

# VIRGINIA TECH *Women's Basketball*

## VIRGINIA TECH (18-6, 8-5) vs WAKE FOREST (13-12, 6-8)

GAME 25

Kenny Brooks ..... **Coach** ..... Jen Hoover  
 James Madison (1992) ..... **Alma Mater** ..... Wake Forest (1991)  
 83-46 (4th Season) ..... **Record at School** ..... 111-136 (Eighth Season)  
 420-168 (18th Season) ..... **Overall Record** ..... 129-149 (Ninth Season)  
 4-1 ..... **Record vs. coach with current team** ..... 1-4

SUNDAY, FEB. 16 ■ 1 PM ■ WINSTON-SALEM, NC ■ LJVM COLISEUM ■ ACCNX

### EIGHT WINS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ACC HISTORY

•Virginia Tech has reached eight league wins for the first time in program history following the 64-61 overtime victory against Georgia Tech on Thursday night. With five games still to play, this year's squad could extend that mark much further and be on their way to the first NCAA appearance since 2006.

### COLE AMONG THE NATION'S BEST

•Graduate transfer Taja Cole leads the ACC and is among the national leaders in assists per game at 6.5. She ranks in the top 10 nationally in that category.  
 •She is on the Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List given to the nation's best points guard for the second season in a row after she led the SEC in assists in 2018-19.

### TWO HOKIES CLIMBING THE CHARTS

•Guards Aisha Sheppard and Dara Mabrey are some of the best shooters to ever play for Virginia Tech. Both have ascended into the top 10 in program history in 3-pointers made.  
 •Sheppard, a junior ranks second with 206 and Mabrey, a sophomore is eighth at 142.  
 •Senior guard Kendyl Brooks ranks fifth all-time with 160 in her career. She has not played this season and will sit out due to injury.

### NEXT TIME ON CARILION CLINIC COURT

•The Hokies are back at Cassell Coliseum on Sunday, February 23 to play host to the Virginia Cavaliers. Tipoff on ACC Network Extra is set for 7 p.m.  
 •In the season's first meeting, Tech earned a 69-61 victory at John Paul Jones Arena behind a balanced offensive attack that saw all five starters record double figures. Dara Mabrey led the squad with 15 points, including a memorable 3-pointer from the logo as the shot clock wound down from an out of bounds play under the basket. The Hokies outrebounded the Cavaliers 41-30 and went 18-22 from the free throw line.  
 •That game will be Senior Day for the program as they recognize those graduates who have made contributions to the program.

### VIRGINIA TECH PROJECTED STARTERS



#5  
Taja Cole  
5-8 • Grad • G

PPG 9.4  
RPG 5.1  
AST 6.4  
FG% .40



#4  
Dara Mabrey  
5-7 • So. • G

PPG 12.7  
RPG 2.8  
AST 1.8  
FG% .40



#2  
Aisha Sheppard  
5-10 • Jr. • G

PPG 15.8  
RPG 3.3  
AST 1.6  
FG% .40



#21  
Lydia Rivers  
6-2 • Grad • F

PPG 6.7  
RPG 8.5  
AST 1.8  
FG% .46



#33  
Elizabeth Kitley  
6-5 • Fr. • C

PPG 11.2  
RPG 7.0  
AST 0.6  
FG% .55

### 2019-20 SCHEDULE

Nov. 5	SAINT FRANCIS	W, 105-41
Nov. 10	at George Mason	W, 77-58
Nov. 15	LIBERTY	W, 73-69
Nov. 19	MD EAST SHORE	W, 86-43
Nov. 24	DAVIDSON	W, 88-68

### DAYTONA BEACH INVITATIONAL

Nov. 29	^Belmont	W, 60-58
Nov. 30	^Georgia	L, 72-77

Dec. 5	#PURDUE	W, 67-54
Dec. 8	GARDNER-WEBB	W, 87-65

### COQUI CLASSIC - San Juan, Puerto Rico

Dec. 20	\$Rice	W, 54-45
Dec. 21	\$Wichita State	W, 84-63

Dec. 29	at Florida State [8]	L, 62-86
Jan. 2	at NC State [9]	L, 69-76
Jan. 5	NORTH CAROLINA	W, 76-70
Jan. 9	PITT	W, 68-56
Jan. 12	at Duke	L, 67-72(OT)
Jan. 19	at Virginia	W, 69-61
Jan. 23	BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 70-49
Jan. 26	CLEMSON	W, 71-50
Jan. 30	at Syracuse	L, 65-67
Feb. 2	MIAMI	W, 69-45
Feb. 6	NC STATE [7]	L, 59-71
Feb. 9	at North Carolina	W, 72-63
Feb. 13	GEORGIA TECH	W, 64-61(OT)

### Feb. 16 at Wake Forest 1 PM

Feb. 20	at Notre Dame	8 PM
Feb. 23	VIRGINIA	2 PM
Feb. 27	DUKE	7 PM
March 1	at Louisville	1 PM

### ACC TOURNAMENT - Greensboro, N.C.

March 4-8 Greensboro Coliseum

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**LAST MEETING**  
**WAKE FOREST 63**  
**VIRGINIA TECH 85**

GREENSBORO COLISEUM • GREENSBORO, NC • MAR. 6, 2019 • ATT: 3,172

In the teams' second meeting in four days, Virginia Tech comfortably replicated the result from Sunday afternoon in Blacksburg, defeating Wake Forest 85-63 Wednesday afternoon in the ACC Tournament's First Round.

The win moves the Hokies to 20-10 on the season, while the Demon Deacons will end their season at 10-20.

"Obviously this time of the year it's survive and advance, but I thought our kids did a little bit more than that," head coach Kenny Brooks commented postgame. "I thought we really set the tone in the first quarter, then continued that in the second quarter."

Tech jumped out to a 27-10 lead after 10 minutes, thanks in large part to the aggressive play of First Team All-ACC guard Taylor Emery. The Tampa, Florida native scored Tech's first seven points and got off to a hot start with 12 in the first quarter setting the tone for the Hokies to take a big lead, one they would never relinquish.

The Hokies used a 10-0 run to tie the Deacons and regain the lead and then used another 10- stretch to finish the first quarter up 27-10.

That wouldn't be the only run of the day as the squad scored nine straight later in the second with buckets by Aisha Sheppard, Dara Mabrey and Magarity.

Magarity, who was named a Second Team All-Conference performer Tuesday, recorded another double-double her 21st with 22 points and 17 rebounds. The redshirt senior shot a high percentage, 7 of 12 and converted 7 of 8 from the free throw line.

Emery, who looked like she could break her own team record for points in an ACC Tournament game, finished with 26, which included three 3-pointers.

Tech got a major contribution from sophomore Trinity Baptiste who recorded her seventh double-double of the season with 12 points and a game-high 15 rebounds. Baptiste, who does much of her work on the offensive glass, pulled down five offensive rebounds which lead to a three-point play on one occasion and an easy bucket on another.

"I thought we had a really good balance to us," Brooks said. "I thought the seniors did a tremendous job of getting us going. Taylor had a great bounce, got us going with some early shots. Regan did a tremendous job on the boards but also scoring. And they really set the tone. I think both of them had 17 points at the half. And then it just kind of propelled us into the second half."

The Hokies shared the ball extremely well, making the extra pass to the player in the corner on numerous occasions. At the end of the day, Tech racked up 19 assists on 28 made field goals.

Forward Alexis Jean had a season best nine points thanks to 3 of 4 shooting from beyond the arc. As a team, Tech made 11 of 27 attempts from distance.

Wake Forest, the 15-seed shot just 37 percent from the field and missed 11 free throws on the afternoon.

The Deacons were led by 18 points and 12 rebounds from Alex Sharp. Three other players also tallied double figure scoring totals; Ivana Raca (14), Maya Banks (13) and Gina Conti (12).

**QUICK FACTS**

Location: Blacksburg, Va.  
 Founded: 1872  
 Enrollment: 34,000+  
 President: Dr. Tim Sands  
 Director of Athletics: Whit Babcock  
 Nickname: Hokies  
 Colors: Chicago Maroon & Burnt Orange  
 Venue: Cassell Coliseum  
 Head Coach: Kenny Brooks – 4th season  
 2018-19 Record: 22-12 (WNIT Sweet 16)

**WBB HISTORY**

**All-Time Tech Record (1976- ; 44 seasons)**

Overall: 705-592  
 Conference: 235-302  
 Home: 425-201  
 On the road: 202-310  
 Neutral sites: 79-81  
 Overtime games: 22-25  
 When ranked: 58-34  
 Opponent ranked: 29-147  
 Both teams ranked: 2-12  
 VT ranked higher: 58-34  
 Opponent ranked higher: 27-132

	Tech	Opp.
Total points scored (Avg.)	86,129 (66)	83,503 (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 (23-25)**

Last 10 overtime games (3-7)

Date	Opp.	Tech	Opp	Result	In
2/13/19	Ga. Tech	64	61	W	OT
1/12/19	at Duke	67	72	L	OT
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	OT
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

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

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics  
**Wake Forest vs Virginia Tech**  
 03/06/19 3:30 pm at the Greensboro Coliseum - Greensboro, NC

Wake Forest 63 • 10-20 (1-15 ACC)				Virginia Tech 85 • 20-10 (6-10 ACC)																														
##	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min																			
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	FG	FGA									FT	FTA																	
00	Banks, Maya	6	11	0	0	1	4	5	2	13	0	0	2	1	24																			
11	Raca, Ivana	5	10	0	0	4	6	2	2	4	1	14	1	0	36																			
05	Conti, Gina	5	15	0	3	2	5	1	3	4	1	12	3	3	0	33																		
10	Hahne, Ellen	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	19																		
14	Sharp, Alex	7	20	1	4	3	6	6	12	1	18	3	2	1	38																			
12	Dickson, Kaylen	1	5	1	2	0	0	4	4	1	3	0	4	0	19																			
21	Branch, Raegyn	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	15																			
44	Udoh, Ona	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	8																			
50	Jarosinski, Lindsey	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8																			
Team		25-67			2-9			11-22			13			21			63			7			10			3			5			200		
1st - FG %:		5-19 26.3%			2nd: 8-17 47.1%			3rd: 4-14 28.6%			4th: 8-17 47.1%			Game: 25-67 37.3%			Deadball			Rebounds			8,1											
3FG %:		0-3 0.0%			1-3 33.3%			0-2 0.0%			1-3 33.3%			2-9 22.2%																				
FT %:		0-2 0.0%			3-7 42.9%			0-2 0.0%			4-8 50.0%			11-22 50.0%																				

Virginia Tech 85 • 20-10 (6-10 ACC)																																					
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		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	FG	FGA									FT	FTA																				
00	Baptiste, Trinity	5	11	1	1	5	10	15	3	12	4	1	0	1	24																						
11	Magarity, Regan	7	12	1	1	7	8	5	9	14	3	22	3	1	1	28																					
01	Emery, Taylor	8	14	3	6	7	8	0	1	1	1	26	1	1	0	24																					
02	Sheppard, Aisha	2	10	1	5	0	0	4	4	2	5	4	4	0	30																						
04	Mabrey, Dara	1	9	0	6	0	2	2	1	2	5	2	0	0	27																						
10	Brooks, Kendyl	2	5	2	4	0	0	6	6	2	6	1	1	0	20																						
23	Camp, Rachel	0	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	16																						
25	Jean, Alexis	3	5	3	4	0	0	2	2	4	2	9	0	0	0	24																					
34	Brooks, Erinn	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7																						
Team		28-67			11-27			18-21			17			32			49			17			85			19			11			5			200		
1st - FG %:		8-14 57.1%			2nd: 10-17 58.8%			3rd: 6-18 33.3%			4th: 4-18 22.2%			Game: 28-67 41.8%			Deadball			Rebounds			3														
3FG %:		4-8 50.0%			3-4 75.0%			2-8 25.0%			2-7 28.6%			11-27 40.7%																							
FT %:		7-8 87.5%			5-5 100.0%			3-4 75.0%			3-4 75.0%			18-21 85.7%																							

Officials: Dee Kantner, Billy Smith, Tiara Cruise  
 Technical fouls: Wake Forest-None. Virginia Tech-None.  
 Attendance: 3172  
 2019 ACC Women's Tournament - Opening Round  
 #10-seed Virginia Tech advances to face #7-seed Clemson, Thursday at 6p ET

Score by periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Wake Forest	10	20	12	21	63
Virginia Tech	27	28	17	13	85

	In	Off	2nd	Fast
Points	40	16	16	2
Paint	16	16	2	5
T/0	30	16	18	4
Chance	16	18	4	18
Break	16	18	4	18
Bench	5	16	2	5
Rebounds	3	16	18	4

Last FG - WF 4th-00:03, VT 4th-01:28.  
 Largest lead - WF by 1 1st-06:26, VT by 32 3rd-02:24.  
 WF led for 00:39, VT led for 38:04. Game was tied for 01:17.

