



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

April 5 – April 11, 2010

UPCOMING GAMES



Tuesday, Apr. 6, 2010 at Charlotte Bobcats (7 p.m.)

TV: FSSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone/XM 232

Atlanta travels to Charlotte for the second time in the fourth-and-final meeting between the clubs ... The Hawks are 2-1 against the Bobcats this year (winning twice at home) ... Charlotte took a 103-83 win in game one (11/6) ... In game two (1/22), Atlanta posted a 103-89 victory thanks to Jamal Crawford's 24 points and Al Horford's 23 ... Joe Johnson's (18 points) buzzer-beating jumper gave the Hawks a 93-92 overtime triumph in the last meeting (3/19) ... Josh Smith (18 points/11 rebounds), Al Horford (13 points/13 rebounds) and Marvin Williams (12 points/14 rebounds) all had double-doubles ... Charlotte has won two straight at home against Atlanta ... The Bobcats lead the all-time series 13-10 (9-2 at home).



Wednesday, Apr. 7, 2010 at Detroit Pistons (7:30 p.m.)

TV: FSSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone/Sirius 90

The Hawks go to the Motor City for the second time in the fourth-and-final game with the Pistons ... Atlanta is 2-1 against Detroit on the year, winning twice at home (112-99 on 3/13 and 91-85 on 4/3) ... On 3/13, Joe Johnson led the way with 26 points and Josh Smith had 18 points and 11 assists ... Jamal Crawford put in 29 points on 4/3, while Al Horford (20 points/14 rebounds) and Smith (13 points/14 boards) had double-doubles ... The Pistons took a 94-88 home decision in game one on 11/29 ... Smith had 23 points and Horford tallied 10 points and 10 rebounds ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 160-155, including a 78-68 road record.



Friday, Apr. 9, 2010 vs. Toronto Raptors (7:30 p.m.)

TV: FSSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone/Sirius 153

Toronto visits Philips Arena for the second time in the fourth-and-final contest with the Hawks ... Atlanta is 2-1 versus Toronto this year, including a 146-115 home win on 12/2 ... Nine Hawks scored in double-figures that night, led by Al Horford's 24 ... Joe Johnson added 12 points and 11 assists ... The teams split two meetings in Toronto, with the Hawks winning 111-89 on 12/11 and dropping a 106-105 decision on 3/17 ... Joe Johnson led all scorers in game two with 20 ... Jamal Crawford scored a season-high 33 points in game three, while Horford (18 points/14 rebounds) and Josh Smith (14 points/10 boards) had double-doubles ... Atlanta has won three straight games at Philips Arena against Toronto ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 30-26, including a 16-12 home mark.



Saturday, Apr. 10, 2010 at Washington Wizards (7 p.m.)

TV: FSSO HD ... Radio: 790 The Zone/XM 233

The Hawks head to the nation's capital for the second time in the fourth-and-final game with the Wizards ... Atlanta owns a 3-0 record against Washington this year and is looking to sweep the series for the second straight season ... The Hawks have won eight in-a-row against the Wizards, including the last five in Washington ... Atlanta posted home wins of 100-89 (10/30) and 94-82 (1/13), and a 105-99 road decision on 3/11 ... Josh Smith led the way in game one with 20 points and Al Horford had 10 points and 12 boards ... Game two saw Joe Johnson put in 24 points and Smith post a double-double (10 points/11 rebounds) ... Jamal Crawford led the way in game three with 29 points ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 134-132 (42-85 on the road).

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
4/5	Mon.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
4/6	Tue.	Time Warner Cable Arena	11:00 a.m.
4/7	Wed.	No shootaround scheduled	
4/8	Thur.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
4/9	Fri.	Philips Arena	10:00 a.m.
4/10	Sat.	No shootaround scheduled	
4/11	Sun.	TBD	

*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:	49-27
HOME:	32-7
ROAD:	17-20

Recent Results

3/26	at PHI	105-98	L
3/28	vs. IND	94-84	W
3/31	vs. LAL	109-92	W
4/2	at CLE	93-88	L
4/3	vs. DET	91-85	W

COMMUNITY NEWS

* Prior to Saturday's Hawks-Pistons game at Philips Arena, Josh Smith was awarded the 2009-10 Jason Collier Memorial Trophy by the organization for his dedication to community service ... The trophy, named after the late Hawks center who passed away October 15, 2005, is presented annually to the individual who best exemplifies the characteristics Collier displayed off the court as a community ambassador ... Past winners include Al Horford (2008-09), Marvin Williams (2007-08) and Josh Childress (2005-06, 2006-07).

* From April 1-9, Hawks players will be wearing green shooting shirts, headbands and wristbands, and coaches will be sporting pins in support of the NBA Green Week initiative. Visit www.hawks.com for more information about Green Week.

NEWS & NOTES

* Atlanta has clinched home court advantage for the first round of the 2010 NBA Playoffs. It is the second straight season the Hawks have had home court advantage in the first round.

* At 49-27, the Hawks have improved their record for five consecutive seasons. Atlanta has become the ninth team in NBA history to have done that in five-or-more straight seasons (most recently was Dallas from 1998-99 to 2002-03). Only one team has done it six straight years, Minnesota from 1992-93 to 1997-98.

* With 49 wins, the Hawks need one more to reach the 50-win mark on the season. The Hawks last hit the half-century mark in 1997-98 (50-32), and have reached the plateau eight times in Atlanta history.

* Mike Bibby moved past Mitch Richmond for 19th all-time in NBA history in 3FGM (now at 1328) on 4/2 at Cleveland. He is also currently 10th among active players.

* Joe Johnson missed the Hawks-Pistons game on 4/3 with a sprained left thumb. He is listed day-to-day. It was the third game Johnson has missed due to injury this season (also 3/16-3/17 with Achilles tendinitis).

* For the first time in the 16-year history of SLAM magazine, the Hawks are featured on the cover. The June issue of SLAM (on newsstands now) features Al Horford, Joe Johnson and Josh Smith with the title "Flight Club."

* The Hawks-Raptors game on 4/9 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

April 9, 1997 – The Hawks set a franchise record by recording 23 steals in a 116-101 win at Philadelphia. Atlanta also tied the mark for steals in a half with 14. Individually, Mookie Blaylock came up with 8 thefts on the night, tying for third on the club's all-time list.

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