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| **July 2024** | | | | | | |
| **Sunday** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
| **\*Initial Planning Stage**  **\*Outreach In Progress**  **\*Session Confirmed** | **1**  Daily Mental Health  Group Check-ins  Informal individual debriefs | **2**  \*Partners and timing potentially subject to change | **3** | **4** | **5** | **6** |
| **7** | **8**  **International Arrivals**  **Atlanta, Georgia**  Afternoon & early evening  **Check-in**  Georgia State University  Afternoon & early evening  **Program Opening Meeting**  **Mental Skills Kick-Off**  Athletes for Hope  6-8 pm | **9**  **Teambuilding**  Banning Mills  9 am-1 pm  **Action-Planning**  Athletes for Hope  3-5 pm  **Flag Football Scrimmage**  FHI 360 + Chaperones  7-8:30 pm | **10**  **Sports in Society** GSU - Lauren Beasley  10-11 am  **US Civil Rights Overview +**  **DEI Workshops 1 & 2**  National Center for  Civil & Human Rights  1-4pm  **Dinner Chat**  Albert Wilson Foundation  5-6:30 pm  **Flag Football Clinic**  Albert Wilson + Jamaal May  7-9 pm | **11**  **Civil Rights**  **Leadership Development**  The King Center  Tour and Leadership Academy  10 am-12 pm  **Morehouse College**  Andrew Young Center  1-4 pm  **Flag Football Clinic**  ATL Rage (WFA)  6:30-8 pm | **12**  **Federalism**  Jimmy Carter Presidential  Library & Museum  9am session + 10 am tour  **MLK Exhibits**  **Global Human Rights**  **Human Trafficking**  **DEI Workshops 3 & 4**  National Center for  Civil & Human Rights  1-4 pm | **13**  **Flag Football Bootcamp**  FHI 360 + Chaperones  8-10 am  **Flag Football Scrimmage**  6-8 pm  **ATL Rage Game** |
| **14**  **Mercedes-Benz Stadium**  Atlanta Falcons (NFL)  **Flag Football Bootcamp/Scrimmage**  FHI 360 + Chaperones  **Home Hospitality**  Georgia Council for International Visitors | **15**  **Check-out**  Georgia State University  **Travel to Canton, Ohio**  **Hotel check-in**  **Travel + Rest Day** | **16**  **Youngstown, Ohio**  **Excellence Training Center**  Youngstown State University  Morning  **NCAA Division 1 Football**  **No-Tackle 7v7 Football**  HIP Football + HIP MD  Afternoon | **17**  **International Flag Clinic**  RCX Sports | **18**  **NFL Flag Championships**  **Check-in + Fan Fest**  RCX Sports  **Tournament Preparation**  FHI 360 + Chaperones  **Opening Ceremony - NFL Flag Championships**  8-10pm | **19**  **Cultural Activity**  Pro-Football Hall of Fame  **NFL Flag Championships**  RCX Sports/(Dr. Jen Welter) | **20**  **NFL Flag Championships**  RCX Sports/(Dr. Jen Welter)  **Cultural Activity**  Cleveland Guardians (MLB) |
| **21**  **Intro to Sports Psych /**  **Women in Football**  Dr. Jen Welter  **Program Closing Meeting**  **Mental Skills Send-Off** | **22**  **International Departures**  **Ohio** |  |  |  |  |  |

**PROGRAM OBJECTIVES**

* **Civic Engagement / Civil Rights / Positive Youth Development / Youth Leadership / Empowerment of Women & Girls**
* **Monterrey proposal focuses**
  + Civic Engagement & Leadership
  + Awareness about study opportunities at U.S. universities and to increase the number of Mexican students in the U.S.
  + Increase local access to education and health, and the reduction of the root causes of crime, poverty and low economic development.
* **Luanda proposal focuses**
  + Advance domestic stability and contribute to peace and security regionally
  + Sustainable growth and development, by means of providing inclusive opportunities for women and young men from underserved communities
  + Sports as lever for dialogue and creativity 🡪 storytelling?
  + Entrepreneurship, such as young women training for business management and startups support.
  + Adaptive sports and ADA values
  + Combatting human trafficking

**ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

* **Lodging**:
  + Georgia State University
    - Availability for our dates confirmed
    - [Former Olympic village housing](file:///C:\Users\mwilcox\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.Outlook\ABO4I18J\%09https:\www.tours.vividmediany.com\3d-model\piedmont-north-b-shared\fullscreen\)
  + Clark Atlanta University
    - Email sent on 1.31.24
    - Never responded after follow-up emails
  + Georgia Tech University (no availability)
* **Ground transportation**
  + Reached out on 3/11/2024
    - Southeastern Stages
    - MTI Limos
    - Falcon Charter
* **First Week Programming Ideas:**
  + Sports Nutrition / sports performance
    - ATL Falcons
    - GSU Football
  + First Aid Training
    - Red Cross - $69.00/person
* **Sports Partners:**
  + **Atlanta Falcons** 
    - Non-contact / flag football clinic
  + ATL Red Devils
    - Local girls flag football club – reached out to try to set up clinic / collaborative training / scrimmage / cultural hospitality
    - <https://www.atlreddevils.com/Default.aspx?tabid=2753378>
  + [ATL Rage](https://atlrage.com/)
    - Local professional women’s tackle football team - reached out to try to set up clinic / collaborative training / scrimmage / cultural hospitality
    - [Women’s Football Alliance](https://wfaprofootball.com/)
      * <https://wfaprofootball.com/national-championship-23/> - 2023 National Championships were in Canton, OH @ Hall of Fame Village; checking to see if there are similar plans this summer
  + Flag Football Bootcamp
    - Sat July 13/Sun July 14 @ GSU (or nearby field)
    - 2-a-days
      * Morning: Team Stretch / Positional / Agility / Technical
        + Scrimmages
      * Lunch break / cultural or other activity mid-day
      * Leadership/Coaching doctrine w/ coaches
      * Evening: Scrimmage w/ coaches coaching
* **Mental Skills Kick Off/Closing Sessions:**
* Doc Wayne
* Train the Mind
* **Sports & Society**
* [Georgia State University – Center for Sport and Urban Policy (CSUP)](https://education.gsu.edu/kh/khresearchoutreach/center-for-sport-and-urban-policy/)
  + Reached out via web form, 1.24.24
* Georgia State University – KH 2460 Sport & Society course
* **Civil Rights**
* [National Center for Civil & Human Rights](https://www.civilandhumanrights.org/) (NCCHR)
  + Guided group tours
  + Initiatives:
    - [Truth & Transformation](https://www.civilandhumanrights.org/truth-and-transformation-initiative/)
      * 2 focuses:
        + Designing and building memorials about convict labor at Bellwood Quarry and the Chattahoochee Brick Company
        + A civic engagement effort focused on commemorating the racial terror inflicted upon the victims of The Atlanta Race Massacre of 1906.
    - [DEI Workshops](https://www.civilandhumanrights.org/dei-experiences/)
      * “Our DEI workshops are customized for companies, government offices, nonprofits and educational institutions in three formats: onsite attendance at The Center in downtown Atlanta, in your company’s place of work, or virtually through facilitator‑led programs”
    - [Human Trafficking](https://www.civilandhumanrights.org/human-trafficking/) (listed as focus-area in Angola embassy proposal)
      * The International Human Trafficking Institute (IHTI), an initiative hosted by the Center from 2018-2021, leveraged the collective efforts of private, public, educational, faith-based, and civic organizations to accelerate efforts to address human trafficking. IHTI served as a convener and conduit for research, advocacy, and resources.
* [United States Civil Rights Trail - Atlanta](https://civilrightstrail.com/destination/atlanta/)
  + [The King Center](https://thekingcenter.org/)
    - Guided tours
    - [The Beloved Community Leadership](https://thekingcenter.org/leadership-academy/) Academy
      * The Beloved Community Leadership Academy is committed to developing the next generation of compassionate, courageous, conscientious, nonviolent leaders who think critically in solving pressing world issues
      * The program focuses on leadership and character development, entrepreneurship and 21st-century innovation.
    - [Students with King](https://thekingcenter.org/what-we-do/students-with-king/)
      * The King Center’s flagship engagement platform for Elementary, Middle, and High School students. Offering a series of dynamic and inspirational programming, this initiative aims to empower teachers to bring the King Legacy into the classrooms while providing student-centered programming that supports literacy development, character-building, and social-emotional learning objectives
    - Martin Luther King Jr. National Historical Park
      * Childhood home, Ebenezer Baptist Church, Prince Hall Masonic Temple building
  + [African American Panoramic Experience (APEX) Museum](https://www.apexmuseum.org/)
    - The APEX Museum is the oldest Black History Museum located in the city of Atlanta.
    - The mission of the APEX Museum is to interpret and present history from an African American perspective to help all Americans and international visitors better understand and appreciate the contributions of African Americans to America and the world.
    - Admission $12 adults; $8 students
* **Action Planning Workshops**
* Georgia State University
  + - [GSU Entrepreneurship & Innovation Institute](https://eni.gsu.edu/)
* Emory University
* **Leadership Workshops**
  + NCCHR – DEI workshop sessions include DEI leadership component
  + The King Center – see above
  + Spelman College (HBCU)
    - [Women of Excellence Leadership at Spelman](https://www.spelman.edu/student-life/leads-at-spelman/women-of-excellence-leadership-series)  (WELS
      * The WELS program is designed to feed the need for dedicated ethical, articulate, solution-oriented leaders, in the world community. Through WELS, students experience leadership and professional training typical for professional women. This seven-week course is designed to be of most benefit for women currently in their junior and senior year of college. Students involved in the program experience leadership development and professional training from national experts, noted faculty, and prominent corporate partners.
* **Civic Engagement / Federalism Sessions**
  + [Jimmy Carter Presidential Library & Museum](https://www.jimmycarterlibrary.gov/)
    - Admission for K-12 student/youth groups is FREE, with one free adult chaperone per five students
    - Federalism Education Options:
      * Civic Literacy: Article II & The Presidency
      * Civic Literacy: How a Bill Becomes a Law
      * Voting Rights & the Constitution
      * The Bill of Rights
* **Volunteer Activity**
  + Habitat for Humanity (President Jimmy Carter/ATL connection)
  + Athletes for Hope (Atlanta, GA)
* **Team-Building Activity**
  + [Historic Banning Mills](https://historicbanningmills.com/team-building/) – booked
    - Ropes Course (approximately 50 min drive from Atlanta)
* **Cultural Activities**
  + Home hospitality / community meal
  + Mercedes-Benz Stadium tour
  + College Football Hall of Fame
  + Atlanta Zoo
* **University Visits**
* Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech)
* Georgia State University
* Spelman College (HBCU)
* Morehouse College (HBCU)
* Emory University

