## VIRGINIA TECH (15-9, 8-8) - March 23-7 PM ET - ESPN2 - San Antonio - \#5 BAYLOR (26-2, 17-1)

KENNY BROOKS
Alma Mater: James Madison (1999) Record at VT: 101-58 (5th Season) Career Record: 438-180 (19th Season) Record vs. Baylor at VT: 0-0


## VS.



## KIM MULKEY

Alma Mater: Louisiana Tech (1984)
Record at Baylor: 630-104 (21st season) Career Record: same Record vs. VT at Baylor: 0-0

## STAT COMPARISON

|  | HOKIES | BEARS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| Points per game | 73.0 | 82.3 |
| Scoring margin | 8.0 | 27.9 |
| FG\% | .430 | .487 |
| 3-PT FG\% | .360 | .329 |
| FT\% | .757 | .715 |
| Rebounds per game | 37.6 | 49.0 |
| Rebound margin | 2.3 | 19.4 |
| Assists per game | 15.8 | 20.7 |
| Turnovers per game | 14.2 | 16.4 |
| Turnover margin | -0.5 | 1.3 |
| Assist/Turnover ratio | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| Steals per game | 4.5 | 9.6 |
| Blocks per game | 4.0 | 5.0 |

## KEY SCORING STATS ON THE HOKIES

- Under Kenny Brooks, the Hokies are averaging 71.83 points per game in his five seasons at the helm.
The Hokies' record by scoring total under Brooks:
Scores 49 or less 0-2
Scores 50-59 4-18
Scores 60-69 22-23
Scores 70-79 34-13
Scores 80-89 26-2
Scores 90-99 11-0
Scores 100+ 1-0


## KITLEY ONE OF TOP CENTERS IN AMERICA

- Sophomore Elizabeth Kitley, the reigning ACC Freshman of the Year was tabbed as a finalist for the Lisa Leslie award honoring the nation's top center. After being omitted on the midseason list she played her way onto the final ballot of five student-athletes. -She earned ACC Co-Player of the Week honors on Jan. 18 following a week where she averaged 18.0 points and 17.5 rebounds in two contests, tallying her seventh and eighth double-doubles of the season. Against Wake Forest $(1 / 17)$ she tied a program

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## VIRGINIA TECH \& THE BIG DANCE

-The Hokies are dancing for the first time since 2006 and the tenth time overall in the program's history.
-For the fourth time, Tech is a seven seed which includes the 2001 tournament, the first and only NCAA appearance in Texas for the program. The Hokies defeated 10 seed Georgia Tech before falling to the two seed and host Texas Tech in Lubbock.
-Virginia Tech is 10-9 all-time in the NCAA Tournament.

## AISHA SHEPPARD'S CAREER YEAR

- Senior guard Aisha Sheppard recorded 85 3's this season eclipsing her own school record of 84 from her junior year.
- She became Tech's all-time leader in 3's at NC State (Jan. 24), eclipsing the previous record 304 rank seventh all-time in ACC history.
- Sheppard scored 20 or more points in nine contests this season, second-most behind ACC Player of the Year Dana Evans and like Evans, scored in double figures in every regular season contest prior to playing the conference tournament in Greensboro.
- She was named an All-ACC First Team player and also garnered AP All-America Honorable Mention merits, becoming the fourth Hokie to receive the accolade and first since 1999.


## ACC'S DOUBLE-DOUBLE LEADER, \#33

- Center Elizabeth Kitley owns 13 doubledoubles which ranks first in the ACC.
-Kitley now has 19 for her career, a mark that is the sxth-most by a Hokie in a career, in just 53 games played.


## A DYNAMIC DUO IN BLACKSBURG

- Sheppard and Kitley form the highest scoring duo in the conference with Kitley averaging 18.5 Sheppard averaging 18.3 ppg and, the second and third best marks in the ACC.
- The duo have each been honored as ACC Player of the Week once this season and have been extremely productive. Sheppard has scored in double figures in each game and Kitley has only failed to do so once this season.
- Kitley ranks inside the top five in the ACC in several categories; points, rebounds, FG\%, blocks and made free throws.
- Sheppard, likewise is having a career season, where she is also averaging career bests in assists (3.1).


## SERIES HISTORY

Games Played . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 0 Series . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . First meeting
Series Began.
Home
Away.
Neutral
Current Streak
Under Brooks . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 0-0
Last Meeting

## BROADCAST INFORMATION

Television . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ESPN2
Play-by-Play . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .Pam Ward Analyst . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . LaChina Robinson
Local Radio . Virginia Tech Sports Properties Play-by-Play . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .Bryant Johnson
Flagship . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 100.7 FM
Digital . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Hokie Sports \& Tuneln (VT feed; free on downloaded apps)
SOCIAL MEDIA: \#HOKIES
Twitter/Instagram. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . @HokiesWBB

## STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS

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| 2020-21 VIRGINIA TECH SINGLE GAME SUPERLATIVES |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Points | Elizabeth Kitley | 30, vs. App State $(12 / 4 / 20)$ |
|  |  | 30, at NC State $(1 / 24 / 21)$ |
| Rebounds | Elizabeth Kitley | 21, vs. Wake Forest $(1 / 17 / 20)$ |
| Assists | Georgia Amoore | 7, at North Carolina $(1 / 14 / 20)$ |
|  |  | 7, at NC State $(1 / 24 / 21)$ |
| Blocks | Asiah Jones | 5, vs. App State $(12 / 4 / 20)$ |
|  | Elizabeth Kitley | 5, vs. App State $(12 / 4 / 20)$ |
| Steals | Azana Baines | 4, at North Carolina $(1 / 14 / 20)$ |
| FG Attempts | Aisha Sheppard | 26, vs. Notre Dame $(1 / 21 / 20)$ |
| FGs | Elizabeth Kitley | 14, vs. App State $(12 / 4 / 20)$ |
| 3FG Attempts | Aisha Sheppard | 20, vs. Notre Dame $(1 / 21 / 20)$ |
| 3FGs | Cayla King | 7, vs. Pitt $(12 / 10 / 20)$ |
| FT Attempts | Aisha Sheppard | 14, vs. NC State $(1 / 28 / 21)$ |
| FTs | Aisha Sheppard | 12, vs. NC State $(1 / 28 / 21)$ |
| Minutes | Aisha Sheppard | 42:45, vs NC State $(1 / 28 / 21)$ |

## TECH'S INAUGURAL FIRST TEAM TANDEM

- For the first time in program history, the Hokies have two First Team All-ACC players following the anouncement from the league office earlier this week. Guard Aisha Sheppard and center Elizabeth Kitley were each honored by both the head coaches and Blue Ribbon Panel.


## OVERALL: 15-9

Aㄷㄷ: 8-8
HOME: 9-5
AWAY: 4-3
NEUTRAL: 2-1

## HEAD COACH KENNY BROOKS SUPERLATIVES

| SITUATION | 2020-21 | At Tech |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Scores 49 or less | $0-0$ | $0-2$ |
| Scores 50-59 | $0-2$ | $4-18$ |
| Scores 60-69 | $1-5$ | $22-23$ |
| Scores $70-79$ | $8-1$ | $37-13$ |
| Scores 80-89 | $5-1$ | $26-2$ |
| Scores 90-99 | $1-0$ | $11-0$ |
| Scores 100+ | $0-0$ | $1-0$ |
| At home | $9-5$ | $64-22$ |
| On the road | $4-3$ | $25-28$ |
| Leading at halftime | $10-2$ | $75-14$ |
| In games decided by <5 points | $1-6$ | $12-20$ |
| In games decided by 6-10 points | $4-2$ | $26-18$ |
| In games decided by $11-15$ pts | $3-1$ | $17-5$ |
| In games decided by 16-20 pts | $3-0$ | $13-7$ |
| In games decided by $21+$ points | $4-0$ | $34-8$ |
| In day games | $8-5$ | $49-34$ |
| In night games (tip after 5 p.m.) | $7-4$ | $51-24$ |

## INSIDE THE SERIES: VIRGINIA TECH VS. BAYLOR

-The meeting in San Antonio will be the first between these two programs in women's basketball history.

- The teams share no common opponents during te 2020-21 season.


## COACH BROOKS IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT

-Head Coach Kenny Brooks is making his seventh overall appearance in the NCAA Tournament and his first with the Hokies.
"At James Madison, he took the Dukes to The Big Dance in 2007, 2010, 2011, 2014, 2015 and 2016.
-The Dukes advanced to the Second Round once, in 2014 after an opening round upset of Gonzaga before falling to Texas A\&M on the Aggies' home court.
-With the First Round victory over Marquette his NCAA record is now 2-6.

## 2020-21 SCHEDULE

## NOVEMBER (2-0)

| Nov. 25 | RICHMOND | W, 85-64 | ACCNX |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Nov. 28 | LIBERTY | W, 81-66 | ACCNX |
| DECEMBER (4-2) |  |  |  |
| Dec. 1 | GEORGE WASHINGTONW, 92-57 | ACCNX |  |
| Dec. 4 | APPALACHIAN STATE | W, 84-59 | ACCN |
| Dec. 6 | GARDNER-WEBB | W, 73-39 | ACCNX |
| Dec. 10 | PITT* | W, 88-71 | ACCNX |
| Dec. 17 | at Notre Dame* | L, 78-84 | ACCN |
| Dec. 20 | VIRGINIA* | postponed | ACCN |
| Dec. 31 | FLORIDA STATE* | L, 63-73 | ACCNX |

JANUARY (3-5)

| Jan. 3 | at Duke* | cancelled | ACCNX |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Jan. 7 | NC STATE* | postponed | RSN |
| Jan. 7 | \#2 LOUISVILLE* | L, 67-71 | RSN |
| Jan. 10 | at Georgia Tech* | L, 54-56 | ACCN |
| Jan. 14 | at North Carolina* | W, 66-54 | ACCN |
| Jan. 17 | WAKE FOREST* | L, 64-67 | ACCN |
| Jan. 21 | NOTRE DAME* | L, 60-65 | RSN |
| Jan. 24 | at \#2 NC State* | L, 87-89 | ACCN |
| Jan. 28 | \#2 NC State* | W, 83-71 (OT) RSN |  |
| Jan. 31 | NORTH CAROLINA* | W, 73-69 | ACCN |

FEBRUARY (4-1)

| Feb. 7 | VIRGINIA* | cancelled | TBA |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Feb. $\mathbf{4}$ | at Pitt* | W, 74-55 | RSN |
| Feb. 11 | at Miami* $^{*}$ | W, 75-55 | ACCN |
| Feb. 14 | at Boston College | * | postponed | ACCNX

MARCH (1-1)

| March 4 | Miami^ | W, 72-64 | RSN |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| March 5 | \#3 NC State^ | L, 55-68 | RSN |
| March 21 | Marquette\$ | W, 70-63 | ESPNU |
| March 23 | \#5 Baylor\$ | 7 PM ET | ESPN2 |

## -HOME GAMES IN BOLD CAPS

-ACC contests designated with*
-ACC Tournament games played at Greensboro
Coliseum designated with $\wedge$
-NCAA Tournament game in San Antonio, Texas \$

## UNDEFEATED IN THE NON-CON

- Tech rolled through the abbreviated non-conference portion of the schedule averaging 83.0 points while averaging just 57.0.
- The Hokies also extended their winning streak at Cassell against non-con opposition to 60 games, which dates all the way back to 2014.


## INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR IN A SMALL TOWN

- Tech's roster features a few well-traveled student-athletes, with three international athletes.
- Sophomore G/F Makayla Ennis comes from Canada, r-Sr. and Fr. G Georgia Amoore is from down under, in Ballarat, Australia.


## 60 STRAIGHT WINS AT CASSELL COLISEUM

- The Hokies have won 60 straight home game against non-conference opposition which includes the Big Ten/ACC Challenge and postseason contests. Kenny Brooks owns a 44-game streak since taking over the program in 2016-17.
- Tech's last home loss to a non-conference foe came on December 4, 2014 against Northwestern.
- The 2020-21 season will begin with four home games against non-conference oppposition before the Hokies begin ACC play on December 10 vs. Pitt.


## HOKIES DOMINATING NON-CONFERENCE SLATES

- Since his arrival in 2016, Kenny Brooks has owned the non-conference portion of the season. In two of his four seasons he has led the Hokies to perfect records heading into ACC play.
- Including the postseason, the Hokies are 62-10 under Brooks in the non-conference.
- Brooks is 11-4 against schools from the other Power Five conferences during his tenure in Blacksburg and is $4-0$ in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge.


## BIG TEN/ACC CHALLENGE CANCELLED

- The Big Ten/ACC Challenge has been cancelled for women's basketball in 2020.
- The Hokies have been highly successful in the competition, winning five straight with an average margin of victory of 18 points - thanks in part to a 47-point destruction of Illinois in 2017.
- Tech has defeated Penn State (2015), Nebraska (2016), Illinois (2017), Rutgers (2018) and Purdue (2019) in consecutive seasons.
- Overall, the Hokies are 7-6 in the competition.


## THE ULTIMATE GOAL: RETURN TO 'THE BIG DANCE’

- Tech has not heard its name called in 14 years to the top tournament in college basketball, despite a stellar season a year ago, where the Hokies were in position to compete during March Madness.

VIRGINIA TECH'S NCAA HISTORY

| YEAR | SEED |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1994 | 8 seed |
| 1995 | 8 seed |
| 1998 | 11 seed |
| 1999 | 4 seed (reach Sweet 16) |
| 2001 | 7 seed |
| 2003 | 7 seed |
| 2004 | 8 seed |
| 2005 | 12 seed |
| 2006 | 7 seed |
| 2021 | 7 seed |

- All-time, the Hokies are 10-9 in the NCAA tournament and have advanced to the second round of the competition eight times.


## ONE OF THE BEST IN THE BUSINESS

- Kenny Brooks has been a head coach for 18 seasons and in 15 of those, each of the last 15, he has won 20 or more contests. That stretch makes him the only head coach in the ACC with such an active streak.
- In Blacksburg, his win totals have been 20, 23, 22 and 21 last season which did not feature a postseason competition due to COVID-19.


