



Weekly Softball Report Monday, April 7, 2008

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BIG SOUTH SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Team	Big South				Overall				Home	Road	Neu	L10	Streak
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct					
Winthrop	5	1	0	.833	22	15	0	.595	8-3	8-4	6-8	6-4	L1
Coastal Carolina	4	2	0	.667	16	24	0	.400	10-8	3-4	3-12	6-4	W2
Liberty	2	1	0	.667	7	22	1	.250	4-3	0-6	3-13-1	5-5	L1
Birmingham-Southern	2	4	0	.333	24	17	0	.585	8-5	9-5	7-7	5-5	W1
Radford	1	2	0	.333	26	10	0	.722	2-3	6-2	18-5	7-3	W1
Charleston Southern	1	5	0	.167	16	28	0	.364	6-12	4-12	6-4	3-7	L2

CHOICE HOTELS

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Ashley Williams • Senior
DP/C • Liberty
Lilburn, Ga.

Williams recorded six RBI, two doubles and two home runs to lead the Lady Flames to a 3-2 record on the week, including a 2-1 series win over League foe Birmingham-Southern over the weekend. She recorded a RBI in every game she played in during the five-game span to become Liberty's all-time RBI leader. Her slugging percentage was .778 as she added four runs scored for the Lady Flames. The honor marks her first Player of the Week nod this season.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Apr. 8

North Carolina State at RADFORD (DH)3:00pm
LIBERTY at No. 12 Tennessee3:00pm
Mobile at BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN6:00pm
CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at Campbell (DH)4:00pm

Wednesday, Apr. 9

Virginia at LIBERTY2:00pm
Presbyterian at WINTHROP (DH)3:00pm
South Carolina at COASTAL CAROLINA.....5:00pm

Friday, Apr. 11

RADFORD at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (DH)2:00pm *

Saturday, Apr. 12

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN at WINTHROP (DH)1:00pm *
RADFORD at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN.....1:00pm *
LIBERTY at COASTAL CAROLINA (DH).....2:00pm *

Sunday, Apr. 13

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN at WINTHROP1:00pm *
LIBERTY at COASTAL CAROLINA1:00pm *

Big South school in ALL CAPS
* - Big South Conference game

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday, Apr. 1

at RADFORD 4-9, UNC Greensboro 0-10
at BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN 2-4, Jackson State 1-0

Wednesday, Apr. 2

at LIBERTY 5-2, James Madison 4-4
College of Charleston 10-9, at COASTAL CAROLINA 9-2
South Carolina 6, at WINTHROP 3

Friday, Apr. 4

at LIBERTY 4-4, BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN 1-0 *
at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 4, COASTAL CAROLINA 3 *

Saturday, Apr. 5

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN 9, at LIBERTY 5 *
WINTHROP 2-6, at RADFORD 0-2 *

Sunday, Apr. 6

at COASTAL CAROLINA 8-3, CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 1-2 *
at RADFORD 4, WINTHROP 2 *

Big South school in ALL CAPS
* - Big South Conference game

NEW BALANCE

PITCHER OF THE WEEK

Ashley Taylor • Senior
Radford
Danville, Va.

Taylor struck out 15 hitters and posted a 1.46 ERA to finish with a 2-2 record on the week. She highlighted her week with six strikeouts in a complete game shutout against UNC Greensboro on April 1. She tossed 24 innings on the week and allowed just five earned runs in the four-game span. She also posted four strikeouts in a complete game win against Winthrop on April 6. The Big South preseason Pitcher of the Year has been named Pitcher of the Week four times this season.

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new balance

2008 BIG SOUTH PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Week	<u>Choice Hotels Player of the Week</u>
Feb. 12	Ashley Pisone, Coastal Carolina .333 avg., 3 RBI, 6 H, 1 D and 4 R
Feb. 19	Vicki Madden, Radford .556 avg., 5 H, 3 RBI and 1 HR
Feb. 26	Sarah Himan, Radford .471 avg, 6 RBI, 5 H, 3 D and 4 R
March 4	Sarah Himan, Radford .556 avg, 10 H, 8 RBI, 2 D and 1 HR Danielle Honore', Birmingham-Southern .476 avg, 10 H, 9 RBI, 1 D, 1 3B, and 2 HR
March 11	Mallory Hogan, Winthrop .429 avg., 3 H, 1 D and 5 RBI vs. in 2 GP vs. Charlotte
March 18	Lisa Kingsmore, Winthrop .588 avg., 10 H, 3 D and 4 RBI
March 24	Kristen Shifflett, Radford .556 avg, 5 H, 4 RBI, 2 3B and 1 D
March 31	Sarah Himan, Radford .615 avg, 8 H, 6 RBI, 3 D and 1 HR
April 7	Ashley Williams, Liberty .333 avg., 6 H, 6 RBI, 2 D and 2 HR
April 14	
April 21	
April 28	
May 5	

OTHER WEEK 9 PLAYER NOMINEES

DIAMOND JORDAN, BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN
.438 avg., 7 H, 5 RBI, 2 D and 1 HR

