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Eagles to open camp March 11 and then hold the spring game April 12

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YPSILANTI, Mich. (EMU Eagles.com) – The Eastern Michigan University football program returns to the turf for its first spring practice today, March 11, at 3:30 p.m. The session kicks off a string of 15 practice dates during a five-week period that culminates with the program's annual spring football game Saturday, April 12.

During the spring practice period, the Eagles will be the field each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. All practices are open to the public but please note that times are subject to change.

A coaches' chalk talk will be held on Saturday, April 5, beginning at 9 a.m. The free event will feature an introduction from first-year Head Coach Chris Creighton along with a chance to watch practice as well as a post practice chalk talk with position coaches. More information and registration are available by e-mailing Director of Football Operations Jacob Kirkendall at jkirken1@emich.edu.

Depending on the weather, practices will take place either in Rynearson Stadium or in the Multi-Purpose Indoor Facility.

The Spring Game will be a capper for the practice period as Creighton and his staff will put on a full-squad scrimmage for Eagle fans inside Rynearson Stadium. Details, events and promotions surrounding the game are
forthcoming.

Below is a full schedule for this year's spring practices (times are subject to change):

PRACTICE 1: Tuesday, March 11 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 2: Thursday, March 13 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 3: Saturday, March 15 - 10 a.m.-Noon
PRACTICE 4: Tuesday, March 18 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 5: Thursday, March 20 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 6: Saturday, March 22 - 10 a.m.-Noon
PRACTICE 7: Tuesday, March 25 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 8: Thursday, March 27 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 9: Saturday, March 29 - 6-8 p.m.
PRACTICE 10: Tuesday, April 1 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 11: Thursday, April 3 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 12: Saturday, April 5 - 10 a.m.-Noon
PRACTICE 13: Tuesday, April 8 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 14: Thursday, April 10 - 3:30-5:30 p.m.
PRACTICE 15: Saturday April 12 - Spring Game - 6 p.m.

EMUeagles.com, the official web site of Eastern Michigan Athletics, will be providing in-depth coverage of the football program's spring practices with practice reports, audio interviews and video highlights.