## ACTIVE STARTS CHART

|  | 20-21 | Streak | VT Career |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Georgia Amoore | 22 | 13 | 22 |
| Azana Baines | 15 | 12 | 15 |
| Chloe Brooks | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Makayla Ennis | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Taylor Geiman | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Da'Ja Green | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| D'asia Gregg | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Asiah Jones | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Cayla King | 22 | 14 | 22 |
| Shamarla King | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Elizabeth Kitley | 24 | 54 | 54 |
| Aisha Sheppard | 24 | 64 | 75 |

## LONGEST ACTIVE STREAKS

- Sheppard - 64
- Kitley - 54

| CAREER 3-POINT FG MADE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | FG Made | Years |
| 1. Aisha Sheppard | 304 | 2017-pres |
| 2. Vanessa Panousis | 269 | 2013-17 |
| 3. Carrie Mason | 20 | 2002-0 |
| 4. Lindsay Biggs | 188 | 2006-1 |
| 5. Kendyl Brooks | 160 | 2016-2 |


| ALL-TIME LEADING SCORERS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Points | Years |
| 1. Renee Dennis | 1,791 | 1983-87 |
| 2. Tere Williams | 1,750 | 1997-01 |
| 3. Regan Magarity | 1,661 | 2014-19 |
| 4. leva Kublina | 1,647 | 2000-04 |
| 5. Jenny Root | 1,582 | 1991-95 |
| 6. Christi Osbourne | 1,500 | 1991-95 |
| 7. Amy Wetzel | 1,444 | 1996-01 |
| 8. Aisha Sheppard | 1,430 | 2017-pres |
| 9. Vanessa Panousis | 1,379 | 2013-17 |
| 10. Carrie Mason | 1,369 | 2002-06 |


| RECORD BY OPPONENT CONFERENCE <br> Conference |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| Atlantic Coast | $9-9$ |
| Atlantic 10 (Richmond, GW) | $2-0$ |
| Atlantic Sun (Liberty) | $1-0$ |
| Sun Belt (Appalachian State) | $1-0$ |
| Big East (Marquette) | $1-0$ |
| Big South (Gardner-Webb) | $1-0$ |

## SHEPPARD'S SHOOTING STREAK

- Senior guard Aisha Sheppard holds the program record with 35 consecutive games with a 3-point FG. The streak began on Feb. 28, 2019 and went through Feb. 27, 2020 a stretch of 364 days.
- The Hokies owned a record of 26-9 during that span.
- Her most recent streak of 22 games which had spanned every game of the 2020-21 season was ended with a 0 for 6 effort against NC State in the ACC Quarterfinals.


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## FINAL ACC STANDINGS

|  | Conf. | Overall |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Louisville | $14-2$ | $21-2$ |
| NC State | $10-2$ | $17-2$ |
| Georgia Tech | $12-6$ | $14-7$ |
| Florida State | $9-7$ | $10-7$ |
| Syracuse | $9-7$ | $12-7$ |
| Notre Dame | $8-7$ | $10-9$ |
| Virginia Tech | $8-8$ | $13-8$ |
| North Carolina | $8-9$ | $13-9$ |
| Wake Forest | $8-10$ | $11-11$ |
| Miami | $7-10$ | $10-10$ |
| Clemson | $5-11$ | $10-11$ |
| Pitt | $3-12$ | $5-13$ |
| Boston College | $2-11$ | $6-11$ |
| Duke | $0-1$ | $3-1$ |
| Virginia | $0-2$ | $0-5$ |

## AP POLL - March 15, 2021

|  | Record | Pv Rank |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Connecticut (23) | $24-1$ | 1 |
| 2. Stanford (5) | $25-2$ | 2 |
| 3. NC State (2) | $20-2$ | 3 |
| 4. Texas A\&M | $23-2$ | 4 |
| 5. Baylor | $25-4$ | 6 |
| 6. South Carolina | $22-4$ | 5 |
| 7. Maryland | $24-2$ | 7 |
| 8. Louisville | $23-3$ | 7 |
| 9. UCLA | $16-5$ | 10 |
| 10. Georgia | $20-6$ | 12 |
| 11. Arizona | $16-5$ | 11 |
| 12. Indiana | $18-5$ | 9 |
| 13. Tennessee | $16-7$ | 14 |
| 14. Gonzaga | $23-3$ | 16 |
| 15. Arkansas | $19-8$ | 15 |
| 16. Michigan | $14-5$ | 13 |
| 17. West Virginia | $21-6$ | 17 |
| 18. Kentucky | $17-8$ | 18 |
| 19. South Florida | $18-3$ | 20 |
| 20. Missouri Stae | $21-2$ | 21 |
| 21. Rutgers | $14-4$ | 19 |
| 22. Ohio State | $13-7$ | 22 |
| 23. Oregon | $13-8$ | 23 |
| 24. Florida Gulf Coast | $26-2$ | 24 |
| 25. South Dakota State | $21-3$ | 25 |

Receiving Votes: lowa, Stephen F. Austin, Marquette, Oregon State, Virginia Tech, Northwestern, Georgia Tech, Oklahoma State, DePaul, South Dakota, UCF.

## REPREAT 20-WIN CLUB MEMBERS

- The Hokies have won 20 or more games in each of head coach Kenny Brooks' four seasons at the helm in Blacksburg.
- A fifth consecutive 20-win campaign would mark the first such streak since the program enjoyed seven straight under Bonnioe Hendrickson between 19982004.


## KITLEY IN A CLASS OF HER OWN IN THE ACC

- The 2020 ACC Freshman of the Year had a monster debut season, scoring 27 points in her first game and earning Freshman of the Week honors on three separate occasions.
- Kitley tallied six double-doubles, all in Hokie victories.
- The center averaged 12.5 points and 7.5 rebounds per contest, one of just three freshman in the nation to do so while recording 63 blocks.

| FRESHMAN AVG. 12 POINTS, | 7.5 REB \& RECORDING $\mathbf{6 3}$ BLOCKS IN 2019-20 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | PTS | REB | BLK |
| 1. Ayoka Lee, Kansas State | 15.7 | 11.4 | 91 |
| 2. Aliyah Boston, South Carolina | 12.5 | 9.4 | 86 |
| 3. Liz Kitley, Virginia Tech | $\mathbf{1 2 . 5}$ | $\mathbf{7 . 5}$ | $\mathbf{6 3}$ |
| SPECIALTY STATS FOR LIZ KITLEY AND THE HOKIES |  |  |  |
| Situation | W-L |  |  |
| Scores 20+ | $7-4$ |  |  |
| 10+ Rebounds | $17-4$ |  |  |
| Double-Double | $15-4$ |  |  |
| Shoots 10+ FGs | $19-13$ |  |  |
| Shoots 5+ FTs | $13-9$ |  |  |

## AISHA SHEPPARD'S SENIOR SEASON AWAITS

- A First Team All-ACC selection in 2020, senior guard Aisha Sheppard returns to the floor after leading the Hokies at 14.8 points per game and she became the 28 th woman in program history to eclipse 1,000 career points.
- The sharpshooter began the season second all-time in 3-point field goals and enters the season 50 behind the career mark of Vanessa Panousis' 269 triples.

| SPECIALTY STATS ON AISHA SHEPPARD AND THE HOKIES |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Situation | W-L |
| Scores $20+$ | $6-8$ |
| Scores $5+3-$ pt FG | $10-6$ |
| Shoots $15+$ FGs | $15-12$ |
| Shoots $5+$ FT | $10-4$ |

## DYNAMIC DUO: SHEPPARD AND KITLEY

- Tech's two leading scorers from a season ago, Aisha Sheppard (14.8) and Elizabeth Kitley (12.5) represent the second-best scoring duo (27.3 ppg.)to return to the ACC in 2020-21. Only Notre Dame's combo of Walker and Brunelle (28.4 ppg.) eclipses the Hokies' mark.
- The Hokies are one of only three ACC schools to return their two highest scorers from a season ago, with the others being Syracuse (Lewis and Engstler 26.6 ppg) and the Fighting Irish.


## HOKIES ADD HEIGHT TO THE ROSTER

- This season's squad has nine players listed at 6 feet tall or above up led by the 6-foot-5 Elizabeth Kitley. That total is up from seven a season ago.
- Only Virginia has more 6-footers listed amongst ACC schools with 11. NC State also lists nine players at 6 feet tall or above.


## NEW FACES IN THE LOCKER ROOM

- The Hokies' coaching staff has two new additions this season in Christal Caldwell and Lindsey Hicks. Caldwell made the move to Blacksburg from her alma mater West Virginia while Caldwell spent last season as the associate head coach of the Lousiana Tech Lady Techsters.
- In addition, the Hokies' roster features a plethora of newcomers, seven.
- The Hokies once again took adavantage of the graduate transfer rule as well as the transfer portal welcoming Da'Ja Green from Wofford, D'asia Gregg from Gulf Coast State and Azana Baines from Duke.
- Tech has four true freshmen; G Shelby Calhoun, G, Shemarla King, F Nevaeh Dean and G Georgia Amoore. Amoore, an Australia native enrolled in January of 2020 and practiced with the team, but did not play in any games to preserve her eligibility. A 5-foot-5 guard from Ballarat, she is one of the top prospects in her country and has competed in youth international tournaments and has helped the Aussies win gold at the U-18 FIBA $3 \times 3$ 's and U-16 Asia Cup.


## BEGINNING A NEW JOURNEY

- Following a sensational 2019-20 season that saw the Hokies go 21-9 and in position for their first NCAA invite in 14 seasons, before the COVID-19 pandemic forced the premature close of the season, Virginia Tech is ready to hit the floor again in a competitive setting.


## Kenny Brooks

 HEAD COACH • 5TH SEASON§ @CoachBrooksVT

## THE BROOKS FILE

Coaching Experience: 24 rd season/5th at Virginia Tech

Head Coach:
Record at Tech
Record at JMU:
Overall Record:
Hometown:
High School:
College:
Playing Exp:

19th season, 5th at Virginia Tech 101-58 (.63)
337-122 (.734) 438-180 (.709)
Waynesboro, Virginia
Waynesboro (1987)
James Madison (1992)
James Madison (1988-92)

## COACHING HISTORY

## Year Schoo

Position
2016-pres Virginia Tech Head Coach
2003-16 James Madison Head Coach
2002-03 James Madison Interim Head Cach
1998-02 James Madison Assistant Coach
1994-98 VMI Men's Assistant Coach

## POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE

2021
NCAA Tournament
2018 WNIT Finals
2017 WNIT Rd. of 16
2016 NCAA First Rd.
2015 NCAA First Rd.
2014 NCAA 2nd Rd.
2013 WNIT Qtrs
2012 WNIT Finals
2011 NCAA First Rd
2010 NCAA First Rd
2009 WNIT 2nd Rd.
2008 WNIT 3rd Rd.
2007 NCAA First Rd.
2006 WNIT First Rd.

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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 FOUR SEASONS

| Coach | Wins | Seasons |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Bonnie Hendrickson | 92 | $1997-01$ |
| 2. Kenny Brooks | $\mathbf{8 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 2 0}$ |
| 3. Beth Dunkenberger | 67 | $2004-08$ |
| 4. Carol Alfano | 55 | $1978-82$ |
| 5. Dennis Wolff | 43 | $2011-15$ |

## BROOKS' PUPILS 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 Giggetts and Jazmon Gwathmey from JMU.

Since moving to Blacksburg, Brooks has helped Vanessa Panousis, Sidney Cook, Sami Hill, Regan Magarity, Taylor Emery, Taja Cole and Lydia Rivers find professiona basketball success.

## MR. MARCH

- Brooks' career record in the month of March is 70-32 (.69).
- In the 17 seasons of head coaching that he has completed his teams have won five or more games in March seven times, most recently in 2017-18 when the Hokies were runners up in the WNIT.
- Kenny Brooks was named the seventh head women's basketball coach at Virginia Tech on March 28, 2016. He enters his fifth season at the helm of the Hokies' program heading into the 2020-21 season.
- Since Brooks' arrival in Blacksburg, the Hokies have enjoyed four consecutive 20 -plus win seasons, all culminating with tournament runs in March. He had the Hokies in position to make the program's first NCAA Tournament appearance since 2006 in 2020, before COVID-19 led to the cancellation of the event. The Hokies made a WNIT Championship game appearance in 2018 and made it to the WNIT's Sweet Sixteen in 2017 and 2019.

The Hokies set numerous program records in 2019-20, most notably winning 11 ACC games for the first time and earning the five seed at the conference's tournament.

- 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.

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.

- Four Hokies have reached 1,000 points since Brooks joined Tech including All-ACC performers Emery, Regan Magarity and senior guard Aisha Sheppard.
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.
- 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 anf 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 manbagement. 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.


## V WOMENS BASKETBALL NOTES

## COMMONWEALTH COMPETITION

- Since taking over in 2016, Kenny Brooks has faced eight different programs from Virginia and owns a 11-7 record against those teams.
- In total games played in Virginia, he has led the Hokies to a 60-21 (.740) mark.


## CONDENSED NON-CON IN 2020

- The Hokies have just four non-conference contests on their schedule in 2020-21, in part due to the expanded 20-game ACC schedule and in part because the start of the season was pushed back three weeks later than usual to November 25.
- After competing against Richmond (11/25), the Hokies are slated to play vs. Liberty (11/28), George Washington (12/1), Appalachian State (12/4) and the Runnin' Bulldogs of Gard-ner-Webb (12/6) all at Cassell Coliseum.


## GREEN AMONGST D1'S BEST

- G Da'Ja Green ranks 10th amongst active D1 players in career assists wth 472.
- She recorded 435 at Wofford in her threee seasons there, where she graduated with the third-most in program history.


## FAMILY ATMOSPHERE IN BLACKSBURG

- Coach Brooks' second daughter Chloe is a r-So. G on the team. The Hokies are one of at least two programs in D1 in which the head coach has their daughter on the roster in 202021 (Southern Utah).


