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In the course of its first two seasons, the American Athletic Conference has taken a place at the forefront of intercollegiate athletics, earning a collection of national, team and individual championships and football postseason wins that place The American among the elite Division I conferences.

The American consists of 12 prestigious institutions: the University of Central Florida, the University of Cincinnati, East Carolina University, the University of Connecticut, the University of Houston, the University of Memphis, the U.S. Naval Academy (football only), the University of South Florida, Southern Methodist University, Temple University, Tulane University and the University of Tulsa.

Under the leadership of commissioner Mike Aresco, the American Athletic Conference has written an impressive list of accomplishments, both in and out of the competitive arena.

The league has produced three NCAA championship teams — UConn men’s basketball in 2014 and UConn women’s basketball in 2014 and 2015 — and two individuals who have won NCAA titles, most recently SMU’s Bryson Dechambeau, who was the 2015 national champion in men’s golf. Additionally, American Athletic Conference teams have advanced to the Men’s College World Series, the semifinal and final rounds of the NIT, and the match play round of the NCAA Men’s Golf Championship. Half of the conference’s baseball-playing members reached the NCAA championship in 2015, while The American had the best men’s basketball postseason record of any conference in 2014 (a combined 13-4). Teams from The American have registered top-10 national rankings in football, men’s basketball, women’s basketball, baseball, men’s soccer and men’s golf.

In football, two American Athletic Conference teams were ranked in the top 15 of the final 2013 Associated Press poll, while Memphis finished the season in the top 25 of the 2014 polls as the Tigers tied UCF and Cincinnati for the conference title. Six of the 12 teams that compete in The American in 2015 played in bowl games to cap the 2014 season as Memphis, Houston and Navy earned postseason victories.

Teams in The American have enjoyed almost unprecedented success since the conference’s formation. Memphis finished with 10 wins in football for the first time since 1938. SMU advanced to the NCAA Division I Men’s Basketball Championship for the first time since 1993. UCF and Houston have both achieved top-10 rankings in baseball in the past two years. USF finished the 2014-15 season at No. 8 in the final men’s golf national ranking. The UConn women’s basketball team won its NCAA-record ninth and 10th national championships as a member of The American.

The American Athletic Conference holds media rights partnerships with ESPN and CBS Sports, which give the conference outstanding national exposure on the two industry leaders in sports television. The football portion of the contract calls for nearly 90 percent of conference-controlled games on national broadcast or national cable platforms. The first American Athletic Conference Football Championship, which will be played Dec. 5, 2015, will be carried either on ABC or ESPN on Championship Saturday.
In men’s basketball, the television deal calls for all conference-controlled games to be televised, with more than 63 percent slotted for national broadcast or national cable — a minimum of 107 games. The entire postseason tournament will be televised, including the championship game, which will be either on ABC or ESPN. Sixty percent of the American’s women’s basketball games will be carried on either national cable, regional sports networks or ESPN3, while the conference announced a multi-year agreement with CBS Sports Network for coverage of select baseball games.

American Athletic Conference teams have access to the pinnacle of college football’s postseason structure. An American representative would be chosen for the College Football Playoff semifinals if it is among the top four teams in the CFP selection committee’s final ranking. Otherwise, the league would place its champion in either the Vizio Fiesta Bowl or the Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl, if it is ranked higher than the champions of Conference USA, the Mid-American Conference, the Mountain West Conference and the Sun Belt Conference.

Additionally, The American holds primary or secondary partnerships with 12 bowls for the current six-year cycle, ensuring multiple annual matchups against the nation’s top conferences and providing desirable postseason destinations to member institutions and their fans.

The American Athletic Conference administers to its membership from a state-of-the-art office located in Providence, Rhode Island. The location of the conference headquarters — just steps from the city’s Amtrak station and 10 minutes from T.F. Green International Airport — gives the conference easy access to its member schools.