**CANTON/CLEVELAND/YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO**

* **Lodging**
  + **RCX Sports** connected us with their partner hotel block @ Pro Football Hall of Fame / Canton, OH
    - Hotel info forthcoming
  + Reached out to:
    - DoubleTree Canton Downtown on 3.7.24
    - Holiday Inn Canton on 3.7.24
    - Courtyard Marriott Canton on 3.7.24
  + GSA rate for Canton, Ohio in July 2024 = $116/night
* **Ground transportation**
  + Reached out on 3/11/2024
    - Baron Bus
    - Anderson Coach and Travel
    - Blue Lakes Charter
* **Sports Partners**
  + **RCX Sports NFL Flag Championships: July 19-21**
    - Will form an alternative bracket in American U18 Girls division & play games against eliminated teams



* + - RCX will help us to connect ahead of time w/ US teams so we can organize dinners, meet & greets, etc.
    - Working to help connect us with Cleveland Browns
    - Will attend all tournament add-on content from RCX Sports
    - There will be a U14 boys Mexico team on the international bracket – we will work to connect with them
    - Will be in audience for nationally/internationally televised games

Tournament field locations at Hall of Fame Village:

2333 17th St NW, Canton, OH 44708

ForeverLawn Sports Complex

https://www.hofvillage.com/

* + [**Head Impact Prevention (HIP) Football**](https://hipfootball.com/) **+ HIP MD**
    - **Tim Johnson (6-year NFL player, retired)** 
      * **Director of Player Personnel** - Youngstown State University Football
      * [**HIP Football**](https://hipfootball.com/)
        + 11 v 11 no-tackle/2 hand touch football training for youth to promote brain health
      * **HIP MD**
        + Working to create next generation safe soft-shell helmets to prevent/minimize brain injuries in football
    - **Tuesday, July 16: Full day at Youngstown State University confirmed**
      * Arrive 9:30 am – start at ~10
        + Admissions
        + [Excellence Training Center](https://ysu.edu/excellence-training-center) – vocational skills training programs; workforce development
      * Observe YSU Football pre-season preparations (players + coaches)
      * Lunch on campus
      * Youngstown State Indoor Football Facility
        + 7v7 modified HIP Football training clinic
      * HIP MD overview/progress
      * Leave campus early evening/get dinner nearby
* **University Visits**
* Youngstown State University
* Vocational programs + Admissions (see above)
  + Cleveland State University
    - [Office of Civic Engagement](https://levin.csuohio.edu/oce/office-of-civic-engagement)
* University of Akron
* Kent State University
* **Cultural Activities**
* RCX Sports – Activities associated with NFL Flag Championships
* Fan Fest + additional activities TBD
* Pro Football Hall of Fame (Canton, OH)
* $45/ticket – seeing if we can get discount or free admission thru RCX Sports/NFL Flag
* Rock & Roll Hall of Fame – Cleveland
* $25/ticket group discount
* Cleveland Guardians (MLB)
* Home games July 19 & 20 @ 7:10 pm
* Reached out for group sales ticket prices
* **Volunteering**
* [United Way of Stark County](https://www.uwstark.org/)
* [Young Leaders Society (YLS)](https://www.uwstark.org/how-to-give/donor-networks/young-leaders-society/)
  + YLS is a group of passionate young professionals (age 35 and under) who come together to educate, engage and inspire students across Greater Stark County. We harness our time and talents through mentorship, fundraising and volunteerism to activate education initiatives and build a better community.