VIRGINIA TECH (2-0) at. LIBERTY (1-2)

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| ■ |NOVEMBER $15 \cdot 7: 00$ PM • FAIRFAX, VA • CASSELL COLISEUM $(9,275)$ Kenny Brooks . . . . . . . . .

James Madison (1992).
67-40 (4th Season). . .
404-162 (18th Season).
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1-0 . . . . . . . . . .
. . . . . . . . . . . Coach . Alma Mater . .Record at School Overall Record. . Record vs. Opponent .Carey Green Coastal Carolina (1979) 457-186 (21st Season) 457-186 (21st Season)
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| Games Played |  |
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| Series | Tech leads 15-1 |
| Series Began | 2/16/82 |
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| Away | 8-0 |
| Neutral | . . 0-0 |
| Under Kenny Brooks | . 1-0 |
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## 53 STRAIGHT WINS AT CASSELL COLISEUM

-The Hokies have won each of the last 53 home games against non-conference opposition including postseason competition.
-Tech's last home loss in the non-conference came December 6, 2014 against Longwood.
-The Hokies begin the season with six home games out of 11 in the non-conference portion of the season leading up to the first ACC game 12/29 at Florida State. -Four of the other five games are at a neutral site.

## KITLEY MAKES IMPACTFUL DEBUT

-Freshman center Elizabeth Kitley stepped onto a collegiate court for the first time last week in the season opener vs. Saint Francis (11/5) and didn't miss a beat scoring 27 points on 13-15 shooting from the field.
-lt was the most points scored by a Tech freshmen in their first game and the second most, by just a point for any Virginia Tech player in their debut.
-Kitley would add eight points and eight rebounds at George Mason (11/10) and would be recognized by the conference as the ACC Freshman of the Week.
third best mark in the nation.

## NEW FACES IN MAROON AND ORANGE

-Tech has seven newcomers to the program this season, including two graduate transfers who are eligible immediately and four freshmen.
-The Hokies' roster now features seven student-athletes who are 6-feet tall or above.

## EUROPEAN TRIP PAYS DIVIDENDS FOR HOKIES

-Tech had an exciting summer trip flying to Paris and visiting Rome, Florence and Venice.
-The Hokies played three games during the course of the 12-day trip, winning each one comfortably.
-While abroad, the group did plenty of sightseeing, taking tours of the Seine River, the Roman Senate and Colosseum, the Vatican and much more.

## HOKIES DOMINATING NON-CONFERENCE PLAY

-Since his arrival in Blacksburg in 2016, Coach Brooks has owned the non-conference portion of the season. In two of his three seasons, he has led the Hokies to perfect records heading into ACC play.
-Inlcuding the postseason, the Hokies are 50-8 under Brooks in the non-conference.
-Brooks is 10-3 against schools from the other Power 4 conferences during his tenure in Blacksburg, including a perfect 4-0 mark against the SEC.

## TECH HITS TWENTY WINS AGAIN

-The Hokies have won 20 or more games in three consecutive seasons for the sixth time in school history -They are one of seven ACC teams to accomplish the feat.
-As a head coach, Kenny Brooks has won 20+ in 14
straights seasons dating back to his time at JMU.

## SHEPPARD STARTS HER ASCENT TOWARDS TOP

-Junior guard Aisha Sheppard began the season with 138 3's to her credit, the eighth-most in program history. She needs just 15 more to reach the top five. -She trails teammate Kendyl Brooks by 18.
-Sheppard has gotten off to a hot start in 2019-20, averaging 19.0 points through the first two games, which included a career best 22 in a homecoming game at George Mason.

## GRAD TRANSFERS MAKE SOLID DEBUTS

-Point guard Taja Cole who is featured on the Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List, leads the ACC in assists at 8.0 per game. She dished out nine against Saint Francis (11/5), then had seven helpers at George Mason (11/10). She also averages 9.0 points and 4.5 rebounds.
-Forward Lydia Rivers' energy off the bench has been huge for Tech already during the young season. She averages 12.5 points and is second in the ACC at 11.5 rebounds per contest. Against George Mason, the Kinston, North Carolina native registered her first double-double for the Hokies with 16 points and 15 rebounds.

## CARRYING THE FLAG FOR THE CONFERENCE

-The Hokies have been highly successful in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge winning four straight games in the competition. Over that span, Tech's average margin of victory has been over 19 points, thanks in part to a dominant 47-point victory at Illinois in 2017.
-Tech has beaten Penn State (2015), Nebraska (2016), Illinois (2017) and Rutgers (2018) in consecutive seasons.
-Overall, the Hokies are 6-6 in the competition.

## WELCOMING THE NEXT WAVE OF HOKIES

-Wednesday Coach Brooks announced his 2020 signing class which includes four exceptional young women; Georgia Amoore, Nevaeh Dean, Shamarla King and Shelby Calhoun.

## NEXT TIIE ON CARLLION CLINIC COURT

-Tech will return to Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum on Tuesday, November 19 to take on Maryland Eastern Shore at 7 PM on ACC Network. -The Hawks last met the Hokies in 2017, when Tech won 90-52 behind 20 points from Regan Magarity. Three other Hokies were also in double figures that game.