# Kenny Brooks

HEAD COACH - 4TH SEASON

 @CoachBrooksVT



- 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 and 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 management. 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.

## THE BROOKS FILE

**Coaching Experience:** 23rd season/4th at Virginia Tech  
**Head Coach:** 18th season, 4th at Virginia Tech  
**Record at Tech:** 83-46  
**Record at JMU:** 337-122  
**Overall Record:** 420-168  
**Hometown:** Waynesboro, Virginia  
**High School:** Waynesboro (1987)  
**College:** James Madison (1992)  
**Playing Exp:** James Madison (1988-92)

## COACHING HISTORY

Year	School	Position
2016-pres	Virginia Tech	Head Coach
2003-16	James Madison	Head Coach
2002-03	James Madison	Interim Head Coach
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. <b>Kenny Brooks</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2016-19</b>
3. Beth Dunkenberg	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 Giggets and Jazmon Gwathmey from JMU.
- Since moving to Blacksburg, Brooks has helped Vanessa Panousis, Sidney Cook, Sami Hill, Regan Magarity and Taylor Emery find professional basketball success.

## MR. FEBRUARY

- Brooks' career record in the month of February is 102-38 (.728)
- In the 17 seasons of head coaching that he has completed, his teams have gone unbeaten in the month of February once (2015-16 with James Madison.)

- 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.
- 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.



**ALPHABETICAL**

**NUMERICAL**

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

**PRONUNCIATIONS**

Trinity **BAPTISTE** . . . . . Bap-teast      **TAJA** Cole . . . . . Tah-juh      **ASIAH** Jones . . . . . Asia  
**AISHA** Sheppard . . . . . Asia      **KENDYL** Brooks . . . . . Kendall      Taylor **GEIMAN** . . . . . Guy-man  
**Dara MABREY** . . . . . Dare-uh May-bree      **MAKAYLA** Ennis . . . . . Muh-kayla      Alex **OBOUH FEGUE** . . . . . Oboe Feh-gee

**WHERE WE COME FROM**

**VIRGINIA** . . . . . 4 (C.Brooks, K. Brooks, Cole, Sheppard)      **NEW JERSEY** . . . . . 1 (Mabrey)      **CALIFORNIA** . . . . . 1 (Jones)  
**NORTH CAROLINA** . . . . . 3 (Rivers, King, Kitley)      **FLORIDA** . . . . . 1 (Baptiste)      **CANADA** . . . . . 1 (Ennis)  
**PENNSYLVANIA** . . . . . 1 (Geiman)      **FRANCE** . . . . . 1 (Obouh Fegue)

**HOKIES BY CLASS**

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



## TV/RADIO CHART



### **0 TRINITY BAPTISTE**

• F | 6-0 | Jr.  
Tampa, Fla. (Hillsborough/Northwest Florida St.)



### **2 AISHA SHEPPARD**

• G | 5-9 | Jr.  
Alexandria, Va. (St. John's)



### **3 CHLOE BROOKS**

• G | 5-10 | r-Fr.  
Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)



### **4 DARA MABREY**

• G | 5-7 | So.  
Belmar, N.J. (Manasquan)



### **5 TAJA COLE**

• G | 5-8 | Grad  
Richmond, Va. (L.C. Bird/Louisville/Georgia)



### **10 KENDYL BROOKS**

• G | 5-10 | Sr.  
Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)



### **15 MAKAYLA ENNIS**

• G/F | 6-0 | Fr.  
Brampton, Ontario, Canada (Lincoln Prep)



### **21 LYDIA RIVERS**

• F | 6-2 | Grad  
Kinston, N.C. (Kinston/Radford)



### **22 CAYLA KING**

• G | 5-11 | Fr.  
Greensboro, N.C. (Northwest Guildford)



### **23 ASIAH JONES**

• F | 6-3 | r-Jr.  
Sacramento, Calif. (Woodmont/USC)



### **33 ELIZABETH KITLEY**

• C | 6-5 | Fr.  
Summerfield, N.C. (Northwest Guilford)



### **35 TAYLOR GEIMAN**

• G/F | 6-0 | Fr.  
Hannover, Pa. (South Western)



### **40 ALEX OBOUH FEGUE**

• C | 6-4 | r-Jr.  
Chateauroux, France (Pierre de Coubertain/Eastern Florida)

<b>OVERALL: 18-6</b>	<b>ACC: 8-5</b>	<b>HOME: 12-1</b>	<b>AWAY: 3-4</b>	<b>NEUTRAL: 3-1</b>
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**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 10th 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.

**COACH BROOKS' PGs HAVE SUCCESS**

- Taja 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 U-18 3v3 team that won second place at the European Championships.

**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 7.3 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 4.3 rebounds.
- Forward Lydia Rivers' energy off the bench has been huge for Tech already during the young season. She averages 9.3 points and is second in the ACC at 10.3 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.

**PROGRAM RECORDS SET UNDER COACH BROOKS**

<b>2016-17 Season</b>	<b>2017-18 Season</b>	<b>2018-19 Season</b>
<p>Team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Cracked the top 25 for the first time in a decade</li> <li>•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</li> <li>•Set the single game record for 3's at BC (15)</li> <li>•Single season record for 3's with 247</li> <li>•Single season points record (2,405)</li> </ul> <p>Individual</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Vanessa Panousis became the program's leader in 3-pointers</li> <li>•Regan Magarity recorded seven double-doubles in a row, the longest streak in program history</li> <li>•Chanette Hicks sets record for most steals in a single season (123)</li> <li>•Regan Magarity set the single season rebound record with 316</li> <li>•Kendyl Brooks sets freshman class record with 62 3-ponters</li> </ul>	<p>Team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Single season record for 3's (295), points (2,673), field goals record (946) and rebounds (1,471).</li> <li>•Largest margin of victory in program history (67) against Wagner</li> </ul> <p>Individual</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Taylor Emery sets single season scoring record (667 points), and field goals (236)</li> <li>•Regan Magarity sets single season rebound record (357)</li> <li>•Taylor Emery's 28 points vs Syracuse in ACC tournament most in a single game in that competition</li> <li>•Chanette Hicks becomes program's leader in steals</li> <li>•Chanette Hicks and Regan Magarity become 25th and 26th players to reach 1,000 points</li> <li>•Aisha Sheppard makes 76 3's the most for a freshman and second most all-time</li> <li>•Regan Magarity becomes the all-time leading rebounder in program history (864)</li> </ul>	<p>Team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Single season record for 3's (324)</li> <li>•Single game record for 3's (16 vs Longwood)</li> </ul> <p>Individual</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Regan Magarity sets single season rebound record (435) (also an ACC record)</li> <li>•Regan Magarity graduates with program record 1,299 rebounds (also an ACC record)</li> <li>•Dara Mabrey most 3's in a single season (80)</li> <li>•Taylor Emery becomes the first Hokie to make first team All-ACC</li> <li>•Taylor Emery becomes 27th player to score 1,000 points (was the fastest to do so in 55 games)</li> </ul> <p><b>ACC Awards under Brooks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•All-Tournament Teams                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Taylor Emery Second Team 2018 &amp; 2019</li> </ul> </li> <li>•All-ACC                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Taylor Emery First Team 2019, Second 2018</li> <li>Regan Magarity Second Team 2019</li> <li>Dara Mabrey All-Freshman 2019</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

# ACTIVE STARTS CHART

	19-20	Streak	VT Career
Trinity Baptiste	7	0	26
Chloe Brooks	0	0	0
Kendyl Brooks	-	0	47
Taja Cole	24	24	24
Makayla Ennis	0	0	0
Taylor Geiman	0	0	0
Asiah Jones	-	-	-
Cayla King	0	0	0
Elizabeth Kitley	24	24	24
Dara Mabrey	24	58	58
Alex Obouh Fegue	0	0	0
Lydia Rivers	17	17	17
Aisha Sheppard	24	34	45

- Sophomore guard Dara Mabrey overtook senior Kendyl Brooks for the team lead with 48 starts in a Virginia Tech uniform following the UNC game.
- 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 - 58
- Sheppard - 34

# CAREER 3-POINT FG MADE

Player	FG Made	Years
1. Vanessa Panousis	269	2013-17
2. <b>Aisha Sheppard</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>2017-pres</b>
3. Carrie Mason	200	2002-06
4. Lindsay Biggs	188	2006-10
5. <b>Kendyl Brooks</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>2016-pres</b>
6. Sarah Hicks	157	1997-02
7. Taylor Emery	146	2017-19
8. <b>Dara Mabrey</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>2018-pres</b>
9. Hannah Young	139	2012-16
10. Jeni Garber	127	1988-91

# RECORD BY CONFERENCE

Conference	Record
American Athletic (Wichita State)	1-0
<b>Atlantic Coast</b>	<b>8-5</b>
Atlantic Sun (Liberty)	1-0
Atlantic 10 (George Mason)	1-0
Big South (Davidson, Gardner-Webb)	2-0
Big Ten (Purdue)	1-0
Conference USA (Rice)	1-0
MEAC (Maryland Eastern Shore)	1-0
Northeast (Saint Francis)	1-0
Ohio Valley (Belmont)	1-0
SEC (Georgia)	0-1

## SERIES INFO

Games Played	29
Series	Virginia Tech leads 16-13
Series Began	12/9/1978
Home	10-3
Away	4-8
Neutral	2-2
Under Kenny Brooks	4-1
Last Meeting	Tech won 85-63 (3/6/19)

## WHAT A WAY TO GET NUMBER 700

- Tech's road victory over Virginia (1/19) was significant for a variety of reasons, including marking the 700th win in program history.

## GEIMAN SIDELINED WITH KNEE INJURY FOR REMAINDER OF THE SEASON

- Coach Brooks announced on his radio show on January 14 that freshman G/F Taylor Geiman has suffered a torn ACL and will not compete for the remainder of the 2019-20 season as she recovers.
- Geiman averaged 2.1 points in 11 games this season in nearly 12 minutes of action per contest. She missed the first five games of the season with a foot injury.

## A NEW FACE ON THE BENCH THIS SEMESTER

- Early enrollee Georgia Amoore has joined the Hokies for the spring semester.
- She will not compete, but will be involved in practices and other team activities.
- Amoore, a 5-foot-5 guard from Ballarat, Australia is one of the top prospects from her country. She has competed in youth international tournaments and has helped the Aussies win gold at the U-18 Fiba 3x3's and U-16 Asia Cup.

## ACC NEWCOMERS

- The Hokies had six players earn their first minutes against ACC opposition in the league opener at No. 8 Florida State (12/28) - Taja Cole, Lydia Rivers, Elizabeth Kitley, Taylor Geiman, Cayla King and Makayla Ennis.
- That group combined to score 38 of the Hokies' 62 points in the contest.
- Tech's roster featured four players (Kendyl Brooks, Aisha Sheppard, Dara Mabrey and Trinity Baptiste) who had ever played in an ACC game heading into the season.

## 58 STRAIGHT WINS AT CASSELL COLISEUM

- The Hokies have won each of the last 58 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.

## 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.
- Including the postseason, the Hokies are 57-9 under Brooks in the non-conference.
- Brooks is 11-4 against schools from the other Power 4 conferences during his tenure in Blacksburg. He is now 4-0 in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge.

## CARRYING THE FLAG FOR THE CONFERENCE

- The Hokies have been highly successful in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge winning five straight games in the competition. Over that span, Tech's average margin of victory has been 18 points, thanks in part to a dominant 47-point victory at Illinois in 2017.
- Tech has beaten Penn State (2015), Nebraska (2016), Illinois (2017), Rutgers (2018) and Purdue (2019) in consecutive seasons.
- Overall, the Hokies are 7-6 in the competition.

