VIRGINIA TECH
MEN'S BASKETBALL

Virginia Tech Hokies vs. NC State Wolfpack
Postgame Notes
Jan. 11, 2020
Cassell Coliseum | Blacksburg, Va.
FINAL SCORE: Virginia Tech 72 , NC State 58

RECORDS AND NOTABLES

- Virginia Tech improves to 12-4 overall and 3-2 in ACC play.
- This is Tech's first ACC home win of the season and Mike Young's first ACC win in Blacksburg. Tech is now 9-1 on the season at home.
- Mike Young is now 2-2 against NC State and 1-0 versus Kevin Keatts.
- The Hokies have now defeated NC State for the third straight time along with the third consecutive time at Cassell Coliseum.
- NC State is ahead in the all-time series leading 40-18. Tech has claimed the last three meetings, including the 47-24 defensive battle in Raleigh in 2019. The Hokies have won the last three games against the Wolfpack at Cassell Coliseum.
- **UP NEXT:** The Hokies will travel to Winston-Salem for a matchup with Wake Forest on Tuesday, Jan. 4 at 9 p.m. ET inside Lawrence Joel Veterans Memorial Coliseum.

TEAM NOTES

- Virginia Tech went with Wabissa Bede, Tyrece Radford, P.J. Horne, Landers Nolley II, and Nahiem Alleyne in their starting five. This is game No. 14 that Tech has gone with these five out of the gate, resulting in 10 out of Tech's 12 victories. The Hokies bench has had steady production as well, averaging over 20 points a game.
- Tech got it done in transition, outscoring State 15-4 in fastbreak points.
- **KEY FIRST HALF RUN:** The Wolfpack came out the gate hot going up 10-0 early in the first half. Back-to-back 3-pointers from redshirt freshman Landers Nolley and forward P.J. Horne would spark 13-0 run to give Tech a 13-10 lead. With 2:53 left in the first, Nolley hit a triple and then made two free throws to provide Tech with a 10-point advantage. Nolley led all with 18 points and the Hokies entered the break leading 40-33.
- **KEY SECOND HALF RUN:** With just under 10 minutes of action remaining, Nolley finished off a slam dunk followed by triple and a jumper to give Tech a 55-49 advantage. Leading 55-52 with just under seven minutes left guard, Tyrece Radford scored six straight points in the paint, including a fastbreak

dunk. Then freshman Nahiem Alleyne hit a 3-pointer from the corner to cap off the run and give Tech a 66-52 lead. The Hokies would not look back from this run and won 72-58.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

Tyrece Radford
- Radford recorded a career-high 18 points and had his second straight nine-rebound performance.

Landers Nolley
- Nolley's 29 points is his second-highest point total of the season (30, Clemson). Nolley also grabbed seven rebounds which is his sixth game this season with seven or more boards.

Jalen Cone
- Cone scored 10 points in the victory, which is now his fifth game reaching double figures in scoring and second straight game doing so (19, Syracuse).

Wabissa Bede
- Bede dished out seven assists in the win over NC State. Bede now has 100 total assists on the season and seven or more in seven games this season.