



# BIG SOUTH CONFERENCE

## Men's Basketball Report Sunday, Feb. 27, 2005

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### BIG SOUTH MEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS

Team	Big South			Overall			Home	Road	Neu	L10	Streak
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.					
x-Winthrop	15	1	.938	24	5	.828	13-0	9-4	2-1	10-0	W15
Liberty	11	5	.688	13	14	.481	8-4	5-10	0-0	7-3	W2
UNC Asheville	8	8	.500	11	16	.407	8-4	3-12	0-0	6-4	L2
Birmingham-Southern	7	9	.438	15	13	.536	6-4	6-8	3-1	6-4	W1
Radford	7	9	.438	12	15	.444	7-4	4-9	1-2	4-6	W2
High Point	7	9	.438	12	17	.414	10-3	2-12	0-2	3-7	L3
Charleston Southern	7	9	.438	11	16	.407	7-6	3-8	1-2	4-6	L1
Coastal Carolina	7	9	.438	10	18	.357	8-5	2-13	0-0	5-5	L1
VMI	3	13	.188	9	18	.333	6-7	3-11	0-0	4-6	W1

x - regular-season champion

### CHOICE HOTELS CO-PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

**James Collins • Junior**  
**Guard • Birmingham-Southern**  
**Baton Rouge, La.**

Collins averaged 15.5 points and 3.0 rebounds in two games, shooting .526 from the floor (10-of-19) and a blistering .538 from three-point range (7-of-13). He scored a game-high 17 points at Charleston Southern, followed by 14 points in Saturday's win at Coastal Carolina, which helped the Panthers clinch the No. 4 seed in the Advance Auto Parts Basketball Championship.

**Brandon Jeffers • Senior**  
**Guard/Forward • Radford**  
**Baltimore, Md.**

Jeffers sparked Radford to two wins last week, helping the Highs capture the No. 5 seed in the Advance Auto Parts Basketball Championship. He scored 21 points in RU's 2OT win at High Point, scoring three crucial baskets in the extra sessions, including five of Radford's 11 points in the second OT. Jeffers scored 14 points Saturday vs. UNCA and finished the week with 17.5 PPG and 5.5 RPG.

### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

#### 2005 ADVANCE AUTO PARTS MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

#### Tuesday, March 1

#7 Charleston Southern at #2 Liberty .....7:00pm  
#6 High Point at #3 UNC Asheville .....7:00pm  
#8 Coastal Carolina at #1 Winthrop .....7:00pm  
#5 Radford at #4 Birmingham-Southern .....8:00pm

#### Thursday, March 3 (at highest seeds)

#2/#7 winner vs. #3/#6 winner .....7:00pm  
#1/#8 winner vs. #4/#5 winner .....9:07pm

#### Saturday, March 5 (at highest seed)

Championship game .....12:00pm

All times EST and subject to change



### LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

#### Monday, Feb. 21

at COASTAL CAROLINA 57, CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 54 \*

#### Wednesday, Feb. 23

RADFORD 92, at HIGH POINT 87 (2OT) \*  
WINTHROP 63, at VMI 48 \*

#### Thursday, Feb. 24

at CHARLESTON SO. 51, BIRMINGHAM-SO. 48 \*  
LIBERTY 92, at UNC ASHEVILLE 80 \*

#### Saturday, Feb. 26

at VMI 69, HIGH POINT 61 \*  
BIRMINGHAM-SO. 68, at COASTAL CAROLINA 55 \*  
WINTHROP 65, at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 62 (OT) \*  
at RADFORD 91, UNC ASHEVILLE 75 \*

*End of regular season*

Big South school in ALL CAPS  
\* - Big South Conference game  
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### NEW BALANCE FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

**Reggie Williams**  
**Forward • VMI**  
**Prince George, Va.**

Williams averaged 21.0 points and 4.5 rebounds in two games. He led the Keydets in scoring both times, posting 23 against Winthrop and 19 in Saturday's 69-61 season-favorite win over High Point. For the week, Williams was 17-of-28 FG (= .607) and 6-of-8 FT (= .750), while averaging 4.5 rebounds. He ends the season as a five-time winner of the weekly freshman award.

### NEXT BIG SOUTH TELEVISION NETWORK GAMES

Date	Game	Time	Network/Affiliate
Thurs., March 3	Men's Semifinal #1	7:00pm	CC, CCA, CSN Mid-Atlantic, C-SET, FCS-C, HTC, TWMB, WGSR, WOTM
		10:00pm	CSTV (delay)
		11:00pm	WWMB (delay)
	Men's Semifinal #2	9:07pm	CMR, C-SET, WDRL, WOTM

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**2004-05 BIG SOUTH PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

<u>Week</u>	<u>Choice Hotels Player of the Week</u>
Nov. 29	F Chris Oliver, Sophomore, Radford 23.3 PPG in 3 G, 29-of-38 FG ( =.763), 6-of-9 3FG ( =.667), 7.3 RPG, 20 PTS each game
Dec. 6	G Torrell Martin, Sophomore, Winthrop 14.0 PPG in 3 G, 12-of-28 FG ( =.429), 7-of-13 3FG ( =.538), 5.3 RPG; WU upsets PROV
Dec. 13	G Larry Blair, Sophomore, Liberty 26.5 PPG in 2 G, 20-of-35 FG ( =.571), 5-of-7 3FG ( =.714); 31 PTS vs. ODU; 22 at NCSU
Dec. 20	G Zion White, Senior, High Point 17 PTS, 4 REB, 6-of-12 FG ( =.500), 4-of-8 3FG ( =.500) in win over Mount St. Mary's
Jan. 3	G Jakob Sigurdarson, Senior, Birmingham-Southern 16.0 PPG in 3 G, 16-of-18 FT ( =.889); 20 PTS, 6 AST vs. UTC; All-Tournament team F Kurtis Rice, Senior, Charleston Southern 15.7 PPG, 5.3 RPG in 3 G; career-high 26 PTS, 11 REB vs. Fordham; All-Tournament team
Jan. 10	F Kurtis Rice, Senior, Charleston Southern 17.0 PPG, 9.0 RPG in 2 G, 14-of-21 FG ( =.667), 1.5 BLK, 1.5 STL; CSU opens Big South 2-0
Jan. 17	F Leo Lightbourne, Senior, Liberty 22.5 PPG, 7.0 RPG in 2 G, 14-of-23 FG ( =.609), career-high 27 PTS at CCU; LU goes 2-0
Jan. 24	G Whit Holcomb-Faye, Junior, Radford 19.5 PPG in 2 G, 13-of-14 FT ( =.929), 4-of-8 3FG ( =.500); GW 3FG at buzzer in OT vs. HPU
Jan. 31	F Bryan McCullough, Senior, UNC Asheville 15.5 PPG in 2 G, 11-of-18 FG ( =.611), 3-of-4 3FG ( =.500), 4.5 RPG; UNCA wins twice
Feb. 7	F Leo Lightbourne, Senior, Liberty 18.0 PPG in 2 G, 15-of-21 FG ( =.714), 9.5 REB ... 24 PTS, 12 REB vs. HPU; 12 PTS at BSC
Feb. 14	G Torrell Martin, Sophomore, Winthrop 16.5 PPG in 4 G, 24-of-39 FG ( =.615), 12-of-22 3FG ( =.545), 5.0 REB, 2.0 STL ... WU goes 4-0
Feb. 21	G/F James Shuler, Junior, Winthrop 21.5 PPG in 2 G, 13-of-25 FG ( =.520), 15-of-16 FT ( =.938), 4.0 REB, 2.5 AST, 3.5 STL
Feb. 27	G James Collins, Junior, Birmingham-Southern 15.5 PPG in 2 G, 10-of-19 FG ( =.526), 7-of-13 3FG ( =.538), 3.0 REB; BSC captures No. 4 seed G/F Brandon Jeffers, Senior, Radford 17.5 PPG in 2 G, 14-of-35 FG ( =.400), 4-of-10 3FG ( =.400), 5.5 REB, 2.5 AST; 21 PTS at HPU

