Los Angeles Chargers vs. Detroit Lions: How to Watch, Listen & Live Stream

TV: NBC | Stream: Fubo (Start watching, save \$20!) Odds: Lions -1.5, O/U 32.5 (via DraftKings). Updating Live. The Los Angeles Chargers and Detroit Lions open the 2025 preseason in the Hall of Fame Game at Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium in Canton, Ohio.



MATCHUP HISTORY

Thursday night's game will mark the first Hall of Fame Game meeting between the two teams. It also marks the first appearance in the Hall of Fame Game for both teams in more than 30 years, with the Chargers last playing in Canton in 1994 and the Lions in 1991.

Where to watch and stream

Date: Thursday, July 30

Time: 8 p.m. ET

Location: Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium (Canton, Ohio)

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This is the Chargers third trip to Canton for the annual game while it's Detroit's fourth. The two teams will play two days before the Hall of Fame Class of 2025 is officially enshrined at a ceremony on Aug. 2, where Chargers legend Antonio Gates will be inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

GAME DATE/TIME
Thursday, July 31
Kickoff is set for 5:00 p.m. (PT)
LOCATION
Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium (Canton, OH)
WATCH ON TV
Network: NBC & Peacock

Play-by-play: Mike Tirico

Analyst: Cris Collinsworth

Sideline: Melissa Stark

LISTEN ON RADIO

Chargers radio can be heard on KFI AM-640 called by Matt "Money" Smith, analyst Daniel Jeremiah and sideline reporter Shannon Farren.

Chargers radio in Spanish can be heard on Que Buena FM 105.5/94.3, called by Adrian Garcia-Marquez and analyzed by Francisco Pinto, here.

The game will also be broadcasted nationally on Sports USA with Scott Graham and James Lofton on the call.

POSTGAME PRESS CONFERENCES

Chargers postgame press conferences are live streamed on the Chargers website and app (turn on notifications to receive updates on when the press conferences start). Press conferences are also available on demand following the live stream on the website, app and on YouTube.

When & Where to Watch

Pre-game coverage begins at 7:00 p.m. ET, with kickoff scheduled for 8:00 p.m. ET. NBC Sports
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The game will be broadcast nationally on NBC and streamed live on Peacock.

FuboTV also offers live streaming access to NBC, making it another viable option.

Streaming Options for U.S. Viewers

Peacock: Accessible via app or web. Stream live if you already have a subscription or sign up as needed.

FuboTV: Includes NBC access—you can stream the game through its live TV package.

NFL+ (Mobile support): Available for live streaming of preseason games on mobile devices via the official NFL app with either the standard or Premium tier.

Why This Game Matters The Hall of Fame Game kicks off the NFL preseason and coincides with the Hall of Fame induction weekend. In 2025, it honors inductees such as Antonio Gates and others.

Most veterans—including Chargers QB Justin Herbert—will rest to begin the game. Chargers backup Trey Lance is expected to start, giving fans an early look at new talent.

For the Lions, this matchup marks their first Hall of Fame Game appearance since 1991. The Chargers haven't participated since 1994.

Quick Stream Summary Platform Access Notes NBC Via TV provider or local affiliate National broadcast coverage Peacock App or web browser Stream live with subscription FuboTV Live TV package including NBC Great for cord-cutters NFL+ Mobile-only streaming Preseason games on mobile devices

② What to Expect On-Field Chargers head coach Jim Harbaugh has opted to rest most starters—including Herbert. Expect backups and rookies like DJ Uiagalelei and Omarion Hampton to get key reps.

Detroit, fresh off a franchise-record 15-win season, also likely will test youth players and depth in this exhibition.

✓ Final Notes Kickoff: 8 p.m. ET on July 31, 2025

TV: NBC

Streaming: Peacock, FuboTV, or NFL+ on mobile

Location: Canton, Ohio at Hall of Fame Stadium

Whether you're tuning in on Peacock, catching FuboTV, or streaming via NFL+, this game provides a first glimpse of both teams as they prepare for the regular season. Enjoy the start of football season—and the Hall of Fame celebration!