

# Cal vs Auburn Trip Itinerary September 5th-7th, 2024

Pack your bags, we are headed for Atlanta, Georgia and Auburn, Alabama for the much anticipated SEC re-match against the Auburn Tigers! We will depart on Thursday, September 5th and return immediately following the game on Saturday, September 7th. We are excited to have you join us on this special trip!

### **General Information**

This match-up is one of the most anticipated games of the season. Cal heads to Auburn for the first time in team history, Auburn traveled to Berkeley last season and won 14-10.

#### Please find all the necessary information for this trip in this packet including:

- Travel and Accommodation Information
- Staff Contacts
- Itinerary
- Maps
- Additional Information (packing list/links)

### **Travel and Hotel**

#### Parking

The entire travel party for this trip will meet at California Memorial Stadium on Thursday, September 5th at 6:30AM. You will park in the Stadium Garage located at 2175 Gayley Road (*under Maxwell Family Field*) and will receive a parking ticket. Please bring this with you and store it in a safe place, you will need this ticket to exit the garage. We will provide you with a validated parking ticket upon your return from Auburn so you will not need to pay to exit. After parking, proceed to the Ticket Office for check-in. Coffee and donuts will be available.

Our buses will depart California Memorial Stadium at 7:15AM and will go through TSA Screening planeside.

#### Flight

You (and a guest if applicable) will travel on a private charter to Atlanta, Georgia from Kaiser Airport Terminal in Oakland. A valid ID is required to board the aircraft. Seat assignments will be given out prior to boarding the plane. Drinks, breakfast, and snacks will be available planeside as you board the aircraft. We will depart Oakland at approximately 9:00AM. During the flight, In-Flight Entertainment will be available as well as snacks and a variety of beverage options. We are scheduled to land in Atlanta at around 4:30PM ET. We will deplane, board buses, and depart for The Whitley Hotel, about 30 minutes away (depending on traffic).

#### Hotel

Our accommodations are at The Whitley located at 3434 Peachtree Rd NE, Atlanta, GA 30326

#### Attire

Flight attire should be casual and comfortable. Business casual attire is recommended for Thursday night and Friday night dinners. Attire for all daytime events on Friday and Saturday is casual. Note - temperatures throughout the trip are anticipated to be in the 90s and humid.

### **Staff Contacts:**

We will have staff at each event and available to help at all times.

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# **Weekend Itinerary**

## Thursday, September 5th

6:30 AM	Arrive on Cal campus and park your vehicle in the Stadium Garage located at 2175 Gayley Rd. All cars must be parked on campus. Coffee and donuts will be available prior to boarding the buses.
7-7:15 AM	Begin boarding buses and depart Cal campus for Kaiser Air Terminal-Oakland Airport
7:30-7:45 AM	Begin TSA screening (government issued ID required) and board plane Breakfast available planeside
9:00 AM PT	Wheels Up! Depart for Hartsfield- Jackson Airport Estimated flight time: 4 hours 30 minutes Snacks, wine, beer, and non-alcoholic beverages available in-flight
4:45 PM ET	Flight arrives at Hartsfield- Jackson Airport Cal Athletics staff will assist in loading your luggage onto the bus
5:30 PM	Buses depart for The Whitley Hotel 3434 Peachtree Rd NE, Atlanta, GA 30326
6:30 PM	Buses arrive at The Whitley Hotel. Please check-in at the Cal Welcome Desk in the lobby to pick up your room keys and other info. You will be asked to provide a credit card for incidentals you may incur.
	Drop your luggage off in your room and make your way downstairs to The Lounge for an optional reception.
6:30-7:30 PM	Welcome Reception in The Lounge (optional)
6:45 PM	Depart for Braves Game, meet in the lobby (if you selected this option)
7:30/7:45 PM	Dinner with Cal Athletics staff (optional)

# Friday, September 6th

6:30 -10:00 AM	Morning on your own, light breakfast (coffee/pastries) available in The Gallery Room - located on the lobby floor
10:00 AM	Bus #1 Departs for Downtown Atlanta. Activities on your own!
11:00 AM	Bus #2 Departs for Downtown Atlanta. Activities on your own!
12-2:00 PM	Lunch and snacks available in Cal Athletics Hospitality Suite
2:00 PM	Bus #1 & #2 return to The Whitley from Downtown
4:15 PM	Meet in the lobby to board buses to the College Football Hall of Fame (event is from 5-7PM located at 250 Marietta St NW, Atlanta, GA 30313)
5:00 PM	Arrive at the College Football Hall of Fame - enjoy drinks and appetizers and explore the exhibits
5:30 PM	Dinner is served
6:00 PM	Short program and Cal Band performance!
7:00 PM	Event concludes
7:30 PM	Board buses and depart for The Whitley
8:00 PM	Arrive back at The Whitley
8:30 PM	Cal Athletics Hospitality Suite is open in The Whitley Suite
10:30 PM	Cal Athletics Hospitality Suite closes for the evening

