

VIRGINIA TECH

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Chattanooga Mocs

Postgame Notes

Dec. 11, 2019

Cassell Coliseum | Blacksburg, Va.

FINAL SCORE: Virginia Tech 63, Chattanooga 58

RECORDS AND NOTABLES

- Virginia Tech improves to 7-3 overall with the victory over the Mocs, and Tech remains 1-1 in ACC play.
- Landers Nolley ranks fifth in the ACC in points averaging 18.6 per game. Wabissa Bede ranks second in the ACC in assists with seven per game.
- Virginia Tech is now tied with Chattanooga in the all-time series 2-2. The Mocs won in 1922 and 2000. The Hokies won the last matchup 63-59 in 2004 and tonight 63-58.
- **UP NEXT:** The Hokies will play host to Gardner-Webb on Dec. 15 at 1:30 p.m. at Cassell Coliseum.

TEAM NOTES

- Virginia Tech used the starting lineup of Wabissa Bede, Tyrece Radford, P.J. Horne, Landers Nolley II, and Nahiem Alleyne. This is the eighth straight game the Hokies have started these five, resulting in five victories.
- **KEY FIRST HALF RUN:** Tech led 21-19 with just over seven minutes remaining in the first half. Forward Landers Nolley hit a jumper and freshman John Ojiako slammed it home to spark a 9-2 run and push Tech's lead to 30-21. This advantage would help give the Hokies a 32-28 entering the half. Freshman Nahiem Alleyne scored 13 points in the first half, which is his highest point total in the first half this season.
- **KEY SECOND HALF RUN:** Trailing 51-47, Alleyne hit a triple and sunk two critical free throws to give Tech a 52-51 advantage with a little over three minutes of action left. With just under two minutes left, Tyrece Radford laid it in and Bede drilled a clutch 3 to give Tech a 59-53 lead. This run would propel the Hokies to a 63-58 victory.
- Alleyne scored a team-high 22 points for the Hokies. This the second time this season Alleyne has lead Tech in scoring both games resulting in wins.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

Nahiem Alleyne

- Alleyne scored a career-high 22 points in the victory over Chattanooga. Alleyne now has two 20-plus scoring performances this season.

Landers Nolley

- Nolley scored 19 points against the Mocs and has now scored in double-figures in every game this season but one (Duke, Dec. 6).

Wabissa Bede

- Bede dished out seven assists and now has 70 assists through 10 games.

Tyrece Radford

- Radford grabbed seven rebounds, marking his second straight game with as many rebounds. The redshirt freshman guard now has 54 boards through 10 games and is second on the team in boards averaging 5.4.