



FOOTBALL

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MOUNTAIN WEST ANNOUNCES 2017 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. – The 2017 Mountain West football schedule was released today and is comprised of 97 games, including 48 Conference matchups. The scheduling format for the 12-member football lineup consists of five intra-divisional games and three cross-divisional contests. Each institution will play four home and four road Conference games. 2017 marks the first year of the new four-year cycle and the fifth year overall featuring the current rotation.

The 2017 schedule will play out over 14 weeks, concluding on Sat., Dec. 2 with the Mountain West Football Championship Game to be played at the home stadium of the highest-ranked of the two divisional champions.

The nonconference slate features 27 games against teams that earned bowl berths in 2016, including Alabama (two games), Army, BYU (six games), Colorado, Idaho, Iowa, Michigan, Navy, Northwestern, Ohio State, South Florida, Stanford, Texas A&M, Toledo, Tulsa, Utah, Wake Forest, Washington, Washington State (two games) and Wisconsin. Nine nonconference opponents finished ranked in last year's final *USA Today/Coaches'* and *Associated Press* Top 25 polls, including #2/2 Alabama, #4/4 Washington, #6/6 Ohio State, #9/9 Wisconsin, #10/10 Michigan, #12/12 Stanford, #15/17 Colorado, #19/19 South Florida and #21/23 Utah.

The kick times for two Boise State nonconference games have been set. Virginia at Boise State will kick off at 6 p.m. MT on Friday, Sept. 22 on either ESPN or ESPN2, while the Broncos road contest at BYU is scheduled for 8:15 p.m. MT on ESPN on Friday, Oct. 6.

Today's release represents the first phase in the 2017 football schedule process. Mountain West national television partners CBS Sports Network and ESPN will continue a selection procedure which will include the shifting of additional games to Thursdays and Fridays. That will be followed by the identification of national network outlets and kick times, along with the picks for regional partner ROOT SPORTS, Mountain West Network on Campus Insiders and OC Sports (Hawai'i).

The 2017 MW football membership includes Air Force, Boise State, Colorado State, New Mexico, Utah State and Wyoming in the Mountain Division and Fresno State, Hawai'i, Nevada, San Diego State, San José State and UNLV in the West Division.



2017 Mountain West Composite Schedule

Saturday, August 26

Hawai'i at UMass
South Florida at San José State

Friday, September 1

Colorado vs. Colorado State^
Utah State at Wisconsin

Saturday, September 2

VMI at Air Force
Troy at Boise State
Abilene Christian at New Mexico
Wyoming at Iowa
Incarnate Word at Fresno State
Western Carolina at Hawai'i
Nevada at Northwestern
UC Davis at San Diego State
Cal Poly at San José State
Howard at UNLV

Thursday, September 7

Idaho State at Utah State

Saturday, September 9

Boise State at Washington State
Abilene Christian at Colorado State
New Mexico State at New Mexico
Gardner-Webb at Wyoming
Fresno State at Alabama
Hawai'i at UCLA
Toledo at Nevada
San Diego State at Arizona State
San José State at Texas
UNLV at Idaho

Saturday, September 16

Air Force at Michigan
New Mexico at Boise State*
Colorado State at Alabama
Utah State at Wake Forest
Oregon at Wyoming
Fresno State at Washington
Idaho State at Nevada
Stanford at San Diego State
San José State at Utah

Friday, September 22

Virginia at Boise State, 6 p.m. MT
ESPN/ESPN2

Saturday, September 23

San Diego State at Air Force*
Oregon State at Colorado State
New Mexico at Tulsa
Utah State at San José State*
Hawai'i at Wyoming*
Nevada at Washington State
UNLV at Ohio State

Friday, September 29

BYU at Utah State

Saturday, September 30

Air Force at New Mexico*
Colorado State at Hawai'i*
Texas State at Wyoming
Nevada at Fresno State*
Northern Illinois at San Diego State
San José State at UNLV*

Friday, October 6

Boise State at BYU, 8:15 p.m. MT
ESPN

Saturday, October 7

Air Force at Navy
Colorado State at Utah State*
Fresno State at San José State*
Hawai'i at Nevada*
San Diego State at UNLV*

Saturday, October 14

UNLV at Air Force*
Boise State at San Diego State*
Nevada at Colorado State*
New Mexico at Fresno State*
Wyoming at Utah State*
San José State at Hawai'i*

Saturday, October 21

Air Force at Nevada*
Wyoming at Boise State*
Colorado State at New Mexico*
Utah State at UNLV*
Fresno State at San Diego State*

Saturday, October 28

Air Force at Colorado State*
Boise State at Utah State*
New Mexico at Wyoming*
UNLV at Fresno State*
San Diego State at Hawai'i*
San José State at BYU

Saturday, November 4

Army at Air Force
Nevada at Boise State*
Colorado State at Wyoming*
Utah State at New Mexico*
BYU at Fresno State
Hawai'i at UNLV*
San Diego State at San José State*

Saturday, November 11

Wyoming at Air Force*
Boise State at Colorado State*
New Mexico at Texas A&M
Fresno State at Hawai'i*
San José State at Nevada*
BYU at UNLV

Saturday, November 18

Air Force at Boise State*
San José State at Colorado State*
UNLV at New Mexico*
Hawai'i at Utah State*
Fresno State at Wyoming*
Nevada at San Diego State*

Saturday, November 25

Utah State at Air Force*
Boise State at Fresno State*
New Mexico at San Diego State*
Wyoming at San José State*
BYU at Hawai'i
UNLV at Nevada*

^Sports Authority Field (Denver, Colorado)

