



PLAY LIKE A CHAMPION TODAY LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE 2019

Welcome to Play Like a Champion Today's Fourteenth Annual Sports Leadership Conference.

Through presentations, networking and discussions, this conference will educate and inspire coaches and sport administrators gathering from across the country to make a transformational impact on ALL children and adolescents through sports.

This information packet is very important and we hope it will prove useful to you as you prepare for and attend the conference. Please review it thoroughly. We look forward to seeing you in June!



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Conference Details

9 am - 9 pm on Friday, June 21st and Saturday, June 22nd

Please note that Notre Dame is on Eastern Daylight Time, which is the same time as New York and one hour ahead of Chicago.

Conference Location

Jordan Hall of Science, University of Notre Dame

Conference Cost

The cost of the conference is \$600. This covers participation in programming, materials, and all meals. An early registration discount of \$550 is available until February 28th.

Conference Check-In

Regular check-in opens on Friday, June 21 at 8 am in the foyer of Jordan Hall.

Retreat

The Retreat will take place at LaFortune Student Center Ballroom.

Registration opens at Noon and the retreat begins at 1pm.

The Retreat will conclude with dinner at Legends.

Meals

Breakfast and Lunch will be provided to participants both Friday and Saturday. A banquet dinner will be held on both Friday and Saturday evenings.

Cancellations

If you must cancel, please contact the *Play Like a Champion* office as early as possible so that those waitlisted may be notified.

No refunds will be processed until after the conference, and \$200 of each registrant's fee is non-refundable.

Directions

Notre Dame is conveniently located in South Bend, Indiana, which is accessible by air, car, or train. This link will guide you in getting to South Bend and to campus: <http://nd.edu/campus-and-community/campus-map/>

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Lodging: The following hotels have a block of rooms available under the name Play Like a Champion Leadership Conference.

Inn at Saint Mary's (574-232-4000): \$137 per night (includes breakfast)

The Fairfield Inn: (574) 234-5510): \$124 per night (includes breakfast)

Waterford Estates: (574) 272-5220): \$89 per night (includes breakfast)

The Quality Inn: (574) 277-3211): \$89 per night

Holiday Inn: (574-258-4408): \$119 per night

The Morris Inn (574-631-2000): \$189 per night

To ensure that you get the preferred rate, please be sure to mention the *Play Like a Champion Today* Leadership Conference when contacting these hotels. These room blocks are reserved until May 21. After May 21, if there are rooms available, you can still request the preferred rate, but it is not guaranteed. **Please book your room early!**

Residence Hall Housing

Lodging is available on Notre Dame's campus in McGlenn Residence Hall. The cost for a single room is \$54.00 per night. Lodging is also available in a Residence Hall on the campus of Holy Cross College (across the street from Notre Dame) for \$40 a night.

You can reserve a dormitory-style room on the campus of your choice during the registration process or you can contact the Play Like a Champion Today office by June 14, 2019 at information@playlikeachampion.org or 574-250-6424

All Conference attendees staying in a Residence Hall may check in any time after 4:00 pm on their arrival date. If arriving on Thursday, June 20th and attending the retreat, your luggage will be held for you at the retreat check-in table. If arriving on Friday, June 21st your luggage will be held for you at the conference check-in table until you are able to check in to your room. For attendees residing on campus, parking will be designated by the staff of the residence hall.

Conference attendees residing on campus in a residence hall should be aware that the dorms have communal bathrooms. Restrooms and showers are available on each floor and designated "Male" or "Female." Residence hall guests will be provided sheets, blanket, towel and soap. Guests should bring a bathrobe, shower shoes, alarm clock, toiletries and extra towels.

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Transportation

If you are flying into the South Bend Regional Airport and need transportation to your hotel or to campus, taxis are waiting outside the baggage claim area, or you can call Blue Ribbon Taxi at (574)-233-4040. A shuttle Bus from Chicago's O'Hare and Midway Airports makes stops at both the South Bend Airport and the University of Notre Dame, for more information go to <https://web.coachusa.com/tristateunitedlimo/index.asp>.

Parking

During the Conference, please park in a Visitor Lot, designated on the map as LOT C. During regular business hours (Monday-Friday, 7a.m. - 4p.m.), visitors must purchase a permit at a pay station (credit cards only). The permit must be displayed face up on the driver's side of the vehicle's dashboard, so it is visible to parking enforcement staff.

The primary Visitor Lot is located on the east side of the Walsh Family Hall of Architecture (currently under construction). The only entrance to the Visitor Lot is off of Holy Cross Drive. Just inside the lot, there is a parking pay station to the right (the NW corner of the lot).

Additional visitor parking areas are located in the Joyce, Compton and Baseball Lots. Pay stations to accommodate these areas are located in the Compton Lot (near the bus shelter off of Holy Cross Drive) and in the Joyce Lot (just south of the entrance to Purcell Pavilion).

Please [click here](#) to see a map showing the location of the pay stations.

The current rate schedule is: 1hr - Free (must obtain permit and display on dash), 2hrs - \$1, 3hrs - \$2, 4hrs - \$3, 4+hrs - \$8

No permit is required outside of regular business hours. So on Saturday please park in the Visitor lot, but a permit is not required.

Attendees residing in Notre Dame Residence Halls:

The guard on duty at the security gate will direct you to your residence hall to unload your belongings. After moving into the hall, please drive off campus and park in a visitor lot for the remainder of your stay.

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Campus Activities and Highlights

A tour of Notre Dame Campus and the athletic facilities will be offered during the conference. Exact time to be announced.

On Saturday, you may choose to attend the 5pm Mass at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart. Conference attendees are encouraged to sit together in the front right of the church.

Notre Dame Sports and Recreation

Notre Dame has many opportunities for recreation while you are visiting, including golf, tennis, swimming, basketball, and exercise and weight equipment. You can visit our recreational sports website at <http://recsports.nd.edu> to view these options. Conference days are full, however you may enjoy a workout at the Smith Center for Recreational Sports, equipped with a full weight room, treadmills, and indoor track before or after conference hours.

If you are interested in this opportunity, you must contact our office no later than June 14 to request access and we will direct you to the approval process.

Please feel free to explore campus through this online MAP: <http://map.nd.edu/>.

We can't wait to see you in June!

Notre Dame Bookstore

Many attendees are interested in visiting the Hammes Notre Dame Bookstore. The Bookstore hours are Monday - Saturday, 8 am - 9 pm and Sunday, 10 am - 7 pm.

The Notre Dame Bookstore at Eddy Street Commons is open from 10 am - 7 pm Monday - Saturday, and 11 am - 5 pm on Sunday.

The Leep Varsity Shop at Gate 9 of the Purcell Pavillion is open Monday - Saturday 9 am - 5 pm and Sunday, 12 pm - 4 pm.

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