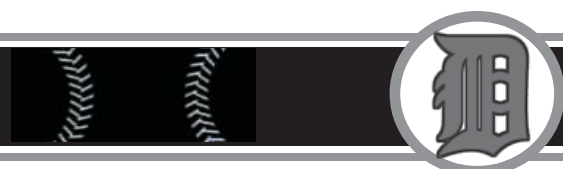


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DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS

City/State.....	Cleveland, Mississippi
Institution.....	Delta State University
Founded	1924
Enrollment	4,392
National Affiliation.....	NCAA II
Conference.....	Gulf South
Nickname	Statesmen
Colors.....	Forest Green & White
Home Field.....	Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field
Capacity.....	1,750
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Years at DSU	10
Overall Record	459-123
Years as Head Coach.....	10
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Alma mater	Delta State University, 2003

HISTORY

First Year of Baseball	1933
All-Time Record.....	1486-768-11
No. of Years in NCAA Tournament	23 (2005)
Last Post-Season Appearance.....	2005
.....	NCAA DII College World Series
College World Series Appearances	Nine (2005)
College World Series Championships.....	One (2004)

TEAM INFORMATION

2006 Record.....	37-17
Gulf South Conference Record	20-4/First GSC West
Final Ranking.....	Unranked
Starters Returning/Lost	5/4
Pitchers Returning/Lost	9/4
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	16/11

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General Information

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Weekly Media Services

The Athletic Media Relations Office produces a weekly release featuring game notes, updated statistics and other pertinent information on the Statesmen baseball program. To access this release, please log on to www.gostatesmen.com and click on baseball. Each week's release will be located on the right side of the web page. The PDF formatted document is posted every Monday by noon.

Press Credentials

Credential requests for working press, photographers, television and radio should be made to Matt Jones, Director of Athletic Media Relations. Credentials will be available at the Media Will Call gate located on the south side of Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field. Credentials should be requested at least seven days in advance of the game. No credentials will be mailed. If there is a special circumstance regarding one or more of the games, please contact the Athletic Media Relations Office.

Gameday Services

Members of the working media will be provided the following at Ferriss Field: game notes package, game program, complete statistics and the opportunity to interview both coaches at the conclusion of the game. The final stat pack will be available 20 minutes after the game. During a doubleheader, final stat packs will only be available at the conclusion of the day's events.

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Radio stations planning to originate a broadcast(s) from Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field should contact the Director of Athletic Media Relations at least one week prior to the planned broadcast. Courtesy lines are provided for the official station of the opposing school. Any other line needed will require assistance from DSU Telecommunications (846-4030).

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Media members must adhere to the following guidelines regarding Statesmen player interviews: (1) All player interviews must be coordinated through the Athletic Media Relations office; (2) Players are available for interviews, either at the Dorgan Center or via telephone prior to practice (generally 1:30-4:00 p.m.) and following the completion of practice; (3) Please give at least 24 hours notice; (4) No interviews will be allowed prior to first pitch on gameday.

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Head coach Mike Kinnison is available for interviews each weekday from 8 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Members of the staff will also conduct interviews after the conclusion of practice each day. Please contact the Athletic Media Relations Office to schedule an interview outside of this time. No interviews will be granted before a game.

Practice

The Delta State University Statesmen practice at Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field and the Bryce Griffis Indoor Practice Facility. Practice begins everyday at 1:30 p.m. with team meetings and actual workouts to begin at 2 p.m. Practices are open to the media and general public. For more information on practice times, please contact the DSU Athletic Media Relations Office.

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A limited number of media parking spaces are available at Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field. The spaces are passed out on a first come, first serve basis. It is suggested that parking passes be requested with the initial media credential request. Should special circumstances arise, please contact Matt Jones as soon as possible.

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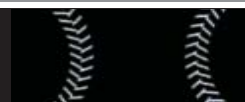


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bradTEAGUE • Director of Athletics

Brad Teague is set to begin his fourth year at the helm of the Delta State University Department of Athletics. Teague hit the ground running in his first year as the director of athletics at DSU, spearheading several fundraising projects that have led to the construction of the new Billy Dorgan, Jr. Student Performance Center, J.A. "Bud" Thigpen, Jr. Baseball Annex and the Robert L. Crawford Center.

During his tenure at DSU, the Statesmen and Lady Statesmen have captured five Gulf South Conference championships and one NCAA National Championship. DSU captured the men's Gulf South Conference All-Sports Trophy in 2005 after posting a banner year in Statesmen sports.

In 2005-06, 10 of Delta State 13 sports spent time in their respective national rankings and six competed for NCAA National Championships.

Success off the field has also been a hallmark of Teague's leadership. The Statesmen and Lady Statesmen have claimed numerous academic and service awards during his time. In 2005, Bernadette Sayles was named NCAA Woman of the Year for Mississippi and in 2006 Kristin Balius and Tripp Davis, two DSU swimmers, were awarded NCAA Postgraduate Scholarships. In the last three years; a total of 226 student-athletes have received academic accolades off the field.

No stranger to Delta State athletics, Teague has been associated with the Statesmen athletic program since his days as an All-American pitcher for then head coach Bill Marchant from 1988-92. He currently ranks third on the DSU all-time career victories list with 29, and second in career appearances with 63. His 13 wins in 1991 ranks fifth all-time in the DSU single season record book. In 1991, Teague was named to the All-GSC First Team, ABCA All-South Region Squad, and ABCA First-Team All-American. Teague repeated the All-GSC feat following his 1992 campaign and claimed the coveted Gulf South Conference Commissioner's Trophy.

Teague began his professional career as the Assistant Director of the DSU Alumni Foundation in August of 1992, a post he would hold for four years. In June 1996, Teague moved to the University of Mississippi, assuming the post of Assistant to the Athletic Director. In July of 1998, he became the Associate Director of the Ole Miss Loyalty Foundation.

A native of Jackson, Teague is married to the former Gina Beach of Tunica. They have two sons, Parker (7) and Cooper (2), and one daughter, Berris (5).

THE TEAGUE FILE:

- Bachelor's of Science in Mathematics (DSU, 1992)
- Master's of Education in Administration (DSU, 1995)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Leadership (UM, 2000)



Highlights Under Teague

Baseball

- 2004 National Champions
- 2004 GSC Champions
- NCAA Regional Host (2004-05)

Football

- Perennial GSC contenders

Men's Basketball

- 2006 GSC Champions
- 2006 NCAA South Regional Hosts

Women's Basketball

- 2006 GSC Champions
- 2006 NCAA South Regional berth

Golf

- 2005 GSC Champions
- 2005 NCAA Championship Qualifier

Softball

- 2006 GSC West Division Champions
- 2005 GSC West Division Champions

Swimming & Diving

- 2004 NSISC Champions

Tennis

- Two-straight NCAA Regional berths

Cross Country

- Returned program to contender status

Facilities

- Billy Dorgan, Jr. Performance Center
- J.A. "Bud" Thigpen Baseball Annex
- Robert L. Crawford Center



geraldJORDAN, M.Ed./ATC
Head Athletic Trainer • 4th year at DSU

Gerald Jordan, a native of Mountain City, Tenn., is in his second year as the Head Athletic Trainer at Delta State University. He served the previous two seasons as Assistant Athletic Trainer and as an instructor in the Athletic Training Program at Delta State University.

"We have an amazing opportunity here at Delta State University," stated Jordan. "Our programs are top-notch and the facilities continue to grow. This really helps our Athletic Training and Sports Medicine programs grow."

Jordan was hired in the summer of 2003 as the Assistant Athletic Trainer under Hunter Moore. Jordan, alongside former trainer Tim Colbert, Dr. Duke Barnes, Hunter Moore and the College of Education began formulating a plan to introduce Athletic Training as a major at DSU in 2003-04. "Once we are fully accredited, we will be one of two universi-

ties in the state to offer this major," added Jordan. "This will also greatly enhance of abilities on the field and in the classroom."

Jordan is responsible for the daily operation of the Athletic Training program and Sports Medicine wings of the Athletic Department. His duties include staff retention and development, oversight of every sports training program and methods, implementation of DSU's Drug-Testing and Enforcement policies and procedures, and any other duties assigned by the Athletic Director.

Jordan comes to Delta State after serving as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at The Citadel in Charleston, S.C. While there his primary responsibilities included football and soccer. Prior to his time at The Citadel, Jordan began his master's work at The Pennsylvania State University in the fall of 2001, having worked with men's soccer and women's lacrosse.

He received his master's in Health Education from Pennsylvania State University in 2003. He received his bachelor's degree from East Tennessee State University in 2001. He is currently single and resides in Cleveland.



The DSU Athletic Training Room is one of the most up-to-date in the GSC. The room is complete with eight taping/training stations, whirlpool, ice machine and office space for two.

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Graduate Assistant



Ryan Georgi
Graduate Assistant



A likeable group - 2007 Statesmen

By Rori E. Herbison

In a sentence, he likes this team – that is what Statesmen head coach Mike Kinnison will tell you about the 2007 Delta State baseball team.

“We like this team. We like their heart, their work ethic, their love of the game. They have worked hard and been all business,” the 11th year head man boasted. “The competition has been good, and the guys have really been pushing one another. That level of competition just brings out the best.”

A year older and a year stronger, Delta State returns 15 players from last year’s roster, while welcoming 18 new faces in to the fold. “Last year, I felt we were a freshman, sophomore team. This year, we’re more of a sophomore, junior team – we’re deeper, older and more mature.”

Maturity arrived in the form of 14 junior college transfers, highlighted most notably by Jareck West, Brett Durand and Rickey Noland. But Kinnison and his staff will also rely on senior leadership to steer this Statesmen squad.

ON THE MOUND...

The Statesmen will be anchored on the mound and in the bullpen by a quality blend of veteran leadership and competitive additions. Earning top billing in the Statesmen rotation is senior Rusty Rayborn. He returns for his final campaign on the hill as a Pre-Season All-American, the GSC West Co-Player of



35 • Rayborn

the Year and First Team All-GSC selection from a year ago.

Rayborn posted an impressive, team-leading 11-2 record in 14 starts with nine complete games. He struck out 74 with just 22 walks in 114.0 innings, and finished with an ERA of 1.89. For his efforts, Rayborn was named a Second Team All-American by the American Baseball Coaches Association, and the ABCA’s South Central Region Pitcher of the Year.

“There is no question, we expect big things from Rusty this year and we feel like he can deliver,” Kinnison offered. “Some-

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times I don't think he always gets credit for how strong of a competitor he is, probably because we teach our pitchers to internalize so much, to not show too much emotion, to stay in control – but Rusty is such a competitor. We know every time he takes the mound, we have a chance to win the ball game because he's not going to beat himself. We know he's going to be ready."



28 • Smith

Delta State will also look to seniors Tyler Brewer, Taylor Fleming and Kyle Ozbun "to be ready, as Kinnison continued, "We're hoping those guys will step in and play a big role for us. Chris Weast is going to be extremely important again in that dual role (pitching and fielding). He is certainly a guy who will throw a lot for us, maybe even a weekend start in conference action."

Already tabbed a top newcomer in the league, Durand, a 6-2, hard-throwing right-hander, will be counted on for immediate contributions. A proven talent, he, along with battery mate and fellow Delta State transfer, Noland, helped pace LSU-Eunice to a junior college national crown in 2006.

IN THE FIELD...

Defensively, the Statesmen are projected to start sophomore duo, Devin Goodwin (SS) and Clay Sartain (2B), up the middle, with senior Patrick Williams manning the hot corner. Transfers Brent Davidson or Chris Clark could split time at first base.

"We still have questions to answer, and we still have to be more consistent in our play," Kinnison yielded, "but I think the competition has been just so strong, it has pushed this team far."

Depth at key positions continues to separate this 2007 squad from its counterpart a year ago. "We're better this year because of the depth we have at those positions," Kinnison confirmed. "Behind the plate is a good example of that - Rickey Noland is very solid. Derek Norris returns and Brett Boykin plays into that



6 • Goodwin

mix. All three can DH for us, so it also gives up added depth at the plate."

Patrolling the Ferriss Field grass are familiar faces Weast and Hunter Jobses in left and right, respectively. Centerfield duties are expected to fall to highly-anticipated newcomer, West. J.T. Taylor could see platoon time in all three positions.

AT THE PLATE...

Offensively, Kinnison reports, "We have no Jud Thigpen, Craig Newton or Dee Haynes in the middle of our line-up that can guarantee us 15 homeruns, so we may be down in power. But, what we lose in power, we make up in contact. We may not hit the ball deeper, but we will hit it more often.

"From top to bottom, there is no soft spot, no easy out. We will send nine solid hitters to the plate every game. Every player can contribute to this offense and that is my objective every year," he explained.



29 • Weast



Norris, Jobes, Goodwin and Weast all return to the Statesmen line-up after posting .300 or better batting averages in 2006. Weast, a 6-foot-2 senior from Star City, Ark., finished last season with a .305 batting average, 41 runs scored and 14 RBIs, and was third on the team with 10 stolen bases.

PRE-SEASON POLL AND 2007 SCHEDULE...

Delta State was once again picked as the favorite to win the West Division by a vote of the league's coaches in the annual Gulf South Conference Baseball Preseason Coaches' Poll. For the first time in six years though, the Statesmen were not picked to win the GSC Championship.

The University of Montevallo ended the Statesmen's six year run as the league's pre-season favorite. The Falcons received five of a possible six first-place votes as the frontrunner in the East.



play. And, that's who we are. We can't say we're going to be one of Top 5 Division II programs in the nation, year in and year out, and hesitate to play the best. To be worthy of that, you have to play the games, and we do."

LAST YEAR IS OVER...

Set to begin the season ranked No. 13 in Collegiate Baseball Newspaper's Preseason Top 40 Poll, the Statesmen make no excuses for last year's 37-17 overall record, but do acknowledge their sub-par, by their own admissions and expectations, season.



"We say it every year," Kinnison levied. "Our goals don't change – national championship, conference championship, conference title. Last year, we didn't meet those goals, and while we don't say it as an excuse, we had some misses in our recruiting and the season reflected those misses.

"Recruiting at the Division II level is not an exact science. We recruit players on potential and what we think their ceilings can be. We had players last year that didn't reach their ceilings. I would also be less than honest if I didn't acknowledge we had players on that roster that had a lesser level of commitment and that's not what we're after. We also had players that took things for granted, and as a result, those guys aren't back," he continued.

"This year, we returned to recruiting heart and respect of the game. We made a conscientious decision to go after those guys who just love to play baseball, and we have a good team with a great attitude. Everything about this team has been strictly baseball business. I think we've weathered the (2006) storm; and we like this (2007) team a whole lot," Kinnison concluded.

Of the 2007 schedule Kinnison defies, "You can close your eyes and point to any spot on that schedule, there is no soft spot. I promise you. By the start of conference play, we will have our bumps and our bruises and our calluses, but we'll be ready to



rodneyBATTS • Assistant Coach

STATESMEN COACHING STAFF

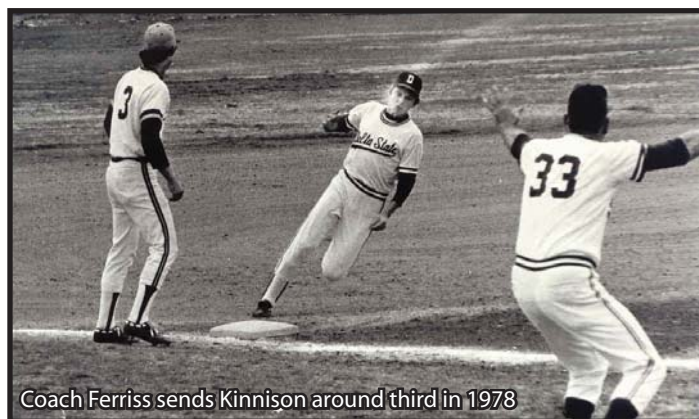


15 • **mikeKINNISON** • Head Coach

Mike Kinnison became the seventh head coach in Delta State baseball history in 1997. He enters his eleventh season at the helm of one of the most storied programs in collegiate baseball.

Since taking over the program in 1997, Kinnison has compiled an amazing career overall record of 459-123 (.789) and a Gulf South Conference mark of 173-33 (.839). His winning percentage has topped all coaches regardless of division over the past ten seasons, and his career (.789) winning percentage ranks as the best of all-time.

In his previous 10 seasons, Kinnison has guided the Statesmen to the 2004 NCAA National title, four College World Series appearances, seven straight NCAA South Regional appearances, 10 consecutive GSC Western Division titles, four NCAA South Regional championships, and three Gulf South Conference titles.



Coach Ferriss sends Kinnison around third in 1978

Last season the Statesmen finished the season 37-17 overall and 20-4 in the Gulf South Conference. Along the way, Kinnison guided the Statesmen to their 13th-consecutive Gulf South Conference West Division title. Despite being ranked in the top two all year in the NCAA South Central Region rankings, the Statesmen missed out on the playoffs.

The Statesmen placed two players on the ABCA All-America Team, led by Second Team pitcher Rusty Rayborn. Left fielder Bryan Williamson garnered Third Team honors.

Kinnison has had the pleasure of coaching two Rawlings/American Baseball Coaches Association National Players of the Year. Dee Haynes claimed the award in 2000 and Jud Thigpen walked away with the honor in 2004.

In 2004, the American Baseball Coaches Association named Mike Kinnison its "National Coach of the Year" and the Gulf South Conference name Kinnison the "GSC Coach of the Year" for a second-straight year.

In January, Kinnison was presented with the ABCA South Central Region Coach of the Year Award at the American Baseball Coaches Association National Convention. It was the fourth such award for Kinnison.

Prior to succeeding Bill Marchant, Kinnison served as an assistant coach for three seasons. He played a key role in guiding the Statesmen to World Series berths and Gulf South Conference Championships in 1994 and 1996. In his three years as an assistant the Statesmen compiled an impressive 138-36 (.793) record.

The Benton native was a standout shortstop for former head coach Dave "Boo" Ferriss from 1977-1978. Kinnison garnered ABCA Second Team All-American honors during the 1978 season. In 1978 he batted .343 with 25 doubles and 56 RBI in leading the Statesmen to a second place finish at the NCAA College World Series. Kinnison currently holds the single season record for doubles (25-tied) and previously held the record for most games played (62) in a season.

Before returning to his alma mater, Kinnison was an accomplished high school coach in Mississippi. Kinnison coached in the high school ranks at Lee Academy (1979-81), Jackson Prep (1982-92), and Madison Central (1993). He claimed three Mississippi Private School Association State Championships at Jackson Prep in 1982, 1990 and 1991. During his prep head coaching career, Kinnison compiled a career record of 292-83 (.779).

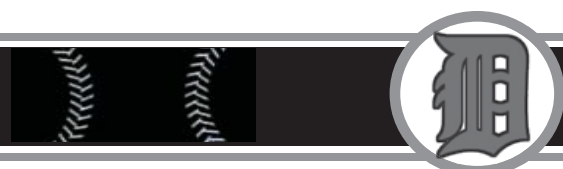
Kinnison earned his bachelor's degree in Mathematics Education in 1977 from Delta State University. He later earned a master's degree in Mathematics Education from DSU in 1978. The accomplished mathematician serves as an instructor at DSU as well as coaching baseball.

Kinnison is married to the former Cindy Colbert of Grenada. The couple are the proud parents of Mary Claire and Kate. Mary Claire (junior) and Kate (sophomore) are both students at Delta State University.



The Kinnison Family: Mary Claire, Mike, Cindy, and Kate

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THE KINNISON FILE

PERSONAL

Name.....James Michael Kinnison
 Hometown.....Benton, Miss.
 Born January 30, 1955
 Family.....Cindy (wife), Mary Claire and Kate (Daughters)

EDUCATION

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 CollegeHolmes Community College, A.A., 1975
Delta State University, B.S.E., 1977
Delta State University, M.A.E., 1978

PLAYER

High School**Benton Academy, 1969-73**
Four-Year Starter and Letterman in Baseball
College.....**Delta State University, 1977-78**
Started Two-Years at Shortstop
1978 All-Gulf South Conference
1978 ABCA Second-Team All-American
1978 ABCA All-South & South Central Region Team

COACHING

Head Baseball Coach **Delta State (1997-Present)**
Overall Record**459-123 (.799)**
Gulf South Conference Record**173-33 (.841)**
2005 ABCA South Central Region Coach of the Year
2004 ABCA National Coach of the Year
GSC Coach of the Year 2000, 2003 and 2004
2004 NCAA Division II National Champions
College World Series 2000, 2002, 2004 and 2005
NCAA Regional (SC) Appearances 1999-2005
South Central Regional Titles 2000, 2002, 2004, 2005
GSC Champions 2000, 2003 and 2004
GSC Western Division Champions 1997-2005
GSC Tournament Record: 24-14 (.631)
Asst. Baseball Coach **Delta State (1994-96)**
GSC Champions 1994 & 1996
South Central Regional Champions 1994 & 1996
NCAA College World Series 1994 & 1996
Head Baseball Coach **Madison Central (1993)**
Head Baseball Coach**Jackson Prep (1982-92)**
MPSA State Champions 1982, 1990 and 1991
Head Baseball Coach **Lee Academy (1979-81)**

2006 - Statesmen claim 13th division title

- Delta State finished the year 37-17 overall, and 20-4 in Gulf South Conference play. Along the way, Kinnison claimed his 450th career win and the 13th-straight GSC West Division title.
- Rusty Rayborn was named a Second Team ABCA All-American and the Gulf South Conference West Division Pitcher of the Year after posting a n 11-2 record with a 1.89 ERA.
- Bryan Williamson garnered First Team All-GSC and Third Team ABCA All-American after batting .378 with 12 home runs and 78 RBI. Williamson led the team in hits (79), doubles (24), and slugging percentage (.684).
- Gary Scott Gabbert (DH), Robert Tucker (P), Hunter Johnson (1B), and Chris Weast (P/3B) joined Williamson and Rayborn on the All-GSC team.
- Derek Norris was named the Gulf South Conference West Division Freshman of the Year.