## THREE HOKIES HAVE EARNED WEEKLY ACC INDIVIDUAL HONORS

- Senior guard Aisha Sheppard was recognized by the conference's Blue Ribbon Panel as the Player of the Week, on Feb. 1, the first for her career.
- Sheppard averaged 22.0 points per game to lift Virginia Tech to a pair of wins, including its best victory in program history last Thursday, as the Hokies upset second-ranked NC State in overtime, 83-71. The senior guard led all players with 28 points against the Wolfpack, scoring all of her points after halftime.
- She scored 18 of her points in overtime, as Virginia Tech set an NCAA Division I record with 26 points in the extra period. Sheppard was 12 -for-14 from the free-throw line in overtime to lead the Hokies to the 12-point victory.
- Teammate Elizabeth Kitley was previously the Co-Player of the Week on Jan. 18, giving the Hokies two in the same year for the first time in program history. Tech is one of three schools to have two different ACC Players of the Week this season.
-Point guard Georgia Amoore was recignized as the conference's Freshman of the Week on Feb. 15 following her efforts in the win at Miami. Amoore scored 17 points including five

3-pointers and also recorded five assists and four steals in the game.

| ACTIVE CAREER LEADERS IN 3-POINTERS ENTERING THE WEEK |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | TEAM | 3FGS |
| 1. Katie Benzan | Maryland | 366 |
| 2. Kendall Spray | Clemson | 354 |
| 3. Taylor Robertson | Oklahoma | 311 |
| 4. Aisha Sheppard | Virginia Tech | $\mathbf{3 0 3}$ |
| 5. Kendrea Williams | Saint Peter's | 302 |
| MOST 3-POINTERS DURING 2020-21 SEASON |  |  |
| Player | TEAM | 3FGS |
| 1. Aisha Sheppard | Virginia Tech | $\mathbf{8 4}$ |
| 2. Caitlin Clark | lowa | 82 |
| 3. lonna Krimili | San Francisco | 81 |
| 4. Skyler Curran | High Point | 80 |
| 5. Katie Benzan | Maryland | 79 |

THE HOKIES UNDER BROOKS

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Brooks' Team's High \& Low Water Marks ................................................................... 44
FG att......................................................... 68.............. 76
3FG made.................................................. 16.............. 18
3FG att ...................................................... 39.............. 39
FT made ..................................................... 20.............. 31
FT att.......................................................... 26.............. 40
Rebounds ..................................................58.............. 56
Assists ....................................................... 21 .............. 28
Steals.......................................................................... 14
Blocks ......................................................... 11 .............. 10
Turnovers.................................................... 24.............. 28
Largest halftime lead.....................................22.................. 37
Largest halftime deficit.............................. 9 ............... 27
Most points scored in a half ................... 51 .............. 60
Fewest points scored in a half............... 23................ 9
Most points scored..................................92............. 105
Fewest points scored.............................. 54.............. 27
Opponent most points scored............... 89............. 107
Opponent fewest points scored............39.............. 32
Highest scoring quarter........................... 29............... 39
Lowest scoring quarter............................. 7 ................. 2
Opponent highest scoring quarter........ 32.............. 32
Opponent lowest scoring quarter ........... 4 ................. 4
Brooks' Teams For ...


## 2020 VIRGINIA TECH ROSTERS

| No. | Name |
| :--- | :--- |
| 5 | Amoore, Georgia |
| 15 | Baines, Azana |
| 3 | Brooks, Chloe |
| 0 | Ennis, Makayla |
| 35 | Geiman, Taylor |
| 10 | Green, Da'Ja |
| 11 | Gregg, D'asia |
| 23 | Jones, Asiah |
| 22 | King, Cayla |
| 21 | King, Shamarla |
| 33 | Kitley, Elizabeth |
| 2 | Sheppard, Aisha |


| Pos. | No. | Name | vl | Pos. | Ht. |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| G | 0 | Makayla Ennis | 1 | G/F | $6-0$ |
| G | 2 | Aisha Sheppard | 3 | G | $5-9$ |
| G | 3 | Chloe Brooks | 1 | G | $5-10$ |
| G/F | 5 | Georgia Amoore | - | G | $5-5$ |
| G/F | 10 | Da'Ja Green | - | G | $5-6$ |
| G | 11 | D'asia Gregg | - | F | $6-2$ |
| F | 15 | Azana Baines | - | G | $6-1$ |
| F | 21 | Shamarla King | - | G | $6-0$ |
| G | 22 | Cayla King | 1 | G | $5-11$ |
| G | 23 | Asiah Jones | - | F | $6-3$ |
| C | 33 | Elizabeth Kitley | 1 | C | $6-5$ |
| G | 35 | Taylor Geiman | 1 | G/F | $6-0$ |


| CI. | Hometown | High School/Last School |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| So. | Brampton, Ontario, Canda | Lincoln Prep |
| Sr. | Alexandria, Virginia | St. John's (High School) |
| r-So. | Harrisonburg, Virginia | Spotswood |
| Fr. | Ballarat, Victoria, Australia | Loretto College Ballarat |
| Sr. | Ellenwood, Georgia | Morrow (Wofford) |
| Jr. | Florence, South Carolina | Wilson (GT/Gulf Coast State) |
| So. | Blackwood, New Jersey | Gloucester Catholic (Duke) |
| Fr. | Hartford, Connecticut | The Watkinson School |
| So. | Greensboro, North Carolina | Northwest Guilford |
| r-Sr. | Sacramento, California | Woodmont/USC |
| So. | Summerfield, North Carolina | Northwest Guilford |
| So. | Hannover, Pennsylvania | South Western |

D'ASIA Gregg . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Asohn-uh
AZANA Baia
ASIAH Jones . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

## WHERE WE COME FROM

| VIRGINIA. | 2 (Brooks, , Sheppard) | CONNECTICUT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (S. King) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NORTH CAROLINA | . 2 (C. King, Kitley) | GEORGIA . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Green) |
| AUSTRALIA | . 1 (Amoore) | NEW JERSEY. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Baines) |
| CALIFORNIA | . . . 1 (Jones) | PENNSYLVANIA . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Geiman) |
| CANADA | . . . . . . 1 (Ennis) | SOUTH CAROLINA . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 (Gregg) |

HOKIES BY CLASS

| FRESHMEN (2) | SOPHOMORES (6) | JUNIORS (1) | SENIORS (3) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Shamarla King | Chloe Brooks | Asiah Jones |  |
| Georgia Amoore | Elizabeth Kitley |  | Da'Ja Green |
|  | Taylor Geiman |  | Aisha Sheppard |
|  | Cayla King |  |  |
|  | Makayla Ennis |  |  |



## 2020-2021 Virginia Tech Women's Basketball Overall Statistics (as of Mar 21, 2021)

Overall Record: 15-9 Conf: 8-8 Home: 9-5 Away: 4-3 Neutral: 2-1

| \# | Player | GP-GS | MIN | AVG | FG |  | 3PT |  | FT |  | Rebounds |  |  |  | PF | DQ | A | TO | BLK | STL | PTS | AVG |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | FG-FGA | FG\% | 3FG-FGA | 3FG\% | FT-FTA | FT\% | OFF | DEF | TOT | AVG |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 33 | Kitley, Elizabeth | 24-24 | 852 | 35.5 | 178-327 | . 544 | 3-7 | . 429 | 90-116 | . 776 | 59 | 194 | 253 | 10.5 | 49 | 0 | 48 | 67 | 47 | 12 | 449 | 18.7 |
| 02 | Sheppard, Aisha | 24-24 | 784 | 32.7 | 130-342 | . 380 | 85-239 | . 356 | 82-97 | . 845 | 11 | 54 | 65 | 2.7 | 57 | 2 | 74 | 51 | 3 | 25 | 427 | 17.8 |
| 05 | Amoore, Georgia | 24-22 | 748 | 31.2 | 96-245 | . 392 | 53-135 | . 393 | 32-39 | . 821 | 8 | 50 | 58 | 2.4 | 63 | 4 | 111 | 70 | 4 | 19 | 277 | 11.5 |
| 22 | King, Cayla | 24-22 | 747 | 31.1 | 64-166 | . 386 | 58-151 | . 384 | 25-32 | . 781 | 20 | 53 | 73 | 3.0 | 75 | 0 | 29 | 17 | 6 | 18 | 211 | 8.8 |
| 23 | Jones, Asiah | 12-12 | 264 | 22.0 | 47-90 | . 522 | 0-3 | . 000 | 10-17 | . 588 | 23 | 46 | 69 | 5.8 | 32 | 1 | 10 | 28 | 25 | 6 | 104 | 8.7 |
| 15 | Baines, Azana | 17-15 | 427 | 25.1 | 50-113 | . 442 | 6-25 | . 240 | 11-23 | . 478 | 29 | 73 | 102 | 6.0 | 46 | 3 | 28 | 31 | 3 | 9 | 117 | 6.9 |
| 11 | Gregg, D'asia | 16-0 | 256 | 16.0 | 15-46 | . 326 | 6-24 | . 250 | 18-22 | . 818 | 14 | 44 | 58 | 3.6 | 26 | 0 | 14 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 54 | 3.4 |
| 10 | Green, Da'Ja | 24-1 | 321 | 13.4 | 20-46 | . 435 | 11-21 | . 524 | 3-6 | . 500 | 4 | 27 | 31 | 1.3 | 22 | 0 | 42 | 22 | 0 | 9 | 54 | 2.3 |
| 40 | Obouh Fegue, Alex | 11-0 | 72 | 6.5 | 10-22 | . 455 | 0-0 | . 000 | 2-4 | . 500 | 13 | 27 | 40 | 3.6 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 4 | 4 | 22 | 2.0 |
| 00 | Ennis, Makayla | 18-0 | 183 | 10.2 | 11-28 | . 393 | 6-10 | . 600 | 0-0 | . 000 | 12 | 25 | 37 | 2.1 | 28 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 28 | 1.6 |
| 35 | Geiman, Taylor | 8-0 | 115 | 14.4 | 3-20 | . 150 | 1-17 | . 059 | 0-2 | . 000 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 1.8 | 12 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0.9 |
| 12 | Calhoun, Shelby | 4-0 | 21 | 5.3 | 1-5 | . 200 | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-4 | . 250 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1.0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.8 |
| 03 | Brooks, Chloe | 7-0 | 35 | 5.0 | 0-5 | . 000 | 0-5 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0.6 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tot |  | 24 | 4825 | 201.0 | 625-1455 | . 430 | 229-637 | . 359 | 274-362 | . 757 | 238 | 665 | 903 | 37.6 | 431 | 12 | 378 | 340 | 97 | 109 | 1753 | 73.04 |
|  | onents |  | 4825 | 201.0 | 569-1453 | . 392 | 149-472 | . 316 | 273-392 | . 696 | 247 | 601 | 848 | 35.3 | 410 | 12 | 271 | 328 | 78 | 170 | 1560 | 65.00 |


| Team Statistics | Hokies | OPP |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| SCORING | 1753 | 1560 |
| Points Per Game | 73.0 | 65.0 |
| Scoring Margin | 8.0 | - |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT | $625-1455$ | $569-1453$ |
| Field Goal Pct | .430 | .392 |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT | $229-637$ | $149-472$ |
| 3PT FG Pct | .359 | .316 |
| 3PT Made Per Game | 9.5 | 6.2 |
| FREE THROWS-ATT | $274-362$ | $273-392$ |
| FT Pct | .757 | .696 |
| FT Made Per Game | 11.4 | 11.4 |
| REBOUNDS | 903 | 848 |
| Rebounds Per Game | 37.6 | 35.3 |
| Rebounds Margin | 2.3 | - |
| ASSISTS | 378 | 271 |
| Assists Per Game | 15.8 | 11.3 |
| TURNOVERS | 340 | 328 |
| Turnovers Per Game | 14.2 | 13.7 |
| Turnovers Margin | -0.5 | - |
| Assist/Turnover Ratio | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| STEALS | 109 | 170 |
| Steals Per Game | 4.5 | 7.1 |
| BLOCKS | 97 | 78 |
| Blocks Per Game | 4.0 | 3.3 |
| ATTENDANCE | 3,500 | 2,116 |
| Dates/Avg Per Date | $14-250$ | $7-302$ |
| Neutral Site \#/Avg | - | $3-0$ |


| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Virginia Tech | 478 | 407 | 436 | 406 | 26 | 1753 |
| Opponents | 360 | 380 | 390 | 416 | 14 | 1560 |


| Conf | Date | Opponent | W/L | Score | Att. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 11/25/20 | RICHMOND | W | 85-64 | 250 |
|  | 11/28/20 | LIBERTY | W | 81-66 | 250 |
|  | 12/01/20 | GEORGE WASHINGTON | W | 92-57 | 250 |
|  | 12/04/20 | APPALACHIAN ST. | W | 84-59 | 250 |
|  | 12/06/20 | GARDNER-WEBB | W | 73-39 | 250 |
| * | 12/10/20 | PITTSBURGH | W | 88-71 | 250 |
| * | 12/17/20 | at Notre Dame | L | 78-84 | 64 |
| * | 12/31/20 | FLORIDA ST. | L | 63-73 | 250 |
| * | 01/07/21 | LOUISVILLE | L | 67-71 | 250 |
| * | 01/10/21 | at Georgia Tech | L | 54-56 | 1,200 |
| * | 01/14/21 | at North Carolina | W | 66-54 | 0 |
| * | 01/17/21 | WAKE FOREST | L | 64-67 | 250 |
| * | 01/21/21 | NOTRE DAME | L | 60-65 | 250 |
| * | 01/24/21 | at NC State | L | 87-89 | 25 |
| * | 01/28/21 | NC STATE | W | 83-71 | 250 |
| * | 01/31/21 | NORTH CAROLINA | w | 73-69 | 250 |
| * | 02/04/21 | at Pittsburgh | W | 74-55 | 500 |
| * | 02/11/21 | at Miami (FL) | W | 75-55 | 0 |
| * | 02/21/21 | SYRACUSE | W | 76-68 | 250 |
| * | 02/25/21 | at Clemson | W | 70-64 | 327 |
| * | 02/28/21 | NORTH CAROLINA | L | 63-68 | 250 |
|  | 03/04/21 | vs Miami (FL) | W | 72-64 | 0 |
|  | 03/05/21 | vs NC State | L | 55-68 | 0 |
|  | 03/21/21 | vs Marquette | W | 70-63 | 0 |

