

ILLINOIS STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

2011 - 2012 VISITING TEAM GUIDE



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OPERATIONS LETTER

Coach/Administrator-

This women's basketball game day packet was created to assist in making your visit to Illinois State University as smooth as possible. Enclosed you should find important game day information and a sample pre-game protocol. Please refer to this information to help answer any questions you have regarding our game day operations. We hope this packet will help you and your team in preparation for your upcoming game this season in Normal, Illinois.

A representative from the operations staff will meet and assist your staff and team at the South-west loading dock at Redbird Arena, answering any questions that might arise upon your arrival.

If I can be of any assistance, please contact my office at (309) 438-3637.

We look forward to your visit to Illinois State University.

Sincerely,

Megan Brown
Director of Events and Game Operations
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Office: (309) 438-3637
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FACILITY INFORMATION

Team Bus Parking

Team buses will be parked at the Southwest loading dock.

Locker Room

Visiting team locker room is located on the west side of the arena's floor level hallway. Team Room B.

Training Room

Training room is located on the arena floor level west side hallway, room #117.

Bench Area

Visiting team will sit on the South end bench.

Player Comps

The visiting Player Pass List is located on the concourse level North end table. Players are each allowed four guests. Please have your pass list upon arrival or fax in advance to (309) 438-2220. Questions? Call the Redbird Ticket Office at (309) 438-8000.

Credentials

Press credentials should be arranged through the Media Relations office. Contact Lauren Hutchcraft at (309) 438-3802.

Uniforms

Illinois State University will wear white jerseys.

Videotaping

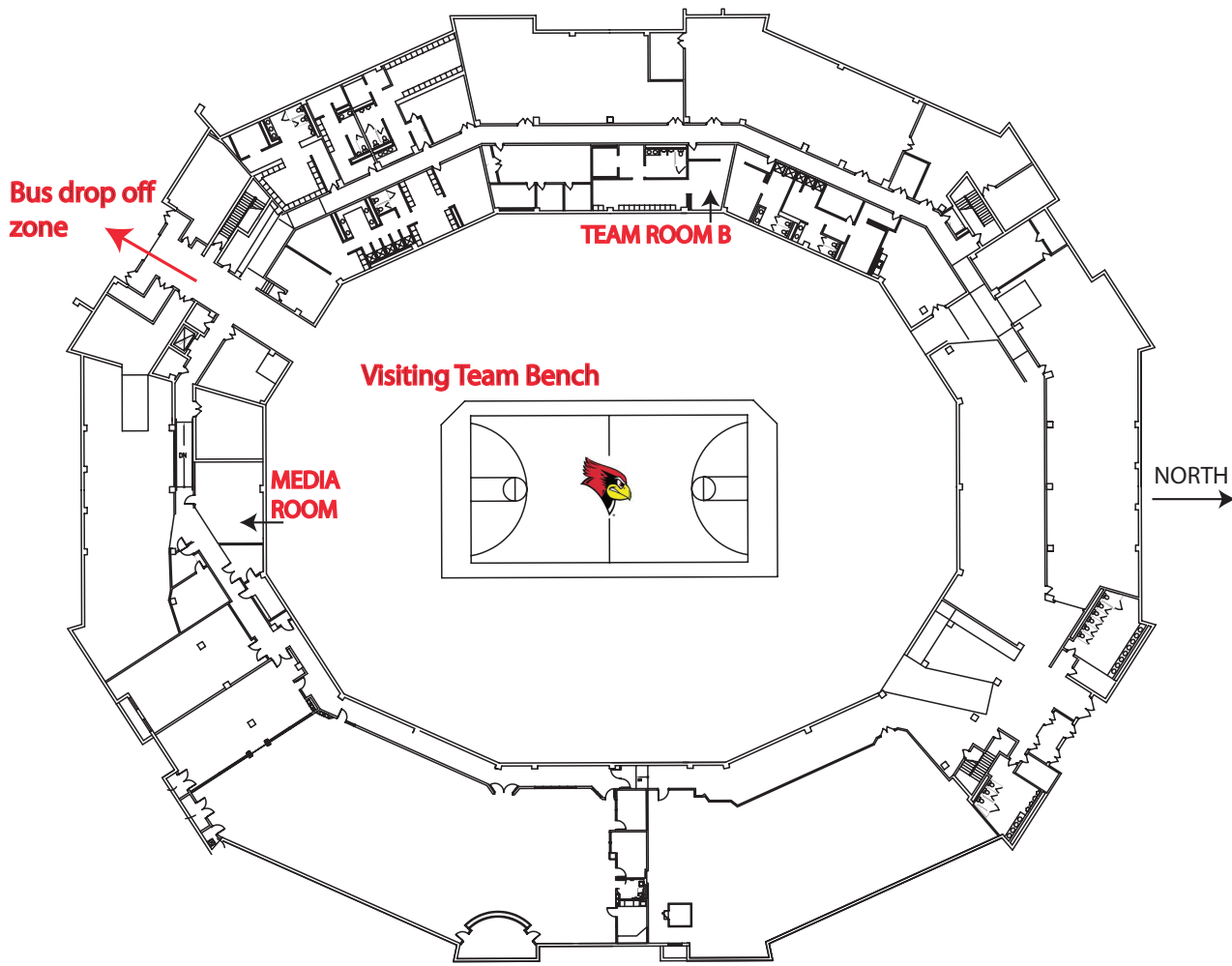
Videotaping area is on the concourse level East side.