MESSAGE FROM AD JEFF COMPHER

Dear Pirate Fans:
Welcome to Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium! The 2014 football season proved to be an exciting one, marking our inaugural year in the American Athletic Conference as well as having the monumental victory over North Carolina as the sky turned Purple and Gold. I’m looking forward to seeing what memories the 2015 season will provide.

As you get ready for another great year, please take the time to familiarize yourself with this Fan Guide, the enclosed policies and procedures, and stadium information. You may be sitting in new seats this year as part of the Pirate Club seat reallocation, which may change what gate you enter, what restroom you use, and which concession stand is closest. We hope this information will assist you in preparing for your visit.

Our hope is that everyone has a safe, enjoyable experience. With that, I ask you to continue to represent ECU with the Passion and Pride Pirate Nation is known for and to be courtesy and respectful of others, especially the visiting fans who are our guests.

Thank you for continuing to make Pirate Game Day one of the best in the country! I look forward to seeing you at the games this fall. Go Pirates!
When former Pirate defensive back and assistant coach Ruffin McNeill came home five years ago, the return offered a promise of renewed Purple and Gold passion — not to mention plenty of excitement — with a plethora of points on offense, a resurgence on the defense side of the ball and more bowl destinations.

McNeill was appointed East Carolina’s 20th head football coach on Jan. 21, 2010, after a 10-year stay at Texas Tech. The Lumberton native has delivered on those pledges during his initial five campaigns, which also marked his 25th through 29th overall seasons coaching at the collegiate level.

After initially rewriting the school’s offensive record books in 2010 and consistently adding more entries each following season, McNeill’s efforts on the recruiting trail, dedicated offsea-son commitment and family approach resulted in a competitive balance that allowed the Pirates to post 26 victories in a recent three-year span that included the program’s second-highest single-season win total in school history in 2013.

East Carolina’s first campaign in the American Athletic Conference in 2014 was memorable as McNeill’s squad raced out of the gate with a 6-1 record and resided in the Associated Press Top 25 polls for six weeks, after jumping back in the rankings following consecutive triumphs over Atlantic Coast Conference members Virginia Tech (28-21) and North Carolina (70-41) in late September. The Pirates used an explosive offensive unit that rated among the nation’s top five in passing (third), first downs (fourth) and total yards (fifth), while on defense, only 10 teams at the FBS level were better against the run than the Pirates, who allowed just 111.8 yards per game.

Shane Carden and Justin Hardy, who were part of McNeill’s first ECU freshman class, shattered every passing and receiving record, respectively, to help guide the Pirates to their third-straight bowl appearance (and fourth in McNeill’s five years) and an 8-5 finish.

Almost as impressive was ECU’s 10-3 overall mark and bowl victory in 2013, with the Pirates’ first-ever same-season sweep of in-state ACC opponents UNC and NC State.

During his initial season in 2010, the self-
described football “lifer” guided East Carolina to six wins and qualification for a bowl game, despite inheriting a program that lost 34 lettermen off the previous year’s squad — the most of any FBS program in America. Capacity crowds at Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium were also treated to a thrilling, high-scoring and prolific spread offensive scheme that enjoyed a literally record-breaking campaign — shattering or at least matching 29 team or individual standards.

His success and leadership abilities at ECU have enabled McNeill to be a three-time recipient of the Fritz Pollard Alliance Foundation’s Johnnie L. Cochran, Jr. Salute to Excellence Award for college head coaches, earning the honor in 2011, 2013 and 2014. Before returning to his alma mater, McNeill concluded the 2009 season as the Red Raiders’ interim head coach, after nine seasons prior on staff, by rallying No. 21 Texas Tech to a 41-31 victory over Michigan State at the Valero Alamo Bowl Jan. 2 after the dismissal of Mike Leach.

McNeill began his coaching career as a defensive coach at Lumberton (N.C.) High School in 1980, before taking his first collegiate position as a graduate assistant coaching linebackers at Clemson during the 1985-86 seasons. He went on to coach at half a dozen colleges and even tapped the professional ranks for experience, working one summer as an intern with the Miami Dolphins.