* $=$ Conference game


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## Conference Games Only

Conf: 8-8 Home: 4-5 Away: 4-3 Neutral: 0-0

| \# | Player | GP-GS | MIN | AVG | FG |  | 3PT |  | FT |  | Rebounds |  |  |  | PF | DQ | A | TO | BLK | STL | PTS | AVG |
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|  |  |  |  |  | FG-FGA | FG\% | 3FG-FGA | 3FG\% | FT-FTA | FT\% | OFF | DEF | TOT | AVG |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 02 | Sheppard, Aisha | 16-16 | 552 | 34.5 | 94-249 | . 378 | 62-179 | . 346 | 67-79 | . 848 | 10 | 36 | 46 | 2.9 | 44 | 2 | 49 | 35 | 2 | 18 | 317 | 19.8 |
| 33 | Kitley, Elizabeth | 16-16 | 594 | 37.1 | 119-234 | . 509 | 2-5 | . 400 | 56-74 | . 757 | 46 | 116 | 162 | 10.1 | 30 | 0 | 29 | 48 | 30 | 8 | 296 | 18.5 |
| 05 | Amoore, Georgia | 16-14 | 519 | 32.4 | 57-158 | . 361 | 35-91 | . 385 | 24-26 | . 923 | 7 | 33 | 40 | 2.5 | 43 | 3 | 81 | 45 | 2 | 17 | 173 | 10.8 |
| 22 | King, Cayla | 16-14 | 515 | 32.2 | 43-118 | . 364 | 39-106 | . 368 | 18-24 | . 750 | 15 | 31 | 46 | 2.9 | 52 | 0 | 16 | 9 | 5 | 12 | 143 | 8.9 |
| 15 | Baines, Azana | 14-12 | 344 | 24.6 | 39-93 | . 419 | 6-23 | . 261 | 8-19 | . 421 | 22 | 60 | 82 | 5.9 | 38 | 3 | 25 | 26 | 3 | 8 | 92 | 6.6 |
| 23 | Jones, Asiah | 7-7 | 153 | 21.9 | 20-43 | . 465 | 0-0 | . 000 | 3-6 | . 500 | 15 | 20 | 35 | 5.0 | 21 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 12 | 5 | 43 | 6.1 |
| 11 | Gregg, D'asia | 9-0 | 169 | 18.8 | 11-26 | . 423 | 5-13 | . 385 | 9-11 | . 818 | 9 | 22 | 31 | 3.4 | 19 | 0 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 4.0 |
| 10 | Green, Da'Ja | 16-1 | 179 | 11.2 | 7-24 | . 292 | 4-11 | . 364 | 2-4 | . 500 | 2 | 14 | 16 | 1.0 | 15 | 0 | 23 | 12 | 0 | 5 | 20 | 1.3 |
| 00 | Ennis, Makayla | 13-0 | 138 | 10.6 | 6-17 | . 353 | 3-5 | . 600 | 0-0 | . 000 | 8 | 17 | 25 | 1.9 | 25 | 2 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 1.2 |
| 35 | Geiman, Taylor | 3-0 | 32 | 10.7 | 1-7 | . 143 | 1-6 | . 167 | 0-0 | . 000 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1.0 |
| 40 | Obouh Fegue, Alex | 6-0 | 28 | 4.7 | 1-3 | . 333 | 0-0 | . 000 | 1-2 | . 500 | 4 | 12 | 16 | 2.7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0.5 |
| 03 | Brooks, Chloe | 2-0 | 2 | 1.0 | 0-1 | . 000 | 0-1 | . 000 | 0-0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total |  | 16 | 3225 | 201.6 | 398-973 | . 409 | 157-440 | . 357 | 188-245 | . 767 | 164 | 405 | 569 | 35.6 | 298 | 10 | 251 | 221 | 58 | 76 | 1141 | 71.31 |
| Opponents |  |  | 3225 | 201.6 | 385-947 | . 407 | 111-306 | . 363 | 199-265 | . 751 | 165 | 410 | 575 | 35.9 | 280 | 8 | 186 | 234 | 60 | 111 | 1080 | 67.50 |


| Team Statistics | Hokies | OPP |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| SCORING | 1141 | 1080 |
| Points Per Game | 71.3 | 67.5 |
| Scoring Margin | 3.8 | - |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT | $398-973$ | $385-947$ |
| Field Goal Pct | .409 | .407 |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT | .357 | .363 |
| 3PT FG Pct | 9.8 | 6.9 |
| 3PT Made Per Game | $188-245$ | $199-265$ |
| FREE THROWS-ATT | .767 | .751 |
| FT Pct | 11.8 | 12.4 |
| FT Made Per Game | 569 | 575 |
| REBOUNDS | 35.6 | 35.9 |
| Rebounds Per Game | -0.3 | - |
| Rebounds Margin | 251 | 186 |
| ASSISTS | 15.7 | 11.6 |
| Assists Per Game | 221 | 234 |
| TURNOVERS | 13.8 | 14.6 |
| Turnovers Per Game | 0.8 | - |
| Turnovers Margin | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| Assist/Turnover Ratio | 76 | 111 |
| STEALS | 4.8 | 6.9 |
| Steals Per Game | 58 | 60 |
| BLOCKS | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| Blocks Per Game | 2,250 | 2,116 |
| ATTENDANCE | $9-250$ | $7-302$ |
| Dates-Avg Per Date | - | $0-0$ |
| Neutral Site \#-Avg |  |  |


| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Virginia Tech | 305 | 255 | 281 | 274 | 26 | 1141 |
| Opponents | 258 | 266 | 276 | 266 | 14 | 1080 |


| Date | Opponent | W/L | Score | Att. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| $12 / 10 / 20$ | PITTSBURGH | W | $88-71$ | 250 |
| $12 / 17 / 20$ | at Notre Dame | L | $78-84$ | 64 |
| $12 / 31 / 20$ | FLORIDA ST. | L | $63-73$ | 250 |
| $01 / 07 / 21$ | LOUISVILLE | L | $67-71$ | 250 |
| $01 / 10 / 21$ | at Georgia Tech | L | $54-56$ | 1200 |
| $01 / 14 / 21$ | at North Carolina | L | $66-54$ | 0 |
| $01 / 17 / 21$ | WAKE FOREST | L | $64-67$ | 250 |
| $01 / 21 / 21$ | NOTRE DAME | L | $60-65$ | 250 |
| $01 / 24 / 21$ | at NC State | W | $87-89$ | 25 |
| $01 / 28 / 21$ | NC STATE | W | $73-71$ | 250 |
| $01 / 31 / 21$ | NORTH CAROLINA | W | $74-55$ | 250 |
| $02 / 04 / 21$ | at Pittsburgh | W | $75-55$ | 500 |
| $02 / 11 / 21$ | at Miami (FL) | W | $76-68$ | 0 |
| $02 / 21 / 21$ | SYRACUSE | W | $70-64$ | 250 |
| $02 / 25 / 21$ | at Clemson | L | $63-68$ | 327 |
| $02 / 28 / 21$ | NORTH CAROLINA |  | 250 |  |

## 0 MAKAYLA ENNIS

- G/F | 6-0 | Fr.

Brampton, Ontario, Canada (Lincoln Prep)


SEASON HIGHS (2020-21)

| Points | 12, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 29, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| FG Made | 5, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| FG Attempts | 10, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Made | 2, 2x, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | $3,2 x$, vs. Wake Forest, 1/17/21 |
| FT Made | - |
| FT Attempts | - |
| Rebounds | 8, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 21$ |
| Assists | 2, at Pitt, 2/4/21 |
| Blocks | 1, vs. Wake Forest, 1/17/21 |
| Steals | 2, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |

## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 12, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 29, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| FG Made | 5, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| FG Attempts | 10, vs. Wake Forest, 1/17/21 |
| 3-pt FG Made | 2, vs. George Washington, 12/1/20 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 3, vs. George Washington, 12/1/20 |
| FT Made | 2, vs. Davidson, $11 / 24 / 19$ |
| FT Attempts | 2, 2x last at Florida State, 12/29/19 |
| Rebounds | 8, vs. Notre Dame, 1/21/21 |
| Assists | 2, at Pitt, $2 / 4 / 21$ |
| Blocks | 3, vs. Davidson, $11 / 24 / 19$ |
| Steals | 2, 2x, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |



## NOTES ON MAKAYLA ENNIS

## 2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

-Came off the bench against Wake Forest (1/17/21) to score a career-best 12 points in 29 minutes of action.

## 2019-20 (FRESHMAN)

-Played in 15 contests, coming off of the bench each time.
-Averaged 1.1 points and 1.1 rebounds, scoring a carre-best four points on three separate occasions.
-Played for a season-high 15 minutes in the Hokies' victory over Davidson.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-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.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Creative writing

## 2 AISHA SHEPPARD

- G | 5-9 | Sr.

Alexandria, Virginia (St. John's)


SEASON HIGHS (2020-21)

| Points | 29, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | $40,2 x$ last vs. Syracuse, $2 / 21 / 21$ |
| FG Made | $8,3 x$ last vs. Syracuse, $2 / 21 / 21$ |
| FG Attempts | 26, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| 3-pt FG Made | $6,2 x$ last at Clemson, $2 / 25 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 20, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| FT Made | 12, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FT Attempts | 14, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| Rebounds | 7, at Clemson, $2 / 25 / 21$ |
| Assists | $6,3 x$ last vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| Blocks | $1,3 x$, last at Georgia Tech, $1 / 10 / 21$ |
| Steals | $3,3 x$, last vs. Louisville, $1 / 7 / 20$ |

## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 32 vs. Virginia, $2 / 23 / 20$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | $42,2 x$ last vs. Georgia Tech, $2 / 13 / 20$ |
| FG Made | 10, 2 x last vs. Virginia, $2 / 23 / 20$ |
| FG Attempts | 26, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| 3-pt FG Made | $8,2 x$ last vs. Virginia, $2 / 23 / 20$ |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 20, vs. Notre Dame, $1 / 21 / 20$ |
| FT Made | 12, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FT Attempts | 14, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| Rebounds | $7,3 x$ last at Clemson, $2 / 25 / 21$ |
| Assists | $6,4 x$ last vs. vs. Notre Dame, 1/21/20 |
| Blocks | 3, at Monmouth, $12 / 12 / 17$ |
| Steals | 3, 10x last vs. Louisville, $1 / 7 / 20$ |

AISHA SHEPPARD CAREER STATS


## NOTES ON AISHA SHEPPARD

## -2021 First Team All-ACC.

-The first Hokie to ever earn First Team twice.
-Eighth all-time at Virginia Tech with 1,423 career points.
-Has 304 career 3-point field goals the most in program history and the seventh-most in ACC history.
-Named ACC Player of the Week on Feb. 1.
-Set the program record for 3's at No. 2 NC State (1/24/21).
-Scored 20 or more in three consecutive games twice in 2020-21.
-Scored 28 points in the OT win over No. 2 NC State (1/28/21). Eighteen of her points came in the OT period.

## CAREER HONORS

## -Ranks first all-time in 3-point FG in school history (304)

-First Team All-ACC 2020
-ACC All-Academic twice
-Set the program record with 85 3-point FGs in a single season in 2020-21.
-The 28th woman in program history to score 1,000 points.

## 2020-21 (SENIOR)

-Named to the Preseason All-ACC Team.

## 2019-20 (JUNIOR)

-Started all 30 contests and led the Hokies at 14.8 ppg while adding 3.1 rebounds
-Shot 39\% from the field and 37\% from beyond the arc
-Knocked down eight triples twice, first in a 28-point effort at NC State, then again in a 32-point effort vs. Virginia

## other contest

-Scored a season-high 17 points twice, including in the Hokies' upset of No. 13 Miami on Feb. 21
-Knocked down 59 triples to climb to eighth place all-time in program history

## 2017-18 (FRESHMAN)

-Appeared in all 37 games, making 10 start. She led the team with 76 3's, at the time a freshman record at Virginia Tech
-Tied the program record at the time for most 3's in an ACC contest with seven at eventual national champion Notre Dame. She scored a season-high 21 points in the contest.
-Had 10 points in her first game and scored in double figures 15 times, averaging 8.2 ppg

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Was the first commit of Coach Brooks' tenure at Virginia Tech.
-The Gatorade Player of the Year for Washington, D.C., Sheppard lettered at St. John's Catholic for coach Jonathan Scribner. She was also recognized as the MVP at the She's Got Game and Art Turner Tournaments, USA Today High School All-American, first team WCAC, All-USA Washington D.C. first team, All-Metro Player of the Year, second team D.C. All-Tournament and
Sheppard was an ESPN HoopGurlz 5-star recruit

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Owns a degree in broadcast journalism and is enrolled in graduate school studying agricultural and life sciences.

## 2018-19 (SOPHOMORE

-Started 11 games during the season and appeared off the bench in every

## WOMFN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

## 3 CHLOE BROOKS

- G | 5-10 | r-So.

Harrisonburg, Virginia (Spotswood)

|  | SEASON HIGHS (2020-21) |  | CAREER HIGHS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Points | - | Points | 3, vs. Miami, 2/2/20 |
|  | Minutes | 10, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 | Minutes | 10, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
|  | FG Made | - | FG Made | 1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20 |
|  | FG Attempts | 2, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 | FG Attempts | 2, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
|  | 3-pt FG Made | - | 3-pt FG Made | 1, vs. Miami, 2/2/20 |
|  | 3-pt FG Attempts | 2, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 | 3-pt FG Attempts | 2, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
|  | FT Made | - | FT Made | - |
|  | FT Attempts | - | FT Attempts | - |
|  | Rebounds | 3, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 | Rebounds | 3, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
|  | Assists | 3, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 | Assists | 3, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
|  | Blocks | 1, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 | Blocks | 1, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
|  | Steals | - | Steals | - |


| Year | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2018-19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 2019-20 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 3.0 | 1 | 1 | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.3 | 1 | . 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0.8 |
| 2020-21 | 7 | 0 | 35 | 5.8 | 0 | 5 | . 000 | 0 | 5 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0.7 | 4 | 0.7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 |
| TOTAL | 11 | 0 | 47 | 4.2 | 1 | 6 | . 167 | 1 | 6 | . 167 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 0.5 | 5 | 0.5 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 |

## NOTES ON CHLOE BROOKS

## 2019-20 (R-FRESHMAN)

-Averaged 3.0 minutes in four games played.
-Made her first basket in the Hokies' win over Miami (2/2/20) hitting a 3-pointer in transition.
-Saw her first action as a Hokie at the Coqui Classic vs. Wichita State recording two minutes.

## 2018-19 (FRESHMAN)

-Redshirted her freshman season due to injury.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-A Virginia state champion with Spotswood in 2016.
-Older sister Kendyl played for the Hokies from 2016-20 and ranks fifth
all-time in 3-pointers made with 160.
-Father Kenny is the head coach.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Human development

## 5 GEORGIA AMOORE

- G|5-5 | Fr.