Practice

To schedule a practice time in Redbird Arena call: Assistant Athletics Director for Facilities Peyton Deterding at (309) 438-5111.



FACILITY MAP



REDBIRD ARENA - LOWER LEVEL



EXAMPLE PRE-GAME PROTOCOL

OPPONENT (South Bench) vs. **ILLINOIS STATE** (North Bench)
 DATE - TIME
 REDBIRD ARENA

<u>REAL TIME</u>	<u>GAME CLOCK</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>
5:58PM	60:00	Floor available/Clock starts
6:13PM	45:00	Bench Crew meets with Officials in locker room
6:38PM	20:00	Redbirds take the court
6:43PM	15:00	Captains meet with game officials at center court
6:48PM	10:00	Teams to locker rooms
6:53PM	5:00	Teams enter court/Redbirds re-enter
6:57PM	1:00	Horn sounds -- teams return to bench
6:58PM	0:00	Horn sounds National Anthem (Teams line up across foul line facing flag) -Sportsmanship announcement -Team handshake @ mid-court
7:02PM	0:00	Introduction of Starting Lineups -Visiting Team (F, F, C, G, G) -Visiting Team Head Coach -LIGHTS OUT -Illinois State (F, F, C, G, G) -Illinois State Head Coach
7:04:30PM	0:00	Horn sounds -- starters return to court
7:05PM	20:00	Tipoff

-----HALFTIME--15 MINUTES-----

15:00 Clock begins
 6:00 Floor cleared for sweeping
 5:00 Floor MUST be cleared for TEAMS



LOCAL DINING

ALEXANDER'S STEAK HOUSE

503 E. College
Normal, IL
(309) 452-4436

AVANTI'S

407 S. Main St.
Normal, IL
(309) 452-4436

AVANTI'S

3302 E Empire
Bloomington, IL
(309) 662-4436

BANDANA'S BAR-B-Q

502 IAA Drive
Bloomington, IL
(309) 662-7427

BUFFALO WILD WINGS

3220 E. Empire
Bloomington, IL
(309) 661-8027

DENNY'S DOUGHNUTS & BAKERY

1503 E. Vernon
Bloomington, IL
(309) 663-8200

DENNY'S DOUGHNUTS & BAKERY

1107 S. Main St.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 827-0459

D. P. DOUGH

121 E. Beaufort St.
Normal, IL
(309) 888-9663

FAMOUS DAVE'S

1603 Morrisey Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 664-0044

GILL STREET SPORTS RESTAURANT

3002 Gill Street
Bloomington, IL
(309) 661-6387

JIM'S STEAKHOUSE

2301 E. Washington St.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 663-4142

LUNKERS

104 S. Linden
Normal, IL
(309) 451-3474

MOE'S SOUTHWEST GRILLE

1730 Bradford Ln.
Normal, IL
(309) 862-MOES (6637)

PUB II

102 N. Linden St.
Normal, IL 61761
(309) 454-0699

SWINGERS GRILLE

1304 Cross Creek Dr.
Normal, IL
(309) 829-5777

TIMES PAST INN

1216 Towanda Ave.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 828-8312

FAST FOOD

ARBY'S

610 W. Rabb Rd. Normal, IL
1240 E. Empire Bloomington, IL
1808 W. Market Bloomington, IL

JIMMY JOHN'S

205 S. Main St. - Normal, IL
207 W. North St. - Normal, IL
Veterans - Bloomington, IL

MCDONALD'S

300 Greenbriar - Normal, IL
806 S. Main St. - Normal, IL
1535 E. College - Normal, IL
1610 E. Empire - Bloomington, IL
2507 E. Oakland - Bloomington, IL
525 Brock Dr. - Bloomington, IL
2410 S. Main - Bloomington, IL

SUBWAY

2310 E. Oakland - Bloomington, IL
1005 N. Main St. - Bloomington, IL
1907 W. Market - Bloomington, IL
1407 N. Veterans - Bloomington, IL
1601 S. Main St. - Bloomington, IL
1519 E. College - Normal, IL

TACO BELL

1702 W. Market St.- Bloomington, IL
1527 E. College Ave. - Normal, IL



LOCAL HOTELS

BAYMONT INN & SUITES

604 ½ I AA Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 662-2800

CHATEAU HOTEL

1601 Jumer Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 665-5624

COMFORT SUITES

310B Greenbriar Dr.
Normal, IL
(309) 452-8588

DOUBLETREE

10 Brickyard Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 664-6446

EASTLAND SUITES

1801 Eastland Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 662-5533

HAMPTON INN & SUITES

320 South Towanda Ave.
Normal, IL
(309) 452-8900

MARRIOTT HOTEL

201 Broadway St.
Normal, IL 61761
(309) 862-9000

PARKE HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER

1413 Leslie Dr.
Bloomington, IL
(309) 662-4300