<b>The Hokies Under Brooks</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>Tech</b>
Home .....	12-1 .....	54-16
Road.....	3-4 .....	19-24
Neutral.....	3-1 .....	10-6
In non-conference games .....	10-1 .....	57-9
In ACC games.....	8-5 .....	24-37
Won opening tip.....	11-2.....	38-9
Lost opening tip.....	7-4 .....	45-36
After a win.....	12-5.....	58-24
After a loss.....	5-1 .....	21-22
Longest win streak.....	6 .....	15
Longest losing streak.....	2 .....	11

**Brooks' Record When ...**

Scores first .....	11-3.....	47-22
Opponent scores first.....	7-3.....	35-23
Leading after the 1st quarter.....	13-2.....	54-19
Trailing after the 1st quarter.....	3-4.....	21-25
Tied after the 1st quarter.....	2-0.....	8-1
Leading at halftime.....	17-3.....	62-12
Trailing at halftime .....	1-3.....	19-30
Tied at halftime .....	0-0.....	2-3
Leading after 3rd quarter .....	17-3.....	73-7
Trailing after 3rd quarter .....	0-3.....	10-33
Tied after 3rd quarter .....	1-0.....	1-2
In games decided by <5 points .....	3-3.....	11-13
In games decided by 6-10 points.....	4-1 .....	21-15
In games decided by 11-15 points .....	2-1 .....	11-4
In games decided by 16-20 points .....	2-0.....	10-6
In games decided by 21+ points.....	7-1 .....	30-8
In overtime games.....	1-1 .....	2-3

**Brooks' Team's High & Low Water Marks ...**

FG made .....	44 .....	<b>44</b>
FG att.....	70 .....	76
3FG made.....	18.....	<b>18</b>
3FG att .....	37 .....	37
FT made .....	22 .....	31
FT att.....	33 .....	40
Rebounds .....	55 .....	56
Assists .....	28 .....	<b>28</b>
Steals.....	7 .....	14
Blocks.....	9 .....	10
Turnovers.....	23 .....	28
Largest halftime lead.....	35 .....	37
Largest halftime deficit.....	12 .....	27
Most points scored in a half .....	60 .....	60
Fewest points scored in a half .....	18.....	9
Most points scored.....	105 .....	<b>105</b>
Fewest points scored.....	62 .....	27
Opponent most points scored.....	86 .....	107
Opponent fewest points scored.....	41 .....	32
Highest scoring quarter.....	31 .....	39
Lowest scoring quarter.....	7 .....	2
Opponent highest scoring quarter.....	25 .....	32
Opponent lowest scoring quarter.....	6 .....	4

**Brooks' Teams For ...**

vs. ranked opponents.....	0-3 .....	2-20
vs. ranked ACC opponents .....	0-3.....	1-19
Day Games.....	10-3.....	40-26
Night Games (5 p.m. tip-off or later) ..	8-3 .....	42-20
Month of November.....	6-1 .....	26-3
Month of December.....	4-1 .....	22-2
Month of January .....	5-3 .....	11-20
Month of February.....	3-1 .....	11-15
Month of March .....	0-0.....	13-6
On Monday .....	0-0 .....	5-0
On Tuesday .....	2-0 .....	7-0
On Wednesday .....	0-0 .....	8-3
On Thursday.....	4-3 .....	19-18
On Friday .....	3-0 .....	11-2
On Saturday .....	1-1 .....	6-4
On Sunday.....	8-2 .....	27-19
Wearing White .....	10-1 .....	49-12
Wearing Maroon.....	2-2 .....	11-18
Wearing Orange.....	4-1 .....	16-6
Wearing Black .....	2-2 .....	6-10

## 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.

## 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.

•It 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.

## WELCOMING THE NEXT WAVE OF HOKIES

• Coach Brooks announced his 2020 signing class in November which includes four exceptional young women: Georgia Amooore, Nevaeh Dean, Shamarla King and Shelby Calhoun.

• Amooore has enrolled early and has joined the team in Blacksburg.

• In January it was announced that Dean, King and Calhoun are all nominees for the McDonald's All-American game.











GAME NINE

GAME 10 - COQUI CLASSIC



**GARDNER-WEBB** 65  
**VIRGINIA TECH** 87



**VIRGINIA TECH** 54  
**RICE** 45

**CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • DEC. 8, 2019 • ATTENDANCE: 1,291**

Four players registered double figures and Tech's defense ramped up in the second half as the Hokies defeated Gardner-Webb 87-65 at Cassell Coliseum Sunday afternoon. The win, Tech's eighth of the season, signaled the final home game of 2019, where the Hokies have now defeated 58 consecutive non-conference opponents.

The Runnin' Bulldogs fell to 3-3 on the season.

It wasn't always a blowout on Carilion Clinic Court as Gardner-Webb started the game making shots, to which the Hokies had to respond and did so, leading by three after the first quarter. Carley Plentovich, and her sister Savannah kept the Bulldogs within arm's reach as the pair combined for 34 points in the game.

Tech held a four-point lead at halftime a product of their high shooting percentage (48%) but they also turned the ball over 13 times, allowing Gardner-Webb to hang around.

The Hokies were back to their best after the break, scoring 13 of the first 15 points in the third quarter and would not look back, leading by as many as 24 in the game.

Tech saw four players (Dara Mabrey 22, Elizabeth Kitley 18, Trinity Baptiste 17 and Aisha Sheppard 14) score in double figures.

**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE**

The Hokies dominated on the glass, holding a 55-35 advantage. Tech finished with 21 turnovers in the game and also forced the Bulldogs into 21. The Hokies hit 10 3-pointers in the game to Gardner-Webb's seven.

**GAME NOTES**

- Tech used the same starting lineup as they did in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge game vs. Purdue with Lydia Rivers starting at forward.
- Aisha Sheppard continued her streak of nine straight games with 10+ points
- Tech had two players record double-doubles, Trinity Baptiste (17 points, 17 rebounds) and Elizabeth Kitley (18 points, 11 rebounds). It is the duo's first time accomplishing that feat and for Kitley, a freshman, it was her first career double-double.

**MARIO MORALES COLISEO • SAN JUAN • DEC. 20, 2019 • ATTENDANCE: 100**

The Virginia Tech women's basketball team opened the Coqui with a 54-45 victory over the Rice Owls at Mario Morales Coliseo on Friday afternoon. It marked the ninth win of the season in 10 games for the Hokies, and dropped Rice's record to 5-5.

Dara Mabrey started the game with a trademark 3-pointer, but the Hokies would go on to struggle offensively for much of the first half. All told, both teams found points hard to come by, the byproduct of sloppy offense as well as good defensive efforts. Mabrey scored a layup at the buzzer to give the Hokies the lead back as the first half ended 24-23.

Off of the bench, true freshman Cayla King turned in a career-high with nine points on 3 of 4 shooting from beyond the arc. She and junior guard Aisha Sheppard, who finished the game with 18 points breathed life into the offense that struggled to get into a rhythm especially when Rice was trapping the ball to try and speed up the game.

Still, Tech shot 41% from the floor and help the opposition to sub-30 percent.

Rice was led by guard Erica Ogwumike who had a game-high 23 points on 22 shots.

**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE**

- Tech turned it over 23 times, the Owls just 12. For the Hokies, that total is the most of the season.
- The Hokies outrebounded Rice 42-32.
- One of the national leaders in 3's, Tech buried nine in the game while Rice only connected on one shot from beyond the arc.
- Rice won the battle in the paint, outscoring the Hokies 30-16 in that category.
- The Owls were also better in transition scoring 17 points to the Hokies' six.

**GAME NOTES**

- Tech used the same starting lineup for the third straight game - all victories by an average of 14.67 points.
- Aisha Sheppard continued her streak of 10 straight games with 10+ points, a career-long. She continues to lead the team in scoring at 17.2 points per game. With her three made 3-pointers this afternoon, Sheppard moved into fifth place all-time at Virginia Tech with 159. She trails teammate Kendyl Brooks by one.
- Elizabeth Kitley, after recording a double-double last time out, registered a career-best 14 rebounds in the game. She also had four blocks for the fourth time this season.
- Forward Lydia Rivers recorded double figure rebounds for the second time in her Tech career, hauling in 10.

Gardner-Webb - 65		Record: 3-3													Shooting By Period						
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BS	BA	+	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT	
34	Alexis Hueston	F 22:00	4-7	0-1	1-2	0	2	2	4	2	9	1	1	0	3	0	-9	1st	FG%	7-18	38.9%
42	Gabrielle Caponegro	F 33:26	2-6	0-0	0-2	1	5	6	2	4	0	2	1	2	1	-21	1st	FT%	2-2	100%	
1	K'Arti Cain	G 17:23	0-2	0-0	2-4	1	0	1	3	2	2	1	0	0	1	-3	2nd	FG%	5-19	26.3%	
5	Carley Plentovich	G 33:45	4-12	2-4	5-6	0	4	4	1	7	15	2	2	2	1	-14	2nd	3PT%	2-10	20.0%	
10	Savannah Plentovich	G 32:33	5-19	3-11	6-10	1	6	7	0	6	19	3	2	3	0	-13	2nd	FT%	3-6	50%	
2	Lauren Bevis	G 32:50	2-5	2-5	0-0	1	0	1	1	1	6	0	2	0	0	-19	3rd	FG%	1-16	6.3%	
32	Morgan Pointer	G 33:48	0-2	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	3	0	0	1	1	1	0	-9	3rd	3PT%	0-4	0.0%	
12	Jhessika Williams	G 20:27	4-12	0-2	2-2	3	2	5	4	2	10	0	1	0	1	-17	3rd	FT%	7-12	58.3%	
22	Nia Lee	G 10:46	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	-5	4th	FG%	8-17	47.1%	
Team						4	3	7			0				0						
Totals		21-70	7-26	16-26	12	23	35	21	22	65	8	11	7	6	6	-22					

Virginia Tech - 54		Record: 10-1													Shooting By Period						
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BS	BA	+	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT	
21	Lydia Rivers	F 35:00	0-5	0-0	0-0	2	8	10	4	1	0	4	3	1	0	1	15	1st	FG%	6-14	42.9%
33	Elizabeth Kitley	C 31:39	4-7	0-0	0-1	4	10	14	2	2	8	0	3	1	4	2	10	1st	FT%	3-5	60.0%
2	Aisha Sheppard	G 31:03	6-13	3-5	3-7	1	2	3	3	7	18	0	3	1	0	4	2nd	FG%	4-10	40.0%	
4	Dara Mabrey	G 38:14	5-13	2-6	0-2	1	2	3	1	3	12	1	1	1	0	2	8	2nd	3PT%	0-2	0.0%
5	Taja Cole	G 13:55	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	1	0	0	1	4	0	1	-4	2nd	FT%	0-0	0.0%	
00	Trinity Baptiste	G 20:41	1-2	1-1	4-4	1	3	4	2	2	7	2	3	0	0	0	1	3rd	FG%	6-12	50.0%
22	Cayla King	G 16:23	3-4	3-4	0-0	0	1	1	3	0	9	0	1	0	0	5	3rd	3PT%	4-6	66.7%	
35	Taylor Geiman	G 13:05	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	6	3rd	FT%	0-3	0.0%	
Team						1	2	3			0				3						
Totals		19-46	9-17	7-14	10	32	42	17	16	54	8	23	5	5	5	9					

GAME 11 - COQUI CLASSIC

**WICHITA STATE 63**  
**VIRGINIA TECH 84**



**MARIO MORALES COLISEO • SAN JUAN • DEC. 21, 2019 • ATTENDANCE: 100**  
 Hot shooting from up and down the roster keyed the Virginia Tech women's basketball program's 84-63 victory against Wichita State in their second game of the Coqui Classic Saturday afternoon. Tech notched its 10th victory of the season and in the process set a program record with 18 made 3-pointers breaking the mark of 16 set last season vs. Longwood.

Junior guard Aisha Sheppard made six herself, vaulting her past teammate Kendyl Brooks into fourth place all-time in Tech history, now standing at 165.

She wasn't the only Hokie connecting from downtown, as Trinity Baptiste, Taylor Geiman and Taja Cole each added three in the game and guards Dara Mabrey and Cayla King combined for the other three. As a team, the Hokies were 18 of 30 from beyond the arc.

