



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

February 13 – February 19, 2012

UPCOMING GAMES



Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2012 at Los Angeles Lakers (10:30 p.m.)

TV: SportSouth HD ... Radio: 680 AM/93.7 FM

The Lakers host the Hawks in the only meeting between the clubs this year ... Los Angeles swept last season's series, 2-0, after the teams had split each of the previous three years ... Atlanta has dropped five straight games in L.A., with their last win coming on 2/15/06 (114-110) ... The Lakers lead the all-time series 180-134, including a 41-16 home record since the Hawks moved to Atlanta.



Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2012 at Phoenix Suns (9 p.m.)

TV: SportSouth HD ... Radio: 680 AM/93.7 FM

Atlanta visits Phoenix for the only time this year in the second-and-final contest between the teams ... The Suns took game one, 99-90, on 2/6 behind 24 points and 11 assists from Steve Nash ... Josh Smith paced the Hawks with 18 points ... Phoenix now has a four-game winning streak against Atlanta overall and has also taken the last four games at home ... The Hawks' last win in Phoenix came on 2/9/07 (120-111) ... The Suns lead the all-time series 66-47 (40-15 at home).



Saturday, Feb. 18, 2012 at Portland Trail Blazers (10 p.m.)

TV: SportSouth HD/NBA TV ... Radio: 680 AM/93.7 FM

The Hawks head to Portland for the only time this year in the second-and-final game with the Trail Blazers ... Atlanta posted a 92-89 win in game one thanks to Joe Johnson's 24 points and Josh Smith's double-double (17 points/11 rebounds) ... Former Hawk Jamal Crawford led the Blazers with 22 points and LaMarcus Aldridge tallied 20 points and 11 boards ... The win was Atlanta's sixth straight against the Blazers overall, including the last two in Portland ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 50-49, with the Blazers holding a 32-17 advantage in home games.

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
2/13	Mon.	No practice scheduled	
2/14	Tue.	STAPLES Center	2:00 p.m.
2/15	Wed.	No shootaround scheduled	
2/16	Thur.	Phoenix Suns Practice Court	2:30 p.m.
2/17	Fri.	Phoenix Suns Practice Court	12:00 p.m.
2/18	Sat.	Rose Garden	2:00 p.m.
2/19	Sun.	TBD	1:00 p.m.

*All times ET unless noted ... All practice information is subject to change.

2011-12 Season Record

OVERALL:	18-10
HOME:	9-5
ROAD:	9-5

Recent Results

2/4	vs. PHI	98-87	L
2/6	vs. PHO	99-90	L
2/8	vs. IND	97-87	W
2/10	at ORL	89-87	W
2/12	vs. MIA	107-87	L

COMMUNITY NEWS

* Tickets are on-sale now for the Atlanta Hawks Foundation's "Casino Night" fundraiser scheduled for 4/1 at Opera (beginning at 6 p.m.). Tickets for the general public can be purchased for \$125 during Hawks home games by visiting Guest Services or by calling (404) 878-3497. All proceeds benefit the Hawks Foundation for community programming and grant giving throughout the state of Georgia. Platinum Sponsors for the event include Philips, The Home Depot, Jim Ellis Audi and A Legendary Event. For more information, visit www.Hawks.com/CasinoNight or call (404) 878-3497.

* During all February home games, the Hawks will be honoring influential African-Americans who have made significant contributions to a variety of industries as part of this year's celebration of Black History Month. Beginning with the Hawks – Grizzlies game on 2/2 the organization is honoring individuals who are each uniquely different in their contributions and unanimously impactful. Honorees include: Gabrielle Moore, Jean Douglas, Monique Rivarde, Radcliffe Bailey, Earl "Big Cat" Lloyd, Reverend Joseph Lowery and Milton Little Jr. Visit www.hawks.com for more information.

NEWS & NOTES

* Joe Johnson needs 13 points to become the seventh Hawk to reach 10,000 points. Having already reached the 2,500 assist mark, he would become the 10th active player to compile 10,000 points and 2,500 assists with the same team, joining Kobe Bryant, Tim Duncan, Kevin Garnett, LeBron James, Steve Nash, Dirk Nowitzki, Tony Parker, Paul Pierce and Dwyane Wade. Johnson would be the 60th player in NBA history to reach those marks with one team, and the first Hawk to do so.

* Guard Joe Johnson has been named to the 2012 NBA Eastern Conference All-Star squad, the NBA announced on 2/9. The sharpshooter will make his sixth straight appearance at the midseason classic. The game takes place on 2/26 at the Amway Center in Orlando, FL, with coverage on TNT and ESPN Radio beginning at 7 p.m.

* On 2/9, Atlanta signed 15-year veteran center Erick Dampier to a 10-day contract. Dampier had played in 972 regular season games and 57 playoff contests with Indiana, Golden State, Dallas and Miami prior to signing with the Hawks and holds career averages of 7.5 ppg, 7.2 rpg and 1.4 bpg over his career (.498 FG%, .626 FT%).

* Fans can check out the latest episode of *Hawks 360* on SportSouth on 2/13 (5:30 p.m.), 2/15 (11:30 a.m.), 2/17 (8:30 p.m.), 2/21 (1 p.m.), 2/22 (2 p.m.) and 3/3 (2 p.m.).

* On 2/10 at Orlando, Josh Smith became the third Hawk since 1986 (joining Kevin Willis and Dikembe Mutombo) to grab 18 defensive boards in a game. Smith finished the night with 23 points, 19 total rebounds, 5 assists and 3 blocks.

THIS WEEK IN HAWKS HISTORY

February 16, 1988 – Dominique Wilkins scores 51 points, the eighth-highest scoring game in franchise history, in Atlanta's 118-115 loss against Sacramento. Wilkins set team records for points in a quarter (28) and half (36) during the game, and his 20 made field goals is tied for sixth on the team's all-time list.

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