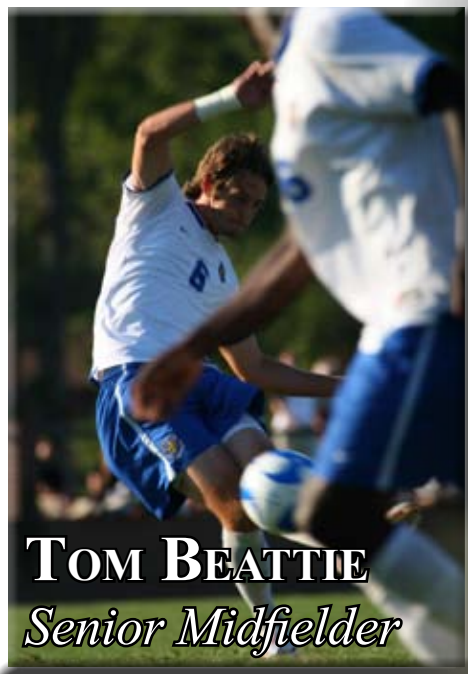


LIVESTONE

2008 SAINTS SOCCER



TOM BEATTIE
Senior Midfielder



JOEL MORAN
Senior Midfielder

SEAN BOYLE
Senior Midfielder



Senior

1983-2008



LIMESTONE COLLEGE
25TH
ANNIVERSARY

MEN'S SOCCER
1988-2008

QUICK FACTS

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Location	Gaffney, SC
Enrollment.....	750
Founded.....	1845
President.....	Dr. Walt Griffin

ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

Athletics Director	Mike Cerino
Sr. Assoc. AD for Compliance	Dennis Bloomer
Assoc. AD for Development & Marketing	William Goode
Assoc. AD for Facilities.....	Jimmy Martin
Senior Woman Administrator.....	Leah Goode
Administrative Assistant	Debbie Borders
Nickname	Saints
Colors.....	Blue and Gold
Affiliation.....	NCAA Division II

MEN'S SOCCER INFORMATION

Conference	Conference Carolinas
Head Coach.....	Eric Alsop (6th season)
Overall Record	30-51-10
Record at Limestone	30-51-10
Phone.....	864-488-4584
Email	ealsop@limestone.edu
Assistant Coach.....	Ben Shepherd (4th season)
Phone.....	864-488-8233
Email	bshepherd@limestone.edu
Assistant Coach.....	Rafe Mauran (1st season)
Facility	Saints Field
2007 Overall Record	10-6-1
2007 Conference Record.....	6-3-1
2007 Conference Finish	T3rd
Players Returning.....	12
Newcomers	10

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RALPH SCHMALTZ

The 2008 Limestone College Men's Soccer Media Guide is dedicated to the memory of the Saints' #1 Soccer Fan, Ralph Schmaltz.

Ralph was the father of Kyle Schmaltz, a former goalkeeper for the Saints. Ralph passed away unexpectedly this past April at his home in Goose Creek, S.C. He was a coach, avid fan, proud father, and a great friend and supporter of the soccer program. He will truly be missed.

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ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	Previous School
0	H.B. Lockwood	GK	So.	6-3	195	Anderson, SC	T.L. Hanna HS
1	Mark Davidson	GK	So.	6-3	210	London, England	University of Rio Grande
2	Jason Arledge	F	Jr.	5-8	165	Moore, SC	James F. Byrnes HS
3	Stuart Wright	M	Jr.	5-7	145	Newcastle, England	St. Thomas More HS
4	James Burke	D	Fr.	5-9	175	Nottinghamshire, England	South Nottinghamshire College
5	Dominic Casciato	D	Jr.	6-2	190	London, England	St. Luke's College
6	Tom Beattie	M	Sr.	6-2	185	Goole, England	Vermuyden School
7	Keegan Ziada	M	Fr.	5-6	140	Melbourne, Australia	Haileybury College
8	Mark Leslie	D	Fr.	6-3	185	Edinburgh, Scotland	Telford College
9	Ali Benson	F	Jr.	6-1	175	Hull, England	St. Mary's College
10	Joel Moran	M	Sr.	5-9	150	Kinross, Scotland	Kinross High
11	Sean Boyle	M	Sr.	6-0	175	Galway, Ireland	Calasanctius College
12	Hayden Flett	D	Fr.	6-1	180	Wellington, New Zealand	Newlands College
13	Myles Jackson	F	So.	6-3	195	Baltimore, MD	Baltimore Polytechnic Inst.
14	Michael McEmerson	F	So.	5-9	155	Glasgow, Scotland	St. Andrews HS
15	Lee Smyth	M	Fr.	5-10	165	Somerset, England	West Somerset C.C.
16	Mark Johnston	M	Jr.	5-10	155	Nelson, New Zealand	Pima C.C.
17	Taylor Rice	D	Fr.	6-2	185	Palm Spring, CA	Edison Academic Center
18	Derrick Smith	M	Fr.	5-4	140	Lecanto, FL	Lecanto HS
20	Andrew Kennedy	D	Jr.	6-0	165	Melbourne, FL	Melbourne Catholic HS
21	Tom Morris	M	So.	5-11	180	Reading, England	Chiltern Edge School
RS	Justin Guinn	D	Fr.	5-8	150	Walterboro, SC	Colleton County HS

Head Coach: Eric Alsop (6th year)

Asst. Coach: Ben Shepherd (4th year)

Asst. Coach: Rafe Mauran (1st year)

Student Asst. Coach: Ryan Robinson

Athletic Trainer: Justin Cheek

Managers: Joseph Federspiel, Jamie Cox, Dan Williams



2008 SEASON OUTLOOK

The 2008 Limestone College men's soccer team is looking to build on its success from the last two seasons, which have seen the squad's best overall finishes in the Conference Carolinas standings, a conference tournament championship, and a NCAA tournament berth. The team also finished the 2006 season ranked 19th in the nation and earned the Most Improved Division II Team in the Nation honors. Although the Saints finished third in the conference in 2007 (10-6-1 overall/6-3-1 league), the season ended sooner than expected with a first round loss in the conference tournament. However, this disappointing result has given the 2008 team a little extra motivation and incentive for the upcoming season.

This season, Limestone will compete in a NCAA "Super Region," as the South Atlantic Conference joins Conference Carolinas and the Peach Belt Conference. This realignment of the conferences within the region will affect NCAA tournament qualifications. In the upcoming season, there will be six bids awarded within the region instead of four as in the past. The top two teams in the region will receive a bye in the first round of NCAA tournament regional play.

The Saints will face three teams that finished the 2007 season ranked in the top 25 in the national poll: No. 7 Lees-McRae, No. 11 Lander, and No. 22 Clayton State. Limestone will also face four teams which qualified for the national tournament: Lees-McRae, Lander, Clayton State, and Queens University.

Limestone will also face a strong conference schedule. In addition to the Saints, five other Conference Carolina teams posted winning overall records, and the league sent two teams to the NCAA tournament.

Lees-McRae advanced to the Elite Eight of the national event.

The Saints have an experienced core of players returning, including a British trio of team captains Tom Beattie (Goole, England), Ali Benson (Hull, England), and Dominic Casciato (London, England). Limestone's current roster features four National Soccer Coaches Association of America 2007 All-Region team members, the Conference Carolinas Freshman of the Year, and four All-Conference honorees. Eight incoming players

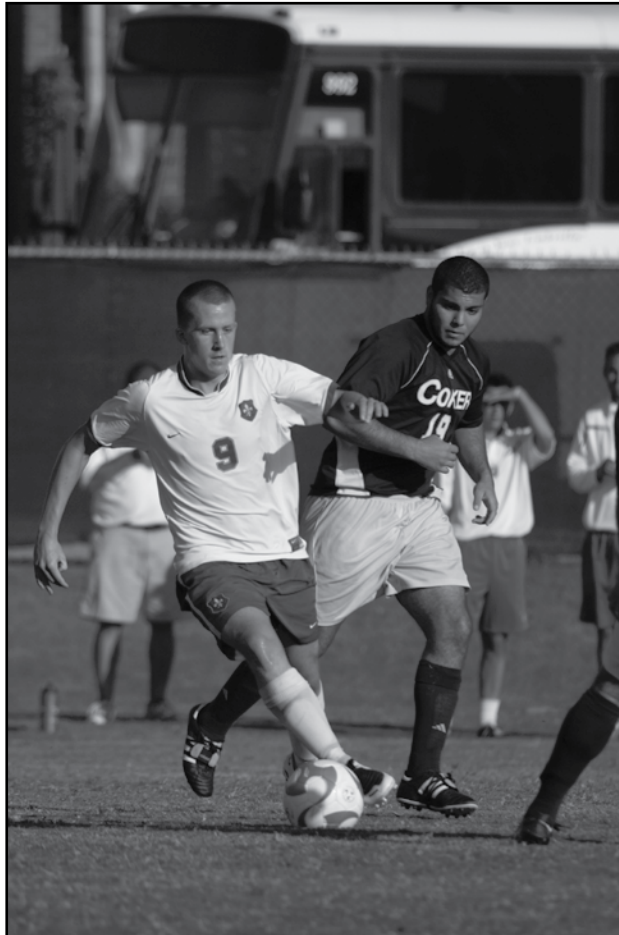
and two athletes who redshirted last season will add even more talent to Limestone's team.

