



# AUTOZONE LIBERTY BOWL FOOTBALL CLASSIC

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## 64<sup>th</sup> AutoZone Liberty Bowl Media Information Kansas vs. Arkansas

### Sunday, December 25, 2022

4:20 p.m. Kansas team arrives at Wilson Air Center  
(2930 Winchester Road)

**PHOTO OP ONLY**

5:10 p.m. Kansas team arrives at Sheraton Memphis  
Downtown  
(250 North Main Street)

**Photo Op and interview with head coach Lance  
Leipold and selected players**

9:00 p.m. Arkansas team arrives at Peabody Hotel  
(149 Union Avenue)

9:15 p.m. **Photo Op and interview with head coach Sam  
Pittman and selected players**

### Monday, December 26, 2022

9:30 a.m. Arkansas practice at the University of Memphis.  
Billy J. Murphy Complex, located on the University  
of Memphis Park Avenue Campus (1115 E. Getwell  
Loop)

**Photo Op period from 9:45 a.m. to 10 a.m.**

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Media credential pick up at DoubleTree Hotel  
Downtown – Beale Room  
(185 Union Avenue)

Noon Kansas practice at Christian Brothers High School  
(5900 Walnut Grove Rd.)

**Selected period will be open for photo-op (TBD)**

AIR FORCE '89 '90 '91 '92  
ALABAMA '59 '69 '76 '82  
ARKANSAS '71 '84 '87 '09 '15  
ARMY '20  
AUBURN '65 '84  
BAYLOR '85  
BOISE STATE '04  
BOSTON COLLEGE '83  
BYU '98 '01  
CINCINNATI '11  
COLORADO '69 '70  
COLORADO STATE '99 '00 '02  
EAST CAROLINA '94 '95 '08 '09  
FRESNO STATE '05  
GEORGIA '67 '87 '10 '16  
GEORGIA TECH '72  
HOUSTON '96 '06  
ILLINOIS '82 '94  
INDIANA '88  
IOWA STATE '72 '12 '17  
KANSAS '73  
KANSAS STATE '15 '19  
KENTUCKY '08  
LOUISVILLE '93 '00 '01 '04  
LSU '78 '85  
MARYLAND '74  
MEMPHIS '17  
MIAMI '61 '66  
MICHIGAN STATE '93  
MINNESOTA '86  
MISSISSIPPI STATE '63 '91 '07 '13 '21  
MISSOURI '78 '80 '18  
N.C. STATE '63 '67 '73  
NAVY '81 '19  
NEBRASKA '77  
NORTH CAROLINA '77  
NOTRE DAME '83  
OHIO STATE '81 '90  
OKLAHOMA STATE '18  
OLE MISS '65 '68 '89 '92  
OREGON '60  
OREGON STATE '62  
PENN STATE '59 '60 '79  
PITTSBURGH '97  
PURDUE '80  
RICE '13  
SOUTH CAROLINA '88 '06  
SOUTHERN MISS '97 '99 '03  
STANFORD '95  
SYRACUSE '61 '96  
TCU '02 '16  
TENNESSEE '71 '74 '86  
TEXAS A&M '75 '14  
TEXAS TECH '21  
TULANE '70 '79 '98  
TULSA '05 '12  
UCF '07 '10  
UCLA '76  
USC '75  
UTAH '64 '03  
VANDERBILT '11  
VILLANOVA '62  
VIRGINIA TECH '66 '68  
WEST VIRGINIA '64 '14 '20

- 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Arkansas Offensive Players and Defensive Players Press Conference. (Names TBD)  
DoubleTree Hotel Downtown -- Beale Room
- 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Kansas Offensive and Defense Coordinators Press Conference, plus Offensive Players and Defensive Players Press Conference (Names TBD)  
DoubleTree Hotel Downtown -- Beale Room
- 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Arkansas Team Welcome Party at Dave & Buster's (2751 Wolf Creek Parkway)  
**PHOTO OP ONLY**
- 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Kansas Team Welcome Party at Dave & Buster's (2751 Wolf Creek Parkway)  
**PHOTO OP ONLY**
- 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. AutoZone Liberty Bowl Pro Rodeo  
Agricenter ShowPlace Arena  
(105 South Germantown Parkway)
- 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Media Dinner at The Rendezvous (in the alley across Union Avenue from the Peabody Memphis) By Invitation Only**

**Tuesday, December 27, 2022**

- 7:15 a.m. FCA Breakfast at Hilton Memphis Hotel (939 Ridge Lake Blvd.)  
**Former Notre Dame star Rocket Ismail is the featured speaker**
- 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Media credential pick up at DoubleTree Hotel Downtown – Beale Room
- 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Arkansas head coach Sam Pittman press conference at DoubleTree Hotel Downtown – Beale Room
- 11:30 a.m. to Noon Kansas head coach Lance Leipold press conference at DoubleTree Hotel Downtown – Beale Room
- 2:00 p.m. Beale Street Parade

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| 3:30 p.m. | Bash on Beale Pep Rally at Handy Park on Beale Street (corner of Beale and B.B. King Blvd.) |
| 6:30 p.m. | President's Gala at Peabody Memphis Entertainment by Starship featuring Mickey Thomas       |

**Wednesday, December 28, 2022 (Game Day)**

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| 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.      | Media credential pick up at DoubleTree Hotel Downtown – Beale Room                                       |
| 1:00 p.m.              | Pre-Game Buffet and Party at the Pipkin and Creative Arts Buildings adjacent to the stadium.             |
| 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. | Media credential pick up at Simmons Bank Liberty Stadium press box lobby on the west side of the stadium |
|                        | Press Box Opens  |
|                        | Photographer's Work Room Opens   |
| 4:30 p.m. – Kick Off   | 64 <sup>th</sup> AutoZone Liberty Bowl<br>Kansas vs. Arkansas  |
| Post-Game              | On-field trophy presentation   |
|                        | Locker Rooms Closed  |
|                        | Press conference   |

**Photographer's Work Room on Game Day:**

The photographer's work room at Simmons Bank Liberty Stadium is located on the main concourse on the west side of the stadium. From the field, take the stairs at the southwest corner. Then take the first set of stairs up through the stands, at the top is the entrance to Sections 132/101. From there, go left. The work room is located across the concourse from the entrance to Sections 129/128 (that will be on your left) and next to the Coletta's Pizza stand on your right.

### **Post-Game Press Conference**

The post-game press conference will be held in the media room (Isaac Bruce Recruiting Room), which is located on the main concourse on the west side of the stadium. From the field, take the stairs at the southwest corner. Then take the first set of stairs up through the stands, at the top is the entrance to Sections 132/101. Looking straight ahead across the concourse, the Pronto Pup concession stand will be on the left and the media room (Isaac Bruce Recruiting Room) will be on the right.

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