



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

December 7 – December 13, 2015

UPCOMING GAMES



Wednesday, Dec. 9, 2015 at Dallas Mavericks (9:30 p.m.)
TV: FOX Sports Southeast HD/ESPN ... Radio: 92.9 FM

The Hawks travel to Dallas for the only time this year in the first-of-two meetings between the clubs ... The teams will matchup once more at Philips Arena on 2/1 ... The Hawks swept the 2014-15 series 2-0 and have won three straight against Dallas overall (one on the road) ... The last Dallas win in the series was a 118-109 home decision on 10/30/13 ... Atlanta leads the all-time series 36-32, with the Mavericks holding an 18-16 advantage at home.



Thursday, Dec. 10, 2015 at Oklahoma City Thunder (8:00 p.m.)
TV: FOX Sports Southeast HD ... Radio: 92.9 FM

The Hawks visit Oklahoma City for the only time this year in the second-of-two games between the teams ... The Hawks lead the series 1-0 after defeating the Thunder 106-100 on 11/30 at Philips Arena ... Paul Millsap (26 points/11 rebounds) and Al Horford (21 points/13 rebounds) each recorded a double-double for the Hawks ... Russell Westbrook posted 34 points and 11 rebounds for the Thunder ... The Hawks have lost two consecutive games in Oklahoma City, with their last road victory coming on 11/4/12 (104-95) ... Atlanta leads the all-time series 65-62 (24-37 on the road).



Saturday, Dec. 12, 2015 vs. San Antonio Spurs (8:00 p.m.)
TV: FOX Sports Southeast HD/NBA TV ... Radio: 92.9 FM

Atlanta welcomes the Spurs for the only time this year in the second-of-two contests between the clubs ... The Spurs lead the series 1-0 after defeating the Hawks 108-88 on 11/28 in San Antonio ... Mike Scott paced the Hawks with 12 points, while Kawhi Leonard tallied 22 points for San Antonio ... The Spurs have won nine consecutive games against the Hawks overall, including four straight at Philips Arena ... The Hawks' most recent victory against the Spurs came on 3/21/10 (119-114 OT) in Atlanta ... San Antonio leads the all-time series 50-36, with Atlanta holding a 24-18 advantage at home.



Monday, Dec. 14, 2015 vs. Miami Heat (8:00 p.m.)
TV: FOX Sports Southeast HD ... Radio: 92.9 FM/105.3 FM

The Hawks host the Heat in the second-of-four meetings between the teams ... The clubs will matchup again in Miami on 1/31 and at Philips Arena on 2/19 ... The Hawks lead the series 1-0 after defeating the Heat 98-92 on 11/3 in Miami ... Jeff Teague recorded 26 points, nine assists, six rebounds and one steal for Atlanta ... Hassan Whiteside (23 points/ 14 rebounds) posted a double-double for Miami ... The Hawks have won seven consecutive contests against the Heat overall, including four straight at Philips Arena ... The last time the Heat defeated the Hawks was in Miami on 12/23/13 (121-119 OT), while the most recent victory at Philips Arena came on 2/20/13 (103-90) ... Miami leads the all-time series 57-47, while the Hawks have a 31-20 edge at home.

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
12/7	Mon.	Practice Court	11:00 a.m.
12/8	Tue.	Practice Court	12:00 p.m.
12/9	Wed.	American Airlines Center	12:00 p.m.
12/10	Thu.	No Shootaround Scheduled	
12/11	Fri.	TBD	
12/12	Sat.	Philips Arena	10:00 a.m.
12/13	Sun.	TBD	

* All times ET unless noted ... All practice information is subject to change.
 * Media will be permitted to watch the final 15 minutes (at coach's discretion) of practices, with player interviews to follow.
 * Fans can also view game broadcasts via the FOX Sports GO (FSGO) app or the Atlanta Hawks app. Visit foxsports.com/south or Hawks.com for details.

