VIRGINIA TECH
MEN'S BASKETBALL

Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Virginia Cavaliers
Postgame Notes
Feb. 26, 2020
Cassell Coliseum | Blacksburg, Va.
FINAL SCORE: Virginia Tech 53, Virginia 56

RECORDS AND NOTABLES
- Virginia Tech falls to 15-13 overall and 6-11 in ACC play.
- Tech has now lost nine out of its last 10 games.
- The Hokies have now dropped four straight games to in-state rival Virginia. This is the second straight season that the Cavaliers have swept Tech.
- The last time that the Hokies defeated the Cavaliers was in 2018 when it won 61-60 in OT. Previous time in Cassell was the 80-78 double-overtime victory in 2017.
- Virginia Tech trails in the all-time series to Virginia 95-56.
- **UP NEXT:** The Hokies will hit the road to Kentucky for a contest with No. 11/10 Louisville on Sunday, March 1 inside the KFC Yum! Center with coverage available through the ACC Network.

TEAM NOTES
- Virginia Tech started a lineup of Wabissa Bede, Tyrece Radford, Isaiah Wilkins, John Ojiako, and Nahiem Alleyne, marking the first time all season Tech has started these five. This is Wilkins third start all season and Ojiako's first career start.
- The Hokies bench outscored the Cavaliers bench 36-10. This marks the eighth game Tech's bench has scored 30 or more points.
- Virginia outrebounded the Hokies 34-23 and outscored Tech in paint points 22-14.
- Virginia held Tech to 11 points in the first half, which is the lowest points in either half since Tech joined the ACC in 2004.
- **KEY FIRST HALF RUN:** The Cavaliers came out firing on all cylinders, taking an early 12-4 led by Kihei Clark. Virginia ended the first half on an 11-2 run to go into the break leading 26-11. The Hokies shot 1-for-13 from behind the arc and 5-for-24 in field goals, resulting in only 11 first-half points.
- **KEY SECOND HALF RUN:** Tech came out of the half on fire from deep nailing three triples before the first media timeout cutting the lead to single digits at 35-26. With just under nine minutes to go in the game freshman, Jalen Cone drilled a stepback 3-pointer followed a triple from Horne, bringing the score to 40-37 with Virginia on top. Tied at 53-53, the Cavaliers Kihei Clark nailed a 3-pointer to bring Virginia up 56-53. The Cavaliers would go on to win 56-53.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

Landers Nolley
- Nolley led Tech in scoring for the 15th time this season and reached double figures in points for the 24th time.

P.J. Horne
- Horne hit three 3-pointers, tying his second-highest performance from downtown this season.

Hunter Cattoor
- Cattoor nailed two triples against UVA, giving him eight over his last four, averaging two 3s a game.

Wabissa Bede
- After tonight's game as Bede got three assists and two turnovers, Bede has 158 assists and only 48 turnovers on the season.