| HOKIES' 2019-20 SCHEDULE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DATE | OPP. | TIME | TV |
| Nov. 5 | St. Francis | W, 105 | 1 ACCNE |
| Nov. 10 | at George Mason | W, 77-5 | ESPN+ |
| Nov. 15 | Liberty | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Nov. 19 | Maryland Eastern | 6:30 PM | ACCN |
| Nov. 24 | Davidson | 5 PM | ACCNE |
| Nov. 29 | $\wedge$ Belmont | 1:15 PM |  |
| Nov. 30 | $\wedge$ Georgia | 1:15 PM |  |
| Dec. 5 | \#Purdue | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Dec. 8 | Gardner-Webb | 2 PM | ACCNE |
| Dec. 20 | \$Rice | 1:30 PM |  |
| Dec. 21 | \$Wichita State | 11 AM |  |
| Dec. 29 | at Florida State* | 2 PM | RSN |
| Jan. 2 | at NC State* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Jan. 5 | North Carolina* | 2 PM | ACCNE |
| Jan. 9 | Pitt* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Jan. 12 | at Duke* | 3 PM | RSN |
| Jan. 19 | at Virginia* | 3 PM | RSN |
| Jan. 23 | Boston College* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Jan. 26 | Clemson* | 1 PM | RSN |
| Jan. 30 | at Syracuse* | 8 PM | ACCN |
| Feb. 2 | Miami* | 2 PM | ACCNE |
| Feb. 6 | NC State* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Feb. 9 | at North Carolina* | 2 PM | RSN |
| Feb. 13 | Georgia Tech* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| Feb. 16 | at Wake Forest* | 1 PM |  |
| Feb. 20 | at Notre Dame* | 8 PM | RSN |
| Feb. 23 | Virginia* | 2 PM | ACCN |
| Feb. 27 | Duke* | 7 PM | ACCNE |
| March 1 | at Louisville* | 1 PM | RSN |
| March 4-8 ACC Tournament Greensboro Coliseum |  |  |  |
| ^- Daytona Beach Invitational <br> \#- ACC/Big Ten Challenege <br> \$ -Coqui Classic (San Juan, Puerto Rico) <br> * - ACC Conference game |  |  |  |

## HOKIES STAMPING THEIR PASSPORTS AGAIN

-Tech is slated to play in the Coqui Classic in San Juan, Puerto Rico in December. It will be the program's second appearance in Puerto Rico after also playing there in 1994 in the San Juan Shootout.
-The Hokies won their first two games against Michigan
St. and Oklahoma St. before losing to Texas Tech.

## STARTING SEVERAL NEW SERIES IN 2019-20

-Tech will face three programs; Belmont, Rice and Wichita State for the first time in program history this season.
-Their Big Ten/ACC Challenge game against Purdue will be just the second ever meeting and first since 2002. -Davidson has only one other appearance vs Tech too.

## V WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

## INSIDE THE SERIES: VIRGINIA TECH VS. LIBERTY

- Kenny Brooks is 1-0 against the Flames as the head coach at Virginia Tech, winning last season's matchup in Lynchburg 72-61.

Games Played - in the series: 16 Overall Record: 15-1 Home: 7-1

First Meeting: Dec. 13,1986
Overall Record: 15-1 Home: 7-1 Away: 8-0 Neutral: 0-0
LAST MEETINGS (Tech is 9-1)

| Date | Ranked VT/Opp | Location | Score |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | ---: |
| Tue., Nov. 13,2018 | NR/NR | Lynchburg, Va. | W, 72-61 |
| Tue., Dec. 30,2008 | NR/NR | Blacksburg, Va. | L, 43-45 |
| Mon., Nov. 19,2007 | NR/NR | Blacksburg, Va. | W, $73-68$ |
| Tue., Dec. 5,2006 | NR/NR | Lynchburg, Va. | W, $55-52$ |
| Sat., Dec. 10,2005 | NR/NR | Blacksburg, Va. | W, $70-60$ |
| Tue., Dec. 7,2004 | $16 / N R$ | Lynchburg, Va. | W, $66-55$ |
| Fri., Jan. 2,2004 | NR/NR | Blacksburg, Va. | W, $52-45$ |
| Sat., Dec. 14,2002 | NR/NR | Lynchburg, Va. | W, $53-50$ |
| Sat., Dec. 8,2001 | NR/NR | Lynchburg, Va. | W, $56-40$ |
| Fri., Nov. 17,2000 | NR/NR | Blacksburg, Va. | W, 72-51 |

CONNECTIONS: VIRGINIA TECH-LIBERTY

- The Hokies feature four Virginia natives on their roster; Chloe Brooks (Harrisonburg), Kendyl Brooks (Harrisonburg), Taja Cole (Richmond) and Aisha Sheppard (Alexandria).


## BROADCAST INFORMATION

|  |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Play-by-Play | Bailey Angle |
| Analyst | Mack McCarthy |
| Local Radio | rginia Tech Sports Properties |
| Play-by-Play | Bryant Johnson |
| Flagship | 105.3 FM |
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## 2019 ACC STANDINGS

As of Thursday, Nov. 14

| TEAM | Conf. | Overall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Florida State | 0-0 | 3-0 |
| Georgia Tech | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| Louisville | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| Miami | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| NC State | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| North Carolina | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| Syracuse | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| Virginia Tech | 0-0 | 2-0 |
| Boston College | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Notre Dame | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Virginia | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Wake Forest | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Duke | 0-0 | 1-1 |
| Pitt | 0-0 | 1-1 |
| Clemson | 0-0 | 1-2 |
| SOCIAL MEDIA INFO |  |  |

Twitter: @HokiesWBB
Instagram: @HokiesWBB

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## Kenny Brooks

## HEAD COACH = 4TH SEASON Y eCoachbrooksvr

## THE BROOKS FILE

Coaching Experience: 23 rd season/4th at Virginia Tech Head Coach: 18th season, 4th at Virginia Tech

Record at Tech:
Record at JMU:
Overall Record:
Hometown:
High School:
College:
Playing Exp:

67-40
337-122
404-162
Waynesboro, Virginia
Waynesboro (1987)
James Madison (1992)
James Madison (1988-92)

## COACHING HISTORY

## Year Schoo Position

2016-pres Virginia Tech Head Coach
2003-16 James Madison Head Coach
2002-03 James Madison Interim Head Cach
1998-02 James Madison Assistant Coach 1994-98 VMI Men's Assistant Coach

## POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE

2019 WNIT Rd. of 16 Virginia Tech
2018 WNIT Finals Virginia Tech
2017 WNIT Rd. of 16 Virginia Tech
2016 NCAA First Rd. James Madison
2015 NCAA First Rd. James Madison
2014 NCAA 2nd Rd. James Madison
2013 WNIT Qtrs James Madison
2012 WNIT Finals James Madison
2011 NCAA First Rd. James Madison
2010 NCAA First Rd. James Madison
2009 WNIT 2nd Rd. James Madison
2008 WNIT 3rd Rd. James Madison
2007 NCAA First Rd. James Madison
2006 WNIT First Rd. James Madison
Brooks has guided his squads to the postseason in each of the last 14 seasons and has amassed 20 or more wins each time.

