



ATLANTA HAWKS WEEKLY CALENDAR

October 3 – October 9, 2016

UPCOMING GAMES



Thursday, Oct. 6, 2016 at Memphis Grizzlies (8:00 p.m.)

TV: No local broadcast ... Radio: No local broadcast

The Hawks travel to Memphis for the only preseason match-up with the Grizzlies ... The teams will meet twice during the 2016-17 regular season – in Memphis on 3/11, and at Philips Arena on 3/16 ... The Hawks swept the 2015-16 series 2-0, with a 95-83 home triumph on 3/12/15 and a 116-101 road victory on 11/27/15 ... The Grizzlies last defeated Atlanta on 2/8/15 (94-88) in Memphis ... Atlanta leads the all-time series 26-14, including a 10-9 road mark.



Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016 at San Antonio Spurs (8:30 p.m.)

TV: No local broadcast ... Radio: 92.9 FM

The Hawks head to San Antonio for the only preseason contest with the Spurs ... The clubs will meet twice during the 2016-17 regular season – in Atlanta on 1/1 and at San Antonio on 3/13 ... The Spurs swept the 2015-16 series 2-0 and have won 11 consecutive games against the Hawks, with the Atlanta's last victory coming on 3/21/10 (119-114 OT) at Philips Arena ... The Hawks have lost 18 straight in San Antonio with the most recent win coming on 2/15/97 (109-89) ... The Spurs lead the all-time series 51-36 (32-12 at home).



Monday, Oct. 10, 2016 vs. Cleveland Cavaliers (7:30 p.m.)

TV: Fox Sports Southeast HD ... Radio: 92.9 FM

Atlanta welcomes the Cavaliers to Philips Arena in the only preseason meeting with Cleveland ... The teams will meet four times during the 2016-17 regular season – in Cleveland on 11/8 and 4/7, and at Philips Arena on 3/3 and 4/9 ... The Cavaliers swept the 2015-16 series 3-0 ... In the Eastern Conference Semifinals of the 2016 NBA Playoffs, Atlanta fell to Cleveland 4-0 ... The Hawks' most recent regular season victory was a 106-97 home triumph on 3/6/15 while the last win in Cleveland came on 12/17/14 (127-98) ... The Hawks lead the all-time series 117-99 and are 70-36 at home.

PRACTICE/SHOOTAROUND SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Location	Time (ET)
10/3	Mon.	Practice Court	12:00 p.m.
10/4	Tue.	Practice Court	12:00 p.m.
10/5	Wed.	Cintas Center	12:00 p.m.
10/6	Thu.	FedExForum	12:00 p.m.
10/7	Fri.	TBD	
10/8	Sat.	AT&T Center	11:00 a.m.
10/9	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 during, with player interviews to follow.

2016-17 Preseason Record

OVERALL: 0-0
HOME: 0-0
ROAD: 0-0

2015-16 Results

Regular Season
Record: 48-34
Playoffs
First Round vs. Boston: Won 4-2
East. Conf. Semifinals vs. Cleveland: Lost 4-0

COMMUNITY NEWS

* The Hawks have announced plans to participate in the first UNITY Game versus the Cleveland Cavaliers. During the 10/10 preseason contest, players from both teams will explain what UNITY in their communities means to them. The game will also feature a halftime address from the National Center for Civil and Human Rights CEO Derreck Kayongo and a check presentation from the Atlanta Hawks Foundation.

* Leading up to the UNITY Game, on 10/7 approximately 200 members of Hawks staff, and partners from 92.9 The Game and FOX Sports Southeast will give back to the city, by volunteering in six service projects across metropolitan Atlanta. The Hawks staff will also be on hand on 10/9 to participate in the 46th Atlanta Pride Festival.

* The Atlanta Hawks Basketball Development Staff hosted the first Lady Ballers Clinic on 10/1. The Hawks staff, along with Atlanta Dream guard Matee Ajavon, provided demonstrations and drills to 80 girls (ages 8-14) at Sutton Middle School in Atlanta. Each participant received a Jr. Hawks jersey and two preseason game tickets.

NEWS & NOTES

* On 10/1 the Hawks conducted a free open practice session for the fans at Philips Arena. The practice was also shown on Facebook Live, which tapped into the arena cameras giving online viewers the same replays and angles as those shown on the Philips Arena scoreboard.

* The Atlanta Hawks Basketball Club have released a limited amount of individual game tickets for 2016-17 home contests through 1/21, beginning with Atlanta's opening week matchup vs. Washington (10/27), and concluding with the team's 1/21 meeting against the Philadelphia 76ers. Seats are available for purchase with no ticketing fees by visiting www.hawks.com/tickets, calling (866) 715-1500, or visiting the Philips Arena Box Office or any Ticketmaster outlet.

* CBS RADIO's SportsRadio 92.9 The Game is the official flagship station of the Atlanta Hawks, and will broadcast all 82 regular season games and three preseason contests: at San Antonio (10/8) and versus Cleveland (10/10) and New Orleans (10/18). Steve Holman will return for his 32nd year as the Voice of the Hawks. The station will also air pregame and postgame shows and create Hawks programming.

* FOX Sports Southeast will televise 78 Hawks games during the regular season, and all three preseason home contests: versus Cleveland (10/10), Detroit (10/13) and New Orleans (10/18). Play-by-play announcer Bob Rathbun returns for his 21st season as the television voice of the Hawks, alongside club legend Dominique Wilkins, who will return for his eighth season as game analyst. Veteran NBA reporter Andre Aldridge, in his sixth season covering the Hawks, and Olivia Harlan – who returns for her third season – will provide analysis and interviews from the sidelines.

* The Hawks have announced the Hawks Season PASS initiative, a fully digital ticket plan giving fans access to a combined 41 regular and preseason games at Philips Arena. Visit www.hawks.com for more details.

* On 10/1 Atlanta waived forward Richard Solomon and on 10/3 signed guard Josh Magement.

THIS WEEK IN HAWKS HISTORY

October 9, 1997 – Turner Sports and Entertainment Development, Inc. unveils the design of the new Atlanta Arena, which would open as Philips Arena in September 1999.

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