

VIRGINIA TECH

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Virginia Tech Hokies vs. No. 6/6 Duke Blue Devils

Postgame Notes

Feb. 22, 2020

Cameron Indoor Stadium | Durham, N.C.

FINAL SCORE: Virginia Tech 64, Duke 88

RECORDS AND NOTABLES

- Virginia Tech falls to 15-12 overall and 6-10 in ACC play.
- Tech is now 3-5 on the road this season and has lost three straight to the Blue Devils.
- Mike Young is now 0-3 against Duke and 0-3 against Mike Krzyzewski.
- The Hokies last defeated Duke in Cameron Indoor Stadium in 2007 when they won 69-67 in OT.
- Tech is now 2-3 against the Blue Devils in their last five outings, with the two wins each coming at Cassell Coliseum.
- Virginia Tech trails in the all-time series Duke 49-11.
- **UP NEXT:** The Hokies will host [RV/RV] Virginia on Wednesday, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m. ET at Cassell Coliseum on ESPN2.

TEAM NOTES

- Virginia Tech started a lineup of Wabissa Bede, Tyrece Radford, Landers Nolley, P.J. Horne, and Nahiem Alleyne, marking the 21st game this season that Tech has started these five.
- The Hokies bench outscored Duke bench 33-27. This marks the seventh game Tech's bench has scored 30 or more points.
- The Blue Devils hit 11 3-pointers, marking just the sixth time out of 27 games that Tech has given up double-digit triples.
- Duke's 51 first-half points were a season high allowed by Tech, topping the previous mark of 49 to Dayton on Nov. 26 at the Maui Jim Maui Invitational.
- **KEY FIRST HALF RUN:** Duke came out the gate hot with sophomore Tre Jones nailing two triples followed by freshman Vernon Carey Jr. finishing a lay-in and fellow freshman Cassius Stanley hitting from deep to take an 11-2 early lead. With 3:20 to go in the first half freshman, Jalen Cone drilled a 3-pointer followed by a jumper from guard Tyrece Radford to cut into the lead. Duke would close the half on a 5-0 run going into the break leading 51-25.
- **KEY SECOND HALF RUN:** With just under 14 minutes in the second half, freshman Hunter Cattoor and guard Wabissa Bede each hit from downtown, cutting into the Blue Devil lead and making the score 64-39. Duke responded with five straight points to bring its lead to 69-39.

With 8:11 left in action, Cattoor scored seven consecutive points by himself to cut into the deficit and make the score 71-50 with Duke on top.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

Tyrece Radford

- Radford led Tech in scoring for the fifth time this season with 16 points and reached double figures for the 12th time this year. Radford was also one rebound shy of a double-double with nine.

Isaiah Wilkins

- Wilkins scored 11 points, which was the first time Wilkins got to double figures since the VMI game on Dec. 21. Wilkins also tied a season-high six rebounds.

Hunter Cattoor

- Cattoor scored 10 points and notched his eighth double-digit performance this season.

John Ojiako

- Ojiako scored six points for the second straight game. Ojiako has 19 rebounds over his last three games, averaging 6.0 a contest during that three-game stretch.