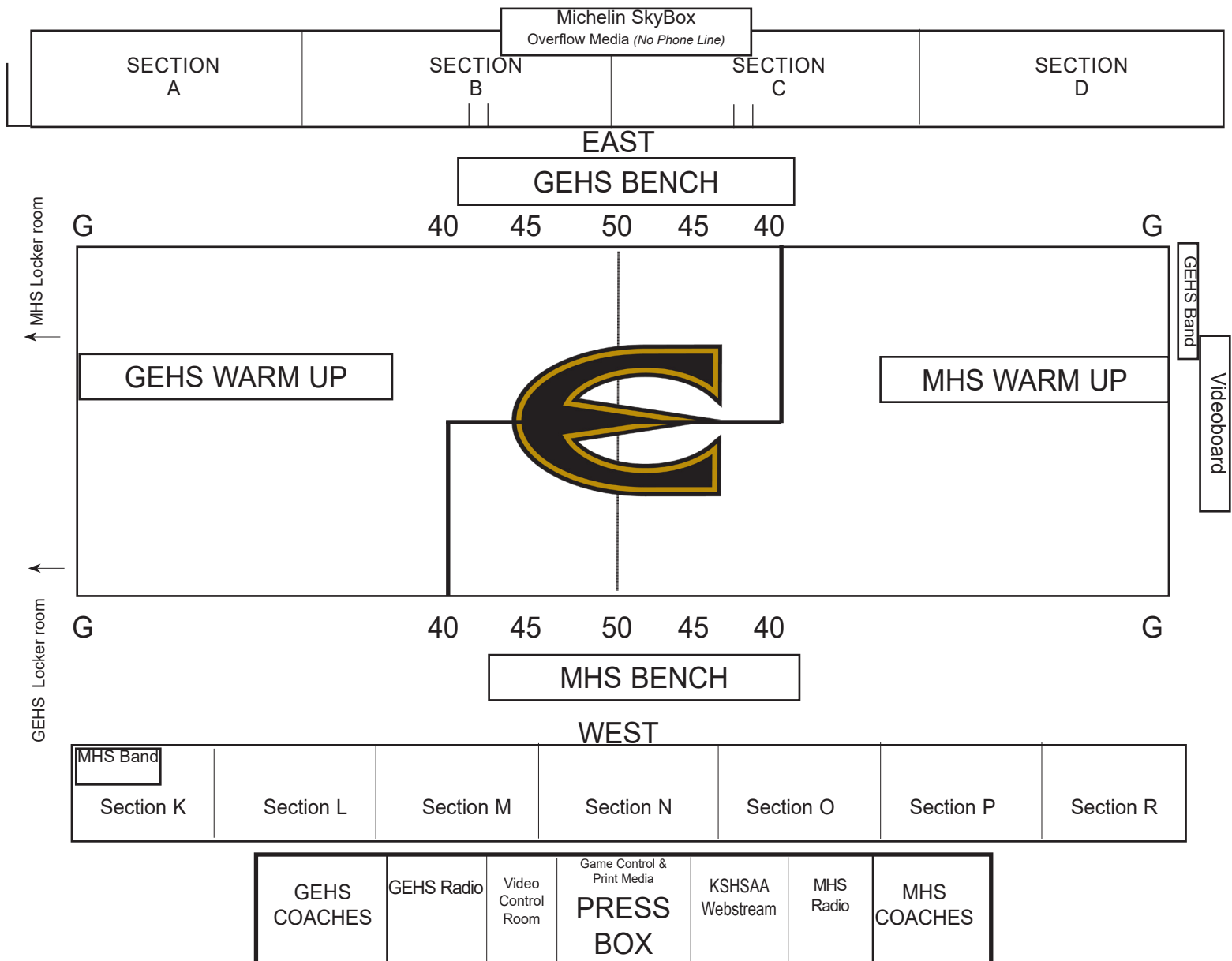




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KSHSAA CLASS 6A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME Manhattan HS (12-0) vs. Gardner-Edgerton HS (9-3) JONES FIELD AT WELCH STADIUM • EMPORIA, KAN. November 26, 2022 • 1:00 p.m.



VIDEO TAPING ON ROOF OF PRESS BOX OR FROM YOUR COACHES' BOX
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General Information for Football**Facility**

Jones Field at Francis G. Welch Stadium on the Emporia State University Campus at the I-35 and K-99 junction. Playing surface is Super Turf artificial surface. The best street address to use for an internet map service is 1701 Wooster Drive for team bus unloading and 1620 Morse Road for the Hutchinson Pavilion.

Lockerrooms and Team Parking

Both teams will unload on the northeast corner of Welch Stadium. The best street address to use for GPS is 1701 Wooster Drive. ESU Police & Safety will assist in parking.

Manhattan HS will be in the Emporia State locker room located at the northeast corner of Welch Stadium.

Gardner-Edgerton HS will be in the visitors locker room is located in at the northwest corner of Welch Stadium inside the HPER Building.