Ballarat, Victoria, Australia


SEASON HIGHS (2020-21)

| Points | 23, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 40, 3x, last vs. NC State, $3 / 5 / 21$ |
| FG Made | 9, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| FG Attempts | 19, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | 5, 2x last at Miami, 2/11/21 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 12, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| FT Made | 4, at North Carolina, 1/14/21 |
| FT Attempts | 4, at North Carolina, 1/14/21 |
| Rebounds | 4, 2x last vs. Syracues. $2 / 21 / 21$ |
| Assists | 7, 2 x last at NC State, $1 / 24 / 21$ |
| Blocks | 1, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
| Steals | 4, at Miami, 2/11/21 |

## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 23, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Minutes | 40, 3x, last vs. NC State, 3/5/21 |
| FG Made | 9 , at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| FG Attempts | 19, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | $5,2 \mathrm{last}$ at Miami, 2/11/21 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 12, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |
| FT Made | 4, at North Carolina, 1/14/21 |
| FT Attempts | 4, at North Carolina, 1/14/21 |
| Rebounds | 4, $2 x$ last vs. Syracues. 2/21/21 |
| Assists | 7, 2 x last at NC State, 1/24/21 |
| Blocks | 1, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
| Steals | 4, at Miami, 2/11/21 |

GEORGIA AMOORE CAREER STATS

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2020-21 | 24 | 22 | 748 | 31.2 | 96 | 245 | . 392 | 53 | 135 | . 393 | 32 | 39 | . 821 | 8 | 50 | 58 | 2.4 | 111 | 4.6 | 70 | 19 | 4 | 277 | 11.5 |
| TOTAL | 24 | 22 | 748 | 31.2 | 96 | 245 | . 392 | 53 | 135 | . 393 | 32 | 39 | . 821 | 8 | 50 | 58 | 2.4 | 111 | 4.6 | 70 | 19 | 4 | 277 | 11.5 |

## NOTES ON GEORGIA AMOORE

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Communication science and social inquiry.

## 2020-21 (FRESHMAN)

-2021 ACC All-Freshman Team member and All-Academic.

- Enters the NCAA Tournament with three consecutive games with 10 or more points, her third such streak of the season. Amoore did not come off the floor at the ACC Tournament in two games, playing 80 minutes and scoring 28 points and collecting nine rebounds and seven assists.
- Averaged 11.2 points, 4.6 assists and 2.4 rebounds in 2020-21, culminating with an All-Freshman Team nod. The Australia native ranks fourth in the conference in assists and is second in 3-point field goal percentage (42\%).
She was awarded Freshman of the Week honors on February 15 after scoring 17 points on 5 of 6 shooting from beyond the arc and registering five assists and four steals in a 20-point win at Miami. Her 11.2 points per game is the fourth-highest total for a rookie in the league.
-Scored a career-high 23 points at Notre Dame in December.


## 2019-20

-Enrolled at Virginia Tech in January and trained with the team. Did not compete and retained eligibility.

## PRIOR TO TECH

-Competed for the Australian National Team at different youth levels, winning a gold medal at the U-16 Asian Cup and a bronze at the U-18 World Cup. -She played for the Ballarat Rush and earned the Rising Star Award in 2019.

## 10 DA'JA GREEN

- G | 5-6 | Sr.

Ellenwood, Georgia (Wofford)

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | SEASON HIGHS (2020-21) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | CAREER HIGHS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Points |  |  | 10, vs. Liberty, 11/28/20 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Points |  |  | 35, at Samford, 2/1/18 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Minute | es |  | 30, at Notre Dame, 12/17/20 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Minutes |  |  | 45, vs. UNCG, 2/9/18 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | FG Ma | de |  | 4, vs. Liberty, 11/28/2 |  |  |  |  |  |  | FG Made |  |  | 14, at Samford, 2/1/18 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | FG Att | tempts |  | 7, vs. Lib | ty, 1 | /28/2 |  |  |  |  | FG Attempts |  |  | 22, vs. UNC Greensboro, 1/25/20 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-pt FG | G Made |  | 2, 4x las | s. M | quett | e, 3/21/2 |  |  |  | 3-pt FG Made |  |  | 5, last at Furman, 2/29/20 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-pt FG | G Attem | pts | 3, 2x, las | at No | re Da | me, 12/1 | 17/20 |  |  | 3-pt FG Attempts |  |  | 10, vs. UNC Greensboro, 1/25/2 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | FT Mad |  |  | 1, 2 x las | v. Lo | isville | , 1/7/21 |  |  |  | FT Made |  |  | 12, vs. N.C. Central, 11/21/17 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | FT Att | empts |  | 2, 2 x las | v. Lo | isville | 1/7/21 |  |  |  | FT Attempts |  |  | 12, vs. N.C. Central, 11/21/17 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Rebou | unds |  | 5 , at Not | Dam | , 12/ | 17/20 |  |  |  | Rebounds |  |  | 12, vs. Samford, 2/2/19 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Assists |  |  | 6 , vs. Lib | ty, 1 | /28/2 |  |  |  |  | Assists |  |  | 12, last vs. Southern Wesleyan, 1 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Blocks |  |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  | Blocks |  |  | 1, last vs. UNC Greensboro, 1/25 <br> 4, vs. ETSU, 3/7/19 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Steals |  |  | 2, 2x, las | at No | re Da | me, 12/1 | 17/20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total |  |  | 3-Point |  |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2020-21 | 24 | 1 | 321 | 13.4 | 20 | 46 | . 435 | 11 | 21 | . 524 | 3 | 6 | . 500 | 4 | 27 | 31 | 1.3 | 42 | 1.8 | 22 | 9 | 0 | 54 | 2.3 |
| TOTAL | 24 |  | 321 | 13.4 | 20 | 46 | . 435 | 11 | 21 | . 524 | 3 | 6 | . 500 | 4 | 27 | 31 | 1.3 | 42 | 1.8 | 22 | 9 | 0 |  | 2.3 |

## NOTES ON DA'JA GREEN

## CAREER HONORS

-SoCon All-Tournament Second Team 2019
-Second Team All-SoCon 2019 \& 2018
-SoCon Player of the Week (2/26/19)
-SoCon All-Freshman Team 2018
-Ranks third all-time at Wofford in assists with 435

## 2020-21 (SENIOR)

-Came off the bench for the first eight games of the season before starting against No. 2 Louisville.
-Scored a season-high 10 points in the second game of the season, a win over Liberty. She also recorded six assists in that contest.

## 2019-20 (JUNIOR AT WOFFORD)

-Averaged 12.7 points, 4.1 rebounds ans 4.7 assists.

## 2018-19 (SOPHOMORE AT WOFFORD)

-Averaged 8.9 points, 4.5 rebounds and 5.4 assists.
-Started all 31 contests, scoring in double figures 15 times and recording four double-doubles.

## 2017-18 (FRESHMAN AT WOFFORD)

-Averaged 12.7 points, 5.7 rebounds ans 5.6 assists.
-Set a school record for minutes played in a season $(1,087)$ and led the team in points and assists.
-Scored in double figures 17 times, including two games of $30+$.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Played for four years at Morrow, reaching the playoffs once.
-Was named First Team All-Region, All-County and Southern Crescent.
-Named to honor roll all four years and ranked 13 out of 357 in her class.

## 11 D'ASIA GREGG

- F|6-2 | Jr.

Florence, South Carolina (Georgia Tech/Gulf Coast State)


## NOTES ON D'ASIA GREGG

## 2020-21 (JUNIOR)

-Recorded eight staight DNPs (coaches decisions) prior to playing a key role off the bench at the power forward spot.
-Collected her first double-double at the ACC Tournament win over Miami with 13 points and 10 rebounds.

## 2019-20 (SOPHOMORE AT GULF COAST STATE)

-Averaged 15.3 points and 6.1 rebounds per game. Shot $47 \%$ from the field.

## 2018-19 (FRESHMAN AT GEORGIA TECH)

-Averaged 2.45 points in 22 appearances for the Yellow Jackets.
-Scored a season-high 15 points against GSU.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Attended Wilson High and helped lead them to a S.C. State Finalist Class 4A and Final Four.
-Tabbed First Team All-Conference as a junior and was named All-Area by Florence Morning News in 2016.
-As a lower state finalist in 215-16, she picked up All-Conference honors. -Was ranked No. 88 by All Star Girls Report, 89 by Prospect Nation and 99 by Collegiate Girls Basketball Report.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Public health

## 15 AZANA BAINES

- G | 6-0 | So.

Blackwood, New Jersey (Duke)


SEASON HIGHS (2020-21)

| Points | 16, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 37, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FG Made | 6, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FG Attempts | 12, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Made | 1, 6 x last vs. North Carolina, $2 / 28 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 2, vs. Louisville, $1 / 7 / 21$ |
| FT Made | 4, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FT Attempts | 5, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| Rebounds | 11, vs. North Carolina, 2/28/21 |
| Assists | 4, at NC State, $1 / 24 / 21$ |
| Blocks | 1, $2 x$, last vs. North Carolina, 2/28/21 |
| Steals | 4, at North Carolina, $1 / 14 / 21$ |

## CAREER HIGHS

Points
Minutes
FG Made
FG Attempts
3-pt FG Made
3-pt FG Attempts
FT Made
FT Attempts
Rebounds
Assists
Blocks $\quad 2$ vs. North Carolina, 2/6
Steals $\quad 4$, at North Carolina, $1 / 14 / 21$

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2020-21 | 17 | 15 | 427 | 25.1 | 50 | 113 | . 442 | 6 | 25 | . 240 | 11 | 23 | . 478 | 29 | 73 | 102 | 6.0 | 28 | 1.6 | 31 | 9 | 3 | 117 | 6.9 |
| TOTAL | 17 | 15 | 427 | 25.1 | 50 | 113 | . 442 | 6 | 25 | . 240 | 11 | 23 | . 478 | 29 | 73 | 102 | 6.0 | 28 | 1.6 | 31 | 9 | 3 | 117 | 6.9 |

## NOTES ON AZANA BAINES

## 2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

-Could not participate for the first seven games of the season until her waiver was approved.
-Made her debut vs. Florida State scoring nine points in 18 minutes.
-Started for the first time as as Hokie against second-ranked Louisville, scoring eight points.
-Recorded her first career double-double with 12 points and 11 rebounds vs. North Carolina in the regular season finale.

## 2019-20 (FRESHMAN AT DUKE)

-Started four of 29 contests, averaging 4.8 points and 3.2 rebounds per game.
-She posted five double-digit scoring performances including a career-high 15 points twice and a 12-point effort at sixth-ranked Texas A\&M.
-Baines played a season-high 35 minutes at seventh-ranked Louisville.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Had a decorated career with numerous accolades that included; The 2019
Courier Post, Gloucester County Times and Al Carino Basketball Club Player of the Year. She was one of five finalists for the New Jersey State Player of the Year and closed her high school career with 1,751 points averaging 20 points, 9.8 rebounds, 1.4 steals and 3.7 assists as a senior. -In 2017-18 she was the South Jersey Times Girls Basketball and Courier Post Player of the Year as well as South Jersey MVP in 2017-18.
-Baines earned Second Team All-State in 2018 and led her squad to the Books \& Basketball Association Run 4 Roses Platinum Division Championship in 2018, in addition to being selected to the Run 4 Roses U-16 Attitude Division 2018 All-Tournament Team and Most Valuable Player.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Sociology

## 21 SHAMARLA KING

- G|6-0 | Fr.

Hartford, Connecticut (The Watkinson School)


## NOTES ON SHAMARLA KING

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Played club ball for CT Heights.
-Won four varsity letters at The Watkinson School and won MVP awards in 2016 \& 2017.
-Collected the Coaches Award.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Enrolled in liberal arts and has not selected a single major of study.

## 22 CAYLA KING

- G|5-11|So.

Greensboro, North Carolina (Northwest Guilford)


## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 29, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 38, vs. Wake Forest, 1/17/21 |
| FG Made | 7, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| FG Attempts | 12, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | 7, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 12, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| FT Made | 8, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| FT Attempts | 10, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| Rebounds | 7, at North Carolina, 1/14/21 |
| Assists | 4, vs. George Washington, 12/1/20 |
| Blocks | 1, 9x last at Pitt, 2/4/21 |
| Steals | $2,6 x$ last, last vs. Miami, 3/4/21 |

CAYLA KING CAREER STATS

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2019-20 | 30 | 0 | 413 | 13.7 | 28 | 90 | . 311 | 26 | 80 | . 325 | 5 | 7 | . 714 | 21 | 19 | 40 | 1.3 | 13 | 0.4 | 17 | 9 | 3 | 87 | 2.9 |
| 2020-21 | 24 | 22 | 747 | 31.1 | 64 | 166 | . 386 | 58 | 151 | . 384 | 25 | 32 | . 781 | 20 | 53 | 73 | 3.0 | 29 | 1.2 | 17 | 18 | 6 | 211 | 8.8 |
| TOTAL | 54 | 22 | 1160 | 21.5 | 92 | 256 | . 359 | 84 | 231 | . 364 | 30 | 39 | . 769 | 41 | 72 | 113 | 2.1 | 42 | 0.8 | 34 | 27 | 9 | 298 | 5.5 |

## NOTES ON CAYLA KING

## 2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

-ACC All-Academic in 2021.
-Has started 21 games this season and averages 31 minutes per game.
-Upped her scoring from 2.9 to 9.0 ppg this season.
-Ranks fifth in the conference in 3-point shooting at $41.5 \%$ amd has made 49 triples.
-Dropped a career-best 29 points in a win vs. Pitt (12/10/20) that included seven made 3's the most by a Hokie this season.
-King has scored in double figures in nine games this season, helping the Hokies to an 8-1 record in those contests.

## 2019-20 (FRESHMAN)

-Played in all 30 games averaging 2.9 points and 1.3 rebounds.
-Scored a season-high nine points on 3-for-4 shooting beyond the arc in the win against Rice in the Coqui Classic in puerto Rico.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-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.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Human nutrition, foods and exercise

## 23 ASIAH JONES

- F | 6-3 | r-Sr.

Sacramento, California (USC)


## CAREER HIGHS

| CAREER HIGHS |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Points | 17, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
| Minutes | 36, vs. Mississippi State, 12/18/16 |
| FG Made | 8, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
| FG Attempts | 14, vs. Richmond, 11/25/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | - |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 1, 3x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
| FT Made | 3, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |
| FT Attempts | 10, vs. Fresno State, 11/28/18 |
| Rebounds | 7, at UCLA, 1/22/17 |
| Assists | 3, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| Blocks | 8, vs. Mississippi State, 12/18/16 |
| Steals | 4, vs. California, $3 / 2 / 17$ |


|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2019-20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 2020-21 | 12 | 12 | 264 | 22.0 | 47 | 90 | . 522 | 0 | 3 | . 000 | 10 | 17 | . 588 | 23 | 46 | 69 | 5.8 | 10 | 0.8 | 28 | 6 | 25 | 104 | 8.7 |
| TOTAL | 12 | 12 | 264 | 22.0 | 47 | 90 | . 522 | 0 | 3 | . 000 | 10 | 17 | . 588 | 23 | 46 | 69 | 5.8 | 10 | 0.8 | 28 | 6 | 25 | 104 | 8.7 |

## NOTES ON ASIAH JONES

-Graduated in the fall of 2020 with a degree in sociology.