A four-year letterwinner at ECU from 1976-80 under the legendary Pat Dye, McNeill was a three-year starter at defensive back and was the team captain for two seasons.

McNeill, 56, and his wife, Erlene, have two daughters and a granddaughter. Renata McNeill Petrekin (34) and son-in-law Lincoln Petrekin reside in Coral Gables, Fla., with their daughter Isabella (3), while Olivia McNeill (25) is a teacher at West Forsyth High School who currently lives in Winston-Salem, N.C.

**RUFFIN MCNEILL’S FOOTBALL RESUME**

**Coaching experience** (seventh year on the ECU staff)

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<td>Head Football Coach</td>
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<td>Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator</td>
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<td>Defensive Tackles Coach</td>
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**Playing Experience**

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FOOTBALL STAFF

Ruffin McNeill
Head Coach

Brad Davis
Run Game Coordinator/
Offensive Line

Kirk Doll
Special Teams Coordinator/
Running Backs

Donnie Kirkpatrick
Assistant Head Coach/
Recruiting Coordinator/
Inside Receivers

Dave Nichol
Offensive Coordinator/
Quarterbacks

Duane Price
Outside Linebackers

Garrett Riley
Outside Receivers

Rick Smith
Defensive Coordinator/
Secondary

John Wiley
Associate Head Coach/
Inside Linebackers

Marc Yellock
Defensive Line

Brandon Butcher
Defensive Staff Assistant

Kyle Chase
Defensive Staff Assistant

Ryan Dougherty
Special Teams
Staff Assistant

Bobby Harward
Offensive Staff Assistant

Mack Helms
Offensive Staff Assistant

Morgen Buzzynski
Administrative Assistant/Defense

Jeff Connors
Assistant AD/Strength
and Conditioning

Alex Folken
Assistant Director of
Operations/Personnel

Ann Hoggard
Administrative Assistant/Ruffin McNeill

Kelly Neel
Administrative Assistant/Offense

Brian Overton
Director of
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Harold Robinson
Director of
High School Relations

Dale Steele
Director of
Administration
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ADMISSION
All fans entering Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium must have a valid ticket for admission unless they are younger than two years of age (and don’t occupy a seat). An attendant will scan the barcode located on your ticket with a hand-held ticket scanner. To expedite this process, please make sure each person in your party presents his or her ticket individually to the attendant.

Spectators also should be aware that East Carolina student tickets are for use only by ECU students upon presentation of a valid University student I.D. card.

GAME DAY ASSISTANCE
Assistance with any ticket issue on game day can be obtained by going to the Minges Coliseum Box Office located to the west of Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium.

GAME TIMES
All game dates and times are subject to change. ECU will publicize any game date and/or time changes. Ticket refunds will not be made because of a change in schedule or the kickoff time.

GATES
All stadium gates open two hours prior to kickoff.

ECU player guests, recruits and high school coaches should enter at Gate 3A.

PASS-OUT CHECKS
Only Pirate Club members may exit the stadium via any gate or the Pirate Club Social Room at halftime or at any time during the game. However, to re-enter the stadium, each member must present their game ticket stub and Pirate Club membership/access cards or their Sabre Credential.

PURCHASING TICKETS
Tickets for all ECU athletics contests can be purchased through the Athletics Ticket Office Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Game day ticket sales are subject to availability and are available through the Minges Coliseum Box Office.

REFUNDS/RESALE
Tickets cannot be sold on University property. Lost or stolen tickets are not the responsibility of management, and additional tickets can be obtained through the ticket office. There is a No Cash Refund policy in effect on all tickets. ECU reserves the right to refuse admission.

WILL CALL
Will Call is located at the outside windows at Minges Coliseum. Identification is required before tickets will be released.

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DISABLED SERVICES
Requests for accommodations related to disabilities need to be made to the Athletics Ticket Office at (252) 737-4500. Requests must be made at least 48 hours prior to the event.