## MOST COACHING WINS AT VT

- THROUGH FIRST THREE SEASONS

| Coach | Wins | Seasons |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| 1. Bonnie Hendrickson | 70 | $1997-00$ |
| 2. Kenny Brooks | $\mathbf{6 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 1 9}$ |
| 3. Beth Dunkenberger | 57 | $2004-07$ |
| 4. Carol Alfano | 39 | $1978-81$ |
| 5. Dennis Wolff | 31 | $2011-14$ |

## BROOKS' PLAYERS GOING PRO

- Throughout his career, Brooks has sent several players to play in the professional ranks. Among those are Meredith Alexis, Tamera Young, Dawn Evans, Lauren Jimenez, Jasmine Gill, Lauren Okafor, Kirby Burkholder, Toia Giggetts and Jazmon Gwathmey from JMU.
- Since moving to Blacksburg, Brooks has helped Vanessa Panousis, Sidney Cook, Sami Hill and Regan Magarity find professional basketball success.


## MR. NOVEMBER

Brooks' career record in the month of November is 68-21 (.764)

- In the 17 seasons of head coaching that he has completed, he has finished the opening month unblemished five times, including twice with the Hokies, in 2016 and 2018.

Kenny Brooks was named the seventh head women's basketball coach at Virginia Tech on March 28, 2016. He enters his fourth season at the helm of the Hokies' program heading into the 2019-20 season.

- Since Brooks' arrival in Blacksburg, the Hokies have enjoyed three consecutive 20 -plus win seasons, all culminating with tournament runs in March. The Hokies made a WNIT Championship game appearance in 2018 and made it to the WNIT's Sweet Sixteen in 2017 and 2019
- To begin his tenure, Brooks and the Hokies reeled off 15 straight wins to open the 2016-17 season, Tech's strongest start to a season in 18 years. Behind that strong start, Tech climbed to as high as No. 15 in the AP Poll.
- Brooks has ushered in a new era of uptempo basketball at Virginia Tech, as his Hokies have reset the program scoring record twice and surpassed the mark for 3 -pointers made in every season.
- During his time in Blacksburg, brooks has recruited and developed All-ACC performer Taylor Emery, who set the single season scoring record in 2017-18 at 667 points. She also scored the most field goals in a single campaign with 236 . She became the fastest player to 1,000 points ( 55 games) and was the first Hokie to earn first team All-ACC honors when she did so in 2019.
- Three Hokies have reached 1,000 points since Brooks joined Tech including All-ACC performers Emery and Regan Magarity.
Magarity graduated in 2019 with her name imprinted all throughout the record book, with over 1,600 points and an ACC record 1,299 rebounds.

Brooks joined the Hokies after an impressive 14-seasons at his alma mater, James Madison. He compiled a record of 337-122 (.756) making him the winningest coach in JMU program history. He guided the Dukes to 11 consecutive postseason appearances that included six NCAA bids and five trips to the WNIT.

- Over an 11-year stretch (2005-16), Brooks' squads never won fewer than 24 games, averaging 26.3 wins per year. The Dukes won three consecutive CAA championships under Brooks' tutelage (2014-16) and captured a total of five conference titles over a season season span.

During those final three seasons in Harrisonburg, Brooks and the Dukes compiled an impressive 60-3 record in conference play.

He was named CAA Coach of the Year for a fourth time in 2015-16, while his student-athletes also garnered CAA Player and Rookie of the Year honors.


- Under Brooks, JMU tallied six CAA Players of the Year, three Rookies of the Year and two Defensive Players of the Year. The Duke also recorded 31 All-CAA selection, 11 Defensive Team and 10 All-Rookie Team selections during his tenure.
- The Waynesboro, Virginia native has coached four WNBA Draft picks; Tamera Young, Lauren Okafor anf Jazmon Gwathmey from JMU and Regan Magarity from Tech (2019).

BA 1992 graduate of JMU, Brooks played for three seasons under legendary coach Lefty Driessel and made two NIT appearances while earning a degree in business manbagement. He began his coaching career as a part-time assistant for the 1993-94 JMU men's squad that won the CAA Tournament and advanced to the NCAA Tournament.

- After four seasons as an assistant for the men's program at VMI (1994-98), he moved back to his alma mater as a men's assistant from 1998-2002. He was named interim women's head coach on Dec. 6, 2002 before taking over those duties on a full-time basis on March 21, 2003.



## ALPHABETICAL

NUMERICAL

| No. Name | Pos. | No. Name | vl | Pos. | Ht. | CI. | Hometown | High School/Last School |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | Baptiste | F | 0 | Trinity Baptiste | 1 | F | $6-0$ | Jr. | Tampa, Florida | Hillsborough/NW Florida St. |
| 3 | C. Brooks | G | 2 | Aisha Sheppard | 2 | G | $5-9$ | Jr. | Alexandria, Virginia | St. John's (High School) |
| 10 | K. Brooks | G | 3 | Chloe Brooks | - | G | $5-10$ | r-Fr. | Harrisonburg, Virginia | Spotswood |
| 5 | Cole | G | 4 | Dara Mabrey | 1 | G | $5-7$ | So. | Belmar, New Jersey | Manasquan |
| 15 | Ennis | G/F | 5 | Taja Cole | - | G | $5-8$ | Grad | Richmond, Virginia | L.C. Bird/Louisville/Georgia |
| 35 | Geiman | G/F | 10 | Kendyl Brooks | 3 | G | $5-10$ | r-Fr. | Harrisonburg, Virginia | Spotswood |
| 23 | Jones | C | 15 | Makayla Ennis | - | G/F | $6-0$ | Fr. | Brampton, Ontario, Canda | Lincoln Prep |
| 22 | King | G | 21 | Lydia Rivers | - | F | $6-2$ | Grad | Kinston, North Carolina | Kinston/Radford University |
| 33 | Kitley | C 22 | Cayla King | - | G | $5-11$ | Fr. | Greensboro, North Carolina | Northwest Guilford |  |
| 4 | Mabrey | G | 23 | Asiah Jones | - | F | $6-3$ | r-Jr. | Sacramento, California | Woodmont/USC |
| 40 | Obouh Fegue | C | 33 | Elizabeth Kitley | - | C | $6-5$ | Fr. | Summerfield, North Carolina Northwest Guilford |  |
| 21 | Rivers | F | 35 | Taylor Geiman | - | G/F | $6-0$ | Fr. | Hannover, Pennsylvania | South Western |
| 2 | Sheppard | G | 40 | Alex Obouh Fegue | - | C | $6-4$ | r-Jr. | Chateroux, France | Pierre de Coubertin (Calais) |