ASHLEY CONWAY, CHARLESTON SOUTHERN
.429 avg., 3 H, 2 RBI and 1 HR

VERITY LONG-DROPPERT, COASTAL CAROLINA
.462 avg., 6 H, 4 RBI, 2 D and 2 HR

ASHLEY CARLSON, RADFORD
.375 avg., 6 H, 1 RBI, 1 D and 1 3B

MALLORY HOGAN, WINTHROP
.429 avg., 4 RBI, 6 H and 1 HR

2008 BIG SOUTH PITCHERS OF THE WEEK

Week	<u>New Balance Pitcher of the Week</u>
Feb. 12	Megan Evans, Winthrop 1.62 ERA, 15 K ... Earned win over No. 18 Oregon State
Feb. 19	Jamie Wellons, Charleston Southern Tossed a no-hitter with six strikeouts vs. No. 18 Virginia Tech
Feb. 26	Megan Evans, Winthrop 14 K, 1-0 record and 2.13 ERA
March 4	Ashley Taylor, Radford 36 K, 2-1 record and 1.40 ERA
March 11	Megan Evans, Winthrop 1-0 with 1 save ... 9K in 2 GP and only allowed 1 hit ... 0.00 ERA in two games
March 18	Ashley Taylor, Radford 3-1, 16 K and 0.28 ERA
March 24	Ashley Taylor, Radford 3-0, 26 K, 1 SV and 0.40 ERA
March 31	Bethney Reynoldson, Birmingham-Southern 4-1, 42 K and 0.42 ERA
April 7	Ashley Taylor, Radford 2-2, 15 K and 1.46 ERA
April 14	
April 21	
April 28	
May 5	

OTHER WEEK 9 PITCHER NOMINEES

BETHNEY REYNOLDSON, BIRMINGHAM-SO.
28 K ... 2-1 record

CARI WOOLDRIDGE, WINTHROP
8 K ... 1-1 record

NOTING THE BIG SOUTH TEAMS

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN

The Panthers went 3-2 this week, sweeping Jackson State at home, Tuesday, and going 1-2 against Liberty on the road. In the second game against Jackson State, senior pitcher **BETHNEY REYNOLDS** was impressive with a single-game-record 17 strikeouts. She broke the old record of 16, which she herself set last season and tied earlier this season. Against Liberty, BSC dropped both games of Friday's doubleheader but rebounded with a 9-5 win on Saturday.

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

The Bucs went 1-2 in the past week, winning the home portion of a home-and-home series with Coastal Carolina on Friday 4-3 while dropping both games of Sunday's doubleheader at Coastal, 8-1 and 3-2 ... After falling behind CCU 3-0 through 2 1/2 the Bucs fought back with three runs in the bottom of the third ... One of the key hits in the inning was a bunt single by **JILL SHONDEL** ... Shondel recently has become the all-time career hits leader in CSU softball history, surpassing **A.J. ROBINSON'S** previous record of 188 hits set just two years prior (Shondel currently has 192 hits in her career) ... **ASHLEY CONWAY**, **GAIL MATSUSHIMA** and **TATJANA SLAWSON** all drove in runs in consecutive at bats to even the score ... The Bucs then surged ahead with a two-out rally in the fifth inning, capped by a **JENN BROOKS** single to center field that allowed the go-ahead and eventual winning run to score ... Brooks is now batting .325 with runners in scoring position, one of the best averages on the team ... **JAMIE WELLONS** shut down Coastal the rest of the way to pick up her 11th win on the year ... The complete game pitching performance was also her 15th such performance of the season ... The win in game one of the series allowed CSU to post their first win over Coastal Carolina since the 2004 season ... Highlights from Sunday included Conway's third home run of the season, a team high, as well as **MEGAN HALL** hitting a run-scoring double in game two for her 10th double on the season (in just 30 games) ... The game two one-run loss was CSU's third one-run loss in five Big South games thus far ... This represents an increased level of competitiveness from the Bucs, as CSU only lost one game by less than three runs last season ... The Bucs will continue conference play this weekend when they host Radford beginning with a doubleheader on Friday ... Before that, however, CSU will travel to Buies Creek, N.C. to face Campbell University for a Tuesday doubleheader.

COASTAL CAROLINA

Coastal concluded last week with a pair of wins over Charleston Southern Sunday, April 6 at the CCU Softball Field en route to winning the series with the Lady Bucs... Junior **VERITY LONG-DROPPERT** led CCU with a .462 hitting percentage, registering six hits in CCU's five games last week as she increased her hitting streak to 16 games... In the CCU-CSU series, Long-Droppert hit a two-run, third inning homer in both Game One and Game Three of the series... Meanwhile, junior **KELSEY RIFFEL** pushed her hitting streak to eight games, recording seven hits last week, and sophomore **Alyssa Tornatore** is currently on a seven-game hitting streak as she had six hits.

LIBERTY

Head coach **PAUL WETMORE** picked up his 400th career victory during the week, making him the 89th head coach in NCAA softball history to surpass the 400-career win plateau ... Liberty posted a 3-2 record during the week, its first winning week of the year, including a 2-1 mark in its first conference action of the season ... Liberty tied a program record by playing an 11-inning game against James Madison on Wednesday, eventually besting the Dukes, 5-4, in the home contest ... Liberty's 4-1 victory over Birmingham-Southern in the first game of a league doubleheader on Friday was the Lady Flames second win in a Big South opener over the last seven years ... During the second game, **TIFFANI SMITH** tossed her first collegiate shutout, 4-0, giving Wetmore the historic win ... Last week, **ASHLEY WILLIAMS** drove in a team-best six runs, making the senior Liberty's all-time career RBIs leader with 151 runs driven in ... Williams and **BETH BENNETT** both enter this week sporting lengthy hitting streak, as Williams has hit in seven-straight games and Bennett is holding a career-best, 11-game hitting streak ... Liberty will make up a rained out game against No. 12 Tennessee on Tuesday in Knoxville, Tenn., marking the sixth-straight year Liberty has tangled with the Vols on the softball diamond ... Liberty closes out the week with a non-conference tilt against Virginia at home on Wednesday, before hitting the road for three against Coastal Carolina over the weekend.