**OTHER WEEK 13 PLAYER NOMINEES**

**TERRELL BROWN, G, CHARLESTON SOUTHERN**  
15.5 PPG in 2 G, 10-of-20 FG ( =.500), 8-of-16 3FG ( =.500), 3-of-4 FT ( =.750), 3.0 REB, 3.0 AST

**ARIZONA REID, F, HIGH POINT**  
9.0 PPG in 2 G, 9-of-16 FG ( =.563), 9.5 REB, 4.0 AST ... 10 PTS, 13 REB, 6 AST vs. Radford

**LARRY BLAIR, G, LIBERTY**  
23 PTS, 9 REB, 8 AST in win at UNC Asheville

**REGGIE WILLIAMS, F, VMI**  
*see Freshman of the Week*

**JAMES SHULER, F, WINTHROP**  
17.5 PPG in 2 G, 12-of-19 FG ( =.632), 3-of-4 3FG ( =.750), 8-of-9 FT ( =.889), 2.0 REB, 3.0 AST ... 23 PTS at Charleston Southern

**2004-05 BIG SOUTH FRESHMEN OF THE WEEK**

<u>Week</u>	<u>New Balance Freshman of the Week</u>
Nov. 29	F Reggie Williams, VMI 14.0 PPG in 2 G, 11-of-23 FG ( =.478), 4-of-5 FT ( =.800), 13 rebounds, 6.5 RPG
Dec. 6	PG Chris Gaynor, Winthrop 9.0 PPG in 3 G, 5.3 APG, 4.3 RPG, 2.3 SPG, 8-of-16 FG ( =.500), 5-of-10 3FG ( =.500) F Reggie Williams, VMI 12.5 PPG in 2 G, 4-of-12 3FG ( =.333), 4.0 RPG; 16 PTS, 3 3FG in win over VA Tech
Dec. 13	F Reggie Williams, VMI 24.5 PPG in 2 G, 17-of-30 FG ( =.567), 6.5 RPG; 28 PTS, 9 REB vs. Towson
Dec. 20	G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 8.5 PPG in 2 G, 3.5 APG, 1.5 RPG; 13 PTS, 3 3FG vs. UNCW; career-high 5 AST vs. JSU
Jan. 3	G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 8.0 PPG in 3 G, 9-of-22 FG ( =.409), 6-of-13 3FG ( =.462); 12 PTS at CofC; 9 PTS at TENN
Jan. 10	G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 18.5 PPG in 2 G, 13-of-25 FG ( =.520), 8-of-17 3FG ( =.471); Career-high 24 PTS vs. WU
Jan. 17	PG Chris Gaynor, Winthrop 8.0 PPG, 7.5 APG, 3.5 SPG, 3.0 RPG in 2 G, 4-of-7 3FG ( =.571); 7 AST at UNCA; 8 AST vs. RU
Jan. 24	F Josh Fox, Radford 11.5 PPG in 2 G, 9-of-14 FG ( =.643), 3-of-4 3FG ( =.750); career-high 14 PTS vs. HPU
Jan. 31	G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 21 PTS at Birmingham-Southern -- 8-of-13 FG ( =.615) and 5-of-10 3FG ( =.500)
Feb. 7	G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 13.7 PPG in 3 G, 16-of-33 FG ( =.485) ... 20 PTS, 8-of-15 FG vs. VMI ... 6 REB at CSU
Feb. 14	PG Chris Gaynor, Winthrop 7.0 PPG, 4.0 AST, 3.5 REB, 1.3 STL in 4 G, 10-of-24 FG ( =.417) ... Career-high 19 PTS in win at LU G Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina 22.5 PPG in 2 G, 14-of-34 FG ( =.412), 8-of-20 3FG ( =.400), 9-of-10 FT ( =.900), 3.5 AST
Feb. 21	F Reggie Williams, VMI 16.7 PPG in 3 G, 18-of-43 FG ( =.419), 6-of-15 3FG ( =.400), 8-of-8 FT ( =1.000), 5.0 REB, 3.0 AST
Feb. 27	F Reggie Williams, VMI 21.0 PPG in 2 G, 17-of-28 FG ( =.607), 6-of-8 FT ( =.750), 4.5 REB; 23 PTS vs. WU, 19 vs. HPU

**OTHER WEEK 13 FRESHMAN NOMINEES**

**ARIZONA REID, F, HIGH POINT**  
9.0 PPG in 2 G, 9-of-16 FG ( =.563), 9.5 REB, 4.0 AST ... 10 PTS, 13 REB, 6 AST vs. Radford

**JOSH FOX, F, RADFORD**  
9.5 PPG in 2 G, 6-of-12 FG ( =.500), 4-of-8 3FG ( =.500), 3-of-5 FT ( =.600), 4.0 REB ... 13 PTS vs. UNC Asheville

**WINTHROP TIES BIG SOUTH RECORD FOR WINS**

The Winthrop Eagles enter the 2005 Advance Auto Parts Men's Basketball Championship with a 24-5 overall record, and completed the Conference season with a 15-1 mark. The 24 wins ties the record set by Coastal Carolina in 1990-91, while the 15 League wins equals former member Towson State's mark set in 1993-94. Winthrop's 15 Big South wins came in succession, setting the League standard for most consecutive wins in the Conference season. The Eagles also set the Big South mark for Conference winning percentage with its .938 success rate this season.

**UNTYING THE KNOT**

For the first time in Conference history, the Big South had five teams tie in the final standings. Birmingham-Southern, Charleston Southern, Coastal Carolina, High Point and Radford all finished 7-9 in League play. Through the Conference tiebreaker, Birmingham-Southern captured the No. 4 seed in this week's Advance Auto Parts Men's Basketball Championship by virtue of its 5-3 head-to-head record over Radford, High Point, Charleston Southern and Coastal Carolina. Coastal gets the No. 8 seed since it had the worst record in head-to-head (3-5). The remaining three-way tie goes to the next step in the tiebreaker process, record vs. seeds in descending order. Charleston Southern claims the No. 7 seed since it had the worst record against No. 2 seed Liberty (0-2, vs. 1-1 for High Point and Radford). When multiple ties are reduced to a tie between two teams, the tiebreaker goes back to head-to-head between those teams. Radford clinches the No. 5 seed since it swept High Point during the regular-season.

