



**USSF NATIONAL C COURSE
Feb. 6th -15th, 2009**

Mississippi Soccer Association and Louisiana Soccer Association will be hosting the National C Course Feb. 6th – 15th, 2009. Applications will be accepted no later than January 6th, 2009.

DATES: Feb. 6th – 15th, 2009

TIMES: Check-in 10.00 AM – 1PM at the Host Hotel [Cabot Lodge Jackson North, 120 Dyess Road, Ridgeland, MS 39157]

PLACE: Freedom Ridge Park, 235 W. School Street, Ridgeland, MS 39157

COST: \$500.00 for commuters Residential Candidates: \$905 [Room and Breakfast]

COURSE PREREQUISITES: See application below

REGISTRATION: The following materials must be received to reserve a spot:

1. Completed Course Application
2. A \$150.00 non-refundable application fee (make checks payable to MSA) or full tuition.
3. One passport size photograph (1"X2")

All registration material should be sent to:
Mississippi Soccer Association
Attn: Tawni Osborn – National C Course
628 Lakeland East Drive, Suite D,
Flowood, MS 39232

Acceptance is not guarantee until all required materials and payments are received.

For your pre-course assignment visit http://www.ussoccer.com/common/stContent.jsp_40-CLicense.html U.S. Soccer's Best Practices for Coaching in the United States manual is available online and candidates should become comfortable with the information.

Pre-Course Assignments:

- * Pre-Course Assignment
- * Methods of Coaching
- * The 4v4 to 11v11 Progression
- * Candidate Guidelines for Evaluating Soccer
- * Training Session Form
- * Lesson Plan Form

If you have question(s) contact Mississippi Soccer Assn at techdirector@mississippisoccer.org or Louisiana Soccer Assn at markgodwindoc@lsa-soccer.org



Mail Application to: Tawni Osborn
ATTN – National C Course
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2008 STATE HOSTED COACHING COURSE APPLICATION

Name: _____ E-mail: _____ SS#: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____ M F U.S. Citizen: Y N
(circle) (circle)

COURSE REGISTRATION:

Course Level: "C"

Course Location: _____

Course Date: _____

Existing License: _____
Issued by USSF, NSCAA, Other Date Received/ Date Renewed License Level & No.

___ Member of U.S. Soccer CoachesNet? Member #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

___ Waiver Application (Please complete information on back page)

___ Audit or Refresher Course (deduct \$100 from rates)

Emergency Contact: _____
(name, phone)

Requested Roommate: _____

___ If you have a disability or need special accommodations or assistance, please check here and call the appropriate State Association.

PAYMENT: *Enclose cashiers check, money order, or complete the following credit card information.*
****Please be advised that the full payment will be charged to your credit card upon completion of credit card information on the application.**

Credit Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Credit Card Type: MasterCard Visa American Express Name on Credit Card: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Deposit Amount: _____ (No.) _____ Received On: _____ Balance Due: _____
Final Payment: _____ (No.) _____ Received On: _____ Verification Letter: _____
Withdrawn On: _____ Refund Due: _____ Refund Paid: _____ Date refunded: _____

COURSE ELIGIBILITY

“C” LICENSE

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, and have earned a National “D” License certification held for a minimum of 12 months (attach a copy to application). “D” License certification may be waived under one of the following conditions:

- 1) Application received the NSCAA National Diploma and has held it for a minimum of 12 months.
- 2) Applicant has three (3) years coaching experience **AND** has three years playing experience with U.S. National Teams or three (3) years professional playing experience.

WAITING PERIOD: There is a mandatory waiting period of one (1) year between each level of license (“D” through “A”).

EXAMINATIONS AND EVALUATIONS

Candidates undergo a challenging series of written, oral and practical examinations on a variety of subjects. Graded on a scale of 1 (high) to 5 (fail), candidates must receive passing scores in all test areas in order to become licensed. A single failing score in a theoretical subject qualifies for a re-test in that subject. All re-tests will take place at the conclusion of the course. A single failing score in either of the methodology subjects will result in a failing grade for the course with no re-testing. If a candidate is found deficient in only Game Awareness, he/she may still pass the course. *If an applicant misses any of the course sessions, he/she must return to a future school to participate in that session/lecture, even if the candidate has passed all of the testing areas. License will be withheld until this requirement is fulfilled.*

3.2 RULE

If “C” candidates receives a passing grade equaling 3.2 or above, they must wait two (2) years before attending a “B” course. However, if they audit a “B” course within that two-year period, they will be permitted to attempt the “B” License after the minimum 12-month waiting period.

Candidates will receive their results from the national office within 6-8 weeks following the conclusion of the course. Successful candidates will receive a license certificate and license card at that time.

NOTE: We strongly recommend that you be in “good” physical condition to meet the demands of the course.

DOCUMENTATION FOR WAIVERS

- 1) If applying as a professional player, applicant must submit proof, such as photocopies of contracts, or verification by owner on official team letterhead. Documentation of coaching experience is also required.
- 2) If application holds an NSCAA Diploma, a copy of the diploma must be attached to the application.

If required documents do not accompany application, it will be returned.

WAIVER INFORMATION

Playing Experience:

(Team Name and No. of years)

Professional _____

Coaching Experience:

(School or Club or No. of years)

Youth: _____

HighSchool: _____

College: _____

Amateur: _____

Professional: _____