

## Crawdads Release 2014 Schedule

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The Hickory Crawdads have released their 2014 schedule, highlighted by the 55th South Atlantic League All-Star Game in Hickory on June 17th. The Crawdads kick off the home portion of their schedule on Thursday, April 10th against the in-state rival Asheville Tourists. The 'Dads 22nd season will begin with Opening Day on the road on Thursday, April 3rd in Greensboro. The 2014 schedule showcases Crawdads home games over both Memorial Day and the 4th of July, and will include 9 Fireworks Fridays.

The 'Dads will see plenty of the rival Kannapolis Intimidators, with the two squads scheduled to play 24 times, 17 of those contests in the first half. The Crawdads will also play their other in-state opponents, the Greensboro Grasshoppers and Asheville Tourists, 16 and 7 times respectively.

The schedule will once again feature the Crawdads in the SAL Northern Division and will be comprised of 140 games, 70 per half. The two halves will be split by the All-Star break from June 16 - 18, including the 3rd ever All-Star Game in Hickory.

A breakdown of all the Crawdads opponents in 2014 includes:

### **vs. Northern Division - 84 (42H, 42A)**

vs. Delmarva - 15 (8H, 7A)  
vs. Greensboro - 16 (8H, 8A)  
vs. Hagerstown - 9 (6H, 3A)  
vs. Kannapolis - 24 (10H, 14A)  
vs. Lakewood - 10 (3H, 7A)  
vs. West Virginia - 10 (7H, 3A)

### **vs. Southern Division - 56 (28H, 28A)**

vs. Asheville - 7 (4H, 3A)  
vs. Augusta - 7 (4H, 3A)  
vs. Charleston - 13 (7H, 6A)  
vs. Greenville - 8 (4H, 4A)  
vs. Lexington - 6 (6H, 0A)  
vs. Rome - 8 (0H, 8A)  
vs. Savannah - 7 (3H, 4A)