**FIT TO BE TIED**

As mentioned above, the five-way tie for fourth-place in the final Big South standings is a League record. The League's previous logjam was three teams tied for the same position, which happened in: 1991-92 (6-8), 1995-96 (9-5), 1999-00 (7-7) and 2002-03 (8-6).

**HOMeward BOUND**

Winthrop finished its regular-season home schedule a perfect 13-0, becoming the first Big South squad since Radford in 2000-01 to go undefeated at home in a single-season. The Highlanders did not have the task of playing Conference Tournament games at home that season. Winthrop will look to stretch that mark beginning Tuesday, March 1, with the first round of the Advance Auto Parts Basketball Championship.

**IMPROVING HOME IMPROVEMENT**

With the Advance Auto Parts Men's Basketball Championship format of highest seeds hosting Tournament games, the top four teams in the Tournament -- Winthrop, Liberty, UNC Asheville and Birmingham-Southern -- have a combined overall home record of 35-12 (.745). In Conference games, the combined mark was 24-8 (.750). Below is a look at the final home and road Conference records in the order of seeds:

School	Home	Pct.	Road	Pct.
Winthrop	8-0	1.000	7-1	.875
Liberty	7-1	.875	4-4	.500
UNC Asheville	5-3	.625	3-5	.375
Birmingham-Southern	4-4	.500	3-5	.375
Radford	4-4	.500	3-5	.375
High Point	6-2	.750	1-7	.125
Charleston Southern	4-4	.500	3-5	.375
Coastal Carolina	5-3	.625	2-6	.250
VMI	2-6	.250	1-7	.125

**IT'S GOTTA BE THE SHU...**

Winthrop junior forward **JAMES SHULER** has been a jack-of-all-trades player for the Eagles the last seven games, as he is averaging 17.3 points, 4.6 rebounds, 3.43 assists and 1.86 steals in that span, while shooting .494 from the floor and .809 from the line. He scored a career-high 25 points in Winthrop's 74-66 win over High Point Feb. 19, and added 23 points in the regular-season finale at Charleston Southern. In the seven game span, Shuler has been Winthrop's top scorer five times, top rebounder three times and top assist man four times.

**DEES FINISHES AS SCORING LEADER IN CONFERENCE GAMES**

Liberty sophomore **DAVID DEES** finished ahead of Coastal Carolina's **PELE PAELAY** on the Conference Games Only scoring chart, as he averaged 19.2 points in 15 League tilts. In his last 11 appearances, Dees averaged 20.3 points and shot .489 from the floor (68-of-139), .397 from three-point range (25-of-63) and .756 from the charity stripe (62-of-82). Dees has tallied six of his nine 20-point games in the current span.

**BIG SOUTH MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS****GAMES WITH 20-OR-MORE POINTS**

Player	20-24	25-29	30+	Total
Pele Paelay, CCU	6	1	2	9
David Dees, LU	6	3		9
Larry Blair, LU	5	1	2	8
Reggie Williams, VMI	5	2		7
Jack Leasure, CCU	7			7
Jakob Sigurdarson, BSC	3	3		6
Mark Wilson, HPU	3	1	1	5
Chris Oliver, RU	3	2		5
Leo Lightbourne, LU	3	1		4
Akeem Scott, HPU	4			4
Zione White, HPU	4			4
Thomas Viglianco, BSC	3			3
Jerry Echenique, HPU	3			3
Whit Holcomb-Faye, RU	3			3
Olumuyiwa Popoola, RU	3			3
Torrell Martin, WU	3			3
James Collins, BSC	1	1		2
Kurtis Rice, CSU	1	1		2
James Shuler, WU	1	1		2
Shema Mbyirukira, BSC	2			2
Danny Gathings, HPU	2			2
Bryan McCullough, UNCA	2			2
Matt Coward, VMI	2			2
Brian Woodson, LU		1		1
Nathan Ball, CSU	1			1
Terrell Brown, CSU	1			1
Alvin Green, CCU	1			1
Colin Stevens, CCU	1			1
Moses Sonko, CCU	1			1
Andre Bynum, RU	1			1
Brandon Jeffers, RU	1			1
K.J. Garland, UNCA	1			1
Oliver Holmes, UNCA	1			1
Steven Rush, UNCA	1			1

**CONSECUTIVE 20-POINT GAMES**

3	Chris Oliver, RU (11/19 - 11/23)
3	Pele Paelay, CCU (11/21 - 11/26)
3	Larry Blair, LU (12/4 - 12/11)
3	David Dees, LU (1/17 - 1/24)
3	Jack Leasure, CCU (2/5 - 2/12)

**GAMES WITH 10-OR-MORE REBOUNDS**

Player	10-14	15-19	20+	Total
Danny Gathings, HPU	5			5
Adrian Gross, CCU	3	1		4
Kurtis Rice, CSU	4			4
Leo Lightbourne, LU	4			4
Rashad Robinson, LU	4			4
Thomas Viglianco, BSC	2	1		3
Pele Paelay, CCU	2	1		3
Chad Mohn, UNCA	3			3
Preston Beverly, VMI	3			3
Jovan Jegdic, CSU	2			2
Clint Nagel, CCU	2			2
Jerry Echenique, HPU	2			2
Arizona Reid, HPU	2			2
Reggie McIntyre, RU	2			2
Chris Oliver, RU	2			2
Patrick Hillman, HPU	1			1
Issa Konare, HPU	1			1
Larry Blair, LU	1			1
David Dees, LU	1			1
Whit Holcomb-Faye, RU	1			1
Joseph Barber, UNCA	1			1
Brett Warner, UNCA	1			1
Tadas Mankevicius, VMI	1			1
Craig Bradshaw, WU	1			1
Billy Houston, WU	1			1
Torrell Martin, WU	1			1
James Shuler, WU	1			1

### TRIPLE-DECKER

Coastal Carolina freshman **JACK LEASURE** has extended his Conference-leading three-point field goal streak to 20 games, the longest in the League this season. In that span, he has posted five three-pointers in a game four times. Winthrop sophomore **TORRELL MARTIN** had his second 12-game streak of the year snapped this past Saturday at Charleston Southern. During the recent span, Martin was 32-of-59 (=.543) and averaged 2.67 threes per game. In his first streak, Martin went 24-of-63 from the arc (=.381).

Player, school	Streak	3FG-ATT	PCT	3FG/G
Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina	20 games	58-146	.397	2.90

### POPOOLA JOINS BIG SOUTH 1,000-POINT SCORERS

Radford senior **OLUMUYIWA POPOOLA** became the 59th member of the Big South's 1,000-point club -- and fourth this season -- Feb. 19 at Liberty. He now owns 1,042 career points, good for 58th place. UNC Asheville's **BRYAN McCULLOUGH** ranks 47th all-time on the Conference's career scoring chart with 1,161 points and needs 10 points for 46th place.