FORWARDS

Junior captain **Ali Benson** (Hull, England) is back to lead the Saints' attack. Last season, he tallied five goals and two assists for 12 points. Benson is a two-time All-Region and All-Conference honoree, as well as the 2006 Conference Freshman of the Year. Sophomore **Michael McEmerson** (Glasgow, Scotland) returns as the 2007 Conference Carolinas Freshman of the Year and was Limestone's leading scorer in 2007. He recorded 19 points during his freshman campaign from three assists and eight goals, including three game-winning goals. McEmerson also earned All-Region and All-Conference honors last season.

"I'm excited to see Ali and Mikey back together again," stated Coach Alsop. "They had a great spring and are starting to look like they've been playing together for years, rather than just one season."

Rounding out the Saints attack are junior **Jason Arledge** (Moore, S.C.), and sophomore **Myles Jackson** (Baltimore, Md.). Arledge brings two years of experience to Limestone's front line after competing with the Saints as a freshman and sophomore. Jackson had a solid freshman season as he saw action in 14 games,



Midfielder Sean Boyle

2008 SEASON OUTLOOK

and tallied 4 goals and 2 assists. Jackson is returning from a knee injury sustained in the spring, and will be expected to return to top form as the season progresses.

MIDFIELDERS

A trio of senior midfielders will look to end their college careers on a high note: **Tom Beattie** (Goole, England), **Joel Moran** (Kinross, Scotland), and **Sean Boyle** (Galway, Ireland). Beattie and Boyle each earned All-Conference and All-Region honors last season. Beattie, a four-year captain, three-time All-Region and All-Conference honoree, and 2006 All-American, recorded 14 points last season with 5 goals and 4 assists. Boyle tallied 7 points from 3 goals and 1 assist. Moran played in all 17 matches last season, scoring the game-winning goal against conference-rival Mount Olive on October 27.

"I have high expectations for our seniors, as they finish out their impressive careers," said Alsop. "These three players have helped take Limestone College soccer to new heights, and I have truly enjoyed working with them and watching them succeed, both on and off the field."

Junior **Stuart Wright** (Newcastle, England) led the team with seven assists last year after missing a majority of the 2006 season with an ankle injury. **Tom Morris** (Berkshire, England) also had a strong showing in 2007. He recorded one goal and one assist during his freshman campaign.

Four newcomers will look to contribute as midfielders: junior **Mark Johnston** (Nelson, New Zealand), sophomore **Keegan Ziada** (Melbourne, Australia), freshman **Lee Smyth** (Somerset, England), and freshman **Derrick Smith** (Lecanto, Fla.). Johnston and Ziada aren't exactly new to the program as both players redshirted during the 2007 season with Limestone. Johnston, a transfer from Pima Community College in Arizona, captained for Pima and was named All-Conference as a sophomore. Johnston also has national team experience as he represented New Zealand's U-17 team. Ziada missed the 2007 season after a knee injury sidelined him last summer. He has fully recovered and is expected to make immediate contributions at outside midfield. Smyth and Smith are also outside midfielders, and both are expected to see solid minutes as freshman.

DEFENDERS

Limestone's defensive line will be led by two experienced juniors: team captain **Dominic Casciato** (Kent, England) and **Andrew Kennedy** (Melbourne, Fla.). Casciato and Kennedy anchored Limestone's defense that only allowed just 17 goals last season for a 0.95 team goals against average. Four freshmen join Limestone's defense: **James Burke** (Nottinghamshire, England), **Mark Leslie** (Edinburgh, Scotland), **Hayden Flett** (Wellington, New Zealand), and **Taylor Rice** (Palm Spring, Calif.). Burke is a versatile defender that can play both out wide and in the center, and will be expected to challenge for immediate playing time. Leslie is a tall, strong center back and should quickly compliment Casciato's style of play. Flett and Rice both play as outside backs and bring solid experience to the squad.

GOALKEEPERS

Despite losing three-year starter Ryan Robinson and back-up Kyle Schmaltz from last season, the Saints look to have a solid goalkeeping lineup this fall. Sophomore **H.B. Lockwood** (Anderson, S.C.) returns after learning the Saints' system last year. Newcomer **Mark Davidson** (Middlesex, England), a sophomore, transferred to Limestone from Rio Grande University last spring.

GOALKEEPERS

"Mark has all the tools to become one of the top keepers in the region," stated Alsop. "H.B. also gained some valuable experience this past spring, and his attitude and work rate are top notch. I'm very confident with our goalkeeping situation this year, and I look forward to the two of them leading our defense during training and matches."

"We are ready to fix the small mistakes we made last season, and I'm looking forward to another successful season," Alsop pointed out. "Our returning core of players is coming off of a very impressive spring season, defeating several Division I teams and coming together on and off the field. The small group of new players should fit in well with the team's style of play and mentality. We are expecting several of them to make an immediate impact on the field."

"We have a very challenging season ahead of us, especially with the realignment of the region, but we also have high expectations," Alsop continued. "I fully expect us to rise to each and every challenge we face. It's an exciting time to be a part of this program, and I'm pleased with the roster we have this year, along with the talent, devotion, and experience on this coaching staff."

COACHING STAFF



ERIC ALSOP
HEAD COACH

Eric Alsop enters his sixth year at the helm of the Limestone College men's soccer program. During his tenure, Alsop has taken the Saints soccer program to new heights, including two consecutive highest-ever finishes in conference play, a conference tournament championship, a NCAA tournament appearance, and a NSCAA/adidas national ranking.

Alsop's players have also seen tremendous success on an individual level. He coached the program's first NSCAA/adidas First-Team All-American, nine NSCAA/adidas All-Southeast Region Team members, and ten All-Conference Team honorees, including two Conference Freshmen of the Year.

Coming off of their most successful season in school history, Limestone began the 2007 season with an NSCAA/adidas pre-season national ranking of No. 20, and climbed as high as No. 7 in the nation before ending the season with a 10-6-1 overall record (6-2-2 conference). The Saints had a third place conference finish in 2007 and a second consecutive appearance in the conference tournament. Although the team was poised to defend its conference tournament championship, an overtime loss in the first round of the playoffs ended the 2007 season. However, the Saints' program still received several post-season honors as six players were named All-Conference, including a second consecutive Conference Freshman of the Year, and five players earned All-Southeast Region honors. Off-the-field success earned five players Conference Carolinas All-Academic Team honors, and the soccer program ended the 2007-2008 school year with a 3.05 overall team GPA.

It is often said that it takes four years to make a college program your own, and Alsop's career as a Saint is no exception to that adage. In his fourth season as head coach at Limestone, the program set many new records and achieved several milestones never before seen on this campus by any other soccer team. In 2006, the Saints (13-3-6 overall/6-2-2 conference) earned their first national ranking, won their first conference tournament championship title, and made their first appearance in the NCAA national tournament. They finished the season ranked No. 19 in the nation, won the Carolinas-Virginia Athletics Conference tournament championship, made it to the "Sweet Sixteen" of the NCAA tournament, and were named the 2006 NCAA Division II Most Improved Team in the Nation.

During the 2006 season, the team members had unprecedented success on an individual level. The team had two CVAC Players of the Week, four players named to the CVAC All-Conference Team, including the CVAC Freshman of the Year, and five players named to the CVAC All-Tournament Team, including Tournament MVP. Additionally, the Saints had four players earn NSCAA/adidas All-Southeast Region Team honors and four players were named to the NCAA Southeast Regional All-Tournament team. The Saints also had their first ever NSCAA/adidas First Team All-American. The program also saw consistent success in the classroom as thirteen soccer players were named to the 2006-2007 Conference Presidential Honor Roll.

Alsop came to Limestone from the University of North Carolina at Pembroke, a Division II member of the Peach Belt Confer-



ence. At UNCP, he served as an assistant coach for the men's soccer program for two seasons while completing his master of arts degree in physical education. During his tenure at UNCP, Alsop helped the team earn the distinction of being named the 2001 NCAA Division II Most Improved Team in the Nation.

Prior to joining UNCP's staff, Alsop coached the boys' and girls' high school varsity soccer teams at Forestview High School (1998-2001) and Ashbrook High School (1996-1998) in Gaston County, N.C. During his prep coaching career, Alsop had a combined overall record of 102-31-4 (.759) in just seven seasons. He also earned two conference titles and five state playoff bids. For his coaching accomplishments, Alsop was twice named the Southwestern 3A Conference Coach of the Year (1998, 2001).

Originally from Syracuse, N.Y., Alsop played collegiately for the State University of New York (SUNY) at Oswego from 1991-1994, where he was named to the SUNYAC All-Academic Team and earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Secondary Education. He holds an Advanced National Diploma from the National Soccer Coaches Association of America and serves as head coach for the South Carolina ODP Program.

COACHING STAFF



BEN SHEPHERD
ASSISTANT COACH

Ben Shepherd is entering his fourth season as Eric Alsop's lead assistant. The Cornwall, England-native completed an outstanding playing career at Limestone in 2004. He was four-year starter at defense and midfield and three-time team captain for the Saints.

Shepherd is an important asset to the Saints as a coach. He serves as the program's lead assistant, helping with all phases of the program. Shepherd is able to bring a dual perspective to the recruiting process as a former player in the Limestone system and now as a coach.

Shepherd received many accolades during his playing career, including being named Academic All-CVAC. He was also a finalist for the Carolinas-Virginia Athletics Conference Murphy Osborne Award, which is given each year to the athlete determined to have the most outstanding academic achievements.

Shepherd graduated from Limestone in May of 2004 with a double major in psychology and English. He currently holds the Advanced National Diploma from the National Soccer Coaches Association of America and assists with the South Carolina Olympic Development Program.



