



# AUBURN UNIVERSITY AT MONTGOMERY BASKETBALL

2023-2024 AUM MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES | 36 POSTSEASON APPEARANCES | 12 NATIONAL TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES | 17 ALL-AMERICANS

**AUBURN MONTGOMERY**  
**7-10**  
OVERALL  
**4-9**  
GSC  
**NR/NR**  
NABC TOP 25 / D2SIDA TOP 25  
**MICHAEL CHEANEY**  
HEAD COACH  
**180-209**  
OVERALL  
**14th**  
SEASON

**AT**

**SHORTER**  
**3-15**  
OVERALL  
**1-13**  
GSC  
**NR/NR**  
NABC TOP 25 / D2SIDA TOP 25  
**WADE ANDERSON**  
HEAD COACH  
**26-147**  
OVERALL  
**7th**  
SEASON

## STARTING LINEUP: WARHAWKS TAME TIGERS TO GET BACK INTO WIN COLUMN

### ➔ GAME INFORMATION:

**GM NO. 18:** Auburn Montgomery at Shorter | **Venue:** Winthrop-King Centre | **City:** Rome, Ga. | **Tipoff:** Saturday, Jan. 27, 4 PM  
**Television:** FloSports **Live Stats:** GoShorterHawks.com | **Social Media:** @AUMWarhawksMBB

### ➔ WARHAWKS FALL AT ALABAMA HUNTSVILLE:

After a sluggish first half, the Auburn University at Montgomery men's basketball team outscored the University of West Alabama 42-21 in the second half en route to a 69-58 win in the Gulf South Conference play. The Warhawks, who did not lead in the first half, shot 34 percent from the field in the opening 20 minutes before shooting a 56-percent clip in the second half. AUM also forced 11 second-half turnovers. Malachi Rhodes led all scorers with 18 points, while Travis Anderson contributed 17. Jalil Robinson (10) rounded out AUM's double-figure scorers.

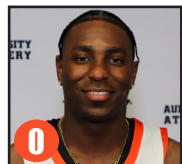
### ➔ CLEANING UP THE BOARDS:

A season removed from averaging 37.0 rebounds per game to lead the Gulf South Conference, AUM is ranked fourth in the league in rebounds per game (36.6) through 17 contests this season. The Warhawks rank 10th in the league thus far in defensive rebounds per game (23.1), but are the No. 2 offensive rebounding team in the conference at 13.6 per game. Malachi Rhodes leads the way with 6.9 rebounds per game, good for sixth in the GSC, Jalen Gaston and Deven Tucker are tied for second on the team at 4.8 rebounds per game.

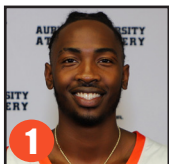
### ➔ SCOUTING THE HAWKS:

The Shorter Hawks are led offensively by Gary Clay Jr.'s 13.8 points per game. Shorter features two other players averaging in double figures for the year, as Landon Tillman (11.8 points) and Ricky Knight Jr. (10.9 points) join Clay Jr. to bolster the offense. Chris Cole leads the Hawks with 4.6 rebounds per game, while Knight Jr. also averages 4.1 boards a night. Tillman also leads the club with 2.9 assists per game and 1.3 assists per game. Shorter ranks sixth in the Gulf South Conference in field goal percentage at 45.3 percent and rank fifth in three-point field goal percentage (36.1 percent). Shorter also leads the league in made free throws (297) and free throw percentage (79.8 percent).

## PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP:



**JALEN GASTON**  
Sr. • G • 6-2 • 175



**DEVEN TUCKER**  
Sr. • F • 6-5 • 190



**MALACHI RHODES**  
Sr. • F • 6-8 • 235



**JALIL ROBINSON**  
Jr. • G • 5-10 • 160



**JELAL WILLIAMS**  
R-Sr. • F • 6-9 • 185

## ▶ 2023-2024 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

OVERALL RECORD:	7-10
GSC:	4-9
NON-CONFERENCE:	3-1
HOME   AWAY   NEUTRAL:	4-4   3-6   0-0

### NOVEMBER (2-4)

1	at Auburn (Exhibition)	L, 102-66
10	at Saint Leo Univ.*	W, 77-74
11	at RV Florida Southern College*	W, 68-65
21	at Spring Hill College	L, 99-89
25	at #6/#22 Univ. of West Georgia*	L, 76-55
27	Univ. of Alabama in Huntsville*	L, 84-75
30	at RV Univ. of West Alabama*	L, 87-65

### DECEMBER (3-3)

3	Shorter Univ.*	W, 71-62
8	at Delta State Univ.*	L, 72-60
10	at Mississippi College*	L, 65-61
15	Lee (Tenn.) Univ.*	L, 83-73
19	Georgia College	W, 80-56
31	Christian Brothers Univ.*	W, 89-80

### JANUARY (2-3)

2	Union (Tenn.) Univ.*	L, 90-84
6	at Valdosta State Univ.*	W, 88-76
13	Univ. of Montevallo*	L, 86-78
22	at RV Univ. of Alabama in Huntsville*	L, 96-83
24	Univ. of West Alabama*	W, 69-58
27	at Shorter Univ.*	3 PM

### FEBRUARY (0-0)

1	Mississippi College*	7:30 PM
3	Delta State Univ.*	4 PM
7	at Lee (Tenn.) Univ.*	6:30 PM
10	Univ. of West Georgia*	4 PM
8	at University of West Florida*	7:30 PM
15	at Union (Tenn.) Univ.*	7:30 PM
17	at Christian Brothers Univ.*	3 PM
22	Univ. of West Florida*	7:30 PM
24	Valdosta State Univ.*	4 PM

### MARCH (0-0)

2	at Univ. of Montevallo*	4 PM
5	GSC Super Tuesday!	TBA
9 & 10	GSC Final Four!	TBA
15-19	NCAA South Regional*	TBA
26-30	NCAA Elite Eight*	TBA
30	NCAA National Championship	TBA

\* GSC Games | \* GSC/GSC Crossover Challenge

1 - GSC Semifinals & Finals Played at Pete Hanna Center in Birmingham, Ala.

