

Spring/Summer 2010 Student Internship Opportunity

The **Greensboro Sports Commission**, a non-profit agency headquartered at 2200 Pinecroft Road, Suite 200 adjacent to the Four Seasons Towne Center, is now accepting inquiries from prospective students attending one of our area colleges and universities for spring and/or summer 2010 internships. The primary role of the Sports Commission is to promote Greensboro to prospective rights holders and event planners who could bring youth, collegiate and national sporting events to our community, thereby providing a positive economic impact for area hotels, restaurants, retailers and related service industries. Spring 2010 events include but are not limited to championships in high school wrestling, basketball and track and field, youth gymnastics, Atlantic Coast Conference basketball, baseball and women's golf as well as youth lacrosse. Summer 2010 events will include track and field, youth soccer, AJGA and PGA golf, and youth baseball.

A maximum of two spring interns will be engaged in various routine office duties, research, logistical support, and on-site hospitality and event management. Successful interns are highly dependable, conscientious, self-starters, and possess strong interpersonal and communication skills, have reasonably flexible schedules, and are passionate about representing Greensboro to sports fans and participants. Interns are expected to clock a minimum of 40 hours for each hour of academic credit earned and preference is given to those who can commit **at least** 240 hours over the course of the semester. These unpaid internships will expose students to professionals within the recreation and hospitality industries and provide meaningful networking and interface opportunities with event managers and venue operators that could potentially lead to employment opportunities.

Interested students should **immediately** send an email of inquiry, their student profile/resume and their anticipated availability for the spring and/or summer term to kstrable@greenborosports.org. The introduction should outline their specific interest in a sports-related internship and any special skills or competencies that would make them an ideal candidate. Prospective candidates should also provide the name and contact information for their academic advisor and the names, relationship, and contact information for at least three professional references. Interviews will be conducted as soon as possible but no later than mid-November. The Sports Commission will work with each intern to establish a mutually beneficial starting date and students will have the option of beginning the internship prior to the beginning of the semester or carry forward into the summer months.