Bench Assignment

Manhattan HS bench is on the west side of Welch Stadium, the same as the Hutchinson Family Pavilion.

Gardner-Edgerton HS bench is on the east side of Welch Stadium, opposite of the Hutchinson Family Pavilion.

Warm-up

Manhattan HS will warm up on the south end of the stadium.

Gardner-Edgerton HS will warm up on the north end of stadium.

National Anthem

Manhattan HS will be given first option to perform national anthem.

Field Passes

Each team will be issued field passes for coaching, training and other personnel not in football uniform.

Radio

Located on the third floor of the Hutchinson Family Pavilion. Contact Emporia State Associate Athletic Director for Media Relations, Don Weast at (620) 344-6190 or dweast@emporia.edu.

Filming

Teams may film from the roof of the Pavilion. Access is through the third floor media center.

Field Phones

Schools will provide their own as per KSHSAA policy.

Pre-Game Information

10:00 a.m.		Stadium Secured; Locker Rooms available to teams
11:00 a.m.		Ticket sales open; Stadium open to fans
11:30 a.m.		Administrative Meeting in Sauder President's Box; Officials/Clock Operators Meeting
11:30 a.m.		Field is open to teams
12:44 p.m.	16:00	Welcome
12:45 p.m.	15:00	Introduction of Officials
12:46 p.m.	14:00	Gardner-Edgerton HS Introductions (Recorded)
12:50 p.m.	10:00	Manhattan HS Introductions (Recorded)
12:54 p.m.	06:00	National Anthem
12:57 p.m.	03:00	Coin Toss
1:00 p.m.	00:00	Line-up for kick-off

Halftime

	Clock Time	Action
	20:00	Clock starts
	19:00	Gardner-Edgerton HS performance time
	11:00	Gardner-Edgerton HS clears field
	10:30	Manhattan HS performance time
	02:30	Manhattan HS clears field
	00:00	Add-time
added time	03:00	Team warm-ups
	00:00	Line-up for second half kick-off

Marching Bands

Must be granted approval in advance. All Marching Band members must be in uniform. Pep bands may not exceed 50 members.

Officials

Assigned by KSHSAA.

Game Ball

Wilson NFHS-approved footballs must be used in all state championship games.

Medical Information

Ambulance in stadium is on call for other emergencies.

Athletic Trainer

ESU emergency equipment available upon request. GA and student trainers may be on hand for emergency help
Water and ice provided at bench and locker room.

Statistics

Provided in press box after each quarter, halftime and after game and to teams at halftime and after game by
Athletic Media Relations. Complete packet should be available within 20 minutes of the conclusion of the game.

Ticket Information (Single Game)

All General Admission \$10

Can be purchased in advance at <https://gofan.co/app/events/739912?schoolId=KSHSAA>

Press Passes

Issued through KSHSAA and regulated on site by ESU Assistant Athletic Director for Media Relations.

Security

Emporia State Police and Safety.

Other Information

Modifications to these procedures or new information will be given to the coach on arrival at stadium.

Emergency Information

In anticipation of your visit to Emporia and Welch Stadium, we would like to share with you some important and helpful information. It is our intent that this information will allow you to plan your visit accordingly and be better prepared in the event of an emergency situation.

Expected Weather

Mostly sunny skies; Daytime high 58; Winds out of the WSW at 10-15 mph.

Weather Monitoring

Prior to and during the course of the game, weather is monitored on-site by Emergency Management, University Police, and certified athletic training staff. Recommended best practices are employed by Emporia State University for all sporting events and suspension of play and cancellations will be addressed with the safety of the student athletes in mind.

Please familiarize yourself with the following information relating to specific procedures and how you will be contacted should an emergency occur during your visit.

Lightning / Weather Delays

Lightning is the most consistent and significant weather hazard that may affect intercollegiate athletics or other outdoor activities. Emporia State University's directive is to suspend or terminate on field activities when approaching lightning comes within 8 miles of Welch Stadium. The duration of the evacuation shall not be less than 30 minutes after the last lightning occurrence within 8 miles. (The notification distance may be increased depending on the number of attendees, time of day, and the speed of approaching weather conditions.)

Shelter Locations

Should it become necessary to seek shelter, please utilize the locker room facilities your team has been assigned upon arrival to Welch Stadium. This area has been identified as possessing the necessary capabilities to support proper shelter operations for your needs.

Evacuation Routes

From your location on or off the field, please return to your assigned locker room which can be accessed from the Northwest corner of Welch Stadium. Once you are informed of the decision to evacuate, it is important that you do not delay in returning to this area, but please do so in a safe and orderly manner.

Event Emergency Notification

Information is critical in any emergency event. University officials will communicate with you in a variety of different ways and attempt to provide you with the most up-to-date and accurate information available at the time. Depending on the nature of the event, you may receive communication through any of the following: Stadium Public Address System, Law Enforcement Officials, Game Officials, Athletic Department Officials, Team Liaisons and live radio broadcast.