\* NCAA South Regional Games Played at Host Campus Site TBA | \* NCAA Elite Eight Games Played at TBA

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## NEWS & NOTES:

### ➔ RETURNING WARHAWKS:

The Warhawks return nine players from last season's squad that went 15-14 and 13-11 in the GSC. AUM finished the season sixth in the Gulf South Conference standings, which earned them the highest conference tournament seed (No. 6) in the program's NCAA Division II history. While two of AUM's leading scorers from last season (James Graham and Roderick Smith) are now playing professionally overseas, the Warhawks return Jalen Gaston, Deven Tucker, Sam Youngblood, Travis Anderson, JaQuan Tyus, Zameron Boozer, Jelal Williams, and Gilbert Croley from last season's squad. Anderson returns as AUM's leading scorer from last season at 14.1 points per game. He also led the team in assists (4.0 per game). Gaston was the squad's third-leading scorer at 13.0 points per game and was also the team's third-leading rebounder (5.0 per game) last season. Joe Lanzi also averaged double figures at 11.4 points per game.

### ➔ ANDERSON NAMED PRESEASON ALL-GSC:

Auburn University at Montgomery guard Travis Anderson was named to the Preseason All-GSC team at the start of the season. Anderson, a senior from Atlanta, Ga., led the Warhawks in scoring at 14.1 points per game last year. He also led the team in three-pointers made (59), free throw percentage (85.1 percent), assists (4.0 per game), and minutes (35.1). Anderson also ranked 15th in the GSC in scoring, fourth in assists, 10th in assist-to-turnover ratio, third in free throw percentage, and sixth in minutes per game.

### ➔ GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE PRESEASON POLL:

AUM was picked to finish 6th in this season's preseason coaches' poll. The University of Alabama in Huntsville was picked to win the league, and the defending GSC tournament champion the University of West Alabama was picked second. The University of West Georgia (third), Valdosta State University (fourth), and Lee University (fifth), sit just ahead of the Warhawks in the poll.

### ➔ CHEANEY TALLIES 100TH AUM VICTORY:

Head coach Michael Cheaney secured his 100th career victory leading the Auburn Montgomery men's basketball program with a Warhawk win over West Florida last season on Feb. 16 last season. Cheaney enters his 10th season at the helm of AUM. Last season, he helped lead the black and orange to 15 wins, the second-highest win total for the program since a 17-win 2015-16 season.

### ➔ INSTANT IMPACT:

A season removed from getting 49 percent of its scoring from newcomers, AUM has seen newcomers account for 41.7 percent of the team's points thus far. Jalil Robinson leads the way for the newcomers at 12.8 points per game, with 3.7 rebounds, 3.2 assists, and 1.7 steals per contest. Forward Malachi Rhodes, a transfer from McNeese State, adds 12.9 points per game and 6.9 rebounds per game for the black and orange. Chappelle Whitney, a freshman from Warren Central High School in Bowling Green, Kentucky, is averaging 5.3 points and 2.8 rebounds as well for the Warhawks.

### ➔ SWIPING THE BASKETBALL:

The Warhawks rank second in the GSC in steals (164) and rank second in the league in steals per game (9.7) to open the year. Jalil Robinson leads the way at 1.7 per game (29), which ranks fifth in the GSC. Deven Tucker's 1.6 steals per game (27) rank sixth in the league, and Jalen Gaston's 1.4 a game (20) ranks 10th in the GSC. Malachi Rhodes (22), Jelal Williams (13), Travis Anderson (13) and Gilbert Croley (12) all rank top seven on the team in total steals. Joseph Lanzi (10), Chappelle Whitney (9), Sam Youngblood (5), Zameron Boozer (3), and Ja'Quan Tyus (1) have also recorded steals.

### ➔ THE MICHAEL CHEANEY FILE:

The Warhawks' head men's basketball coach, Michael Cheaney, enters his 10th season at the helm of Auburn Montgomery and 14th overall as a collegiate head coach. Cheaney, a coaching veteran with more than 20 years of experience at the NCAA Division I, II, III and NAIA levels, took over the helm of AUM after spending four seasons as head coach at Voorhees College in Denmark, S.C.



Last season, AUM posted a record of 15-14 and went 13-11 in league play to earn the school's highest conference tournament seed (No. 6) in the program's NCAA Division II history. James Graham and Roderick Smith, the leading scorers a season ago for the Warhawks, both signed professional contracts to continue their careers overseas.

