

Coaching Guidelines for Religious Holiday

1. Morning or afternoon practices are acceptable when school is in session.
2. Practices after school on the eve of the Holiday should conclude no later than an hour before sundown.
3. When school is not in session due to a Religious Holiday, voluntary practice may be conducted in the morning prior to 12:00 noon; the building must be cleared by noon. Please keep in mind that if a voluntary practice is held, athletes celebrating religious holidays may not be able to participate.
4. In general, athletic competitions will not be hosted by GBN on religious holidays; however, in an effort to insure future invitations to away invitationals or tournaments, GBN teams will participate in tournaments conducted at other schools that do not observe the same religious holidays.

Religious obligations will not change an athlete's status in an athletic program.