



2009 NJCAA FOOTBALL MEDIA GUIDE

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*The NJCAA Football Committee is responsible for setting policies and procedures for the sport subject to approval by the Board of Directors of the NJCAA. The committee is made up of NJCAA Region Directors and Asst. Region Directors along with the *NJCAA Football Coaches Assn. President.*

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Panel Directors are NJCAA Region Directors within the area of the seven football conferences. The seven Panel Directors are responsible for selection of the top football teams for ranking and the weekly poll will be compiled from their votes.



The NJCAA Football Coaches Association is an organization of football coaches from NJCAA member institutions. The membership consists of all dues paying coaches. Annual dues to this organization are \$70. The group meets annually, conducting their business in conjunction with the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA).

NJCAA Football Coaches Association

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NJCAA Football By the Numbers

- 69: NJCAA Football Programs
- 7: Football Conferences
- 6: Independent Football Programs
- 9: NJCAA Bowl Games

NJCAA Football Conferences

Kansas Jayhawk Community College Conference
www.kjccc.org

Midwest Football Conference
www.iccac.org

Minnesota College Athletic Conference
www.mcac-sports.com

Northeast Football Conference
www.northeastfootball.com

Mississippi Assn. of Community & Jr. Colleges

Southwest JC Football Conference
www.region14athletics.com

Western States Football League
www.pc.maricopa.edu/athletics/ACCAC/football/

NJCAA / JC Football.com Poll

The NJCAA and JC Football.com will once again team up for the 2009 NJCAA football season to promote two-year college football.

The NJCAA / JC Football.com Poll will rank the top 20 NJCAA football teams in the nation and will be released each Tuesday during the regular season beginning Sept. 8th.

Poll Information

The NJCAA / JC Football.com Poll ranks the top 20 team in the NJCAA each week. NJCAA Football Panel Directors (see previous page for names) select their top 20 teams each week, which are then formulated into the weekly rankings. Panel Directors are not allowed to vote a team No. 1 from their own district until they have played at least five contests. After five contests, a Panel Director may only vote a team from their district No. 1 if they are undefeated. A Panel Director may vote a team from their district No. 2 at any time during the season.

The weekly poll will be released nationally on the NJCAA website (www.njcaa.org) and sent to various news outlets on each poll day at approximately 1 p.m. (Mountain Time). This year's poll dates are as follows: *Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Sept. 22, Sept. 29, Oct. 6, Oct. 13, Oct. 20, Oct. 27, Nov. 3, Nov. 10, Nov. 16 (Final Regular Season Poll) and Dec. 14 (Championship Poll and All-American Release).*

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2009 NJCAA Football Bowl Game Schedule



NORTH STAR BOWL - NOVEMBER 21, 2009
 Game Location: UCR Regional Sports Stadium – Rochester, Minn.



THE GRAPHIC EDGE BOWL (2 Games) - NOVEMBER 22, 2009
 Game Location: UNI Dome; Cedar Falls, Iowa

VALLEY OF THE SUN BOWL - DECEMBER 5, 2009
 Game Location: Phoenix, Ariz. (Top Phoenix area team hosts)

C.H.A.M.P.S. HEART OF TEXAS BOWL - DECEMBER 5, 2009
 Game Location: Bulldawg Stadium; Copperas Cove, Texas

ZIONS BANK TOP OF THE MOUNTAINS BOWL—DECEMBER 5, 2009
 Game Location: Rio-Tinto Stadium; Salt Lake City, Utah

SALT CITY BOWL - DECEMBER 5, 2009
 Game Location: Gowans Stadium, Hutchinson, Kan.

MISSISSIPPI BOWL - DECEMBER 6, 2009
 Game Location: Biloxi High School Stadium, Biloxi, Miss.

CITIZEN'S BANK BOWL - DECEMBER 6, 2009
 Game Location: Pittsburg State University Carnie Smith Stadium, Pittsburg, Kan.