The 2021-2022 season was highlighted by senior guard Isaiah Hart being named Second Team All-GSC. Hart finished third in the conference in points per game (18.2) and led the GSC with 114 assists. Senior guard Jeremiah Bozeman was named to the GSC All-Academic Team and the CoSIDA Academic All-District Team for his efforts both on the court and in the classroom. The Warhawks led all of NCAA Division II with 174 total blocked shots and 6.2 blocks per game. Junior forward James Graham led the GSC with 58 blocks while Roderick Smith ranked second with 42 and Jelal Williams ranked fifth with 30. Hart took home GSC player of the week honors twice while Bozeman and Graham were also named conference player of the week in 2021-22.

Prior to joining the coaching ranks, Cheaney was a standout student-athlete at Kentucky Wesleyan University. During his playing career, Cheaney earned the Senior Award as the Panthers' outstanding athlete and set the school record for field goal percentage, which he still owns today. He was also named the team's Most Improved Player. He still owns that Cheaney earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Kentucky Wesleyan in 1996. He went on to earn a master's in sports management from Indiana State University.



## ▶ HOW THEY COMPARE

	TALE OF THE TEAMS CATEGORY	
74.4	POINTS PER GAME	74.7
44.1	FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	45.3
35.7	3-PT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	36.1
70.7	FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	79.8
36.6	REBOUNDS PER GAME	28.7
13.2	ASSISTS PER GAME	12.2
16.4	TURNOVERS PER GAME	14.2
0.3	TURNOVER MARGIN	-2.8
0.8	ASSIST-TURNOVER RATIO	0.9
19.0	POINTS OFF TURNOVERS	12.4
9.7	STEALS PER GAME	5.7
3.1	BLOCKS PER GAME	0.9

## ▶ ALL-TIME SERIES HISTORY

DATE	SCORE	H/A/N
11.18.1977	W, 73-64	H
1.22.2000	W, 81-62	H
2.26.2000	W, 85-79	A
1.20.2001	L, 93-86	A
2.17.2001	W, 87-73	H
1.24.2002	W, 72-66	H
2.21.2002	W, 66-47	A
1.30.2003	W, 98-94 (OT)	A
2.24.2003	W, 73-71	H
1.17.2004	L, 81-59	A
2.19.2004	W, 88-62	H
2.12.2005	W, 72-61	A
2.19.2005	W, 93-76	H
11.19.2005	W, 84-74	H
1.21.2006	W, 72-59	A
1.13.2007	W, 77-76 (OT)	H
2.24.2007	W, 71-58	A
12.1.2007	W, 72-56	H
2.2.2008	W, 61-54	A
11.22.2008	L, 77-61	A
1.31.2009	W, 77-52	H
1.11.2010	W, 58-52	H
2.4.2010	W, 79-72 (OT)	A
3.4.2010	W, 62-59	H
11.19.2011	L, 65-49	A
12.2.2017	W, 66-61	A
1.12.2019	W, 87-69	A
2.23.2019	W, 79-63	H
1.12.2020	W, 99-90	H
2.13.2020	W, 99-91	A
2.9.2021	L, 66-61	A
2.22.2022	W, 79-75	A
11.28.2022	W, 74-58	A
1.21.2023	W, 94-86	H
12.3.2023	W, 71-62	H

Overall Series Record: **AUM leads 30-5**

Series Streak: **AUM W4**

AUM Home Record: **16-0**

AUM Road Record: **14-5**

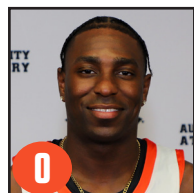
AUM Neutral Site Record: **0-0**

AUM OT Record: **3-0**

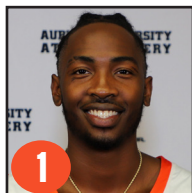


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**0**  
**JALEN GASTON**  
Sr. • G • 6-2 • 175



**1**  
**DEVEN TUCKER**  
Sr. • F • 6-7 • 215



**2**  
**SAM YOUNGBLOOD**  
Sr. • G • 6-4 • 200



**3**  
**TRAVIS ANDERSON**  
Sr. • G • 6-0 • 175



**4**  
**PAUL LANZI**  
Fr. • G • 6-4 • 175



**5**  
**JOSEPH LANZI**  
Sr. • G • 6-5 • 185



**10**  
**MALACHI RHODES**  
Sr. • G • 6-2 • 220



**11**  
**JALIL ROBINSON**  
Jr. • G • 5-10 • 160



**14**  
**JAQUAN TYUS**  
Sr. • F • 6-6 • 225



**15**  
**ZAMERON BOOZER**  
Sr. • F • 6-8 • 240



**20**  
**JELAL WILLIAMS**  
R-Sr. • F • 6-9 • 185



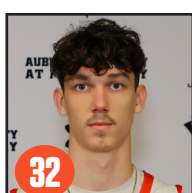
**21**  
**GILBERT CROLEY**  
Jr. • G • 6-3 • 190



**22**  
**CHAPPELLE WHITNEY**  
Jf. • F • 6-4 • 205



**25**  
**JAMARIOUS MARTIN**  
Fr. • G • 5-10 • 155



**32**  
**COLBY WILLIAMS**  
Fr. • F • 6-7 • 185



**HC**  
**MICHAEL CHEANEY**  
Head Coach



**AC**  
**BAILEY MCEWEN**  
Assistant Coach



**AT**  
**BRIELLE RINGLE**  
Athletic Training

## QUICK FACTS • INFORMATION

Location	Montgomery, Ala., 36124
Founded	1967
Enrollment	5,211
Nickname	Warhawks
Colors	Orange and Black
National Affiliation	NCAA Division II
Conference	Gulf South Conference
President	Dr. Carl Stockton
Athletic Director	Erik Maas
Senior Women's Administrator	Amber Rae Childers
FAR:	Dr. Courtney Waid
Stadium (Capacity)	AUM Athletics Complex (2,650)

## COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Michael Cheaney
Alma Mater/Yr	Kentucky Wesleyan/1996
Record at AUM/Yrs	108-154/10th
Overall Record/Yrs	180-209/14th
Assistant Coach	Bailey McEwen/5th
Alma Mater/Yr	Southern Indiana/2017

## TEAM INFORMATION

2022-23 Record	15-14
Gulf South Conference Record	13-12
GSC Tournament	6th Seed
Final 2021-22 National Ranking	NR
Starters Returning/Lost (2021-22)	3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost (2021-22)	9/4

## BASKETBALL HISTORY

First Year of Basketball	1975
All-time Record:	814-632
All-time GSC Record:	48-86
NCAA Appearances/Record	N/A
Last Appearance	N/A
Place:	N/A
Result:	N/A
Location:	N/A

## EXTERNAL RELATIONS | ATHLETIC COMMUNICATIONS

The Auburn University at Montgomery **Sports Information Office** provides public relations to members of the media. Game day services include statistics, photography (when available), video clips (when available), and post-game access to coaches and student-athletes. The Sports Information office is located on the first floor of the AUM Athletics Complex in office suite 104.

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## 2023-2024 AUBURN UNIVERSITY AT MONTGOMERY NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CLASS	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Jalen Gaston	G	6-2	175	Sr.	Montgomery, Ala. / Enterprise State CC
1	Deven Tucker	F	6-5	190	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala. / Helena HS
2	Sam Youngblood	G	6-4	195	So.	McCalla, Ala. / McAdory HS
3	Travis Anderson	G	6-0	175	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Charleston Southern
4	Paul Lanzi	G	6-4	175	Fr.	Chelsea, Ala. / Chelsea HS
5	Joseph Lanzi	G	6-5	185	Gr.	Chelsea, Ala. / Univ. of Charleston
10	Malachi Rhodes	F	6-8	235	Sr.	McDonough, Ga. / McNeese State
11	Jalil Robinson	G	5-10	160	Jr.	Tusculumbia, Ala. / Wallace State CC
14	JaQuan Tyus	F	6-6	225	Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Shawnee CC
15	Zameron Boozer	F	6-8	240	Sr.	Lanett, Ala. / Jacksonville Univ.
20	Jelal Williams	F	6-9	185	R-Sr.	Dallas, Ga. / UNC Pembroke
21	Gilbert Croley	G	6-3	170	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. / East Coweta HS
22	Chappelle Whitney	F	6-4	205	Fr.	Bowling Green, Ky. / Warren Central HS
25	Jamarious Martin	G	5-10	155	Fr.	Valley, Ala. / Valley HS
32	Colby Williams	F	6-7	185	Fr.	Lawrenceville, Ga. / Discovery HS

**Head Coach:** Michael Cheaney (14th season - 10th at AUM)

**Assistant Coach:** Bailey McEwen (5th)

**Athletic Training:** Brielle Ringle (5th)

**Sports Information:** Cody Clark (4th - 2nd at AUM)





## GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
WEST GEORGIA	12-2	.857	16-2	.889	10-0	4-2	2-0	W7
ALABAMA HUNTSVILLE	11-3	.786	13-5	.722	7-3	6-1	0-1	W2
LEE	9-5	.643	12-5	.706	7-3	5-2	0-0	W3
WEST ALABAMA	9-5	.643	12-6	.667	8-0	3-6	1-0	L2
DELTA STATE	8-5	.615	10-7	.588	7-1	3-6	0-0	W2
MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	7-5	.583	8-8	.500	5-2	2-6	1-0	W1
UNION	7-7	.500	10-8	.556	4-5	4-3	2-0	L2
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	7-7	.500	9-8	.529	4-3	5-5	0-0	L2
MONTEVALLO	6-9	.400	7-12	.368	5-4	2-7	0-1	L2
<b>AUBURN MONTGOMERY</b>	<b>4-9</b>	<b>.308</b>	<b>7-10</b>	<b>.412</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>3-6</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>W1</b>
WEST FLORIDA	4-9	.308	6-11	.353	4-3	1-8	1-0	W1
VALDOSTA STATE	4-10	.286	7-11	.389	5-4	1-7	1-0	L1
SHORTER	1-13	.071	3-15	.167	3-8	0-7	0-0	L13

## GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE WEEKLY HONORS

### PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Nov. 14	Zawdie Jackson, West Georgia
Nov. 21	Zawdie Jackson, West Georgia
Nov. 28	Beyuan Hendricks, Lee
Dec. 5	Braxton Williams, Valdosta State
Dec. 12	Camron Donatlon, West Georgia
Dec. 21	Beyuan Hendricks, Lee
Jan. 3	Tommy Murr, Alabama Huntsville
Jan. 9	Rashad Bolden, Mississippi College
Jan. 16	Camron Donatlon, West Georgia
Jan. 23	Beyuan Hendricks, Lee
Jan. 30	
Feb. 6	
Feb. 13	
Feb. 20	
Feb. 27	

### FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Nov. 14	Jordan Pyke, Union
Nov. 21	Jamarcus Wilkins, Lee
Nov. 28	Parker Applegate, Union
Dec. 5	Jordan Pyke, Union
Dec. 12	Willie Walton, Lee
Dec. 21	Jordan Pyke, Union
Jan. 3	Devaki Garr, Union
Jan. 9	Jordan Pyke, Union
Jan. 16	Jordan Pyke, Union
Jan. 23	Brandon Fussell, Montevallo
Jan. 30	
Feb. 6	
Feb. 13	
Feb. 20	
Feb. 27	

## NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BASKETBALL COACHES TOP 25 POLL | JAN. 21, 2023

RNK	SCHOOL	RECORD	POINTS	PREV
1	WEST TEXAS A&M (12)	16-1	391	2
2	SAINT MARTIN'S, WASH.	16-1	362	3
3	MSU MOORHEAD, MINN. (2)	17-1	361	5
4	DBU, TEXAS	15-1	355	4
5	MINNESOTA STATE (2)	17-1	349	1
6	NOVA SOUTHEASTERN, FLA.	14-2	329	7
7	COLORADO MESA	15-2	306	8
8	FORT LEWIS, COLO.	15-2	272	12
9	WEST GEORGIA	15-2	237	13
10	NORTH GEORGIA	14-2	213	6
11	LANDER, S.C.	14-2	206	17
12	GANNON, PA.	15-2	204	15
13	FERRIS STATE, MICH.	15-3	179	14
14	COLORADO SCHOOL OF MINES	16-3	168	16
15	BENEDICT, S.C.	14-2	166	9
16	MINOT STATE, N.D.	15-3	153	21
17	CALIFORNIA, PA.	14-2	145	18
18	USC AIKEN, S.C.	14-2	128	22
19	EAST STROUDSBURG, PA.	14-2	122	11
20	WEST LIBERTY, W.VA.	13-3	117	20
21	NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE	13-4	95	24
22	MISSOURI WESTERN	14-3	85	25
23	CHARLESTON, W.VA.	13-2	49	NR
24	CHICO STATE, CALIF.	12-4	39	10
25	CAL STATE LA	14-3	34	NR

**OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES:** WINGATE (N.C.) 21, CAL STATE SAN BERNARDINO 16, WALSH (OHIO) 15, MINNESOTA DULUTH 14, FORT HAYS STATE (KAN.) 12, CAL STATE DOMINGUEZ HILLS 10, WASHBURN (KAN.) 10, INDIANAPOLIS (IND.) 8, LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN (TEXAS) 7, ST. THOMAS AQUINAS (N.Y.) 7, FLORIDA SOUTHERN 5, UNC PEMBROKE (N.C.) 4, POST (CONN.) 2, CONCORD (W.VA.) 1, LINCOLN MEMORIAL (TENN.) 1.

## WARHAWKS BY THE NUMBERS

**814**

wins that the AUM Warhawks men's basketball program has amassed since its debut season in 1975-1976. AUM has posted an all-time record of 814-632, which translates to a .560 winning percentage. AUM reached the 800-win mark as a program on Saturday, Jan. 14 in an 83-78 win over the University of Alabama in Huntsville.

**36.6**

rebounds per game that the Warhawks average this year. AUM ranked first in the GSC in per-game rebounding last season. They owned the top defensive rebounding mark and the second-best offensive-rebounding mark.

**36**

postseason appearances for the men's basketball program all-time between the NAIA and NCAA ranks. Last season, the Warhawks earned their second berth into the GSC tournament ever, with their highest seed ever (6-seed). The Warhawks put together 34 total conference, regional, and national tourney appearances as an NAIA institution.

**14.3**

points per game averaged this season by senior guard Jalen Gaston, which ranks first on the team. The 6-foot-2 guard leads the team in scoring at 14.3 points per game, and has been in double figures in 12 of his 15 games this year. Gaston adds 4.8 rebounds, 2.9 assists, and 1.3 steals per game this year for the Warhawks.

**6.9**

rebounds per game from newcomer Malachi Rhodes, which tops the team. The 6-foot-8 forward, a McNeese State transfer, ranks fourth in the GSC in rebounds per game. Rhodes also ranks fifth in the league with 44 offensive rebounds. Additionally, the McDonough, Ga. native ranks second in the GSC offensive rebounds per contest at 2.9.

**4.7**

blocks per game AUM averaged last season, which led the GSC. The black and orange led all of NCAA Division II in blocks with 6.2 blocks per game in 28 games played in the 2021-2022 campaign.