Wichita fell to 7-5 on the season. Maya Brewer and Ashlei Kirven came off the bench to lead the Shockers in scoring with 14 and 12 points respectively, and the duo was joined in double figures by Mariah McCully who added 10.

**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE**

- Tech shot 49% from the field and 60% from beyond the arc.
- The Hokies knocked down 18 triples, while surrendering just three.
- The Shockers had the advantage in the paint 38-16.
- Both benches produced for both clubs, with the Hokies' bench scoring 28 points and the Shockers' supplying 30.

**GAME NOTES**

- Tech used the same starting lineup for the fourth straight game - all victories by an average of 16.2 points.
- Aisha Sheppard continued her streak of 11 straight games with 10+ points, a career-long. She continues to lead the team in scoring at 17.2 points per game.
- Taylor Geiman recorded a career-high with 11 points and three 3-pointers made in 20 minutes.
- Lydia Rivers registered her second double-double of the season with 11 points and 12 rebounds.
- Chloe Brooks featured in the game for two minutes, the first collegiate action of her career.

GAME 12

**VIRGINIA TECH 62**  
**#8 FLORIDA STATE 86**



**TUCKER CENTER • TALLAHASSEE, FLA. • DEC. 29, 2019 • ATTENDANCE: 2,969**  
 Fourteen points on 7 of 12 shooting from freshman Elizabeth Kitley was not enough Sunday as the Virginia Tech women's basketball team fell at No. 8 FSU 86-62. The loss is Tech's second of the season and moves the program's record to 10-2 (0-1).

Florida State improved to 13-0 (2-0) for the first time in program history.

Tech began the second quarter with a huge 10-2 run to take the lead and seize momentum with two Lydia Rivers field goals, a 3-pointer from Cayla King and Mabrey's triple. FSU took a timeout and would close the half on a 17-2 run to end the half and take a 10-point lead into the half.

The Hokies were led by Kitley's 14 as well as Mabrey who went 4 of 7 from downtown. Rivers scored 11 points and grabbed eight rebounds, while Baptiste led the Hokies with nine boards in the game.

The Seminoles had five players in double figures led by Nausia Woolfolk's 21. Nicki Ekhomu added 16 and Mo Jones had 11. As a team, the 'Noles shot 48% from the field and 35% from beyond the arc, making eight shots.

**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE**

- The Hokies had just 13 turnovers in the game after having 23 in consecutive games at the Coqui Classic.
- FSU held a 50-30 advantage in the paint.
- The 'Noles scored 16 points off of turnovers, while Tech scored two points.
- The Hokies' bench scored six points; Baptiste (2), Ennis (1) and King (3).
- Dara Mabrey went 4 of 7 from the 3-point line, the fifth time this season that she has registered four or more triples in a single game.

**GAME NOTES**

- Tech used the same starting lineup for the fifth straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.
- Aisha Sheppard was held under 10 points for the first time this season, scoring eight points on 3-15 shooting from the floor. She continues to lead the team in scoring at 16.5 points per game.

Wichita St. - 63		Record: 7-6			Shooting By Period	
NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	FF PD
13 Raven Prince	19:48	3-4	0-0	2-2	0 0 0	5 2 8
34 Shyla Smith	24:19	0-5	0-0	1-2	1 3 4	3 1 1
2 Mariah McCully	20:12	3-11	0-3	4-4	1 1 2	0 4 10
12 Carla Bremaud	31:58	2-8	1-4	0-0	0 1 1	3 2 5
23 Seraphine Bastin	27:50	2-7	0-1	5-6	2 1 3	2 3 9
5 Ashley Reid	18:40	0-3	0-0	1-2	0 1 1	0 1 1
0 Diamond Forrest	01:38	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 0 0
11 Ashlei Kirven	17:01	5-10	0-0	2-2	4 3 7	0 3 12
21 Maya Brewer	16:17	5-11	1-4	1-2	0 1 1	3 3 14
3 Natalia Rnyg	04:17	0-1	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0 0
31 Vendela Danielsson	08:00	1-1	1-1	0-0	0 0 0	0 3 0
<b>Team</b>					3 3 6	0 0 0
<b>Totals</b>		22-61	3-13	16-20	11 15 26	16 19 53

  

Virginia Tech - 84		Record: 11-1			Shooting By Period	
NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	FF PD
21 Lydia Rivers	27:02	3-3	0-0	5-6	2 10 12	3 4 11
33 Elizabeth Kitley	20:17	0-2	0-0	6-6	3 1 4	2 6 6
2 Aisha Sheppard	24:42	6-11	6-9	0-0	1 1 2	2 2 18
4 Dara Mabrey	18:27	2-5	2-5	0-0	1 1 2	3 2 6
5 Taja Cole	37:58	5-10	3-3	2-2	0 5 3	0 15 3 0
00 Trinity Baptiste	33:33	5-14	3-6	1-2	4 6 10	1 2 14
22 Cayla King	12:07	1-2	1-2	0-0	0 0 0	2 0 0
35 Taylor Geiman	20:13	4-6	3-5	0-0	1 3 4	3 0 11
15 Makayla Ennis	04:07	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 0 0
3 Chloe Brooks	01:34	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0 0
<b>Team</b>					1 1 2	0 2
<b>Totals</b>		26-53	18-30	14-16	13 29 42	19 16 84

  

Biggest lead		Points from		Period by Period Scoring	
WSU	VAT	WSU	VAT	1st	2nd
8 (1 <sup>st</sup> 6:34)	24 (4 <sup>th</sup> 2:08)	24	10	14	20
Best Scoring Run	8 (1 <sup>st</sup> 6:34)	10 (4 <sup>th</sup> 2:08)	38	16	63
Lead Changes	1	Second Chance	10	9	84
Times Tied	0	Fast Breaks	10	9	
Time with Lead	08:05	Bench	30	28	

Virginia Tech - 62		Record: 10-2 (0-1)			Shooting By Period	
NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	FF PD
21 Lydia Rivers	28:22	5-8	1-1	0-0	1 7 8	2 2 11
33 Elizabeth Kitley	28:54	7-12	0-0	0-0	1 4 5	2 0 14
2 Aisha Sheppard	25:44	3-15	2-12	0-0	0 0 0	4 0 8
4 Dara Mabrey	27:11	5-11	4-7	0-0	0 3 3	1 4 14
5 Taja Cole	30:22	3-5	0-0	3-4	0 3 3	2 3 6
00 Trinity Baptiste	22:48	1-10	0-1	0-0	2 7 9	1 1 2
35 Taylor Geiman	18:46	0-5	0-4	0-0	1 0 1	0 0 0
22 Cayla King	13:39	1-3	1-2	0-0	0 1 1	3 0 8
15 Makayla Ennis	04:14	0-0	0-0	1-2	0 0 0	1 1 1
<b>Team</b>					8 3 11	0 0 0
<b>Totals</b>		25-69	8-27	4-6	13 28 41	16 11 62

  

Florida State - 86		Record: 13-0 (2-0)			Shooting By Period	
NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	FF PD
15 Kiah Gillespie	30:04	5-13	0-4	0-0	2 1 3	1 0 10
32 Valencia Myers	23:04	0-3	0-0	1-2	1 5 6	3 3 1
12 Nicki Ekhomu	32:56	6-12	2-4	2-2	0 2 2	0 9 16
13 Nausia Woolfolk	30:00	8-12	3-5	2-2	2 1 3	0 21 21
24 Mo. Jones	16:45	5-7	0-1	1-1	7 8 3	0 11 1 1
1 River Baldwin	21:43	5-10	0-0	1-1	2 7 9	1 2 10
10 Kourtney Weber	13:31	1-6	0-3	0-1	1 2 3	1 2 0 1
2 Sarmie Puiis	19:33	3-7	3-7	0-0	1 0 1	0 9 0 1
24 London Clarkson	04:55	2-2	0-0	2-2	1 0 1	1 2 6
4 Amaya Brown	07:29	0-1	0-0	0-0	1 0 1	0 0 0 0
<b>Team</b>					0 5 5	0 0 0
<b>Totals</b>		35-73	8-23	8-11	12 30 42	11 16 86

  

Biggest lead		Points from		Period by Period Scoring	
VT	FSU	VT	FSU	1st	2nd
3 (2 <sup>nd</sup> 6:15)	24 (4 <sup>th</sup> 4:58)	16	16	14	62
Best Scoring Run	7 (1 <sup>st</sup> 3:05)	13 (2 <sup>nd</sup> 1:45)	30	50	
Lead Changes	4	Second Chance	5	13	
Times Tied	3	Fast Breaks	4	13	
Time with Lead	02:08	Bench	6	27	

GAME 13

GAME 14



VIRGINIA TECH #9 NC STATE 69 76

REYNOLDS COLISEUM • RALEIGH, NC • JAN. 2, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 4,153

Aisha Sheppard tied a school record with eight made 3-pointers Thursday night at No. 9 NC State, but it was not enough to overcome the Wolfpack, as Tech suffered its second consecutive loss to begin ACC play 76-69. The Hokies now stand at 10-3 (0-2) ahead of Sunday's contest vs North Carolina.

NC State improved to 13-0 (2-0).

Tech got off to a hot start with freshman center Elizabeth Kitley settling in and scoring the team's first two buckets, giving the Hokies some momentum that they would carry to a two-point lead at the first media timeout. In total, the Hokies went on an 11-0 run spanning two-and-a-half-minute span.

Midway through the second quarter, the Hokies owned a 14-point lead, their largest. NC State fought back going on a 16-5 run to close the gap before the halftime interval at which point the Hokies lead 33-28.

At the break, Tech was 5 of 10 from beyond the arc, keyed by junior Aisha Sheppard who was 3 for 3.

In the second half, NC State had a 10-5 run in the third to tie the game and from there the Wolfpack were able to take the lead with Kayla Jones triple with 4:41 in the third, a part of a 15-2 run.

State's largest lead in the contest was nine, but Tech stayed close, thanks in part to Sheppard who had a career night. Her eight made 3's set a Tech ACC record, surpassing the seven she made in her freshman season at Notre Dame. Those eight also tied a program record.

Point guard Taja Cole had a solid performance as well scoring 13 points and registering seven rebounds, six assists and two steals.

Kitley was the other Hokie in double figures with 11 points.

NC State was led by 28 points and nine rebounds from center Elissa Cunane, while Jones recorded a double-double with 11 points and 11 rebounds and guard Aislinn Konig had 18 points in the game.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Tech won the battle of the boards 36-33
-State connected on 13 of 17 free throws, while Tech only attempted five.
-The Hokies turned the ball over 19 times, the Wolfpack 11.

GAME NOTES

-Aisha Sheppard scored 10+ points, the 12th time in 13 games this season. She continues to lead the team at 17.4 points per game.



NORTH CAROLINA VIRGINIA TECH 70 76

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 5, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,939

Behind strong scoring runs in the second half, the Virginia Tech women's basketball team earned their first league victory of the season, defeating visiting North Carolina 76-70 Sunday afternoon at Carilion Clinic Court at Cassel Coliseum. The Hokies move to 11-3 on the season and 1-2 in conference play while the Heels fell to 11-3 and 2-1.

Trinity Baptiste came off the bench and was the catalyst in the first half scoring back-to-back buckets in the first quarter to tie the game and then adding 10 more points in the second quarter alone. The junior forward finished the game with 16 points and nine rebounds and helped the Hokies' front court to contain Carolina's Janelle Bailey who took just six shots and scored seven points in the game.

The Hokies held a four-point lead at the break, thanks in part to shooting 50% from the floor. In the third, the team picked up where it left off, making three triples from Aisha Sheppard and Dara Mabrey in the opening minutes to force a UNC timeout. Tech kept the momentum, owning 15-2 run that saw the lead balloon to as much as 18.

But Carolina would not go away and would battle back to within three points in the fourth quarter behind a 26-point performance from guard Shayla Bennett and 15 from Taylor Koenen. The Hokies used a quick 8-0 spurt to find some breathing room and would go on to close out the game at the free throw line where they made 14 of 19 in the game.

Taja Cole narrowly missed out on a double-double, with nine points and nine assists, while forward Lydia Rivers was efficient again going 5 for 8 from the floor and registering 11 points and seven rebounds.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- The Hokies caused 11 turnovers and only committed 10 in the game.
-Tech scored 16 points off of the Heels' turnovers, while allowing just seven.
-Virginia Tech outscored the Tar Heels in the paint 36-30.
-The Hokies and Heels each took 19 free throws in the game. In Tech's first two ACC games, they had been outshot at the line 28 to 11.
-The Tar Heels had zero points off the bench, while Tech had 19, 16 of which came from Baptiste.

