**Tailgate ABC’s Blog Post**  
  
  
It’s that time again. Football season is upon Eastern Michigan University and students are preparing for the hometown showdown on the Rynearson Gridiron beginning this weekend. Saturday, September 3rd the EMU takes on Howard at 7pm. Just a friendly reminder to event attendees that Tailgating at Eastern Michigan University is pre-game activity intended to be fun and safe for everyone on game day. For more information check out the website at **[http://www.emueagles.com/mobile/index.aspx?story=5639](http://www.emueagles.com/mobile/index.aspx?story=5639" \t "_blank).**

To get the most out of your experience you should follow the ABC’S of Tailgating.

* **A:** Alcohol is not permitted inside the EMU Convocation Center, Rynearson Stadium and/or any other EMU athletic facilities.
* **B:** Bring all of your friends to your tailgate party! Share the experience, share the fun!
* **C:** Coolers are not permitted inside the Stadium.
* **D:** Drinking games of alcohol (including but not limited to funnels or beer bongs) are prohibited.
* **E:** EMU Convocation Center, Rynearson Stadium and athletic facilities are some of the dedicated tailgating areas.
* **F:** Find us on Facebook! Check out Tailgate Town at www.facebook.com/tailgatetown
* **G:** Glass beverage containers are not permitted in the tailgate areas.
* **H:** Having a good time is always encouraged.
* **I:** Interested in more information about Tailgate Town? Contact Bilal Saeed at bilal@pakmode.com
* **J:** Jokes, laughter and happiness are standard features at an EMU tailgate party.
* **K:** Kegs of any size other common source alcohol containers are not permitted.
* **L:** Leave the tailgate area how you found it!
* **M:** Manage your noise and keep it contained in your tailgate area.
* **N:** No tailgating be permitted during the game or after the game is over.
* **O:** Outside food and drinks are not permitted into the stadium
* **P:** Place all trash in garbage cans.
* **Q:** Quiet Keeping your fun (and noise) contained in your tailgate area will go a long way to help your fellow tailgaters enjoy their experience.
* **R:** Respect your neighbors!
* **S:** Serving or providing alcohol to anyone under 21 is illegal.
* **T:** Tents in your tailgating area, it must not exceed 10' x 10' unless consent is given in advance by the EMU Athletics Department
* **U:** Underage drinking is illegal, even while tailgating. The legal drinking age in Michigan is 21.
* **V:** Viewing the EMU victory should be experienced by all. Invite your friends, family and come out to the game!
* **W:** Weapons are not permitted into the stadium or tailgating areas
* **X:** Xylophones, Xerox, (Insert other X words here)
* **Y:** You cannot bring animals of any kind into the tailgate areas.
* **Z:** Zero tolerance for drinking