PRESBYTERIAN

Presbyterian College softball split a doubleheader with Furman on Thursday afternoon at the PC Softball Complex. PC won game one, 5-1, while Furman took a 7-3 victory in game two ... The doubleheader was played in rainy conditions with the first game going into a rain delay four times ... The Blue Hose snapped a season-high five-game losing streak with the game one victory over the Paladins ... The Blue Hose had seven hits in total in game one, while Furman had four. No PC player recorded more than one hit in game one ... Mary Gordon (Vernon, Conn.) claimed her seventh victory from the circle in game one. Gordon fanned four in seven innings ... PC was led in the second game by **KATIE ANDERSON** and **LAURA TATE** ... Anderson was 2-for-3 in the second game, while Tate was 2-for-4 with one RBI and one run scored.

RADFORD

Radford recieved its first ever top 25 vote last week in both the USA Today/NFCA and ESPN.com/USA Softball polls, ranking them tied for 34th and 37 respectively. Also, their game one victory over UNC Greensboro was their school record 10th, breaking the nine-game streak set last season. With a pair of wins this week, **ASHLEY TAYLOR** reached 70 caeer victories. She is now just five shy of breaking RU's career record. She also doubled once this week moving into fourth all-time at RU. Senior **CASSIE RHODES** hit her 12th career triple this week, tying her for second at Radford. Freshman **CHELSE KELLEY** made a strong collegiate pitching, retiring three straight batters in the seventh inning against Winthrop on Saturday.

WINTHROP

Winthrop is off to a good start at 5-1 in the league with all six games being played on the road ... **STEPHANIE REID** moved into second place on the Eagles all-time RBI list and is currently tied with **LESLIE MCALISTER** at 126 in a career ... **MALLORY HOGAN** has 32 RBI on the year and is now just one shy of her career-best of 33 in a single season. She did that in 66 games last season and has 32 RBI through 34 games this year.

BIG SOUTH IN THE NCAA STATS (TOP 30)

TEAM

Earned Run Average
24th - Radford, 1.59
Triples Per Game
18th - Birmingham-Southern, 0.31
Stolen Bases Per Game
17th - Radford, 1.94

INDIVIDUAL

Batting Average
14th - Lisa Kingsmore, WU - .441
17th - Sarah Himan, RU - .438
Strikeouts Per Seven Innings
7th - Bethney Reynoldson, BSC - 11.0
Saves
2nd - Ashley Taylor, RU - 5.0
Runs Per Game
18th - Tessa Thomas, WU - .97
Sacrifice Hits Per Game
1st - Brittany Birnbaum, CCU - 0.57
Toughest To Strike Out
12th - Sarah Himan, RU - 29.7
On Base Percentage
27th - Lisa Kingsmore, WU - .521
Walks Allowed Per Seven Innings
1st - Dana Wheeler, LU - .34
Sacrifice Flies
19th - Hope Creasy, RU - 3.0

BIG SOUTH EDGE SCHEDULE

Big South Game of the Week

Apr. 8
Virginia at LIBERTY2:00pm

Apr. 19
LIBERTY at RADFORD4:00pm

Apr. 23
North Carolina at WINTHROP3:00pm

May 3
BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN at RADFORD4:00pm

May 8-10
Big South Softball Championship



BIG SOUTH VS. OTHER CONFERENCES

ACC4-10	MAC4-2
Virginia 3-1	Ohio 2-0
Virginia Tech 1-1	Miami 1-0
Georgia Tech 1-3	Buffalo 1-0
N.C. State 0-3	Kent State 0-1
Maryland 0-2	Toledo 0-2
America East2-2	MEAC4-0
Vermont 2-0	Hampton 2-0
Stony Brooke 0-1	North Carolina A&T 1-0
Boston 0-1	Delaware State 1-0
Atlantic 106-4	Missouri Valley2-1
Charlotte 3-1	Drake 1-0
St. Joseph's 1-0	Illinois State 1-0
St. Louis 1-1	Southern Illinois 0-1
Fordham 1-1	
UMass 0-1	Northeast1-0
	Mt. St. Mary's 1-0
Atlantic Sun6-18	Mountain West0-1
Belmont 2-1	Colorado State 0-1
Kennesaw State 1-1	
Gardner-Webb 1-1	Ohio Valley3-4-1
Jacksonville 1-2	Austin Peay 2-0
Lipscomb 1-2	Jacksonville State 1-0
Campbell 0-3	Samford 0-1
East Tennessee State 0-1	Tennessee Tech 0-3-1
Mercer 0-1	
North Florida 0-2	Pac-101-2
Stetson 0-4	Oregon State 1-0
Big 102-6	Cal 0-1
Indiana 1-0	Arizona State 0-1
Penn State 1-1	
Minnesota 0-1	Patriot0-1
Iowa 0-1	Lehigh 0-1
Michigan State 0-1	
Michigan 0-2	SEC1-4
Big 120-2	Auburn 1-1
Baylor 0-2	South Carolina 0-1
	Mississippi 0-2
Big East4-3	Southern9-10
Rutgers 3-0	Georgia Southern 1-0
Georgetown 1-0	UNC Greensboro 4-2
DePaul 0-1	Elon 1-1
Notre Dame 0-2	Furman 1-1
	College of Charleston 1-3
Big West1-1	Georgia Southern 0-1
Cal State Northridge 1-0	Chattanooga 0-1
UC Davis 0-1	
Conference USA0-4	Summit League0-1
Central Florida 0-2	Oakland 0-1
East Carolina 0-2	
Colonial11-7	Sunbelt1-2
James Madison 3-1	Troy 1-0
Drexel 1-0	South Alabama 0-1
George Mason 1-0	South Florida 0-1
UNC Wilmington 3-1	
Delaware 1-1	SWAC14-0
Towson 2-3	Jackson State 5-0
Hofstra 0-1	Alabama State 3-0
	Arkansas Pine Bluff 2-0
Horizon League0-1	Alcorn State 2-0
Illinois-Chicago 0-1	Mississippi Valley State 2-0
Ivy Group2-1	WAC0-2
Brown 1-0	Louisiana Tech 0-2
Columbia 1-0	
Harvard 0-1	Reclassifying7-7
	Presbyterian 5-3
MAAC2-0	USC Upstate 2-4
Manhattan 1-0	
Fairfield 1-0	Independent1-0
	Georgetown 1-0