2005 - Kinnison records 400th

- Mike Kinnison recorded his 400th career win versus Harding University on April 2, 2005. The Statesmen downed the Bison 11-1 at Ferriss Field.
- The Statesmen finished the season 52-10 overall and 19-4 in the Gulf South Conference.
- DSU advanced to the NCAA DII College World Series for the fourth time under Kinnison after sweeping the NCAA South Central Region at Ferriss Field.
- Craig Newton was named an American Baseball Coaches Association First Team All-American. Brett Donahoo and Brad Lightsey claimed Second Team ABCA All-American.
- Craig Newton set a new school record for career games played. Fellow senior Eric Patten also topped the old mark held by Brian Rea.
- Brent Leach was drafted in the sixth round by the Los Angeles Dodgers of the National League.

2004 - The Title Comes to Cleveland

- The Statesmen set a new school record for victories (54) en route to the program's first-ever NCAA Division II National Championship.
- The Statesmen defeated Grand Valley State University 12-8 in the National Championship game. DSU defeated Central Missouri twice (6-5, 10-9), and Columbus State (14-5) on the road to the title. The only bump along the way was a 12-9 loss to Central Missouri.

mikeKINNISON • Year-by-Year

Year	School	Overall	Pct.	GSC	Pct.	Titles
2006	Delta State University	37-17	.685	20-4	.833	GSC West Division
2005	Delta State University	52-10	.838	19-4	.826	GSC West/NCAA SC
2004	Delta State University	54-11	.830	19-3	.863	NCAA/GSC Champions
2003	Delta State University	52-10	.838	28-4	.875	GSC Champions
2002	Delta State University	50-8	.862	20-2	.909	GSC West/NCAA SC
2001	Delta State University	50-11	.819	19-2	.904	GSC West Division
2000	Delta State University	48-12	.800	13-3	.812	GSC Champions
1999	Delta State University	41-12	.773	11-3	.785	GSC West Division
1998	Delta State University	39-12	.764	12-4	.750	GSC West Division
1997	Delta State University	36-20	.720	12-4	.750	GSC West Division
Totals		459-123	.789	173-33	.839	One NCAA/ Three GSC



- Jud Thigpen (OF) and Chris Reed (DH) were named to the American Baseball Coaches Association All-America First-Team. Mark Broome (3B) was named to the Second-Team.
- Jud Thigpen was named the NCAA Rawlings/ABCA National Division II Player of the Year after batting .429 with 24 doubles, 14 homeruns, and 80 RBI. The senior from Cleveland did not commit an error all season, and also garnered Collegiate Baseball Newspaper's Defensive Player of the Year.
- DSU downed Valdosta State 22-5 to claim its second-straight Gulf South Conference Championship. It was the third under Kinnison's direction.
- First baseman Bert Pickard, a junior from Biloxi, was named NCAA Division II College World Series Most Valuable Player.
- Mark Broome led the Statesmen with 15 homeruns on the season. Broome was drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals and is currently playing with the Johnson City Cardinals.
- Josh Barton finished the season 12-1 with a 4.19 ERA. Brad Lightsey went 11-1 with a 5.19 ERA, and Matt McAlpin went 10-1 with a 4.37 ERA.
- McAlpin picked up the win in the NCAA title game.



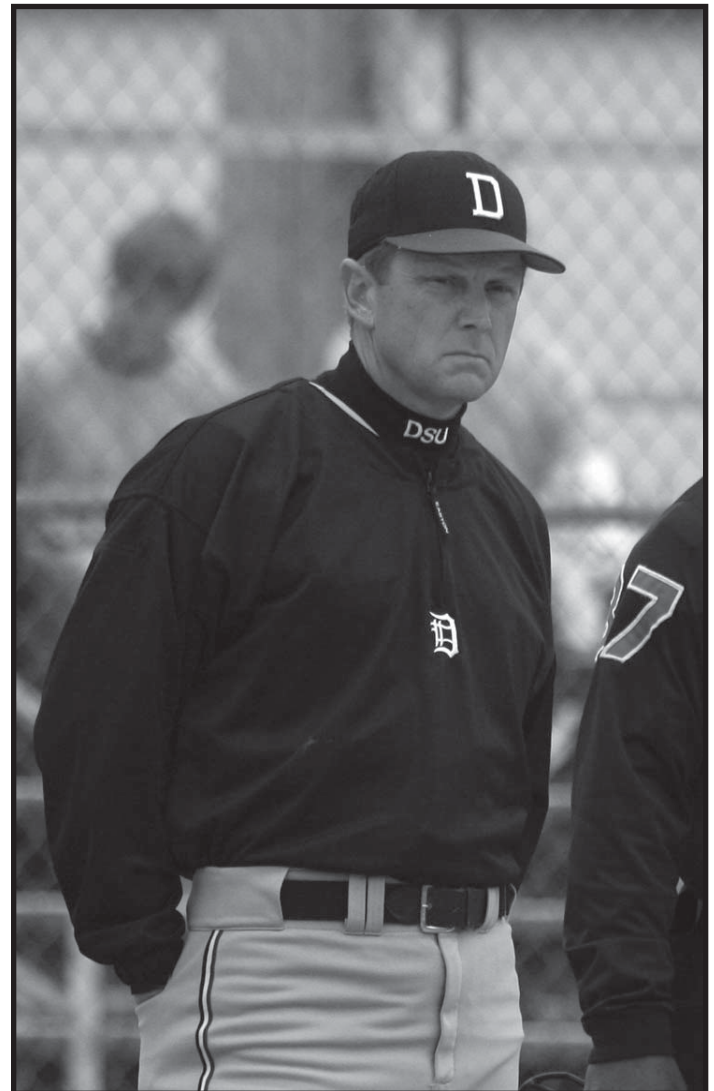
2003

- The Statesmen closed the season with the third best record in school history (52-10). DSU fell to Abilene Christian 13-10 to end the season at the NCAA South Central Regional in Cleveland.
- Delta State defeated Alabama-Huntsville 9-2 to claim the second Gulf South Conference Championship in Kinnison's tenure. It was the first since the 2000 season.
- The Statesmen posted an impressive 27-2 record at home, 20-8 mark on the road, and 28-4 in the Gulf South Conference.
- Matt McAlpin posted an 11-3 record with a 3.22 ERA, while Josh Barton went a perfect 7-0 with a 2.73 ERA.
- Dusty Hughes, 8-1 with a 3.33 ERA, posted 93 strikeouts in 67.2 innings pitched. The junior from Horn Lake was drafted in the ninth round by the Kansas City Royals. He is currently in Class-A with High Desert.
- Edwin Maysonet led DSU in hitting with a .384 average and tied the school record for doubles in a season with 25. Maysonet was drafted by the Houston Astros and is currently in Class-A with the Lexington Legends.
- Jud Thigpen played his second position in as many years (left field) and did not commit an error all season. He also batted an impressive .379 with a team-high 15 homeruns and 76 RBI.

He was also named to the American Baseball Coaches Association First-Team All-America Squad.

2002

- Delta State finished the season with a 50-8 record and a sixth place finish in the College World Series. DSU lost to Columbus State 6-5 to end its chances of a NCAA National title.
- DSU claimed the GSC Western Division crown with a stellar 20-2 conference record. However, the Statesmen stumbled in the GSC Tournament falling to Southern Arkansas 2-0.
- The Statesmen claimed the NCAA South Central Region title after defeating Central Oklahoma 16-10, and Abilene Christian twice 6-5 and 3-2 at Ferriss Field.
- Andy Dillard garnered First Team All-American honors from the American Baseball Coaches Association/Rawlings. Dillard batted .425 with 13 homeruns and 80 RBI.
- Andy Dillard, Steven Tomaszewski, and Jay Garner were named to the All-South Central Region squad. Mike Kinnison was named All-South Central Region Coach of the Year.
- The Statesmen placed nine players on the All-GSC Team. Andy Dillard (3B), Tomaszewski (1B), Edwin Maysonet (SS), J.J. Joiner (LF), Clint Turman (CF), Jay Garner (P), Dusty Hughes (RP), Eric Smith (RF), and Reeves Smith (P) were all selected.



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2001

- The Statesmen finished the 2001 campaign 50-11, 19-2 in the Gulf South Conference. DSU fell to eventual National Champion St. Mary's, 17-4 to end the season in the South Central Regional in Abilene, Texas.
- Delta State defended the home field, as the Statesmen went 20-0 at Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field.
- Freshman righthander John Polles went 10-1 for DSU with a 4.65 ERA, while fellow freshman Dusty Hughes went 7-0 with a 3.49 ERA.
- Catcher Eli Whiteside, a Baltimore Orioles draft pick batted .402 with 10 home runs and 75 RBI. Third Baseman Marcus Van Every paced the Statesmen with 81 RBI, while batting .389 with nine home runs. Brian Parkton connected on 10 home runs while driving in 62.
- The Statesmen won 19 consecutive games between March 31, 2001 and April 29, 2001. The streak included one of the most lopsided games in school history, as DSU bombed Union 44-11. The Statesmen scored 44 runs on a school record 35 hits in the game.



2000

- Kinnison directed the Statesmen to his first GSC Championship going 48-12 overall and 13-3 in the GSC. Delta State defeated North Alabama 11-1 in the GSC Championship game on May 7, 2000.
- Delta State advanced to the NCAA South Central Regional in Abilene, Texas. The Statesmen won their first two games, but would end up falling to eventual champion SE Oklahoma State in two games.
- Dee Haynes, an outfielder, would claim the American Baseball Coaches Association/Rawlings National Player of the year Award after batting .381 with 22 home runs and 87 RBI. In 60 games, Haynes went 88-for-231 at the plate and committed only six errors in the field. Haynes also collected ABCA All-American honors.
- Delta State connected on an astounding 84 home runs as a team. Haynes paced the club with 22. A.J. Downs smashed 16 and Marcus Van Every connected on 14.
- Statesmen placed eight players on the All-GSC Team. Making the list were Eli Whiteside (C), Bradly Clay (2B), Brian Rea (3B), A.J. Downs (OF), Bryan Nobile (RP), Roger Bonnette (P), Marcus Van Every (1B), and Brian Parkton (SS).

1999

- Statesmen closed the 1999 season with a 41-12 record overall and an 11-3 GSC mark. The 1999 season proved to be the first season in the last six that the Statesmen advanced to the NCAA South Central Regional under Mike Kinnison.
- The Statesmen claimed their third consecutive Western Division title, but did not find the same successes in the GSC Tournament Championship game. The Statesmen fell to UNA 10-7 in the title game.
- Jeremy McClain put together one of the greatest seasons ever recorded by a DSU pitcher. The Houlika native went 15-0 with a 2.16 ERA. He also eclipsed the 100 strikeout barrier with 101. Opponents batted just .240 against the righthander on the season. McClain would garner First-Team ABCA/Rawlings All-American honors for the season.
- Joining McClain on the First-Team ABCA/Rawlings All-American Team was Dee Haynes. Haynes smashed a school-record 26 home runs and drove in 92 RBI while batting .444. The Columbus native went 92-for-207 at the plate and committed just five errors on the season.

1998

- The second season under Mike Kinnison saw the Statesmen post a 39-12 record overall and earn a trip to the GSC Tournament in Meridian.
- Dee Haynes and Casey Myrick garnered ABCA All-American honors after posting tremendous seasons. Haynes batted .393 with 21 home runs and 74 RBI, while Myrick batted .426 with nine home runs and 66 RBI.
- Statesmen placed 10 players on the All-GSC Team. Dee Haynes (OF), Casey Myrick (OF), Jeremy Luse (P), Jimbo Pinnix (SS), Jeremy McClain (P), Russ Perkins (P), Brian Rea (3B), Jason Cochran (1B), and Will Lowery (OF) were selected.
- Haynes, Myrick, and McClain were all selected to the All-South Central Region Team.

1997

- Mike Kinnison took over the reigns for the Statesmen baseball program in the summer of 1996 and he promptly guided the Statesmen to a 36-20 overall record and a 12-4 finish in the GSC West.
- Delta State finished second in the GSC Tournament losing to UNA 8-7 in the Championship game.
- Will Lowery paced the Statesmen with a .390 batting average, while slamming seven home runs and driving in 51. Spencer Holman led DSU in RBI with 65, while hitting .360 with eight home runs.
- Jeremy McClain led the Statesmen in wins going 9-4 on the year with a team-leading 3.92 ERA. Opponents managed a .236 batting average against McClain.
- Mike Kinnison garnered his first ever GSC Coach of the Year honor in 1997. The Statesmen placed six players on the All-GSC Team. Spencer Holman (1B), Jimbo Pinnix (P), Casey Myrick (OF), Will Lowery (OF), Jeremy McClain (P), and J.D. Robinson (P) were selected.
- Spencer Holman was voted the Gulf South Conference Western Division Most Valuable Player.



11 • rodneyBATTs • Assistant Coach

Rodney Batts is in his sixth season as an assistant coach after serving the 1999 & 2000 seasons as a graduate assistant.

Batts' responsibilities include hitting instruction, coaching the infield and recruiting. The primary architect of Delta State's highly-rated recruiting classes over the last few seasons, Batts is known as one of the top recruiters in collegiate baseball.

"We are extremely blessed to have someone with Rodney's knowledge and ability working with our players," said DSU head coach Mike Kinnison. "He is an asset to this program."

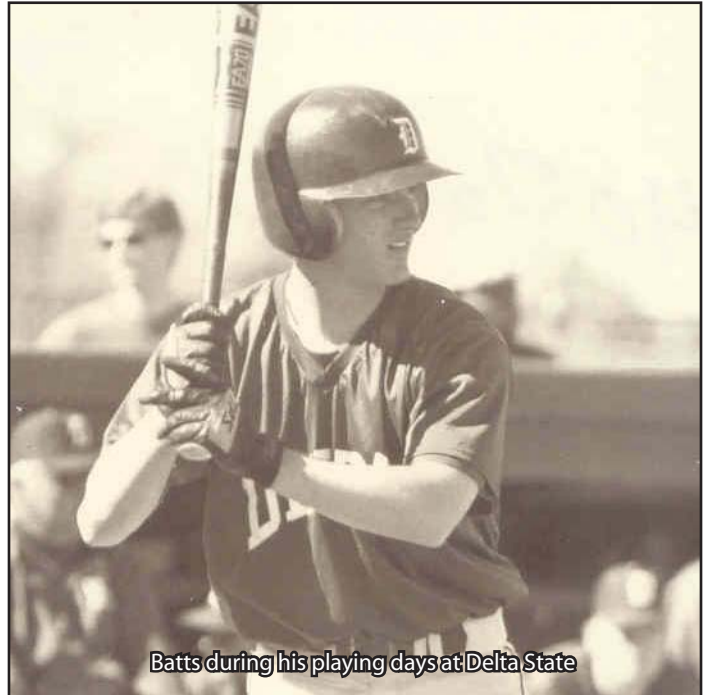
The former Delta State second baseman returned to his alma mater in 1998 after spending two seasons in the Philadelphia Phillies minor league system.

Batts hit .334 with 24 doubles, eight triples, 10 home runs, 86 RBI and 39 stolen bases during his DSU career from 1995-96. He was a two-time All-Gulf South Conference selection under Bill Marchant and was named to the 1996 All-South Central Regional Team. Batts etched his name in DSU baseball history when he hit one of the most dramatic walk-off home runs in DSU and Gulf South Conference history. With two outs in the ninth inning, Batts slammed a three-run home run over the left field fence at Ferriss Field to give the Statesmen a win over Alabama-Huntsville and the 1996 GSC Championship.

The Statesmen went on to win the NCAA South Central Regional and finish fourth at the NCAA Division II College World Series in Montgomery, Ala.

The New Hope native graduated from Delta State with a bachelor's degree in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation in 1998 and received his master's in HPER from DSU in 2000.

Batts married the former Scottie Moore of Senatobia in the summer of 2003. The couple has one son, Austin.



Batts during his playing days at Delta State

THE BATTs FILE	
Full Name.....	Rodney Glenn Batts
Hometown.....	Columbus
Date of Birth.....	October 13, 1973
Education.....	1992 - New Hope High School
	1998 - Delta State University - B.S. in HPE&R
	2000 - Delta State University - M. Ed in Administration in HPE&R
Playing Career.....	1993-94 - East MS CC, Catcher/Shortstop
	1993 and 1994 JUCO All-State
	1994 All-Region
	1995-96 Delta State University - Second Basemen
	1996 GSC & South Central Region Champions
	Fourth Place Finish NCAA Division II Championship Tournament
	1995 & 1996 All-GSC
Coaching Experience.....	DSU Assistant Coach - 2001-present
	Delta State University - 1999-2000 Graduate Assistant Coach



The Batts Family: Scottie, Rodney, and Austin



31 • rickMcCARTY • Assistant Coach



Rick McCarty is in his second season as an assistant coach at Delta State University and his third overall on the staff. Prior to joining the staff on a full-time basis, McCarty spent two seasons as a graduate assistant.

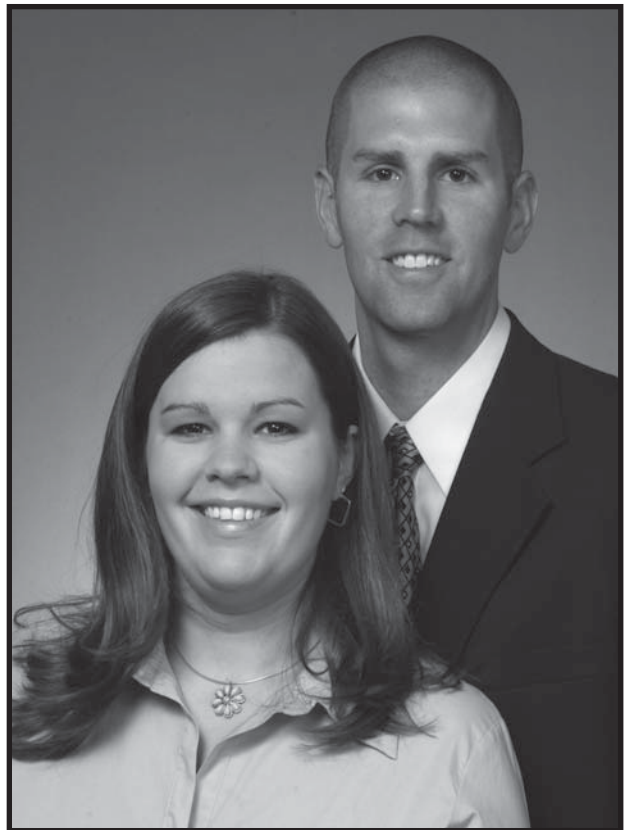
"Rick is one of the top young coaches in America," said DSU head coach Mike Kinnison. "We are very fortunate to have someone with his knowledge guiding our pitchers during the season." Kinnison added, "He has shown an ability to recruit and do it well. I expect great things out of him in the future."

McCarty spent the last two seasons restructuring the in-season and off-season workout plans of all DSU pitchers. His efforts have paid off. The Statesmen have ranked in the top five in virtually every pitching statistic in the GSC in the last two seasons. In 2006, Brad Lightsey (13), Rusty Rayborn (11) and Justin Smith (10) posted double digit victories under his tutelage

His primary duties include pitching instruction, recruiting, strength and conditioning and opponent scouting.

McCarty is a 2003 graduate of Murray State University in Murray, Kentucky. He spent two seasons as a closer for the Racer baseball program.

McCarty is married to the former Rayna Netherland. Rayna is currently pursuing a master's degree at Delta State and she serves as the apartment director for Hill Apartments on campus.