## PRONUNCIATIONS

Trinity BAPTISTE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Bap-teast
AISHA Sheppard . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Asia
Dara MABREY. . . . . . . . . . . . . Dare-uh May-bree

TAJA Cole . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .Tah-juh
KENDYL Brooks . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Kendall
MAKAYLA Ennis . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Muh-kayla

ASIAH Jones
Taylor GEIMAN . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Guy-man Alex OBOUH FEGUE. . . . . . . . . . . Oboe Feh-gee

WHERE WE COME FROM

VIRGINIA. . . . . . . . 4 (C.Brooks, K. Brooks, Cole, Sheppard)
NORTH CAROLINA . . . . 3 (Rivers, King, Kitley)

NEW JERSEY . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

CALIFORNIA . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Jones)
CANADA . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Ennis)
FRANCE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Obouh Fegue)

## HOKIES BY CLASS

| FRESHMEN (5) | SOPHOMORES (1) | JUNIORS (4) | SENIORS (3) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Brooks, C. | Mabrey | Baptiste | Brooks, K. |
| Ennis |  | Jones | Cole |
| Geiman | Obouh Fegue |  |  |
| King |  | Rheppard |  |
| Kitley |  |  |  |



## OVERALL: 2-0

## HOKIES SELECTED 10TH IN PRESEASON BALLOT BY COACHES, MEDIA ALIKE

-The ACC announced in October that Virginia Tech was picked in the preseason poll to finish 10 th in the 15 -team league as voted on by both the coaches and the Blue Ribbon Panel comprised of media members.
-Tech finished the 2018-19 season in 10th position in the conference after going 6-10 in league play. The previous season, Tech was the nine seed and heading into the 2017 ACC Tournament, Tech was the 11-seed.
-The Coaches votes were as follows; Louisville, NC State, Florida State, Miami, Notre Dame, Syracuse, Duke, Clemson, North Carolina, Virginia Tech, Georgia Tech, Virginia, Boston College, Pittsburgh, Wake Forest.
-The Blue Ribbon panel voted as follows: Louisville, NC State, Florida State, Notre Dame, Miami, Syracuse, Duke, Clemson, North Carolina, Virginia Tech, Virginia, Georgia Tech, Boston College, Pittsburgh, Wake Forest.
-Tech had no student-athletes placed on either preseason All-ACC Team, with Mabrey and Baptiste available on the ballot. No newcomer was included on the Newcomer Watch List either.

## COLE ONE OF THE NATION'S BEST PGs

-Graduate transfer Taja Cole has been named to the Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List, the second consecutive season that she has been on the prestigious list. The Nancy Lieberman Award is given to the nation's top point guard. Last season's winner was Oregon's Sabrina lonescu.
-In 2018-19 at the University of Georgia, Cole averaged 11 points, 5.3 rebounds and 7 assists per game. Those 7 assists were an SEC-best.
-She ranked fifth nationally in assists per game and was also fifth in the SEC with a 2.17 assist-turnover ratio.
-Cole was first in the SEC and eighth nationally with 202 total assists. That tally is the third-most in a single season at UGA.

## COACH BROOKS' PGs HAVE SUCCESS

-Cole is the fifth player to be coached by Kenny Brooks to appear on the Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List following Dawn Evans, Tariq Hislop and Angela Mickens at JMU and Chanette Hicks at Virginia Tech.
-Brooks was a point guard at JMU under legendary Hall of Fame coach Lefty Driessel from 1987-91. During that span, the Dukes won 65 games as Brooks started 34 games and appeared in 107, averaging 5.7 points and 2 assists per game.

## THE BROOKS' ARE A BASKETBALL FAMILY

-Head Coach Kenny Brooks' two oldest daughters are both members of the Virginia Tech women's basketball team, senior guard Kendyl and redshirt freshman guard Chloe Brooks.
-Brooks' wife Chrissy is a former basketball coach and coached her daughters at the youth level previously.

## KENDYL BROOKS TO MISS 2019-20 AS SHE RECOVERS FROM HIP SURGERY

-Kenny Brooks announced on October 22nd just two weeks before the season that senior guard Kendyl Brooks will miss the entire 2019-20 season as she recovers from hip surgery.
-Kendyl is the team's lone four-year player and is currently fourth all-time at Virginia Tech in 3-point field goals with 160 . She has 47 starts on 103 career games and has been a part of 65 Hokie victories. For her career, Brooks averages 5.0 points per game and has a career shooting percentage of 292.

## INTERNATIONAL FLARE

-Tech has two international players on the roster for 2019-20, freshman G/F Makayla Ennis and C Alex Obouh Fegue.
-Ennis hails from Brampton, Ontario, Canada and has represented her country at the youth level, winning a silver medal at the FIBA Americas U-16 and she represented Canada at the U-17 level in 2018.
-Obouh Fegue has played for the French U-16 team that placed fifth at the Euros and earned qualification to the World Championships. She has also played on the $\mathrm{U}-18$ 3v3 team that won second place at the European Championships.