2008 BIG SOUTH PRESEASON POLL

Winthrop University's softball team has been chosen first in the Big South Conference's annual preseason poll, as voted by the League's Head Softball Coaches and Sports Information Directors. Below are the preseason poll results, with first-place votes in parenthesis:

1. Winthrop (10).....68
2. Radford (1)58
3. Coastal Carolina42
4. Liberty (1)40
5. Birmingham-Southern.....26
6. Charleston Southern.....17

Preseason Player of the Year
Lisa Kingsmore, Winthrop

Preseason Pitcher of the Year
Ashley Taylor, Radford

Non Division I6-0
Huntingdon College 4-0
Mid-Continent 2-0
Total95-96-1 (.497)

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN (24-17, 2-4 Big South)

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F9	HUNTINGDON (DH)	W, 10-0
		W, 4-3
F16	LIPSCOMB !	L, 3-4
	SOUTH ALABAMA !	L, 0-7
F17	LIPSCOMB !	Can.
	SOUTH ALABAMA !	Can.
F20	MID-CONTINENT	W, 16-9
	MID-CONTINENT	W, 9-0
F22	vs. Drake @	W, 2-1
	at Central Florida @	L, 2-5
F23	vs. #12 Michigan @	L, 0-8
	vs. Auburn @	L, 0-8
F24	vs. George Mason @	W, 1-0
F27	at Jackson State	W, 6-0
	at Jackson State	W, 4-3
F29	vs. Samford \$	L, 1-7
	vs. UAB \$	L, 0-12
M1	vs. Columbia \$	W, 7-0
	vs. Georgia Southern \$	L, 0-3
M2	vs. Grambling \$	W, 3-0
	vs. Alabama State \$	W, 9-0
M9	at Huntingdon	W, 5-2
	at Huntingdon	W, 4-0
M16	vs. Kent State %	L, 0-4
	at Kennesaw State %	L, 0-1
M21	vs. Harvard ^	L, 6-7
	at Mercer ^	L, 4-5
M22	vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff ^	W, 16-3
	vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff ^	W, 9-1
M24	at Alcorn State	W, 6-0
	at Alcorn State	W, 4-0
M25	at Mississippi Valley State	W, 5-4
	at Mississippi Valley State	W, 4-1
M26	BELMONT	L, 1-3
	BELMONT	W, 4-1
M29	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 7-0
	COASTAL CAROLINA *	L, 1-9
M30	COASTAL CAROLINA *	L, 1-2
A1	JACKSON STATE	W, 2-1
	JACKSON STATE	W, 4-0
A 4	at Liberty *	L, 1-4
	at Liberty *	L, 0-1
A5	at Liberty *	W, 9-5
A8	MOBILE (DH)	5:00pm
A12	at Winthrop (DH) *	12:00pm
A13	at Winthrop *	12:00pm
A16	SAMFORD	6:00pm
A18	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	6:00pm
A19	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (DH) *	1:00pm
A22	WEST ALABAMA (DH)	4:00pm
A24	at Jacksonville State (DH)	5:00pm
M3	at Radford (DH) *	12:00pm
M4	at Radford *	11:00am
M8-10	at Big South Tourney #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Panther Spring Class
@ - Central Florida Tournament
\$ - Magic City Classic
% - Kennesaw State Tournament
^ - Mercer Easter Classic
- Rock Hill, S.C.
* - Big South Conference game
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CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (16-28, 1-5 Big South)