## 2020-21 (R-SENIOR)

-Has not played since a Jan. 17 contest vs. Wake Forest for personal reasons.
-Has started each contest she has particpated in this season.
-Recorded her first double-double as a Hokie against Appalachian State
(12/4/20) with 14 points and 10 rebounds. She also swatted five shots in that contest, the most by a Hokie this season.

## 2019-20 (R-JUNIOR)

-Sat out due to NCAA transfer rules.

## 2018-19 (R-SOPHOMORE AT USC)

-Played in 26 games with four starts.
-Averaged 4.7 points and 3.2 rebounds.

## 2017-18 (SOPHOMORE AT USC)

-Reshirted due to injury.

## 2016-17 (FRESHMAN AT USC)

-Appeared in 29 games, starting seven as a true freshman.
-Had eight blocks in a contest vs. Mississippi State, the most since Lisa Leslie had eight in 1993 and the third most blocks ever by a Trojan in a single contest.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-Three-time All-Region and two-time All-State honoree in Woodmont High in Piedmont, South Carolina.
-Played in the North Carolina vs. South Carolina All Star Game in 2016.
*Named the MVP of the County All-Star Game in 2016.
-Played for the SC 76ers in club ball.

## 33 ELIZABETH KITLEY

- C | 6-5 | So.

Summerfield, North Carolina (Northwest Guilford)


## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 30, 2 x last at NC State, $1 / 24 / 21$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 43, vs. NC State, $1 / 28 / 21$ |
| FG Made | 14, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| FG Attempts | 20, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | 1, 4x last vs. North Carolina, $1 / 31 / 21$ |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 2, vs. Boston College, 1/23/20 |
| FT Made | 8, vs. North Carolina, 1/31/21 |
| FT Attempts | 10, 2x last vs. North Carolina, $1 / 31 / 21$ |
| Rebounds | 21, vs. Wake Forest, $1 / 17 / 21$ |
| Assists | 6, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| Blocks | 8, at Notre Dame, 2/20/20 |
| Steals | 2, 2 x last vs. Syracuse, 2/21/21 |

## ELIZABETH KITLEY CAREER STATS

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3-Point |  | F-Throw |  |  | Rebounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | FG | FGA | Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | Off | Def | Tot | Avg | Ast | Avg. | TO | Stl | Blk | Pts | Avg |
| 2019-20 | 30 | 30 | 802 | 26.7 | 154 | 274 | . 562 | 1 | 5 | . 250 | 66 | 99 | . 667 | 64 | 162 | 226 | 7.5 | 22 | 0.7 | 65 | 6 | 63 | 375 | 12.5 |
| 2020-21 | 24 | 24 | 852 | 35.3 | 178 | 327 | . 544 | 3 | 7 | . 429 | 90 | 116 | . 776 | 59 | 194 | 253 | 10.5 | 48 | 2.0 | 67 | 12 | 47 | 449 | 18.7 |
| TOTAL | 54 | 54 | 1654 | 30.6 | 332 | 601 | . 552 | 4 | 12 | . 333 | 156 | 215 | . 726 | 123 | 356 | 479 | 8.9 | 70 | 1.3 | 132 | 18 | 110 | 824 | 15.3 |

## NOTES ON ELIZABETH KITLEY

## CAREER HONORS

-2020 ACC Freshman of the Year
-ACC All-Academic Team 2020, 2021
-Three-time ACC Freshman of the Week (11/11/19, 2/17/20, 2/24/20)

## 2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

-ACC First Team member in 2021
-Leads the ACC with 13 double-doubles this season.
-Scored a career-high 30 points vs. Appalachian State (12/4/20) and then scored 30 again at No. 2 NC State (1/24/21).
-Named ACC Co-Player of the Week Jan. 18, 2021.
-Ranks inside the top four of several categories in the ACC including; points, rebounds, field goal percentage, blocks and free throws.
-She is the only league player to score 30 points in a game twice this season and is one of two athletes to record a game with 20 rebounds in 2020-21. Her 21 boards against Wake Forest tied a program record.
-Named ACC Co-Player of the Week Jan. 18, 2021.

## 2019-20 (FRESHMAN)

-Started all 30 contests and averaged 12.5 points and 7.5 rebounds, shooting 56\% from the field.
-She recorded six double-doubles on the season, all Hokie victories.
-Scored a season-high 27 points in her collegiate debut in Tech's blowout victory over Saint Francis.

## HIGH SCHOOL

-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.

## 35 TAYLOR GEIMAN

- G/F | 6-0 | So.

Hanover, Pennsylvania (South Western)


SEASON HIGHS (2020-21)

| Points | 4, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 22, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| FG Made | 2, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| FG Attempts | 4, 2x, last vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| 3-pt FG Made | 1, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 4, vs. Pitt, 12/10/20 |
| FT Made | - |
| FT Attempts | - |
| Rebounds | 4, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| Assists | 3, vs. George Washington, 12/1/20 |
| Blocks | 1, vs. Appalchian State, 12/4/20 |
| Steals | 1, vs. Gardner-Webb, 12/6/20 |

## CAREER HIGHS

| Points | 11, vs. Witchita State, $12 / 21 / 19$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Minutes | 20, vs. Witchita State, $12 / 21 / 19$ |
| FG Made | 4, vs. Witchita State, $12 / 21 / 19$ |
| FG Attempts | 6, vs. Witchita State, $12 / 21 / 19$ |
| 3-pt FG Made | 3, vs. Witchita State, 12/21/19 |
| 3-pt FG Attempts | 5, vs. Witchita State, 12/21/19 |
| FT Made | 3, vs. Belmont, 11/30/19 |
| FT Attempts | 3, vs. Belmont, 11/30/19 |
| Rebounds | 4, 2x, vs. Appalachian State, 12/4/20 |
| Assists | 3, vs. George Washington, 12/1/20 |
| Blocks | 1, 3x, vs. Appalchian State, 12/4/20 |
| Steals | 2, vs. Witchita State, $12 / 21 / 19$ |



## NOTES ON TAYLOR GEIMAN

-Played in eight games before tearing her ACL.
-Will not feature for the remainder of the 2020-21 season (ACL).

## 2019-20 (FRESHMAN)

-Played in 11 games before her season was cut short due to injury. Geiman tore her ACL at Duke (1/12/20).
-Averaged 2.1 points and 1.5 rebounds in just under 12 minutes per contest. -At the Coqui Classic in Puertoi Rico, registered season highs in points (11), minutes (20) and FGs (4).

## HIGH SCHOOL

-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, Studetn 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.

## MAJOR OF STUDY

-Biomedical engineering

## game one RICHMOND 64 VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - NOV. 25, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team started its 2020-21 campaign with a convincing 85-64 victory over Richmond Wednesday at Cassell Coliseum behind five players in double figures led by Georgia Amoore's 19.

Tech begins the season 1-0 for the fifth straight season, while Richmond opens 0-1.
Senior guard Aisha Sheppard scored the game's first basket, a 3-pointer and from there the Hokies began the game up 7-3 before a 12-point run extended the cushion. Sheppard had herself one of her better halves of basketball scoring-wise making five triples including one at the buzzer heading into the half to lead all scorers with 15 points at the time.

But it was her teammates who kept the momentum after the intermission with, with reigning ACC Freshman of the Year Elizabeth Kitley tallying a double-double and securing 17 rebounds a career-best. Her frontcourt partner Asiah Jones, who started at power forward, had 17 points in her debut and added five boards and a block.

The Hokies pulled away from the Spiders with timely shots, particularly from the perimeter. In addition to Sheppard's five triples, Cayla King added three and Amoore, in her first collegiate contest, scored four.

Richmond closed to as many as 15 in the second half behind 14 points from Kate Klimkiewicz and a dozen apiece from Addie Budnik and Claire Holt.

## INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Tech shot better than 49\% from the floor
-The Hokies made 12 triples, while Richmond hit just 5 of 25 from beyond the arc -Tech owned a 40-31 rebound margin
-Richmond turned it over 16 times and the Hokies capitalized with 18 points.
-The Hokies had a 1.21 assist to turnover ratio while Richmond's was just 0.69
-The points in the paint battle was also won by Tech 36-32

 GEORGE WASHINGTON 64 VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - DEC. 1, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - Georgia Amoore scored the game's first two baskets on layups and Tech sprinted out to a 13-0 lead that would be indicative of the evening as the Hokie defeated George Washington 92-57 Tuesday night on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum to move to 3-0 on the young season.

The Colonials dropped to 2-1.
Senior guard Aisha Sheppard continued her tear to open the season by knocking down four 3 -pointers in the opening 20 minutes, helping the Hokies take a 49-27 advantage into the locker room. She had 18 points on 6 of 9 shooting and keyed a 12-4 run to end the half.

Tech also received a big night from its other All-ACC performer as center Elizabeth Kitley registered a double-double with 16 points and 12 rebounds. She made all seven of her field goal attempts.

In the third quarter the Hokies used a 15-0 run to grab a 39-point lead with timely contributions from Alex Obouh Fegue and Makayla Ennis off the bench, who hit two triples in the contest.

Tech's 92 points were 17 more than the Colonials had given up in its first two contests combined.

## INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

-Tech owned the glass with a 48-19 margin
-The Hokies made a season-high 16 triples while the Colonials made just two -GW was $50 \%$ from the free throw line (11-22)
-Tech's assist to turnover ratio was 1.0 (18-18)

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 12-10 against the Colonials.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 89-49 at Virginia Tech and 426-171 in his career. -Tech is 11-2 all-time on December 1.
-The win was the Hokies' 58th straight against non-conference opposition inside Cassell. -Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 72 points.
-Kitley registered a double-double (16 points, 12 rebounds), her third consecutive to open the season and the first time in her career that she has had three in a row.
-The 22-point output was Sheppard's first 20-point game since scoring 32 vs. Virginia (Feb. 23,2020 )


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 APPALACHIAN STATE 59 VIRGINIA TECH 84
## CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - DEC. 4, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250

BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team jumped out to a 9-0 lead in the opening minutes and would go on to score 50 first half points in a $84-59$ rout of Appalachian State Friday afternoon to move to $4-0$ on the season.

All-ACC performers Aisha Sheppard (19 points) and Elizabeth Kitley ( 30 points) led the way for the program's 59th consecutive victory over non-conference opposition on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 13-2 against the Mountaineers.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 90-49 at Virginia Tech and 427-171 in his career. -Tech is $10-5$ all-time on December 4.
-The win was the Hokies' 59th straight against non-conference opposition inside Cassell. -Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 69 points.
-Kitley registered a double-double ( 30 points, 11 rebounds), her fourth consecutive to open the season and the first time in her career that she has had four in a row.
-The bench accounted for 15 points against the Mountaineers, the best output of the young season for that group.
-The 50 first half points represent the most Tech has scored in a half this season.


GAME SIX

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - DEC. 6, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team moved to 5-0 with a 73-39 victory over the visiting Gardner-Webb Runnin' Bulldogs on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum Sunday afternoon behind another double-double from center Elizabeth Kitley and three other starters who scored in double figures.

Tech got out to an 11-2 lead early and had an efficient 46\% day shooting from the field that included eight 3-pointers, five coming from senior guard Aisha Sheppard.

Gardner-Webb fell to 0-4 on the season.
The Hokies are 5-0 for the fifth straight season under head coach Kenny Brooks.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 5-0 against the Runnin' Bulldogs.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 91-49 at Virginia Tech and 428-171 in his career.
-Tech is 8-6 all-time on December 6.
-The win was the Hokies' 60th straight against non-conference opposition inside Cassell. -Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 64 points.
-Kitley registered a double-double (17 points, 17 rebounds), her fifth consecutive to open the season


## Pitt PITT 71 VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - DEC. 10, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team was down early and trailed by as many as 11, but regrouped at halftime and earned an 88-71 victory over Pitt Thursday night on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum. The win moves the Hokies to $6-0$ and $1-0$ in the league.

The Hokies were led by 29 points from sophomore Cayla King, who hit seven 3's, and fellow starters Aisha Sheppard (17), Elizabeth Kitley (15) and Georgia Amoore (13) were also in double figures.

Pitt, who was led by 22 points from Dayshanette Harris fell to 2-2 (0-1) on the season.
The Hokies are now 8-9 all-time in ACC openers and 9-8 in ACC home openers

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 11-5 against the Panthers
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 92-49 at Virginia Tech and 429-171 in his career.
-Tech is 6-3 all-time on December 10 and 0-0 in conference play on this date.
-Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 80 points, a season best.
-King's 29 points are a career-best as were her 37 minutes played, seven field goals and eight free throws made. She also registered six rebounds for the second time this season, her highest single game output in that category.



PURCELL PAVILION • NOTRE DAME, IND. • DEC. 17, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 64
NOTRE DAME, IND. - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team fell on the road to Notre Dame 84-78 Thursday night. The loss was the team's first of the season ( $6-1,1-1$ ), on a night where it played just its first road contest.

Notre Dame, who was led by 23 points from Maddy Westbeld improved to 3-3, 1-1.
Tech struggled initially in the contest but found a rhythm late in the opening frame, ending on an 11-3 run to carry a nine-point advantage into the second quarter. But the Irish had a run of their own, $15-3$ to retake the lead heading into the break.

In a back-and-forth second half, the Fighting lrish did enough to stifle the Hokies, who committed 21 turnovers in the game.

Point guard Georgia Amoore had a career-best 23 points in the game and center Elizabeth Kitley registered a game-high 25 points and pulled down seven rebounds.

## GAME NOTES

*Virginia Tech is now 2-12 against the Fighting Irish.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 92-50 at Virginia Tech and 429-172 in his career.
-Tech is 2-3 all-time on December 17.

- Virginia Tech is 2-15 in the first ACC road contest of the season.
-Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 66 points.


FLORIDA STATE VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - DEC. 31, 2020 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - In their return to the court after the holidays, the Virginia Tech women's basketball team fell 73-63 to visiting Florida State on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum Thursday afternoon. Tech will enter the New Year on a two-game skid after a loss to Notre Dame in their last outing, two weeks ago.

