



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

March 8 – March 14, 2010

UPCOMING GAMES



Monday, Mar. 8, 2010 at New York Knicks (7:30 p.m.)
TV: FSSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone/XM 212

Atlanta visits New York for the second time in the fourth-and-final meeting between the clubs this year ... The Hawks took a 114-101 road decision (11/11) in the first game, behind Al Horford's 25 points and Josh Smith's double-double (25 points/12 rebounds) ... Al Harrington had 23 points and 12 boards for the Knicks ... New York won the next two games (both at Philips Arena) – 114-107 on 12/4 and 112-108 in overtime on 1/1 ... Joe Johnson had 29 points in game two and Al Horford had 17 and 14 rebounds ... Harrington led the Knicks with 27 ... Johnson led Atlanta with 28 in game three, while Smith (24 points/10 rebounds) and Horford (22 points 19 boards) had double-doubles ... Nate Robinson led all scorers in game three with 41, and Wilson Chandler had 24 and 17 caroms ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 181-160, including a 59-82 road mark.



Thursday, Mar. 11, 2010 at Washington Wizards (7 p.m.)
TV: FSSO ... Radio: 790 The Zone/XM 211

The Hawks head to Washington DC to face the Wizards in a make-up game originally scheduled for 2/6 but postponed due to severe weather ... Atlanta is 2-0 against Washington this year, both at Philips Arena ... On 10/30, the Hawks took 100-89 decision, as Josh Smith scored 20 and Al Horford had 10 and 12 rebounds ... Gilbert Arenas led the Wizards with 23 ... On 1/13, Atlanta won 94-82 behind Joe Johnson's 24 points and Smith's double-double (10 points/12 boards) ... Antawn Jamison's 25 points and 19 rebounds led the Wizards ... The teams play again on 4/10 to finish the season series ... Atlanta has won seven straight overall against Washington, including four-in-a-row on the road ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 133-132 (41-85 on the road).



Saturday, Mar. 13, 2010 vs. Detroit Pistons (7 p.m.)
TV: SPSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone

Atlanta hosts Detroit for the first time this year in the second-of-four contests with the Pistons ... Detroit took the first meeting 94-88 at The Palace thanks to Rodney Stuckey's 23 points, and double-doubles from Ben Wallace (10 points/18 rebounds) and Jonas Jerebko (10 points/11 boards) ... Josh Smith (23 points) and Al Horford (10/points/10 rebounds) paced the Hawks ... The teams play again on 4/3 at Philips Arena and 4/7 in Detroit to finish the season series ... Atlanta has won two straight at home against the Pistons ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 159-156 (67-77 at home).

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
3/8	Mon.	Madison Square Garden	11:00 a.m.
3/9	Tue.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
3/10	Wed.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
3/11	Thur.	Verizon Center	11:00 a.m.
3/12	Fri.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
3/13	Sat.	Philips Arena	10:00 a.m.
3/14	Sun.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.

*All times ET unless noted ... All practice information is subject to change.
 Radio – WQXI-AM (790 The Zone) ... TV – Fox Sports South or SportSouth

2009-10 Season Record

OVERALL:	40-22
HOME:	25-7
ROAD:	15-15

Recent Results

2/28	vs. MIL	106-102	or W
3/1	at CHI	116-92	W
3/3	vs. PHI	112-93	W
3/5	vs. GS	127-122	W
3/6	at MIA	100-94	L

COMMUNITY NEWS

* Hawks guard Mario West will host a pizza party for patients at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Egleston on Friday, March 12 beginning at 2:30 p.m. He will spend the afternoon eating and visiting with patients, passing out books and playing games. West has a longstanding relationship with Egleston and has hosted multiple pizza parties there since coming to the Hawks. A native of Douglasville and a graduate of Georgia Tech, West has visited with patients at the hospital since his college days.

* The Atlanta Hawks Foundation has announced the opening of its 2010 charitable grant cycle. From 2/1 – 3/31/10, the Hawks Foundation will be accepting grant applications for \$50,000 in available funds from non-profit organizations in three focus areas – Education, Health & Wellness, and Recreation. Visit www.hawks.com for more information and application materials.

NEWS & NOTES

* The Hawks-Wizards game scheduled for February 6 was postponed due to severe weather conditions in the Washington DC area. The game has been rescheduled for this Thursday, March 11 (7 p.m., Fox Sports South) at Verizon Center.

* Three Hawks hit milestone statistical numbers last week, highlighted by Joe Johnson going over the 12,000 career point plateau on 3/5 vs. Golden State. Additionally, Joe Smith handed out the 1000th assist of his career at Chicago on 3/1 and Maurice Evans hit 3000 career points vs. Philadelphia on 3/3.

* Fans can keep up with all the latest news, stats and videos about Sixth Man of the Year candidate Jamal Crawford at the recently launched micro-site www.nba.com/hawks/TheDifference.html.

* At Miami on 3/6, Mike Bibby tied Allan Houston for 20th in NBA history with 1305 made three-point field goals. Also in that game, Jamal Crawford recorded his 25th career four-point play, adding to his NBA career record total.

* The Hawks grabbed 63 rebounds on 3/1 at Chicago, their most since recording 64 on 3/19/00 vs. Dallas. Atlanta also had a season-high 22 offensive boards in the contest.

* The NBA announced that the March 21 game vs. San Antonio will now be televised on ESPN (in addition to SportSouth HD) and will begin at 8 p.m.

* The Hawks-Pistons game on 3/13 features the Chick-fil-A® Family Night promotion where fans purchase four tickets and four Chick-fil-A® combo meal coupons starting at \$89. Visit www.hawks.com for more information.

THIS WEEK IN HAWKS HISTORY

March 14, 1997 – Steve Smith sets a franchise record by hitting 9 three-pointers in a 97-91 home loss to Seattle. He finished the night with 36 points on 10-20 FGs, 9-15 3FGs and 7-7 FTs. Smith also set records for three's in a half (7) and a quarter (7) which were later tied by Henry James.

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