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F16	vs. Presbyterian !	L, 2-5
	at UNC Charlotte !	L, 1-5
F17	vs. #18 Virginia Tech !	W, 6-0
	vs. Presbyterian !	W, 8-5
F21	TENNESSEE TECH	L, 1-3
F23	vs. Delaware State @	W, 9-0
	vs. Lehigh @	L, 0-5
F24	vs. Mt. St. Mary's @	W, 7-1
	at UNC Wilmington @	L, 1-4
F26	FURMAN	W, 7-6
	FURMAN	L, 3-8
F27	at USC Upstate	L, 1-11
	at USC Upstate	L, 3-5
F29	BROWN \$	W, 9-1
	TOLEDO \$	L, 9-10
M1	OAKLAND \$	L, 2-4
	TOLEDO \$	L, 0-9
M3	at Tennessee Tech	L, 3-11
M4	at Lipscomb	W, 4-3
	at Lipscomb	L, 1-11
M5	at Belmont	W, 9-6
M7	vs. Austin Peay %	W, 4-3
	vs. #18 Mississippi State %	L, 2-19
M8	vs. Louisiana Tech %	L, 2-8
	vs. #18 Mississippi State %	L, 1-5
M9	vs. Austin Peay %	W, 9-2
	vs. Louisiana Tech %	L, 1-7
M14	TOWSON ^	W, 6-4
	NOTRE DAME ^	L, 2-16
	CAMPBELL ^	L, 4-10
M15	CAMPBELL ^	L, 1-9
	NOTRE DAME ^	L, 2-10
M18	UNC CHARLOTTE	W, 2-0
	TOWSON	W, 8-0
M22	at Presbyterian	L, 6-8
	at Presbyterian	W, 9-7
M26	at College of Charleston	W, 3-1
	at College of Charleston	L, 0-4
M28	WINTHROP *	L, 0-5
	WINTHROP *	L, 0-1
M29	WINTHROP *	L, 4-5
A4	COASTAL CAROLINA *	W, 4-3
A6	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 1-8
	at Coastal Carolina *	L, 2-3
A8	at Campbell (DH)	4:00pm
A11	RADFORD (DH) *	3:00pm
A12	RADFORD *	1:00pm
A14	SAVANNAH STATE (DH)	3:00pm
A15	COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON	3:00pm
A18	at Birmingham-Southern *	6:00pm
A19	at Birmingham-Southern (DH) *	1:00pm
M2	LIBERTY (DH) *	3:00pm
M3	LIBERTY *	2:30pm
M8-10	at Big South Tourney #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Charlotte Tournament
@ - UNC Wilmington Tournament
\$ - CSU Lady Bucs Invitational
% - Mississippi State Tournament
^ - CSU Lowcountry Invitational
- Rock Hill, S.C.
* - Big South Conference game
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COASTAL CAROLINA (16-24, 4-2 Big South)

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F8	vs. Southern Illinois !	L, 3-4
	vs. Minnesota !	L, 3-4
F9	vs. UNC Greensboro !	W, 2-1
	at Jacksonville !	L, 7-11
F10	vs. UNC Greensboro !	L, 4-6
	at Jacksonville !	W, 3-1
F16	MARYLAND	L, 3-4
	ELON	L, 2-5
F17	MARYLAND	L, 0-3
	ELON	W, 7-6
F24	HAMPTON	W, 5-1
	HAMPTON	W, 3-0
F29	vs. North Florida @	L, 1-2
	at Jacksonville @	L, 2-8
M1	vs. North Florida @	L, 0-6
	vs. Virginia @	L, 5-9
M2	vs. Stony Brook @	L, 0-4
M7	vs. Illinois-Chicago \$	L, 0-5
	vs. Hofstra \$	L, 0-5
M8	vs. Baylor \$	L, 0-10
	vs. Michigan State \$	L, 0-8
M9	vs. East Tennessee State \$	L, 0-5
M12	USC UPSTATE	L, 0-1
	USC UPSTATE	W, 6-5
M16	vs. Manhattan %	W, 4-3
	vs. Alabama State %	W, 6-2
M20	PRESBYTERIAN	W, 6-5
	PRESBYTERIAN	W, 4-2
M22	GEORGIA TECH	L, 1-2
	GEORGIA TECH	L, 2-10
M26	UNC WILMINGTON (DH)	W, 12-4
	UNC WILMINGTON	W, 4-3
M29	at Birmingham-Southern *	L, 0-7
	at Birmingham-Southern	W, 9-1
M30	at Birmingham-Southern *	W, 2-1
A2	COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON	L, 9-10
	COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON	L, 2-9
A4	at Charleston Southern *	L, 3-4
A6	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 8-1
	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	W, 3-2
A8	GARDNER-WEBB (DH)	2:00pm
A9	SOUTH CAROLINA	5:00pm
A12	LIBERTY (DH) *	2:00pm
A13	LIBERTY *	1:00pm
A16	at North Carolina (DH)	4:00pm
A19	at Winthrop (DH) *	2:00pm
A20	at Winthrop *	1:00pm
A23	at North Carolina State	4:00pm
A26	RADFORD (DH) *	2:00pm
A27	RADFORD *	1:00pm
M8-10	at Big South Tourney #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Jacksonville Tournament
@ - Jacksonville Invitational
\$ - Under Armour Invitational
% - Kennesaw State Tournament
- Rock Hill, S.C.
* - Big South Conference game
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LIBERTY (7-22-1, 2-1 Big South)

