

14 2011 ACC Bowl Lineup, Selection Procedure



Discover Orange Bowl
Miami Gardens, Fla.
Jan. 4, 8:00 pm, ESPN

The Atlantic Coast Conference has agreements to send eight of its member institutions to post-season football bowl games after the 2011 regular season should that many qualify teams for post-season play. The Conference also has a conditional agreement with the Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl in San Francisco to send a 9th bowl-eligible team, should that many ACC teams qualify and should either of that bowl's 2011 contracted partners--the Pac-12 Conference or Army--not be able to fulfill their obligations. The winner of the ACC Championship Game will serve as the host team of the Discover Orange Bowl, unless it is ranked No. 1 or No. 2 in the final BCS Standings and is playing in the BCS National Championship Game. This year's Discover Orange Bowl Game will be played on Monday, January 4, 2012 at Sun Life Stadium in Miami Gardens, Fla.

This year's BCS National Championship Game is hosted by the Allstate Sugar Bowl at the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans, La. on Jan. 9, 2012. A second ACC team could be chosen as an at-large selection by the BCS.

Chick-fil-A Bowl
Atlanta, Ga.
Dec. 31, 7:30 pm, ESPN

If a second ACC team is not selected to the BCS, then the Chick-fil-A Bowl in Atlanta would have the first selection of all available ACC bowl-eligible teams.

If the Chick-fil-A Bowl does not take the available ACC team with the best Conference record, it must take a team within one win in the Conference record. It can select a team with a difference of two wins in its Conference record, if that team is ranked more than five spaces higher in the final BCS Standings, than the team available with the best ACC record.

Champs Sports Bowl
Orlando, Fla.
Dec. 29, 5:30 pm, ESPN

After the Chick-fil-A Bowl has chosen, then the Champs Sports Bowl has the next selection. If the Champs Sports Bowl does not choose the ACC team available with the best Conference record, then it must choose a team within one win of that team in the Conference record. This is the ACC's "One-Win Rule" and applies to all subsequent selections in the ACC's Bowl Selection order.

Hyundai Sun Bowl
El Paso, Tex.
Dec. 31, 2 pm, CBS

After the Champs Sports Bowl has made its selection, then the Hyundai Sun Bowl has the next choice of bowl eligible ACC teams. If the runner-up in the ACC Football Championship Game is still available, the Hyundai Sun Bowl will select that team. If ACC FCG runner-up has already been selected, then the Hyundai Sun Bowl may select any available ACC team that qualifies under the "One Win Rule."

Quick Selection Order

1. BCS
2. Chick-fil-A
3. Champs Sports Bowl
4. Hyundai Sun Bowl
5. Belk Bowl
6. Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl
7. Advocare V100 Independence Bowl
8. Military Bowl Presented by Northrop Grumman
9. Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl (Conditional only)

ACC Affiliated Bowl Games

(In chronological order, All Times Eastern)

Date	Bowl Game	Host City	TV	Time
Dec. 26	Advocare V100 Independence Bowl	Shreveport, La.	ESPN2	5:00 pm
Dec. 27	Belk Bowl	Charlotte, N.C.	ESPN	8:00 pm
Dec. 28	Military Bowl Pres. Northrop Grumman	Washington, D.C.	ESPN	4:30 pm
Dec. 29	Champs Sports Bowl	Orlando, Fla.	ESPN	5:30 pm
Dec. 30	Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl	Nashville, Tenn.	ESPN	6:40 pm
Dec. 31	Hyundai Sun Bowl	El Paso, Tex.	CBS	2:00 pm
Dec. 31	Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl	San Francisco, Calif.	ESPN	3:30 pm
(Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl bid conditional on whether Pac-12 or Army fills their bowl slot and ACC has a bowl-eligible team available).				
Dec. 31	Chick-fil-A Bowl	Atlanta, Ga.	ESPN	7:30 pm
Jan. 4	Discover Orange Bowl	Miami, Fla.	ESPN	8:00 pm

After the Hyundai Sun Bowl has made its selection, the remaining bowls make their selections in the following order utilizing the "One Win Rule."

Belk Bowl
Charlotte, N.C.
Dec. 27, 8 pm, ESPN

Franklin American Mortgage Music City Bowl
Nashville, Tenn.
Dec. 30, 6:40 pm, ESPN

Advocare V100 Independence Bowl
Shreveport, La.
Dec. 26, 5:00 pm, ESPN2

Military Bowl Presented by Northrop Grumman
Washington, D.C.
Dec. 28, 4:30 pm, ESPN

Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl
San Francisco, Calif.
Dec. 31, 3:30 pm, ESPN
 (conditional only)

ACC Bowl Revenue Distribution

The ACC distributes its Bowl revenue on an equitable basis. All proceeds from post-season Bowl games are divided equally among its 12 member institutions, once expenses are deducted. A team participating in a post-season game shall receive expenses in the amount below:

Rose Bowl	\$2,100,000
Tostitos Fiesta Bowl	\$1,950,000
Discover Orange Bowl	\$1,700,000
Allstate Sugar Bowl	\$1,700,000
Chick-fil-A Bowl	\$1,100,000
Champs Sports Bowl	\$1,100,000
Hyundai Sun Bowl	\$1,100,000
Belk Bowl	\$1,100,000
Music City Bowl	\$1,100,000
Independence Bowl	\$1,100,000
Military Bowl	\$1,100,000