### SOUTHERN COMFORT

Birmingham-Southern enters the 2005 Advance Auto Parts as the Conference's overall leader in field goal percentage (.447), three-point percentage (.358) and free throw percentage (.718), and is looking to become the second Big South team ever to lead the Conference in those three categories in the same season. UNC Asheville was the first and only team to accomplish the feat in 1998-99. Meanwhile, the Panthers are looking to become the first Conference member to lead the League in field goal percentage and three-point percentage in consecutive seasons, as Birmingham-Southern was tops a year ago with a .482 success rate from the field and .430 clip from the arc.

### EAGLES LOOKING TO SET DEFENSIVE STANDARD

Winthrop's 59.1 scoring defense average is on pace to break the Big South record of 61.6 points allowed, set by the 1987-88 Eagles. Winthrop has led the Conference in scoring defense every season since **GREGG MARSHALL** became coach in 1998-99. In that span, Winthrop's lowest average was 61.8 points allowed in 2000-01.

### HIGH POINTS

High Point finished the Conference season as the top scoring team at 76.7 points per game, and is leading the Big South in overall scoring at 74.4. High Point has never led the Big South in scoring offense, and if the Panthers should finish at the top, it would mark the third straight year the reigning team scoring champion failed to lead the next season. Last season, Birmingham-Southern was the Big South's top scoring team at 75.0. Radford was the last squad to lead in scoring in consecutive seasons (2000-01 and 2001-02).

### MARSHALL 2ND WINNINGEST COACH IN BIG SOUTH HISTORY

Winthrop coach **GREGG MARSHALL**, who has led his squad to four 20-win seasons during his seven years and is the only Big South coach ever to record seven-straight 15-win seasons, is second on the League's all-time Conference Games win chart with 77 wins. His .786 winning percentage in League contests is a Big South record. Marshall, who is third on the League's all-time overall win chart with 139 overall wins, trails former Radford coach **RON BRADLEY** in Conference wins.

RK	Coach, school	Conference Record	Pct.
1.	Ron Bradley, Radford	109-47	.699
2.	<b>GREGG MARSHALL, Winthrop</b>	<b>77-21</b>	<b>.785</b>
3.	Russ Bergman, Coastal Carolina	75-47	.615
4.	<b>EDDIE BIEDENBACH, UNC Asheville</b>	<b>74-50</b>	<b>.597</b>
5.	Gary Edwards, Charleston Southern	62-66	.484

### AND THE REST OF THE PACK...

A look at the current Big South coaches' overall career mark, school record and Big South tenure, through Saturday's games:

Coach, School	Overall Record	School Record	Big South Games (Pct.)
Duane Reboul, Birmingham-Southern	382-114	382-114	19-13 (.594)
Jim Platt, Charleston Southern	109-147	53-88	32-42 (.432)
Pete Strickland, Coastal Carolina	70-126	70-126	42-56 (.429)
Bart Lundy, High Point	146-67	31-28	17-15 (.531)
Randy Dunton, Liberty	88-85	56-61	36-22 (.621)
Byron Samuels, Radford	51-85	34-50	20-26 (.435)
Eddie Biedenbach, UNC Asheville	151-188	122-137	74-50 (.596)
Bart Belairs, VMI	137-218	116-191	7-25 (.219)
Gregg Marshall, Winthrop	139-69	139-69	77-21 (.785)

### BIG SOUTH MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

#### CONSECUTIVE 10-REBOUND GAMES

- 2 Thomas Viglianco, BSC (11/11 - 11/12)
- 2 Kurtis Rice, CSU (11/22 - 11/26)
- 2 Adrian Gross, CCU (1/31 - 2/3)

#### GAMES WITH 10-OR-MORE ASSISTS

Player	10-14	15-19	Total
Matt Coward, VMI	2		2
Bucky McMillan, BSC	1		1
Brian Woodson, LU	1		1

#### DOUBLE-DOUBLES

- 5 Danny Gathings, High Point
- 4 Kurtis Rice, Charleston Southern
- 4 Adrian Gross, Coastal Carolina
- 3 Pele Paelay, Coastal Carolina
- 2 Thomas Viglianco, Birmingham-Southern
- 2 Jerry Echenique, High Point
- 2 Arizona Reid, High Point
- 2 Leo Lightbourne, Liberty
- 2 Chris Oliver, Radford
- 2 Chad Mohn, UNC Asheville
- 1 Nathan Ball, Charleston Southern
- 1 Patrick Hilliman, High Point
- 1 Larry Blair, Liberty
- 1 David Dees, Liberty
- 1 Rashad Robinson, Liberty
- 1 Whit Holcomb-Faye, Radford
- 1 Joseph Barber, UNC Asheville
- 1 Matt Coward, VMI
- 1 Preston Beverly, VMI
- 1 Billy Houston, Winthrop
- 1 Craig Bradshaw, Winthrop
- 1 Torrell Martin, Winthrop
- 1 James Shuler, Winthrop

#### GAMES WITH 20-POINTS, 10-REBOUNDS, SAME GAME

- 2 Pele Paelay, Coastal Carolina  
(27 Pts, 11 Reb at Evansville, 11/21)  
(22 Pts, 11 Reb at UNC Greensboro, 11/23)
- 2 Danny Gathings, High Point  
(21 Pts, 14 Reb at N.C. A&T, 11/30)  
(24 Pts, 10 Reb at James Madison, 12/29)
- 1 David Dees, Liberty  
(22 Pts, 12 Reb vs. Shenandoah, 12/4)
- 1 Jerry Echenique, High Point  
(21 Pts, 11 Reb at Marshall, 12/21)
- 1 Kurtis Rice, Charleston Southern  
(26 Pts, 11 Reb vs. Fordham, 12/28)
- 1 Leo Lightbourne, Liberty  
(24 Pts, 12 Reb vs. High Point, 2/1)



## PREVIEWING THE FIRST ROUND

## #4 BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN HOSTS #5 RADFORD

Birmingham-Southern makes its first appearance in the Big South Tournament, and hosts Radford, a team it swept during the 2004-05 season ... The Panthers are 5-1 all-time against the Highlanders, including 3-0 at home ... **THOMAS VIGLIANCO** and **JAMES COLLINS** averaged 12.0 points each in the season series, while **SHEMA MBYIRUKIRA** scored 20 points in his lone appearance against Radford this year ... **CHRIS OLIVER** averaged 13.0 points and 7.0 rebounds in the two games for RU, while **OLU-MUYIWA POPOOLA** averaged a team-high 14.0 points to lead the Highs ... Radford is the No. 5 seed for the second straight season and fifth time overall. RU is 1-3 as a No. 5 seed in its history ... Highlanders coach **BYRON SAMUELS** is 2-2 in Big South Tournament games ... Radford's last semifinal appearance was in 2002-03 when it was Tournament runner-up in Samuels' first season as coach.