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F22	vs. Tennessee Tech !	T, 2-2
F23	vs. Towson !	L, 1-11
	vs. Kennesaw State !	W, 7-0
F24	vs. N.C. State !	L, 1-2
F29	vs. Delaware @	L, 1-4
	at East Carolina @	L, 3-7
M1	vs. Fordham @	L, 2-3
	vs. Towson @	L, 0-8
M2	vs. Radford @	L, 0-4
M8	vs. Presbyterian \$	W, 7-0
	vs. Stetson \$	L, 0-3
M9	vs. Presbyterian \$	L, 1-4
	vs. Stetson \$	L, 0-5
M11	at Stetson	L, 0-5
	at Stetson	L, 1-2
M12	at Central Florida	L, 0-3
	vs. #14 Baylor	L, 0-8
M14	vs. Boston %	L, 0-2
	vs. Penn State %	L, 1-2
M16	vs. Chattanooga %	L, 2-3
	vs. Dartmouth %	L, 0-1
M17	vs. St. Louis	L, 0-1
	vs. St. Louis	W, 3-0
M25	UNC GREENSBORO	W, 1-0
	UNC GREENSBORO	L, 3-4
A2	JAMES MADISON	W, 5-4
	JAMES MADISON	L, 2-4
A4	BIRMINGHAM-SO. *	W, 4-1
	BIRMINGHAM-SO. *	W, 4-0
A5	BIRMINGHAM-SO. *	L, 5-9
A8	at #12 Tennessee (DH)	3:00pm
A9	VIRGINIA (DH)	2:00pm
A12	at Coastal Carolina (DH) *	1:00pm
A13	at Coastal Carolina *	1:00pm
A15	LONGWOOD (DH)	2:00pm
A16	at Virginia Tech (DH)	5:00pm
A19	at Radford (DH) *	1:00pm
A20	RADFORD *	2:30pm
A22	at Hampton (DH)	2:00pm
A23	at Norfolk State (DH)	2:00pm
A25	WINTHROP (DH) *	2:00pm
A26	WINTHROP *	1:00pm
A29	GARDNER-WEBB (DH)	2:00pm
M2	at Charleston So. (DH) *	3:00pm
M3	at Charleston So. *	2:30pm
M8-10	at Big South Tourney #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - College of Charleston Classic
@ - East Carolina Tournament
\$ - Stetson Classic
% - Speedline Classic
- Rock Hill, S.C.
* - Big South Conference game
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RADFORD (26-10, 1-2 Big South)

Head Coach: Mickey Dean
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F15	vs. Georgetown !	W, 2-0
	vs. Alabama State !	W, 3-0
F16	vs. Campbell !	L, 3-4
	at Georgia Southern !	W, 5-4
F17	vs. Drexel !	W, 4-2
	vs. Jacksonville State !	W, 3-1
F22	vs. Miami (OH) @	W, 7-1
	vs. Illinois State @	W, 5-3
F23	vs. Buffalo @	W, 12-3
	at #2 Arizona State @	L, 2-16
F24	vs. Iowa @	L, 4-5
F29	vs. Towson \$	L, 3-4
	at East Carolina \$	L, 1-5
M1	vs. Delaware \$	W, 7-4
	vs. UNC Greensboro \$	W, 4-0
M2	vs. Liberty \$	W, 4-0
	vs. UNC Greensboro \$	W, 2-1
M12	vs. Penn State	W, 1-0
	vs. Fordham	W, 6-4
M14	vs. Rutgers ^	W, 11-0
	vs. UMass ^	L, 0-1
M15	vs. FIU ^	L, 0-3
	vs. Indiana ^	W, 1-0
M20	vs. Rutgers &	W, 4-0
M21	vs. Ohio &	W, 2-1
	at Virginia &	W, 5-2
M22	vs. Georgetown &	W, 14-0
M24	at Virginia	W, 9-1
	at Virginia	W, 16-4
M26	at James Madison	W, 4-3
	at James Madison	W, 12-3
A1	UNC GREENSBORO	W, 4-0
	UNC GREENSBORO	L, 9-10
A5	WINTHROP *	L, 0-2
	WINTHROP *	L, 2-6
A6	WINTHROP *	W, 4-2
A8	N.C. State (DH)	3:00pm
A11	at Charleston So. (DH) *	2:00pm
A12	at Charleston So. *	1:00pm
A15	VIRGINIA TECH (DH)	5:00pm
A17	APPALACHIAN STATE (DH)	4:00pm
A19	LIBERTY (DH) *	4:00pm
A20	at Liberty *	2:30pm
A22	at Elon (DH)	4:00pm
A24	at Longwood (DH)	5:00pm
A26	at Coastal Carolina (DH) *	2:00pm
A27	at Coastal Carolina *	1:00pm
M3	BIRMINGHAM-SO. (DH) *	4:00pm
M4	BIRMINGHAM-SO. *	1:00pm
M6	LONGWOOD (DH)	4:00pm
M8-10	at Big South Tourney #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Georgia Southern Tournament
@ - Arizona State Tournament
\$ - East Carolina Tournament
% - Buzz Classic
^ - Under Armour Classic
& - Virginia Tournament
- Rock Hill, S.C.
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WINTHROP (22-15, 5-1 Big South)

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F8	vs. Cal-St. Northridge !	W, 8-4
	vs. #18 Oregon State !	W, 4-1
F9	vs. California !	L, 1-5
	vs. Colorado State !	L, 2-3
F10	vs. Cal-Davis !	L, 0-3
F20	at USC Upstate	L, 3-4
	at USC Upstate	W, 10-4
F22	vs. Rutgers @	W, 4-1
	vs. St. Joseph's @	W, 8-2
F23	vs. Troy @	W, 4-2
F24	at Virginia Tech. @	L, 0-3
F27	GARDNER-WEBB	L, 3-4
	GARDNER-WEBB	W, 9-0
F29	vs. Illinois State \$	L, 2-3
	vs. Auburn \$	W, 1-0
M1	vs. #17 DePaul \$	L, 0-4
	vs. #12 Michigan \$	L, 1-4
M2	vs. Tennessee Tech \$	L, 0-3
M5	CHARLOTTE	W, 7-0
	CHARLOTTE	W, 9-1
M12	VERMONT	W, 10-0
	VERMONT	W, 6-1
M14	OHIO ^	W, 2-0
	FAIRFIELD ^	W, 6-2
M15	UNC WILMINGTON ^	W, 10-0
	NORTH CAROLINA A&T ^	W, 12-2
M20	GEORGIA TECH	W, 5-1
	GEORGIA TECH	L, 2-3
M26	at N.C. State	L, 0-2
	at N.C. State	L, 0-8
M28	at Charleston Southern *	W, 5-0
	at Charleston Southern *	W, 1-0
M29	at Charleston Southern *	W, 5-4
A2	SOUTH CAROLINA	L, 3-6
A5	at Radford *	W, 2-0
	at Radford *	W, 6-2
A6	at Radford *	L, 2-4
A9	PRESBYTERIAN (DH)	3:00pm
A12	BIRMINGHAM-SO (DH) *	1:00pm
A13	BIRMINGHAM-SO *	1:00pm
A17	at Presbyterian	4:00pm
A19	COASTAL CAROLINA (DH) *	1:00pm
A20	COASTAL CAROLINA *	1:00pm
A23	NORTH CAROLINA	3:00pm
A25	at Liberty (DH) *	2:00pm
A26	at Liberty *	1:00pm
M8-10	BIG SOUTH TOURNEY #	TBA

