



2006 BCA Classic Media Itinerary and Credential Information

PRINCETON, N.J. (November 6, 2006) - Important media information about the BCA Classic is outlined below.

MEDIA ITINERARY

Opening Round Teleconference:

Wednesday, November 8th (11:00 a.m. - 11:40 a.m. EST)

Media dial-in number: **(800) 500-0311**

Reference: **BCA Classic**

Format: The head coaches from each team in the BCA Classic will participate in a national teleconference to preview the event and the upcoming season. The conference will be divided into two 20 minute segments with coaches grouped into their respective halves of the bracket. Each segment will open with short introductions by representatives from both the Gazelle Group and the BCA, followed by brief remarks by all four coaches. Each segment will conclude with a question-and-answer session. Below are the schedules for each segment:

<p><u>Group 1</u> 11:00 a.m. EST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Representative, Gazelle Group · Representative, BCA · Thad Matta, Ohio State · VMI, Duggar Baucon · Jim Whitesell, Loyola · Princeton, Joe Scott 	<p><u>Group 2</u> 11:20 a.m. EST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Representative, Gazelle Group · Representative, BCA · Jim Christian, Kent State · Scott Nagy, South Dakota State · IUPUI, Ron Hunter · Alabama A&M, Vann Pettaway
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CREDENTIAL REQUESTS

There will be two separate procedures for school-affiliated media and general media. Members of the media covering a specific school should submit their credential request to their respective team's Sports Information Director. Contact Information for each school is listed below:

Alabama A&M Thomas Galbraith Elmore Gymnasium Normal, AL 35762 Phone: (256)372-4005 E-Mail: aamusportsinfo2@yahoo.com Fax: (256)851-5919	IUPUI Ed Holdaway 250 University Blvd Suite 204 Indianapolis, IN 46202 Phone: (317)274-2725 E-Mail: eholdawa@iupui.edu Fax: (317)278-2683	Kent State Jeff Schaefer 106 MAC Center Kent, OH 44242 Phone: (330)672-8419 E-Mail: jschaefer@kent.edu Fax: (330)672-2112	Loyola Chicago Bill Behrns 6525 N. Sheridan Rd Alumni Gym, Room 108 Chicago, IL 60626 Phone: (773)508-2575 E-Mail: bbehrns@luc.edu Fax: (773)508-3855
Ohio State Dan Wallenberg 410 Woody Hayes Dr Columbus, OH 43210 Phone: (614)292-4095 E-Mail: wallenberg.1@osu.edu Fax: (614)292-8547	Princeton David Rosenfield 9 Jadwin Gym Princeton, NJ 085450 Phone: (609)258-3530 E-Mail: Daverose@Princeton.EDU Fax: (614)292-8547	South Dakota State Jason Hove 11th Street and 16th Avenue Marshall HPER Center Brookings, SD Phone: (605)688-4433 E-Mail: jason.hove@sdstate.edu Fax: (605)688-5999	VMI Wade Branner Room 116 Smith Hall Lexington, VA 24450 Phone: (540)464-7253 E-Mail: brannerwh@vmi.edu Fax: (540)464-7583

Members of the media who are not covering a specific school should submit their request to Dan Wallenberg of Ohio State. Credential request should be submitted on company letterhead via fax to Dan at (614)292-4095. **The deadline for all credential requests is Wednesday, November 8th, 2006.**

COLUMBUS HOTEL INFORMATION

Crowne Plaza Columbus
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Columbus, OH 43215
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The Black Coaches Association is a nonprofit organization whose primary purpose is to foster the growth and development of minorities at all levels of sports, both nationally and internationally. The BCA is committed to creating a positive, enlightened environment and common ground where issues can be examined closely, debated sincerely, and resolved honestly. The BCA's mission is to address significant issues pertaining to minorities in sport and to assist minorities aspiring to have a career in athletics. Proceeds from this Event will benefit the BCA Postgraduate Scholarship Program. For more information on the BCA [visit www.bcasports.org](http://www.bcasports.org) or call 1-877-789-1BCA (1222)

The BCA Classic is produced by the Gazelle Group. For more information about the BCA Classic, please visit www.BCAclassic.com or contact John Celestand at (609)921-1300.



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