RAFE MAURAN
ASSISTANT COACH

Rafe Mauran joined the coaching staff in February of 2008 and is entering his first championship season with the Saints as the second assistant and head goalkeeper coach. With a large focus on the goalkeepers, he will be involved in all parts of the Saints soccer program, including assisting with the coaching of the field players, game-day preparation, recruiting, scouting and travel.

Prior to Limestone, Mauran spent three seasons as the lead assistant coach at Wofford College, helping the Terriers win the most games in the school's Division I history in 2007. Not only did he oversee the goalkeepers at Wofford, but he also assisted in every aspect of the program.

Mauran previously served as an assistant coach for Davidson College from 2003-2005, winning a Southern Conference Championship with the men's team in 2003. While with the Wildcats, he was involved with both the men's and women's programs, overseeing the training sessions for the goalkeepers. He also served as the assistant director of coaching for the North Mecklenburg Youth Soccer Association (NMYSA).

Mauran has also served as the Boys' Soccer Coach at Franklin County High School (1998-1999), assistant men's soccer and track & field coach at the University of the South (1999-2001), assistant men's soccer coach at Springfield College (2001-2003) and the soccer director at Camp Danbee (Summer 2003).

He earned his bachelor of arts degree in psychology from the University of the South (Sewanee) in 1998 before completing his master's work in psychology, with a concentration in mental health counseling, at Springfield College in 2003.

During his senior season at Sewanee, Mauran posted a 0.71 goals-against average to rank 17th nationally. Mauran was an All-Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference honoree in 1998 and chosen as the league's player of the week once each during his junior and senior campaigns.

Currently, Mauran is the Director of Goalkeeping at Carolina Football Club in Spartanburg, S.C. He also holds an Advanced National Diploma from the National Soccer Coaches Association of America.



RYAN ROBINSON
STUDENT ASSISTANT COACH

Ryan Robinson is in his first season as a student assistant coach for the Saints. Robinson had an outstanding college career at Limestone as the Saints' starting goalkeeper from 2005-2007. He holds the school season record for eight shutouts attained during the 2006 season when he helped the Saints to their first conference tournament championship and the "Sweet Sixteen" of the NCAA tournament. He earned All-Conference honors on three occasions and was an All-Region honoree in 2006. Robinson posted a career 1.11 goals against average and had 197 saves during his time at Limestone.

Robinson is a native of Snellville, Ga., and will graduate in December with a degree in business.

PLAYER PROFILES



TOM BEATTIE
#6
Senior Midfielder
Height: 6-2
Weight: 175
Hometown: Goole, England
Previous School: Vermuyden School

2007: Started 15 contests... Tallied 14 points from 5 goals and 4 assists... Named First-Team All-Conference and First-Team All-Region.

2006: Started in every game for the Saints... Led the team with 17 goals, 8 game-winning goals, and 38 points... Named First Team All-Region, First Team All-Conference, conference tournament MVP, Player of the Week, and to the NCAA Division II Southeast Region All-Tournament team... Earned NSCAA/adidas First Team All-American honors.

2005: As a freshman, led the Saints with 16 points from 8 goals... Scored the game-winner against Warren Wilson College (9/7)... Named team MVP.

High School: Team captain for Goole United (1996-99) and the Hull City School Boys team (1997-2002).

Personal: Son of Pat Beattie... Major is in physical education.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2005.....	17	8	0	16	36	.222	20	.556	1	
2006.....	22	17	4	38	60	.283	36	.600	8	
2007.....	15	5	4	14	35	.143	18	.514	1	
TOTAL.....	54	30	8	68	131	.229	74	.565	10	



SEAN BOYLE
#11
Senior Midfielder
Height: 6-0
Weight: 175
Hometown: Galway, Ireland
Previous School: Calasanctius College

2007: Earned All-Conference honors and First-Team All-Region honors... Started 17 games... Tallied 3 goals and 1 assist for 7 points.

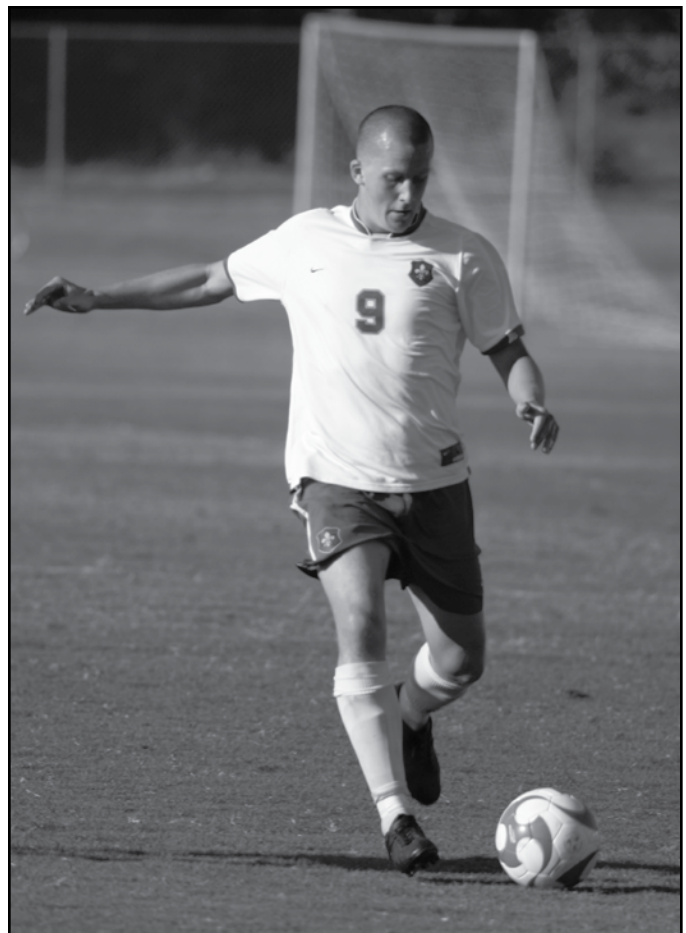
2006: Played in 20 games... Scored 5 goals and dished out 5 assists... Had the game-winning goal against Barton... Named to the conference All-Tournament team.

2005: Started 15 of 16 games played... Scored one goal in his first season with the Saints.

High School: Was a member of the All-Ireland team and helped his Presentation Convent team to two national titles.

Personal: Parents are Joseph and Kathleen Boyle.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2005.....	16	1	0	2	18	.056	9	.500	0	
2006.....	22	4	5	13	35	.114	13	.371	1	
2007.....	17	3	1	7	31	.097	12	.387	1	
TOTAL.....	55	8	6	22	84	.095	34	.405	2	



PLAYER PROFILES



JOEL MORAN
#10
Senior Midfielder
Height: 5-9
Weight: 150
Hometown: Kinross, Scotland
Previous School: Kinross HS

2007: Saw action in all 17 games... Scored 2 goals and tallied 1 assist.

2006: Played in all 22 games... Led the team with 11 assists... Had 5 goals, including the game-winner against USC-Aiken... Named to the conference and NCAA Southeast Regional All-Tournament teams.

2005: Played in 17 matches for the Saints, with 15 starts... Scored three goals and recorded 3 assists for 9 points.

High School: Was a team captain for his Kinross team and led them to the Regional Scottish Cup semifinals and the Foyle Cup final... Also captained St. Johnstone to the under-19 Scottish League Championship and was vice captain for the Regional team... Received a coaching certificate for coaching young children.

Personal: Son of Kenneth Moran... Major is sports management.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2005.....	17	3	3	9	22	.136	16	.727	0	
2006.....	22	5	11	21	18	.278	15	.833	1	
2007.....	17	2	1	5	12	.167	6	.500	1	
TOTAL.....	56	10	15	35	52	.192	37	.712	2	



ALI BENSON
#9
Junior Forward
Height: 6-1
Weight: 175
Hometown: Hull, England
Previous School: St. Mary's College

2007: Named Second-Team All-Region and First-Team All-Conference... Started in 15 matches... Recorded 5 goals and 2 assists... team offensive MVP.

2006: Started in 21 games as a freshman... Named conference Freshman of the Year, Second Team All-Conference, Third Team All-Region, conference and NCAA Southeast Regional All-Tournament, and conference Player of the Week... Had 10 goals and 6 assists.

High School: School captain and leading goal scorer at St. Mary's... Represented the region and district at the national level... Team MVP and led his team to the league cup.

Personal: Son of Paul and Harriett Benson... Business management major.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2006.....	21	10	6	26	49	.204	26	.531	2	
2007.....	15	5	2	12	16	.312	9	.562	1	
TOTAL.....	36	15	8	38	65	.231	35	.538	3	



JASON ARLEDGE
#2
Junior Forward
Height: 5-8
Weight: 150
Hometown: Moore, S.C.
Previous School: Byrnes HS

2007: Saw action in 1 game.

2006: Played in 18 matches with one start during his freshman campaign with the Saints.

High School: Four-year starter at Byrnes High School... Named All-Conference and All-Region in 2006... Earned offensive MVP honors from 2004-2006... Graduated with Honors... Member of the Spanish National Honors Society, Art Honors Society and received the 2005 James F. Byrnes Art Award.

Personal: Son of Bruce and Amy Arledge... Graphic design major.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2006.....	18	0	0	0	6	.000	3	.500	0	
2007.....	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	
TOTAL.....	19	0	0	0	6	.000	3	.500	0	

PLAYER PROFILES



DOMINIC CASCIATO

#5

Junior Defender

Height: 6-2

Weight: 190

Hometown: London, England

Previous School: St. Columbia's Boys School

2007: Started in 14 contests... Scored 2 goals and recorded 1 assist... Helped anchor a Saints defense that posted a 0.95 GAA... Team defensive MVP.

