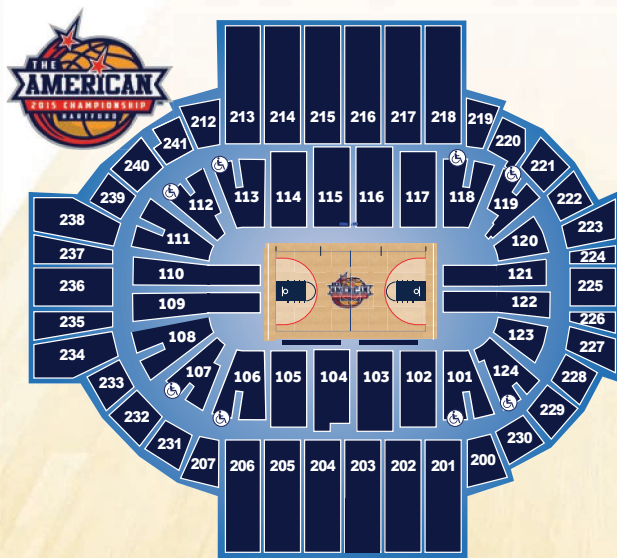


## XL Center Seating Chart



## Schedule of Events

### 2015 American Athletic Conference Championship

#### Thursday, March 12 • First Round • Session 1

No. 9 seed vs No. 8 seed	3:30 pm
No. 10 seed vs No. 7 seed	6:00 pm
No. 11 seed vs No. 6 seed	8:00 pm

#### Friday, March 13 • Quarterfinals • Session 2

9/8 winner vs No. 1 seed	Noon
No. 5 seed vs No. 4 seed	2:00 pm

#### Friday, March 13 • Quarterfinals • Session 3

10/7 winner vs No. 2 seed	7:00 pm
11/6 winner vs No. 3 seed	9:00 pm

#### Saturday, March 14 • Semifinals • Session 4

Quarterfinal winners	3:00 pm
Quarterfinal winners	5:00 pm

#### Sunday, March 15 • Championship • Session 5

Semifinal winners	3:15 pm
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## Fan Fest

Hours: Fri. 11:00 am-9:00 pm; Sat. 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm;  
Sun. 12:00 pm- 3:00 pm

Located in the **Exhibition Hall** of the XL Center and **free** and open to the public. Highlights include:

- The Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame- Features memorabilia that detail the history of the sport of basketball
- Half Court Challenge- Test your basketball skills against fellow fans for a chance to win prizes
- Kid's Zone- Basketball inflatables, sign making, and activities for kids of all ages.
- Taste of The American- Specialty menu items from each of the participating universities' hometowns.
- Man Cave and Game Room- Lounge area featuring multiple TVs, games, and more.
- Beer Garden- Features a full-size trailer bar for the ultimate tailgating experience.
- Don't forget to check out our photo booth, First Alert Weather Center, Sports Desk, Social Media hub, giveaways, and much more.

## Championship Pep Rally

**Sunday, March 15- 1:00 pm**

Join your fellow fans and cheer on the top two teams as they compete for The American title. The event features appearances by each university's bands, cheerleaders, and mascots and will take place on the court in Fan Fest.

## Greater Hartford St. Patrick's Day Parade

**Saturday, March 14- 11:00 am**

The Greater Hartford St. Patrick's Day Parade begins at the State Capitol, proceeds to Main Street and ends on Asylum Street. Visit [Hartford.com](http://Hartford.com) for more information.



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### Directions

Due to the St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 14th, the Hartford Parking Authority and Police Department have implemented specific traffic and parking plans for those visiting the XL Center. Patrons will be required to follow their instructions and park in designated areas associated with which highway direction you travel. Hartford Ambassadors will be stationed throughout the city to provide assistance and answer questions.

#### I-91 South-

Take I-91 South to Exit 32B (Trumbull Street)

#### I-91 North-

Take I-91 North to Exit 32B (Trumbull Street)

#### I-84 East-

Take I-84 East to Exit 49 (Ann Uccello Street)

#### I-84 West-

### Parking & Transportation

Parking in the city of Hartford will be \$6 in designated surface lots and garages. Present your ticket stub or wear your favorite university's gear to receive the discount. The map above highlights the preferred parking locations for Saturday, March 14. Additional parking will be available throughout the city for the duration of the event. Visit [XLCenter.com](http://XLCenter.com) for more information.



dash Shuttle, CTTRANSIT's free circulator bus in downtown Hartford, departing every 15 minutes from the XL Center.

It's easy to catch the dash. The shuttle route connects the XL Center, the Connecticut Convention Center, the Riverfront, the CT Science Center, the Arts and Entertainment District, various restaurants, and downtown hotels.

\*The dash will have a modified schedule and route on Saturday, March 14 due to the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Please visit [hartford.com/get-around/](http://hartford.com/get-around/)

\* Specific traffic maps located on [XLCenter.com](http://XLCenter.com)

Show your Ticket Stub or Credential to receive 15% off food at these locations.

\*Does not include alcohol, tax, or gratuity.

### SCHOOL FAN BASES

#### Arch Street Tavern

85 Arch St.  
860-246-7610

A



#### Bear's Smokehouse BBQ

89 Arch St.  
860-724-3100

B



#### Black Bear Saloon

187 Allyn St.  
860-524-8888

C



#### Black-eyed Sally's

350 Asylum St.  
860-278-7427

D



#### Burger Baby

238 Asylum St.  
860-241-1155

E



#### City Steam Brewery Cafe

942 Main St.  
860-525-1600

F



#### Hot Tomato's

One Union Place  
860-249-5100

G



#### Sorella

901 Main St.  
860-244-9084

H



#### The Russian Lady

191 Ann Uccello St.  
860-247-5239

I



#### The Tavern Downtown

201 Ann Uccello St.  
860-524-9990

J



#### Vaughan's Public House

59 Pratt St.  
860-882-1560

K



### Hotels

1 Radisson Hotel Hartford- (860) 549-2400

2 Homewood Suites by Hilton- (860) 524-0223

3 Hilton Hartford- (860) 728-5151

4 Residence Inn by Marriott- (860) 524-5550

5 Marriott Hartford Downtown- (860) 249-8000