## PROGRAM RECORDS SET UNDER COACH BROOKS

## 2016-17 Season <br> \section*{Team}

- Cracked the top 25 for the first time in a decade
-Three players recorded double-doubles against
North Carolina. It was the third time in program
history and the first in an ACC contest that happened
-Set the single game record for 3's at BC (15)
-Single season record for 3's with 247
-Single season points record $(2,405)$
Individual
-Vanessa Panousis became the program's leader in 3-pointers
-Regan Magarity recorded seven double-doubles
in a row, the longest streak in program history
-Chanette Hicks sets record for most steals in a single season (123)
-Regan Magarity set the single season rebound record with 316
-Kendyl Brooks sets freshman class record with 62 3-ponters


## 2017-18 Season

Team
-Single season record for 3's (295), points
$(2,673)$, field goals record (946) and rebounds
$(1,471)$.
*Largest margin of victory in program history (67)
against Wagner
Individual
-Taylor Emery sets single season scoring record
(667 points), and field goals (236)
-Regan Magarity sets single season rebound record (357)
-Taylor Emery's 28 points vs Syracuse in ACC tournament most in a single game in that competition
-Chanette Hicks becomes program's leader in steals
-Chanette Hicks and Regan Magairity become 25th and 26th players to reach 1,000 points
-Aisha Sheppard makes 76 3's the most for a freshman and second most all-time
-Regan Magarity becomes the all-time leading rebounder in program history (864)

## 2018-19 Season

## Team

-Single season record for 3's (324)
-Single game record for 3's (16 vs Longwood) Individual
-Regan Magarity sets single season rebound record (435) (also an ACC record)
-Regan Magarity graduates with program record 1,299 rebounds (also an ACC record)
-Dara Mabrey most 3's in a single season (80)
-Taylor Emery becomes the first Hokie to make first team All-ACC
-Taylor Emery becomes 27th player to score 1,000 points (was the fastest to do so in 55 games)

## ACC Awards under Brooks

## -All-Tournament Teams

Taylor Emery Second Team 2018 \& 2019 -All-ACC

Taylor Emery First Team 2019, Second 2018
Regan Magarity Second Team 2019
Dara Mabrey All-Freshman 2019

## П WOMENP BASKETBALL NOTES

## ACTIVE STARTS CHART

|  | $\mathbf{1 9 - 2 0}$ | Streak |  | Career |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 21 |  | 21 |
| Trinity Baptiste | - |  | - | - |
| Chloe Brooks | - |  | 0 | 47 |
| Kendyl Brooks | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |
| Taja Cole | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Makayla Ennis | - | - | - |  |
| Taylor Geiman | - | - | - |  |
| Asiah Jones | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Cayla King | 2 | 2 | 2 |  |
| Elizabeth Kitley | 2 | 36 | 36 |  |
| Dara Mabrey | 2 |  | 0 | 0 |
| Alex Obouh Fegue | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Lydia Rivers | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Aisha Sheppard | 2 | 12 | 23 |  |

- Senior guard Kendyl Brooks is the Hokies' most experienced player with 47 career starts in 103 games played.
- Sophomore guard Dara Mabrey started all 34 of the Hokies' contests in 2018-19, the only returning player to do so.
- *Streaks are calculated as such; games missed due to illness, injury or coaches decisions are counted as games that were not started by that student-athlete.


## LONGEST ACTIVE STREAKS

- Mabrey - 36
- Baptiste - 21
- Sheppard - 12


## CAREER 3-POINT FG MADE

| Player | FG Made | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1. Vanessa Panousis | 269 | $2013-17$ |
| 2. Carrie Mason | 200 | $2002-06$ |
| 3. Lindsay Biggs | 188 | $2006-10$ |
| 4. Kendyl Brooks | $\mathbf{1 6 0}$ | 2016-pres |
| 5. Sarah Hicks | 157 | $1997-02$ |
| 6. Taylor Emery | 146 | $2017-19$ |
| 7. Aisha Sheppard | $\mathbf{1 4 2}$ | 2017-pres |
| 8. Hannah Young | 139 | $2012-16$ |
| 9. Jeni Garber | 127 | $1988-91$ |
| 10. Regan Magarity | 101 | $2014-19$ |
| Monet Tellier | 101 | $2010-14$ |

## Guard Dara Mabrey has 86 for her career

## RECORD BY CONFERENCE

| Conference | Record |
| :--- | :---: |
| American Athletic (Wichita State) | $0-0$ |
| Atlantic Sun (Liberty) | $0-0$ |
| Atlantic 10 (George Mason) | $1-0$ |
| Big South (Davidson, Gardner-Webb)0-0 |  |
| Big Ten (Purdue) | $0-0$ |
| Conference USA (Rice) | $0-0$ |
| MEAC (Maryland Eastern Shore) | $0-0$ |
| Northeast (Saint Francis) | $1-0$ |
| Ohio Valley (Belmont) | $0-0$ |
| SEC (Georgia) | $0-0$ |