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Cathedral City Kick Off
@ - Hokie Memorial Tournament
\$ - Lead-Off Classic
% - Buzz Classic
^ - Winthrop Invitational
- Rock Hill, S.C.
* - Big South Conference game
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PRESBYTERIAN (10-23)

(Future Member 2008-09)
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F9	CHARLOTTE	L, 0-11
	CHARLOTTE	L, 2-12
F16	vs. Charleston Southern !	W, 5-2
	vs. #18 Virginia Tech !	L, 0-9
F17	at Charlotte !	L, 4-7
	vs. Charleston Southern !	L, 5-8
F20	at Furman	L, 0-1
	at Furman	L, 3-10
F23	NORTH GREENVILLE	W, 10-1
	NORTH GREENVILLE	W, 5-2
F25	OAKLAND	W, 4-3
	OAKLAND	L, 2-13
F27	MISS. VALLEY STATE (DH)	W, 6-4
F28	WESTERN CAROLINA	W, 7-6
	WESTERN CAROLINA	W, 8-4
M5	at Georgia Southern	L, 0-3
	at Georgia Southern	L, 2-3
M8	vs. Stetson @	L, 1-5
	vs. Liberty @	L, 0-7
M9	vs. Stetson @	L, 0-2
	vs. Liberty @	W, 4-1
M18	at Gardner-Webb	L, 0-6
	at Gardner-Webb	L, 4-5
M20	at Coastal Carolina	L, 5-6
	at Coastal Carolina	L, 2-4
M22	CHARLESTON SO.	W, 8-6
	CHARLESTON SO.	L, 7-9
M26	at East Tennessee St.	L, 5-6
	at East Tennessee State	L, 1-6
M29	at Longwood	L, 0-7
	at Longwood	L, 2-3
A3	FURMAN	W, 5-1
	FURMAN	L, 3-7
A9	at Winthrop (DH)	3:00pm
A12	at Savannah State (DH)	2:00pm
A15	at Western Carolina (DH)	4:00pm
A17	WINTHROP	4:00pm
A20	at Mercer (DH)	2:00pm
A24	USC UPSTATE	2:00pm
A25	SAVANNAH STATE (DH)	2:00pm

Home game in ALL CAPS
! - Charlotte Tournament
@ - Stetson Tournament
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TEAM BATTING	G	Avg	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SB-ATT
Radford.....	36	.291	922	175	268	50	10	26	69	115	69-89
Winthrop.....	37	.270	1012	153	273	41	3	17	78	204	22-29
Charleston Southern..	44	.267	1115	159	298	66	7	9	98	223	10-20
Birmingham-Southern.	41	.263	1078	170	283	42	11	8	83	183	36-39
Coastal Carolina....	40	.248	1037	131	257	28	4	15	133	194	46-50
Liberty.....	30	.203	764	56	155	26	2	13	60	191	21-23

TEAM PITCHING	G	ERA	W	L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Radford.....	36	1.73	26	10	6	238.1	211	94	59	51	196
Winthrop.....	37	1.80	22	15	2	248.2	207	86	64	74	203
Liberty.....	30	2.28	7	22	1	202.1	196	102	66	94	173
Birmingham-Southern.	41	2.36	24	17	1	270.0	252	118	91	57	288
Coastal Carolina....	40	2.84	16	24	3	279.0	307	180	113	93	189
Charleston Southern..	44	4.60	16	28	0	272.2	376	251	179	117	137

TEAM FIELDING	G	PO	A	E	Pct	DP	PB	SBA-ATT
Birmingham-Southern.	41	810	266	38	.966	10	8	41-49
Winthrop.....	37	746	295	38	.965	11	4	31-41
Liberty.....	30	607	265	40	.956	11	5	28-40
Radford.....	36	718	353	52	.954	12	9	37-48
Coastal Carolina....	40	837	363	63	.950	6	25	41-49
Charleston Southern..	44	818	370	69	.945	13	8	71-84