2006: Played in all 22 matches... Named to the conference and NCAA Southeast Region All-Tournament teams... Helped Limestone's defense to a team 0.77 GAA, 9 shutouts and held the opposition to only 18 goals in 22 games... Scored 4 goals and had 3 assists.

High School: High school team captain... Squad won the London Cup, Kent Cup, South East Region Cup and the North Kent Cup two times... Also captain of the London team and was named All-region... Captain for the Schoolboys and Under-18s representative teams... Represented Bexley district in London-wide Heathrow games football tournament.

Personal: Major is fitness and wellness.

Career Stats									
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW
2006.....	22	4	3	11	13	.308	6	.462	0
2007.....	14	2	1	5	7	.286	5	.714	1
TOTAL.....	36	6	4	16	20	.300	11	.550	1



MARK JOHNSTON

#16

Junior Defender

Height: 5-10

Weight: 155

Hometown: Nelson, New Zealand

Previous School: Pima Community College

2007: Sat out the season as a redshirt.

Pima CC: Team co-captain... Named First Team All-ACCAC as a sophomore.

High School: Played for New Zealand's U-17 National Team.

Personal: Son of Margaret and Robbie Johnston... Major is business administration.



ANDREW KENNEDY

#20

Junior Defender

Height: 6-0

Weight: 165

Hometown: Melbourne, Fla.

Previous School: Melbourne Catholic HS

2007: Started in 15 of his 17 appearances... Helped Limestone to a 0.95 team GAA.

2006: Played in 21 games with 10 starts as a freshman... Helped anchor a defense that allowed only 18 goals in 22 games, posted nine shutouts and a 0.77 team GAA... Picked up an assist against Warren Wilson.

High School: Team captain for Melbourne Catholic High School as a senior... Also earned Coaches Award.

Personal: Son of Timothy and Esther Kennedy... Liberal arts major.

Career Stats									
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW
2006.....	21	0	1	1	3	.000	2	.667	0
2007.....	17	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0
TOTAL.....	38	0	1	1	3	.000	2	.667	0



STUART WRIGHT

#3

Junior Midfielder

Height: 5-7

Weight: 145

Hometown: Newcastle, England

Previous School: St. Thomas More HS

2007: Played in all 17 games with 10 starts... Led the team with 7 assists... Scored 1 goal.

2006: Started in 10 games before suffering a season-ending injury... Had 3 assists.

2005: Sat out the season as a medical redshirt after breaking his wrist.

Personal: Son of Andrew and Jillian Wright... Major is athletic training.

Career Stats									
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW
2006.....	10	0	3	3	5	.000	0	.000	0
2007.....	17	1	7	9	5	.200	2	.400	0
TOTAL.....	27	1	10	12	10	.100	2	.200	0

PLAYER PROFILES



MARK DAVIDSON

#1
Sophomore Goalkeeper
Height: 6-3
Weight: 210
Hometown: London, England
Previous School: University of Rio Grande

High School: Team captain... Helped his team to the U-18 summer league championship.

Personal: Parents are Andrew and Sussan Davidson... Major is business.



H.B. LOCKWOOD

#0
Sophomore Goalkeeper
Height: 6-3
Weight: 195
Hometown: Anderson, S.C.
Previous School: T.L. Hanna HS

High School: Team captain as a senior... Played club soccer for the CESA 89 Boys Challenge Team.

Personal: Parents are Beech and Susan Lockwood... Major is sports management.



TOM MORRIS

#21
Sophomore Midfielder
Height: 5-11
Weight: 180
Hometown: Reading, England
Previous School: Chiltern Edge School

2007: Saw action in 8 games during his freshman campaign.. Scored 1 goal and tallied 1 assist.

High School: Team captain for Chiltern Edge School... Named Player of the Year... Helped his team to the 2005-06 Suburban Premier League Championship.

Personal: Son of Paul and Jill Morris... Major is athletic training.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2007.....	8	1	1	3	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	
TOTAL.....	8	1	1	3	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	



MYLES JACKSON

#13
Sophomore Midfielder
Height: 6-3
Weight: 195
Hometown: Baltimore, Md.
Previous School: Baltimore Poly-technic Institute

2007: Played in 14 games... Recorded 4 goals and 2 assists... Named Most Improved Player.

High School: Named First-Team All-Baltimore City his senior year... High School team captain and three-year starter... Member of his school's Hall of Fame... Played club soccer for Baltimore Bays United and has experience with the Maryland ODP program... Captain for his club team.

Personal: Parents are Kevin and Denise Jackson... Business major.

Career Stats										
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
2007.....	14	4	2	10	18	.222	9	.500	0	
TOTAL.....	14	4	2	10	18	.222	9	.500	0	



SOCCER

PLAYER PROFILES



MICHAEL MCEMERSON

#14

Sophomore Forward

Height: 5-9

Weight: 155

Hometown: Glasgow, Scotland

Previous School: St. Andrews HS

2007: Conference Carolinas Freshman of the Year... Also earned Third-Team All-Region honors... Led the Saints attack with 19 points from 8 goals and 3 assists.

High School: Team was a constant qualifier for the Scottish Cup and made it as far as the semifinals his final year... School Player of the Year and Top Goal Scorer award recipient.... Also played for Park Villa Football Club.

Personal: Son of Kathleen McEmerson... Majoring in business and sports management.

Career Stats									
OFFENSE	GP	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW
2007.....	16	8	3	19	20	.400	13	.650	3
TOTAL.....	16	8	3	19	20	.400	13	.650	3



JAMES BURKE

#4

Freshman Defender

Height: 5-9

Weight: 175

Hometown: Nottinghamshire, England

Previous School: South Nottinghamshire College

High School: Played for South Nottinghamshire College from 2006-2008.

Personal: Son of Gladys Shelton... Undecided major.



HAYDEN FLETT

#12

Freshman Defender

Height: 6-1

Weight: 180

Hometown: Wellington, New Zealand

Previous School: Newlands College

High School: Helped his Capital Soccer Team to the 2003, 2004, and 2005 national championship... Team captain for Capital in 2005... Helped the U-19 Team Wellington squad to the national championship in 2005... Led the Mana Football team to the regional championship in 2002, 2004, and 2005.

Personal: Son of Steve and Shelley Flett... Undecided major.



JUSTIN GUINN

#8

Freshman Redshirt

Height: 5-8

Weight: 150

Hometown: Walterboro, S.C.

Previous School: Colleton County HS

High School: Three-year starter... Team captain.

Personal: Son of Darrell and Annette Guinn... Business administration major... Member of the National Honor Society.



MARK LESLIE

#8

Freshman Defender

Height: 6-0

Weight: 185

Hometown: Edinburgh, Scotland

Previous School: Telford College

High School: Team captain from 2005-2006... Led the team to the 2004 Scottish Cup semifinals and the 2004 East of Scotland Finals.

Personal: Parents are William and Anne Leslie... Major is athletic training.



PLAYER PROFILES



TAYLOR RICE
#17
Freshman Defender
Height: 6-2
Weight: 185
Hometown: Palm Spring, Calif.
Previous School: Edison Academic Center



LEE SMYTH
#15
Freshman Midfielder
Height: 5-10
Weight: 165
Hometown: Somerset, England
Previous School: West Somerset Community College

Personal: Son of Tracy Gunter... Major is athletic training.



DERRICK SMITH
#18
Freshman Midfielder
Height: 5-4
Weight: 140
Hometown: Lecanto, Fla.
Previous School: Lecanto HS

High School: Four-year varsity starter... Led team in assists... Helped squad to two district titles and a runner-up finish in the district... Helped his Citrus United club team to the Region C Cup Title... Also lettered in track and football.

Personal: Son of Craig and Ginger Smith... Undecided major.



KEEGAN ZIADA
#7
Freshman Forward
Height: 5-6
Weight: 140
Hometown: Melbourne, Australia
Previous School: Haileybury College

High School: Member of the 2005-06 APS Representative Team... Captained the squad to the 2006 Championship... Named Haileybury College's Best and Fairest... Led his team to undefeated seasons as a junior and senior... Team won the league championship in 2005 and 2006.

Personal: Son of Marianne and Joe Ziada... Majoring in athletic training and sports management with a coaching minor.



SUPPORT STAFF



JUSTIN CHEEK
ATHLETIC TRAINER

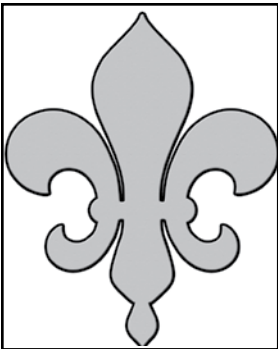
Justin Cheek received a bachelor of science degree from Limestone College. He served as an intern and part-time athletic trainer until he joined the staff as a full-time member in August of 2005. Cheek serves as an assistant athletic trainer and approved clinical instructor for the College.