The McCarty's: Rayna and Rick

THE McCARTY FILE

Full Name..... Rick Lee McCarty
Hometown..... Campbellsville, Ky.
Date of Birth..... November 2, 1979
Education..... 1998 - Campbellsville
 2003 - Murray State University - B.S. in HPE&R
 2005 - Delta State University - M. Ed in Administration in HPE&R
Playing Career..... 1999-2000 John A. Logan JC, Pitcher
 2001-02 Murray State University, Pitcher
 2001 All-Ohio Valley Conference
Coaching Experience..... 2003, Student Asst., Murray State
 2004-05 Graduate Assistant, Delta State University
 2006-Present, Asst. Coach, Delta State University



5 • ericPATTEN • Assistant Coach

Sid Naron enters his first season as a graduate assistant coach at Delta State University and his third overall with the program. Naron lettered two years at catcher for Delta State from 2002-2003.

"Sid is an up-and-coming young coach with great baseball instincts," said DSU head coach Mike Kinnison. "He will be an excellent asset to this team."

Naron lettered two years for the Statesmen at catcher. The Cleveland native was known as a defensive specialist behind the plate.

Naron is a 2004 graduate of Delta State University with a degree in business. He is currently pursuing his master's degree in HPER.

Eric Patten is in his second season as an assistant coach at Delta State University and his seventh overall with the program. He served as a graduate assistant in 2006, and played started four years at shortstop for DSU.

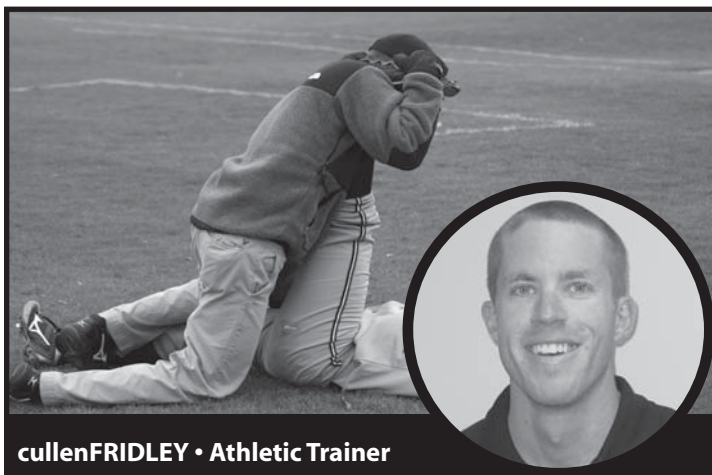
"Eric was a special player for us here at Delta State," said DSU head coach Mike Kinnison. "We were very fortunate to be able to keep him on as an assistant. I expect great things out of him in the future."

Patten started all-four years at shortstop for the Statesmen from 2002-2006. A four-time All-GSC selection, the Cedar Hill, Texas native helped guide Delta State to the 2004 NCAA National Championship. He ranks in the top 10 in five career categories as well.

Patten received his bachelor's degree from Delta State University in HPER in 2005, and his master's in HPER in 2006.



42 • sidNARON • Graduate Assistant



cullenFRIDLEY • Athletic Trainer

Cullen Fridley is in his second season as the primary athletic trainer for the Statesmen baseball program. He also serves as the secondary trainer for the Delta State football program.

A 2005 graduate of the University of West Florida, Fridley is in his second year overall with the Delta State University Athletic Training Department. He is currently pursuing his master's degree in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. He is expected to graduate in May 2006.

"Cullen is one of the top young athletic trainers I have had the privilege to work with," said Gerald Jordan, Head Athletic Trainer. "No matter the situation, Cullen has the training and the experience to handle whatever comes his way."

Outside of his regular baseball duties, Fridley covers the athletic training room as assigned.

SUPPORT STAFF



Neal Henry



Brancey Cummins



Jim Ervin



Marks Elder



Lane Quinton



Travis Chamblee



MEET THE STATESMEN

kyleOZBUN • LHP



2007 STATESMEN BASEBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

No...	Name.....	Pos	Hgt	Wgt	B/R	Cls.....	Hometown/Previous School
1	Hunter Jobes	OF	5-10	180	L/R	Jr.	Southaven/Southaven HS
2	Daniel Eichelberger	OF	5-9	165	R/R	Fr.	Louisville/Louisville HS
3	J.T. Taylor	OF	5-7	155	L/R	Jr.	Jackson, Tenn./Dyersburg (TN) CC
4	Nathan Hardy	P/OF	5-10	160	R/R	Fr.	Madison/Madison Central HS
6	Devin Goodwin	SS	5-10	185	R/R	So.	Demopolis, Ala./Demopolis HS
7	John Landon Ruscoe	2B/SS	5-10	160	R/R	Jr.	Clarksdale/MS Delta CC
8	Korey Cunningham	P	6-2	210	R/R	So.	Clinton/Clinton HS
9	Rickey Noland	C	6-1	215	R/R	Jr.	Denham Springs, La./LSU-Eunice
10	Cody Kelley	P	5-10	204	R/R	Fr.	Louisville/Louisville HS
12	Clay Sartain	2B/3B	5-9	189	R/R	So.	Horn Lake/Horn Lake HS
13	Taylor Fleming	P	6-0	165	R/R	Sr.	Clarksdale/MS Delta CC
14	Chase Herrin	OF/3B	5-9	170	R/R	Fr.	Hattiesburg/Hattiesburg HS
16	Kyle Ozburn	P	5-7	155	L/L	Sr.	Webb City, Mo./Crowder (MO) CC
17	Chris Clark	2B/3B	6-0	188	L/R	Jr.	Paducah, Ky./Rend Lake (IL) CC
18	Derek Norris	C	6-0	195	R/R	So.	Seminary/Seminary HS
19	Brett Durand	P	6-2	190	R/R	Jr.	Denham Springs, La./LSU-Eunice
20	Steven Cruet	OF/1B	6-1	205	R/R	Jr.	Richmond, Va./East Miss. CC
21	Kody Bumpous	P/1B	6-2	225	R/R	Jr.	Byhalia/Meridian CC
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24	Robert Tucker	P	6-1	175	R/R	Sr.	Brooksville/East Miss. CC
25	Patrick Williams	3B/SS	5-10	185	R/R	Sr.	Crystal Springs/Copiah-Lincoln CC
26	Patrick Strack	OF	5-10	150	R/R	Fr.	North Little Rock, Ark./Catholic HS
27	Ronny Hawley	3B	5-11	205	R/R	Jr.	Garland, Texas/Eastfield (TX) CC
28	Justin Smith	P	6-4	200	R/R	Jr.	Ridgeland/Ridgeland HS
29	Chris Weast	P/SS	6-2	195	R/R	Sr.	Star City, Ark./University of Arkansas
30	Alex Love	P	6-2	175	R/R	Jr.	Owensboro, Ky./Wabash Valley (IL) CC
32	Tyler Brewer	P	6-2	185	L/L	Sr.	Batesville/South Panola HS
34	Brett Boykin	C	6-0	185	R/R	Jr.	Hollandale/Deer Creek Acad.
35	Rusty Rayborn	P	6-2	205	R/R	Sr.	Tylertown/Parklane Academy
36	Matthew Little	OF	5-11	175	R/R	So.	Brandon/Hinds CC
38	Jareck West	OF	5-10	205	R/R	Jr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/St. Catherine (KY) CC
39	Cesar Rodriguez	P	6-3	215	R/R	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Jackson State (TN) CC
41	Brent Davidson	1B	6-3	215	L/R	Jr.	Evansville, Ind./Wabash Valley (IL) CC
42	Cody Marshall	OF	6-3	220	R/R	Jr.	Jacksonville, Ill./Elgin (IL) CC

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Mike Kinnison (Delta State University, 1978)
 Assistant Coach: Rodney Batts (Delta State University, 1998)
 Assistant Coach: Rick McCarty (Murray State, 2003)
 Assistant Coach: Eric Patten (Delta State University, 2005)
 Graduate Assistant Coach: Sid Naron (Delta State University, 2004)
 Managers: Brancy Cummins, Neal Henry

SUPPORT STAFF

Head Athletic Trainer: Gerald Jordan (East Tennessee, 2000)
 Graduate Assistant Trainer: Cullen Fridley (West Florida, 2005)
 Director of Athletics Media Relations: Matt Jones (Delta State, 2003)
 Baseball Media Relations Contact: Jim Ervin (Delta State, 2000)
 Game Operations Director: Marks Elder (Delta State, 2005)

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8.....	Korey Cunningham	P	6-2	210	R/R	So.....	Clinton/Clinton HS
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25.....	Patrick Williams.....	3B/SS	5-10.....	185	R/R	Sr	Crystal Springs/Copiah-Lincoln CC

WHERE DO THEY CALL HOME?

MISSISSIPPI

Hunter Jobes, Dan Eichelberger, Nathan Hardy, John L. Ruscoe, Cody Kelley, Clay Sartain, Taylor Fleming, Chase Herrin, Derek Norris, Kody Bumpous, Robert Tucker, Patrick Williams, Justin Smith, Tyler Brewer, Brett Boykin, Rusty Rayborn, Matthew Little, and Korey Cunningham.

ARKANSAS

Patrick Strack, Chris Weast

INDIANA

Brett Davidson

MISSOURI

Kyle Ozburn

ALABAMA

Devin Goodwin

FLORIDA

Cesar Rodriguez

LOUISIANA

Rickey Noland, Brett Durand, Brandon Bravata

TENNESSEE

J.T. Taylor

ILLINOIS

Cody Marshall

OHIO

Jarek West

TEXAS

Ronny Hawley

VIRGINIA

Steven Cruey

KENTUCKY

Alex Love
Chris Clark





1 • hunter**JOBES**

Outfield
5-10 • 180 • Junior • 2L
Bats: L • Throws: R
Southaven
Southaven High School



2006: Played in 52 games, making 51 starts in the outfield for the Statesmen...Batted .323 with 62 hits in 193 plate appearances...Connected on three home runs with 27 RBI... Posted 46 runs scored and swiped 13-of-16 stolen base attempts...**2005:** Played in 18 games for the Statesmen... Batted .286 with two RBI on the season...Scored seven runs on the year...**2004:** Red-shirted for the Statesmen...**PREP:** Jobs earned four varsity letters as an outfielder for Ed Rich... Jobs also garnered varsity letters in basketball, golf and football at Southaven High... **PERSONAL:** Full name is Hunter Patrick Jobs... Born June 21, 1985... Son of Rickey and Peggy Jobs... Has one sister, Jennifer... Father played for Dave "Boo" Ferriss... Majoring in Business Marketing.

Jobs's Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'05	18-0	.286	7	7	2	0	0	0	2	1-1	2	0
'06	52-51	.323	192	46	62	9	2	3	27	13-16	25	38
	70-51	.322	199	53	64	9	2	3	29	14-17	27	38



1 • Jobs

2 • daniel**EICHELBERGER**

Outfield
5-9 • 165 • Freshman • HS
Bats: R • Throws: R
Louisville
Louisville High School



PREP: Played three years under Charlie Smith at Louisville HS... Earned All-State accolades his senior season and All-District honors three years in a row... Voted MVP and garnered the most homeruns award...**PERSONAL:** Daniel Jerrell Eichelberger... Born December 30, 1987... Son of Roy and Maxine Eichelberger... Has three siblings, Jamison (21), Mario (16) and Cierra (17)... Majoring in Business Marketing.

3 • j.t.**TAYLOR**

Outfield
5-7 • 155 • Junior • TR
Bats: L • Throws: R
Jackson, Tenn.
Dyersburg (TN) CC



DYERSBURG: Played two seasons at Dyersburg (TN) State CC under Robert White... Earned First Team All-Region in 2005 and 2006, First Team All-East Central District, and Academic All-American in 2006... Earned a trip to the state tournament both seasons... Reached base safely in 105-of-107 games... Combined .413 batting average... Had 23 and 32 game hitting streaks... Scored a school record 64 runs his sophomore season...**PREP:** Lettered four years at Northside HS for Randy Harrell... Earned All-District and All-Region in 2003-04... Finished his career with a .372 average...**PERSONAL:** Jonathan Wayne Taylor... Born May 19, 1986... Son of Tim Taylor and Carla Hollamon... Has three siblings, April (23), Chase (18), and Elizabeth (16)... Majoring in Pre-Physical Therapy.

4 • nathan**HARDY**

Pitcher/Outfield
5-10 • 165 • Freshman • HS
Bats: R • Throws: R
Madison
Madison Central HS



PREP: Lettered four years for the Jaguars of Madison Central under Greg Perry... Earned All-District, All-State and All-Area honors... Helped MCHS to District Championships from 2003-2006, including a North-State Title his senior year...**PERSONAL:** Nathan Riley Hardy... Born September 20, 1987... Son of Ricky and Suzane Hardy... Has one brother, Nicky (20)... Major is undecided.

2007 STATESMEN BASEBALL



6 • devinGOODWIN

Shortstop
 5-10 • 185 • Soph. • 1L
 Bats: R • Throws: R
 Demopolis, Ala.
 Demopolis High School



2006: Started 33-of-36 games at shortstop for the Statesmen and Mike Kinnison...Batted .307 with seven doubles, three home runs and 13 RBI...Posted 35 hits in 114 plate appearances...Scored 24 runs on the season...Swiped 6-of-8 bases...**PREP:** Lettered four seasons for James Moody and the Demopolis High Tigers...Garnered All-State honors from 2003-2004...All-District and All-Conference from 2001-2004...Helped lead the Tigers to the Area Championship from 2001-2004...State Championship in 2004...Holds school record for most doubles in a season...**PERSONAL:** Devin Michael Goodwin is the son of Doug and Donna Goodwin of Demopolis, AL...Devin is also a backup Quarterback for the Statesmen football team...Devin has one brother Dusty who currently plays football at the University of North Alabama (21)...Undecided major.

Goodwin's Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	36-33	.307	114	24	35	7	0	3	13	6-8	8	17
	36-33	.307	114	24	35	7	0	3	13	6-8	8	17



6 • Goodwin

7 • johnlandonRUSCOE

2B/Shortstop
 5-10 • 165 • Junior • TR
 Bats: R • Throws: R
 Clarksdale
 Mississippi Delta CC



MISS. DELTA: Started two years for the Trojans of Mississippi Delta CC under Tony Hancock...Finished runner up in the 2004 regional and selected team captain in 2005...**PREP:** Lettered three years at Lee Academy for Ricky Weiss...Earned All-District and All-Conference honors in 2003-04 and All-State and All-Area honors in 2004, topped off with a conference championship...also lettered in football and basketball...**PERSONAL:** John Landon Ruscoe...Born August 13, 1985...Son of Ann and Rusty Ruscoe...Father played three seasons for Dave "Boo" Ferriss from 1979-81...Has one sibling, Rhett (24)...Majoring in Business.

8 • koreyCUNNINGHAM

Pitcher
 6-2 • 210 • Soph. • 1L
 Bats: R • Throws: R
 Clinton
 Clinton High School



2006: Saw action in two games for the Statesmen...Pitched 2.0 innings allowing one run on four hits with two strikeouts...**2005:** Redshirted...**PREP:** Lettered four years at Clinton High School for Kelly Greer...Named All-State in 2004 and lettered in football for one season at wide receiver...**PERSONAL:** John Korey Cunningham is the son of John and Jackie Cunningham of Clinton...He was born on March 7, 1986...He has one older brother, Kyle and two older sisters, Kim and Kristen...Majoring in Accounting.

Cunningham's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	2	0	4.50	0-0	2.0	0	2	4	1	1
	2	0	4.50	0-0	2.0	0	2	4	1	1



8 • Cunningham



9 • rickeyNOLAND

Catcher
6-1 • 215 • Junior • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Denham Springs, La.
LSU-Eunice



LSU-EUNICE: Played two seasons under Jeff Willis at LSU-Eunice Community College...Helped guide LSU-E to the NJCAA National Championship in 2006 and the Regional Tournament in 2005...Garnered NJCAA All-Region honors...**PREP:** Started four years at Denham Springs HS for Mark Carroll...Earned All-District in 2003-04 and All-State in 2004...**PERSONAL:** Rickey Craig Noland...Born November 4, 1985...Son of Rickey and Dana Noland...Has two siblings, Ryan (24), and Stephen (22)...Majoring in Education.

10 • codyKELLEY

Pitcher
5-10 • 204 • Freshman • HS
Bats: R • Throws: R
Louisville
Louisville High School



PREP: Lettered four years for the Wildcats at Louisville HS under Charlie Smith...Earned All-State honors his junior season...Garnered All-District his junior and senior seasons...Received Team MVP, RBI Man, and Most Homeruns in a season awards...**PERSONAL:** Cody Daniel Kelley...Born January 3, 1988...Son of Davis and Pam Kelley...Has one sibling, Brandie (27)...Major is undecided.

12 • claySARTAIN

Second Base
5-9 • 189 • Soph. • 1L
Bats: R • Throws: R
Southaven
Southaven High School



2006: Played in 50 games with 48 starts as a freshman...Batted .267 with eight doubles, two home runs, and 25 RBI...Connected on 44 hits in 165 plate appearances...Scored 27 runs and swiped 2-of-2 steal attempts...**2005:** Redshirted...**PREP:** Lettered for five years at Horn Lake High for David Hogue...Named All-State for one season and All-District for four seasons...Named All-Conference and All-Area for five seasons...Received the team MVP and hitting award his senior season...Helped lead the Eagles to the District Championship in 2000...**PERSONAL:** Clayton Thomas Sartain is the son of Lawrence and Marilyn Sartain of Horn Lake...Born on November 24, 1985...He has one older brother, John...Majoring in Athletic Training and minoring in Education.

Sartain's Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	50-48	.267	165	27	44	8	0	2	25	2-2	12	13
	50-48	.267	165	27	44	8	0	2	25	2-2	12	13

13 • taylorFLEMING

Pitcher
6-0 • 165 • Senior • 1L
Bats: R • Throws: R
Clarksdale
Mississippi Delta CC



2006: Made 15 appearances out of the bullpen for the Statesmen...Finished the year 1-1, with one save in 19.1 innings pitched...Allowed 15 runs (12 earned) on 15 hits with 14 strikeouts and seven walks...**MISS. DELTA:** Played two seasons for Tony Hancock at MDCC...Was team Captain in 2005...**PREP:** Lettered three seasons for Kyle Finney at Lee Academy...Garnered all conference for three seasons with the Colts...Named to the MPSA All-Stars...**PERSONAL:** William Taylor Fleming is the son of Tom and Nancy Fleming of Clarksdale...Taylor has one sister Georgia (17)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education & Recreation.

Fleming's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	15	0	5.59	1-1-1	19.1	7	14	15	15	12
	15	0	5.59	1-1-1	19.1	7	14	15	15	12



12 • Sartain

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14 • chaseHERRIN

Outfield/Third Base
5-9 • 170 • Freshman • RS
Bats: R • Throws: R
Hattiesburg
Hattiesburg High School



2006: Redshirted...**PREP:** Lettered four seasons for Larry Knight at Hattiesburg High...Recorded the highest batting average for the program...Herrin participated in the MHSAA All-Star game and was a scholar athlete...**PERSONAL:** Charles Michael Herrin is the son of Mike and Dawn Herrin of Hattiesburg...Chase has one brother Christopher (10)...Chase is majoring in Accounting and Business Administration.

16 • kyleOZBUN

Pitcher
5-7 • 155 • Senior • 1L
Bats: L • Throws: L
Webb City, Mo.
Crowder (Mo.) CC



2006: Made nine appearances out of the bullpen for the Statesmen...Posted a 1-1 record with a 10.64 ERA...Pitched 11.0 innings allowing 14 runs on 19 hits with eight strikeouts and four walks...**CROWDER:** Played two seasons for Chip Durham and the Roughriders...**PREP:** Lettered three seasons for Jim Darnell at Webb City HS...Garnered All-State honors in 2002... Holds the school record for All-Time wins and starts...**PERSONAL:** Kyle Ozburn is the son of Rick and Michelle Peoples of Webb City, MO...Kyle has two brothers Richie (12) and Marcus (17) and one sister Mollie (10)...Majoring in Management.

Ozburn's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	9	0	10.64	1-1	11.0	4	8	19	14	13
	9	0	10.64	1-1	11.0	4	8	19	14	13



16 • Ozburn

17 • chrisCLARK

Second/Third Base
6-0 • 188 • Junior • TR
Bats: L • Throws: R
Paducah, Ky.
Rend Lake (IL) CC



REND LAKE: Played two seasons under Bob Simpson at Rend Lake...Earned All-Conference, All-Region and Best Hitter honors in both seasons with the Warriors...**PREP:** Started four years under Brian Bowland at Reidland HS...Earned All-State, All-District and All-Area honors his junior and senior seasons...Garnered team MVP three years in a row...Earned Best Defensive Player his freshman year...Helped RHS to Regional Title...Also lettered in basketball...**PERSONAL:** Christopher Michael Clark...Born June 22, 1986...Son of Michael and Vanessa Clark...Has six siblings, Bridgette (44), Michelle (42), Eric (38), Erica (38), Billy (28), and Tara (26)...Majoring in Exercise Science.