## #1 WINTHROP HOSTS #8 COASTAL CAROLINA

Coastal Carolina was the lone team to defeat Winthrop this season, taking the Big South opener on January 5 in Conway ... **PELE PAELAY** averaged 23.5 points in the two meetings, while **JACK LEASURE** averaged 21.0 points. Leasure was 9-of-19 from the arc against Winthrop this year ... Paelay averaged .586 from the floor (17-of-29) vs. WU, and, along with **ADRIAN GROSS**, averaged six rebounds against the Eagles ... **OTIS DANIELS** was Winthrop's top scorer in the season series with Coastal, averaging 16.0 points on 12-of-16 FG (= .750). Daniels averaged 7.5 rebounds, while **TORRELL MARTIN** hauled in 7.0 boards. ... Coastal's last appearance in the semifinals was last season, which ended an eight-year string of first round exits. Head coach **PETE STRICKLAND** is 1-6 in the Big South Tournament ... Winthrop leader **GREGG MARSHALL** posts the Big South's best Tournament record at 10-2. The 10 wins came in succession from 1999-03. This is the first meeting between Strickland and Marshall in the Tournament. Coastal and Winthrop have met three times in the Big South Tournament, but never in the first round. The Chanticleers lead, 2-1.

Year	Result	Round
1988	Winthrop 75, Coastal Carolina 40	Semifinals
1990	Coastal Carolina 62, Winthrop 49	Semifinals
1993	Coastal Carolina 78, Winthrop 65	Championship Game

## #2 LIBERTY HOSTS #7 CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

Liberty swept the season series, and has won six straight games over the Buccaneers. The Flames last lost to Charleston Southern on January 23, 2003 (78-57) ... **DAVID DEES** averaged 21.0 points in the two meetings this season, while **LARRY BLAIR** added 14.0 points and 8.5 rebounds ... In his five career games against Charleston Southern, Dees is averaging 19.2 points ... **THOMAS HARRISON** paced the Bucs against Liberty with a 12.5 per game average, while **KURTIS RICE** and **NATHAN BALL** chipped in 10.5 ... Charleston Southern's last appearance in the semifinals was in 2001 -- coach **JIM PLATT**'s first season at the helm. Platt is 1-4 all-time in the Big South Tournament ... Liberty coach **RANDY DUNTON** is 5-2 in the Tournament, and has reached the semifinals all three years as the Flames' mentor ... Liberty and Charleston Southern meet for the fifth time in the Big South Tournament and third time in the first round. The Tournament series is tied, 2-2.

Year	Result	Round
1994	Liberty 82, Charleston Southern 71	1st round
1995	Charleston Southern 60, Liberty 58	Semifinals
1997	Charleston Southern 64, Liberty 54	Championship Game
2004	Liberty 60, Charleston Southern 54	1st round

## #3 UNC ASHEVILLE HOSTS #6 HIGH POINT

The teams split the season series this year ... **ZIONE WHITE** led High Point with an 18.5 points per game average against the Bulldogs, while **MARK WILSON** tallied 12.5 points. **DANNY GATHINGS** averaged 7.0 rebounds in the two games ... **BRYAN McCULLOUGH** posted 19.0 points against High Point, while **CHAD MOHN** grabbed 9.0 rebounds ... High Point coach **BART LUNDY** owns a 2-1 Big South Tournament record, which occurred last year as a No. 2 seed with a title game appearance ... **EDDIE BIEDENBACH** is 9-7 in the Tournament, and has led UNCA to a semifinal appearance in six of his eight seasons ... Tuesday's first round meeting at Asheville will be the third Tournament meeting in four years between High Point and the Bulldogs. The Panthers are 2-0 in the series.

Year	Result	Round
2002	High Point 72, UNC Asheville 71	1st round
2004	High Point 63, UNC Asheville 49	Semifinals

## BIG SOUTH MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

## TEAMMATES WITH 20 POINTS, SAME GAME

- 4 Liberty
  - (Blair 23, Dees 22 - 12/4)
  - (Dees 27, Blair 23 - 1/8)
  - (Dees 24, Lightbourne 20 - 1/22)
  - (Dees 23, Lightbourne 21, Blair 20 - 1/24)
- 4 Coastal Carolina
  - (Leasure 22, Paelay 21 - 11/26)
  - (Sonko 21, Green 20 - 12/15)
  - (Paelay 21, Leasure 21 - 1/24)
  - (Paelay 23, Leasure 20 - 2/5)
- 3 Birmingham-Southern
  - (Sigurdson 23, Viglianco 23 - 12/4)
  - (Viglianco 21, Mbyirukira 20 - 1/5)
  - (Collins 25, Viglianco 22 - 2/10)
- 3 High Point
  - (White 22, Echenique 21 - 12/21)
  - (Wilson 27, Gathings 24 - 12/29)
  - (Echenique 23, Scott 20 - 2/23)
- 2 UNC Asheville
  - (McCullough 23, Holmes 21 - 1/15)
  - (McCullough 20, Garland 20 - 2/5)
- 2 Radford
  - (Oliver 28, Holcomb-Faye 23 - 1/8)
  - (Bynum 21, Jeffers 21 - 2/23)

## 2004-05 BIG SOUTH PRESEASON POLL

Regular-season champion Winthrop was picked to finish fourth in this year's annual preseason poll, as voted by the League's coaches and sports information directors. Birmingham-Southern, which shared last season's regular-season championship with Liberty, was predicted to finish in the top spot. Below are the preseason poll results, with first-place votes in parenthesis:

1. Birmingham-Southern (8).....	150
2. High Point (7) .....	142
3. Liberty (2) .....	127
4. Winthrop.....	99
5. UNC Asheville.....	88
6. Radford (1) .....	81
7. VMI .....	47
8. Coastal Carolina .....	42
9. Charleston Southern.....	34

## BIG SOUTH TELEVISION NETWORK KEY

## Thurs., March 3 - Men's Semifinal Game 1

CC - Comporium Communications (Rock Hill, S.C.)  
 CCA - Charter Communications Asheville, Ch. 10  
 C-SET - Carolinas Sports Entertainment Television  
 CSN - Comcast SportsNet Mid-Atlantic  
 CSTV - College Sports Television  
 FCS-C - Fox College Sports Central  
 HTC - Horry Telephone Cooperative, Channel 4  
 TWMB - Time Warner Myrtle Beach, Channel 47  
 WGSF TV - Star 39 (Greensboro/High Point)  
 WOTM TV - Birmingham, Ala.  
 WWMB-UPN - Florence/Myrtle Beach, S.C.

## Thurs., March 3 - Men's Semifinal Game 2

CMR - Comcast Metro Richmond, Channel 95  
 C-SET - Carolinas Sports Entertainment Television  
 WDRL-UPN - Roanoke, Va.  
 WOTM TV - Birmingham, Ala.