ADA accessible entrances are located at Gates 1, 7 and 8. Seating to accommodate wheelchair spectators is located on the South and North sides and the East end zone of the stadium. Seating in these areas is limited. Tickets are issued on a first-come, first-served basis. Two attendees per wheelchair patron are permissible.

ADA parking is available to Pirate Club season ticket holders by calling (252) 737-4540. ADA shuttles run from Christenbury Gymnasium to Gate 9. Parking fees apply.

FIRST AID
First Aid facilities are located on the north side of stadium beneath Section 15, the south side beneath Section 4, and beneath Section 217 in the upper deck. EMT personnel are on duty at all times. Rescue squad units are located at both ends of the field.

GUEST SERVICE TENT/STROLLERS AND BAG CHECK
Located in front of club/upper level elevators inside Gate 7, and a second location across from Gate 2. Check bags and strollers and obtain game and stadium information.

LOST & FOUND
A Lost & Found station is set up at Gate 1 at the scoreboard end of Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium. If you find an item, please turn it in to the attendant at the station. All items not claimed will be available Monday by calling (252) 737-4668. Lost patrons and those looking for lost patrons should proceed immediately to Gate 1 at the scoreboard end of the stadium.

SECURITY
Uniformed police and event security are located throughout Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium and surrounding parking lots.

USHERS
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- 6 Biscuits • 1/2 Gallon Iced Tea

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- 10 Biscuits • 1 Gallon Iced Tea

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- 20 pcs. Chicken
- 4 Picnic Fixin's • 10 Biscuits
- 1 Gallon Iced Tea

Family Variety Feast
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- 3 Picnic Fixin's • 1/2 Gallon Ice Tea

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POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Artificial Noisemakers
Artificial noisemakers are not permitted in the stadium.

Alcoholic Beverages
Alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited within the stadium per North Carolina Statutes. (Also see Stadium Entry Inspection).

Bagwell Field Regulations
No one is allowed on the playing field during or after the game without credentials. Fans may be ejected and are subject to arrest for throwing any objects within the stadium.

Banners/Flags
Banners hung in the stadium must be approved by calling (252) 737-4669 by 5 p.m. on Thursday prior to the day of the game. For the convenience and safety of all fans, flags on poles are not permitted in Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium.

Containers/Coolers
No outside containers (cans, plastic bottles, etc.), coolers or food items are permitted in Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium.

Conduct
The management of Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium reserves the right to eject patrons from the stadium for intoxication, drug use, foul or abusive language or any other conduct that is not conducive to a family atmosphere as determined by ECU.

Smoking
Smoking is permitted in the open areas underneath the North and South stands and the open concourse area beneath the upper deck seating of Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium. Smoking is not permitted in the seating areas, stairwells, restrooms and any enclosed area of the stadium.

Solicitation/Flyers
Solicitations in or surrounding Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium, including parking areas, are prohibited.

Stadium Entry Inspection
For the safety of all spectators, anyone entering the stadium is subject to having his or her bag, pocketbook, camera bag, etc., inspected by staff security. No bag larger than 10-by-10-by-10 inches or backpacks will be allowed. Entry may be refused to individuals failing to allow inspections.

Strollers
Strollers are not allowed in the stands, but fans may check them at the customer service tent across from the club/upper level elevators inside Gate 7 and at a second location across from Gate 2.

Umbrellas
Umbrellas are not permitted in any Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium seating area.

STADIUM INFORMATION

Concessions
Food and beverages are sold throughout the stadium.

Customer Service
Customer service booths are located at Gates 2 and 7.

Gate Information
For direct and efficient access to your seat(s), please enter the stadium through the gate indicated on your ticket. ECU students are to enter gates designated for their use (see stadium diagram on pgs. 16-17). Stadium gates open two hours prior to kick-off.

Pregame Excitement
Teams take Bagwell Field for pregame warm-ups approximately one hour prior to game time. Pregame festivities, including the Marching Pirates and the rousing team entrance, begin approximately 30 minutes prior to kickoff.