GAME NOTES

- Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 12th time in 13 games this season. She continues to lead the team at 17.3 points per game. She made four 3's versus the Tar Heels one game after hitting a program best eight at NC State. Her 12 in two games is the most in program history.
-Trinity Baptiste scored 16 points, her eighth double digit game of the season and the first since scoring 14 vs. Wichita State at the Coqui Classic in San Juan.
-Tech used the same starting lineup for the seventh straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard,

NCAA Official Basketball Box Score - Final Virginia Tech at NC State 01/02/20 Reynolds Coliseum, Raleigh 2019-20 Women's Basketball. Game Time: 12:00 AM, Game Duration: 1:53, Attendance: 4,153. Record: 10-3 (0-2). Includes player and team statistics, shooting by period, and game notes.

NCAA Official Basketball Box Score - Final North Carolina at Virginia Tech 01/05/20 Cassell Coliseum, Blacksburg 2019-20 Women's Basketball. Game Time: 7:00 PM, Game Duration: 1:49, Attendance: 1,939. Record: 11-3 (2-1). Includes player and team statistics, shooting by period, and game notes.



PITT VIRGINIA TECH

56 68

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 9, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,332

The 3-point shot wasn't on for Virginia Tech Thursday night, but a terrific performance from grad transfer Taja Cole led the Hokies to their second consecutive ACC victory as they defeated Pitt 68-56 at Cassell Coliseum.

Tech improved to 12-3 (2-2) and Pitt dropped to 3-12 (0-4) on the season.

After Pitt scored the game's first points, the Hokies went on an 8-0 run to seize control and never looked back. Cole was the spark initially in the first quarter and she continued that momentum all game long, scoring nine points in the opening frame and finishing with a Virginia Tech career-best and game-high 21.

The Hokies used a 9-0 spurt in the second quarter to take an 18-point lead, their largest before it was trimmed to 13 heading into the break.

Seven different Hokies scored points in the first half.

But Pitt would not go away, beginning the second half with 7-0 run to cut the lead into single digits and hanging around with timely shots made from the perimeter from Gabbie Green who made three triples and Aysia Bugg who added 10 points.

Tech was able to close it out down the stretch with 3-pointers from Aisha Sheppard in the fourth quarter as she continues to find the bottom of the net from distance. She finished the game with 16 points.

Lydia Rivers secured a game-high 13 rebounds and added eight points. Cole added six assists and six rebounds.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

-Tech took 37 3-pointers in the game, setting a new record for a single game at Cassell Coliseum.

-The Hokies earned more free throws than the Panthers and were 11-12 from the line.

-Pitt had the edge on the glass 42-35.

-Tech forced 17 turnovers and committed just nine, six below the team's season average.

GAME NOTES

-Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 13th time in 14 games this season. She continues to lead the team at 17.2 points per game. With her five made 3's vs. Pitt, she's now hit 17 in the last three games, the most in program history in any three-game stretch.

-Lydia Rivers registered double figure rebounds for the fourth time this season with her 13. She leads the Hokies in boards at 8.5 per contest.

-Tech used the same starting lineup for the eighth straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley, Rivers and Kitley.



VIRGINIA TECH DUKE

67 72

CAMERON INDOOR STADIUM • DURHAM, N.C. • JAN. 12, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 3,088

The Virginia Tech women's basketball team couldn't stop a late rally from Duke to force overtime and in the extra session the Blue Devils outscored the Hokie 7-2 to secure a 72-67 victory Sunday afternoon at Cameron Indoor Stadium. Tech drops to 12-4 (2-3) and Duke improved to 8-8 (2-3).

It was a back and forth affair in the opening minutes as Elizabeth Kitley scored Tech's first three points of the afternoon including a jump shot from the elbow and Dara Mabrey hit a triple to give the Hokies a 6-2 lead. But Duke, in a game of runs, went on one through a variety of scorers including All-ACC guard Haley Gorecki to take a 21-12 advantage into the second frame.

The Hokies would steady themselves and race to a 13-2 run of their own behind solid defense and layoffs from Kitley, Lydia Rivers and Aisha Sheppard. The best player on the floor was dressed in Virginia Tech black, Taja Cole who controlled the game with her pace, timely shot making and defense.

Cole registered a double-double with 15 points and 10 rebounds while also adding five assists and four steals. She found Sheppard for an open 3-point shot at the 5:15 mark in the second to tie the game and force Duke into a timeout.

Tech's largest lead was nine in the second half, but Duke kept battling back with sparks coming off the bench in Mikayla Boykin and Miela Goodchild, a 3-point specialist who hit three in the game.

Duke closed out regulation with a 13-4 run, that included forcing several bad shots late in the shot clock as the Hokies could not find their rhythm.

Tech did score 32 points in the paint, thanks in part to Kitley who scored a game-high 21 on eight of 11 shooting. The freshman center just missed out on a double-double with nine rebounds.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

-The Hokies had 18 turnovers, which Duke turned into 27 points on the other end.

-Tech had the edge on the glass 39-33.

-Tech assisted on 14 of their 26 made field goals.

-Virginia Tech was only 6 of 25 from beyond the arc (24%).

-Duke's bench scored 39 points, including three double figure scorers (Goodchild 14, Boykin 14, Williams 11) and Tech got five points off of the bench.

GAME NOTES

-Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 15th time in 16 games this season with her 13 points against the Blue Devils. She continues to lead the team at 16.9 points per game. With her one made 3-pointer at Duke, she's now hit 18 in the last four games.

-Tech used the same starting lineup for the ninth straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.

-Taja Cole score 10+ in consecutive games for the first time as a Hokie. First double-double at Tech

-Elizabeth Kitley scored in double figures for the first time since the NC State game (1/2). It was her Second 20-point game of the season, after registering 27 points on opening night vs. Saint Francis.

-The game was the first overtime game in the series (30th game).

Official Basketball Box Score - Final: Pitt at Virginia Tech. Includes player statistics, shooting by period, and game notes for Game 15.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final: Virginia Tech at Duke. Includes player statistics, shooting by period, and game notes for Game 16.





VIRGINIA TECH VIRGINIA

69 61

JPJ ARENA • CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA • JAN. 19, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 4,313

Virginia Tech took the lead with 5:45 on a transition three from Dara Mabrey and would not relinquish it as the squad earned the program's first win at John Paul Jones arena since 2016.

Virginia fell to 7-11 (2-5).

Both teams struggled in the first 20 minutes, with Virginia holding a 29-18 advantage at the intermission. Tech shot just 7 of 25 and 2-12 from deep during that period and had turned it over 12 times.

But the mood changed quickly in the second half as the team went on a 9-1 run early in the third to come back into the game and force a Cavalier timeout. From there, the teams would battle as the 'Hoos were led by guard Jocelyn Willoughby's 17 points, though she was held to just two in the second half.

Tech had all five starters score in double figures, led by 15 from sophomore guard Mabrey who was an efficient 4 for 6 from the floor, with all four made field goals coming from beyond the arc.

In the post, Elizabeth Kitley recorded a double-double and Trinity Baptiste secured 10 rebounds, while Lydia Rivers corralled eight.

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Virginia will visit Cassell Coliseum on Sunday, February 23 for a 2 p.m. contest on ACC Network.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Tech forced 16 turnovers in the game and gave it away 17 times.
-The Hokies won the battle on the boards 41-30.
-Tech was 18-22 from the free throw line, while allowing just 11 attempts by the Cavaliers.
-Both squads got just six points from their benches.

GAME NOTES

- The Hokies won at John Paul Jones Arena for the first time since February 7, 2016 snapping a three-game losing streak.
-The all-time series now stands at 12-50 in favor of the Cavaliers.
-The win marks the first back-to-back victories in the series for the Hokies since sweeping the Cavaliers during the 2015-16 season.
-Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 16th time in 17 games this season with her 13 points against the Cavaliers.
-Tech used the same starting lineup for the tenth straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.
-Elizabeth Kitley registered the second double-double of her career in the game.
-Lydia Rivers scored 10+ points for the fifth time this season.



BOSTON COLLEGE VIRGINIA TECH

49 70

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 23, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,428

The Virginia Tech women's basketball team improved to 4-3 in league play with a convincing 21-point victory over Boston College Thursday night on Carilion Clinic Court behind a 20-point performance from forward Trinity Baptiste off the bench.

With the loss, Boston College's record moves to 10-9 (3-5).

The Eagles scored the game's first basket, but Tech would counter with an 11-1 run to take the lead and eventually control of the game and never look back. Lydia Rivers had back-to-back buckets in the post before Baptiste and Kitley added interior baskets to jumpstart the Hokies' offense.

In the second quarter junior guard Aisha Sheppard got loose, hitting three triples, including an acrobatic four-point play that she converted to give Tech a 14-point lead just before the half. Makayla Dickens led a charge by the Eagles out of the locker room by scoring seven straight points, part of her team-high 12, but ultimately Tech's defense would be too much for Boston College who shot just 28.8% from the floor.

Baptiste, registered her fourth career 20-point game and first since dropping 20 on Maryland Eastern Shore in November. She was efficient in the post, going 9 of 12 and pulling down six rebounds.

Rivers finished with 10 points on 5 for 5 shooting and corralled four boards. Freshman Elizabeth Kitley registered a second consecutive double-double with 14 points and 11 rebounds and she showed off her range, scoring the first 3-pointer of her career.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Tech held an advantage on the glass 41-35
-The Hokies assisted on half of their field goals, registering 13 helpers
-Boston College turned the ball over 15 times to the Hokies' 13.
-Tech had 20 points off the bench, all from Baptiste. The Eagles had five bench points.

GAME NOTES

- With the win, Tech moves to 4-3 in the league, matching the best start in league play set by the 2006-07 team.
-The win was the Hokies' third at home in conference play. It marks the first time that Tech has started the ACC season 3-0 at home.
-Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 17th time in 18 games this season with her 13 points against the Cavaliers. She continues to lead the team at 16.8 points per game.
-Sheppard took over sole possession of third place all-time with 192 made 3's.
-Sophomore guard Dara Mabrey moved into ninth place all-time in 3's with her made triple vs. Boston College, now with 128.
-Tech used the same starting lineup for the tenth straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.
-Center Alex Obouh-Fegue played for the first time in 12 games after sitting out with a wrist injury. She logged four minutes and had one rebound and one block in the contest.
-Freshman center Elizabeth Kitley registered her second consecutive double-double with 14 and 11. She now has three such games in her career.

Box score table for Virginia Tech vs Virginia (Game 17). Includes columns for Player Name, Min, FG, 3P, FT, Rebounds, Fouls, TP, AS, TO, ST, Blocks, +/- and Shooting By Period (FG, 3PT, FT, GMFG, FT%).

Virginia - 61 Record: 7-11 (2-5)

Box score table for Virginia Tech vs Boston College (Game 18). Includes columns for Player Name, Min, FG, 3P, FT, Rebounds, Fouls, TP, AS, TO, ST, Blocks, +/- and Shooting By Period (FG, 3PT, FT, GMFG, FT%).

Virginia Tech - 70 Record: 14-4 (4-3)

Summary statistics table for Virginia Tech vs Boston College. Includes categories like Biggest lead, Best Scoring Run, Lead Changes, Times Tied, Time with Lead, Points from Turnovers, Paint, Second Chance, Fast Breaks, Bench, and Period by Period Scoring.

NCAA Official Basketball Box Score - Final Boston College at Virginia Tech 01/24/20 Cassell Coliseum, Blacksburg, VA 2019-20 Women's Basketball

Box score table for Boston College - 49. Includes columns for Player Name, Min, FG, 3P, FT, Rebounds, Fouls, TP, AS, TO, ST, Blocks, +/- and Shooting By Period (FG, 3PT, FT, GMFG, FT%).

Box score table for Virginia Tech - 70. Includes columns for Player Name, Min, FG, 3P, FT, Rebounds, Fouls, TP, AS, TO, ST, Blocks, +/- and Shooting By Period (FG, 3PT, FT, GMFG, FT%).