## BIG SOUTH VS. OTHER CONFERENCES

<b>America East</b> .....1-1	<b>Northeast</b> .....2-0	<b>Non Division I</b> .....16-3
Northeastern.....1-0	Mount St. Mary's.....1-0	Ferrum.....2-0
New Hampshire.....0-1	Robert Morris.....1-0	Barton.....1-0
<b>Atlantic Coast</b> .....1-6	<b>Ohio Valley</b> .....3-1	Bluefield.....1-0
Virginia Tech.....1-0	Austin Peay.....1-0	Coker.....1-0
Georgia Tech.....0-1	Jacksonville State.....1-0	Georgia College & State.....1-0
North Carolina State.....0-1	Tennessee-Martin.....1-0	Greensboro College.....1-0
Clemson.....0-2	Eastern Kentucky.....0-1	Lees-McRae.....1-0
Maryland.....0-2		Lenoir-Rhyne.....1-0
<b>Atlantic Sun</b> .....1-0	<b>Pacific-10</b> .....0-1	Montreat.....1-0
Troy.....1-0	Oregon.....0-1	Ohio Northern.....1-0
<b>Atlantic-10</b> .....1-1	<b>Patriot</b> .....1-0	Shenandoah.....1-0
Fordham.....1-0	Navy.....1-0	Southeastern (Fla.).....1-0
Massachusetts.....0-1		Southern Virginia.....1-0
<b>Big East</b> .....1-3	<b>Southern</b> .....3-8	Tennessee Wesleyan.....1-0
Providence.....1-0	Chattanooga.....1-0	Voorhees.....1-0
Notre Dame.....0-1	The Citadel.....1-0	Alaska Anchorage.....0-1
Seton Hall.....0-1	Western Carolina.....1-1	Chaminade.....0-1
West Virginia.....0-1	Wofford.....0-1	Lander.....0-1
<b>Big Sky</b> .....1-0	College of Charleston.....0-2	
Weber State.....1-0	Furman.....0-2	<b>TOTAL</b> .....45-60 ( =.429)
<b>Big Ten</b> .....0-3	UNC Greensboro.....0-2	
Michigan State.....0-1	<b>Southeastern</b> .....0-4	
Michigan.....0-2	Arkansas.....0-1	
<b>Big 12</b> .....0-3	Mississippi State.....0-1	
Colorado.....0-1	South Carolina.....0-1	
Oklahoma.....0-1	Tennessee.....0-1	
Texas Tech.....0-1	<b>Southwestern Athletic</b> .....2-0	
<b>Colonial Athletic</b> .....1-6	Alabama A&M.....1-0	
James Madison.....1-0	Alabama State.....1-0	
Towson.....0-1	<b>Sun Belt</b> .....0-2	
William & Mary.....0-1	Arkansas State.....0-1	
Old Dominion.....0-2	New Orleans.....0-1	
UNC Wilmington.....0-2	<b>West Coast</b> .....0-2	
<b>Conference USA</b> .....1-2	Portland.....0-1	
East Carolina.....1-0	St. Mary's.....0-1	
Charlotte.....0-1	<b>Western Athletic</b> .....0-1	
Tulane.....0-1	Hawaii.....0-1	
<b>Ivy</b> .....1-1	<b>Division I Independent</b> .....2-1	
Yale.....1-0	Utah Valley State.....1-0	
Brown.....0-1	Texas-Pan American.....1-1	
<b>Metro Atlantic Athletic</b> .....3-1	<b>Division I Reclassifying</b> .....3-1	
Marist.....2-0	Longwood.....3-0	
Siena.....1-0	UC Davis.....0-1	
Loyola (Md.).....0-1		
<b>Mid-American</b> .....0-2		
Marshall.....0-1		
Miami (Ohio).....0-1		
<b>Mid-Eastern Atlantic</b> .....1-2		
North Carolina A&T.....1-1		
Hampton.....0-1		
<b>Missouri Valley</b> .....0-4		
Creighton.....0-1		
Evansville.....0-1		
Indiana State.....0-2		
<b>Mountain West</b> .....0-1		
Utah.....0-1		

## BIG SOUTH IN THE NCAA STATS

Through Feb. 21, the following individuals and teams ranked in the top 50 in NCAA statistical categories:

## INDIVIDUAL

## Blocked Shots Per Game

C.J. Walker, UNC Asheville .....16th

## Steals Per Game

Pele Paelay, Coastal Carolina .....30th

## Three-Point Field Goals Per Game

Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina .....30th

## Three-Point Field Goal Percentage

Jack Leasure, Coastal Carolina .....32nd

## Field Goal Percentage

Chris Oliver, Radford .....41st

## TEAM

## Scoring Defense

Winthrop .....10th

## Field Goal Percentage Defense

Winthrop .....16th

## Won-Loss Percentage

Winthrop .....19th

## Steals Per Game

High Point .....27th

## Scoring Margin

Winthrop .....45th

**BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN  
(15-13, 7-9 Big South)**

Head Coach: Duane Reboul (16th year)  
 SID Contact: Will Chandler  
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Nov.	11	vs. Alabama A&M ^	W, 79-69
Nov.	12	vs. #12 Mississippi State	L, 48-55
Nov.	19	vs. Northeastern %	W, 81-70
Nov.	20	at Marist %	W, 67-66
Nov.	23	at Massachusetts	L, 60-64
Nov.	27	TENNESSEE WESLEYAN	W, 113-61
Dec.	2	at Indiana State	L, 55-62
Dec.	4	at Alabama State	W, 71-63
Dec.	20	at Texas-Pan American	L, 57-69
Dec.	29	vs. Tennessee-Martin @	W, 64-53
Dec.	30	at Chattanooga @	W, 64-59
Jan.	5	RADFORD *	W, 61-59
Jan.	8	at High Point *	L, 72-85
Jan.	10	at Liberty *	L, 72-74
Jan.	17	UNC ASHEVILLE *	L, 58-78
Jan.	19	WINTHROP *	L, 57-65
Jan.	22	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 67-41
Jan.	24	COASTAL CAROLINA *	L, 68-69
Jan.	29	at VMI *	W, 66-59
Jan.	31	at Radford *	W, 64-62
Feb.	5	LIBERTY *	L, 69-73
Feb.	10	HIGH POINT *	W, 74-73
Feb.	12	at Winthrop *	L, 41-55
Feb.	14	at UNC Asheville *	L, 59-68
Feb.	17	TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN	W, 78-69
Feb.	19	VMI *	W, 60-48
Feb.	24	at Charleston Southern *	L, 48-51
Feb.	26	at Coastal Carolina *	W, 68-55
March	1	#5 RADFORD #	7:00pm

\* - Big South Conference game HOME GAMES IN ALL CAPS  
 ^ - Coaches Vs. Cancer Classic ALL Times CST  
 % - Pepsi Marist Classic @ - Dr Pepper Classic  
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**CHARLESTON SOUTHERN  
(11-16, 7-9 Big South)**