18 • derekNORRIS

Catcher
6-0 • 195 • Soph. • 1L
Bats: R • Throws: R
Seminary
Seminary High School



2006: Gulf South Conference West Division Freshman of the Year... Played in 48 games with 44 starts at catcher... Batted .331 with 12 doubles, one triple, four home runs and 36 RBI...Slapped 57 hits in 172 plate appearances...Scored 23 runs...**2005:** Redshirted...**PREP:** Lettered four years at Seminary High School for Eddie Lofton...Honored as an All-State performer for three years and an All-District performer for four years... Won the Offensive Award three times and was selected as MVP in his senior year... Helped lead the Bulldogs to the 2002 and 2003 District Title and the 2003 South State Championship... Holds the school record for most homeruns in a single season and a career... Also lettered two seasons in football...**PERSONAL:** Jay Derek Norris is the son of James and Donna Norris... He was born on December 8, 1985... Has one older brother, Jeremy... Majoring in Mathematics.

Norris' Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	48-44	.331	172	23	57	12	1	4	36	4-4	7	7
	48-44	.331	172	23	57	12	1	4	36	4-4	7	7



19 • brettDURAND

Pitcher

6-2 • 190 • Junior • TR

Bats: R • Throws: R

Denham Springs, La.

LSU-Eunice CC



LSU-Eunice: Lettered two seasons at Louisiana State-Eunice under Jeff Willis...Named Most Valuable Player at the 2006 NJCAA Division II World Series...Regional Champions and World Series Champions in 2006...Finished his career with the Bengals with a 15-5 record on the mound, including 10-2 his sophomore year and a un-hittable 1.69 ERA...**PREP:** Started two seasons under Mark Carroll at Denham Springs HS...Made it to the state tournament both seasons...**PERSONAL:** Brett Burton Durand...Born May 19, 1986...Son of Trey and Tabatha Durand...Two siblings, Shane (21) and Amber (9)...Majoring in Physical Education.

21 • kodyBUMPOUS

Pitcher/First Base

6-2 • 225 • Junior • TR

Bats: R • Throws: R

Byhalia

Meridian (MS) CC



MERIDIAN: Played two seasons under Chris Rose at Meridian Community College...Won back-to-back State Championships in 2005 and 2006...Also attended LSU in 2003...**PREP:** Lettered four seasons in baseball and football under coaches Jeff Munier and Jamie Mitchell at Olive Branch HS...All-District, All-Area and All-Conference from 2001-03...Capped career with All-State honors in 2003...2003 Punter of the Year in MS...**PERSONAL:** Patrick Kody Bumpous...Born October 31, 1984...Son of Dan Bumpous and Brenda Hurt...Has two brothers Keegan (30) and Kaleb (29)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

20 • stevenCRUEY

First Base/Outfield

6-1 • 205 • Junior • TR

Bats: R • Throws: R

Richmond, Va.

East Mississippi CC



EAST MISS.: Played two years under Bill Baldner at East Mississippi Community College...Garnered Second Team All-State...Also attended Bluefield College...**PREP:** Started three seasons in football and baseball for the Eagles at Mills Godwin HS...Earned All-District in football in 2003...Second Team All-District Punter...Second Team All-Region Defensive End and Most Spirited Award...Also lettered in wrestling...**PERSONAL:** Steven Todd Cruey...Son of Jeff and Dee Brubaker...Has one sibling, Chris (22)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation.

22 • brandonBRAVATA

Outfield

5-9 • 195 • Freshman • HS

Bats: R • Throws: R

Baton Rouge, La.

Redemptorist HS



PREP: Lettered four years under head coach Chris Porche and Jason Williams at Redemptorist High School...Earned All-District honors from 2004-2006...Also lettered three years in football...Helped guide RHS to two state championships (2003 and 2005)...**PERSONAL:** Brandon Joseph Bravata...Born November 24, 1987...Son of Lynette and Randy Bravata...Has one sister, Alisha (13)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation.

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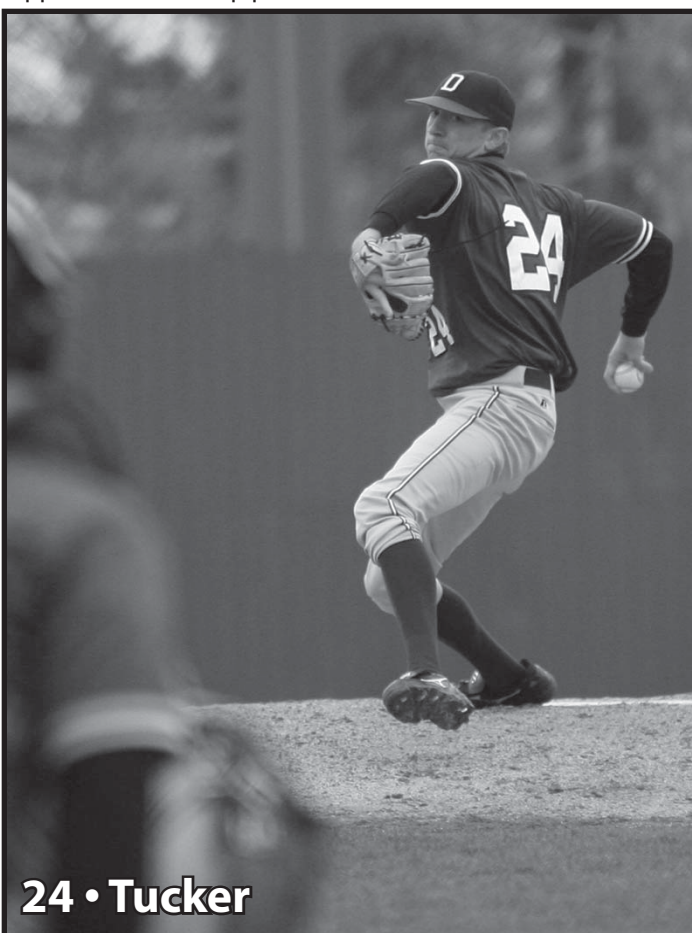


24 • robertTUCKER

Pitcher
 6-1 • 175 • Senior • 1L
 Bats: R • Throws: R
 Brooksville
 East Mississippi CC



2006: Named to the **First Team All-Gulf South Conference** squad after posting 9-3 record with 2.69 ERA...Pitched in 14 games, making 14 starts for the Statesmen...Tossed 83.2 innings allowing 32 runs on 76 hits with 28 walks and 62 strikeouts...Opponents batted just .244 against him.....**EAST MISSISSIPPI:** Played two seasons for Bill Balcher at East Mississippi CC...Earned top pitcher honors in 2004...**PREP:** Let-



24 • Tucker

tered four years for Stacey Hester at New Hope HS...Named All-State, All-District and All-Area...Garnered All-Area Player of the Year in 2003...Helped lead the Trojans to the 4A State Championship Title in 2003...**PERSONAL:** Son of Dale Tucker and Steve and Dana Douglas of Elkhart, IN...Robert has one brother David (28) and one sister Jennifer Tucker (21)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

Tucker's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	14	14	2.69	9-3-0	83.2	28	62	76	32	25
	14	14	2.69	9-3-0	83.2	28	62	76	32	25

25 • patrickWILLIAMS

Third Base/Shortstop
 5-10 • 185 • Senior • 1L
 Bats: R • Throws: R
 Crystal Springs
 Copiah-Lincoln CC



2006: Played in 36 games with 26 starts last season...Batted .277 with eight doubles, one triple, one home run, and 15 RBI...Connected on 28 hits in 101 at bats with 22 runs scored...Swiped 6-of-8 stolen base attempts...**COPIAH-LINCOLN:** Played two seasons for Keith Case and the Wolves at Copiah-Lincoln CC... Led the Wolves to Regional and Super Regional Titles in 2005...Appeared in State, Regional, and Super



25 • Williams

Regional Tournaments and the JUCO World Series...**PREP:** Lettered five seasons under Terry Baur...Received All-State honors in 2003 and All-Conference in 200-2003...Named MVP in 2000-2003 along with Best Offensive Player in 2003...**PERSONAL:** Billy Patrick Williams is the son of Rick and LeAnne Williams of Crystal Springs, MS...Patrick has one sister Lacey (19)...Majoring in Real Estate and Insurance.

Williams' Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	36-26	.277	101	22	28	8	1	1	15	6-8	8	17
	36-26	.277	101	22	28	8	1	1	15	6-8	8	17



26 • patrickSTRACK

Outfield

5-10 • 150 • Freshman • HS

Bats: R • Throws: R

North Little Rock, Ark.

Catholic HS



PREP: Started two seasons for the Rockets of Catholic High School under coach David Estes...Won Hitting award in 2006 for the Rockets...Also lettered in football...**PERSONAL:** Patrick Michael Strack...Born May 9, 1988...Son of Joe and Donna Strack...Has two siblings, Billy (24) and Laura (22)...Major is undecided.

27 • ronnyHAWLEY

Third Base

5-11 • 205 • Junior • TR

Bats: R • Throws: R

Garland, Texas

Eastfield (TX) CC



EASTFIELD: Played two seasons under Mike Martin at Eastfield Community College in Garland, TX...Racked up the awards earning All-Conference in 2005, Conference MVP in 2006, Division III World Series MVP and Division III National Player of the Year in 2006...Helped guide EFCC to NJCAA Division III National Championship in 2006...**PREP:** Started three seasons at Naaman Forest HS under Jim Farelly...Named to All-State squad in 2003-04 along with All-District in 2004...Grabbed District Most Valuable Player honors in 2004...Helped guide NFHS to a regional and district title in 2004...**PERSONAL:** Ronny Jo Hawley...Born September 25, 1985...Son of Ronny and Debbie Hawley...Three siblings, brother Chad Harris (33) and sisters Lisa (34), and Laura (31)...Majoring in Finance.

28 • justinSMITH

Pitcher

6-4 • 205 • Junior • 2L

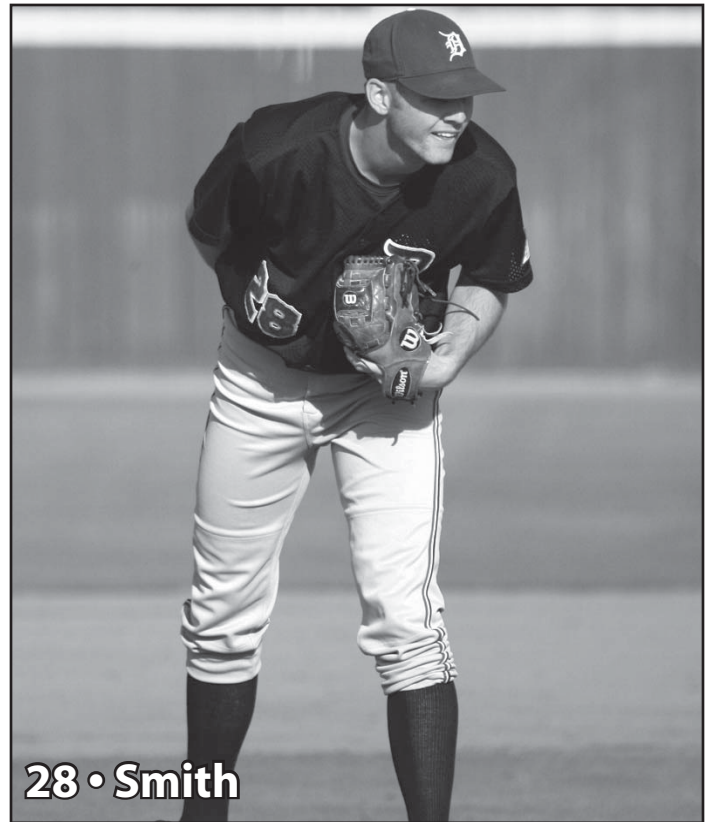
Bats: R • Throws: R

Ridgeland

Ridgeland HS



2006: Posted 2-1 record with 3.35 ERA and a team-leading five saves last season...Made 14 appearances with seven starts...Pitched 48.1 innings allowing 26 runs on 41 hits with 13 walks and 34 strikeouts...**2005:** Named to the **ABCA All-South Region Second Team** and **All-Gulf South Conference First Team** after stellar freshman season...Finished 10-5 on the season with 1.94 ERA...Made 16 starts pitching 88.0 innings



28 • Smith

allowing 33 runs (19 earned) on 76 hits with 16 walks and 78 strikeouts...Opponents batted just .224 against him last season...**PREP:** Lettered four years at Ridgeland High School for Tim Douby...Was named to the All-State and All-District Teams in 2004...**PERSONAL:** Justin Daniel Smith is the son of Gary and Vicky Smith of Ridgeland... He was born on August 21, 1986... He has one brother, Chris and one sister, Jessica...Majoring in Biology and minoring in Chemistry.

Smith's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	14	7	3.35	2-1-5	48.1	13	34	41	26	18
'05	16	16	1.94	10-5-0	88.0	16	78	76	33	19
	30	23	2.44	12-6-5	136.1	29	112	117	59	29



Jones • Quinton

Matt Jones (L) returns for his sixth season as the "Voice of Statesmen Baseball." 2007 Statesmen baseball broadcasts can be heard on Majic 107.5 FM and internet at www.GoStatesmen.com.



29 • chrisWEAST

Pitcher/Shortstop
6-2 • 195 • Senior • 1L
Bats: R • Throws: R
Star City, Ark.
Univ. of Arkansas



2006: Named to **All-Gulf South Conference Second Team...** Played in 52 games with 47 starts at either third base or pitcher...Made 11 appearances with nine starts, posting an 8-2 record on the mound with a 3.44 ERA...Pitched 65.1 innings allowing 33 runs on 67 hits...Tallied 27 walks and 33 strikeouts...Batted .305 with 54 hits in 177 plate appearances... Scored 41 runs with three doubles and 14 RBI...Swiped 10-of-



29 • Weast

13 bases...**2005:** Redshirted...**UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS/UA-MONTICELLO:** Transferred to UA after two seasons at UAM, but never saw action for the Razorbacks...**2004:** Lettered two years at the Univ. of Arkansas-Monticello...Saw action as a utility infielder and pitcher for the Boll Weevils...**PREP:** Played three seasons for Greg Easter at Star City High in Star City, Ark....Garnered All-State, All-District, All-Area and All-Conference while at SCHS...**PERSONAL:** Christopher Lynn Weast was born on July 17, 1984...Son of Donnie and Debbie Weast...Has one brother, Brad (24)...Majoring in Exercise Science.

Weast's Career Pitching Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	11	9	3.44	8-2-0	65.1	27	36	67	33	25
	11	9	3.44	8-2-0	65.1	27	36	67	33	25

Weast's Career Batting Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	54-47	.305	177	41	54	3	0	0	14	10-13	13	15
	54-47	.305	177	41	54	3	0	0	14	10-13	13	15

30 • alexLOVE

Pitcher
6-2 • 175 • Junior • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Owensboro, Ky.
Wabash Valley (IL) CC



WABASH VALLEY CC: Pitched two years for Coach Rob Fournier and the Warriors...Named All-Conference and All-Region his sophomore year...**PREP:** Started four years for Jeff Hurley and the Panthers at Daviess County High in Owensboro, Ky....Named All-Conference in 2003 and 2004... All-State selection in 2004...**PERSONAL:** Alexander Stanfield Love...Son of Todd and Marilyn Love of Owensboro Ky...Alex has two siblings, Jordan (28) and Adam (25)...Majoring in Criminal Justice.

32 • tylerBREWER

Pitcher
6-2 • 185 • Senior • 3L
Bats: L • Throws: L
Batesville
South Panola HS



2006: Finished the year 0-1 with a 6.23 ERA...Made 12 appearances with three starts for the Statesmen...Pitched 26.0 innings allowing 21 runs (18 earned) on 32 hits with nine walks and 25 strikeouts...**2005:** Finished the season with a 4-0 record and a 5.23 ERA...Made 16 appearances with seven starts for the Statesmen...Pitched 41.1 innings allowing 26 runs (24 earned) on 53 hits with 18 walks and 43 strikeouts...**2004:** Finished the season 4-2 with one save and a 3.81 ERA...Pitched two of the biggest games of his career against Central Missouri State in the CWS...Tossed 4.2 innings allowing five hits and two runs vs. CMSU on May 23...Worked one inning against GVSU in the National Championship game allowing two hits and one run...**PREP:** Earned four letters for coach Patrick Robey at South Panola High...Finished senior year with a 5-5 record...Named SPHS MVP sophomore through senior years...**PERSONAL:** Full name is Matthew Tyler Brewer...Born July 16, 1985...Son of Randy and Malia Brewer...Has two siblings, Tony and Amanda...Majoring in Business.

Brewer's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	12	3	6.23	0-1-1	26.0	9	25	32	21	18
'05	16	7	5.23	4-0-0	41.1	18	43	53	26	24
'04	14	5	3.81	4-2-1	52.0	20	36	44	28	22
	42	15	4.83	8-3-2	119.1	47	104	129	75	64



34 • brettBOYKIN

Catcher

6-0 • 185 • Junior • 2L

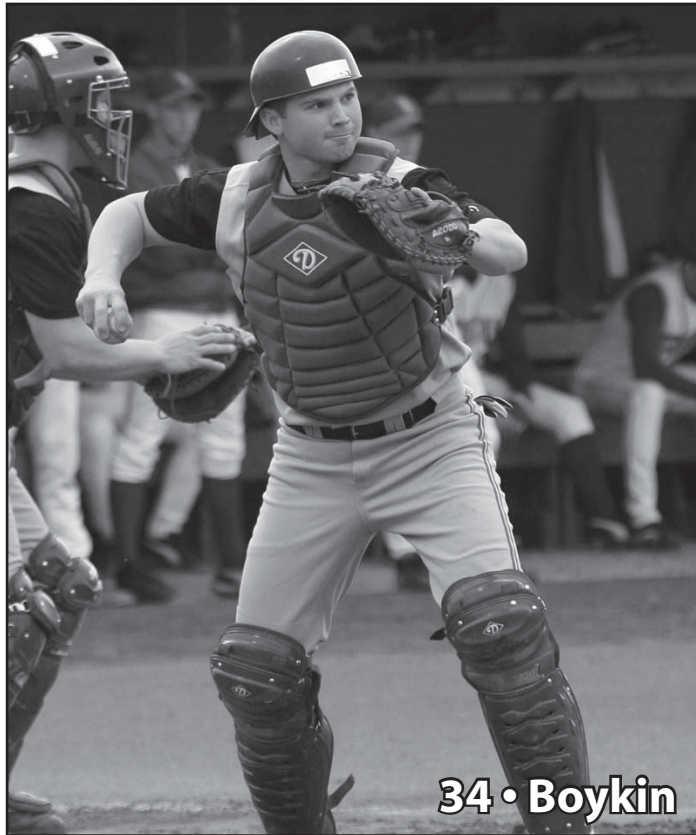
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Hollandale

Deer Creek Academy



2006: Played in 21 games with starts last season...Batted .372 with 16 hits in 43 plate appearances...Scored nine runs with three doubles, one triple, and 13 RBI...Did not commit an error in 21 games...**2005:** Saw action in 14 games...Batted .333 with one home run and three RBI...Connected on a two-run blast versus Pace University (2/27) in his first career at bat...**2004:** Red-shirted... Claimed the Neal Dennis Freshman Academic



34 • Boykin

Excellence Award...**PREP:** Started six seasons at Deer Creek Academy for Steve Adams... Was selected twice to All-state and All-District teams... Selected four times as All-Conference... Led Warriors to the 2002 State Championship... Batted .515 with 19 homeruns...**PERSONAL:** Brett Chapman Boykin... Son of Bart and Leslie Boykin... Born on October 2, 1984 and has one younger brother, John... His father was a catcher for the University of Mississippi... Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

Boykin's Career Statistics

Yr.	G-GS	BA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-SBA	BB	K
'06	21-12	.372	43	9	16	3	1	0	13	0-1	4	0
'05	14-0	.333	6	2	2	0	0	1	3	0-1	5	6
	35-12	.367	49	11	18	3	1	1	16	0-2	9	6

35 • rustyRAYBORN

Pitcher

6-2 • 205 • Senior • 3L

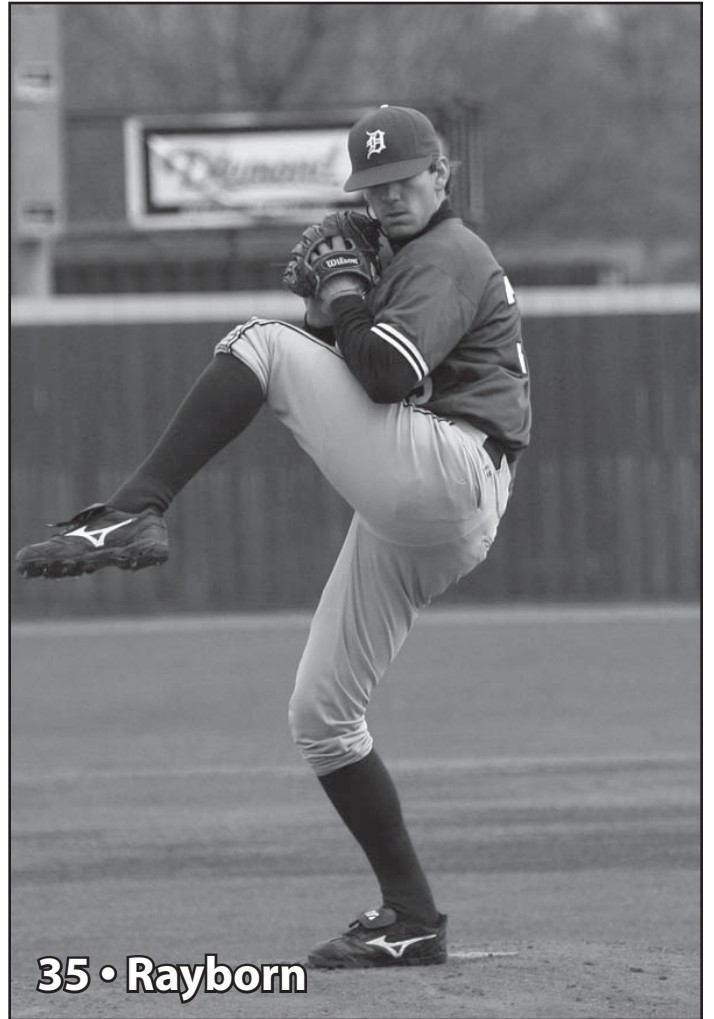
Bats: R • Throws: R

Tylertown

Parklane Academy



2006: One of the top starting pitchers in the nation last season...Posted an 11-2 record with a stellar 1.89 ERA...Made 15 appearances with 14 starts...Pitched 114.0 innings allowing 33 runs (24 earned) on 88 hits with 22 walks and 74 strikeouts...



