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2017 Football Schedule Released!

STATESBORO, Ga. - The Georgia Southern Athletics Department and the Sun Belt Conference have released the Eagles' 2017 football schedule, one that includes two Power 5 opponents, at least two nationally televised games and seven contests against teams that played in bowl games last year.

The Eagles will open the 2017 season on the road at Auburn, marking the third time in the past four years GS has opened on the road at a Power 5 school (2014 at NC State, 2015 at West Virginia). Georgia Southern opens its home slate on Sept. 9 with a contest against New Hampshire of the FCS. The two schools have met just once before with the Wildcats downing the Eagles 27-23 in the 2004 NCAA I-AA Playoffs at Allen E. Paulson Stadium.

In all, the Eagles will face seven teams that played in bowl games last season: Auburn (Sugar Bowl), Indiana (Foster Farms Bowl), Appalachian State (co-SBC champ; Camellia Bowl champs), Arkansas State (co-SBC champ; Cure Bowl champs), Troy (Dollar General Bowl champs),
Louisiana (New Orleans Bowl) and South Alabama (Arizona Bowl). Additionally, New Hampshire was selected for the FCS Playoffs, falling in the first round to eventual national champion James Madison. (continue reading)

2017 Georgia Southern Football Schedule

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Season ticket holders have only two weeks left to renew their 2017 tickets before the March 15 deadline. Not current season ticket holder? Pre-order new season ticket packages now by visiting GSEagles.com/Tickets! Season tickets are as low as $75/each for family plan sections and require a minimum purchase of two.

Eagle Basketball heads to Atlanta this weekend (Sat., March 4) to face Georgia State.

Start your day at The Smoke Ring with fans, alumni and friends at 11:00 a.m. Women tip-off at 12:00 p.m. and men tip-off at 2:15 p.m. in the GSU Sports Arena.

Two weeks left! 2017 football season tickets and parking renewals are due Wed., March 15.

Season ticket pre-orders are on sale now and go on sale Mon., April 1.

Season tickets/parking and Eagle Fund must be paid in full by Fri., June 30.

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Spring Sports Update

- Baseball hosts College of Charleston at home March 1
- Final Inside Georgia Southern Basketball Radio Show Set for March 7
- 2017 Football Season Ticket Renewals are Going Strong
- Butler Leads Women's Basketball Past Arkansas State
- Women's Tennis Sweep Weekend, Defeat UNCG for First Time Since 2010
- Softball uses the Long Ball to pull out Two Wins