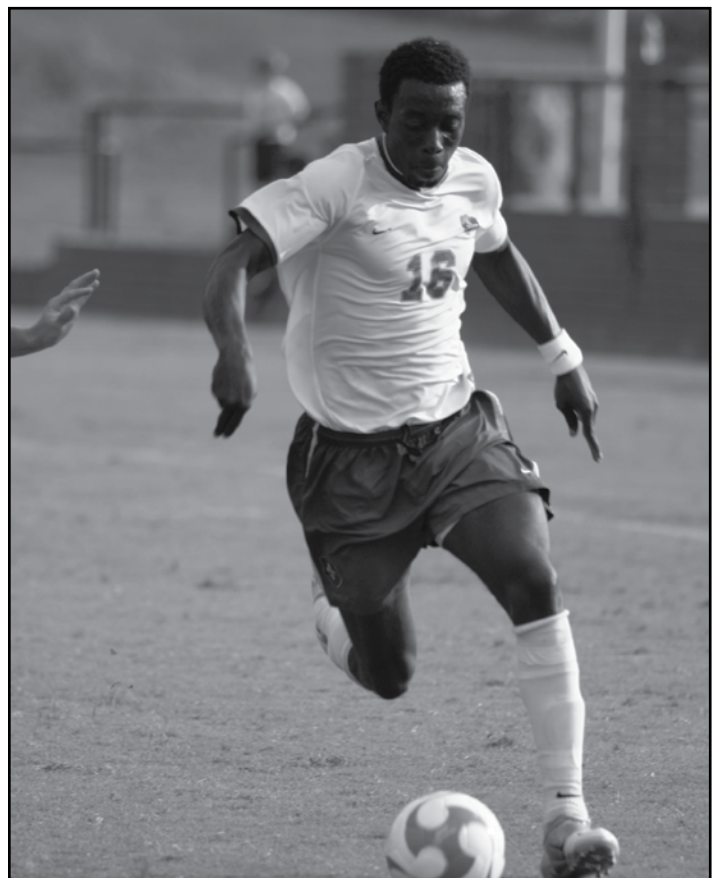
JAMIE COX
MANAGER



JOSEPH FEDERSPIEL
MANAGER



DAN WILLIAMS
MANAGER



Junior forward Ali Benson was named Second-Team All-Region and First-Team All-Conference in 2007.



2007 SEASON STATS

Limestone Overall Individual Statistics (as of Oct 30, 2007)
All games

Overall: 10-6-1 Conf: 6-3-1 Home: 5-3-0 Away: 5-3-1 Neut: 0-0-0

##	Name	GP-GS	SHOTS								PK-ATT
			G	A	Pts	Sh	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	
6	Beattie, Tom	15-15	5	4	14	35	.143	18	.514	1	1-1
9	Boyle, Sean	17-17	3	1	7	31	.097	12	.387	1	0-0
14	McEmerson, Michael	16-10	8	3	19	20	.400	13	.650	3	0-0
25	Jackson, Myles	14-2	4	2	10	18	.222	9	.500	0	0-0
16	Benson, Ali	15-15	5	2	12	16	.312	9	.562	1	0-0
23	Hall, Tyrone	17-12	0	2	2	16	.000	5	.312	0	0-0
12	Sousa, Andrew	16-6	1	2	4	15	.067	3	.200	0	0-0
10	Moran, Joel	17-10	2	1	5	12	.167	6	.500	1	0-0
5	Casciato, Dominic	14-14	2	1	5	7	.286	5	.714	1	0-0
11	Brown, Liam	13-12	2	4	8	5	.400	3	.600	0	0-0
3	Wright, Stuart	17-10	1	7	9	5	.200	2	.400	0	0-0
13	Hurlburt, Brian	10-0	0	1	1	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0
8	Ennis, Adam	16-15	1	1	3	3	.333	1	.333	0	0-0
15	Gibson, Donald	8-1	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0
17	Modeste, Ben	9-0	1	0	2	2	.500	2	1.000	0	0-0
7	Roxbury, Griffin	13-1	1	1	3	2	.500	1	.500	0	0-0
21	Morris, Tom	8-1	1	1	3	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
4	Finlay, Matt	14-11	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
24	Frempong, Kwadwo	11-2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
2	Arledge, Jason	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
1	Robinson, Ryan	16-16	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
20	Kennedy, Andrew	17-15	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
18	Rodriguez, Giancarlo	4-0	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
0	Schmaltz, Kyle	5-1	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
	Total.....	17	38	35	111	196	.194	94	.480	8	1-1
	Opponents.....	17	17	9	43	164	.104	72	.439	5	3-3

##	Name	GP-GS	GOAL AVERAGE		SAVES		RECORD				
			Minutes	GA	Avg	Saves	Pct	W	L	T	Sho
0	Schmaltz, Kyle	5-0	221:14	1	0.41	12	.923	2	0	0	0
1	Robinson, Ryan	16-9	1373:04	15	0.98	54	.783	8	6	1	4
28	Gypin, J.C.	1-0	9:00	1	10.00	1	.500	0	0	0	0
TM	TEAM		0:00	0	0.00	2	1.000	0	0	0	3
	Total.....	17	1603:18	17	0.95	69	.802	10	6	1	7
	Opponents.....	17	1603:18	38	2.13	73	.658	6	10	1	3

Team saves: 2

2007 GAME RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	Conf	Attend	Goals scored
Aug 27, 2007	at Reinhardt	W 6-2	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0		Boyle, Sean (Ennis, Adam) Benson, Ali (Hall, Tyrone) McEmerson, Michael (Sousa, Andrew) Beattie, Tom (Roxbury, Griffin) McEmerson, Michael (Brown, Liam) Jackson, Myles (Hurlburt, Brian)
Aug 29, 2007	#21 NEWBERRY	W 3-0	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0		Benson, Ali (Beattie, Tom;Wright, Stuart) Roxbury, Griffin (Benson, Ali) Benson, Ali (McEmerson, Michael) McEmerson, Michael (Schmaltz, Kyle) McEmerson, Michael (Wright, Stuart)
Sep 05, 2007	USC-AIKEN	W 2-0	3- 0- 0	0- 0- 0		Beattie, Tom (penalty kick) Sousa, Andrew (Brown, Liam) Ennis, Adam (Wright, Stuart)
* Sep 08, 2007	PFEIFFER	3-4 L O2	3- 1- 0	0- 1- 0		Benson, Ali (Brown, Liam) Beattie, Tom (McEmerson, Michael)
* Sep 11, 2007	at QUEENS	1-1 TO2	3- 1- 1	0- 1- 1	200	
* Sep 15, 2007	at Barton College	W 1-0 O2	4- 1- 1	1- 1- 1	135	
* Sep 19, 2007	LEES-MCRAE	0-1 L	4- 2- 1	1- 2- 1		
* Sep 22, 2007	at Belmont Abbey	W 2-1	5- 2- 1	2- 2- 1	210	Benson, Ali (Wright, Stuart;Casciato, Dominic) McEmerson, Michael (Hall, Tyrone;Brown, Liam)
* Sep 29, 2007	at St. Andrews	0-2 L	5- 3- 1	2- 3- 1	200	
Oct 03, 2007	at #15 Lander	0-1 L OT	5- 4- 1	2- 3- 1	150	
* Oct 06, 2007	ANDERSON	W 4-1	6- 4- 1	3- 3- 1		McEmerson, Michael (Benson, Ali;Wright, Stuart) Boyle, Sean (Beattie, Tom) Beattie, Tom (McEmerson, Michael) Jackson, Myles (Wright, Stuart)
Oct 10, 2007	at UNC Pembroke	W 6-0	7- 4- 1	3- 3- 1	102	Casciato, Dominic (Wright, Stuart) McEmerson, Michael (unassisted) Beattie, Tom (unassisted) Jackson, Myles (Morris, Tom) Morris, Tom (Sousa, Andrew) Brown, Liam (unassisted)
* Oct 13, 2007	COKER	W 2-0	8- 4- 1	4- 3- 1		McEmerson, Michael (Boyle, Sean) Modeste, Ben (unassisted) Casciato, Dominic (Beattie, Tom)
* Oct 18, 2007	at Erskine	W 1-0	9- 4- 1	5- 3- 1		
Oct 24, 2007	at Clayton State	1-2 L O2	9- 5- 1	5- 3- 1	81	Brown, Liam (Jackson, Myles)
* Oct 27, 2007	MOUNT OLIVE	W 5-0	10- 5- 1	6- 3- 1		Moran, Joel (Beattie, Tom) Boyle, Sean (Jackson, Myles) Jackson, Myles (Moran, Joel) Moran, Joel (unassisted) Wright, Stuart (Rodriguez, Giancarlo) TEAM (unassisted)
Oct 30, 2007	BELMONT ABBEY	1-2 L OT	10- 6- 1	6- 3- 1		

MEN'S SOCCER SEARCHING FOR ALUMNI

The Limestone College men's soccer team is searching for alumni who were members of the men's soccer team.

The Saints hope to compile an alumni database that can be used to organize alumni weekends and games.

If you played soccer at Limestone and would like to be added to the database, please send your contact information to the men's soccer office by email at ealsop@limestone.edu or snail mail:

Limestone College Men's Soccer
1115 College Drive
Gaffney, SC 29340

You may also call the office at (864) 488-4584.



FINAL 2007 CONFERENCE STANDINGS

School	Conf	Overall	Points
Lees-McRae	9-1	21-2-1	27
Queens	6-2-2	10-7-3	20
Limestone	6-3-1	10-6-1	19
Pfeiffer	6-3-1	11-7-1	19
St. Andrews	6-4	11-6-3	18
Belmont Abbey	6-4	13-9	18
Anderson	5-5	8-11	15
Erskine	3-6-1	6-12-2	10
Mount Olive	2-8	7-12	6
Coker	2-8	6-12	6
Barton	1-8-1	5-13-1	4

RECORDS

MOST WINS IN A SEASON

13	2006
11	2001

FEWEST LOSSES IN A SEASON

3	2006
5	2001

TEAM SEASON RECORDS

Goals Year

57	2002
47	2006
46	2001

Assists Year

47	2006
43	2001

Shutouts Year

9	2006
6	2007
4	2001

Fewest Goals Allowed Year

17	2007
18	2006
27	2001

Active players in **bold**.

INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS

Name Goals Year

Juan Trujillo	20	2002
Derek Thomas	19	2002
Tom Beattie	17	2006
Derek Thomas	16	2001

Name Assists Year

Derek Thomas	14	2002
Carlos Lozano	11	2002
Joel Moran	11	2006
Derek Thomas	10	2001
Chris Bullis	10	2000

Name Shutouts Year

Ryan Robinson	8	2006
Ryan Robinson	4	2007
Mike Stratford	3	2001

INDIVIDUAL GAME RECORDS

Most Goals

Derek Thomas 4
(2001 vs. North Greenville, 2001 vs. Anderson, 2001 vs. St. Andrews)

INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS

Name Goals Years

Derek Thomas	46	1999-01
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Name Assists Years

Derek Thomas	19	1999-01
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HONORS

ALL-CONFERENCE

2000

Chris Bullis, Second Team
Derek Thomas, Second Team

2001

Derek Thomas, First Team
Chris Bullis, Second Team
Bryan Schardt, Second Team
Bret Branham, Honorable Mention

2002

Juan Trujillo, First Team
Derek Thomas, Second Team

2003

Juan Trujillo, First Team

2006

Tom Beattie, First Team
Adam Ennis, First Team
Ryan Robinson, First Team
Ali Benson, Second Team

2007

Tom Beattie, First Team
Ali Benson, First Team
Adam Ennis, Second Team
Michael McEmerson, Second Team
Sean Boyle, Second-Team



Active players in **bold**.

CONFERENCE

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Derek Thomas, 1999
Juan Trujillo, 2002

Ali Benson, 2006

Michael McEmerson, 2007

CONFERENCE

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

2006

Tom Beattie, MVP

Ali Benson

Sean Boyle

Dominic Casciato

Joel Moran

ALL-REGION

2006

Tom Beattie, First Team

Adam Ennis, Second Team

Ali Benson, Third Team

Ryan Robinson, Third Team

2007

Tom Beattie, First Team

Sean Boyle, First Team

Adam Ennis, Second Team

Ali Benson, Second Team

Michael McEmerson, Third Team

NCAA SOUTHEAST REGION

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

2006

Tom Beattie

Ali Benson

Dominic Casciato

Joel Moran

SAINTS IN THE COMMUNITY

Limestone's men's soccer team is involved with community service projects in the Cherokee County and Gaffney, S.C., communities.

The Saints helped out with Habitat for Humanity on April 15 to help the organization meet its June construction deadline. The team split into two groups to work on two separate houses.

One group of soccer players painted walls and ceilings in one home, while the other group finished trim and base moldings in another house.

"We were very happy to be working with Habitat for Humanity again and helping to give back to our local community," said Saints Head Coach Eric Alsop. "This is the second time we've worked with this organization, and we plan to continue working with them in the future. Our players really enjoy these types of projects, and it helps bring us closer together as a team."

The Limestone College men's and women's soccer squads teamed up and held a free youth soccer clinic which drew over 50 participants last May. The clinic was provided for children ages 5-14 and all playing levels. The men's and women's soccer players of Lime-



The Saints soccer team worked on two houses for the Habitat for Humanity Build last spring.

stone taught various soccer skills to the youth.

The participants, ages 4-14, learned soccer skills and techniques at the clinics that were held at Limestone's athletics complex.



The Limestone soccer teams hosted a free youth clinic last May.

2008 OPPONENTS

ANDERSON UNIVERSITY

SEPT. 17 • ANDERSON, S.C. • 7 P.M.

Location Anderson, S.C.
 Nickname Trojans
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Rob Miller
 2007 Overall Record 8-11-0
 2007 Conference Record 5-5-0

SID Cobb Oxford
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 Fax 864-231-5061
 Email coxford@andersonuniversity.edu

Website www.ac.edu/sports

CATAWBA COLLEGE

SEPT. 6 • SALISBURY, N.C. • 3 P.M.

Location Salisbury, NC
 Nickname Indians
 Conference South Atlantic Conference

Head Coach Craig Turnbull
 2007 Overall Record 7-12-0
 2007 Conference Record 1-6-0

SID Jim Lewis
 Phone 704-637-4720
 Email jdlewis@catawba.edu
 Fax 704-637-5705

Website www.gocatawbaindians.athleticsite.com

COKER COLLEGE

OCT. 1 • HARTSVILLE, S.C. • 7 P.M.

Location Hartsville, S.C.
 Nickname Cobras
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Robert Lane
 2007 Overall Record 6-12-0
 2007 Conference Record 2-8-0

SID Christian Stryker
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 Fax 843-383-8167
 Email cstryker@coker.edu

Website www.cokercobras.com

LANDER UNIVERSITY

OCT. 21 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 3:30 P.M.

Location Greenwood, S.C.
 Nickname Bearcats
 Conference Peach Belt

Head Coach Van Taylor
 2007 Overall Record 14-5-2
 2007 Conference Record 4-2-0

SID Bob Stoner
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 Email bstoner@lander.edu

Website www.landerbearcats.com

BARTON COLLEGE

OCT. 4 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Wilson, N.C.
 Nickname Bulldogs
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Matt Atkins
 2007 Overall Record 5-13-1
 2007 Conference Record 1-8-1

SID John Hackney
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Website www.barton.edu

CHOWAN COLLEGE

OCT. 11 • MURFREESBORO, N.C. • 3 P.M.

Location Murfreesboro, NC
 Nickname Hawks
 Conference Independent

Head Coach Ken Miller
 2007 Overall Record 2-18-0
 2007 Conference Record 0

SID Meredith Long
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 Fax 252-398-1239
 Email longm@chowan.edu

Website www.gocuhawks.com

CONCORD UNIVERSITY

AUG. 31 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 12 P.M.

Location Athens, WV
 Nickname Lions
 Conference Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference

Head Coach Steve Barrett

SID Stephen Zigler
 Phone 304-384-6259
 Email sportsinfo@concord.edu

Website www.cumountainlions.com

LEES-MCRAE COLLEGE

OCT. 7 • BANNER ELK, N.C. • 7 P.M.

Location Banner Elk, N.C.
 Nickname Bobcats
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Christopher Whalley
 2007 Overall Record 21-2-1
 2007 Conference Record 9-1-0

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BELMONT ABBEY COLLEGE

SEPT. 13 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Belmont, N.C.
 Nickname Crusaders
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Stuart Brown
 2007 Overall Record 13-9-0
 2007 Conference Record 6-4-0

SID Chris Poore
 Phone 704-461-5049
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Website www.abbeyathletics.com

CLAYTON COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

OCT. 29 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 3 P.M.

Location Morrow, Ga.
 Nickname Lakers
 Conference Peach Belt

Head Coach Pete Petersen
 2007 Overall Record 14-3-2
 2007 Conference Record 4-1-1

SID Lee Wright
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ERSKINE COLLEGE

NOV. 1 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 3 P.M.

Location Due West, S.C.
 Nickname Flying Fleet
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Warren Turner
 2007 Overall Record 6-12-2
 2007 Conference Record 3-6-1

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Website www.erskinocollegesports.com

MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE

SEPT. 20 • MT. OLIVE, N.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Mt. Olive, N.C.
 Nickname Trojans
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Jerry Riggs
 2007 Overall Record 7-12-0
 2007 Conference Record 2-8-0

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2008 OPPONENTS

NEWBERRY COLLEGE

SEPT. 3 • NEWBERRY, S.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Newberry, S.C.
 Nickname Indians
 Conference South Atlantic

Head Coach Sam Okpodu
 2007 Overall Record 9-10-0
 Conference Record 2-5-0

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PFEIFFER UNIVERSITY

OCT. 25 • MISENHEIMER, N.C. • 3 P.M.

Location Misenheimer, N.C.
 Nickname Falcons
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Ken Hassler
 2007 Overall Record 11-7-1
 Conference Record 6-3-1

SID Katie Burakowski
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Website www.gofalconsports.com

QUEENS UNIVERSITY

SEPT. 27 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 7:30 P.M.

Location Charlotte, N.C.
 Nickname Royals
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Fred Norchi
 2007 Overall Record 10-7-3
 Conference Record 6-2-2

SID Sarah Hauck
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ST. ANDREWS

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

OCT. 15 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 2 P.M.

Location Laurinburg, N.C.
 Nickname Knights
 Conference Conference Carolinas

Head Coach Leto Alibaruho
 2007 Overall Record 11-6-3
 Conference Record 6-4-0

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USC-AIKEN

SEPT. 5 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Aiken, S.C.
 Nickname Pacers
 Conference Peach Belt

Head Coach Ike Ofoje
 2007 Overall Record 7-9-2
 Conference Record 4-2-0

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UNC-PEMBROKE

SEPT. 10 • GAFFNEY, S.C. • 4 P.M.

Location Pembroke, N.C.
 Nickname Braves
 Conference South Atlantic

Head Coach Mike Schaeffer
 2007 Overall Record 8-11-0
 Conference Record 4-2-0

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FACILITIES

Limestone College has some of the finest facilities in the Conference Carolinas and in NCAA Division II.

In October of 2005, Limestone College finished construction and officially opened the **Physical Education Center**. The new facility offers three classrooms, nine offices, locker rooms, Athletic Training Education facilities, the **Watts Fitness Center**, and a practice facility for wrestling.

