

AU-Hobart football game available via video webcast

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GENEVA, NY The Alfred University football team's game this Saturday, Oct. 27, at 1 p.m. at Hobart will be shown live on the internet. The live video webcast is sponsored by the Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) and can be accessed by going to <http://www.ecac.tv/>. The cost of accessing the webcast is \$7.95. The AU football team has an overall record of 7-0 the team's best since the 1981 Saxons finished 10-0 in the regular season en route to the school's first and only appearance in the NCAA Division III championship tournament and is in first place in the Empire 8 with a 4-0 conference mark. Alfred is ranked 11th and 13th, respectively, in this week's D3football.com and American Football Coaches Association national polls of Division III teams. The Saxons are also ranked second in the latest ECAC Lambert Poll for Division III, behind Washington & Jefferson College (Washington, PA). Established in 1936 as the Lambert Trophy to recognize supremacy in Eastern college football, the award has since grown to recognize the best team in the East in the Bowl Subdivision. The Lambert Cup will be awarded to teams in the other three divisions. AU last won the Lambert Cup in 1971, when the Saxons finished with an 8-0 record. The Saxons wrap up their season with three road games: this Saturday at Hobart, Nov. 3 at Ithaca, and Nov. 10 at St. John Fisher. Kickoff for all three games is at 1 p.m. Regardless of what Alfred does in its next two games, if St. John Fisher defeats Utica this weekend, the Nov. 10 meeting between AU and Fisher will be for the Empire 8 Conference championship and an automatic bid to the NCAA playoffs.