Summary statistics table for Eagles vs Hokies. Includes categories like Biggest lead, Best Scoring Run, Lead Changes, Times Tied, Time with Lead, Points from Turnovers, Paint, Second Chance, Fast Breaks, Bench, and Period by Period Scoring.

GAME 19

GAME 20



CLEMSON VIRGINIA TECH 50 71

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 26, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,839

Virginia Tech assisted on 17 of their 29 field goals Sunday afternoon, but it was once again a stellar defensive effort that enabled the Hokies to earn the win – their third consecutive and move to 15-4 (5-3) with a 71-50 victory over the Clemson Tigers.

Clemson fell to 7-13 (3-6).

The Hokies, who are off to their best start since going 16-4 in 2016-17, took a nine-point advantage into the locker room before racing out to 20-point lead in the third quarter as five different players made baskets, indicative of the balanced effort.

Tech was led by Taja Cole, who narrowly missed out a double-double with 15 points and nine assists in the game and she was joined in double figures by Aisha Sheppard (12) and Lydia Rivers (10).

Rivers pulled down a game-high 15 rebounds, including eight on the offensive end, to register her first career ACC double-double and third overall on the season. She held Clemson's Kobi Thornton to just 2 of 8 shooting from the floor and helped the Hokies have an advantage in the paint (30-22) and on the glass (50-38).

Freshman Elizabeth Kitley had eight boards and a career-high five blocks on the defensive end.

Tech's leading scorer Aisha Sheppard got loose for two 3-pointers in the game as did freshman guard Cayla King as well as Dara Mabrey.

GAME NOTES

- With the win, Tech moves to 5-3 in the ACC marking the best 8-game start to the league campaign since joining the conference.
-The win was the Hokies' fourth at home in conference play. It marks the first time that Tech has started the ACC season 4-0 at Cassell Coliseum.
-Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 18th time in 19 games this season with her 12 points against the Tigers. She continues to lead the team at 16.6 points per game.
-Tech used the same starting lineup for the 11th straight game – Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.
-Forward Lydia Rivers registered her third double-double of the season.



VIRGINIA TECH SYRACUSE 65 67

CARRIER DOME • SYRACUSE, NY • JAN. 30, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,096

Virginia Tech held a lead late, but was unable to hang on as Syracuse mounted a furious comeback to earn a 67-65 victory at the Carrier Dome Thursday evening.

Virginia Tech falls to 15-5 (5-4) on the season at the halfway point through the ACC slate and will head home to face Miami on Sunday afternoon.

Tech was balanced all night long, with freshman center Elizabeth Kitley leading the team with 10 points and a host of teammates following closely behind – Taja Cole, Dara Mabrey and Aisha Sheppard all had nine.

In the first half, Tech saw 21 points poured in off the bench, including eight points on 4-4 shooting from center Alex Obouh-Fegue, Trinity Baptisthe had seven and freshman Cayla King knocked down a couple of 3-point field goals.

On the night, Cole was the catalyst, tallying a near triple-double and facilitating the offense.

Syracuse snapped a two-game skid and improved to 10-10 (4-5).

The Orange was led by guard Kiara Lewis, the team's leading scorer who turned in a game-high 19 points on 19 shots. She was backed up by Amaya Finklea-Guity who added 13.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Tech got 21 points off the bench, all in the first half of play.
-The Hokies owned the glass all night with a 50-36 advantage.
-The Orange took advantage of their free throw opportunities where they had 16 shots and the Hokies took just five.
-Syracuse had the advantage on the paint 40-32.
-Tech turned it over 17 times while the Orange did just seven times.

GAME NOTES

- Aisha Sheppard was held in single digits for just the second time in 20 games this season with her nine points against the Orange. She continues to lead the team at 16.2 points per game. Sheppard has hit a 3-pointer in 27 consecutive games, dating back to January 29, 2019, a school record.
-Tech used the same starting lineup for the 12th straight game – Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.
-Point guard Taja Cole narrowly missed out on a triple double in the game, which would have been the program's first, and was even closer to her second double-double of the season with her final stat line – nine points, 10 rebounds and nine assists.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final Clemson at Virginia Tech. Includes player stats for 16 players and team totals. Shooting By Period: 1st FG% 5-15 33.3%, 2nd FG% 5-14 35.7%, 3rd FG% 2-13 15.4%, 4th FG% 6-19 31.6%. GM FG% 18-61 29.5%. Technical Fouls: NONE. Deaf Ball Rebounds: 4, 1.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final Virginia Tech at Syracuse. Includes player stats for 11 players and team totals. Shooting By Period: 1st FG% 6-18 33.3%, 2nd FG% 10-16 62.5%, 3rd FG% 3-5 60.0%, 4th FG% 3-13 23.1%. GM FG% 28-67 41.8%. Technical Fouls: NONE. Deaf Ball Rebounds: 0, 0.

GAME 21



MIAMI VIRGINIA TECH

45 69

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • FEB. 2, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 1,629

The Virginia Tech women's basketball team extended their home winning streak to 16 Sunday afternoon after defeating the Miami Hurricanes 69-45 on Carilion Clinic Court.

Tech's six league wins tie the program record since joining the ACC. Sunday's win was the third consecutive at home by 20 or more points and was predicated on the defensive end of the floor, where Miami shot just 21%.

After a slow opening frame and a half, the Hokies got things going offensively during a 10-0 run to close the second quarter to take a 24-16 lead into the locker room. On the other side of the intermission, Aisha Sheppard and Lydia Rivers opened the quarter with quick buckets to extend the lead further.

The key run came in the latter part of the third as Sheppard closed the quarter with a buzzer-beating triple in front of the Hokies' bench, part of a 14-1 run.

Off the bench, Trinity Baptiste scored 17 points, a game-high and pulled down eight rebounds.

Taja Cole had nine assists in the game, her third consecutive contest with nine. Miami was led by 13 points from Destiny Harden and 11 from Sydney Roby off the bench.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

Tech held Miami to just 23% shooting.

Both clubs had 23 attempts from the foul line, but the Hokies took advantage with 19 conversions to the 'Canes' 11.

Tech had a 22-18 edge in the painted area.

The Hokies got out in transition with 17 points on the break. Miami had three.

Both teams had 20-plus turnovers. The Hokies scored 23 points off of Miami's, while the 'Canes scored nine.

GAME NOTES

The win was the Hokies' fifth at home in conference play. It marks the first time that Tech has started the ACC season 5-0 at Cassell Coliseum.

Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 19th time in 21 games this season with her 14 against Miami. She continues to lead the team at 16.1 points per game.

Dara Mabrey hit 3 or more 3's for the second straight game

Tech used the same starting lineup for the 13th straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.

Chloe Brooks made her second appearance for the Hokies and first at home, making a 3-point field goal.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final Miami at Virginia Tech. Game Time: 7:00 PM. Game Duration: 2:03. Attendance: 1,629. Includes player statistics for Miami (45) and Virginia Tech (69), shooting percentages, and game notes.

GAME 22



NC STATE VIRGINIA TECH

71 59

CASSELL COLISEUM • BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 5, 2020 • ATTENDANCE: 2,271

Despite 19 points from point guard Taja Cole, the Virginia Tech women's basketball team struggled shooting from the floor, and the Hokies fell 71-59 to No. 7 NC State in an ACC game Thursday night at Carilion Clinic Court.

With the loss, the Hokies dropped to 16-6 overall on the season, 6-5 in the ACC. The Wolfpack won their eighth straight game and moved to 22-1, 11-1 in the ACC.

Elissa Cunane scored 17 points and grabbed 16 rebounds to lead Wolfpack, who snapped the Hokies' 16-game home winning streak. Cunane registered her Atlantic Coast Conference-leading 12th double-double, and both Aislinn Krong and Jaxia Brown-Turner added 11 points each for NC State.

Virginia Tech trailed the entire second half, falling behind by as many as 14, but the Hokies cut the lead to 40-39 on two free throws by Aisha Sheppard with 54.5 seconds remaining in the third period.

NC State, which leads the ACC in field-goal percentage defense, held the Hokies to a season-low 30.3% (20 of 66). The Wolfpack also finished 23 for 28 from the free throw line, including 17 for 22 in the final period.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

The Hokies only turned the ball over eight times in the game, the fewest since committing seven against Belmont in the Daytona Beach Invitational in November.

The Wolfpack held an advantage in the paint 32-20. Tech knocked down 14 of their 19 free throws (74%) and the Wolfpack also took advantage of their opportunities going 23-28 (82%).

GAME NOTES

Cole's 19 points were her second-most this season (21 vs. Pittsburgh). Mabrey's 15 points were her most in a game since the Hokies' win over Virginia on Jan. 19 - a span of five games.

The Hokies' five 3-pointers were their fewest in an ACC game this season and the third-fewest in a game overall.

Aisha Sheppard scored in double figures for the 20th time in 22 games this season with her 10 against NC State. She continues to lead the team at 15.8 points per game.

Tech used the same starting lineup for the 14th straight game - Cole, Mabrey, Sheppard, Rivers and Kitley.

The loss snapped the Hokies' 16-game home winning streak which was the third-longest in the nation. Tech went 361 days between home losses.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final NC State at Virginia Tech. Game Time: 12:00 AM. Game Duration: 1:50. Attendance: 2,271. Includes player statistics for NC State (71) and Virginia Tech (59), shooting percentages, and game notes.





**2019-20 Virginia Tech Women's Basketball  
Season Box Score  
All games**

**Game Records**

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	18-6	12-1	3-4	3-1
CONFERENCE	8-5	6-1	2-4	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	10-1	6-0	1-0	3-1

**Team Box Score**

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2	SHEPPARD, Aisha	24-24	790:40	32.9	130-328	.396	71-188	.378	49-62	.790	21	58	79	3.3	52	0	39	59	3	27	380	15.8
4	MABREY, Dara	24-24	778:55	32.5	100-248	.403	62-166	.373	42-50	.840	10	58	68	2.8	50	1	42	45	4	17	304	12.7
33	KITLEY, Elizabeth	24-24	618:43	25.8	109-200	.545	1-4	.250	49-70	.700	51	117	168	7.0	67	2	14	47	46	4	268	11.2
00	BAPTISTE, Trinity	24-7	581:55	24.2	86-200	.430	17-48	.354	47-57	.825	48	120	168	7.0	59	2	24	42	7	12	236	9.8
5	COLE, Taja	24-24	814:27	33.9	82-207	.396	9-34	.265	53-74	.716	15	107	122	5.1	54	1	154	87	10	29	226	9.4
21	RIVERS, Lydia	24-17	623:35	26.0	64-139	.460	3-10	.300	29-49	.592	68	135	203	8.5	65	4	44	43	32	18	160	6.7
40	OBOUH FEGUE, Alex	11-0	105:38	9.6	22-39	.564	0-0	.000	6-10	.600	7	26	33	3.0	22	0	3	6	8	5	50	4.5
22	KING, Cayla	24-0	327:06	13.6	23-75	.307	22-67	.328	0-0	.000	13	16	29	1.2	31	0	8	12	3	5	68	2.8
35	GEIMAN, Taylor	11-0	131:09	11.9	7-29	.241	6-23	.261	3-4	.750	5	12	17	1.5	12	0	6	10	2	6	23	2.1
3	BROOKS, Chloe	2-0	03:29	1.7	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.5
15	ENNIS, Makayla	13-0	74:23	5.7	6-13	.462	1-6	.167	3-4	.750	7	10	17	1.3	11	0	3	2	3	4	16	1.2
Team											45	52	97					15				
<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>4850</b>		<b>630-1479</b>	<b>.426</b>	<b>193-547</b>	<b>.353</b>	<b>281-380</b>	<b>.739</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>1001</b>	<b>41.7</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>1734</b>	<b>72.3</b>
<b>Opponents</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>4850</b>		<b>532-1474</b>	<b>.361</b>	<b>110-413</b>	<b>.266</b>	<b>294-429</b>	<b>.685</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>1468</b>	<b>61.2</b>

**Score by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Virginia Tech	432	408	477	406	11	1734
Opponents	336	386	332	401	13	1468

# POSITION NOTES THE BACK COURT

## 2 AISHA SHEPPARD

• G | 5-9 | Jr.

