ST. JOSEPH MO. – As Chiefs fans prepare to attend the 2016 Kansas City Chiefs Training Camp presented by Mosaic Life Care July 30 – August 18, the following logistical information will be helpful for those coming to Missouri Western State University in St. Joseph.

PRACTICE TIMES

With the exception of the opening practice of camp on Saturday, July 30 which will begin at 3:30 PM, the remaining 14 public practices will be held during the morning hours. All remaining practices will begin at 8:15 AM with the exception of August 3, 8 & 17 in which practice will begin at 9:15 AM. Most practices will last approximately three hours in length. For a complete list of dates & times, please visit the Chiefs website at chiefs.com.

CAMP PARKING

Once again this year, all fans coming to MWSU for Chiefs Training Camp will be directed to park in Lot H which is the closest proximity to the practice fields at Spratt Stadium. A $5.00, cash only, daily fee will be charged per car while buses and RV's will be admitted to the lot for $15.00. For fans that desire to use a credit or debit card, daily parking may be purchased in advance on-line at gogriffons.com. For fans that plan to attend camp on multiple days, MWSU will offer a season parking pass for $35 that may be purchased in Looney Complex 229 between the hours of 8 AM - 4:30 PM Monday - Friday.

Lot H will open two hours prior to the scheduled practice time on the opening day of camp and 1 hour and 45 minutes prior to practice time the remainder of camp.

Fans are encouraged to use the McCarthy Drive entrance (north end of lot) for admittance to Lot H as this is the same proximity to the main camp entrance and tends to be quicker entry into the parking lot.

In an overflow situation, cars will be directed to Lot J (in front of Looney Complex) and Lot K (in front of Popplewell Hall).

Handicap parking will once again be located in front of Baker Fitness Center. Cars with hang tags will be directed to the first 60 spots immediately in front of the center in which shuttle cart transportation will be available to the camp entrance for those needing assistance. In the event handicap parking fills in Lot H, cars we will be directed to available spaces in Lot I (lot in front of Spratt Stadium).

FAN ASSISTANCE

Shuttle cart transportation will be available for those fans needing assistance to and from the camp entrance. The pick-up point will be in the handicapped parking area in front of Baker Fitness Center with drop off being at the arch way outside the main gate.

CAMP ENTRANCE

With the completion of construction of the stadium portion of Spratt Stadium and the continued work on the new video board, fans coming to camp this season will enter the southeast corner field gate (by Baker Fitness Center) and proceed along the walk way to the practice fields accordingly.

SEATING

Once again this season, all practices will be conducted on the Mosaic Life Care grass practice fields in which seating is available for approximately 2,200 fans. In addition, fans are permitted to sit on the hill in front of the VIP tents and ample standing room is also available.

PAID ADMISSION DAYS

An admission fee of $5.00 per person will be charged on Saturday, July 30 and American Family Fun Day on Saturday, August 6. Children 3 and under will be admitted free.

Fans are encouraged to buy tickets in presale on-line at gogriffons.com.Tickets will also be offered the day of the event beginning two hours prior to practice time in which cash, check or credit card will be accepted. Multiple selling points will be available.

ON-LINE TICKETING

As mentioned above, MWSU encourages fans to take advantage of MWSU's on-line ticketing system when purchasing daily parking passes and event tickets. All Chiefs camp paid admission items are on sale now at gogriffons.com.

GATE OPENING & CLOSING TIMES

Gates to training camp will open each day 30 minutes prior to the start of practice time and will close 30 minutes after practice concludes. Admittance times may be altered accordingly.

HEAT PRECAUTIONS

In anticipation of summer heat, MWSU and the Chiefs have provided the following accommodations;

- Misting Tent - The Chiefs will provide a misting tent for fans to cool down during practices.

- Mosaic Life Care EMS - The official sponsor of Chiefs Training Camp, Mosaic Life Care, will have EMS personnel on hand at each practice to attend to fans needing assistance.

Fans are allowed to bring in one sealed bottle of water to the training camp site which is the only outside food or beverage item allowed through the gates.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Several special events will be taking place during the 2016 Chiefs Training Camp presented by Mosaic Life Care which include the below:

First Open Practice (Saturday, July 30)

To launch training camp the Kansas City Chiefs will have a 3:30 p.m. practice followed by a full-team autograph session. Bleacher and hillside seating are available. If planning for hillside seating pack a blanket or bag chair. Fans, be sure to grab the official Kansas City Chiefs Training Camp Guide for information about the team's stay in St. Joseph and to collect autographs. Admission for the event is $5 per person. Children ages three and under are admitted for free.

Social Media Days (Sunday, July 31 & Friday, Aug. 5)

Being added to 2016 Kansas City Chiefs Training Camp presented by Mosaic Life Care are social media days. An official snapchat filter will be available to use for the duration of camp. Social media days will offer special merchandise deals, t-shirt and prize giveaways and a Gifn station on one of the days. In addition, members of the Social Media Club of Kansas City will be in attendance sharing their training camp experiences on their social media channels. Fans are encouraged to use the hashtags #ChiefsCampand #ChiefsKingdom across all social media platforms.