35 • Rayborn

Opponents batted just .214 against him...Named **Gulf South Conference West Division Pitcher of the Year** and **First Team All-GSC**...Garnered **Second Team American Baseball Coaches Association All-American, ABCA South Central Region Pitcher of the Year,** and **ABCA First Team Team All-South Central Region** honors...**2005:** Emerged as a dominant force on the mound for the Statesmen...Started the season in the bullpen before moving to the starting rotation... Finished the season 11-0 with an amazing 1.19 ERA...Made 19 appearances on the season with seven starts and two saves... Pitched 83 innings allowing 15 runs (11 earned) with 20 walks



35 • Rayborn

and 69 strikeouts...Opponents batted .201 against him...Started the opening game of the NCAA College World Series versus Chico State (5/28) pitching eight shutout innings with two strikeouts...Garnered **First Team All-Gulf South Conference** and **Second Team ABCA All-South Central Region...2004:** Saw action in four games for the Statesmen...pitched 4.1 innings with a 12.46 ERA... **PREP:** Earned three varsity letters for Ken Jackson at Parklane Academy... Guided the Pioneers to the 2000 and 2001 MPSA State Championship... Garnered MPSA All-Star (South) Most Valuable Player... Earned varsity letters in football and soccer at PA... **PERSONAL:** Full name is Russell Nolan Rayburn... Son of Nolan and Linda Rayburn... Born on January 8, 1985... Has two siblings, Amy and Dale... Majoring in Business.

Rayborn's Career Statistics

Yr.	APP	GS	ERA	W-L-S	IP	BB	SO	H	R	ER
'06	15	14	1.89	11-2-1	114.0	22	74	88	33	24
'05	19	7	1.19	11-0-1	83.0	20	69	60	15	11
'04	4	0	12.46	0-0-0	4.1	5	3	4	8	6
	38	21	1.83	22-2-2	201.1	47	146	152	56	41

Rayborn's Career Rankings at Delta State

Victories: Tied-Eighth (22)
Earned Run Average: Third (1.83)

36 • matthewLITTLE

Outfield
5-11 • 175 • Soph. • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Brandon
Hind (MS) CC



2006: Redshirted... **HINDS:** Played one year at Hinds CC under coach Sam Temple... Also lettered in football... **PREP:** Lettered two years for the Cougars of Northwest Rankin HS under Jeff McClasky... Earned All-District and All-State... **PERSONAL:** Matthew Wiley Little... Born November 11, 1985... Son of Jeff and Lisa Little... Has two siblings, Carli (17), and Lanie (10)... Majoring in Real Estate and Insurance.



38 • jarekWEST

Outfield
5-10 • 205 • Junior • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Cincinnati, Ohio
St. Catherine College



SUMMER LEAGUE: Named one of *Baseball America's Top 10 Summer League Prospects for 2006*...Tabbed Mountain Collegiate Baseball League's Top Prospect...**ST. CATHERINE'S:** Played two years at St. Catherine College for Luther Bramblett...Holds the record for stolen bases and batting average (.464) in a season...Guided SCC to NJCAA Super Regionals his sophomore year...**PREP:** Lettered two years at Princeton High School under Rocky Hubbard...Earned All-Conference in 2002, MVP in 2003, and All-District in 2004...Holds the school record for stolen bases in a career...Also lettered in football...**PERSONAL:** Jareck D. West...Born April 30, 1985...Son of Jacqueline West...Has three siblings, Derek Jr. (18), Dorian (16), and Joshua (14)...Majoring in Business Management.

41 • brentDAVIDSON

First Base
6-3 • 215 • Junior • TR
Bats: L • Throws: R
Evansville, Indiana
Wabash Valley (IL) CC



WABASH VALLEY: Played one year under head coach Rob Fournier...Also attended the University of South Carolina-Erskine...**PREP:** Started four years for the Bears at Evansville HS under head coach Jason Engelbrecht...Earned All-State and All-Area honors in 2004, All-District from 2003-2004 and All-Conference from 2002-04...Also lettered in basketball...**PERSONAL:** Brent Allen Davidson...Born October 22, 1985...Son of Richard and Tina Davidson...Has one sibling, Craig (27)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation.

39 • cesarRODRIQUEZ

Pitcher
6-3 • 215 • Junior • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Miami, Florida
Jackson (TN) State CC



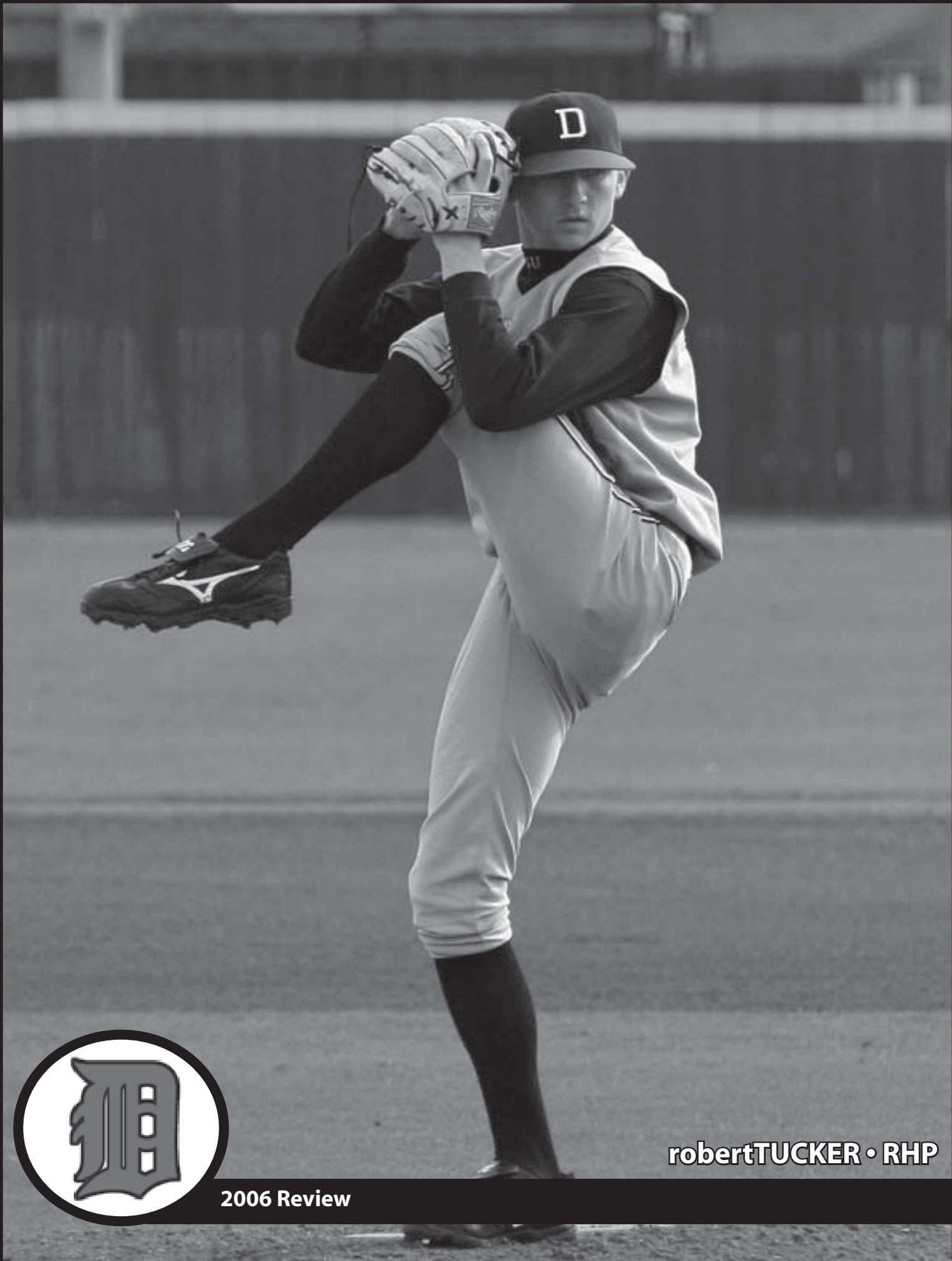
JACKSON (TN) STATE: Played two seasons at Jackson State (TN) CC for Steve Cornelison...Also attended Relleuve University...**PREP:** Lettered one year at Miami Sunset HS under Mandy Pelaez...Earned an All-Dade Honorable Mention...**PERSONAL:** Cesar Augusto Rodriguez...Born February 5, 1986...Son of Lourdes and Marciano Rodriguez...Has two siblings Marurelis (25), and Jose (18)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation.

42 • codyMARSHALL

Outfield
6-3 • 225 • Junior • TR
Bats: R • Throws: R
Jacksonville, Illinois
Elgin (IL) CC



ELGIN: Played one year at Eglin (Ill) CC under Bill Angelo...Earned a NJCAA World Series berth...Helped guide Spartans to Conference, Region, and Sectional titles in 2006...**PREP:** Started three seasons at Jacksonville HS for coach Anthony Rogers...Earned All-District and All-Area honors in baseball, and All-State accolades in basketball...Holds school record for outfield assists in a season with 11...Also lettered in basketball...**PERSONAL:** Jonathan Cody Marshall...Born July 16, 1984...Son of David and Judy Marshall...Has two siblings, Jarred (26) and Gabe (18)...Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation with a minor in Sports Psychology.



2006 Review

robertTUCKER • RHP



2006 Season Review

The 2006 Statesmen baseball season was one of many highs and lows. After finishing the season 37-15 on their way to a 13th consecutive Gulf South Conference Western Division title, the diamond Statesmen bowed out of the conference tournament after just two games. Even holding down the top spot in the regional poll the entire season wasn't enough as the "Men in Green" were left out of the NCAA tournament for the first time since 1998.

"Working hard everyday and executing at the right time is important to long term success," said head coach Mike Kinnison. "Showing up is just not enough."

One player that always seemed to get the job done was pitcher Rusty Rayborn. In his 15 appearances during 2006, the Tylertown native won 11 games while losing only two. His 1.89 ERA in 114 innings pitched was by far the best on the Statesmen staff. It was his second straight season to finish

with an ERA of less than two.

Kinnison put it best saying, "Rusty is the type of player we always hope to get. He's a fighter that leaves everything on the field. That's the type of leadership that wins championships."

The surprise of the 2006 season was newcomer and former Arkansas-Monticello Boll Weevil, Chris Weast. Not only was he a threat at the plate, the Star City, Ark. native emerged as a threat on the mound. His dominance as a pitcher landed him the third spot in the weekend rotation and produced an 8-2 record insuring the strength of the staff from top to bottom.

No surprise to any Statesmen fan was the seemingly endless supply of senior leadership both on and off the field. Seniors Gary Scott Gabbert, of Southaven, Bryan Williamson, of Fulton, and Hunter Johnson, of Montgomery Ala. led the squad in almost every offensive category. The "Three Horsemen" accounted for 16 of the 33 homeruns and 151 of 331 RBI's collected on the season. Williamson led the GSC in doubles with 24 while Gabbert's .385 batting average was good enough for seventh. To prove there was more to being an asset to the team, other than swinging a big stick, both Johnson and Williamson shined in the field as well.

"Those guys practiced hard at every phase of the game," offered Kinnison. "And when it was time, they found a way to get it done."

All in all, the 2006 season will be remembered as a solid season in the history of the Delta State baseball program. Solid, however, is not what Statesmen baseball is about. While some consider last season good, others see what could have been. A player said it best, "If we're not the best, we're not where we need to be." That's the sign of a true champion.



Former Statesmen Hunter Johnson makes the play vs. UNA

2007 STATESMEN BASEBALL



2006 Statesmen Baseball
 Game Results for Delta State (as of Feb 06, 2007)
 (All games)

Game date	Opposing team	Score	r	h	e/	r	h	e	Inns	Overall	Gulf	South	Pitcher of record
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Feb 04, 2006	Bryant University	W 12-5	12	14	1/	5	10	5	9	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 1-0)	
Feb 04, 2006	Bryant University	W 5-1	5	10	2/	1	4	0	7	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	Smith, J. (W 1-0)	
Feb 05, 2006	Bryant University	W 8-1	8	11	1/	1	5	2	9	3- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	Tucker, R. (W 1-0)	
Feb 07, 2006	Belhaven College	2-5 L	2	7	4/	5	7	1	9	3- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	Brewer, T. (L 0-1)	
Feb 11, 2006	#25 West Florida	W 5-4	5	10	1/	4	9	0	9	4- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 2-0)	
Feb 12, 2006	#25 West Florida	8-9 L	8	14	2/	9	12	1	9	4- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	Williamson (L 0-1)	
Feb 12, 2006	#25 West Florida	W 6-5	6	9	2/	5	9	0	7	5- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	Tucker, R. (W 2-0)	
Feb 15, 2006	Miss. Valley State	W 13-9	13	17	3/	9	14	1	9	6- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	Beach, C. (W 1-0)	
02/21/06	at #20 Columbus State	0-3 L	0	8	0/	3	7	0	9	6- 3- 0	0- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (L 2-1)	
02/22/06	at #20 Columbus State	1-11 L	1	2	3/11	15	0	7	6- 4- 0	0- 0- 0	Ozbun, K. (L 0-1)		
02/24/06	vs #10 Tampa	7-10 L	7	14	5/10	15	2	9	6- 5- 0	0- 0- 0	Smith, J. (L 1-1)		
Feb 26, 2006	vs Quincy	W 9-4	9	15	3/	4	9	1	9	7- 5- 0	0- 0- 0	Weast, C. (W)	
Feb 26, 2006	vs U. Alabama Huntsvill	W 10-3	10	12	4/	3	7	4	9	8- 5- 0	0- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (W)	
Mar 01, 2006	at North Alabama	4-11 L	4	7	3/11	16	1	7	8- 6- 0	0- 0- 0	Savell, C. (L 0-1)		
Mar 02, 2006	at North Alabama	W 7-6	7	10	6/	6	6	3	7	9- 6- 0	0- 0- 0	Williamson (W 1-1)	
Mar 04, 2006	at #5 West Alabama	W 7-2	7	14	1/	2	8	1	9	10- 6- 0	0- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 4-1)	
Mar 04, 2006	at #5 West Alabama	W 9-5	9	12	3/	5	7	2	7	11- 6- 0	0- 0- 0	Weast, C. (W 2-0)	
Mar 05, 2006	at #5 West Alabama	2-3 L	2	10	1/	3	4	0	9	11- 7- 0	0- 0- 0	Beach, C. (L 1-1)	
Mar 07, 2006	at Union University	W 7-3	7	9	2/	3	6	3	(10)	12- 7- 0	0- 0- 0	Beach, C. (W 2-1)	
Mar 08, 2006	at Jackson State	W 11-6	11	15	1/	6	9	4	9	13- 7- 0	0- 0- 0	Tucker, R. (W)	
*3/11/06	Southern Arkansas	W 10-4	10	11	4/	4	5	1	9	14- 7- 0	1- 0- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 5-1)	
*3/11/06	Southern Arkansas	W 10-4	10	13	0/	4	6	1	7	15- 7- 0	2- 0- 0	Weast, C. (W 3-0)	
*3/12/06	Southern Arkansas	W 17-15	17	19	5/15	18	3	(11)	16- 7- 0	3- 0- 0	Williamson (W 2-1)		
Mar 14, 2006	at Montevallo	3-5 L	3	7	0/	5	9	3	9	16- 8- 0	3- 0- 0	Tucker, R. (L 3-2)	
Mar 15, 2006	at Montevallo	W 11-6	11	17	1/	6	6	1	9	17- 8- 0	3- 0- 0	Bridges, K. (W 1-0)	
*3-18-06	at #20 Central Arkansas	7-8 L	7	15	1/	8	14	0	9	17- 9- 0	3- 1- 0	Beach, C. (L 2-2)	
*3-18-06	at Central Arkansas	W 3-1	3	5	1/	1	3	1	7	18- 9- 0	4- 1- 0	Weast, C. (W 4-0)	
*Mar 19, 2006	at #20 Central Arkansas	W 5-1	5	6	0/	1	6	2	9	19- 9- 0	5- 1- 0	Tucker, R. (W 4-2)	
Mar 22, 2006	at William Carey	W 7-5	7	12	0/	5	8	3	9	20- 9- 0	5- 1- 0	Fleming, T. (W 1-0)	
*Mar 25, 2006	Henderson State	W 2-0	2	6	0/	0	6	1	9	21- 9- 0	6- 1- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 6-1)	
*Mar 25, 2006	Henderson State	5-6 L	5	9	0/	6	10	2	7	21-10- 0	6- 2- 0	Weast, C. (L 4-1)	
*Mar 26, 2006	Henderson State	W 5-2	5	9	1/	2	7	2	9	22-10- 0	7- 2- 0	Tucker, R. (W 5-1)	
*Apr 01, 2006	at Harding	W 8-1	8	15	1/	1	2	2	9	23-10- 0	8- 2- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 7-1)	
*Apr 01, 2006	at Harding	W 5-3	5	5	0/	3	6	2	7	24-10- 0	9- 2- 0	Weast, C. (W 5-2)	
*Apr 02, 2006	at Harding	W 13-3	13	17	2/	3	7	3	9	25-10- 0	10- 2- 0	Tucker, R. (W 6-1)	
Apr 05, 2006	at Mississippi Valley	7-11 L	7	12	4/11	12	0	9	25-11- 0	10- 2- 0	Williamson (L)		
*Apr 08, 2006	Arkansas Tech	W 9-3	9	14	3/	3	8	2	9	26-11- 0	11- 2- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 8-1)	
*Apr 08, 2006	Arkansas Tech	2-4 L	2	7	1/	4	7	0	7	26-12- 0	11- 3- 0	Weast, C. (L 5-2)	
*Apr 09, 2006	Arkansas Tech	W 10-0	10	14	1/	0	2	1	7	27-12- 0	12- 3- 0	Tucker, R. (W 7-1)	
Apr 12, 2006	William Carey	12-17 L	12	11	6/17	19	0	9	27-13- 0	12- 3- 0	Fleming, T. (L)		
*Apr 14, 2006	at Christian Brothers	W 3-0	3	6	1/	0	5	2	9	28-13- 0	13- 3- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 9-1)	
*Apr 14, 2006	at Christian Brothers	W 6-3	6	12	1/	3	6	0	7	29-13- 0	14- 3- 0	Weast, C. (W 6-2)	
*Apr 15, 2006	at Christian Brothers	W 6-5	6	13	1/	5	8	2	9	30-13- 0	15- 3- 0	Tucker, R. (W 8-1)	
Apr 18, 2006	U. Alabama Huntsvill	W 12-2	12	10	1/	2	3	5	7	31-13- 0	15- 3- 0	Smith, J. (W 2-1)	
Apr 19, 2006	U. Alabama Huntsvill	W 16-6	16	17	1/	6	8	6	7	32-13- 0	15- 3- 0	Ozbun, K. (W 1-1)	
*Apr 22, 2006	at Arkansas-Monticello	W 4-2	4	8	1/	2	6	1	9	33-13- 0	16- 3- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 10-1)	
*Apr 22, 2006	at Arkansas-Monticello	W 11-2	11	13	2/	2	6	2	7	34-13- 0	17- 3- 0	Weast, C. (W 7-2)	
*Apr 23, 2006	at Arkansas-Monticello	W 11-0	11	17	1/	0	5	4	9	35-13- 0	18- 3- 0	Tucker, R. (W 9-1)	
Apr 25, 2006	at Belhaven College	4-5 L	4	9	3/	5	6	1	9	35-14- 0	18- 3- 0	Beach, C. (L 2-3)	
*Apr 29, 2006	Ouachita Bapt	W 2-1	2	8	0/	1	8	1	9	36-14- 0	19- 3- 0	Rayborn, R. (W 11-1)	
*Apr 30, 2006	Ouachita Bapt	W 11-4	11	16	0/	4	13	4	9	37-14- 0	20- 3- 0	Weast, C. (W)	
*Apr 30, 2006	Ouachita Bapt	4-7 L	4	7	1/	7	13	1	7	37-15- 0	20- 4- 0	Tucker, R. (L 9-2)	
May 06, 2006	vs West Florida	2-4 L	2	6	2/	4	6	1	9	37-16- 0	20- 4- 0	Rayborn, R. (L 11-2)	
May 07, 2006	vs #26 West Alabama	3-4 L	3	5	3/	4	7	2	9	37-17- 0	20- 4- 0	Tucker, R. (L 9-3)	