Alexandria, Va. (St. John's)

- Has hit a 3-pointer in 31 straight games, a program record.
- Ranks second all-time in 3-pointers made at VT (206).
- Set the program record with eight 3's in an ACC contest at NC State (1/2/20). That mark ties the program record for a single game. She scored 28 in the game, setting a new career best.
- Dropped a then career best 22 points in a homecoming game vs. George Mason (11/11).
- Began her career by breaking teammate Kendyl Brooks' record with 76 3's made her freshman season.
- Started 11 games as a sophomore and 10 as a freshman.
- Scored a career best 21 points by knocking down seven triples at Notre Dame (2/22/18). Her seven threes in that game are tied for the most in an ACC contest by a VT player.
- The Gatorade Player of the Year out of Washington D.C. her senior year. Also recognized as a USA Today High School All-American and an ESPN HoopGurlz 5 star.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
17-18	37/10	103/265	.39	76/202	.37	26/35	.74	308	8.3
18-19	34/11	80-211	.38	59/156	.38	33/40	.83	252	7.4
19-20	24/24	130/328	.40	71/188	.38	49/62	.79	380	15.8
TOTALS	95/45	313/804	.39	206/547	.38	108/137	.79	940	9.9

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
17-18	7	54	61	1.6	46	1.2	64	16	30
18-19	8	58	66	1.9	50	1.5	66	9	23
19-20	21	58	79	3.3	39	1.6	59	3	27
TOTALS	36	170	206	2.2	135	1.4	189	28	80

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
17-18	743	20.08
18-19	801	23.55
19-20	792	33.0
TOTALS	2336	24.59

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	28 at NC State, 1/2/20
Minutes	42, at Duke, 1/12/20
FG Made	10 at NC State, 1/2/20
FG Attempts	19 at George Mason, 11/10/19
3FG Made	8 at NC State, 1/2/20
3FG Attempts	15, last vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
FT Made	9 vs. Liberty, 11/10/19
FT Attempts	10 vs. Liberty, 11/10/19
Rebounds	7 2x last vs. Belmont, 11/29/19
Assists	5 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
Blocks	2 vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
Steals	3 last vs Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19

### CAREER HIGHS

Points	28 at NC State, 1/2/20
Minutes	42, at Duke, 1/12/20
FG Made	10 at NC State, 1/2/20
FG Attempts	19 at George Mason, 11/10/19
3FG Made	8 at NC State, 1/2/20
3FG Attempts	15, last vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
FT Made	9 vs. Liberty, 11/10/19
FT Attempts	10 vs. Liberty, 11/10/19
Rebounds	7 2x last vs. Belmont, 11/29/19
Assists	6 vs. Chattanooga, 11/19/18
Blocks	3 at Monmouth, 12/12/17
Steals	3 last vs Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19

## 3 CHLOE BROOKS

• G | 5-10 | r-Fr.

Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)

- Made her first basket in the Hokies' win over Miami (2/2).
- Saw her first action as a Hokie at the Coqui Classic vs. Wichita State recording two minutes.
- Redshirted her freshman season due to injury.
- A Virginia state champion with Spotswood in 2016.
- Older sister Kendyl is a senior guard on the Hokies, and father Kenny is the head coach.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
18-19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19-20	2/0	1/1	1.00	1/1	1.00	0	0	3	1.5
TOTALS	2/0	1/1	1.00	1/1	1.00	0	0	3	1.5

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
18-19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
18-19	0	0
19-20	4	2
TOTALS	4	2

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	3, vs. Miami, 2/2/20
Minutes	2 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
FG Made	1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20
FG Attempts	1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20
3FG Made	1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20
3FG Attempts	1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20
FT Made	-
FT Attempts	-
Rebounds	-
Assists	-
Blocks	-
Steals	-

## 4 DARA MABREY

• G | 5-7 | So.

Belmar, N.J. (Manasquan)

- Ranks in eighth place all-time in 3-point field goals (142).
- ACC All-Freshman Team member in 2019.
- Set the program record with 80 3-pointers made her freshman season, breaking teammate Aisha Sheppard's mark of 76.
- Earned ACC Freshman of the Week honors on 2/4/19.
- Was also on the ACC All-Academic Team in 2019.
- She was third in the nation in 3-point field goal percentage (.462) and tops in the conference.
- Won two state titles in New Jersey with Manasquan and was named the Gatorade Player of the Year in both 2017 and 2018.
- Older sisters Marina and Michaela played at Notre Dame where Michaela is an assistant coach. Marina plays in the WNBA for the Los Angeles Sparks.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
18-19	34/34	126/285	.44	80/173	.46	50/60	.83	382	11.2
19-20	24/24	100/248	.40	62/166	.37	42/50	.84	304	12.7
TOTALS	58/58	226/533	.42	142/339	.42	92/110	.84	686	11.8

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
18-19	6	51	57	1.7	92	2.7	86	3	24
19-20	10	58	68	2.8	42	1.8	45	4	17
TOTALS	16	109	125	2.2	134	2.3	131	7	41

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
18-19	951	27.97
19-20	778	32.42
TOTALS	1729	29.81

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	24 vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
Minutes	39 at George Mason, 11/11/19
FG Made	9 vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
FG Attempts	13 last vs. Rice, 12/21/19
3FG Made	6 vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
3FG Attempts	11 vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
FT Made	12 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
FT Attempts	12 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
Rebounds	6 vs Davidson, 11/24/19
Assists	5 last vs. UMES, 11/19/19
Blocks	2 vs. UMES, 11/19/19
Steals	2, last vs. Miami, 2/2/20

### CAREER HIGHS

Points	26 last at Boston College, 2/3/19
Minutes	39 at George Mason, 11/11/19
FG Made	9 3x last vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
FG Attempts	14 last vs. Louisville, 2/10/19
3FG Made	6 3x last vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
3FG Attempts	11 vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
FT Made	12 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
FT Attempts	12 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
Rebounds	7 vs. Monmouth, 11/16/18
Assists	6 last at Clemson, 2/26/19
Blocks	2 vs. UMES, 11/19/19
Steals	3 vs. Clemson, 3/7/19

## 5 TAJA COLE

• G | 5-8 | Grad  
Richmond, Va. (L.C. Bird/Louisville/Georgia)

- Leads the ACC at 6.7 assists per game.
- Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List member.
- Recorded six career double-doubles at Georgia, all last season. Five were points-assists and one was points-rebounds.
- Graduate transfer from Georgia.
- Started all 28 games for the Bulldogs, averaging 11 points, 5.3 rebounds and a league best 7 assists.
- She was a Nancy Lieberman Award Watch List member for the nation's top point guard in 2018-19 where she led the SEC and was fifth nationally in assists per game. She was also fifth in the SEC in assist-turnover ratio (2.17).
- Ranked first in the SEC and eighth in NCAA with 202 assists in 18-19. That mark was the third-most in a single season in UGA program history.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	24/24	82/207	.40	9/34	.27	53/74	.72	226	9.4

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	15	107	122	5.1	154	6.4	87	10	29

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	815	34.0

### SEASON HIGHS

**Points** 21 vs. Pitt, 1/9/20  
**Minutes** 43 at Duke, 1/12/20  
**FG Made** 9 vs. Pitt, 1/9/20  
**FG Attempts** 15 vs. Georgia, 11/30/19  
**3FG Made** 3 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19  
**3FG Attempts** 5 at Duke, 1/12/20  
**FT Made** 5, vs. North Carolina, 1/5/20  
**FT Attempts** 4, last at NC State, 1/2/20  
**Rebounds** 10 at Duke, 1/12/20  
**Assists** 10, last at Syracuse, 1/30/20  
**Blocks** 2, last vs. Boston College, 1/23/20  
**Steals** 3, last vs. Georgia Tech, 2/13/20

### CAREER HIGHS

**Points** 22 at UCLA, 11/14/18  
**Minutes** 43 at Duke, 1/12/20  
**FG Made** 9 at UCLA, 11/14/18  
**FG Attempts** 20 vs Maryland, 11/24/18  
**3FG Made** 3 last vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19  
**3FG Attempts** 8 vs Tennessee, 1/13/19  
**FT Made** 5 at Vanderbilt, 1/6/19  
**FT Attempts** 10 at UCLA, 11/14/18  
**Rebounds** 10, last at Syracuse, 1/30/20  
**Assists** 12 vs Florida, 2/10/19  
**Blocks** 2, last vs. Boston College, 1/23/20  
**Steals** 5 vs Vanderbilt, 2/8/18

## 10 KENDYL BROOKS

• G | 5-10 | Sr.  
Harrisonburg, Va. (Spotswood)

- Will miss the entire 2019-20 season as she recovers from hip surgery.
- Fifth all-time in 3's at Virginia Tech with 160.
- Set the freshmen record for triples in a season with 62 before teammates Aisha Sheppard and Dara Mabrey broke it in subsequent seasons.
- Her seven threes against Boston College in 2017 are tied for the most in an ACC contest by a VT player.
- Younger sister Chloe is a redshirt freshmen guard for the Hokies and father Kenny is the head coach.
- Won a state title her senior year of high school (2016).
- Was rated the seventh best guard in the state of Virginia.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
15-17	32/4	67/215	.31	62/188	.33	4/9	.44	200	6.3
17-18	37/24	57/202	.28	56/197	.28	8/12	.67	178	4.8
18-19	34/19	43/154	.28	42/142	.29	7/10	.70	135	4.0
19-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	103	47167/571	.29	160/527	.30	19/31	.61	513	5.0

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
16-17	14	47	61	1.9	18	.6	26	4	11
17-18	12	53	65	1.8	32	.9	26	4	12
18-19	3	68	71	2.1	29	.9	29	7	19
19-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	29	168	197	1.9	79	.8	81	15	42

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
16-17	721	22.53
17-18	869	23.48
18-19	779	22.91
19-20	0	0
TOTALS	2369	23.0

### SEASON HIGHS

**Points** -  
**Minutes** -  
**FG Made** -  
**FG Attempts** -  
**3FG Made** -  
**3FG Attempts** -  
**FT Made** -  
**FT Attempts** -  
**Rebounds** -  
**Assists** -  
**Blocks** -  
**Steals** -

### CAREER HIGHS

**Points** 23 at Boston College, 2/26/17  
**Minutes** 41 vs. Syracuse, 1/6/19  
**FG Made** 7 at Boston College, 2/26/17  
**FG Attempts** 14 vs. Garner-Webb, 12/5/18  
**3FG Made** 7 at Boston College, 2/26/17  
**3FG Attempts** 12 last at Boston College, 2/26/17  
**FT Made** 3 last vs. Rutgers, 11/29/18  
**FT Attempts** 5 at Boston College, 2/26/17  
**Rebounds** 6 last vs. Wake Forest, 3/6/19  
**Assists** 4 last vs. USC Upstate, 11/6/18  
**Blocks** 2 last vs. Radford, 12/4/18  
**Steals** 3 vs. Mount St. Mary's, 12/16/18

## 22 CAYLA KING

• G | 5-11 | Fr.  
Greensboro, N.C. (Northwest Guildford)

- Won two state titles in high school with teammate Elizabeth Kitley.
- McDonald's All-American nominee and the North Carolina Basketball Coaches Association Player of the Year.
- Ranked 60th overall in her class by Prospect Nation.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	24/0	23/75	.31	22/67	.33	0/0	0	68	2.8

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	13	16	29	1.2	8	0.3	12	3	5

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	326	13.58

### SEASON HIGHS

**Points** 9 vs. Rice, 12/20/19  
**Minutes** 25 vs. Davidson, 11/24/19  
**FG Made** 3, last vs. vs. Rice, 12/20/19  
**FG Attempts** 11 vs. UMES, 11/19/19  
**3FG Made** 3 vs. Rice, 12/20/19  
**3FG Attempts** 9 vs. UMES, 11/19/19  
**FT Made** -  
**FT Attempts** -  
**Rebounds** 4 2x last vs. Davidson, 11/24/19  
**Assists** 2 at Duke, 1/12/20  
**Blocks** 1, last vs. Boston College, 1/23/20  
**Steals** 2 vs. Liberty, 11/15/19

