



IMPORTANT DATES

2025-2026 WOMEN'S LACROSSE SPORT CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 1	START – Practices, Scrimmages & Exhibitions
SEPTEMBER 1	START – Competitions
NOVEMBER 6	DEADLINE – Submission of Sport Motions
NOVEMBER 19-21	IWLCA Convention, St. Petersburg, FL
JANUARY 21	START – National Poll Release <i>Dates: Jan. 21, Feb. 25, Mar. 11, Mar. 25, Apr. 8, Apr. 29, May 20</i>
FEBRUARY 10	START – Player of the Week Release <i>Feb. 10, Feb. 17, Feb. 24, Mar. 3, Mar. 10, Mar. 17, Mar. 24, Mar. 31, Apr. 7, Apr. 14, Apr. 21</i>
APRIL 4	DEADLINE – Undeclare from DOI
APRIL 15	DEADLINE – NAIA Scholar-Athlete nomination materials to NAIA
APRIL 15	DEADLINE – Individual Champion of Character Nomination
MAY 2	DEADLINE – Complete Affiliated Conference/CAC/Unaffiliated Group Tournaments
MAY 3	DEADLINE – Sport Chairs to Submit All-Conference/CAC/Unaffiliated Group Team Ballots
MAY 4	RELEASE - National Championship Pairings and Official Bracket Watch the Selection Show live at 400pm CT.
MAY 5	DEADLINE – Teams Advancing to Postseason Play to Submit Official Postseason Roster Form to NAIA National Office on NAIA Connect
MAY 5	DEADLINE – Conference/CAC/Unaffiliated Group Commissioners to Submit All-Conference/CAC/Unaffiliated Group Team Ballots to The NAIA National Office
MAY 10	RELEASE – 2026 NAIA Women's Lacrosse All-America Teams, National Player of the Year, National Coach of the Year
MAY 11-15	6TH Annual NAIA Women's Lacrosse National Championship – Decatur, Alabama
JUNE 30	DEADLINE – Scholar Team Nomination
JULY 15	DEADLINE – Nominations for NAIA Hall of Fame

FIVE-YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP CALENDAR

	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Conference Tournament Deadlines	May 2	May 1	April 29	April 28	April 27
National Championship Dates	May 11-15	May 11-15	May 8-12	May 8-12	May 6-10

National Championship Website – [Click Here](#)