 [except for (a) below].
    - (a) December 2 through December 5, 2015: Dead Period
  - (2) In those states that play high school softball season in the fall, evaluations shall be permissible during those seasons, except during dead periods.

\* Each institution is limited to 50 evaluation days (August 1 through July 31) per NCAA Bylaw 13.02.7.2, which do not include employment of coaches in instructional camps/clinics or the observation of prospective student-athletes participating in high school softball competition.

\*\* Dates are based on the 2016 NCAA Division I Women's Softball Championship. Dead period remains in effect until noon the day following the conclusion of the Women's College World Series. If the championship series ends after two games, the dead period ends on June 8 at noon.

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**August 2015**

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*Mon*

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Contact period: August 1-31

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Green - Contact period

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**September 2015**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>Contact period:</b> September 1-30						
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
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<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>			
				<b>Green - Contact period</b>		

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**October 2015**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>Contact period:</b> October 1-31						
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
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<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>

Green - Contact period

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# November 2015

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<p><b>Contact period:</b> November 1-8 and 13-25</p> <p><b>Dead period:</b> November 9-12</p> <p><b>Quiet period:</b> November 26-30</p> <p>In Hawaii, contacts and evaluations shall be permissible between November 26, 2015, and January 1, 2016, except for December 2 through December 5, 2015.</p>						
1 Contact period: November 1-8	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Dead period: November 9-12	10	11	12	13 Contact period: November 13-25	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Quiet period: November 26-30	27	28
29	30					

Green - Contact period  
Red - Dead period  
Yellow - Quiet period

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**December 2015**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<p><b>Quiet period:</b> December 1; 6-31</p> <p><b>Dead period:</b> December 2-5</p> <p>In Hawaii, contacts and evaluations shall be permissible between November 26, 2015, and January 1, 2016, except for December 2 through December 5, 2015.</p>						
		<p><b>1</b> Quiet period: December 1</p>	<p><b>2</b> Dead period: December 2-5</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b></p>
<p><b>6</b> Quiet period: December 6-31</p>	<p><b>7</b></p>	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p>	<p><b>10</b></p>	<p><b>11</b></p>	<p><b>12</b></p>
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**January 2016**

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**Quiet period:** January 1

**Contact period:** January 2-31

In Hawaii, contacts and evaluations shall be permissible between November 26, 2015, and January 1, 2016, except for December 2 through December 5, 2015.

					<b>1</b> <b>Quiet period:</b> January 1	<b>2</b> <b>Contact period:</b> January 2-31
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

Yellow - Quiet period  
Green - Contact period

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**February 2016**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>Contact period:</b> February 1-29						
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>					

Green - Contact period

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**March 2016**

*Sun*

*Mon*

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Contact period: March 1-31

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Green - Contact period

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**April 2016**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<p><b>Contact period:</b> April 1-10 and 15-30</p> <p><b>Dead period:</b> April 11-14</p>						
					<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Contact period:</b> April 1-10</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>
<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b></p>	<p><b>6</b></p>	<p><b>7</b></p>	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p>
<p><b>10</b></p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p><b>Dead period:</b> April 11-14</p>	<p><b>12</b></p>	<p><b>13</b></p>	<p><b>14</b></p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p><b>Contact period:</b> April 15-30</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>
<p><b>17</b></p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>19</b></p>	<p><b>20</b></p>	<p><b>21</b></p>	<p><b>22</b></p>	<p><b>23</b></p>
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Green - Contact period  
Red - Dead period

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**May 2016**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<p><b>Contact period:</b> May 1-30</p> <p><b>Dead period:</b> May 31</p>						
<b>1</b> Contact period: May 1-30	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
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<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Dead period: May 31	<div data-bbox="1549 1263 1854 1360" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Green - Contact period Red - Dead period</p> </div>			

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**June 2016**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<p><b>Dead period:</b> June 1-9 (Noon)</p> <p><b>Contact period:</b> June 9 (Noon) -30 *Note: If the Women's College World Series Championship ends after two games, the dead period ends on June 8 at noon.</p>						
			<b>1</b> Dead period: June 1-9 (noon)	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Dead period ends at noon.* Contact period begins at noon.*	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
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**July 2016**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
Contact period: July 1-31						
					<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
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<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24/31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>

Green – Contact period