## GAME-BY-GAME TEAM COMPARISONS

Opponent	W/L	FGM-FGA	PCT.	3PM-3PA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	OReb	DReb	TotReb	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	1stH	2ndH	OT	PTS
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	27-57	47.4%	2-11	18.2%	21-26	80.8%	8	17	25	22	5	11	2	13	40	37	-	77
at Saint Leo		26-48	54.2%	4-17	23.5%	18-25	72%	8	25	33	17	10	23	1	5	33	41	-	74
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	27-72	37.5%	8-13	61.5%	6-12	50%	25	27	52	13	15	23	2	8	35	33	-	68
at Florida Southern		24-60	40%	7-22	31.8%	10-12	83.3%	9	23	32	11	14	18	9	13	40	25	-	65
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	29-66	43.9%	4-14	28.6%	27-35	77.1%	21	17	38	34	9	18	1	11	38	51	-	89
at Spring Hill		24-45	53.3%	10-21	47.6%	41-50	82%	7	19	26	22	15	21	7	7	43	56	-	99
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	22-66	33.3%	1-11	9.1%	10-14	71.4%	14	23	37	15	9	16	3	11	24	31	-	55
at #22/#6 West Georgia*		28-64	43.8%	7-21	33.3%	13-16	81.3%	14	32	46	12	12	16	5	11	36	40	-	76
Alabama Huntsville*		28-60	46.7%	16-39	41%	12-14	85.7%	11	24	35	10	20	17	2	12	37	47	-	84
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	29-62	46.8%	11-30	36.7%	6-8	75%	7	21	28	16	16	14	3	11	38	37	-	75
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	25-60	41.7%	5-17	29.4%	10-20	50%	17	20	37	32	11	18	1	5	29	36	-	65
at RV West Alabama*		26-61	42.6%	10-23	43.5%	25-32	78.1%	19	24	43	17	16	14	1	7	44	43	-	87
Shorter*		21-57	36.8%	7-27	25.9%	13-17	76.5%	6	18	24	13	13	11	2	10	23	39	-	62
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	29-55	52.7%	4-15	26.7%	9-14	64.3%	11	31	42	19	15	18	2	5	39	32	-	71
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	25-59	42.4%	6-20	30%	4-9	44.4%	9	29	38	15	11	21	4	13	17	43	-	60
at Delta State*		23-61	37.7%	12-35	34.3%	14-18	77.8%	7	18	25	14	11	16	5	13	35	37	-	72
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	19-52	36.5%	4-15	26.7%	19-23	82.6%	10	24	34	17	11	14	4	10	23	38	-	61
at Mississippi College*		21-52	40.4%	7-20	35%	16-20	80%	10	27	37	14	12	15	4	3	30	35	-	65
Lee (Tenn.)*		20-51	39.2%	9-27	33.3%	34-46	73.9%	15	23	38	12	15	17	4	6	45	38	-	83
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	29-60	48.3%	7-17	41.2%	8-15	53.3%	11	22	33	27	17	19	4	11	35	38	-	73
Georgia College		22-62	35.5%	1-22	4.5%	11-18	61.1%	13	24	37	9	3	18	3	8	22	34	-	56
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	33-73	45.2%	8-22	36.4%	6-10	60%	15	32	47	19	15	15	4	12	34	46	-	80
Christian Brothers*		25-62	40.3%	5-26	19.2%	25-27	92.6%	16	22	38	13	12	15	4	10	53	27	-	80
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	34-65	52.3%	12-27	44.4%	9-9	100%	9	23	32	17	21	12	6	10	47	42	-	89
Union (Tenn.)*		29-58	50%	8-26	30.8%	24-34	70.6%	13	34	47	19	14	23	2	6	35	55	-	90
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	31-82	37.8%	7-24	29.2%	15-19	78.9%	19	22	41	24	15	12	1	17	32	52	-	84
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	33-65	50.8%	13-24	54.2%	9-11	82%	14	17	31	27	18	18	6	10	42	46	-	88
at Valdosta State*		23-62	37.1%	4-17	23.5%	26-36	72.2%	1	-15	31	12	11	16	1	8	29	47	-	76
Montevallo*		28-57	49.1%	14-31	45.2%	16-23	69.6%	9	22	31	13	18	12	2	9	43	43	-	86
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	28-65	43.1%	11-38	28.9%	11-17	64.7%	17	24	41	18	13	16	2	4	31	47	-	78
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	L	28-58	48.3%	13-30	43.3%	14-19	73.7%	10	20	30	21	13	18	2	7	32	51	-	83
at NR/RV Alabama Huntsville*		30-59	50.8%	13-36	36.1%	23-27	85.2%	12	24	36	18	20	14	3	9	52	44	-	96
West Alabama*		22-53	41.5%	5-20	25%	9-13	69.2%	11	19	30	15	8	18	1	7	37	21	-	58
AUBURN MONTGOMERY	W	24-54	44.4%	7-17	41.2%	14-19	73.7%	14	23	37	17	11	15	6	6	27	42	-	69
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## WARHAWKS POINTS-REBOUNDS-ASSISTS