Florida State, (4-1, 1-1) earned the win with timely shooting, taking advantage of the free throw line and forcing the Hokies into mistakes as Tech finished with 20 turnovers in the contest. Sammi Puisis knocked down five of the Seminoles' 10 3-pointers and as a team, FSU converted 21-22 free throws.

After the 'Noles opened a 22-point advantage with 8:12 to go in the fourth, the Hokies responded with an 18-3 run of their own, with baskets from Azana Baines, Aisha Sheppard and Elizabeth Kitley to cut the margin to 10. From there the Hokies continued to apply pressure in the backcourt and a Sheppard three briefly brought the score to 69-63 under a minute but the Hokies would get no closer.

Virginia Tech, (6-2, 1-2) committed 20 turnovers, were outrebounded and took just nine free throws in the game.

Sheppard led all scorers with 21 points.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 10-30 against the Seminoles.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 92-1 at Virginia Tech and 429-173 in his career. -Tech is 2-2 all-time on December 31.
-Azana Baines made her Virginia Tech debut against the 'Noles. The Duke transfer had nine points in 18 minutes in the contest.
-Center Elizabeth Kitley recorded a double-double with 16 points and 10 rebounds. She leads the conference with six on the season.
-Tech's starting lineup of Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 54 points.


\#2 LOUISVILLE VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLSEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - JAN. 7, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - After facing a 12-point deficit in the second half, the Virginia Tech women's basketball team battled back to take a lead late, but ultimately fell to second-ranked Louisville 71-67 on Carilion Clinic Court at Cassell Coliseum.

Tech falls to 6-3 (1-3) on the season ahead of a trip to Atlanta to take on Georgia Tech this weekend.

The trailed 42-33 at the half despite shooting better than $44 \%$ from the field, as the Cardinals shot $50 \%$ and made one more triple than Tech did. But the third quarter belonged to Tech as they utilized a 1-3-1 zone and held the Cardinals to one field goal in over six minutes as the Hokies went on a 16-2 run to erase the deficit and take a one-point lead.

In all, the third frame saw Tech outscore the Cardinals 20-12 to trail by a single point heading into the fourth.

Down the stretch Aisha Sheppard hit a triple to take a two-point advantage with 2:26 to play, but those would be the final points scored by the team as guard Dana Evans closed the game with back-to-back baskets and Hailey Van Lith added two free throws to seal it with four seconds to play.

Louisville, (9-0, 2-0) was led by All-American Evans who scored 22 points in the contest. The Cardinals shot 48\% from the field.

Sheppard once again led the Hokies with 20 points and was joined in double figures by Elizabeth Kitley who added 17 and seven rebounds.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 17-23 against the Cardinals.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 92-52 at Virginia Tech and 429-174 in his career.
-Tech is 3-10 all-time on January 7.
-Azana Baines and Da'Ja Green each made their first starts for the Hokies in the contest.

- The game was the first time in 2020-21 that Coach Brooks utilized the lineup of Green,

Sheppard, Baines, Jones and Kitley to begin a game.
-Tech's starting lineup of Green, Sheppard, Baines, Jones and Kitley, accounted for 54 points.

- The Hokies held the Cardinal to their lowest scoring output of the season.



VIRGINIA TECH GEORGIA TECH

MCCAMISH PAVILION - ATLANTA, GA - JAN. 10, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 1200
ATLANTA - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team suffered a narrow two-point loss Sunday afternoon in a back and forth affair against Georgia Tech.

With the loss, Virginia Tech falls to 6-4 (1-4) on the season and Georgia Tech moved to 6-3 (4-2) with the result.

Aisha Sheppard led all scorers with 20 points in the contest.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 7-12 against the Yellow Jackets.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 92-53 at Virginia Tech and 429-175 in his career.
-Tech is 6-10 all-time on January 10.
-The game was the first time in 2020-21 that Coach Brooks utilized the lineup of Sheppard,
Cayla King, Baines, Jones and Kitley to begin a game. The starting five accounted for 44 points.

## NEXT TIME ON THE COURT

-The Hokies will travel to Chapel Hill to take on the North Carolina Tar Heels on Thursday, January 14 for a 6 pm tipoff on ACC Network Extra.
-Virginia Tech trails 8-19 in the all-time series. Last season the Hokies swept the Tar Heels with 72-63 and 76-70 victories.



## CARMICHAEL ARENA • CHAPEL HILL, NC • JAN. 14, 2021

CHAPEL HIL, NC - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team got back into the win column Thursday night with an emphatic 66-54 victory over North Carolina snapping a four-game skid in conference play. Tech got inspired performances from North Carolina natives, Elizabeth Kitley and Cayla King who combined for 33 points in the contest that included timely shots during a second half run where the Hokies took control of the game.

Virginia Tech improved to 7-4 (2-4) with the result, the program's third consecutive victory inside historic Carmichael Arena, extending a program record.

Tech utilized a 12-2 run to end the first half and erase Carolina's lead. With the clock counting down, Kitley made a shot at the buzzer to give the Hokies a 27-24 advantage.

Coming out of the locker room, Tech scored the first six points to extend the advantage, one they would not relinquish the rest of the way as the Hokies closed out the game with back-toback 3's from King and two Georgia Amoore free throws.

North Carolina fell to 7-4 (2-4)

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is 9-19 against the Tar Heels. The Hokies have won three straight in Chapel Hill for the first time in program history.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 93-53 at Virginia Tech and 430-175 in his career. -Tech is 5-3 all-time on January 14.
-The game was the first time in 2020-21 that Coach Brooks utilized the lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Azana Baines, Asiah Jones and Elizabeth Kitley from the opening tip. That starting five accounted for 50 points.
-Tech is 6-2 with Amoore, Sheppard, Cayla King, Jones and Kitley.
-Tech is 0-1 with Green, Sheppard, Baines, Jones and Kitley.
-Tech is 0-1 with Sheppard, Cayla King, Baines, Jones and Kitley. -Kitley registered her seventh double-double of the season with 18 points and 14 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category.
-Amoore dished out seven assists a career-high.
-The Hokies held a big advantage on the glass 50-35.
 WAKE FOREST 67 VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - JAN. 17, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG -Elizabeth Kitley scored 18 points and tied a program record with 21 rebounds Sunday afternoon, but it was not enough for the Hokies to overcome the Wake Forest Demon Deacons, falling 67-64 at Cassell Coliseum. The Hokies are now 7-5 (2-5) ahead of Thursday night's matchup against Notre Dame, the second time those teams have clashes this season.

Kitley got the Hokies out to a good start, scoring eight of the team's first 10 points and after a Makayla Ennis 3-pointer Tech held a nine-point advantage in the opening frame. Behind great defense - nine blocks, and an advantage on the glass, Tech carried a 40-33 lead into the locker room. Kitley owned a double-double with 12 points and 10 boards to that point.

The Deacons utilized a 14-2 run in the third quarter to erase the Hokies' largest lead of the night (10 points) and from there the game was a back and forth affair, hinging on each possession.

[^1]Tech saw a career night off the bench from sophomore Makayla Ennis who scored 12 points in 29 minutes and pulled down three rebounds. Aisha Sheppard scored 14 points and added five assists in the game and Georgia Amoore accounted for six assists.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 16-15 against the Demon Deacons.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 93-54 at Virginia Tech and 430-176 in his career. -Tech is 3-7 all-time on January 17.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Asiah Jones and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 46 points.
-Kitley registered her eighth double-double of the season with 18 points and 21 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category.


## 11 NOTRE DAME 65 VIRGINIA TECH

CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 21, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - Aisha Sheppard scored a season-best 29 points and the Hokies battled back from a 21-point second half deficit to cut the lead to two before the Notre Dame Fighting Irish closed the game at the free throw line. For the Hokies, it was the second consecutive loss and the result was the second loss to Notre Dame this season, dropping the squad to 7-6 $(2-6)$.

Tech jumped out to a lead in the opening frame behind solid defense, holding a 16-9 advantage at the end of the opening 10 minutes. But it would be the lrish who would find their footing in the second quarter, outscoring the Hokies 27-9 and taking the lead for good.

Notre Dame scored the first 13 points of the second half before D'asia Gregg hit a field goal, the Hokies' first in seven minutes of game time, during which the lrish held their largest lead, 21 with 6:54 in the third quarter.

Down the stretch, Tech found its way back into the game behind Sheppard, who was just 5 for 20 from 3-point range but the Alexandria, Virginia native attacked the paint as well, getting to the free throw line 11 times. A Cayla King 3-pointer with 1:34 left in the fourth cut the Irish advantage to just two, and that would be the closest that the Hokies would come.

Maddy Westbeld (13 points, 12 rebounds) and Destinee Walker (16 points) paced the Irish on the night.

The only other Hokie in double figures was center Elizabeth Kitley who notched a third successive double-double with 15 points and 12 rebounds.

Tech shot just 30.3\% from the field and was 9 for 39 from beyond the arc.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 2-13 against the Fighting Irish.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 93-55 at Virginia Tech and 430-177 in his career. - Tech is 5-10 all-time on January 21.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 58 points. It was the first game of the season that this combination had been utilized from the opening tip.
-Kitley registered her ninth double-double of the season with 15 points and 12 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category after securing her third consecutive one.

- Aisha Sheppard scored five 3-pointers, taking her career total to 269, matching the program record which has stood since 2017, set by Vanessa Panousis.

 VIRGINIA TECH 87 \#2 NC STATE


## REYNOLDS COLISEUM • RALEIGH, NC • JAN. 24, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 25

RALEIGH - Center Elizabeth Kitley scored 30 points for the second time this season, and Aisha Sheppard added 24 but the Hokies were unable to hang on to a fourth quarter lead Sunday afternoon, ultimately falling 89-87 to the second-ranked NC State Wolfpack.

The loss drops the Hokies to 7-7 (2-7) ahead of a second clash with the Wolfpack this Thursday at Cassell Coliseum.

In a game where the momentum seemed to shift after each quarter, the Hokies to the lead early through Cayla King who hit three triples in the first quarter and Sheppard, who's first three of the game gave her 270th, cementing her as the all-time leader in program history.

The Wolfpack fought back in the second quarter and went into the locker room holding a 4741 advantage at the half thanks to a 10-3 run in the closing minutes.

It was the Hokies who took control in the third frame, building a 10-point lead by the end of it thanks to scoring runs led by Kitley who operated freely much of the afternoon and capitalized with 30 points.

NC State (11-0, 6-0) erased a 14-point deficit in the closing quarter utilizing a 16-0 run and key shots from Kai Crutchfield who finished with 20 points, Kayla Jones (22) and Jakia BrownTurner (23).

King finished with 12 points, Georgia Amoore added eight points and seven assists and Azana Baines scored seven points and pulled down eight rebounds.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 1-22 against the Wolfpack.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 93-56 at Virginia Tech and 430-178 in his career.
-Tech is 6-6 all-time on January 24.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 81 points. It was the first game of the season that this combination had been utilized from the opening tip.
-Kitley registered her 10th double-double of the season with 30 points and 13 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category after securing her fourth consecutive one. - Aisha Sheppard scored four 3-pointers, taking her career total to 273, becoming the program's all-time leader in that category. She ranks 10th all-time in 3's in ACC history.



## \#2 NC STATE 71 VIRGINIA TECH

## CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - JAN. 28, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 250

BLACKSBURG - Aisha Sheppard scored 28 points after halftime and the Virginia Tech women's basketball team earned the program's first win over a team ranked inside the top four of the AP Poll with an 83-71 overtime victory on Carilion Clinic Court Thursday night.
For the Hokies with the win, Tech's first over a ranked program since 2019, their record moves to 8-7 (3-7) and the Wolfpack falter for the first time this season and stand at 11-1 (6-1).
A tightly contested first half ended with the Pack leading by four points, 30-26, despite the Hokies' top scorers, the most dynamic tandem in the conference, Sheppard and center Elizabeth Kitley being held to just two points combined on 1 for 12 shooting.
But the second half was a different affair as Sheppard saw shots fall and her aggressive play led to a career-high 14 free throw attempts, of which the senior made 12. Sheppard, the program's leader in 3's was honored pregame with a commemorative basketball, added four more to her tally, including the dagger in overtime.
After a 7-0 spurt late in the game, Tech led by three points and NC State forward Camille Hobby was forced to shoot a deep 3-point basket, which went in just as time expired. The Hokies didn't blink, with Sheppard scoring the first basket of the extra session and the Hokies would go on to score 26 points in the frame to pull away for the historic win.
"First and foremost, we needed that," Head Coach Kenny Brooks stated with a smile. "Very happy for the kids, very proud of their performance and very proud of them period. The way that they've handled everything that's been happening and just very proud. To finally be able to get over the hump and get one of this magnitude feels really good."
Kitley once again collected a double-double in the game and Azana Baines. Scored a careerhigh 16 points and pulled down five rebounds in the effort.
The Hokies made 11 3's, while holding the Wolfpack to just five. Hobby led the Wolfpack with 19 points.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 2-22 against the Wolfpack.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 94-56 at Virginia Tech and 431-178 in his career.
-Tech is 8-8 all-time on January 28 and 6-8 in conference games played on that date. -The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 80 points. It was the second game of the season that this combination had been utilized from the opening tip, with the first being the first matchup against the Wolfpack when the Hokies scored 87.
-Kitley registered her 11th double-double of the season with 17 points and 11 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category after securing her fifth consecutive one.



## CASSELL COLLSEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA • JAN. 31, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 250

BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team utilized an 11-2 spurt to open the fourth quarter to seize control and wouldn't relent, closing out the game from the free throw line, en route to a second consecutive victory, 73-69 over the North Carolina Tar Heels.

The Hokies (9-7, 4-7), who now own back-to-back ACC wins for the first time this season, scored 123 -point baskets in the contest but did their damage down the stretch at the foul line where they were 14 of 16 in the final 10 minutes.
"Really good win," head coach Kenny Brooks said. "At times in the game we looked exceptionally well. Executed, good energy, we played well during stretches and we've got to continue to build."

North Carolina falls to 8-7 (3-7) with the result.
The game started promisingly for Tech, who scored the first nine points of the game with buckets from Azana Baines, Elizabeth Kitley and Aisha Sheppard before Carolina got their bearings in the game. A back and forth second frame led to the Heels owning a two-point advantage at half.

In the third, the Hokies struggled shooting starting 1-11 as Carolina built its largest advantage at $45-37$. But 3-pointers from Sheppard, D'asia Gregg and Cayla King closed the gap to just three.

