# 757 "COLLEGE DAY"

### FOOTBALL CAMP | 757 MEGA CAMP

Below is information on **YEAR #2** of our "757 College Day" Football Camp - aka the **757 MEGA CAMP**, in Norfolk, VA!

The purpose of our camp (just like last year) – is to provide students with the opportunity to learn, compete, and be evaluated by **COLLEGE COACHES** during the 2024 NCAA Spring Contact & Evaluation period <u>for scholarship consideration</u>.

If you don't want to read all the way down, **IN SUMMARY**: we are working IN CONJUNCTION with Maury High School, to have all the colleges coming to **THEIR "college workout" on May 7**, attend **OUR WORKOUT / CAMP:** 2 miles away, immediately AFTER their workout!

That is why the date (May 7, time, and location) are so purposeful! (we planned this very carefully)

The TOP high schools in the 757 are having their "COLLEGE DAYS / COLLEGE WORKOUTS" on Monday May 6 and Tuesday May 7, flooding the area with college coaches those two days.

**Our event, is a "COLLEGE DAY"...** for ANY student who may attend a school who is NOT having a college day May 6 or May 7. Or for a student who may attend a school that will not attract many college coaches to their school.

+ This camp is open to ANY student at ANY school +

We took the school with the most talent in the 757 (Maury High School), who will attract the most colleges coaches on one day (May 7 is the Maury "College Day"), and we will have THOSE same coaches come to OUR event, to evaluate and recruit students who might not get as much exposure at their school (for whatever reason)

**Working together!** We have hired 10 of the TOP 757 Head Coaches / Assistant Coaches in the area to RUN this camp. We want this event to be INCLUSIVE. The 757 Head Coaches will RUN the drills – so the college coaches can purely evaluate your son!

**Education & Information Below:** There are such FEW opportunities THIS SPRING (2024), to get evaluated LIVE by college coaches. This is a GREAT opportunity that we have created for a straight second year!

Register at: <u>757megacamp.com</u> Text: "College Day" to 757.726.7357

## **EDUCATION**

This April / May (2024) starts **NEW**, historic, NCAA legislation, reducing the amount of days and times colleges are able to visit high schools this Spring of 2024.

Prior to 2024, schools were allowed to visit high schools 18 days each spring between April 15 – May 25. This year, that number has been cut DOWN to 14. AND. Prior to this year, colleges could visit a school on TWO occasions. This year (2024) – that number got cut down to ONE.

So for example. If your student goes to Ocean Lakes – Virginia Tech can stop by the school ONE TIME, to evaluate players at the school, between the dates of **April 15 – May 25.** 

You can see the calendar here, from the NCAA website, and FULL calendar below.

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GREEN = NCAA schools CAN visit 757 high schools. RED = NO RECRUITING TAN = STUDENTS CAN VISIT THE COLLEGES

Obviously, with only 14 days allowed, NCAA schools can not visit EVERY school.

WHAT ARE THESE "COLLEGE DAYS" that schools are posting on social media?

"College Days", are specific days, that schools are inviting colleges to visit their school, and see all of their players workout, for scholarship consideration.

For example, King's Fork High School, is having their "College Day" on Monday May 6

Now, we know everyone doesn't want to hear this – but even if your school HAS a "college day"...that doesn't mean every, or many schools will attend.

#### OUR IDEA / PLAN TO HELP CREATE MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PLAYERS IN THE 757

Last year we held our 1<sup>st</sup> ever 757 College Day / 757 Mega Camp, on Memorial Day Weekend. It was spearheaded by Coach Bobby Wilder. We had over 20 colleges attend, with over 150 participants! It was a PHENOMENAL first camp, obviously great to have over 20 colleges there.

THIS YEAR, we got SMART. This year - we are running our camp IN CONJUNCTION with, on the same night as Maury High School. Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>, will have the MOST COLLEGES in the 757, of any day of the year.

May 7, is the day of the Maury "College Day". Maury has the MOST talent on their squad of ANY program in the 757, which will attract 50+ colleges at their school.

Again, we are running our event in coordination with their Head Coach and program, to have those colleges leave the Maury workout, and ATTEND our "757 College Day" 2 miles away at Norfolk Christian.

This gives YOUR SON, the ability to be seen by many colleges, in 1 night.

"My son's school is doing a college day"....GREAT! That is awesome. Again, your son can attend his school's "College Day"....AND our event. Again, 10 colleges may attend OUR event who can NOT attend your son's college day – which provides more opportunity for your son.

Obviously there are many private or smaller schools, who again, just by pure time restrictions, some colleges may not visit your son's school.

**OUR EVENT**, is a tremendous opportunity for students like this.

ALSO. Our event is for students entering grades: 7 – 12 in the fall of 2024. SO, if your son wants to catch EARLY EYES of college recruiters...this is a great opportunity!

**For example:** Last year, we had a 9<sup>th</sup> grader receive 5 offers at our camp, just based on his young age, potential, and how well he performed at camp! We DO separate the students by age & ability. So seniors would never be going vs. freshman ect.

ALSO, something cool for YOUNG....and OLDER PLAYERS. College coaches CHANGE SCHOOLS each year! For example: last year, the University at Maine Defensive Line Coach attended our camp. The University of Maine is a very reputable, smaller Division 1 school. They give full scholarships, but obviously are not a LARGER school. Well – that coach NOW, is a defensive coach at Boston College, a very large "POWER 5 school". He is actively recruiting players who he first noticed at OUR CAMP last year!!

The college football recruiting process might be completely NEW or foreign to you OR your child. Hopefully this information HELPS you understand the SPRING recruiting process. As you can see Thursday May 30 – starts the period where colleges can start running their SUMMER camps! If you want more info on NCAA rules – feel free to text us at 757.726.7357

#### **2023-24 NCAA RECRUITING CALENDAR**

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