2015-16 Record

OVERALL: 13-9
HOME: 8-4
ROAD: 5-5

Recent Results

11/27	at MEM	116-101	W
11/28	at SAS	108-88	L
11/30	vs. OKC	106-100	W
12/2	vs. TOR	96-86	L
12/4	vs. LAL	100-87	W

COMMUNITY NEWS

* On 12/15, the basketball court at Grant Park (840 Cherokee Ave SE, Atlanta, GA 30312) will receive a facelift, compliments of the Atlanta Hawks Foundation and CBA Sports. Hawks players and alumni will be joined by representatives from the City of Atlanta to celebrate the remodeled court. The team's basketball development staff will host a free youth clinic at the event and the organization will provide each participant with a ticket voucher to a future Hawks game. Visit www.hawks.com for event details.

* As part of the NBA's Season of Giving, the Hawks are hosting a social media initiative to encourage the community to give thanks and pay it forward. Anyone can join the Hawks and be a part of the #GiveThanksChallenge by posting a video telling the team what you are grateful for this holiday season and challenging others to do the same. Visit hawks.com/givethanks to view videos of how Hawks' players and fans are giving back.

NEWS & NOTES

* The Hawks and Atlanta-based recording artist Silentó will collaborate on 12/21 when the team hosts the Portland Trail Blazers. The 17-year-old senior at Redan High School in Stone Mountain, GA, whose "Watch Me" video has more than 400 million views on YouTube, will perform his hit song at halftime. He is the latest Atlanta artist to perform as part of the Sprite Concert Series. Tickets are on sale now and available by visiting www.hawks.com/tickets, calling 1-866-715-1500, or visiting the Philips Arena Box Office or any Ticketmaster outlet.

* Head Coach Mike Budenholzer recorded his 111th career win with a 100-87 triumph over the L.A. Lakers on 12/4. The victory ties him with Harry Gallatin for ninth in Hawks franchise history.

* Al Horford has set a new career-best by scoring in double-figures in 22 consecutive games to open a season. His previous high was 21 in 2013-14, while his longest streak overall is 33 games from 2/2/10-4/9/10.

* On 12/2 vs. Toronto, Jeff Teague (11 points/10 assists) passed Lenny Wilkens for third place on the Hawks' all-time list in point/assist double-doubles (currently has 44). With five assists vs. the Los Angeles Lakers on 12/4, Jeff Teague (currently 2322 assists) passed Dominique Wilkins for seventh in Hawks' franchise history.

* In the victory against Oklahoma City on 11/30, Paul Millsap recorded his 10th double-double (fifth 20-point/10-rebound game) with 26 points (8-19 FGs, 1-2 3FGs, 9-10 FTs) and 11 rebounds, while posting five assists, four blocks and one steal. He is the only player in the NBA this season to record at least that stat line in a single game.

* On 12/3, Tim Hardaway Jr. and Edy Tavares were assigned to the Canton Charge of the NBA Development League and on 12/5 Lamar Patterson was assigned to the Austin Spurs of the, pursuant to the flexible assignment rule. On 12/6, all three players were recalled to the Hawks. In one game with Austin, Patterson recorded a double-double with 19 points, 10 assists and added eight rebounds and one block vs. Reno (12/5). In two stints and three starts with Austin this year, Patterson averaged 15.3 points, 7.3 assists, 7.0 rebounds and 1.0 steals. In two starts with Canton, Hardaway Jr. averaged 17.0 points, 2.0 rebounds and 2.0 assists in 32.7 minutes. In two assignments and four games played with both Austin and Canton, Tavares has averaged 10.0 points, 11.0 rebounds and 2.8 blocks (.667 FG%, .857 FT%).

* In honor of Kobe Bryant's final regular season game against Atlanta at Philips Arena on 12/4, the Hawks and Zoo Atlanta announced that the zoo would name its black mamba snake "Kobe," to pay tribute to Bryant's memorable career. In addition, the Hawks will make a donation to Zoo Atlanta to further honor Bryant.

* The Hawks-Spurs game on 12/12 features the "Chick-fil-A® Family Nights" promotion (buy four game tickets and receive four Chick-fil-A® meals). The Hawks-Heat game on 12/14 features the "FanDuel Fan Pack" promotion (buy four game tickets starting at \$99 and receive a \$10 concession or merchandise credit per ticket). Visit www.hawks.com for more information.

THIS WEEK IN HAWKS HISTORY

December 8, 1992 – Dominique Wilkins sets an NBA record by going 23-23 from the free throw line, finishing with 42 points, in a 123-114 home win over the Chicago Bulls.

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