	#0	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#10	#11	#14	#15	#20	#21	#22	#25	#32
OPPONENT	GASTON	TUCKER	YOUNGBLOOD	ANDERSON	P. LANZI	J. LANZI	RHODES	ROBINSON	TYUS	BOOZER	WILLIAMS	CROLEY	WHITNEY	MARTIN	WILLIAMS
at Saint Leo	19-5-1	4-2-1	-	-	-	-	10-4-0	22-2-1	-	4-4-0	5-2-0	7-4-1	6-1-1	-	-
at RV Florida Southern	15-5-4	10-10-0	-	-	0-0-0	-	6-12-2	13-3-4	0-0-0	-	0-2-0	11-8-5	13-5-0	-	-
at Spring Hill	13-6-4	15-3-2	-	-	0-0-0	-	15-12-1	17-2-1	1-1-0	6-1-0	2-3-1	7-1-0	13-4-0	0-0-0	0-1-0
at #22/#6 West Georgia*	3-9-3	4-2-1	-	3-3-0	-	-	15-6-0	15-2-3	2-2-1	4-1-0	5-4-1	4-3-0	0-1-0	-	-
Ala.-Huntsville*	35-5-4	6-7-0	-	5-1-3	-	-	6-2-1	11-4-3	-	2-3-0	4-3-0	6-3-5	0-0-0	-	-
at RV West Alabama*	5-2-2	2-1-0	-	3-1-2	6-0-0	-	8-4-0	15-4-2	2-1-0	5-8-0	7-8-3	3-2-0	9-2-1	-	-
Shorter*	-	10-8-0	-	-	3-0-0	-	17-3-1	23-6-8	-	-	1-3-0	4-4-1	13-13-4	0-0-1	0-1-0
at Delta State*	-	2-7-0	-	-	-	7-4-1	12-8-1	23-2-4	-	-	6-4-0	0-5-2	10-8-3	-	-
at Miss. College*	16-3-3	4-4-0	-	-	-	10-2-2	15-10-0	5-2-3	-	-	7-6-1	4-2-1	0-1-1	-	-
Lee*	11-2-3	7-7-2	15-3-0	17-2-3	0-1-0	2-1-0	12-4-4	7-3-4	-	-	2-6-1	-	0-1-0	-	-
RV Georgia College	11-6-3	3-6-2	13-3-2	12-5-1	2-0-0	4-2-2	22-9-0	4-4-4	-	3-2-0	2-5-1	4-1-0	0-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Christian Brothers*	16-5-6	10-4-0	3-2-0	5-3-4	-	20-4-4	17-7-3	12-3-4	2-0-0	-	2-1-0	2-0-0	-	-	-
Union*	15-8-2	1-2-1	4-2-3	21-2-2	-	10-3-2	12-9-0	12-9-4	-	-	0-5-0	-	9-0-1	-	-
at Valdosta State*	16-6-2	0-5-2	5-1-0	26-6-5	-	13-4-3	8-4-0	10-0-4	-	-	4-4-1	-	6-1-1	-	-
Montevallo*	14-1-3	2-3-0	10-1-1	18-2-3	-	4-5-3	18-14-1	12-6-2	-	-	0-2-0	0-2-0	0-2-0	-	-
at Ala.-Huntsville*	18-4-3	2-5-0	8-3-1	17-1-2	-	18-1-5	8-2-0	7-5-1	-	0-0-0	-	4-0-1	0-2-0	-	1-2-0
West Alabama*	7-5-0	2-5-1	3-2-1	17-2-2	-	2-2-2	18-7-2	10-6-2	-	2-1-0	-	8-2-1	-	-	-
at Shorter*															
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Valdosta State*															
at Montevallo*															

## WARHAWKS GAME-HIGHS

Opponent	Pts	Rebs	Asts	Stls	Blks
at Saint Leo	Robinson (22)	Gaston (5)	Five w/ 1	Two w/ 4	Two w/ 1
at RV Florida Southern	Gaston (15)	Rhodes (12)	Croley (5)	Four w/ 2	Two w/ 1
at Spring Hill	Robinson (17)	Rhodes (12)	Gaston (4)	Tucker (4)	Robinson (1)
at #22/#6 West Ga.*	Two w/ 15	Gaston (9)	Two w/ 3	Tucker (3)	Three w/ 1
Ala.-Huntsville*	Gaston (35)	Tucker (7)	Croley (5)	Tucker (3)	J. Williams (2)
at RV West Alabama*	Robinson (15)	Two w/ 8	J. Williams (3)	Robinson (3)	Whitney (1)
Shorter*	Robinson (23)	Whitney (13)	Robinson (8)	Tucker (2)	Two w/ 1
at Delta State*	Robinson (23)	Two w/ 8	Robinson (4)	Lanzi (3)	J. Williams (3)
at Miss. College*	Gaston (16)	Rhodes (10)	Two w/ 3	Two w/ 3	Rhodes (2)
Lee*	Anderson (17)	Tucker (7)	Rhodes (4)	Gaston (3)	Rhodes (3)
RV Georgia College	Rhodes (22)	Rhodes (9)	Robinson (4)	Rhodes (4)	J. Williams (4)
Christian Brothers*	J. Lanzi (20)	Rhodes (7)	Gaston (6)	Four w/ 2	Two w/ 1
Union*	Anderson (21)	Two w/ 9	Robinson (4)	Anderson (5)	Tucker (1)
at Valdosta State*	Anderson (26)	Two w/ 6	Anderson (5)	J. Lanzi (3)	Rhodes (4)
Montevallo*	Two w/ 18	Rhodes (14)	Three w/ 3	Robinson (2)	Two w/ 1
at RV Ala.-Huntsville*	Two w/ 18	Three w/ 5	J. Lanzi (5)	Two w/ 2	Two w/ 1
West Alabama*					
at Shorter*					
Miss. College*					
Delta State*					
at Lee*					
West Georgia*					
at West Florida*					
at Union*					
at Christian Brothers*					
West Florida*					
Valdosta State*					
at Montevallo*					

## WARHAWKS STARTING LINEUPS

Opponent	G	G	G	F	F
at Saint Leo	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
at RV Florida Southern	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
at Spring Hill	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
at #22/#6 West Ga.*	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
Ala.-Huntsville*	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
at RV West Alabama*	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
Shorter*	Robinson	Gaston	Croley	Tucker	Rhodes
at Delta State*	Robinson	Croley	Whitney	Tucker	Rhodes
at Miss. College*	Robinson	Croley	Whitney	Tucker	Rhodes
Lee*	Robinson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Rhodes	J. Williams
RV Georgia College	Robinson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Rhodes	J. Williams
Christian Brothers*	Robinson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Rhodes	J. Williams
Union*	Robinson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Rhodes	J. Williams
at Valdosta State*	Anderson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Tucker	J. Williams
Montevallo*	Anderson	Gaston	J. Lanzi	Tucker	J. Williams
at Ala.-Huntsville*	Anderson	Youngblood	J. Lanzi	Tucker	Rhodes
West Alabama*	Anderson	Youngblood	J. Lanzi	Tucker	Rhodes
at Shorter*					
Miss. College*					
Delta State*					
at Lee*					
West Georgia*					
at West Florida*					
at Union*					
at Christian Brothers*					
West Florida*					
Valdosta State*					
at Montevallo*					