| The Hokies Under Brooks | 2019-20 Tech |
| :---: | :---: |
| Home ..................................... | -0......... 43-15 |
| Road.................................................. 1-0.........17-20 |  |
| Neutral ................................................ 0-0...........7-5 |  |
| In non-conference games ................... 2-0.......... 49-8 |  |
| In ACC games .................................... 0-0.........16-32 |  |
| Won opening tip | 2-0.......... 30-7 |
| Lost opening tip.................................. 0-0.........38-32 |  |
| After a win.......................................... 1-0.........47-19 |  |
| After a loss.......................................... 0-0......... 16-21 |  |
| Longest win streak................................ $2 . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 15 ~$ |  |
| Longest losing streak............................0............. 11 |  |
| Brooks' Record When ... |  |
| Leading after the 1st qua | 2-0......... 43-17 |
| Trailing after the 1 st quarter................. 0-0......... 18-21 |  |
| Tied after the 1st quarter..................... 0-0...........6-1 |  |
| Leading at halftime.............................. 2-0..........47-9 |  |
| Trailing at halftime ............................... 0-0......... 18-27 |  |
| Tied at halftime ................................... 0-0............2-3 |  |
| Leading after 3rd quarter ..................... 2-0.......... 58-4 |  |
| Trailing after 3rd quarter...................... 0-0......... 10-30 |  |
| Tied after 3rd quarter .......................... 0-0............0-2 |  |
| Scores first ......................................... 2-0.........38-19 |  |
| Opponent scores first......................... 0-0......... 28-20 |  |
| In games decided by <5 points .......... 0-0.......... 8-10 |  |
| In games decided by 6-10 points........ 0-0......... 17-14 |  |
| In games decided by 11-15 points ..... 0-0............9-3 |  |
| In games decided by 16-20 points ..... 1-0............9-6 |  |
| In games decided by $21+$ points........ 1-0.......... 24-7 |  |
| In overtime games............................... 0-0............1-2 |  |
| Brooks' Team's High \& Low Water Marks ... |  |
| FG made ............................................. 44............. 44 |  |
| FG att.................................................. 66............ 76 |  |
| 3FG made.............................................9............. 16 |  |
| 3FG att ............................................... 18............ 37 |  |
| FT made .............................................. 12............ 31 |  |
| FT att.................................................. 14............ 40 |  |
| Rebounds ........................................... $46 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 56 ~$ |  |
| Assists ................................................ 28............. 28 |  |
| Steals .............................................................................................. 14 |  |
| Blocks..................................................6 ............. 10 |  |
| Turnovers............................................. 14............ 28 |  |
| Largest halftime lead........................... $35 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 37 ~$ |  |
| Largest halftime deficit...........................-............. 27 |  |
| Most points scored in a half................. 54............ 60 |  |
| Fewest points scored in a half............. $38 . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 9 ~$ |  |
| Most points scored............................. 105 .......... 105 |  |
| Fewest points scored........................... 77............ 27 |  |
| Opponent most points scored.............. 41........... 107 |  |
| Opponent fewest points scored........... $41 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 32 ~$ |  |
| Highest scoring quarter....................... $31 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ 39 ~$ |  |
| Lowest scoring quarter........................ 18............. 2 |  |
| Opponent highest scoring quarter....... 21 ............. 32 |  |
| Opponent lowest scoring quarter.......... 7 ............... 4 |  |
| Brooks' Teams For ... |  |
| Day Games......................................... 1-0.........31-23 |  |
| Night Games (5 p.m. tip-off or later)... 1-0......... 36-17 |  |
| Month of November............................ 2-0.......... 22-2 |  |
| Month of December............................ 0-0.......... 18-1 |  |
| Month of January ................................. 0-0.......... 6-17 |  |
| Month of February............................... 0-0.......... 8-14 |  |
| Month of March ................................... 0-0.......... 13-6 |  |
| Monday's............................................0-0...........5-0 |  |
| Tuesday's ........................................... 1-0...........6-0 |  |
| Wednesday's ...................................... 0-0............8-3 |  |
| Thursday's........................................... 0-0......... 15-15 |  |
| Friday's ................................................. 0-0............8-2 |  |
| Saturday's.......................................... 0-0...........5-3 |  |
| Sunday's ............................................ 1-0......... 20-17 |  |
| Wearing White ............................................................ 40-11Wearing Maroon................................... 10-16Wearing Orange........................... 0-0......... 12-5Wearing Black...... |  |
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VINES CENTER - LYNCHBURG, VA - NOVEMBER 13, 2018 • ATT: 1,573
The Virginia Tech women's basketball team battles Liberty Tuesday night from the Vines Center in Lynchburg. For Tech, it was the first road contest of the season after opening the 2018-19 campaign at home with consecutive victories.
"I'm very pleased with the win tonight," Head Coach Kenny Brooks commented. "Obviously, it's very early in the season and you're just trying to learn your team. Coming into this building, from my time at James Madison I know how tough it can be to play here, so very pleased with our kids' performance."

Liberty made it uncomfortable for the Hokies in the early goings, winning the tip and knocking down a 3-pointer, setting up their three-quarter court defensive press which would continue throughout most of the night.

For the first time this season, the Hokies trailed after the first quarter by a score of 13-11.
Tech came back onto the floor in the second and reeled off 14 straight points to take the lead in the game, which would not be relinquished. Regan Magarity, Rachel Camp, Dara Mabrey, Trinity Baptiste and Kendyl Brooks all contributed to the run, as the Hokies began to share the ball well. The Hokies assisted on 16 of their 24 field goals on the night.
"Their offensive rebounding was a concern of mine and I thought our kids handled it well," Brooks said. "We played extremely hard, we didn't always play smart but we're trying to learn this team and we've got some kids that l'm very pleased with."

Tech had a balanced attack, placing three players in double figures on the night, with Emery and Mabrey each scoring 13 points. Baptiste had 12 and finished with six rebounds, while Rachel Camp added 10 points.

Magarity narrowly missed out on another double-double, coming just one point shy, while she did grab a game high 15 rebounds for the Hokies.
"I know it shows up in our win column, but I think it's great for our confidence as we move forward," said Brooks

Tech knocked down 10 3's, and shot at a clip of 46.2 percent from the field.

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals .- Final Statistics Virginia Tech vs Liberty 11/13/18 6 p.m. at Lynchburg, Va. (Vines Center)

Virginia Tech 72•3-0


| Liberty 61 - 0-2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \#* | Player |  | FG-FGA | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | Off | Def Tot | PF | TP | A TO | Blk | StI | Min |
| 20 | MCMILLIAN, Mya |  | 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 37 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 23 |
| 34 | RETTSTATT, Bridgette |  | 3-5 | 0-1 | 1-2 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 01 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| 04 | CROWDER, Tatyana | 9 | 3-10 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 |  | 2 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 26 |
| 12 | BAKER, Ashtyn | 9 | 4-11 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 2 | 35 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 28 |
| 23 | LYTLE, Emily | 9 | 4-10 | 3-7 | 2-2 | 2 | 02 | 3 | 13 | 03 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| 02 | GULLEY, Ria |  | 1-6 | 1-2 | 4-4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| 10 | JOHNSON-GRAHAM, K. |  | 4-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 11 | 1 | , | 15 |
| 13 | UCAR, Melis |  | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 10 |
| 30 | BARBOUR, KK |  | 1-8 | 0-2 | 1-1 | 1 | 23 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 18 |
|  | Team |  |  |  |  | 1 | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Totals |  | 24-64 | 4-15 | 9-11 |  | 2538 | 20 | 61 | 912 | 3 | 8 | 200 |
|  | $\begin{array}{llll}\text { FFG: } & 5-14 & 35.7 \% \\ 3 F 6 \% & 1-5 & 20.0 \%\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 18.8 \% \\ & 33.3 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \substack{6-16 \\ 2-4} \end{aligned}$ | $37.5 \%$ <br> $50.0 \%$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10-18 \\ & 0-3 \end{aligned}$ | $5.5 \%$ | Game | ${ }_{4-154}^{24-64}$ | 5\% |  |  |