Public Address System
No appeals will be made over the public address system except under extraordinary conditions. The public is asked not to request this service.

Restrooms
Restrooms are located throughout the stadium. Porta-johns are located in the parking lots for use prior to and after the game. All restrooms are handicapped accessible in Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium.

Severe Weather Threat
In the event the game is halted due to the threat of severe weather conditions, fans should calmly exit the stadium in an orderly fashion. Police and ushers will provide instructions upon exiting. Minges Coliseum will be open for your convenience. Fans should tune their radios to the Pirate Sports Radio Network for continuous updates. Fans must have their ticket stubs to be readmitted into the stadium.

Souvenirs
Officially licensed ECU souvenirs are available at conveniently located souvenir stands in the stadium. The ECU Dowdy Student Store is the only stadium souvenir vendor. Patrons should be aware that the sale of any items by persons other than ECU Student Store personnel in and around Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium and its parking lots is prohibited.
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18. Clark-LeClair
19. Stratford Arms
20. Belk Building

ATHLETICS FACILITIES
A. Minges Coliseum
B. Murphy Center
C. Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium
D. ECU Tennis Complex
E. Ward Sports Medicine
F. Scales Field House
G. Athletic Ticket Office
H. Clark-LeClair Stadium
I. Stewart Johnson Soccer Stadium
J. Olympic Teams Building
K. ECU Softball Stadium
L. Bate Track Facility

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WNCT (Greenville) on Sunday at 11:30 a.m.
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Greensboro ....................WPET (950 AM)
Greenville (flagship) ....WNCT (107.9 FM)
Hamlet ........................WKDX (1250 AM)
Manteo .......................WOBX (98.1 FM)
Raleigh .......................WPTK (850 AM)
Sanford ........................WFJA (105.5 FM)
Williamston .................WIAM (900 AM)
Wilmington ....................WAAV (980 AM)

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### OPPONENT SCHEDULES

#### TOWSON TIGERS

**Hosts ECU on September 5**
- September 5: at East Carolina
- September 12: Saint Francis
- September 19: Holy Cross
- September 26: at Elon
- October 10: James Madison
- October 17: at Stony Brook
- October 24: Villanova
- October 31: Delaware
- November 7: at Maine
- November 14: at William & Mary
- November 21: Rhode Island

#### FLORIDA GATORS

**Hosts ECU on September 12**
- September 5: New Mexico State
- September 12: East Carolina
- September 19: at Kentucky
- September 26: Tennessee
- October 3: Ole Miss
- October 10: at Missouri
- October 17: at LSU
- October 31: vs. Georgia (Jacksonville, Fla.)
- November 7: Vanderbilt
- November 14: at South Carolina
- November 21: Florida Atlantic
- November 28: Florida State

#### NAVY MIDSHIPMEN

**Hosts ECU on September 19**
- September 5: Colgate
- September 12: East Carolina
- September 19: at UConn
- September 26: Air Force
- October 3: at Notre Dame
- October 10: Tulane
- October 24: USF
- November 7: at Memphis
- November 14: SMU
- November 21: at Tulsa
- November 27: at Houston
- December 12: Army

#### VIRGINIA TECH HOKIES

**Hosts ECU on September 26**
- September 7: Ohio State
- September 12: Furman
- September 19: at Purdue
- September 26: at East Carolina
- October 3: Pittsburgh
- October 9: NC State
- October 17: at Miami
- October 24: Duke
- October 31: at Boston College
- November 12: at Georgia Tech
- November 21: North Carolina
- November 28: at Virginia

#### SMU MUSTANGS

**Hosts ECU on October 3**
- September 4: Baylor
- September 12: North Texas
- September 19: at TCU
- September 26: James Madison
- October 3: East Carolina
- October 8: at Houston
- October 24: at USF
- October 31: Tulsa
- November 6: Temple
- November 14: at Navy
- November 21: Tulane
- November 28: at Memphis