## RECORD VERSUS ALL OPPONENTS

### GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE SCHOOLS:

Alabama Huntsville	21-24
Christian Brothers	6-3
Delta State	5-9
Lee (Tenn.)	10-21
Mississippi College	6-5
Montevallo (Ala.)	35-32
Shorter	30-5
Union (Tenn.)	3-10
Valdosta State	5-15
West Alabama	4-15
West Georgia	1-12
West Florida	11-11

### ALABAMA SCHOOLS:

Alabama Birmingham	0-1
Alabama State	8-27
Athens State (Ala.)	33-34
Birmingham Southern	20-34
Concordia (Ala.)	9-1
Faulkner	44-33
Huntingdon	11-5
Jacksonville State	2-8
Miles (Ala.)	3-1
Mobile (Ala.)	20-14
Samford	0-3
Selma	28-3
South Alabama	0-2
Spring Hill	28-23
Stillman College	6-0
Talladega	51-8
Troy	4-7
Tuskegee	11-4

### OTHER OPPONENTS:

Albany State	0-2
Allen	1-0
Anderson	2-0
Arkansas-Monticello	0-1
Armstrong Atlantic State	0-1
Azusa Pacific	0-2
Baptist Christian	1-0
Barber-Scotia	1-1
Belhaven	9-12
Benedict College	0-1
Berry	8-5
Bethel (Tenn.)	1-1
Blue Mountain	3-0
Brevard	1-0
Brewton-Parker	30-6
Campbellsville	1-0
Carson Newman	0-1
Cedarville	1-0
Christian Heritage	1-0
Clafflin	3-3
Clark-Atlanta	0-2
Coastal Georgia	5-2
College of Charleston	3-2
Columbus State	3-2

Crichton	0-1
Cumberland	9-8
Dalton State	2-4
Daniel Payne	4-0
DeVry Institute	1-0
Dillard	22-9
Earl Paulk	3-0
Edward Waters	1-0
Embry-Riddle	2-2
Emmanuel	20-12
Eureka	1-0
Findlay	0-1
Flagler	0-1
Florida International	1-0
Florida Memorial	2-0
Florida Southern	1-0
Florida Tech	3-0
Fort Hays State	1-0
Fort Valley State	1-0
Francis Marion	0-1
Freed-Hardeman	0-4
Georgia College	3-1
Georgia Southwestern	16-20
Georgetown (Ky.)	0-1
Grace	1-0
Grand Canyon	0-1
Hastings	0-1
Hawaii Pacific	1-0
High Point	1-0
Indiana State	1-0
Jarvis Christian	1-0
Johnson C. Smith	2-0
Kansas State	0-1
Kearney State	0-1
Kennesaw State	1-0
Kentucky State	0-1
Kentucky Wesleyan	2-1
LaGrange	21-6
Lambuth	1-2
Lander	1-0
Lees-McRae	1-0
Life	1-15
Limestone	3-0
Lipscomb	0-1
Loyola-New Orleans	4-6
LSU-Shreveport	1-1
Martin Methodist	1-8
Middle Georgia State	3-4
Mohawk	1-0
Morris Brown	1-1
North Alabama	4-5
North Georgia	13-8
Oakwood	2-1
Oklahoma	0-1
Oklahoma Baptist	0-3
Oklahoma City	0-1
Paine	1-0
Patton	1-0

Paul Quinn	1-0
Pensacola Christian	1-0
Phillips	1-0
Piedmont	1-1
Pikeville	1-0
Point	2-2
Prairie View A&M	1-0
Puerto Rico-Mayaguez	1-0
Quincy	0-1
Reinhardt	15-5
Robert Morris-Chicago	0-1
Rollins College	0-3
South Carolina	0-1
Southeastern Baptist	1-0
South Carolina-Aiken	1-1
South Carolina-Spartanburg	0-1
Southern-Baton Rouge	0-1
Southern-New Orleans	14-3
Southern Benedictine	7-2
Southern Poly	14-21
Southern Wesleyan	23-8
St. Augustine's	0-1
St. Joseph's	1-0
St. Leo	1-1
St. Rose	1-0
St. Thomas Aquinas	0-1
Taylor (Ind.)	0-1
Tampa	1-0
Tennessee Temple	1-0
Tennessee Wesleyan	2-0
Texas College	4-1
Texas Tech	0-1
Thomas	3-1
Tiffin	1-0
Tougaloo	1-0
Trevecca Nazarene	4-2
Truett-McConnell	2-0
Tulane	0-1
Tusculum	1-0
University of the South	1-0
Voorhees	4-1
Washburn	0-1
Webber International	1-0
West Virginia Wesleyan	0-1
Westminster	0-1
Westmont	0-1
William Carey	27-15
William Jewell	2-0
Wisconsin-Eau Claire	1-0
Xavier (La.)	15-6
Young Harris	0-2

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