Head Coach: Jim Platt (5th year)  
 SID Contact: David Shelton  
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Nov.	19	COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON ^	L, 41-56
Nov.	22	VOORHEES	W, 82-58
Nov.	26	at #21 Notre Dame	L, 38-54
Dec.	11	at Clemson	L, 55-73
Dec.	15	LANDER UNIVERSITY	L, 59-67
Dec.	18	WOFFORD	L, 65-84
Dec.	22	at #9 Georgia Tech	L, 48-90
Dec.	28	vs. Fordham %	W, 50-49
Dec.	29	vs. Brown ^	L, 52-65
Jan.	3	ROBERT MORRIS	W, 79-70
Jan.	5	at UNC Asheville *	W, 64-63
Jan.	8	at VMI *	W, 78-67
Jan.	10	at Radford *	W, 67-60
Jan.	15	HIGH POINT *	W, 76-74
Jan.	17	LIBERTY *	L, 59-71
Jan.	22	at Birmingham-Southern *	L, 41-67
Jan.	25	at Winthrop *	L, 45-58
Jan.	29	UNC ASHEVILLE *	L, 63-66
Feb.	3	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 64-62
Feb.	5	RADFORD *	L, 56-66
Feb.	7	VMI *	W, 56-50
Feb.	12	at Liberty *	L, 66-70
Feb.	14	at High Point *	L, 56-74
Feb.	17	THE CITADEL	W, 65-46
Feb.	21	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 54-57
Feb.	24	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	W, 51-48
Feb.	26	WINTHROP * (OT)	L, 62-65
March	1	at #2 Liberty #	7:00pm

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 ^ - at North Charleston Coliseum ALL Times EST  
 % - UCF Holiday Invitational  
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**COASTAL CAROLINA  
(10-18, 7-9 Big South)**

Head Coach: Pete Strickland (7th year)  
 SID Contact: John Martin  
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 Email: jamartin@coastal.edu

Nov.	19	at Indiana State	L, 46-70
Nov.	21	at Evansville	L, 80-87
Nov.	23	at UNC Greensboro	L, 73-79
Nov.	26	at Hawaii	L, 65-72
Nov.	28	at Chaminade	L, 61-70
Dec.	4	EASTERN KENTUCKY	L, 62-77
Dec.	12	COKER	W, 86-50
Dec.	15	JACKSONVILLE STATE	W, 88-78
Dec.	18	UNC WILMINGTON	L, 61-64
Dec.	22	at College of Charleston	L, 69-87
Dec.	29	OHIO NORTHERN	W, 63-45
Jan.	2	at Tennessee	L, 51-83
Jan.	5	WINTHROP *	W, 76-68
Jan.	8	at Radford *	L, 82-93
Jan.	10	at VMI *	W, 79-68
Jan.	15	LIBERTY *	L, 64-71
Jan.	17	HIGH POINT *	L, 64-79
Jan.	22	at Winthrop *	L, 66-80
Jan.	24	at Birmingham-Southern *	W, 69-68
Jan.	31	UNC ASHEVILLE *	W, 70-54
Feb.	3	at Charleston Southern *	L, 62-64
Feb.	5	VMI *	W, 75-70
Feb.	7	RADFORD *	W, 79-61
Feb.	12	at High Point *	L, 72-79
Feb.	14	at Liberty *	L, 68-72
Feb.	18	at UNC Asheville *	L, 71-83
Feb.	21	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 57-54
Feb.	26	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	L, 55-68
March	1	at #1 Winthrop #	7:00pm

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**HIGH POINT  
(12-17, 7-9 Big South)**

Head Coach: Bart Lundy (2nd year)  
 SID Contact: Lee Owen  
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Nov.	20	SOUTHEASTERN (Fla.)	W, 118-66
Nov.	25	vs. Oklahoma ^	L, 65-93
Nov.	26	vs. Utah ^	L, 69-78
Nov.	27	at Alaska Anchorage ^	L, 65-66
Nov.	30	at North Carolina A&T	L, 68-77
Dec.	2	GREENSBORO COLLEGE	W, 79-42
Dec.	4	at Creighton	L, 60-79
Dec.	7	at Michigan	L, 53-67
Dec.	11	FURMAN	L, 45-58
Dec.	18	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	W, 78-61
Dec.	21	at Marshall	L, 73-74
Dec.	29	at James Madison	W, 82-63
Jan.	3	UTAH VALLEY STATE	W, 75-51
Jan.	5	LIBERTY *	W, 73-56
Jan.	8	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	W, 85-72
Jan.	12	UNC ASHEVILLE *	W, 92-73
Jan.	15	at Charleston Southern *	L, 74-76
Jan.	17	at Coastal Carolina *	W, 79-64
Jan.	22	at Radford * (OT)	L, 83-85
Jan.	26	VMI *	W, 88-72
Feb.	1	at Liberty *	L, 81-84
Feb.	5	at UNC Asheville *	L, 77-89
Feb.	8	WINTHROP *	L, 55-72
Feb.	10	at Birmingham-Southern *	L, 73-74
Feb.	12	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 79-72
Feb.	14	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 74-56
Feb.	19	at Winthrop *	L, 66-74
Feb.	23	RADFORD * (2OT)	L, 87-92
Feb.	26	at VMI *	L, 61-69
March	1	at #3 UNC Asheville #	7:00pm

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 ^ - Great Alaska Shootout ALL Times EST  
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**LIBERTY  
(13-14, 11-5 Big South)**

Head Coach: Randy Dunton (4th year)  
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Nov.	19	NEW HAMPSHIRE	L, 58-59
Nov.	27	at Arkansas State	L, 65-91
Dec.	1	at Western Carolina	L, 63-75
Dec.	4	SHENANDOAH (OT)	W, 86-82
Dec.	7	OLD DOMINION	L, 54-70
Dec.	11	at #10 North Carolina State	L, 60-94
Dec.	18	UNC GREENSBORO	L, 69-74
Dec.	21	at Miami (Ohio)	L, 44-88
Dec.	28	at #23 Maryland	L, 68-112
Dec.	30	at Marist	W, 69-67
Jan.	1	at Seton Hall	L, 45-82
Jan.	5	at High Point *	L, 56-73
Jan.	8	at Winthrop * (OT)	L, 73-75
Jan.	10	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	W, 74-72
Jan.	15	at Coastal Carolina *	W, 71-64
Jan.	17	at Charleston Southern *	W, 71-59
Jan.	22	UNC ASHEVILLE *	W, 72-71
Jan.	24	VMI *	W, 91-71
Jan.	29	at Radford *	L, 64-69
Feb.	1	HIGH POINT *	W, 84-81
Feb.	5	at Birmingham-Southern *	W, 73-69
Feb.	10	WINTHROP *	L, 61-69
Feb.	12	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 70-66
Feb.	14	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 72-68
Feb.	17	at VMI *	L, 67-73
Feb.	19	RADFORD *	W, 70-62
Feb.	24	at UNC Asheville *	W, 92-80
March	1	#7 CHARLESTON SOUTHERN #	7:00pm

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**RADFORD****(12-15, 7-9 Big South)**

Head Coach: Byron Samuels (3rd year)

SID Contact: Drew Dickerson

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Email: adickerso@radford.edu