Located on Thompson Street near Limestone Springs, the facility is the first new building constructed on the Limestone campus since the Timken Center was dedicated in 1976. The Physical Education Center gives Limestone's nationally accredited Athletic Training Education Program the necessary space to meet the accreditation standards of the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education. This allows Limestone students to take the National Athletic Trainers Association Board of Certification Examination.

In addition to the Athletic Training facilities, the PE Center houses a 3,900 square-foot state-of-the-art weight training facility, the Watts Fitness Center, a great asset to all of Limestone's varsity athletes as well as all other students, faculty, and staff. Limestone's wrestling team has a practice area and locker room in the new building, although the team holds its matches in the Timken Center.



Physical Education Center



Wrestling Room



Weight Room of the Watts Fitness Center



The Timken Center (above)

Timken Aquatic Center (right)

Timken Gymnasium (far right)



The **Timken Center**, built in 1976, is the center of the Athletic Department. The Timken Center houses Timken Gym, a 1,500-seat arena that hosts men's and women's basketball games, volleyball, and wrestling matches.

Limestone's **Aquatic Center**, a junior Olympic sized swimming pool, is also located in the Timken Center. Home to the Saints and Lady Saints swimming teams, the pool features an 800-square-foot observation balcony, coupled with 2,500 square feet of deck space.

The building also houses athletic offices, locker rooms, and classrooms.

FACILITIES

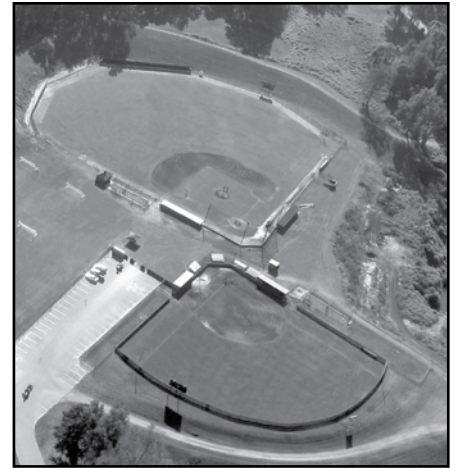
Saints Field serves as the game field for lacrosse and soccer. The field was completely resurfaced in the summer of 2004. During that renovation, an irrigation system was installed and the field area was enclosed with netting and a brick seating area.

Bob Prevatte Field was renovated in the spring of 2005. It is one of the best baseball stadiums in the Conference Carolinas. Beautifully situated alongside the Limestone quarry, the field now features new dugouts, a new backstop, new fencing, and a new equipment storage building.

The **Emmie Evans Rector Tennis Center**, remodeled in 2004, is also one of the top facilities in the Conference Carolinas. It includes eight lighted tennis courts and a pavilion that houses tennis offices and a clubhouse area for student-athletes. Located between Bob Prevatte Field and the Emmie Evans Rector Tennis Center,

Lady Saints Field is one of the best conditioned softball playing fields in the conference.

The Saints also enjoy the use of four practice fields which have all undergone renovations since 2000, as well as a scenic **cross country course** that borders the quarry and Limestone's athletic fields. The course is utilized by all 20 varsity sports and is a tremendous training tool for Limestone student-athletes.



Bob Prevatte Field (top) and Lady Saints Field (bottom)



Saints Field



Emmie Evans Rector Tennis Center



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ATHLETIC TRAINING

The Limestone Athletic Training Department provides support to all 20 intercollegiate sports at the College and features seven certified athletic trainers on the staff.

The Athletic Training Department provides risk management and injury prevention, assessment, evaluation, and rehabilitation for all varsity athletes at Limestone College. The quality of personnel in the Athletic Training Department is a major factor in the success of Limestone's athletic teams.

The Athletic Training Education Program at Limestone is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE).

Students who pursue this major will earn a Bachelor of Science Degree in Physical Education and Athletic Training and will be qualified to take the National Athletic Trainers' Association Board of Certification (NATABOC) Examination.



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STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

Limestone's strength and conditioning program is one of the premier programs in NCAA Division II. The department is housed in the Watts Fitness Center, a 3,900-square foot weight training facility, where all 20 of the College's varsity teams train.

More than \$65,000 has been spent since 2005 for new strength and conditioning equipment. The facility features York free weights, Cybex leverage equipment, and Cybex selectorized cardiovascular equipment.

Full-time strength and conditioning coaches Curt Lamb and Lance Farmer have no coaching responsibilities, making them available for individual assistance for any athlete throughout the year.

Lamb is a certified strength and conditioning specialist through the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) and a level one club coach through the United States Weightlifting Association (USAW).

Lamb received a bachelor's degree in exercise and sports science from Iowa State University. He earned his master's degree in exercise and sports sciences at Central Missouri State University.

Farmer is a certified strength and conditioning specialist through the National Strength and Conditioning Association. Farmer received a bachelor's degree in exercise sciences Eastern Washington University and earned his master's degree in exercise sciences from Appalachian State University.



Watts Fitness Center



Strength and conditioning specialist Curt Lamb evaluates an athlete's conditioning.

SAINTS CLUB

The Saints Club is Limestone College's athletics booster club. Its purpose is to assist the entire intercollegiate athletics program at Limestone. The primary goal is to promote and provide financial assistance for the Saints athletic teams.

The Saints Club strives to provide the best experience for our student-athletes and field teams that are highly competitive both regionally and nationally. Your gift to the Saints Club is a commitment to continued athletics excellence at Limestone College. In order for Limestone teams to continue being successful, they need the continued support from you, their most loyal fans. Limestone College is proud to sponsor 20 intercollegiate athletic teams at the NCAA Division II level including:

Women's Teams

Basketball
 Cross Country
 Golf
 Lacrosse
 Soccer
 Softball
 Swimming
 Tennis
 Track & Field
 Volleyball

Men's Teams

Baseball
 Basketball
 Cross Country
 Golf
 Lacrosse
 Soccer
 Swimming
 Tennis
 Track & Field
 Wrestling

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Send your name, address, telephone number, and email address along with the amount you would like to contribute to:

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Please make checks payable to Limestone Saints Club. William Goode may also be contacted at 864-488-4609 or wgoode@limestone.edu.

Saints Club Membership Levels & Benefits	Caggiano Memorial \$1000 & Above	Scholarship \$500-\$999	Fleur de Lis \$250-\$499	Century \$100-\$249	Gold \$50-\$99	Blue \$25-\$49
Tax Deduction <i>(Any benefits received must be subtracted from Tax Deduction)</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Membership Card & Decal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invitations to Saints Club Events	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Saints Club License Plate Border	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Halftime Hospitality Passes <i>(Membership Card Required)</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Game Program Recognition <i>(For Sponsors)</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Men's & Women's Basketball Tickets (R=Reserved; GA=General Admission)	✓ R=3 GA=6	✓ R=2 GA=4	✓ R=1 GA=2			
Invitation to Athletics Department Banquets	✓	✓	✓			
Polo Shirt	✓	✓				
Registration Fee <i>(1)</i> for Annual Saints Club Golf Tournament	✓	✓				

LIMESTONE ATHLETICS

At Limestone College, the Athletics Department is another area that develops students' minds, bodies, and spirits. The Saints athletics program offers students more than just the opportunity to win. The program's flexibility, coupled with Limestone's smaller student body, offers the student-athletes unparalleled opportunities to participate in team sports. In fact, many students play two sports.

Like the College itself, the Saints athletics program has a rich history and has experienced much success. Until 1997, Limestone competed for championships in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA). Limestone gained membership in the National Collegiate Athletic Association's (NCAA) Division II in 1991 and began competing for NCAA championships when it joined the Carolinas-Virginia Athletics Conference in 1998. Today, 17 of Limestone's athletic teams compete in the Conference Carolinas, while both swimming teams are affiliated with the Bluegrass Mountain Conference and wrestling competes as an independent.

Limestone helped pave the way for collegiate lacrosse and swimming in the South. The Saints fielded South Carolina's first collegiate lacrosse team in 1990. The swimming teams are the only NCAA Division II swimming programs in South Carolina and among the few in the two Carolinas.

Over the years, the Saints baseball, men's basketball, men's and women's golf, men's and women's lacrosse, softball, men's soccer, and men's and women's tennis teams have all been ranked on the national level. Twelve student-athletes have gone on to play professionally in their sport, with seven of those signing professional baseball contracts. The Saints baseball program was started



The Saints' Michael McEmerson was named Conference Carolinas Freshman of the Year in 2007.

by two-time Cy Young Award winner Gaylord Perry, a member of the Major League Baseball Hall of Fame. Additionally, 100 Saints athletes have earned All-American honors and 19 have been named Academic All-Americans.

The Saints have continued to improve each year. In 2006, the men's and women's lacrosse teams earned trips to the NCAA Division II semifinals and won conference tournament titles. The Saints and Lady Saints tennis teams earned their first national rankings in school history, and the cross country teams made their first appearances at the NCAA regional in the fall.

