



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

April 9 – April 15, 2012

UPCOMING GAMES



Wednesday, Apr. 11, 2012 at Boston Celtics (8 p.m.)

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

Atlanta visits Boston for the only time this year in the second-of-three meetings between the clubs ... The Celtics posted a 79-76 win at Philips Arena in game one (3/19), behind Ray Allen's 19 points and Rajon Rondo's double-double (10 points/13 assists) ... Joe Johnson led all scorers with 25 points, while Zaza Pachulia (16 points/13 boards) and Josh Smith (10 points/11 rebounds) each had double-doubles for the Hawks ... The teams play again on 4/20 at Philips Arena to close-out the season series ... The Hawks dropped their last game in Boston, 102-90, on 12/16/10 ... Atlanta's last road win in the series was a 102-96 triumph on 1/11/10 ... The Celtics lead the all-time series 217-131, including a 116-34 home record.



Friday, Apr. 13, 2012 at Orlando Magic (7 p.m.)

TV: SportSouth HD ... Radio: 98.9 FM

The Hawks head to Orlando for the second time this year in the third-and-final contest against the Magic ... Atlanta has taken the first two games – an 89-87 overtime road win on 2/10 and an 83-78 decision at Philips Arena on 2/23 ... Josh Smith led the way in game one with 23 points and 19 rebounds, while Ryan Anderson paced Orlando with 21 points and Dwight Howard had 18 points and 18 boards ... Smith posted another double-double in game two (22 points/12 rebounds) ... J.J. Redick was the top scorer for the Magic with 13 points with Howard adding 12 points and 12 boards ... The Hawks currently own a five-game winning streak against the Magic, including two straight on the road ... Orlando's last win against Atlanta was a 93-89 home triumph on 11/8/10 ... The Magic lead the all-time series 45-42, including a 30-14 home mark.



Sunday, Apr. 15, 2012 vs. Toronto Raptors (6 p.m.)

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

The Raptors come to Philips Arena for the second time this year in the third-of-four games with the Hawks ... The teams square off again on 4/16 in Toronto to finish the season series ... Atlanta sports a 2-0 record against the Raptors this season after recording a 93-84 win at Philips Arena on 1/16 and a 100-77 road decision on 1/31 ... Josh Smith tallied 28 points and 15 rebounds in the first meeting and Joe Johnson scored 27, while Leandro Barbosa scored 22 to lead Toronto ... Johnson poured in 30 points in game two while Jerryd Bayless had 14 for the Raptors ... The Hawks have won six straight against Toronto overall and seven-in-a-row at Philips Arena ... Atlanta leads the all-time series 36-26 (19-12 at home).

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
4/9	Mon.	No practice scheduled	
4/10	Tue.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
4/11	Wed.	TD Garden	11:00 a.m.
4/12	Thur.	Magic Practice Facility	2:30 p.m.
4/13	Fri.	Amway Center	11:00 a.m.
4/14	Sat.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
4/15	Sun.	Philips Arena	10:00 a.m.

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

2011-12 Season Record

OVERALL:	34-23
HOME:	19-8
ROAD:	15-15

Recent Results

3/30	vs. NY	100-90	W
3/31	at PHI	95-90	L
4/4	vs. CHA	120-93	W
4/6	vs. DET	101-96	W
4/7	at CHA	116-96	W

COMMUNITY NEWS

* On 4/5, the Hawks partnered with Trees Atlanta and The Home Depot to plant trees as part of their "Threes for Trees" program at Freedom Park. Vladimir Radmanovic, Willie Green, Jannero Pargo and Ivan Johnson joined volunteers in participating in the project.

* The Hawks are one of six NBA teams which have held or are holding Autism Awareness Nights. The in-arena nights will feature ticket programs and raffles to benefit autism research, player meet-and-greets for children with autism, special broadcast messages to encourage support for the cause, Autism Speaks lapel pins worn by coaching staff, the distribution of educational materials, and more. Visit www.hawks.com for more information.

NEWS & NOTES

* With a 116-96 win at Charlotte on 4/7, the Hawks swept the season series from the Bobcats 4-0. Having joined the NBA in 2004, the expansion club was previously the only franchise the Hawks had not swept in a season series.

* Atlanta is currently 34-23 reaching the high-water mark for the season at 11 games over .500.

* Jeff Teague tied his career-high with 24 points vs. Detroit on 4/6, also finishing the night with a season-best 11 assists. In that same game, Ivan Johnson set a new career-high with eight made FGs (8-12) on his way to 16 points.

* Ivan Johnson tied his career-high with 17 points and set a new career-best with 31 minutes played at Charlotte on 4/7, while hitting his second career three-pointer. That same night, Jannero Pargo equaled his career-best by dishing out 9 assists.

* Among NBA rookies, Ivan Johnson ranks 3rd in FG% (.498), 15th in rpg (3.6) and 20th in ppg (5.8).

* Atlanta is fifth in the league (.371) in 3FG%, and has four players ranked in the top 40. Willie Green is 6th (.442), Marvin Williams (.403) is 22nd, Jannero Pargo ranks 28th (.393), and Joe Johnson places 36th (.385).

* On 4/3, DTS, Inc. announced that Dickey Broadcasting Company and the Atlanta Hawks Radio Network have partnered to broadcast all of the Hawks' home games with DTS Neural Surround Sound™ technology. The continued collaboration between Dickey Broadcasting Company and DTS now brings the NBA's first surround sound games in radio broadcast history.

* Fans can check out the latest episode of "Hawks 360" on SportSouth on 4/13 (1 a.m. and 6 p.m.), 4/18 (10:30 p.m.), 4/19 (8 p.m.), 4/22 (12 p.m.) and 4/26 (7 p.m.).

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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