() extra inning game



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2006 Statesmen Baseball Overall Statistics for Delta State (as of Feb 06, 2007) (All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 37-17 Home: 17-6 Away: 18-8 Neutral: 2-3 Gulf South: 20-4

Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E
10 G.S. Gabbert.....	.385	49-48	187	55	72	15	2	3	29	100	.535	22	5	27	3	.456	3	3	16-18	21	34	9
4 Bryan Williamson..	.378	54-54	209	48	79	24	2	12	71	143	.684	24	5	35	1	.439	8	0	7-12	57	10	5
21 Hunter Johnson...	.372	51-51	196	29	73	10	3	1	52	92	.469	13	16	14	5	.449	2	0	8-12	472	31	8
18 Derek Norris.....	.331	48-44	172	23	57	12	1	4	36	83	.483	7	7	18	4	.380	1	1	4-4	257	43	10
1 Hunter Jobes.....	.323	52-51	192	46	62	9	2	3	27	84	.438	25	10	38	0	.427	0	1	13-16	95	7	4
29 Chris Weast.....	.305	52-47	177	41	54	3	0	0	14	57	.322	13	7	15	4	.372	2	3	10-13	39	100	12
19 Tucker Bullard...	.283	50-46	173	27	49	5	1	2	28	62	.358	16	3	26	0	.352	1	0	7-8	85	1	2
12 Clay Sartain.....	.267	50-48	165	27	44	8	0	2	25	58	.352	12	7	13	4	.332	6	2	2-2	101	121	5

34 Brett Boykin.....	.372	21-12	43	9	16	3	1	0	13	21	.488	5	2	6	1	.460	0	1	0-1	48	11	0
6 Devin Goodwin....	.307	36-33	114	24	35	7	0	3	13	51	.447	12	2	5	2	.383	0	2	4-7	50	116	13
25 Patrick Williams..	.277	36-26	101	22	28	8	1	1	15	41	.406	8	4	17	2	.354	0	1	6-8	24	72	17
37 Nathan Sanders...	.222	11-2	9	4	2	1	0	0	2	3	.333	4	1	2	0	.500	0	0	0-0	7	0	0
22 Eli Dew.....	.182	15-6	22	7	4	0	0	2	6	10	.455	3	1	8	0	.308	0	0	0-0	16	2	0
9 Matt Teale.....	.071	13-3	14	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	.071	2	1	1	0	.235	0	0	0-0	32	4	1
36 Colby Beach.....	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	3	4	0
Totals.....	.322	54-54	1838	379	591	108	13	33	332	824	.448	172	74	234	26	.397	23	15	79-103	1340	645	97
Opponents.....	.258	54-54	1707	250	440	73	5	17	200	574	.336	146	58	322	30	.335	10	24	49-71	1319	597	93

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA :
35 Rusty Rayborn....	1.89	11-2	15	14	9	2/0	1	114.0	88	33	24	22	74	15	0	2	411	.214	4	13	2	1
24 Robert Tucker....	2.69	9-3	14	14	2	1/1	0	83.2	76	32	25	28	62	20	2	1	311	.244	6	11	1	0
28 Justin Smith.....	3.35	2-1	14	7	1	0/0	5	48.1	41	26	18	13	34	6	0	1	187	.219	3	6	2	0
29 Chris Weast.....	3.44	8-2	11	9	3	0/0	0	65.1	67	33	25	27	36	8	0	4	248	.270	10	3	0	3
40 Cody Savell.....	4.09	0-1	5	2	0	0/0	0	11.0	15	10	5	5	9	1	1	0	49	.306	2	2	1	0
8 Korey Cunningham.	4.50	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	4	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	10	.400	0	0	1	0
13 Taylor Fleming...	5.59	1-1	15	0	0	0/1	1	19.1	15	15	12	7	14	3	1	0	72	.208	3	8	2	0
4 Bryan Williamson.	5.90	2-2	11	4	0	0/0	1	29.0	38	27	19	6	17	2	0	2	121	.314	5	2	2	2
32 Tyler Brewer.....	6.23	0-1	12	3	0	0/0	1	26.0	32	21	18	9	25	5	0	0	103	.311	3	8	4	0
36 Colby Beach.....	9.22	2-3	11	1	0	0/0	1	13.2	17	19	14	12	18	3	0	3	54	.315	3	2	1	2
16 Kyle Ozbun.....	10.64	1-1	9	0	0	0/0	0	11.0	19	14	13	4	8	5	1	1	48	.396	2	0	0	0
38 John Beggerly....	18.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	5	.400	0	0	0	0
27 Brian Leach.....	22.50	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	6	5	5	2	1	1	0	1	12	.500	1	1	1	0
30 Conner Douglas...	99.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.0	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	1	3	1.000	1	0	0	0
Totals.....	3.85	37-17	54	54	15	4/1	11	446.2	440	250	191	146	322	73	5	17	1707	.258	45	58	18	10
Opponents.....	6.43	17-37	54	54	10	1/1	5	439.2	591	379	314	172	234	108	13	33	1838	.322	50	74	7	23



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6.....	Frank Smith, 2001.....	93
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8.....	Timbo Baird, 1981.....	91
9.....	Brian Rea, 1999.....	91
10.....	Marcus Van Every, 2001.....	91
11.....	Eli Whiteside, 2001.....	90
12.....	Steven Tomaszewski, 2001.....	90

RUNS BATTED IN

1.....	Dee Haynes, 1999.....	92
2.....	Dee Haynes, 2000.....	87
3.....	Marcus Van Every, 2001.....	81
4.....	Jud Thigpen, 2004.....	80
5.....	Andy Dillard, 2002.....	80
6.....	Craig Newton, 2005.....	76
7.....	Jud Thigpen, 2003.....	76
8.....	Bert Pickard, 2004.....	75
9.....	Eli Whiteside, 2001.....	75
10.....	Dee Haynes, 1998.....	74
11.....	Steven Tomaszewski, 2002.....	74
12.....	Bryan Williamson, 2006.....	71
13.....	Brett Donahoo, 2005.....	70
14.....	Casey Myrick, 1998.....	66

HOMERUNS

1.....	Dee Haynes, 1999.....	26
2.....	Dee Haynes, 2000.....	22
3.....	Dee Haynes, 1998.....	21
4.....	Mike Plumlee, 1992.....	18
5.....	Mike Moore, 1984.....	18
6.....	A.J. Downs, 2000.....	16
7.....	Craig Newton, 2005.....	15
8.....	Mark Broome, 2004.....	15
9.....	John Edwards, 1981.....	15
10.....	Mark Hayes, 1988.....	15
11.....	Jason Cochran, 1999.....	15
12.....	Jud Thigpen, 2003.....	15
13.....	Jud Thigpen, 2004.....	14

TRIPLES

1.....	Brett Donahoo, 2005.....	8
2.....	Edwin Maysonet, 2002.....	8
3.....	Kelly Dickinson, 1990.....	7
4.....	Steve Adams, 1970.....	6
5.....	Ricky Hearn, 1979.....	6
6.....	Heath Bailey, 1995.....	6
7.....	Rodney Batts, 1996.....	6
8.....	Eli Whiteside, 2001.....	6

SEASON RECORDS

DOUBLES

1.....	Mike Kinnison, 1978.....	25
2.....	Dee Haynes, 1999.....	25
3.....	Edwin Maysonet, 2003.....	25
4.....	Bryan Williamson, 2006.....	24
5.....	Jud Thigpen, 2004.....	24
6.....	Craig Newton, 2005.....	23
7.....	Jason Page, 1994.....	23
8.....	Brian Parkton, 2001.....	23
9.....	Spencer Holman, 1997.....	23
10.....	Marcus Van Every, 2001.....	22
11.....	Steven Tomaszewski, 2002.....	22
12.....	Jud Thigpen, 2003.....	22
13.....	Craig Newton, 2004.....	20
14.....	Bert Pickard, 2004.....	20

TOTAL BASES

1.....	Dee Haynes, 1999.....	197
2.....	Jud Thigpen, 2004.....	182
3.....	Dee Haynes, 2000.....	176
4.....	Dee Haynes, 1998.....	164
5.....	Mark Broome, 2004.....	160
6.....	Andy Dillard, 2002.....	156
7.....	Craig Newton, 2005.....	155
8.....	Jud Thigpen, 2003.....	154
9.....	Steven Tomaszewski, 2002.....	150
10.....	Marcus Van Every, 2000.....	148

RUNS SCORED

1.....	Dee Haynes, 2000.....	88
2.....	Brian Rea, 2000.....	87
3.....	Mark Broome, 2004.....	86
4.....	Frank Smith, 2001.....	86
5.....	Eric Patten, 2004.....	80
6.....	Dee Haynes, 1999.....	76
7.....	Bradley Clay, 2000.....	76
8.....	Marcus Van Every, 2001.....	76
9.....	Brett Donahoo, 2005.....	75
10.....	A.J. Downs, 2000.....	73
11.....	Heath Bailey, 1996.....	71
12.....	Eli Whiteside, 2000.....	71

BASE ON BALLS

1.....	Mike Kraft, 1988.....	63
2.....	Andy Dillard, 2003.....	44
3.....	Bubba McBrain, 1977.....	43
4.....	Brad Armstrong, 1982.....	43
5.....	Bubba McBrain, 1978.....	42
6.....	Ronald Davis, 1981.....	42
7.....	Mike Patterson, 1988.....	42
8.....	Will Lowrey, 1997.....	42
9.....	Eric Patten, 2003.....	42
10.....	Jeff McClaskey, 1985.....	41

STOLEN BASES

1.....	Kelly Dickinson, 1990.....	41
2.....	Heath Bailey, 1996.....	33
3.....	Frank Smith, 2001.....	33
4.....	Bubba McBrain, 1977.....	28
5.....	Heath Bailey, 1995.....	27
6.....	Rodney Batts, 1996.....	27
7.....	Edwin Maysonet, 2003.....	23
8.....	Mark Broome, 2004.....	21
9.....	Jud Thigpen.....	20
10.....	Eric Patten, 2003.....	19
11.....	Three others tied with.....	19

GAMES PLAYED

1.....	Jud Thigpen, 2004.....	65
2.....	Clay Smith, 2004.....	65
3.....	Eric Patten, 2004.....	65
4.....	Bert Pickard, 2004.....	65
5.....	Mark Broome, 2004.....	64
6.....	Craig Newton, 2004.....	63
7.....	Brett Donahoo, 2004.....	63
8.....	11 tied with.....	62

EARNED RUN AVERAGE

1.....	Matt Miller, 1995.....	0.36
2.....	Joe DiFabio, 1965.....	0.55
3.....	Joseph Davenport, 2002.....	0.66
4.....	Pete Albritton, 1973.....	0.73
5.....	Doug Grantham, 1969.....	1.02
6.....	Doug Grantham, 1968.....	1.04
7.....	Rusty Rayborn, 2005.....	1.19
8.....	Morris Wiltshire, 1969.....	1.19
9.....	Bryan Nobile, 2000.....	1.26
10.....	Chris Reed, 2003.....	1.31
11.....	J.D. Robinson, 1996.....	1.39

APPEARANCES

1.....	Chad Smith, 1997.....	30
2.....	Matt Miller, 1995.....	28
3.....	J.D. Robinson, 1996.....	28
4.....	Christian Ostrander, 1995.....	25
5.....	Dusty Hughes, 2002.....	25
6.....	Brent Leach, 2005.....	24
7.....	Bryan Nobile, 2000.....	24
8.....	Warren Guerriero, 1990.....	23
9.....	Jeff Gunn, 1991.....	23
10.....	Bubba Dixon, 1994.....	23
11.....	Christian Ostrander, 1996.....	23

VICTORIES

1.....	Bubba Dixon, 1994.....	16
2.....	Dave Townsend, 1996.....	16
3.....	Jeremy McClain, 1999 (No loses).....	15
4.....	Ron Hogan, 1988.....	14
5.....	Brad Lightsey, 2005.....	13
6.....	Brad Teague, 1991.....	13
7.....	Jeff Gregg, 1994.....	12
8.....	Josh Melton, 1996.....	12
9.....	Jeremy McClain, 1996.....	12
10.....	Josh Barton, 2004.....	12
11.....	Rusty Rayborn, 2006.....	11
12.....	Six others tied with.....	11

STRIKEOUTS

1.....	Bubba Dixon, 1994.....	177
2.....	Dave Townsend, 1996.....	145
3.....	Jeff Gregg, 1994.....	110
4.....	Stewart Cliburn, 1977.....	101
5.....	Jeremy McClain, 1999.....	101
6.....	Tom Hostetler, 1987.....	99

INNINGS PITCHED

1.....	Bubba Dixon, 1994.....	144.1
2.....	Ron Hogan, 1988.....	133.0
3.....	Dave Townsend, 1996.....	123.2
4.....	Brad Teague, 1991.....	115.2
5.....	Rusty Rayborn, 2006.....	114.0
6.....	Jeff Gregg, 1994.....	109.0
7.....	Steve Sandroni, 1978.....	107.0
8.....	Jeremy McClain, 1999.....	104.0
9.....	Brad Lightsey, 2005.....	102.2
10.....	Stewart Cliburn, 1977.....	101.0
11.....	Matt McAlpin, 2004.....	101.0

COMPLETE GAMES

1.....	Ron Hogan, 1988.....	11
2.....	Bubba Dixon, 1994.....	11
3.....	Joe Hubal, 1974.....	10
4.....	Steve Sandroni, 1978.....	10
5.....	Tom Hostetler, 1987.....	10
6.....	Jeff Gregg, 1994.....	10

SHUTOUTS

1.....	Pete Albritton, 1974.....	4
2.....	Tom Hostetler, 1987.....	4

SAVES

1.....	Robin Ricks, 1981.....	10
2.....	Matt Miller, 1995.....	9
3.....	Brent Leach, 2005.....	7
4.....	Chris Reed, 2004.....	7
5.....	Bryan Nobile, 2000.....	7
6.....	J.D. Robinson, 1996.....	7
7.....	Dusty Hughes, 2002.....	7
8.....	David Brown, 1990.....	6
9.....	Justin Smith, 2006.....	5

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CAREER RECORDS

BATTING AVERAGE

1	Dee Haynes (98-00)	405
2	Rick Collier (90-91)	401
3	Marcus Van Every (00-01)	395
4	Jason Page (94-96)	395
5	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	394
6	Brian Rea (97-00)	387
	Eli Whiteside (99-01)	387
	Steven Tomaszewski (01-02)	387
9	Casey Myrick (95-98)	374
10	Mark Graham (80-83)	373

HITS

1	Brian Rea (97-00)	302
2	Eric Patten (02-05)	274
3	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	267
4	Casey Myrick (95-98)	262
5	Dee Haynes (98-00)	259
6	Timbo Baird (78-81)	257
7	Craig Newton (02-05)	243
8	Jason Page (94-96)	236
9	Barry Lyons (79-82)	214
	Spencer Holman (94-97)	214

RUNS BATTED IN

1	Dee Haynes (98-00)	253
2	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	217
3	Craig Newton (02-05)	210
4	Barry Lyons (79-82)	185
5	Casey Myrick (95-98)	176
6	Dee Haynes (98-P)	166
7	Brian Rea (97-00)	165
8	Jason Page (94-96)	160
9	Spencer Holman (94-97)	157
10	Eli Whiteside (99-01)	152

HOME RUNS

1	Dee Haynes (98-00)	69
2	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	41
3	Craig Newton (02-05)	40
4	Barry Lyons (79-82)	36
5	John Edwards (80-83)	29
	Jason Cochran (98-99)	29
7	Ronald Davis (79-82)	28
8	Mike Moore (83-84)	28
9	Sonny Clay (73-76)	26
10	Mark Hayes (87-89)	25
	Casey Myrick (95-98)	25

TRIPLES

1	Tim Harvey (77-80)	14
2	Michael Cudd (89-92)	12
3	Eric Patten (02-05)	11
	Heath Bailey (94-96)	11
4	Jim Whitehurst (66-69)	10
	Mike Rosamond (71-74)	10
	Ricky Hearn (78-81)	10
	Edwin Maysonet (02-03)	10
8	Brett Donahoo (04-05)	9
	Barry Lyons (79-82)	9
9	Four players tied	8

DOUBLES

1	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	60
2	Jason Page (94-96)	59
	Dee Haynes (98-00)	59
4	Spencer Holman (94-97)	57
5	Craig Newton (02-05)	56
6	Casey Myrick (95-98)	53
7	Timbo Baird (78-81)	52
8	Michael Cudd (89-92)	45
9	Barry Lyons (79-82)	44
	Doug Peters (82-85)	44
	Brian Rea (97-00)	44
10	Steven Tomaszewski (01-02)	42

TOTAL BASES

1	Dee Haynes (98-00)	537
2	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	442
3	Craig Newton (02-05)	421
4	Casey Myrick (95-98)	402
5	Brian Rea (97-00)	397
6	Eric Patten (02-05)	388

7	Timbo Baird (78-81)	387
8	Barry Lyons (79-82)	384
9	Jason Page (94-96)	355
10	Eli Whiteside (99-01)	326

RUNS

1	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	233
2	Eric Patten (02-05)	231
3	Brian Rea (97-2000)	227
4	Dee Haynes (98-2000)	212
5	Craig Newton (02-05)	206
6	Timbo Baird (78-81)	194
	Casey Myrick (95-98)	194
8	Frank Smith (1998-2001)	167
9	Heath Bailey (94-96)	157

BASES ON BALLS

1	Tim Harvey (77-80)	140
2	Mike Kraft (85-88)	139
3	Ronald Davis (79-82)	130
4	Bubba McBrain (76-79)	124
5	Brad Armstrong (80-83)	121
6	John Vitale (81-84)	113
7	Eric Patten (02-05)	108
8	Brian Rea (97-00)	103
9	Timbo Baird (78-81)	102
10	Paul Wright (74-77)	85

STOLEN BASES

1	Heath Bailey (94-96)	71
2	Frank Smith (98-01)	62
3	Kelly Dickinson (89-90)	59
4	Bubba McBrain (76-79)	58
5	Paul Wright (74-77)	50
6	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	47
7	Casey Myrick (95-98)	43
8	Eric Patten (02-05)	42
9	Timbo Baird (78-81)	41
10	Rodney Batts (95-96)	39

GAMES PLAYED

1	Craig Newton (02-05)	224
2	Eric Patten (02-05)	218
3	Brian Rea (97-00)	212
4	Jud Thigpen (01-04)	209
5	Casey Myrick (95-98)	207
6	Timbo Baird (78-81)	200
7	Mike Kraft (85-88)	198
8	Tim Harvey (77-80)	191
9	Doug Peters (82-85)	187
10	Bubba McBrain (76-79)	184

EARNED RUN AVERAGE

1	Doug Grantham (68-69)	1.10
2	Pete Albritton (73-74)	1.50
3	Bubba Dixon (94)	1.93
4	Morris Wiltshire (66-69)	1.99
5	George Fletcher (68-71)	2.17
6	Josh Melton (95-96)	2.22
7	Dave Townsend (95-96)	2.26
8	Joe Hubal (72-75)	2.32
9	Joe DiFabio (63-65)	2.38
10	Tom Hostetler (86-87)	2.71

APPEARANCES

1	Jeremy McClain (96-99)	69
2	Brad Lightsey (02-05)	66
3	John Polles (01-05)	64
4	Brad Teague (89-92)	63
5	Dusty Hughes (01-03)	60
6	John Polles (01-05)	56
7	Johnnie Taylor (84-87)	55
8	Duane Case (91-93)	53
9	Judson Thigpen (75-78)	52
	Jay Garner (99-02)	52
10	Chris Burgess (80-83)	49

VICTORIES

1	Jeremy McClain (96-99)	45
2	Brad Lightsey (02-05)	36
3	John Polles (01-05)	29
	Brad Teague (89-92)	29
4	Chris Burgess (80-83)	28