In the fall of 2006, the volleyball squad shared the regular season CVAC championship with an 18-2 record. The men's soccer team won the conference tournament championship and advanced to the

LIMESTONE COLLEGE ATHLETICS

1 NAIA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Golf (1984)

4 NCAA DIVISION II NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Men's Lacrosse (2000, 2002)
Wrestling-184 lbs. Individual Title
(2008)

Men's Swimming-200 Freestyle
Relay (2008)

9 REGULAR SEASON CONFERENCE

CHAMPIONSHIPS*

Baseball (2005)

Women's Lacrosse (2004-2008)

Men's Lacrosse (2007-2008)

Volleyball (2006)

11 CONFERENCE

TOURNAMENT TITLES

Men's Lacrosse (1994,
2000-2007)

Women's Lacrosse (2006, 2008)

Men's Soccer (2006)

**since 1998*

LIMESTONE ATHLETICS



Kevin Pucetas, a pitcher for the Limestone College Saints from 2003-2006, was selected by the San Francisco Giants in the 2006 Major League Baseball draft. He received Minor League Baseball's Most Spectacular Pitcher Award in 2007 and was named to the 2008 USA Futures team.

Sweet 16 of the NCAA national tournament.

Limestone's winter sports also experienced success in 2006-07. The men's basketball team posted its first 20-win season since joining NCAA Division II and advanced to the semifinals of the CVAC tournament for the third straight year. Saint heavyweight Trey Moss became the third wrestler in the history of Limestone's program to advance to the NCAA Division II Wrestling National Championships. Donna Wickham also earned a trip to the NCAA Swimming Championship, where she earned Honorable Mention All-American honors following her 10th-place finish in the 200-yard backstroke, the first swimmer in school history to earn All-American honors. The Lady Saints lacrosse team won the conference regular season title for the fourth year in a row. The men's lacrosse team won its ninth straight conference tournament title and earned its eighth straight trip to the NCAA tournament.

The 2007-08 season was another great year for sports at Limestone College. The Saints' Dan Scanlan captured the NCAA Division II 184-pound wrestling title, and the men's swimming's 200 freestyle relay team of Craig Jordens, Chris Harrigan, Goran Majlat, and Anders Melin won a national title. Both championships were the first for Limestone in those respective sports. The men's and women's lacrosse teams captured their regular season conference titles, and the Lady Saints won the 2008 tournament championship. Both lacrosse teams earned bids to the NCAA Division II national tournament.



The Lady Saints lacrosse team claimed the Conference Carolinas regular season and tournament titles in 2008. Limestone also received a bid to the 2008 NCAA Division II Final Four.

CONFERENCE CAROLINAS

Conference Carolinas is a NCAA Division II athletic conference made up of 12 teams from North and South Carolina. These teams include: Anderson University, Barton College, Belmont Abbey College, Coker College, Converse College, Erskine College, Lees-McRae College, Limestone College, Mount Olive College, Pfeiffer University, Queens University of Charlotte, and St. Andrews Presbyterian College.



Each of the seventeen Conference Carolinas sports has a season-ending tournament that leads to automatic NCAA qualification in Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Softball, and Volleyball and NCAA regional and national selection opportunities in Women's Cross Country, Men's Cross Country, Women's Lacrosse, Men's Lacrosse, Women's Soccer, Men's Soccer, Women's Golf, Men's Golf, Women's Tennis, Men's Tennis, Baseball, Men's Track and Field, and Women's Track and Field.

Conference Carolinas has roots in the Old North State Conference formed in 1938. The name changed to the Carolinas Conference with the first inclusion of South Carolina members, and in 1994 became the Carolinas-Virginia Athletics Conference as Virginia membership was included and championship play was shifted to NCAA Division II. Since 2003, no conference schools have been located in Virginia. Since Virginia is no longer represented within the conference, a name change to "Conference Carolinas" was recommended and was implemented for the 2007-2008 academic year.



Anderson University
Anderson, S.C.



Barton College
Wilson, N.C.



Belmont Abbey College
Belmont, N.C.



Coker College
Hartsville, S.C.



Converse College
Spartanburg, S.C.



Erskine College
Due West, N.C.



Lees-McRae College
Banner Elk, N.C.



Limestone College
Gaffney, S.C.



Mount Olive College
Mt. Olive, N.C.



Pfeiffer University
Misenheimer, N.C.

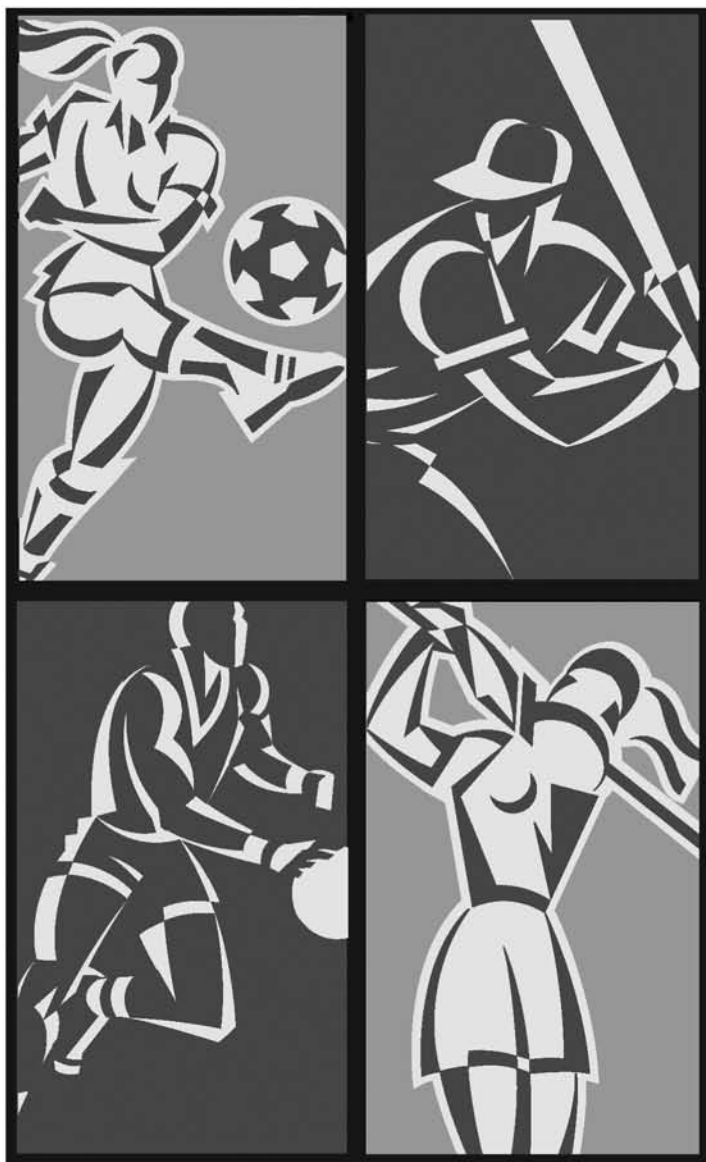


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Charlotte, N.C.



St. Andrews Presbyterian College
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LIMESTONE COLLEGE



Limestone College was established in 1845 by Dr. Thomas Curtis and his son, Dr. William Curtis, distinguished scholars born and educated in England. Limestone College was the first women's college in South Carolina and one of the first in the United States. In the late 1960's, Limestone College became fully coeducational. The campus is a unique combination of history and progress, with ten of our campus buildings included on the National Register of Historic Places.

Since 1991, Limestone College has completed renovations of several of its historic campus structures: the Montgomery Classroom Building, Ebert Residence Hall, Carroll Fine Arts Building, Hamrick Hall of Science, Eunice Ford Residence Hall, Dixie Lodge Student Center, and Granberry Art Building.

While the College's ties to the past are visible in the many historic structures, these renovated facilities, along with the brand new Physical Education Center opened in November of 2005, now house the modern technology necessary to maintain Limestone's reputation as an outstanding liberal arts college.

Limestone College is an accredited, independent, coeducational, four-year liberal arts institution chartered by the state of South Carolina. Limestone is a non-denominational Christian college. Our programs lead to a Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Social Work, Associate of Science or Associate of Arts degree. Today, Limestone College enrolls approximately 750 students in its day program and approximately 2,700 in the Extended Campus, which includes various sites throughout South Carolina and Internet courses.



Curtis Hall



Dixie Lodge



Carroll Fine Arts Building



Limestone Quarry

LIVESTONE

2008 SAINTS SOCCER

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
Aug. 28	USC-Aiken	Aiken, S.C.	7 p.m.
Aug. 31	Concord	Gaffney, S.C.	12 p.m.
Sept. 3	Newberry	Newberry, S.C.	4 p.m.
Sept. 6	Catawba	Salisbury, N.C.	3 p.m.
Sept. 10	UNC-Pembroke	Gaffney, S.C.	4 p.m.
Sept. 13	Belmont Abbey*	Gaffney, S.C.	4 p.m.
Sept. 17	Anderson*	Anderson, S.C.	7 p.m.
Sept. 20	Mount Olive*	Mount Olive, N.C.	4 p.m.
Sept. 27	Queens*	Gaffney, S.C.	4 p.m.
Oct. 1	Coker*	Hartsville, S.C.	7 p.m.
Oct. 4	Barton*#	Gaffney, S.C.	4 p.m.
Oct. 7	Lees-McRae*	Banner Elk, N.C.	7 p.m.
Oct. 11	Chowan	Murfreesboro, N.C.	3 p.m.
Oct. 15	St. Andrews*	Gaffney, S.C.	2 p.m.
Oct. 21	Lander	Gaffney, S.C.	3:30 p.m.
Oct. 25	Pfeiffer*	Misenheimer, N.C.	3 p.m.
Oct. 29	Clayton State	Gaffney, S.C.	3 p.m.
Nov. 1	Erskine*~	Gaffney, S.C.	3 p.m.

*Conference Carolinas contest

~Senior Day

#Homecoming

Home contests are in **bold**.



SOCCER