#### BYU COUGARS

**Hosts ECU on October 10**
- September 5: at Nebraska
- September 12: Boise State
- September 19: at UCLA
- September 26: at Michigan
- October 2: UConn
- October 10: East Carolina
- October 16: Cincinnati
- October 24: Wagner
- November 6: at San Jose State
- November 14: at Missouri
- November 21: Fresno State
- November 28: at Utah State
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OPPONENT SCHEDULES

**TULSA GOLDEN HURRICANE**

At ECU on October 17
September 5: Florida Atlantic
September 12: at New Mexico
September 19: at Oklahoma
October 3: Houston
October 10: Louisiana-Monroe
October 17: at East Carolina
October 23: Memphis
October 31: at SMU
November 7: UCF
November 14: at Cincinnati
November 21: Navy
November 27: at Tulane

**TEMPLE OWLS**

At ECU on October 22
September 5: Penn State
September 12: at Cincinnati
September 19: at UMass
October 2: at Charlotte
October 10: Tulane
October 17: UCF
October 22: at East Carolina
October 31: Notre Dame
November 6: at SMU
November 14: at South Florida
November 21: Memphis
November 28: UConn

**UCONN HUSKIES**

Hosts ECU on October 30
September 3: Villanova
September 12: Army
September 19: at Missouri
September 26: Navy
October 2: at BYU
October 10: at UCF
October 17: USF
October 24: at Cincinnati
October 30: East Carolina
November 7: at Tulane
November 21: Houston
November 28: at Temple

**USF BULLS**

At ECU on November 7
September 5: Florida A&M
September 12: at Florida State
September 19: at Maryland
October 2: Memphis
October 10: Syracuse
October 17: at UConn
October 24: SMU
October 31: at Navy
November 7: at East Carolina
November 14: Temple
November 20: Cincinnati
November 27: at UCF

**UCF KNIGHTS**

Hosts ECU on November 19
September 3: Florida International
September 12: at Stanford
September 19: Furman
September 26: at South Carolina
October 3: at Tulane
October 10: UConn
October 17: at Temple
October 24: Houston
October 31: at Cincinnati
November 7: at Tulsa
November 19: East Carolina
November 27: USF

**CINCINNATI BEARCATS**

At ECU on November 28
September 5: Alabama A&M
September 12: Temple
September 19: at Miami (Ohio)
September 24: at Memphis
October 1: Miami (Florida)
October 16: at BYU
October 24: UConn
October 31: UCF
November 7: at Houston
November 14: Tulsa
November 20: at USF
November 28: at East Carolina
2015-16 BOWL SCHEDULE
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AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE BOWL TIE-INS

AAC Championship
Dec. 5, 12 p.m.
at higher ranked team
ESPN or ABC

AutoNation Cure Bowl
Dec. 19, 12 p.m.
Orlando, Fla. vs. SBC
CBSSN

Miami Beach Bowl
Dec. 21, 2:30 p.m.
Miami, Fla. vs. C-USA
ESPN

Boca Raton Bowl
Dec. 22, 7 p.m.
Boca Raton, Fla. vs. MAC
ESPN

Hawaii Bowl
Dec. 24, 8 p.m.
Honolulu, Hawaii vs. MWC/BYU
ESPN

St. Petersburg Bowl
Dec. 26, 11 a.m
St. Petersburg, Fla. vs. C-USA
ESPN

Military Bowl
Dec. 28, 2:30 p.m.
Annapolis, Md. vs. ACC/Notre Dame
ESPN

Birmingham Bowl
Dec. 30, 12 p.m.
Birmingham, Ala. vs. SEC
ESPN

COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF

Goodyear Cotton Bowl Classic
Dec. 31, 4/8 p.m.
Arlington, Texas

Capital One Orange Bowl
Dec. 31, 4/8 p.m.
Miami Gardens, Fla.

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Jan. 11, 8:30 p.m.
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