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Men's Basketball, Women's Football, Football

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The Week: Dec. 10-16, 2018

Who's In Action: Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Football

Tuesday, Dec. 11

Sport: Men's Basketball

Opponent: UCF

Location: Orlando, Fla. || CFE Arena

Time: 7:00 PM

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Video \(ESPN3\)](#)

[Radio](#)

[Live Stats](#)

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Quickly: Georgia Southern caps a three-game road trip by traveling to UCF for a 7 p.m. contest Tuesday on ESPN3. • After playing five games in the first 13 days of the season, Georgia Southern has played just three games in the last 22 • The Eagles have won 10 of their last 13, dating back to last year, and are coming off an 89-75 win over in-state rival Mercer Saturday afternoon • GS ranks second in the country in field goal percentage (.527) and 10th in scoring, averaging 88.5 points a game • The Eagles are ranked 21st in the latest CollegeInsider.com Mid-Major Poll • UCF has won six of its last seven and is coming off a 70-45 home win over Grambling State Saturday afternoon. The Knights are 4-1 at home with the lone loss coming to Florida Atlantic in the third game of the season • The Knights are receiving votes in the USA Today Coaches Poll at 7-2 on the season • The Knights rank 11th in the nation in defensive field goal percentage (36.7) and 20th in scoring defense (60.8) • The Knights were picked to win The American by the league's coaches, a first for the program in its Division I history.

Wednesday, Dec. 12

Sport: Women's Basketball

Opponent: Presbyterian

Location: Clinton, S.C. || Templeton Center
Time: 5:00 PM

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Video](#) (ESPN+)
[Radio](#)
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Quickly: The Eagles hit the floor for the first time in two weeks by traveling to Clinton, S.C., to take on Presbyterian College ... Georgia Southern has faced the Blue Hose once previously, picking up a 66-35 win on Dec. 20, 2007. The Eagles held Presbyterian to just eight field goals in that matchup and just 17% shooting from the floor and the 35 points were the fifth-fewest GS has allowed in a single game in school history ... This season PC is 1-5, with their only win coming on Nov. 16, a 61-50 win over Wofford.

Friday, Dec. 14

Sport: Women's Basketball
Opponent: Coastal Georgia
Location: Statesboro, Ga. || Hanner Fieldhouse
Time: 11:00 AM

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Video](#) (True Blue TV)
[Radio](#)
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Quickly: Georgia Southern hosts its 4th Annual School Field Trip day on Friday when the Eagles welcome in Coastal Georgia for a matinee at Hanner Fieldhouse ... More than 2,000 elementary and middle school students are expected for the contest, which features an in-state matchup for the second straight year ... Coastal Georgia, an NAIA school out of Brunswick, is 8-5 and this will be considered an exhibition contest for the Mariners ... Coastal Georgia has played one other Division I school this season, dropping a 95-46 decision at Georgia Tech on Nov. 4.

Sport: Men's Basketball
Opponent: Brewton-Parker
Location: Statesboro, Ga. || Hanner Fieldhouse
Time: 7:00 PM

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Video \(TrueBlue TV\)](#)
[Radio](#)
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Ticket special: \$5.00 for upper-reserved and general admission seating

Quickly: The Eagles open a two-game homestand by playing host to Brewton-Parker at 7 p.m. in Hanner Fieldhouse.

Saturday, Dec. 15

Sport: Football
Opponent: Eastern Michigan
Location: Montgomery, Ala. || Historic Cramton Bowl || Raycom Media Camellia Bowl
Time: 5:30 PM ET/4:30 PM CT

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Game Notes](#)
Broadcast ([ESPN](#))
[Radio](#)
[Tickets](#)
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Quickly: This will be Georgia Southern's second bowl game as they won the 2015 GoDaddy Bowl over Bowling Green, although the program made 19 appearances in the I-AA Playoffs ... With a win, the Eagles would set a program high for wins in a season as an FBS program (9 in 2014 & 2015) ... Georgia Southern is 2-1 all-time against current members of the Mid-American Conference, 1-1 against Western Michigan and 1-0 against Bowling Green ... MAC member Ball State is on the 2022 and 2023 future schedule for the Eagles ... Georgia Southern is 17-5 all-time at neutral sites, including six games in FCS National Championship games, four of which the Eagles won ... GS is 9-7 all-time in games played in the state of Alabama in the modern era, but has never played in the Cramton Bowl - home of the Raycom Media Camellia Bowl - or in Montgomery ... The Eagles have forced a turnover in 15 straight games dating back to last season, its longest streak since a 16-game stretch in 2004-05 ... Georgia Southern is 33-12 all-time in the month of December, including winning all six national titles in the month ... Tight end [Ellis Richardson](#) transferred from Alabama State (located in Montgomery), where he was a quarterback in 2015 for the Hornets.

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