Tailgate Tuesdays (Tuesday, August 2, 9, 16)

Fans preparing for their official Chiefs tailgates this season won't want to miss this event. Every Tuesday during camp the first 1,000 event goers are invited to pick up exclusive tailgating gifts upon entry. Items will include Chiefs-branded bottle-opener sunglasses (August 2), a Chiefs BBQ basting brush (August 9), and a custom Chiefs Kingdom tailgating apron (August 16).

American Family Fun Day (Saturday, Aug. 6)

American Family Fun Day is an annual tradition at training camp and takes place this year on Saturday, August 6. Families can take part in the kids' zone complete with inflatables, a rock wall, face painting and

balloon artists. KC Wolf, Warpaint and the Chiefs Cheerleaders will be available for photo opportunities. Included in American Family Fun Day is the Gatorade Junior Training Camp where boys and girls in grades three through eight can participate in on-field football drills. Following practice a full-team autograph session will take place. Admission for American Family Fun Day is $5 per person. Children ages 3 and under are admitted for free.

Season Ticket Member Appreciation Day/Alumni Day (Sunday, Aug. 7)

For the first time the team will host Season Ticket Member Appreciation Day and Alumni Day all in one day. Parking is complimentary for all Season Ticket Members. A Season Ticket Member Camp Access Pass will be loaded to STMs' online accounts that they must show upon entry. STMs are invited to a pancake breakfast before practice, following breakfast STMs will receive a complimentary team yearbook. During practice, Chiefs alumni are invited to a special VIP tent to watch practice. Throughout the day Chiefs Kingdom Rewards will be offering unique opportunities and KC Wolf and Chiefs Cheerleaders will be making guest appearances. At the close of day, alumni will participate in an autograph session alongside the entire team.

Military Appreciation Day/Last Day of Camp (Thursday, Aug. 18)

The Kansas City Chiefs will again host Military Appreciation Day at Chiefs Training Camp presented by Mosaic Life Care. This day will provide VIP treatment for invited members of the armed forces, including soldiers stationed at local instillations throughout Chiefs Kingdom such as Ft. Riley, Ft. Leavenworth, Whiteman AFB and Rosecrans Reserve ANGB. The event again comes on the closing day of training camp in St. Joseph and will include interaction by Chiefs players and coaches with these select military members.

Autograph Sessions by Position Groups

On days when the team is not doing a full-team autograph signing, certain position groups will be staying after practice to sign autographs for fans. Below is the position group autograph schedule.
Running Backs/Quarterbacks/Specialists: Monday, August 1; Tuesday, August 9; Thursday, August 18
Linebackers: Tuesday, August 2; Wednesday, August 10
Wide Receivers/Tight Ends: Wednesday, August 3; Monday, August 15
Offensive Line/Defensive Line: Friday, August 5; Tuesday, August 16
Defensive Backs: Monday, August 8; Wednesday, August 17
Other special events may be added periodically. Stay tuned to chiefs.com for the all of the latest training camp information.

CONCESSIONS

Concessions will be available on the south end of the practice fields. Options will include simple game day breakfast and lunch items, beverages and other snacks.

CHIEFS MERCHANDISE

The Chiefs merchandise tent is located just inside the main entrance of camp and features hundred of items to choose from including apparel and novelty items as well as Chiefs tickets.

CHIEFS KIDS ZONE

The Chiefs Kids Zone once again returns to training camp and is located behind the Spratt Stadium scoreboard. The kids zone features football type activities, inflatable games, jumping castles, football related activities, a rock climbing wall, face painting and opportunity to sign up for the Chiefs Kids Club.

MWSU COMMUNITY TENT

Thirteen area businesses will show off their goods and services just outside the main entrance to training camp. Representatives from the business will be handing out coupons, samples, conducting drawings for prizes and other special offers.

ATM ACCESS

Fans needing to use an ATM may access the one located in Blum Student Union adjacent to Lot H.

HELPFUL RESOURCES

For more information on all items related to Chiefs Training Camp, fans are encouraged to access the following helpful websites:

www.chiefs.com - The official website of the Chiefs

www.facebook.com/KansasCityChiefs

www.twitter.com - @chiefs

www.missouriwestern.edu/kcchiefs - The official MWSU training camp logistics webpage

www.gogriffons.com - The official website of Griffon Athletics and on-line ticketing home page

www.stjomo.com - The official website of the St. Joseph, Missouri Convention & Visitors Bureau

www.saintjoseph.com - The official website of the St. Joseph Metro Chamber of Commerce

Fans are reminded before heading out to training camp to log on to chiefs.com for all the latest training camp scheduling information as schedules do change at a moment's notice.