Tech scored the first eight points of the fourth quarter to take the lead on a Sheppard 3-pointer, her fifth of the afternoon and the Hokies would never relinquish the edge.

Kitley lead all scorers with 27 points and grabbed eight rebounds and was complimented by Sheppard's 16 points and nine each from Baines and King.

Guard Petra Holesinska scored 21 for the Tar Heels.
GAME NOTES
-Virginia Tech is now 10-19 against the Tar Heels and have won four in a row in the series. *Kenny Brooks' record moves to 95-56 at Virginia Tech and 432-178 in his career. -Tech is 7-5 all-time on January 31 with all of those contests being conference games. -The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 68 points.
-The win gives the Hokies two regular season victories over the Tar Heels for the second season in a row.


## Pitt VIRGINIA TECH PITT

## PETERSEN EVENTS CENTER • PITTSBURGH, PA - FEB. 4, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 500

PITTSBURGH - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team earned its third successive victory Thursday night with a $74-55$ win at Pitt. The Hokies, one of two league teams who have won three or more in a row move to 10-7 (5-7) on the season ahead of an open date this weekend.

It was the fifth straight win over the Panthers for Kenny Brooks' club.
Leading start to finish, the Hokies jumped out to a lead early through Aisha Sheppard and Cayla King connecting on jump shots, and the team played a quality opening 10 minutes, leading 28-10. In the second quarter the offense stalled with Sheppard and Azana Baines on the bench for long stretches, and the Panthers put together a 10-0 run to close the gap to 11 at halftime.

After the break it was once again Sheppard who scored the first basket as she hit one of her patented 3 -pointers, one of her three in the contest, to get the Hokies going. Pitt would cut the lead to eight midway through the third, but would get no closer as Elizabeth Kitley found her scoring touch and did some damage at the free throw line.

Kitley would finish with 20 points and eight boards on the night and Tech got 13 points and six assists from Georgia Amoore and Baines corralled a career-best nine rebounds.

Pitt, who fell to 4-6 (2-5) was led by 18 points from Dayshanette Harris.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 12-5 against the Panthers and have won five in a row in the series. -Kenny Brooks' record moves to 96-56 at Virginia Tech and 433-178 in his career. -Tech is 6-3 all-time on February 4 and 4-2 in conference games.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 65 points.


## 〕 VIRGINIA TECH 75 MIAMI 55

## WATSCO CENTER - CORAL GABLES, FLA. • FEB. 11, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 0

PITTSBURGH - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team tied a program record with its fourth consecutive ACC win Thursday night, defeating Miami 75-55. Tech moves to 11-7 (6-7) on the season ahead of an extended time off due to a recent postponement.
"Extremely proud of the kids, it's my first time ever winning here, it's an extremely tough place to play," Head Coach Kenny Brooks said postgame. "I thought they listened to the scout, came together, executed the scout and were really locked in. I think things are coming together for us. We got great performances, obviously from Liz with a double-double. I thought Georgia Amoore was fantastic."

Amoore tied a career-high with five made 3-pointers in the game and ran the offense efficiently, with five assists to just one turnover. She also came up with four steals in the contest.

Miami, (8-8, 5-8) was led by a 20-point double-double from Destiny Harden and Kelsey Marshall scored 15 points in the effort. The Canes closed the gap to nine towards the end of the third quarter but would get no closer as the Hokies scored the first 10 in the fourth and would go on to win by 20 .

Center Elizabeth Kitley scored 19 points on 15 field goal attempts and secured her leagueleading 2th double-double of the season. Also in the frontcourt, Tech got 14 points and 10 rebounds combined from Azana Baines and D'asia Gregg.

Aisha Sheppard scored 19 in the game.
The Hokies held the Hurricanes to $38 \%$ shooting and just five free throw attempts.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 9-21 against the Hurricanes and have won three in a row in the series. -Kenny Brooks' record moves to 97-56 at Virginia Tech and 434-178 in his career.
-Tech is $7-5$ all-time on February 11 and $5-5$ in conference games.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 70 points.
-Kitley registered her 12th double-double of the season with 19 points and 11 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category.


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CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - FEB. 21, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 250
BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team connected on four of their first five 3 -pointers and got out to an 18-6 lead and hit clutch shots late in the game to secure its fifth consecutive ACC victory, 76-68 over Syracuse, a program record. The Hokies now stand at 12-7 (7-7) with two regular season games to play and the Orange fell to 11-6 (8-6).
"Really big win for us in so many different ways," Kenny Brooks stated postgame. "The first half I thought they were phenomenal. We executed, we got the ball where we wanted to and we controlled the narrative of how the game is going to be. All-in-all a great game, I think our kids did a tremendous job and we had a lot of people step up. Aisha Sheppard was great, 23 points, I thought Georgia Amoore was phenomenal. She controlled the tempo, she did everything for us."

Tech began the game with hot shooting, something that continued through halftime where the team held a 22-point advantage, the largest lead in any game this season.

Syracuse would tighten the game in the second half, utilizing a trap on defense and scoring a total of 15 points in transition. The Orange were led by Tiana Mangakahia who scored 18 points and dished out seven assists in the game.

The Orange brought the lead down to nine multiple times but could get no closer before the final seconds.

The Hokies saw four players reach double figures led by Sheppard's 23, Kitley scored 18, Amoore had 14 and Cayla King added 14 as well.

For reigning ACC Freshman of the Week Amoore, it was her third straight game with 13 or more points and she had four rebounds and five assists.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 7-8 against the Orange.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 98-56 at Virginia Tech and 435-178 in his career.
-Tech is 11-6 all-time on February 21 and 8-3 in conference games.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 69 points.
-The Hokies have won five consecutive ACC games for the first time in the program's history after joining the conference in 2004.
 CLEMSON 64 VIRGINIA TECH

LITTLEJOHN COLISEUM - CLEMSON, SC • FEB. 25, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 327
CLEMSON - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team closed out the portion of its schedule with a 70-64 victory at Clemson, Thursday night, the program's sixth consecutive heading into the final date of the regular season at 13-7 (8-7).

The Hokies got out to a hot start leading 11-2 after triple from Aisha Sheppard and Georgia Amoore before the Tigers got a footing in the game. All-Conference players Elizabeth Kitley and Sheppard each had 14 points in the first half, helping the Hokies to a 10-point advantage.

In the third the lead ballooned to 17 before Clemson would make a run to close the gap.
Key 3's from Cayla King and then from Sheppard curtailed the push and the Hokies were able to close it out.

Kitley scored 24 on 11 for 15 shooting and Sheppard scored a game-high 27.
Clemson fell to 10-11 (5-11).

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 13-13 against the Tigers.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 99-56 at Virginia Tech and 436-178 in his career.
-Tech is 9-2 all-time on February 25 and 3-2 in conference games.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for all 70 points.
-The Hokies have won six consecutive ACC games for the first time in the program's history after joining the conference in 2004.
-Kitley registered her 13th double-double of the season with 24 points and 13 rebounds. She leads the conference in that category.


##  NORTH CAROLINA 68 VIRGINIA TECH

## CASSELL COLISEUM - BLACKSBURG, VA - FEB. 28, 2021 - ATTENDANCE: 250

BLACKSBURG - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team closed the regular season Sunday afternoon with a third tilt against the North Carolina Tar Heels, looking to extend their program record for consecutive ACC wins and give themselves a chance at a top six seed in the ACC Tournament.

However, it was the Heels who would walk away with the 68-63 win after playing stifling defense in the second half, holding the Hokies to 18 total points.
"They executed better, they had more energy than we did, and we didn't get production from areas that we needed to get production from," head coach Kenny Brooks said postgame. "I thought Georgia Amoore did a tremendous job, didn't play like a freshman, she was the one bright spot that keep us in the game, kept us going."

The Hokies are 13-8 (8-8) heading into March.

Aisha Sheppard started the game strong and allowed the Hokies to stay close with Carolina thanks to 11 first quarter points including two 3-pointers. She would open the second quarter with another one, giving her 84 on the season and tying her own program record.

A 12-2 run in the second with buckets from Azana Baines, Amoore, Elizabeth Kitley and a three off the bench from Da'Ja Green gave the Hokies a 13-point advantage and the team would go into the half with a 45-31 advantage.

It was all North Carolina (13-9, 8-9) in the second half as they slowly closed the gap and then took the lead for good. Freshman Deja Kelly scored 22 points and Petra Holesinska added 11 including timely shot-making to lift the Heels.

Tech got a double-double from Baines, the first of her career, with 12 points and 11 rebounds. Amoore led the Hokies with 22 of her own to go with five rebounds, five assists and three steals.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 10-20 against the Tar Heels.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 99-57 at Virginia Tech and 436-179 in his career.
-Tech is 8-3 all-time on February 28 and 5-2 in conference games.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 56 points.
-With her three 3-pointers in the game, Aisha Sheppard tied her own program record with 84 3 's in a single season.


## U MIAMI 64 VIRGINIA TECH

## GRRENSBORO COLISEUM - GREENSBORO, NC • MARCH 4, 2021

GREENSBORO - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team utilized a balanced effort with four student-athletes scoring in double figures to get past Miami 72-64 in the team's opening game of the 2021 ACC Women's Basketball Tournament.
"Tremendous win for our program, so happy for these kids," Kenny Brooks said postgame. "The fashion that we won - obviously, had a little bit of adversity, we didn't hang our head. We built a lead, had more adversity and came through. These are the kind of games that will allow you to grow as a basketball team, a program but also the team individually."

Tech, (14-8) will meet second-seeded and AP number three NC State on Friday evening at 6 p.m. in the quarterfinal round.

The game got off to a quick start with few dead balls, with the first media timeout coming with 1:40 to go after the Hokies had built a 21-12 lead behind shots from Cayla King, point guard Georgia Amoore and Aisha Sheppard. Tech led by as much as 19 in the second quarter after a free throw from D'asia Gregg who secured her first career double-double off of the bench.

The Hokies led by 15 at the break.
Miami, who fell to 11-11 on the season was led by 27 points from Destiny Harden on 11 of 19 shooting from the field.

The Canes did mount a charge, cutting the lead to seven at one point before the Hokies closed out the contest.

Gregg scored 13 and had 10 rebounds, while Elizabeth Kitley and Amoore each scored 16 points and King added 15.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 10-21 against the Hurricanes all-time and 1-1 in ACC Tournament games.
-Kenny Brooks' record moves to 100-57 at Virginia Tech and 437-179 in his career. -Tech is 9-3 all-time on March 4.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 58 points.
-With her 3-pointer in the first half, Aisha Sheppard broke her own program record with 85 3's in a single season.


## GREENSBORO COLISEUM - GREENSBORO, NC - MARCH 5, 2021

GREENSBORO - The Virginia Tech women's basketball team shot just 35\% Friday night and scored 55 points in a 13 -point loss to the AP No. 3 and second-seeded NC State Wolfpack in the quarterfinal round of the ACC Tournament at the Greensboro Coliseum.

The Hokies are 14-9 on the season and will await an assignment from the NCAA Selection Committee on Monday, March 15.

State opened up a lead in the first quarter through center Elissa Cunane who scored six of the team's opening 11 points. Her counterpart Elizabeth Kitley would lead the Hokies back scoring consecutive buckets of her own.

The Wolfpack, 18-2 would extend the lead in the third period where the Hokies found baskets hard to come by and the team in white took advantage of their opportunities at the free throw line.

The Hokies, who struggled shooting all night scored just five 3-pointers tying a season low. All-ACC guard Aisha Sheppard scored six points and shot 2 for 15 from the field.

Kitley paced the Hokies again Friday scoring 20 points and the All-ACC center corralled a team-high nine rebounds.

Cunane scored a game-high 27 on 10 for 15 shooting.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 2-23 against the Wolfpack all-time and 1-1 in ACC Tournament games. -Kenny Brooks' record moves to $100-58$ at Virginia Tech and 437-180 in his career. -Tech is 3-6 all-time on March 5.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 53 points.



MARQUETTE 63 VIRGINIA TECH

## STRAHAM ARENA - SAN MARCOS, TEXAS - MARCH 21, 2021

Behind 23 points from Elizabeth Kitley, seventh-seeded Virginia Tech women's basketball defeated 10th-seeded Marquette 70-63 on Sunday at Straham Coliseum in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

The Hokies (15-9) advance to the Second Round and will play second-seeded Baylor, who defeated Jackson State 101-52.

Kitley (11 of 19 shooting) was steady all afternoon, giving the Hokies a cushion early and helping maintain momentum later in the game when the Golden Eagles made a run.

After Aisha Sheppard's transition layup at 7:32 in the fourth gave the Hokies a 15-point lead, Marquette countered with their best offensive stretch of the game, hitting all four of their 3 's. in a 90 second span to cut the lead to just three.

The Hokies closed the game out on the free throw line, with Cayla King and Azana Baines each knocking down a pair free throws.

Baines joined Kitley in double figures with 15 and Georgia Amoore added 13 as the Hokies advanced to the Second Round for the eighth time in program history.

## GAME NOTES

-Virginia Tech is now 1-0 against Marquette.
*Kenny Brooks' record moves to 101-58 at Virginia Tech and 438-180 in his career.
-Tech is $3-1$ all-time on March 21.
-The starting lineup of Georgia Amoore, Aisha Sheppard, Cayla King, Azana Baines and Elizabeth Kitley accounted for 63 points.

## IN THE RECORD BOOKS

-Kitley's 11 field goals is a new program mark in the NCAA Tournament
-Kitley became just the fourth Hokie to ever to record 40 minutes on the floor in the competition.
-Virginia Tech is now 10-9 all-time in 10 appearances in the NCAA Tournament.


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[^0]:    AMOORE AMONGST LEAGUE'S BEST FROSH

    - Amoore, averaged 11.2 points, 4.6 assists and 2.4 rebounds in 2020-21, culminating with an AllFreshman Team nod. The Australia native ranks fourth in the conference in assists and is second in 3-point field goal percentage (42\%).
    - Her 11.2 points per game is the fourth-highest total for a rookie in the league. Her 97 total assists is by far the most for a frosh, with Carolina's Deja Kelly in second place with 62 on the season.

[^1]:    Down the stretch, Wake (7-4, 4-3) made more plays and their effort was led by 17 points and 19 rebounds from forward Ivana Raca and an 18-point night from guard Gina Conti. Christina Morra added 17 points and the Deacons went 16-23 from the line over the course of the game.