# THE FRONT COURT

## 0 TRINITY BAPTISTE

- F | 6-0 | Jr.  
Tampa, Fla. (Hillsborough/Northwest Florida St.)
- Came off the bench to score 20 points vs. Boston College (1/23).
- Pulled down a career best 17 rebounds in the Hokies' win over Gardner-Webb.
- Led the Hokies who were first in the nation in free throw percentage at a .856 clip in 2018-19. Tech shot .800 from the line.
- Started 19 of 34 games in her first season with the Hokies.
- Recorded eight double-doubles including an 11-point, 16-rebound performance against No. 1 Notre Dame at Cassell Coliseum.
- Shot the ball at a high percentage from all around the court; .496 on field goals, .553 from beyond the arc and .856 from the free throw line.
- Prior to Tech, played one season at Northwest Florida State College earning All-Conference honors.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
18-19	34/19	125/252	.49	21/38	.55	83/97	.86	354	10.4
19-20	24/7	86/200	.43	17/48	.35	47/57	.83	236	9.8
TOTALS	58/26	211/452	.47	38/86	.44	130/154.84	.84	590	10.2

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
18-19	88	169	257	7.6	50	1.5	72	8	28
19-20	48	120	168	7.0	24	1.0	42	7	12
TOTALS	136	289	425	7.3	74	1.3	114	15	40

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
18-19	937	27.55
19-20	586	24.42
TOTALS	1523	26.26

### SEASON HIGHS

<b>Points</b>	20, last vs. Boston College, 1/23/20
<b>Minutes</b>	34 vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>FG Made</b>	9, vs. Boston College, 1/23/20
<b>FG Attempts</b>	16 vs Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
<b>3FG Made</b>	3, vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	6, vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>FT Made</b>	6 vs. UMES, 11/19/19
<b>FT Attempts</b>	6, last vs. Miami, 2/2/20
<b>Rebounds</b>	17 vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
<b>Assists</b>	4, vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>Blocks</b>	2, last vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
<b>Steals</b>	3, vs. Pitt, 1/9/20

### CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b>	24 vs. Richmond, 11/26/18
<b>Minutes</b>	41 at NC State, 1/20/19
<b>FG Made</b>	9, last vs. Boston College, 1/23/20
<b>FG Attempts</b>	15 last vs. Longwood, 12/29/18
<b>3FG Made</b>	3, last vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	6 vs. Wichita State, 12/20/19
<b>FT Made</b>	10 at Miami, 2/21/19
<b>FT Attempts</b>	12 at Miami, 2/21/19
<b>Rebounds</b>	17 vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
<b>Assists</b>	5 vs. Furman, 3/21/19
<b>Blocks</b>	2 vs. Georgia Southern, 11/10/18
<b>Steals</b>	3, last vs. Pitt, 1/9/20

## 15 MAKAYLA ENNIS

- G/F | 6-0 | Fr.  
Brampton, Ontario, Canada (Lincoln Prep)
- Rated a 4-star recruit according to Prospect Nation. She was the OSBA League MVP and First Team All-Stars in 2017 and 2018.
- Also named TRC Academy MVP in 2018 and is a two-time Biosteel All-Canadian selection.
- Won a silver medal at the FIBA Americas U-16 and was also a member of the Canadian U-17 National Team in 2018.
- Earned OSBA Second Team All-Star accolades her senior season.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	13/0	6/13	.46	1/6	.17	3/4	.75	16	1.2
TOTALS	13/0	6/13	.46	1/6	.17	3/4	.75	16	1.2

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	7	10	17	1.3	3	0.2	2	3	4
TOTALS	7	10	17	1.3	3	0.2	2	3	4

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	73	5.75
TOTALS	73	5.75

### SEASON HIGHS

<b>Points</b>	4 3x last vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
<b>Minutes</b>	15 vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
<b>FG Made</b>	2 2x last vs. UMES, 11/19/19
<b>FG Attempts</b>	4 vs. UMES, 11/19/19
<b>3FG Made</b>	1 vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	2 last vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
<b>FT Made</b>	2 vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
<b>FT Attempts</b>	2 at Florida State, 12/28/19
<b>Rebounds</b>	5 vs. UMES, 11/19/19
<b>Assists</b>	1 3x last vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
<b>Blocks</b>	3 vs. Davidson, 11/24/19
<b>Steals</b>	2 vs. UMES, 11/19/19

## 21 LYDIA RIVERS

- F | 6-2 | Grad  
Kinston, N.C. (Kinston/Radford)
- Tallied 22 double-doubles in her career at Radford.
- Graduate transfer from nearby Radford University.
- Rivers appeared in 98 career games for the Highlanders, tallying 67 starts. She averaged 7.7 points and 8.6 rebounds for her career.
- Her senior season in 2018-19, Rivers earned Big South First Team honors after averaging career bests in points (12.2) and rebounds (10.4).
- She totaled 15 double-doubles in 2018-19, leading the Highlanders to a Big South title and the NCAA tournament.
- Her father John Rivers played football and basketball for Virginia Tech in the 80's.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	24/17	64/139	.46	3/10	.30	29/49	.59	160	6.7

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	68	135	203	8.5	44	1.8	43	32	18

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	626	26.08

### SEASON HIGHS

<b>Points</b>	16 at George Mason, 11/10/19
<b>Minutes</b>	35 vs. Rice, 12/20/19
<b>FG Made</b>	6 at George Mason, 11/10/19
<b>FG Attempts</b>	11, vs. Clemson, 1/26/20
<b>3FG Made</b>	1, last at Florida State, 12/28/19
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	2, last vs. Pitt, 1/9/20
<b>FT Made</b>	5, last at Virginia, 1/19/20
<b>FT Attempts</b>	6, last at Virginia, 1/19/20
<b>Rebounds</b>	15, last vs. Clemson, 1/26/20
<b>Assists</b>	6 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>Blocks</b>	4 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>Steals</b>	2, 4x last vs. Georgia Tech, 2/13/20

### CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b>	25 vs. Presbyterian, 3/14/19
<b>Minutes</b>	39 at High Point, 2/9/19
<b>FG Made</b>	9 vs. Presbyterian, 1/20/18
<b>FG Attempts</b>	16 vs. Campbell, 3/17/19
<b>3FG Made</b>	1 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	1 vs. Winthrop, 1/9/16
<b>FT Made</b>	15 vs. Presbyterian, 3/14/19
<b>FT Attempts</b>	18 vs. Presbyterian, 3/14/19
<b>Rebounds</b>	16 last at High Point, 2/9/19
<b>Assists</b>	5 vs Winthrop, 1/9/16
<b>Blocks</b>	6 vs Presbyterian, 3/14/19
<b>Steals</b>	5 at Western Carolina, 12/7/17



## 23 ASIAH JONES

• F | 6-3 | r-Jr.  
Sacramento, Calif. (Woodmont/USC)

- Is sitting the 2019-20 season out due to NCAA transfer rules
- Jones spent the last three season at USC, competing in two and sitting out one due to injury.
- In 2018-19, she averaged 4.7 points and 3.2 rebounds for the Trojans.
- For her career in Los Angeles, she appeared in 55 contests, making 11 starts. She averaged 3.6 points and 3.2 rebounds in 13.2 minutes per game.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	0	0
TOTALS	0	0

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	-
Minutes	-
FG Made	-
FG Attempts	-
3FG Made	-
3FG Attempts	-
FT Made	-
FT Attempts	-
Rebounds	-
Assists	-
Blocks	-
Steals	-

### VIRGINIA TECH CAREER HIGHS

Points	same
Minutes	same
FG Made	same
FG Attempts	same
3FG Made	same
3FG Attempts	same
FT Made	same
FT Attempts	same
Rebounds	same
Assists	same
Blocks	same
Steals	same

## 33 ELIZABETH KITLEY

• C | 6-5 | Fr.  
Summerfield, N.C. (Northwest Guilford)

- Registered consecutive double-doubles in the games at Virginia (1/19) and vs. Boston College (1/23).
- Named the ACC Freshman of the Week (11/11/19)
- Kitley is a 5-star rated center, ranked 33rd overall in her class.
- She is a two-time state champion along with teammate Cayla King.
- Named 4A State Tournament MVP and AP 4A All-State in 2017 and 2018.
- Also named to USA Today's First Team NC in 2018 and was a McDonald's All-American nominee, scoring over 1,000 points in high school.
- Participated in the Carolinas Classic where she recorded 13 points and 8 rebounds.
- Member of the National Honor Society and was ranked 18th in her graduating class of 535 students.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	24/24	109/200	.55	1/4	.25	49/70	.70	268	11.2

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	51	117	168	7.0	14	0.6	47	46	4

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	614	25.58

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	27 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
Minutes	35 at Duke, 11/12/20
FG Made	12 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
FG Attempts	14 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
3FG Made	1, vs. Boston College, 1/23/20
3FG Attempts	2, vs. Boston College, 1/23/20
FT Made	6, last vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
FT Attempts	8 vs. Georgia, 11/30/19
Rebounds	14 vs. Rice, 12/20/19
Assists	2, last 1, at Virginia, 1/19/20
Blocks	5, vs. Clemson, 1/26/20
Steals	1, last at Syracuse, 1/30/20

## 35 TAYLOR GEIMAN

• G/F | 6-0 | Fr.  
Hanover, Pa. (South Western)

- Will not compete for the remainder of the season after suffering an ACL tear at Duke (1/12).
- Geiman was the YAIAA Player of the Year in addition to being First Team All-County and Second Team All-State and her team's captain her senior year. She eclipsed the 1,000-point threshold as well.
- Rated a 3-star recruit by ESPN.
- Also played soccer and track. On the soccer field she was a First Team All-County player and named a GameTime PA YAIAA First Team All-Star. In track, she was a silver medalist at the county meet and district qualifier for javelin. She graduated high school with 12 varsity letters.
- Was a member of the National Honor Society, Student Council and was president of the Varsity Club. She was also nominated for the Lewis Atwater Youth Award for outstanding contributions to human relations and was ranked second academically in her class out of 330 students.

### SCORING STATS

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	11/0	7/29	.24	6/23	.26	3/4	.75	23	2.1

### DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	5	12	17	1.5	6	0.5	10	2	6

### MINUTES PLAYED

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	131	11.9

### SEASON HIGHS

Points	11 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
Minutes	20 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
FG Made	4 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
FG Attempts	6 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
3FG Made	3 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
3FG Attempts	5 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
FT Made	3 vs. Belmont, 11/29/19
FT Attempts	4 vs. Belmont, 11/29/19
Rebounds	4 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
Assists	2 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19
Blocks	1 vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/8/19
Steals	2 vs. Wichita State, 12/21/19

**40 ALEX OBOUH FEGUE**

• C | 6-4 | r-Jr.

Chatearoux, France (Pierre de Coubertain, Eastern Florida State)

•Returned to the floor vs. Boston College (1/23) after missing 13 games with a wrist injury..

•Had not played since the Maryland Eastern Shore game (Nov. 19).

•Played at Eastern Florida State where she earned First Team All-Suncoast Conference honors.

•She was also on the All-State Team, the 2018 All-Tournament Team and was honorable mention All-American.

•Obouh Fegue has represented France as well, helping the 3v3 U-18 team to a second place finish at the European Championships.

•With France, she also helped the U-16 team place fifth at the Euros and earn qualification to the World Championships.

**SCORING STATS**

YEAR	GP/GS	FG/ATT	PCT.	3/ATT	PCT.	FT/ATT	PCT.	PTS	AVG.
19-20	11/0	22/39	.56	0	0	6/10	.60	50	4.5
TOTALS	11/0	22/39	.56	0	0	6/10	.60	50	4.5

**DEFENSIVE STATS**

YEAR	REBOUNDS				ASSISTS				
	OFF	DEF	TOTAL	AVG	TOT.	AVG	TO	BLK	STL.
19-20	7	26	33	3.0	3	0.3	6	8	5
TOTALS	7	26	33	3.0	3	0.3	6	8	5

**MINUTES PLAYED**

YEAR	MIN	AVG
19-20	105	9.55
TOTALS	105	9.55

**SEASON HIGHS**

<b>Points</b>	14 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>Minutes</b>	21 vs. Miami, 2/2/20
<b>FG Made</b>	6 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>FG Attempts</b>	10 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>3FG Made</b>	-
<b>3FG Attempts</b>	-
<b>FT Made</b>	2 last vs. UMES, 11/19/19
<b>FT Attempts</b>	4 vs. Saint Francis, 11/5/19
<b>Rebounds</b>	7 last vs. NC State, 2/6/20
<b>Assists</b>	2 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
<b>Blocks</b>	3 at North Carolina, 2/9/20
<b>Steals</b>	2 last vs. NC State, 2/6/20