5	Dave Townsend (95-96)	25
6	Johnnie Taylor (84-87)	24
7	Charles Jourdan (66-69)	23
8	Ty Carter (78-80)	22
9	Matt McAlpin (03-04)	21
	Jay Garner (99-02)	21
10	Josh Melton (95-96)	20

STRIKEOUTS

1	Jeremy McClain (96-99)	324
2	Charles Jourdan (66-69)	280
3	John Polles (01-05)	258
4	Chris Burgess (80-83)	254
5	Johnnie Taylor (84-87)	244
6	John Polles (01-Present)	231
7	Duane Case (91-93)	215
	Dave Townsend (95-96)	215
8	Brad Lightsey (02-05)	212
9	Stewart Cliburn (75-77)	211
10	Jay Garner (99-02)	202

INNINGS PITCHED

1	Jeremy McClain (96-99)	363.1
2	Chris Burgess (80-83)	310.0
3	Brad Lightsey (02-05)	291.3
4	Brad Teague (89-92)	288.0
5	Charles Jourdan (66-69)	285.0
6	John Polles (01-05)	266.6
7	Ty Carter (78-80)	265.0
8	Johnnie Taylor (84-87)	261.0
9	Jeremy McClain (96-99)	259.1
10	Duane Case (91-93)	247.0

SHUTOUTS

1	Pete Albritton (73-74)	6
	Stewart Cliburn (75-77)	6
3	Charles Jourdan (66-69)	5
4	Mike Payne (72-73)	5
	Joe Hubal (72-75)	5
	Mike Fielder (74-77)	5
7	Steve Sandroni (75-78)	4
	Johnnie Taylor (84-87)	4
	Tom Hostetler (86-87)	4
	Matt McAlpin (03-04)	4

SAVES

1	J.D. Robinson (96-97)	13
2	Chris Reed (03-04)	12
3	Robin Ricks (81-82)	11
	Russ Perkins (98-99)	10
5	Matt Miller (95)	9
	Bryan Nobile (00-01)	9
	Dusty Hughes (01-03)	9
8	Jeff Gunn (91-92)	8
9	Brent Leach (2005)	7
10	David Brown (90)	6
	Brad Teague (89-92)	6
	Christian Ostrander (95-96)	6

COACHING WINS

1	Dave "Boo" Ferriss (26 years)	639
2	Mike Kinnison (9 years)	459
3	Bill Marchant (8 years)	283
4	Gene Chadwick (11 years)	66
5	Don Ward (3 years)	62





STATESMEN BASEBALL HONORS

ABCA ALL-AMERICANS (44)

- 1968 Jim Whitehurst (OF, 1st Team)
- 1969 Bobby Tosch (3B, 2nd Team)
- 1977 Bubba McBrain (OF, 2nd Team)
- John Crawford (C, 3rd Team)
- Bryan Rodgers (1B, 3rd Team)
- Tom Waring (SS, 3rd Team)
- 1978 Mike Kinnison (SS, 2nd Team)
- John Crawford (C, 3rd Team)
- Bubba McBrain (OF, 3rd Team)
- Steve Sandroni (P, 3rd Team, ABCA)
- 1979 Bubba McBrain (OF, 3rd Team)
- 1981 Timbo Baird (OF, 1st Team)
- 1982 Barry Lyons (C, 2nd Team)
- Ronald Davis (DH, 3rd Team)
- Mark Graham (OF, 3rd Team)
- 1984 Mike Moore (DH, 3rd Team)
- 1985 Roger Hill (2B, 2nd Team)
- 1987 Tom Hostetler (P, 1st Team)
- 1988 Ron Hogan (P, 1st Team)
- Scooter Tucker (C, 2nd Team)
- 1991 Brad Teague (P, 1st Team)
- Rick Collier (1B, 1st Team)
- 1992 Mike Plumlee (3B, 1st Team)
- 1994 *Bubba Dixon (P, 1st Team)
- 1995 Matt Miller (P, 3rd Team)
- 1996 **David Townsend (P, 1st Team)
- Jason Page (C, 1st Team)
- 1998 Dee Haynes (OF, 2nd Team)
- Casey Myrick (OF, 3rd Team)
- 1999 Dee Haynes (OF, 1st Team)
- Jeremy McClain (P, 1st Team)
- 2000 ^Dee Haynes (RF, 1st-Team)
- 2001 Eli Whiteside (C, 1st Team)
- Marcus Van Every (3B, 1st Team)
- 2002 #Andy Dillard (3B, 1st Team)
- !Jay Garner (P, 3rd Team)
- 2003 Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)
- 2004 ^Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)
- Chris Reed (DH, 1st Team)
- Mark Broome (3B, 2nd Team)
- 2005 Craig Newton (C, 1st Team)
- Brad Lightsey (P, 2nd Team)
- Brett Donahoo (OF, 2nd Team)
- 2006 Rusty Rayborn (P, 2nd Team)**
- **Bryan Williamson (OF, 3rd Team)**

^ Division II Player of the Year
 * Division II Pitcher of the Year
 ** Division II Player & Pitcher of the Year

ABCA ALL-SOUTH CENTRAL REGION (112)

- 1972 Don Harper (3B)
- Mike Payne (P)
- 1974 Pete Albritton (P)
- Allen Hames (2B)
- 1975 Sonny Clay (OF)
- Bryan Rodgers (1B)
- 1976 Charles Hughes (P)
- 1977 John Crawford (C)
- Bubba McBrain (OF)
- Bryan Rodgers (1B)
- Tom Waring (SS)
- 1978 John Crawford (C)
- Mike Kinnison (SS)
- Bubba McBrain (OF)
- Steve Sandroni (P)
- 1979 Timbo Baird (OF)
- Dale Davis (2B)
- Tim Harvey (OF)
- Ricky Hearn (1B)
- Barry Lyons (C)
- Bubba McBrain (OF)
- Kevin Medlock (P)
- 1980 Timbo Baird (OF)
- Dale Bowen (2B)

- Barry Lyons (C)
- 1981 Timbo Baird (OF)
- Chris Burgess (P)
- Ronald Davis (DH)
- Mark Graham (OF)
- Ricky Hearn (1B)
- Barry Lyons (C)
- Tobin Thomson (P)
- 1982 Chris Burgess (P)
- Ronald Davis (DH)
- Mark Graham (OF)
- Barry Lyons (C)
- John Edwards (OF)
- 1983 Chris Burgess (P)
- Mark Graham (OF)
- Mike Moore (DH)
- 1984 Mike Moore (DH)
- 1985 Randall Gurlen (P)
- Lee Hayes (1B)
- Roger Hill (2B)
- Gary Meredith (C)
- Johnnie Taylor (P)
- 1986 Scooter Tucker (C)
- 1987 Tom Hostetler (P)
- Mike Kraft (OF)
- Mike Posey (DH)
- Scooter Tucker (C)
- 1988 Ron Hogan (P)
- Scooter Tucker (C)
- 1989 Doug King (P)
- Sean Doyle (1B)
- 1990 Rick Collier (DH)
- Bobby Picou (OF)
- Chris Hays (P)
- 1991 *Brad Teague (P)
- Rick Collier (DH)
- Jeff Long (2B)
- Brad Cohen (OF)
- Duane Case (P)
- Bill Marchant (Coach of the Year)
- 1992 Mike Plumlee (3B)
- Sean Buckingham (2B)
- Michael Cudd (OF)
- 1993 Vic Brown (OF)
- Randy Palmer (C)
- 1994 **Bubba Dixon (P)
- Jason Page (DH)
- Jeff Gregg
- Mark Wasson (P)
- Bill Marchant (Coach of the Year)
- 1995 Matt Miller (P)
- Jason Page (C)
- Heath Bailey (OF)
- Spencer Holman (DH)
- Dustin Riggs (P)
- 1996 **Dave Townsend (P)
- Josh Melton (P)
- Jeremy Dixon (DH)
- Spencer Holman (1B)
- Casey Myrick (OF)
- J.D. Robinson (P)
- Heath Bailey (OF)
- Jason Page (C)
- Bill Marchant (Coach of the Year)
- 1997 Casey Myrick (OF)
- 1998 Dee Haynes (OF)
- Casey Myrick (OF)
- Jeremy McClain (P)
- 1999 Dee Haynes (OF)
- **Jeremy McClain (P)
- Brian Rea (3B)
- 2000 *Dee Haynes (OF)
- A.J. Downs (OF)
- Bryan Nobile (RP)

- Eli Whiteside (C)
- Roger Bonnette (P)
- 2001 Eli Whiteside (C)
- Marcus Van Every (3B)
- Frank Smith (CF)
- John Polles (P)
- Mike Kinnison (Coach of the Year)
- 2002 **Jay Garner (P)
- *Andy Dillard (3B)
- Steven Tomaszewski (1B)
- Mike Kinnison (Coach of the Year)
- 2003 Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)
- Matt McAlpin (P, 1st Team)
- Keith Fitzgerald (1B, 2nd Team)
- Edwin Maysonet (2B, 2nd Team)
- Dusty Hughes (P, 2nd Team)
- Mike Kinnison (Coach of the Year)
- 2004 *Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)*
- Mark Broome (3B, 1st Team)
- Chris Reed (DH, 1st Team)
- Craig Newton (C, 1st Team)
- Josh Barton (P, 2nd Team)
- Mike Kinnison (Coach of the Year)
- 2005 Brad Lightsey** (P, 1st Team)
- Craig Newton (C, 1st Team)
- Brett Donahoo (OF, 1st Team)
- Justin Smith (P, 2nd Team)
- Rusty Rayborn (P, 2nd Team)
- Clay Smith (2B, 2nd Team)
- Eric Patten (SS, 2nd Team)
- 2006 Rusty Rayborn* (P, 1st Team)**
- **Bryan Williamson (OF, 1st Team)**

* Region Player of the Year
 ** Region Pitcher of the Year

VERIZON/CoSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS (26)

- 1970 Les Slough (C, 2nd Team)
- 1973 Chip Crenshaw (OF, 1st Team)
- 1975 Bryan Rodgers (1B, 1st Team)
- 1976 Sonny Clay (OF, 2nd Team)
- 1977 Bryan Rodgers (1B, 2nd Team)
- 1979 Tim Harvey (OF, 1st Team)
- 1980 Tim Harvey (OF, 1st Team)
- Barry Lyons (C, 2nd Team)
- 1981 Brad Armstrong (2B, 1st Team)
- Mark Graham (OF, 1st Team)
- Barry Lyons (C, 1st Team)
- 1982 Brad Armstrong (2B, 1st Team)
- Chris Burgess (P, 1st Team)
- Mark Graham (OF, 1st Team)
- Barry Lyons (C, 1st Team)
- 1983 Brad Armstrong (2B, 2nd Team)
- Chris Burgess (P, 3rd Team)
- Mark Graham (OF, 1st Team)
- 1984 Mike Moore (DH, 2nd Team)
- 1985 Kenny Lommel (OF, 3rd Team)
- 1988 Ron Hogan (P, 2nd Team)
- 1991 Brad Teague (P, 3rd Team)
- 1992 Craig Beesley (SS, 2nd Team)
- 1995 Mark Wasson (P, District VI)
- 2001 Marcus Van Every (3B, District VI)
- Frank Smith (Academic All-District)
- 2002 Jay Garner (2nd Team)
- 2005 Brad Lightsey (3rd Team)

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STATESMEN BASEBALL HONORS



ALL-GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE (106)

1972#Mike Payne (P)
 Mike Rosamond (SS)
 Steve Tomaszewski (C)
 Don Harper (3B)
 Mike Smith (OF)
 1973 Gary McKissick (P/OF)
 1974 Pete Albritton (P)
 Al DiFabio (DH)
 Harry Perry (OF)
 1975 Mike Fielder (P)
 Bryan Rodgers (1B)
 1976 Sonny Clay (OF)
 Charles Hughes (P)
 1977 Stewart Cliburn (P)
 John Crawford (C)
 Bubba McBrain (OF)
 Ricky Perkins (2B)
 1978 John Crawford (C)
 Mike Kinnison (SS)
 Bubba McBrain (OF)
 Steve Sandroni (P)
 1979 Timbo Baird (OF)
 Barry Lyons (C)
 Bubba McBrain (OF)
 1980 Timbo Baird (OF)
 Dale Bowen (2B)
 Barry Lyons (C)
 1981 Timbo Baird (OF)
 Chris Burgess (P)
 Barry Lyons (C)
 1982 Chris Burgess (P)
 Ronald Davis (DH)
 Mark Graham (OF)
 Barry Lyons (C)
 1983 Chris Burgess (P)
 Mark Graham (OF)
 1984 Mike Moore (DH)
 1985 Roger Hill (2B)
 1986 Scooter Tucker (C)
 1987 Tom Hostetler (P)
 Mike Kraft (OF)
 Mike Posey (DH)
 Scooter Tucker (C)
 1988 Ron Hogan (P)
 Scooter Tucker (C)
 1989 Doug King (P)
 Mike Posey (C)
 Rick Shackle (P)
 Sean Doyle (P)
 Mark Hayes (P)
 1990 Bobby Picou (OF)
 Warren Guerriero (P)
 Chris Hays (P)
 1991 Rick Collier (1B)
 Brad Teague (P)
 Brad Cohen (OF)

..... Brian Cuffle (C)
 Hayland Hardy (DH)
 1992 Sean Buckingham (2B)
 Mike Plumlee (3B)
 Brad Teague (P)
 Kenny Taylor (1B/DH/P)
 Michael Cudd (OF)
 1993 Jeff Gregg (P)
 Randy Palmer (C)
 Kenny Taylor (DH)
 1994 Jason Cumberland (2B)
 Bubba Dixon (LHP)
 Jeff Gregg (P)
 Tony Montgomery (1B)
 Jason Page (DH)
 Jason Thompson (OF)
 Mark Wasson (P)
 1995 Heath Bailey (OF)
 Rodney Batts (2B)
 Spencer Holman (DH)
 Tony Montgomery (1B)
 Jason Page (C)
 Dustin Riggs (P)
 Jason Thompson (OF)
 Mark Wasson (P)
 1996 Heath Bailey (OF)
 Marc Taylor (SS)
 Rodney Batts (2B)
 Jeremy Dixon (OF)
 Spencer Holman (1B)
 Josh Melton (P)
 Casey Myrick (OF)
 Jason Page (C)
 Andre Thompson (OF)
 Dave Townsend (P)
 1997 Will Lowery (OF)
 Spencer Holman (1B)
 Jeremy McClain (P)
 Casey Myrick (OF)
 Jimbo Pinnix (SS)
 J.D. Robinson (P)
 1998 Dee Haynes (OF)%
 Casey Myrick (OF)
 Jimbo Pinnix (SS)
 Jeremy Luse (P)
 Jeremy McClain (P)
 Russ Perkins (P)
 Brian Rea (3B)
 Jason Cochran (1B/C)
 Chad Cooper (1B)
 Will Lowery (OF)
 1999 Dee Haynes (OF)%
 Jeremy McClain (P)
 Brian Rea (3B)
 Neill Bartling (C)
 Patrick Robey (SS)
 Frank Smith (OF)
 Jason Cochran (1B)
 Russ Perkins (RP)
 Neill Bartling (C)
 2000 Dee Haynes (OF)%
 Eli Whiteside (C)
 Bradley Clay (2B)
 Brian Rea (3B)
 A.J. Downs (OF)
 Bryan Nobile (RP)
 Roger Bonnette (P)
 Marcus Van Every (1B)
 Brian Parkton (SS)
 2001 Eli Whiteside% (C)
 Brian Parkton (SS)
 Marcus Van Every (3B)
 Bradley Clay (2B)
 Frank Smith (CF)

..... John Joiner (LF)
 John Polles (P)^
 Steven Tomaszewski (1B)
 Eric Smith (RF)
 Clay Overby (RP)
 2002 Andy Dillard (3B)%
 Steven Tomaszewski (1B)
 Edwin Maysonet (SS)
 John Joiner (LF)
 Clint Turman (CF)
 Jay Garner (P)
 Dusty Hughes (P)
 Eric Smith (RF)
 Reeves Smith (P)
 2003 Edwin Maysonet (2B, 1st Team)
 Mark Broome (3B, 1st Team)
 Eric Patten (SS, 1st Team)
 Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)
 Matt McAlpin (SP, 1st Team)
 Brad Lightsey (SP, 1st Team)
 Keith Fitzgerald (1B, 2nd Team)
 Andy Dillard (DH, 2nd Team)
 Dusty Hughes (SP, 2nd Team)
 2004 Eric Patten (SS, 1st Team)
 Mark Broome (3B, 1st Team)
 Matt McAlpin (P, 1st Team)
 Jud Thigpen (OF, 1st Team)
 Chris Reed (DH, 2nd Team)
 Craig Newton (C, 2nd Team)
 Clay Smith (2B, 2nd Team)
 Josh Barton (P, 2nd Team)
 2005 Craig Newton% (C, 1st Team)
 Clay Smith (2B, 1st Team)
 Eric Patten (SS, 1st Team)
 Brett Donahoo (OF, 1st Team)
 Justin Smith (P, 1st Team)
 Brad Lightsey (P, 1st Team)
 Rusty Rayborn (P, 1st Team)
 Bryan Williamson (OF, 2nd Team)
 Brent Leach (P, 2nd Team)
2006 Rusty Rayborn #%(P, 1st Team)
..... Gary Scott Gabbert (DH, 1st Team)
..... Bryan Williamson (OF, 1st Team)
..... Robert Tucker (P, 1st Team)
..... Hunter Johnson (1B, 2nd Team)
..... Chris Weast (P/3B, 2nd Team)
 # GSC Player of the Year
 % GSC West Player of the Year
 ^ GSC West Freshman of the Year

GSC COMMISSIONER'S TROPHY

1977 Bryan Rodgers (1B)
 1983 Chris Burgess (P)
 1992 Brad Teague (P)

CELLULARSOUTH FERRISS TROPHY

2005 Craig Newton (Finalist)

MISSISSIPPI SPORTS WRITERS ASSOC.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

1977 Ricky Perkins (2B)
 1982 Barry Lyons (C)

NCAA TOP STUDENT-ATHLETE AWARD

1977 Bryan Rodgers (1B)



STATESMEN BASEBALL HONORS

NCAA ALL-REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

1989	..... Kelly Dickinson (OF)
1991	.....!Rick Collier (1B)
1994	.....!Tony Montgomery (1B)
	..... Gary Enis (C)
	..... Jeff Gregg (P),
	..... Marc Taylor (SS)
1995	..... Heath Bailey (OF)
	..... Jason Page (C)
	..... Dave Townsend (P)
1996	.....!Casey Myrick (OF)
	..... Rodney Batts (OF)
	..... Jeremy Dixon (DH)
	..... Jason Page (C)
	..... Marc Taylor (SS)
	..... Dave Townsend (P)
2000	..... Dee Haynes (OF)
	..... Marcus Van Every (1B)
	..... Andrew Waddell (P)
2001	..... Eli Whiteside (C)
	..... Bradly Clay (2B),
	..... Steven Tomaszewski (1B),
	..... J.J. Joiner (OF) (MVP)
2002	.....!Steven Tomaszewski (1B),
	..... J.J. Joiner (OF),
	..... Jud Thigpen (DH)
	..... Nathan Price (P)
2003	..... Keith Fitzgerald (1B)
	..... Justin King (C)
	..... Edwin Maysonet (2B)
	..... Dusty Hughes (P)
2004	..... Will Waldkirch (OF)!,
	..... Craig Newton (C)
	..... Eric Patten (SS),
	..... Josh Barton (P),
	..... Jud Thigpen (OF)
	!Tournament MVP

NCAA COLLEGE WORLD SERIES

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

1994	..... Bubba Dixon (P)
	..... Jason Page (DH)
	..... Jake Yarborough (3B)
1996	..... Heath Bailey (OF)
	..... Spencer Holman (1B)
2001	..... Eli Whiteside (C)
	..... Frank Smith (CF)
2004	..... Bert Pickard (1B, MVP)
	..... Craig Newton (C)
	..... Scott Ellison (RP)

AMERICAN BASEBALL COACHES ASSOC./

RAWLINGS National Coach of the Year

2004 Mike Kinnison
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AMERICAN BASEBALL COACHES ASSOC./

RAWLINGS Regional Coach of the Year

1994 Bill Marchant
1996	..... Bill Marchant
2001	..... Mike Kinnison
2002	..... Mike Kinnison
2003	..... Mike Kinnison
2004	..... Mike Kinnison
2005 Mike Kinnison

DIAMOND BASEBALL, INC.

