

2002 SPRING CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April All practice times are subject to change.	1	2	3	4	5	6 Spring Ball Starts 3:15 p.m.
7	8 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	9 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	10	11 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	12 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	13 PRACTICE 3:15 p.m.
14	15 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	16 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	17	18 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	19 PRACTICE Coaches Clinic 4:30 p.m.	20 PRACTICE Coaches Clinic 1:30 p.m.
21	22 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	23 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	24	25 PRACTICE 4:30 p.m.	26	27 BLUE-GOLD SCRIMMAGE 1:30 p.m.
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2002 BLUE-GOLD SPRING FOOTBALL FESTIVAL

Spring football at Notre Dame always has been an opportunity for a sneak preview of the football season to come and the 2002 version of the Blue-Gold Spring Football Festival – presented by St. Joseph Regional Medical Center – promises to be even better than that. There are all kinds of activities connected with the 73rd annual Blue-Gold Game (sponsored by the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley) on Saturday, April 27, 2002, including several opportunities to be up close and personal with new Irish coach Tyrone Willingham and his players.

A limited number of special VIP credentials (\$40 for adults, \$25 for youths) entitle fans to a full day of activities with the Irish, including joining the squad for its 9:30 a.m. pre-game meal. A player or coach will be seated at each table for the brunch to be held in the Joyce Center fieldhouse. Then, VIP fans can sit either in the gold chairback seats on the east side of the Stadium – or they can roam the east sidelines at field level for a closer view of the action.

View From the Top (\$50 each)

There are a limited number of seats available (\$50 each) in the Notre Dame Stadium press box, where fans can have the same view as media covering Irish football. Fans seated in the press box receive a game program, as well as the same press box lunch fare served to the media (hot dogs, soup, popcorn, soft drinks). You can watch replays on the television monitors scattered throughout the press box – and you'll be kept updated on statistics throughout the contest.

Entertainment All Day Long

A free-to-all interactive fan fest will take place beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the Joyce Center south parking lot, with lots of attractions for all ages. For the third year, former Notre Dame football players will take part in a flag football game at 11:30 a.m. EST in the Stadium. All former Irish football players will be invited back for the weekend. All current Irish players and coaches again will be available for photos and autographs on the field (weather permitting) following the Blue-Gold contest.

Tickets

Tickets for the game itself, in advance, are \$8 for adults, \$6 for youths – \$10 for adults and \$8 for youths on gameday. Proceeds benefit the scholarship fund of the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley.

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