Officials: Bruce Morris, Royce Blevins, An-Jamilah Gregory
echnical fouls: Virginia Tech-None. Liberty-None.

| Virginia Tech |
| :--- | :--- |
| Liberty |

Last FG - VT 4th-00:33, LBERTY 4th-00:00
Largest lead - VT by 16 3rd-02:41, LIBERTY by 5 2nd-09:22.
VT led for $29: 07$. LIBERTY led for 10:

## QUICK FACTS

| Location: | urg, Va. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Founded: | 1872 |
| Enrollment: | 34,000+ |
| President: | Dr. Tim Sands |
| Director of Athletic | Whit Babcock |
| Nickname: | Hokies |
| Colors: | Chicago Maroon \& Burnt Orange |
| Stadium: | . Lane Stadium/Worsham Field |
| Head Coach: | . . . . Kenny Brooks - 4th season |
| 2018-19 Record: | . . . . . . 22-12 (WNIT Sweet 16) |

## WBB HISTORY

All-Time Tech Record (1976-; 44 seasons)
Overall. 689-586
Conference . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 227-297
Home . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 414-200
On the road . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 200-306
Neutral sites . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 76-80
Televised games. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 81-96
Overtime games . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 22-25
When ranked. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 58-34
Opponent ranked. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 29-144
Both teams ranked . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .2-12
VT ranked higher . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 58-34
Opponent ranked higher . . . . . . . . . . . . . 27-132

|  | Tech | Opp. |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Total points scored (Avg.) | $84,577(66)$ | $82,134(64)$ |
| Most Points Scored | $117(1986)$ | $108(1977)$ |
| Fewest Points Scored | $26(2012)$ | $12(2014)$ |
| Largest Margin of Victory | $67(2017)$ | $60(1977)$ |
| Smallest Margin of Victory | $1(2017)$ | $1(2018)$ |

## TECH IN OVERTIME (22-25)

Last 10 overtime games (3-7)

| Date | Opp. | Tech | Opp | Result | In |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1/20/19 | at NC State | 61 | 70 | L | OT |
| 1/6/19 | Syracuse | 73 | 75 | L | OT |
| 12/18/16 | at Auburn | 92 | 87 | W | T |
| 2/21/16 | at Miami | 56 | 67 | L | OT |
| 2/9/14 | NC State | 71 | 72 | L | OT |
| 2/2/14 | BC Eagles | 70 | 63 | W | OT |
| 2/3/12 | Clemson | 51 | 55 | L | OT |
| 12/16/11 | Charlotte | 65 | 71 | L | OT |
| 12/18/10 | at W\&Mary | 94 | 78 | W | 2OT |

*underlined games represent the Kenny Brooks era (1-2 in overtime games)

## 2019-20 Virginia Tech

## Virginia Tech Season Box Score (as of Nov 12, 2019) All games

| RECORD: |  |  | OVERALL |  |  |  | HOME |  |  |  | AWAY |  |  |  | NEUTRAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ALL GAMES |  |  | 2-0 |  |  |  | 1-0 |  |  |  | 1-0 |  |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CONFERENCE |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NON-CONFERENCE |  |  | 2-0 |  |  |  | 1-0 |  |  |  | 1-0 |  |  |  | 0-0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  | Rebounds |  |  |  | pf dq |  | a | to | blk | stl | pts | avg |
| \# | Player | gp-gs | min | avg | fg-fga | fg\% | $3 \mathrm{fg}-\mathrm{fg} \mathrm{a}$ | 3fg\% | ft -fta | ft\% | off | def | tot | avg |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 00 | Trinity Baptiste | 2-2 | 39 | 19.5 | 4-6 | . 667 | 1-2 | . 500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0 | 6 | 6 | 3.0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 5.0 |
| 02 | Aisha Sheppard | 2-2 | 61 | 30.5 | 14-29 | . 483 | 7-13 | . 538 | 3-3 | 1.000 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 3.5 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 38 | 19.0 |
| 04 | Dara Mabrey | 2-2 | 67 | 33.5 | 10-23 | . 435 | 6-17 | . 353 | 0-0 | . 000 | 1 | 9 | 10 | 5.0 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 26 | 13.0 |
| 05 | Taja Cole | 2-2 | 65 | 32.5 | 7-10 | . 700 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 3-5 | . 600 | 0 | 9 | 9 | 4.5 | 3 | 0 | 16 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 9.0 |
| 15 | Makayla Ennis | 2-0 | 12 | 6.0 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2.0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2.0 |
| 21 | Lydia Rivers | 2-0 | 58 | 29.0 | 9-16 | . 563 | 1-2 | . 500 | 6-8 | . 750 | 8 | 15 | 23 | 11.5 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 25 | 12.5 |
| 22 | Cayla King | 2-0 | 28 | 14.0 | 2-4 | . 500 | 2-4 | . 500 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 3.0 |
| 33 | Elizabeth Kitley | 2-2 | 46 | 23.0 | 16-22 | . 727 | 0-0 | . 000 | 3-4 | . 750 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 6.5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 17.5 |
| 40 | Alex Obouh Fegue | 2-0 | 24 | 12.0 | 8-12 | . 667 | 0-0 | . 000 | 4-6 | . 667 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 4.0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 10.0 |
|  | Team |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 6 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total......... | 2 | 400 |  | 72-124 | . 581 | 18-39 | . 462 | 20-27 | . 741 | 20 | 69 | 89 | 44.5 | 35 | 0 | 42 | 23 | 8 | 12 | 182 | 91.0 |
|  | Opponents...... | 2 | 400 |  | 35-114 | . 307 | 13-39 | . 333 | 16-26 | . 615 | 17 | 31 | 48 | 24.0 | 28 | - | 19 | 28 | 4 | 8 | 99 | 49.5 |


| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Totals |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Virginia Tech | 48 | 41 | 51 | 42 | 182 |
| Opponents | 15 | 28 | 27 | 29 | 99 |

## TV/RADIO CHART



0 TRINITY BAPTISTE

- F|6-0 | Jr.