Emergency Contacts

All Emergencies 9-1-1 or 9-9-1-1 from ESU Landlines

Newman Regional Medical Center - 620-343-6800 ER Ex. 1008

ESU Police Department - 620-341-5337

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Post-game

Runner up trophy & medals presented (North end of field)

State Championship trophy & medals presented (South end of field)

OTHER NOTES:

Emporia State Suite and Theater Seat holders have right of first refusal on use of their seats, but must buy a ticket to the game.

Theater Seat holders will be moved to Sauder Family President's Box on second floor.

Bank of America Theater Seats: Worker hospitality

East Side Skybox: Overflow media (NO PHONE LINES OR HARD WIRED INTERNET ACCESS)



HORNET FOOTBALL

GAMEDAY MAP





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Emporia Restaurant and Hotel List

Preferred vendors are listed first, bolded, and highlighted.

FAST FOOD	PIZZA	FAMILY RESTAURANTS
Taco Bell	Gambino's Pizza	Bruff's Bar & Grill
1407 W 6th Ave (620) 341-7990	1003 Industrial Rd (620) 343-9114	2640 W 18th Ave (620) 342-1223
2807 Eaglecrest Dr (620) 342-8545	Pizza Ranch	IHOP
Freddy's Frozen Custard	3000 W 18th Ave (620) 343-8646	2831 W 18th Ave (620) 412-9586
1400 W 6th Ave (620) 341-9009	Little Caesars Pizza	Applebee's Grill & Bar
Braum's Ice Cream & Burger	1014 Commercial (620) 343-5900	2901 Eaglecrest Dr (620) 343-0000
1028 W 6th Ave (620) 343-2951	Pizza Hut	Radius Brewing Company
2120 Industrial (620) 340-1080	2920 W 18th Ave (620) 343-3756	610 Merchant St (620) 208-4677
McDonald's	Domino's	El Lorito
1202 W 6th Ave (620) 342-9325	2326 Industrial Rd (620) 341-9411	2144 US-50 (620) 324-7547
2810 W 18th Ave (620) 342-9444		Billy Sims Barbecue
Sonic Drive-In		737 W 6th Ave (620) 341-9919
1101 W 6th Ave (620) 342-8875	SUBS/DELI	Bobby D's Merchant St. BBQ
Arby's	Subway	607 Merchant St (620) 342-1990
2711 W US-50 (620) 342-6322	1128 Merchant St (620) 343-2907	Do-B's Burgers & Philly's
Burger King	935 Industrial (620) 343-7012	704 E 12th Ave (620) 342-7294
2725 W 18th Ave (785) 214-5705	Planet Sub	Casa Ramos
Spangles	2715 Candlewood (620) 343-1660	707 Commercial (620) 340-0640
2708 W 18th Ave (620) 342-2888	Goodcents	Mi Chavelita Mexican Grill
KFC	1004 E 12th Ave (620) 343-3100	1120 Commercial (620) 208-6060
2613 Candlewood (620) 343-9999	Jimmy John's	
Wendy's	726 Commercial (620) 342-0000	
1928 W 6th Ave (620) 412-2300		
	HOTELS	
Comfort Inn & Suites	Gufler Mansion Bed & Breakfast	Super 8
2921 W 18th Ave (480) 725-1625	612 W 12th Ave (970) 582-0207	2913 W US-50 (620) 342-7567
La Quinta Inn & Suites	Hampton Inn	Knights Inn & Suites
2930 Eaglecrest (620) 342-4445	2911 W 18th Ave (620) 412-9040	3183 W US-50 (620) 342-7822
MainStay Suites	Best Western	America's Best Inn
2602 Candlewood (620) 343-7756	2836 W 18th Ave (480) 386-9523	3181 W US-50 (620) 342-7820
Holiday Inn Express		Econo Lodge
3007 W 18th Ave (620) 343-1111		2511 W 18th Ave (620) 343-7750



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NOTE THAT BOTH THE HOME AND VISITOR TEAMS WILL UNLOAD AT THE SPOT MARKED VISITING TEAM UNLOAD SPOT.

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1200 Commercial
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Weast Cell Phone	(620) 344-6190
Weast E-Mail	dwest@emporia.edu

Press Box Phone	
Welch Stadium	(620) 341-5020

A courtesy internet line for one visiting radio station per team will be provided. Priority is given to the station that regularly broadcasts your schools events.

High Speed Internet

There are several high speed internet lines available in the ESB Media Center. Wireless internet is also available. Check with Weast on game day on how to access.

Credentials

All media members must be registered with the KSHSAA. Please have your primary media providers contact Don Weast to assure a spot in the press box.

Game Services

A media packet including a game program is available to the media before the game. During the game, hard copies of statistics will be distributed after each quarter. Complete play-by-play, scoring summary, and team and individual statistics will be available following the game.

Due to a change in stats programs by the NCAA there will be no live stats available for this game.