# Saturday, September 7th

6:30-8:30 AM ET	Breakfast available in the The Gallery Room
9:15 AM ET	Check-out of rooms and meet Cal Athletics staff in the lobby. Anything you would like to take with you on the bus/plane should be brought with you as we are not returning to the hotel. Cal Athletics staff will assist you with your luggage. Board buses.
10:00 AM ET	All buses depart for Auburn, AL
11:00 AM CT	Buses arrive in Auburn; head to the Cal Tailgate! All luggage will remain on the bus unless you are not returning with us on the Cal flight. Tailgate runs from 11AM-2PM!
	Note: One hour time difference in Auburn
12:30 PM	Program and Cal Band performance!
2:00 PM	Tailgate closes, walk to Jordan-Hare (10 minute walk downhill)
2:30 PM	Kick-Off! Go Bears! Beat the Tigers
6:30 PM	After the game, we will meet at the Agricultural Heritage Park sign located at 580 South Donahue Road. This location is about a 5 minute walk from the stadium exit - Cal Athletics staff will be there to guide you to the correct bus.
	Board buses (estimated - <b>immediately following the game</b> ), travel to Montgomery Regional Airport
8:00 PM	Begin TSA screening (government issued ID required) and board plane Food and beverages available planeside.
9:00 PM ET	Wheels Up! Depart Montgomery, AL for Kaiser Air Terminal in Oakland Food and beverage available upon boarding aircraft.
11:55 PM PT	Arrive in Oakland, deplane, and board buses back to campus
12:30 AM (Sunday)	Back on campus to pick-up cars and head home! Parking validation tickets will be provided.

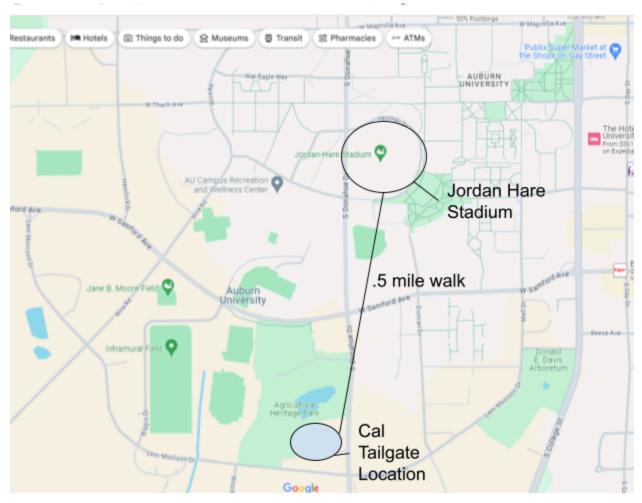
### \*\*All times are subject to change based on game end time

### **Game Information**

**The Cal Tailgate** is located at the field NEXT to the Ag Heritage Park Pavilion (620-A S Donahue Dr, Auburn, AL 36832) and runs from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM ET. We anticipate 1,000 people to be in attendance. Unlimited beverages, speciality cocktails, and BBQ buffet will be available as well as entertainment, shaded TV lounge zones, and more! Chancellor Rich Lyons and Director of Athletics Jim Knowlton will share remarks at 12:30 PM followed by fanfare and a performance by the Cal Band!

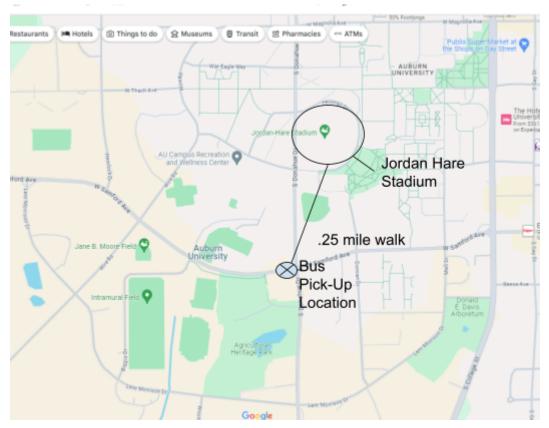
### Our travel party game tickets are located in the Cal section at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

Tickets will be handed out on the bus prior to arriving in Auburn. You will not be pre assigned seats - please speak with Anthonia Edgren if you have any questions/requests.



# **Tailgate Location**

# Cal Travel Party - Post Game Bus Pick Up Location



Look for this sign:



# **Stadium Map**



#### Please note a clear bag policy is in effect. Jordan-Hare Stadium Clear Bag Policy $\checkmark$ X BACKPACK BINOCULARS CASE **CAMERA CASE** CLEAR BACKPACK DIAPER BAG FANNY PACK **MESH BAG OVERSIZED TOTE BAG CLEAR TOTE** PLASTIC **SEAT CUSHION** .ogo Size: 4.5"h x 3.4"w nay only be on one side ithin bag must be **ZIP TOP BAG** PATTERN PLASTIC BAG PURSE **TINTED PLASTIC BAG MEDICAL BAGS** CLUTCH SMALL PURSE WALLET For those with a documented medical need, medical bags are permitted through Gates 5 and 18 and subject to a thorough inspection.

# **Additional Information**

Approximately the size of a hand. No larger than 6.5" x 4.5." May include handle or strap.

#### **Suggested Packing List:**

Temperatures for Atlanta and Auburn may range anywhere from the high 80s-mid 90s with significant humidity.

- Attire for the flight to Atlanta is casual
- Attire for day-time activities on Friday is casual. Recommended to pack comfortable \_ walking shoes, sunscreen, hat, sunglasses.
- Attire for the Friday night event at The College Football Hall of Fame is business casual - 1
- Attire for the Cal game on Saturday is casual, wear your best Cal gear!

#### The Whitley Hotel Hotel Accommodations



### The College Football Hall of Fame Friday Night Welcome Reception Location