Tampa, Fla. (Hillsborough/Northwest Florida St.)


4 DARA MABREY

- G | 5-7 | So.

Belmar, N.J. (Manasquan)


15 MAKAYLA ENNIS

- G/F | 6-0 | Fr.

Brampton, Ontario, Canada (Lincoln Prep)


## 23 ASIAH JONES

- F|6-3|r-Jr.

Sacramento, Calif. (Woodmont/USC)

Chatearoux, France (Pierre de Coubertain/Eastern Florida)


## 40 ALEX OBOUH FEGUE

- C | 6-4 | r-Jr.


2 AISHA SHEPPARD

- G | 5-9 | Jr.

Alexandria, Va. (St. John's)


5 TAJA COLE

- G | 5-8 | Grad

Richmond, Va. (L.C. Bird/Louisville/Georgia)


## 21 LYDIA RIVERS

- F | 6-2 | Grad

Kinston, N.C. (Kinston/Radford)


## 33 ELIZABETH KITLEY

- C | 6-5 | Fr.

Summerfield, N.C. (Northewest Guilford)


## 3 CHLOE BROOKS

- G|5-10|r-Fr.

Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)


## 10 KENDYL BROOKS

- G|5-10| Sr.

Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)


## 22 CAYLA KING

- G | 5-11 | Fr.

Greensboro, N.C. (Northwest Guildford)


## 35 TAYLOR GEIMAN

- G/F | 6-0 | Fr.

Hannover, Pa. (South Western)

# GAME ONE <br> ST. FRANCIS VIRGINIA TECH 

## CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA - NOV. 5, 2019 - ATTENDANCE: 1,209

Freshman center Elizabeth Kitley scored a game high 27 points on 13 of 15 shooting and the rest of the Hokies' women's basketball squad as they rolled to a convincing 105-41 victory on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum Tuesday.

With the win, head coach Kenny Brooks moves to 4-0 in season openers at Tech. Saint Francis starts the season 0-1 under first year head coach Keila Whittington.

Tech won the opening tip which led to an Aisha Sheppard 3-pointer which would be an indicator of things to come. The Hokies, who never trailed in the game closed the opening quarter on a 16-0 run, extended the advantage with a 16-2 run to open up the second quarter.

By halftime, Tech had 17 assists on 21 field goals and led 51-15.
All nine Hokies who dressed saw time on the court and scored a basket, with Kitley's 27 points leading the way and four others; Sheppard, Dara Mabrey, Alex Obouh Fegue and Trinity Baptiste also in double figures.

Tech dominated the glass to the tune of 46 rebounds while holding Saint Francis to 18.
The Red Flash were led in scoring be Jenna Mastellone's eight points and Sam Sebino's seven.

The Hokies tied several Cassell Coliseum records recording 105 points, 44 field goals and 28 assists.

## GAME NOTES

Tech topped 100 points for the first time since dropping 105 on visiting High Point in 2007. Six Hokies made their Virginia Tech debuts against the Red Flash, and all six scored buckets; Elizabeth Kitley ( 27 points, 5 rebounds), Taja Cole ( 7 points, 9 assists, 5 rebounds), Lydia Rivers ( 9 points, 8 rebounds, 6 assists), Cayla King (3 points), Alex Obouh Fegue (14 points, 5 rebounds), Makayla Ennis (4 points, 4 rebounds)
Five players were in double figures.
As a team, the Hokies shot $80 \%$ from the free throw line in 2018-19, tops in the nation. Tuesday Tech was 8 of 13 from the charity stripe.
Five different players connected on 3 -pointers against the Red Flash.
Tech tied a school record with 28 assists at Cassell Coliseum. The Hokies' assist to turnover ratio was 3.11.


VIRGINIA TECH 58 GEORGE MASON

EaGLEBANK ARENA • FAIRFAX, VA • NOV. 10, 2019 • ATTENDANCE: 1,282
The Virginia Tech women's basketball team raced past George Mason 77-58 Sunday afternoon at EagleBank Arena, moving to 2-0 on the young season.

The game was a homecoming of sorts for junior guard Aisha Sheppard the Alexandria native who had over 70 family members and friends in the stands. She played inspired basketball, scoring a career best 22 points.

Mason fell to 1-1 with the loss. The Patriots were led by Jacy Bolton who scored 15 points and added five rebounds.

Dara Mabrey got the Hokies going on the offensive end early, starting 3 of 4 from beyond the arc in the first half. Behind her and Sheppard, the Hokies knocked down nine triples in the game.

But the spark was Lydia Rivers, the grad transfer who registered her first double-double as a Hokie with 16 points and 15 rebounds. She was 6 of 9 from the field and converted all four of her opportunities from the free throw line. Perhaps her biggest impact however was on the glass, where she corralled 15 , including six on the offensive end.

Mason threatened in the third quarter cutting the Hokies' advantage to single digits, but could get no closer than seven points.

Taja Cole scored in double figures with 11 points and dished out seven assists to go along with four rebounds. She played a game high 39 minutes.

## Game notes

-Tech, who opened the season with a 58\% shooting effort against Saint Francis on Tuesday shot $50 \%$ from the floor Sunday afternoon.
-Four different Hokies were in double figures; Sheppard (22), Rivers (16), Mabrey (11) and Cole (11).
-The Hokies had the advantage on the glass 43-30.
-Both teams had an assist to turnover ratio of 1.0 (Virginia Tech 14-14 and George Mason 11-11).