*MW Game



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Mountain Division

AIR FORCE

Sept. 2 – VMI
Sept. 16 – at Michigan
Sept. 23 – San Diego State*
Sept. 30 – at New Mexico*
Oct. 7 – at Navy
Oct. 14 – UNLV*
Oct. 21 – at Nevada*
Oct. 28 – at Colorado State*
Nov. 4 – Army
Nov. 11 – Wyoming*
Nov. 18 – at Boise State*
Nov. 25 – Utah State*

BOISE STATE

Sept. 2 – Troy
Sept. 9 – at Washington State
Sept. 16 – New Mexico*
Sept. 22 – Virginia, 6 p.m. MT ESPN/ESPN2
Oct. 6 – at BYU, 8:15 p.m. MT ESPN
Oct. 14 – at San Diego State*
Oct. 21 – Wyoming*
Oct. 28 – at Utah State*
Nov. 4 – Nevada*
Nov. 11 – at Colorado State*
Nov. 18 – Air Force*
Nov. 25 – at Fresno State*

COLORADO STATE

Sept. 1 – vs. Colorado^
Sept. 9 – Abilene Christian
Sept. 16 – at Alabama
Sept. 23 – Oregon State
Sept. 30 – at Hawai'i*
Oct. 7 – at Utah State*
Oct. 14 – Nevada*
Oct. 21 – at New Mexico*
Oct. 28 – Air Force*
Nov. 4 – at Wyoming*
Nov. 11 – Boise State*
Nov. 18 – San José State*
^Sports Authority Field, Denver, CO

NEW MEXICO

Sept. 2 – Abilene Christian
Sept. 9 – New Mexico State
Sept. 16 – at Boise State*
Sept. 23 – at Tulsa
Sept. 30 – Air Force*
Oct. 14 – at Fresno State*
Oct. 21 – Colorado State*
Oct. 28 – at Wyoming*
Nov. 4 – Utah State*
Nov. 11 – at Texas A&M
Nov. 18 – UNLV*
Nov. 25 – at San Diego State*

UTAH STATE

Sept. 1 – at Wisconsin
Sept. 7 – Idaho State
Sept. 16 – at Wake Forest
Sept. 23 – at San José State*
Sept. 29 – BYU
Oct. 7 – Colorado State*
Oct. 14 – Wyoming*
Oct. 21 – at UNLV*
Oct. 28 – Boise State*
Nov. 4 – at New Mexico*
Nov. 18 – Hawai'i*
Nov. 25 – at Air Force*

WYOMING

Sept. 2 – at Iowa
Sept. 9 – Gardner-Webb
Sept. 16 – Oregon
Sept. 23 – Hawai'i*
Sept. 30 – Texas State
Oct. 14 – at Utah State*
Oct. 21 – at Boise State*
Oct. 28 – New Mexico*
Nov. 4 – Colorado State*
Nov. 11 – at Air Force*
Nov. 18 – Fresno State*
Nov. 25 – at San José State*

West Division

FRESNO STATE

Sept. 2 – Incarnate Word
Sept. 9 – at Alabama
Sept. 16 – at Washington
Sept. 30 – Nevada*
Oct. 7 – at San José State*
Oct. 14 – New Mexico*
Oct. 21 – at San Diego State*
Oct. 28 – UNLV*
Nov. 4 – BYU
Nov. 11 – at Hawai'i*
Nov. 18 – at Wyoming*
Nov. 25 – Boise State*

HAWAI'I

Aug. 26 – UMass
Sept. 2 – Western Carolina
Sept. 9 – at UCLA
Sept. 23 – at Wyoming*
Sept. 30 – Colorado State*
Oct. 7 – at Nevada*
Oct. 14 – San José State*
Oct. 28 – San Diego State*
Nov. 4 – at UNLV*
Nov. 11 – Fresno State*
Nov. 18 – at Utah State*
Nov. 25 – BYU

NEVADA

Sept. 2 – at Northwestern
Sept. 9 – Toledo
Sept. 16 – Idaho State
Sept. 23 – at Washington State
Sept. 30 – at Fresno State*
Oct. 7 – Hawai'i*
Oct. 14 – at Colorado State*
Oct. 21 – Air Force*
Nov. 4 – at Boise State*
Nov. 11 – San José State*
Nov. 18 – at San Diego State*
Nov. 25 – UNLV*

SAN DIEGO STATE

Sept. 2 – UC Davis
Sept. 9 – at Arizona State
Sept. 16 – Stanford
Sept. 23 – at Air Force*
Sept. 30 – Northern Illinois
Oct. 7 – at UNLV*
Oct. 14 – Boise State*
Oct. 21 – Fresno State*
Oct. 28 – at Hawai'i*
Nov. 4 – at San José State*
Nov. 18 – Nevada*
Nov. 25 – New Mexico*

SAN JOSÉ STATE

Aug. 26 – South Florida
Sept. 2 – Cal Poly
Sept. 9 – at Texas
Sept. 16 – at Utah
Sept. 23 – Utah State*
Sept. 30 – at UNLV*
Oct. 7 – Fresno State*
Oct. 14 – at Hawai'i*
Oct. 28 – at BYU
Nov. 4 – San Diego State*
Nov. 11 – at Nevada*
Nov. 18 – at Colorado State*
Nov. 25 – Wyoming*

UNLV

Sept. 2 – Howard
Sept. 9 – at Idaho
Sept. 23 – at Ohio State
Sept. 30 – San José State*
Oct. 7 – San Diego State*
Oct. 14 – at Air Force*
Oct. 21 – Utah State*
Oct. 28 – at Fresno State*
Nov. 4 – Hawai'i*
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*MW Game