Nov.	19	vs. Yale ^	W, 72-71
Nov.	20	at William & Mary ^	L, 76-81
Nov.	23	at Longwood	W, 91-81
Nov.	29	FERRUM	W, 89-60
Dec.	2	NORTH CAROLINA A&T	W, 66-61
Dec.	4	at West Virginia	L, 44-78
Dec.	8	HAMPTON @	L, 74-89
Dec.	10	LEES-MCRAE	W, 97-77
Dec.	23	at Colorado	L, 58-74
Dec.	28	at St. Mary's %	L, 60-72
Dec.	29	vs. UC Davis %	L, 63-67
Jan.	5	at Birmingham-Southern *	L, 59-61
Jan.	8	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 93-82
Jan.	10	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	L, 60-67
Jan.	15	at Winthrop *	L, 54-74
Jan.	19	at VMI *	W, 78-62
Jan.	22	HIGH POINT * (OT)	W, 85-83
Jan.	25	at UNC Asheville *	L, 72-75
Jan.	29	LIBERTY *	W, 69-64
Jan.	31	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	L, 62-64
Feb.	5	at Charleston Southern *	W, 66-56
Feb.	7	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 61-79
Feb.	14	VMI *	L, 54-67
Feb.	16	WINTHROP *	L, 55-65
Feb.	19	at Liberty *	L, 62-70
Feb.	23	at High Point * (2OT)	W, 92-87
Feb.	26	UNC ASHEVILLE *	W, 91-75
March	1	at #4 Birmingham-Southern #	8:00pm

\* - Big South Conference game

HOME GAMES IN ALL CAPS

^ - William &amp; Mary Tournament

All Times EST

% - St. Mary's Tournament

@ - at Salem Civic Center

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**UNC ASHEVILLE****(11-16, 8-8 Big South)**

Head Coach: Eddie Biedenbach (9th year)

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Nov.	19	at Texas Tech	L, 55-119
Nov.	23	at Clemson	L, 59-78
Nov.	27	UNC WILMINGTON	L, 54-57
Dec.	1	at Furman	L, 68-72
Dec.	4	WESTERN CAROLINA ^	W, 85-71
Dec.	12	at #17 Maryland	L, 72-96
Dec.	15	LENOIR-RHYNE	W, 75-61
Dec.	17	MONTREAT	W, 95-60
Dec.	19	at Charlotte	L, 52-64
Dec.	29	at #20 Michigan State	L, 63-92
Dec.	31	at Michigan	L, 54-75
Jan.	5	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	L, 63-64
Jan.	10	WINTHROP *	L, 70-78
Jan.	12	at High Point *	L, 73-92
Jan.	15	VMI *	W, 87-77
Jan.	17	at Birmingham-Southern *	W, 78-58
Jan.	22	at Liberty *	L, 71-72
Jan.	25	RADFORD *	W, 75-72
Jan.	29	at Charleston Southern *	W, 66-63
Jan.	31	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 54-70
Feb.	5	HIGH POINT *	W, 89-77
Feb.	7	at Winthrop *	L, 60-67
Feb.	12	at VMI *	W, 77-72
Feb.	14	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	W, 68-59
Feb.	18	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 83-71
Feb.	24	LIBERTY *	L, 80-92
Feb.	26	at Radford *	L, 75-91
March	1	#6 HIGH POINT #	7:00pm

\* - Big South Conference game

HOME GAMES IN ALL CAPS

^ - at Asheville Civic Center

All Times EST

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**VMI****(9-18, 3-13 Big South)**

Head Coach: Bart Bellairs (11th year)

SID Contact: Wade Branner

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Nov.	22	SOUTHERN VIRGINIA	W, 71-33
Nov.	28	at Navy	W, 78-73
Dec.	1	at Old Dominion	L, 38-86
Dec.	4	VIRGINIA TECH	W, 72-68
Dec.	8	at Longwood (OT)	W, 69-64
Dec.	11	TOWSON	L, 69-84
Dec.	13	BLUEFIELD	W, 77-70
Dec.	28	at New Orleans	L, 49-62
Dec.	31	at Tulane	L, 74-82
Jan.	5	at Loyola (Md.)	L, 69-70
Jan.	8	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	L, 67-78
Jan.	10	COASTAL CAROLINA *	L, 68-79
Jan.	15	at UNC Asheville *	L, 77-87
Jan.	19	RADFORD *	L, 62-78
Jan.	24	at Liberty *	L, 71-91
Jan.	26	at High Point *	L, 72-88
Jan.	29	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	L, 59-66
Jan.	31	at Winthrop *	L, 44-69
Feb.	5	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 70-75
Feb.	7	at Charleston Southern *	L, 50-56
Feb.	10	LONGWOOD	W, 65-52
Feb.	12	UNC ASHEVILLE *	L, 72-77
Feb.	14	at Radford *	W, 67-54
Feb.	17	LIBERTY *	W, 73-67
Feb.	19	at Birmingham-Southern *	L, 48-60
Feb.	23	WINTHROP *	L, 48-63
Feb.	26	HIGH POINT *	W, 69-61

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**WINTHROP****(24-5, 15-1 Big South)**

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Nov.	19	vs. Arkansas ^	L, 49-72
Nov.	20	vs. Troy ^	W, 89-80
Nov.	22	vs. Austin Peay ^	W, 52-36
Nov.	24	at South Carolina	L, 52-62
Nov.	27	WEBER STATE	W, 60-49
Nov.	30	at Providence	W, 60-54
Dec.	2	BARTON	W, 86-57
Dec.	5	SIENA	W, 67-58
Dec.	17	at East Carolina	W, 70-55
Dec.	20	at Portland	L, 64-70
Dec.	22	at Oregon	L, 56-71
Dec.	30	GEORGIA COLLEGE & STATE	W, 69-56
Jan.	2	FERRUM	W, 90-62
Jan.	5	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 68-76
Jan.	8	LIBERTY * (OT)	W, 75-73
Jan.	10	at UNC Asheville *	W, 78-70
Jan.	15	RADFORD *	W, 74-54
Jan.	19	at Birmingham-Southern *	W, 65-57
Jan.	22	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 80-66
Jan.	25	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 58-45
Jan.	31	VMI *	W, 69-44
Feb.	7	UNC ASHEVILLE *	W, 67-60
Feb.	8	at High Point *	W, 72-55
Feb.	10	at Liberty *	W, 69-61
Feb.	12	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN *	W, 55-41
Feb.	16	at Radford *	W, 65-55
Feb.	19	HIGH POINT *	W, 74-66
Feb.	23	at VMI *	W, 63-48
Feb.	26	at Charleston Southern * (OT)	W, 65-62
March	1	#8 COASTAL CAROLINA #	7:00pm

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^ - Virgin Islands Paradise Jam

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**Tuesday, March 1**  
*at highest seeds*

**Thursday, March 3**  
*at highest seeds*

**Saturday, March 5**  
*at highest seed*

#2 Liberty

**Game 1**  
7:00pm ET  
*at Lynchburg, Va.*

#7 Charleston Southern

Game 1 winner

#3 UNC Asheville

**Game 2**  
7:00pm ET  
*at Asheville, N.C.*

#6 High Point

#1 Winthrop

**Game 3**  
7:00pm ET  
*at Rock Hill, S.C.*

#8 Coastal Carolina

Game 3 winner

#4 Birmingham-Southern

**Game 4**  
8:00pm ET  
*at Birmingham, Ala.*

#5 Radford

**Game 5**  
7:00pm ET  
*Big South Television Network*

Game 2 winner

**Game 6**  
9:07pm ET  
*C-SET,  
Big South Television Network*

Game 4 winner

Game 5 winner

**Game 7**  
12:00pm  
*ESPN2*

Game 6 winner

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