

World Series Champion Houston Astros Among Top Opponents During 2018 Braves Spring Training Action at ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex at Disney

Astros' visit on March 8 part of 18-game home schedule that begins Feb. 26; Other marquee opponents include the Yankees, Cardinals, Marlins and Nationals; Single-game tickets on sale Dec. 11

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (Nov. 20, 2017) – The World Series Champion Houston Astros are among several of the top teams in Major League Baseball who will battle the Atlanta Braves when the club's 2018 Spring Training workouts begin at ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex.

The Braves' spring schedule also includes multiple showdowns with the legendary New York Yankees and Washington Nationals, both of which reached the playoffs this past season. The Yankees come to town March 9 and 24, and the Nationals make two appearances, opening the Braves' home schedule on February 26 and returning on March 1.

The Astros, who won their first World Series title in the team's 56-year history and celebrated it afterwards with a magical parade at Magic Kingdom Park, take on the Braves at Champion Stadium in an afternoon contest on March 8.

Other key games include the St. Louis Cardinals (March 3 and 17) and the Miami Marlins (March 4) and their new ownership group led by baseball legend Derek Jeter. In all, the Braves will play 18 home games at Disney, its spring training home since 1997.

Disney character appearances and special moments such as kids running the bases after every game are some of the in-game entertainment opportunities that make Braves spring training at Disney a unique experience.

Individual spring training game tickets go on sale Dec. 11 at www.espnwwos.com/braves, through Ticketmaster outlets (800-745-3000) and at ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex Box Office. Tickets range from \$15 (general admission berm seating in left field) to \$59 (lower level reserved seats).

Information on Braves spring training season tickets, suite/hospitality, group tickets and mini-plans is available by calling the premium sales team at (407) 939-GAME (4263) and online at www.espnwwos.com/braves. The popular mini-plans will be available again this season, featuring three three-game options.

2018 Atlanta Braves Spring Training Home Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Monday, February 26	Washington Nationals	1:05 p.m.
Tuesday, February 27	Pittsburgh Pirates	1:05 p.m.
Wednesday, February 28	New York Mets	1:05 p.m.
Thursday, March 1	Washington Nationals	1:05 p.m.
Saturday, March 3	St. Louis Cardinals	1:05 p.m.
Sunday March 4	Miami Marlins	1:05 p.m.
Monday, March 5	Pittsburgh Pirates	1:05 p.m.
Thursday, March 8	Houston Astros	1:05 p.m.
Friday, March 9	New York Yankees	6:05 p.m.
Monday, March 12	Philadelphia Phillies	6:05 p.m.
Tuesday, March 13	Toronto Blue Jays	1:05 p.m.
Wednesday, March 14	Philadelphia Phillies	1:05 p.m.
Thursday, March 15	Detroit Tigers	1:05 p.m.
Saturday, March 17	St. Louis Cardinals	1:05 p.m.
Monday, March 19	Toronto Blue Jays	1:05 p.m.
Wednesday, March 21	Detroit Tigers	6:05 p.m.
Friday, March 23	Detroit Tigers	1:05 p.m.
Saturday, March 24	New York Yankees	1:05 p.m.

All dates, times and opponents are subject to change.