## **FALL 2014 WALK-ON INFORMATION**

FAU Football
Tom Oxley Athletic Center
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Paperwork Turn-In Deadline: Thursday, August 14th, 5:00 PM, NO EXCEPTIONS

Meeting: Wednesday, August 20th, 11:30 AM, (15 minutes)

Try-Out: Thursday, August 21st, 11:30 AM

\*\*\*Tryout will consist of football related drills and position specific drills.

The following must be completed and brought to the football office by Thursday August 14<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 PM. There will be a tray in the main football office for your paperwork labeled Walk-on Tryout.

- 1. You must print a copy of your current class schedule and bring it with you to the meeting. You MUST be a fulltime, degree-seeking student at FAU for the spring 2014 semester (12 credits at FAU; Not 9 at FAU and 3 at PBSC).
- 2. Bring a VALID copy (front and back) of your insurance company's card. If you do not have insurance you must purchase a plan prior to trying out. If you have dental and prescription cards, please also include a VALID copy of those in your completed packet.

**FAU Sports Medicine Insurance Information** 

- 3. Physical Must be signed by a Medical Doctor (MD)
  - \*\*\*Need to have sickle cell trait Solubility test completed and turned in with the physical exam.

**FAU Sports Medicine Incoming Walk-On Packet** 

**FAU Sports Medicine Physical Exam Paperwork** 

**FAU Sports Medicine Medical Release** 

4. You must be cleared by the NCAA Clearinghouse:

**NCAA Eligibility Center** 

- 5. You must print out and complete the walk-on questionnaire Walk On Questionnaire
- 6. Sickle Cell Screen:

All student-athletes must have a sickle cell screen prior to working out with the team. The student-health center offers the test for \$15.00. This test must be completed and turned in with your paperwork by Thursday August 14<sup>th</sup>. MUST TURN IN WITH PHYSICAL!!

Be sure to follow the above steps and have all the above items taken care of prior to the meeting. You will not be allowed to participate if you have not turned in the required paperwork. NO EXCEPTIONS!

## If you are not currently enrolled at Florida Atlantic University as a full-time student:

- You must apply and be accepted into FAU
- Once you are accepted, proceed with the above instructions for the upcoming semester
- You will not be allowed to try out at FAU if you are not enrolled per NCAA rules

## If you are currently enrolled at another four year University:

No member of the FAU Athletics Department may contact you unless we receive your release from your school.
 Please fax or email your release to Ed Hayward at (561) 297-3963.

## **Important Contacts:**

Jared Allen – Director of Player Personnel: <u>Jallen30@fau.edu</u> Heather Henderson – Football Operations: hcoker@fau.edu

Samantha Sweeney – Assistant AD for Compliance: <a href="mailto:ehayward@fau.edu">ehayward@fau.edu</a>
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**Miscellaneous Resource Links:** 

**FAU Compliance Department** 

**FAU Sports Medicine** 

**NCAA Eligibility Standards Reference Sheet**