INDIVIDUAL BATTING	Min	2.0 AB/Team game	G	Avg	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB
KINGSMORE, Lisa WINTH.....	37	.435	115	21	50	16	8	1	1	1	16	
HIMAN, Sarah RADFO.....	36	.398	103	19	41	26	8	1	4		6	
CREIGHTON, Lindsay BSC....	41	.389	126	18	49	27	13	1	1	1	12	
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	44	.381	139	28	53	16	14	3	2	14		
CREASY, Hope RADFO.....	36	.372	86	7	32	27	5	0	5	8		
MADDEN, Vicki RADFO.....	34	.372	78	8	29	18	6	1	5	7		
LONG-DROPPERT, V. COAST...	40	.361	122	22	44	22	9	2	5	16		
JORDAN, DiAmond BSC.....	37	.336	107	14	36	19	6	1	2	8		
THOMAS, Tessa WINTH.....	37	.333	132	35	44	16	10	0	1	7		
BACKLUND, Kayla BSC.....	29	.333	93	18	31	9	1	3	1	8		
BENNETT, Beth LIBER.....	30	.333	87	4	29	11	7	0	2	8		
HALL, Megan CSUSB.....	30	.326	89	18	29	13	10	0	1	12		
CONWAY, Ashley CSUSB.....	44	.323	124	12	40	23	9	0	3	13		
MUEHLENFELD, Melissa BSC..	41	.303	132	27	40	12	2	1	0	4		
BIRNBAUM, Brittany COAST..	40	.299	107	10	32	17	3	0	0	11		
SHIFFLETT, Kristen RADFO..	36	.299	97	20	29	11	9	2	0	7		
RHODES, Cassie RADFO.....	36	.296	108	28	32	26	3	3	7	6		
REID, Stephanie WINTH.....	37	.283	120	22	34	21	3	1	4	4		
STOKES, Grace BSC.....	41	.280	118	24	33	12	3	2	0	16		
HOGAN, Mallory WINTH.....	37	.275	109	13	30	32	4	0	6	12		

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	Min	1.0 IP/Team game	App	ERA	W-L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
TAYLOR, Ashley RADFO.....	29	1.30	15-6	5	140.1	106	46	26	25	130		
TROTTER, Izzy WINTH.....	19	1.30	1-2	1	37.2	28	8	7	9	23		
REYNOLDS, Bethney BSC....	25	1.49	15-8	1	141.0	99	44	30	29	218		
EVANS, Megan WINTH.....	22	1.50	11-5	1	112.0	78	29	24	31	104		
WHEELER, Dana LIBER.....	16	1.75	4-5	0	76.0	85	30	19	3	83		
MUEHLENFELD, Melissa BSC..	10	1.92	3-4	0	54.2	49	23	15	14	43		
WOOLDRIDGE, Cari WINTH....	20	2.40	10-8	0	99.0	101	49	34	34	76		
ELLIS, Sarah LIBER.....	20	2.48	2-11	1	93.0	77	45	33	60	67		
FREDERICK, Ashley COAST...	26	2.51	8-13	1	134.0	142	80	48	35	90		
WHALLEY, Rebecca RADFO....	20	2.71	9-4	1	80.0	91	42	31	16	57		
PEDERSEN, Ashley COAST....	19	2.72	6-6	1	79.2	78	54	31	28	42		
WELLONS, Jamie CSUSB.....	30	3.61	11-15	0	151.1	167	106	78	56	80		
SMITH, Tiffani LIBER.....	11	3.78	1-6	0	33.1	34	27	18	31	23		
EVANS, Michelle COAST.....	20	3.96	2-5	1	65.1	87	46	37	30	57		
SANTIAGO, Janira BSC.....	13	4.49	6-5	0	73.1	102	51	47	14	27		

HITS	
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	53
KINGSMORE, Lisa WINTH.....	50
CREIGHTON, Lindsay BSC....	49
THOMAS, Tessa WINTH.....	44
LONG-DROPPERT, V. COAST...	44

RUNS SCORED	
THOMAS, Tessa WINTH.....	35
RHODES, Cassie RADFO.....	28
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	28
MUEHLENFELD, Melissa BSC..	27
2 tied with 24 run(s) scored	

RUNS BATTED IN	
HOGAN, Mallory WINTH.....	32
CREIGHTON, Lindsay BSC....	27
CREASY, Hope RADFO.....	27
RHODES, Cassie RADFO.....	26
HIMAN, Sarah RADFO.....	26

DOUBLES	
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	14
CREIGHTON, Lindsay BSC....	13
LAWRENCE, Anne BSC.....	10
THOMAS, Tessa WINTH.....	10
HALL, Megan CSUSB.....	10

TRIPLES	
RHODES, Cassie RADFO.....	3
BACKLUND, Kayla BSC.....	3
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	3
4 tied with 2 triple(s)	

HOME RUNS	
RHODES, Cassie RADFO.....	7
HOGAN, Mallory WINTH.....	6
MADDEN, Vicki RADFO.....	5
LONG-DROPPERT, V. COAST...	5
CREASY, Hope RADFO.....	5

TOTAL BASES	
SHONDEL, Jill CSUSB.....	79
LONG-DROPPERT, V. COAST...	72
CREIGHTON, Lindsay BSC....	67
KINGSMORE, Lisa WINTH.....	63
HIMAN, Sarah RADFO.....	63

STOLEN BASES	SB-ATT
MUEHLENFELD, Melissa BSC..	17-17
WALKER, Laicole COAST.....	14-15
WILLIAMS, Lauren RADFO....	11-13
CARLSON, Ashley RADFO.....	11-13
REID, Stephanie WINTH.....	10-11

STRIKEOUTS	IP	SO
REYNOLDS, Bethney BSC....	141.0	218
TAYLOR, Ashley RADFO.....	140.1	130
EVANS, Megan WINTH.....	112.0	104
FREDERICK, Ashley COAST...	134.0	90
WHEELER, Dana LIBER.....	76.0	83