Regional Coach of the Year

1991 Bill Marchant
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N.L. CASSIBRY MVP

1960 Bobby Spikes
1961 F. E. Allegranza
1962 Chester Norris
1963	..... Tommy Crenshaw
1964	..... Fred Rossi
1965	..... Joe DiFabio
1966	..... Dixie Walker
1967	..... Bobby Tosch
1968	..... Ted Thornton
1969	..... Doug Grantham
1970	..... Steve Adams
1971	..... Billy Ramsey
1972	..... Don Harper
1973	..... Gary McKissick
1974	..... Mike Rosamond
1975	..... Bryan Rodgers
1976	..... Sonny Clay
1977	..... Bubba McBrain
1978	..... John Crawford
1979	..... Bubba McBrain
1980	..... Barry Lyons
1981	..... Timbo Baird
1982	..... Barry Lyons
1983	..... Doug Peters
1984	..... Mike Moore
1985	..... Roger Hill
1986	..... Steve Hahn
1987	..... Tom Shelton
1988	..... Doug Brown
1989	..... Sean Doyle
1990	..... Bobby Picou
1991	..... Rick Collier
1992	..... Mike Plumlee
1993	..... Randy Palmer
1994	..... Bubba Dixon
1995	..... Jason Page
1996	..... Dave Townsend
1997	..... Spencer Holman
1998	..... Casey Myrick
1999	..... Dee Haynes & Jeremy McClain
2000	..... A.J. Downs
2001	..... Eli Whiteside
2002	..... Andy Dillard
2003	..... Jud Thigpen
2004	..... Jud Thigpen
2005	..... Craig Newton
2006	..... Bryan Williamson

DSU MOST OUTSTANDING PITCHER

1973	..... Garry McKissick
1974	..... Pete Albritton
1975	..... Mike Fielder
1976	..... Charles Hughes
1977	..... Stewart Cliburn
1978	..... Steve Sandroni
1979	..... Kevin Medlock
1980	..... Harry Lott
1981	..... Chris Burgess
1982	..... Chris Burgess
1983	..... Chris Burgess
1984	..... Jerry Vitale
1985	..... Juhnnie Taylor
1986	..... Tom Hostetler
1987	..... Tom Hostetler
1988	..... Ron Hogan
1989	..... Rick Shackle
1990	..... Warren Guerriero
1991	..... Brad Teague
1992	..... Brad Teague
1993	..... Jeff Gregg
1994	..... Bubba Dixon
1995	..... Mark Wasson

1996	..... Dave Townsend
1997	..... Michael Shettles
1998	..... Jeremy McClain
1999	..... Jeremy McClain
2000	..... Roger Bonnette
2001	..... Tremain Rogers
2002	..... Jay Garner
2003	..... Dusty Hughes
2004	..... Brad Lightsey
2005	..... Brad Lightsey
2006	..... Rusty Rayborn

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER

1977	..... Steve Sandroni
1978	..... Stan Partridge
1979	..... Steve Moore
1980	..... Dale Bowen
1981	..... Bubba Cates
1982	..... Rusty Otts
1983	..... David Lowther
1984	..... Jeff Champion
1985	..... Jeff McClasky
1986	..... Sam Compston
1987	..... Mike Posey
1988	..... Ron Hogan
1989	..... Mike Patterson
1990	..... Jack Tidwell
1991	..... Brian Cuffle
1992	..... Cole Conrad
1993	..... Doug Robbins
1994	..... Spencer Holman
1995	..... Dustin Riggs
1996	..... Blaine Adams
1997	..... Will Lowery
1998	..... Russ Perkins
1999	..... Patrick Robey
2000	..... Brian Parkton
2001	..... Eric Smith
2002	..... Jud Thigpen
2003	..... Josh Andrus
2004	..... John Polles
2005	..... Rusty Rayborn
2006	..... Derek Norris

LEADING HITTER

1991	..... Rick Collier (.416)
1992	..... Mike Plumlee (.379)
1993	..... Randy Palmer (.417)
1994	..... Jason Page (.414)
1995	..... Jason Page (.386)
1996	..... Jason Page (.383)
1997	..... Will Lowery (.390)
1998	..... Brian Rea (.439)
1999	..... Dee Haynes (.444)
2000	..... Brooke Henderson (.412)
2001	..... J.J. Joiner (.412)
2002	..... Andy Dillard (.425)
2003	..... Edwin Maysonet (.384)
2004	..... Jud Thigpen (.429)
2005	..... Tucker Bullard (.406)
2006	..... Gary Scott Gabbter (.385)

RBI LEADER

1991	..... Brad Cohen (47)
1992	..... Mike Plumlee (53)
1993	..... Randy Palmer (40)
1994	..... Jason Page (52)
1995	..... Jason Page (47)
1996 Jason Page & Casey Myrick (61)
1997 Spencer Holman (65)
1998 Dee Haynes (74)

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STATESMEN BASEBALL HONORS

1999	Dee Haynes (92)
2000	Dee Haynes (87)
2001	Marcus Van Every (81)
2002	Andy Dillard (80)
2003	Jud Thigpen (76)
2004	Jud Thigpen (80)
2005	Craig Newton (76)
2006	Bryan Williamson (71)

MAKAMSON FRESHMAN AWARD

1978	Ty Carter & Timbo Baird
1979	Barry Lyons
1980	Chris Burgess
1981	John Vitale
1982	Doug Peters
1983	Paul Spears
1984	James Brune
1985	Mike Craft
1986	Scooter Tucker
1987	Mark Hayes
1988	Doug King
1989	Michael Rudd
1990	Steve Kaderly
1991	Craig Beesley
1992	Benjie Houston
1993	Marc Taylor
1994	Spencer Holman
1995	Casey Myrick
1996	Jeremy McClain
1997	Brian Rea
1998	Dee Haynes
1999	Eli Whiteside
2000	Brad Wallace
2001	John Polles
2002	Craig Newton
2003	Chad Greenlee
2004	Tyler Brewer
2005	Justin Smith

STEWART OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

1985	Gary Meredith
1986	Lee Hayes
1987	Johnnie Taylor
1988	Mike Kraft
1989	Bill English
1990	Jim Howarth
1991	Jeff Long
1992	Michael Cudd
1993	Cole Conrad
1994	Doug Robbins
1995	Doug Robbins
1996	Corey Sledge
1997	Chad Smith
1998	Mitch McCoy
1999	Russ Perkins
2000	Keith Latham
2001	Frank Smith
2002	Edwin Maysonet
2003	Eric Smith
2004	Chris Reed
2005	Gary Hayes

WALKER SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD

1980	Tim Harvey & Rick Post
1981	Brad Armstrong
	Eddie Tanous
1982	Brad Armstrong
	Mark Graham
	Eddie Tanous
1983	Brad Armstrong

1984	Bill Lloyd
1985	Kenny Lommel
1986	Shane Harrington
1987	Russell Robertson
1988	Bill Bullock
1989	Robert Blue
1990	Brad Kornegay
1991	Craig Richardson
1992	Brad Teague
1993	Craig Beesley
1994	Craig Tessier
1995	Craig Tessier
1996	Casey Myrick
1997	Jeremy McClain
1998	Craig Ramage
1999	Craig Ramage
2000	Michael Nix
2001	Patrick Ferriss
2002	Jay Garner
2003	Joel Lyons
2004	Wade Whitaker
2005	Brad Lightsey

FERRISS SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

1965	Jimmy Miles
1966	Dixie Walker
1967	Richard Peeples
1968	Claude Bridges
1969	Steve Adams
1970	Eddie Hall
1971	George Fletcher
1972	Don Harper
1973	Phil Dixon
1974	Phil Dixon
1975	Bryan Rogers
1976	Bryan Rogers
1977	Bryan Rogers
1978	Harry Hill
1979	Timbo Haird
1980	Timbo Haird
1981	Rusty Ruscoe
1982	Brad Armstrong
1983	Tom Mills
1984	Danny Brothers
1985	Tom Mills
1986	Shane Harrington
1987	Shane Harrington
1988	Sean Doyle
1989	Brian Cooke
1990	Craig Richardson
1991	Craig Richardson
1992	Kenny Taylor
1993	Craig Beesley
1994	Marc Taylor
1995	Aron Frederic
1996	Marc Taylor
1997	Wade Canty
1998	Jeff Williams
1999	Todd Bossier
2000	Marcus Van Every
2001	Jeff Walls
2002	Patrick Rowland
2003	Clint Turman
2004	Craig Newton
2005	Eric Patten

STATESMEN AWARD

1974	Allen Hames
1975	Macek Gower
1976	Stan Partridge
1977	Tom Waring
1978	Mike Kinnison

1979	Bubba Cates
1980	Bubba Cates
	Tim Harvey
1981	Bubba Cates
1982	John Edwards
1983	John Edwards
1984	Danny Brothers
1985	Lee Hayes
1986	Steven Boren
1987	Scooter Tucker
1988	Rodney Moore
1989	Rodney Moore
1990	Brian Cooke
1991	Mike Plumlee
1992	Craig Beesley
1993	Doug Robbins
1994	Jason Riley
1995	Jason Riley
1996	Heath Bailey
1997	Casey Myrick
1998	Will Lowery
1999	Brian Rea
2000	Brian Rea
2001	Marcus Van Every
2002	Steven Tomaszewski
2003	Andy Dillard
2004	Matt McAlpin

DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME - BASEBALL INDUCTEES

1983	Bryan Rodgers (1974-77)
1986	Jim Whitehurst (1966-69)
1989	Boo Ferriss (1960-88)
1991	Bobby Tosch (1967-69)
	Charles Jourdan (1966-69)
1992	Don Ward (1960-61)
1994	Timbo Baird (1978-81)
1995	Jim Miles (1963-65)
	Willo Goodwin (1951-54)
1996	Tom Jones (1947-49)
	Joe DiFabio (1962-65)
1997	Chester Norris (1962-64)
	John "Bubba" McBrain (1976-79)
	Barry Lyons (1979-82)
1998	Chris Burgess (1980-83)
1999	John Crawford (1975-78)
2000	Doug Grantham (1968-69)
	Mark Graham (1980-83)
	John Hamner - Distinguished Statesmen
2001	Carl Foster (1956-59)
	Ricky Perkins (1975-78)
	Jimmy Newquist - Distinguished Statesmen
2002	Stewart Cliburn (1975-77)
	Mike Kinnison (1977-78)
	Scooter Tucker (1986-88)
2003	Rick Collier (1990-91)
	Brad Teague (1989-92)
	Tim Harvey - Distinguished Statesmen
2004	Mike Plumlee (1991-92)
2005	Mike Moore (1983-84)
2006	Gary "Bubba" Dixon (1994)
	Rickey Hearn (1978-81)



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YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

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1933

Coach Henry Allen
Record: 4-7

NW Miss. CC	W 12-1
NW Miss. CC	L 1-15
Sunflower JC*	W 4-3
Sunflower JC*	W 2-1
Sunflower JC*	W 11-4
Millsaps	L 4-9
Millsaps	L 5-9
W. Tenn. Tchrs.	L 0-5
W. Tenn. Tchrs.	L 5-8
W. Tenn. Tchrs.	L 0-95
W. Tenn. Tchrs.	L 0-95

(Sites unavailable)

1934

Coach Henry Allen
Record: 1-4
Home: 1-2 Away: 0-1

NW Miss. CC	W 8-7
at Sunflower JC	L 2-5
Sunflower JC	L 12-16
Louisiana Tech	L 1-18
Louisiana Tech	L 4-12

1935

Coach Herman Zimoski
Record: 1-5

Millsaps	W 6-5
Sunflower JC	L 4-7 (11)
Sunflower JC	L 6-7
Sunflower JC	L 4-12
Millsaps	L 0-14
Millsaps	L 4-12

(all sites unavailable)

"Excessive missing of classes by members of the baseball squad resulted in a faculty protest last week and the consequent cancellation of four remaining games." -- Miss Delta, May 6, 1934

1936

Coach Herman Zimoski
Record: 1-6
Home: 1-4 Away: 0-2

Cleveland Bengals	L 0-8
Sunflower JC	L 0-10
Sunflower JC	L 2-13
at Sunflower JC	L 2-8
at Sunflower JC	L 1-18
Millsaps	L 7-17
Millsaps	W 8-4

1937

Coach A.D. Dickson
Record: 3-7
Home: 3-3 Away: 0-2

Style's Baseball	L 1-15
Style's Baseball	L 4-5
Mississippi	W 11-8
Mississippi	L 7-15
Miss. College	L 1-17
at Mississippi	L 0-5
at Mississippi	L 1-7
at Mississippi	L 1-7
Lambuth	W 6-4
Lambuth	L 5-6
Bethel	W 3-1

& games played in Leland, Miss.

1938

Coach A.D. Dickson
Partial Record: 0-3
Home: 0-1 Away: 0-2

Mississippi	L 6-11
at Mississippi	L 0-7
at Mississippi	L 0-4

Coach Forrest Wyatt
Record: 8-4-1
Home: 5-1 Away: 1-3-1

Western Illinois	W 7-6
at Miss. College	T 7-7
at Miss. College	L 9-10
Millsaps	W 10-6
Miss. College	L 0-6
Miss. College	W 22-14
Merchant Marines	W 12-2
Merchant Marines	W 7-2
at Loyola (La.)	L 0-5
at Millsaps	L 0-6
at Millsaps	W 17-6

Two games not recorded

Coach Forrest Wyatt
Record: 9-7
Home: 4-1 Away: 3-5
(Three games not recorded)

Miss. College	W 5-2 (10)
Miss. College	L 7-8
at Mississippi	L 5-21
at Mississippi	W 8-5
at Arkansas State	W 5-2
at Arkansas State	L 0-10
Memphis State	W 7-2
Arkansas State	W 3-1

Arkansas State	L 5-7
Millsaps	W 12-2
Millsaps	W 4-3 (10)
at Miss. College	L 7-11
at Memphis State	L 3-9

1949

COACH GENE CHADWICK
PARTIAL RECORD: 2-6
HOME: 1-0, AWAY 1-6

at Mississippi	W 11-8
at Mississippi	L 7-12
Memphis St.	W 7-4
at Mississippi St.	L 1-3
at Mississippi St.	L 2-9
at Memphis St.	L 2-10
at Miss. College	L 8-9
at Miss. College	L 4-11

1950

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 11-7
(MOST SITES UNAVAILABLE)

Arkansas State	W 6-4
Arkansas State	W 4-2
Clarksdale Panthers	W 7-4
Muskegon Clippers	L 1-8
at Clarksdale Panthers	L 0-3
Mississippi	L 8-15
Mississippi	L 4-6
at Miss. College	W 14-10
at Miss. College	W 5-2
Memphis Navy	L 15-18
Memphis Navy	W 14-9
Drew (semi-pro)	W 8-7
Memphis Navy	W 12-5
Mississippi St.	W 8-6
Mississippi St.	L 1-11
Miss. College	W 4-3
Miss. College	W 8-5
Memphis St.	L 4-7

1951

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 5-7
(ALL SITES UNAVAILABLE)

No. Illinois	W 7-6
No. Illinois	L 1-2
Univ. of Chicago	W 8-0
Arkansas State	W 4-3
Arkansas State	L 4-8
Memphis Navy	W 9-2
Memphis Navy	L 0-9
Memphis State	L 3-4
Memphis State	L 4-10
Memphis A.F.	W 8-7
Mississippi	L 0-4
Mississippi	L 0-6

1952

COACH GENE CHADWICK
PARTIAL RECORD: 2-3

Greenville Bucks	L 9-28
Greenville Bucks	L 3-17
Millsaps	L 1-3
Arkansas State	W 9-5
Millsaps	W 9-0

1953

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 8-5
(MOST SITES UNAVAILABLE)

Aurora (Ill.)	W 8-2
UA-Monticello	W 11-10
UA-Monticello	L 2-8
Sunflower JC	W 9-4
at Greenville Bucks	L 0-14
Millsaps	L 0-8
at Arkansas St.	W 3-1
Drew	L 3-5
Sunflower JC	W 10-9

Four games not recorded

1954

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 8-7
HOME: 4-2, AWAY: 4-5

Miss. College	W 9-2
Miss. College	L 3-4
at UA-Monticello	W 13-2
UA-Monticello	W 7-6
at Bethel (TN)	W 5-2
at Bethel (TN)	L 4-5
Millsaps	W score N/A
Millsaps	W score N/A
at Miss. College	W 1-2
at Miss. College	W 9-1
Arkansas State	L 7-11
at Mississippi	L 2-15
at Arkansas State	W 5-4
at Millsaps	L 6-14
at Millsaps	L 1-3

1955

COACH GENE CHADWICK
PARTIAL RECORD: 3-3
HOME: 1-1, AWAY: 2-2

UA-Monticello	W 6-0
at UA-Monticello	W 14-13
Arkansas St.	L 1-6
at Arkansas St.	L 3-7
at Memphis St.	W 8-5
at Memphis St.	L 0-4

1956

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 4-12
11 GAMES NOT RECORDED
(ALL SITES UNAVAILABLE)

Memphis St.	W 7-6
Memphis St.	L 6-8
Memphis Navy	L 7-10
Mississippi	L 6-9
Mississippi	L 1-21

1957

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 4-9
FIVE GAMES NOT RECORDED
HOME: 2-3, AWAY: 1-2

Illinois Wesleyan	L 5-7
Memphis St.	W 13-6
Memphis St.	L 0-5
at UA-Monticello	W 6-2
Miss. College	W 6-3
Miss. College	L 3-11
at Mississippi	L 2-8
at Mississippi	L 1-9

1958

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 9-4
FOUR GAMES NOT RECORDED
HOME: 1-2, AWAY: 4-2

at Miss. College	W 5-2
at Miss. College	W 4-1
at Miss. College	L 4-9
at Mississippi	W 6-4
at Mississippi	W 4-3
Memphis St.	L 4-10
at Memphis St.	L 6-11
UA-Monticello	L 1-7
UA-Monticello	W 11-4

1959

COACH GENE CHADWICK
RECORD: 10-3
FOUR GAMES NOT RECORDED
HOME: 4-0, AWAY: 3-2

Univ. of Chicago	W 10-0
Springhill (Ala.)	W 10-1
Millsaps	W 12-2
Millsaps	W 4-3
Millsaps	W 5-1
at Ouachita Baptist	W 4-3
at Millsaps	W 5-2
at Millsaps	L 1-5
at Mississippi	L 0-11



Dave "Boo" Ferriss
639-387-8 / 26 years

1960

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 12-4
HOME: 2-0, AWAY: 6-4, NEUT: 4-0

at Mississippi	L 5-14
at Mississippi	L 4-13
#Central Missouri St.	W 3-1
#Central Missouri St.	W 4-1
#Miss. College	W 11-6
#So. Mississippi	W 13-8
Millsaps	W 18-3
Millsaps	W 3-2

at Ouachita Baptist	W 11-9
at Miss. College	L 2-7
at Miss. College	W 8-3
at Miss. College	W 4-3
at Millsaps	W 8-2
at Millsaps	W 6-4
at So. Mississippi	W 5-3
at So. Mississippi	L 10-11

(#) games played in Leland, Miss.

1961

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 10-6
HOME: 7-2, AWAY: 3-4

at Mississippi	L 4-21
Illinois Wesleyan	W 3-2
Jacksonville St.	L 9-11
Jacksonville St.	W 9-8
at Millsaps	W 11-5
Miss. College	W 12-7
Miss. College	W 6-0
at So. Mississippi	L 6-7
at So. Mississippi	W 8-6
at So. Mississippi	W 7-2
at UA-Monticello	W 13-7
at UA-Monticello	W 7-6
at Mississippi St.	L 4-5
at Mississippi St.	L 1-10
So. Mississippi	L 1-4
Millsaps	W 18-3

1962

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 11-9-2
HOME: 7-4-1, AWAY: 4-5-1

Louisiana Tech	W 1-0
Murray State	W 4-3
Murray State	W 5-3
Murray State	L 1-9
at Mississippi	L 4-5
at Mississippi	L 1-8
Northeast Louisiana	L 2-7
Northeast Louisiana	L 2-7
Rhodes (TN)	W 9-2
at Miss. College	L 3-5
at Miss. College	W 4-0
at Miss. College	T 4-4
at Louisiana Tech	L 1-13
Quincy College	T 7-7
Quincy College	W 6-3
at North Alabama	L 4-5
at Northeast Louisiana	W 2-1
at Northeast Louisiana	W 8-4
So. Mississippi	W 3-2
So. Mississippi	W 4-2
Memphis St.	L 3-7
Memphis St.	W 10-10

1963

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 10-11
HOME: 5-6, AWAY: 4-5, NEUT: 1-0

Murray State	L 3-8
Murray State	L 4-14
Murray State	L 6-10(10)
at Mississippi	L 3-8
at Mississippi	L 2-10
at NE Louisiana	W 11-8
at NE Louisiana	L 9-11
at NE Louisiana	W 8-4
at Millsaps	W 24-5
at So. Mississippi	L 2-3
& So. Mississippi	W 6-4(10)
MacMurray (Ill.)	L 2-3(14)
Memphis St.	L 5-6
Arkansas	L 2-5
Arkansas	W 10-2
Millsaps	W 21-3
Miss. College	W 7-2
So. Mississippi	W 7-3
So. Mississippi	W 6-2
at SW Louisiana	W 7-1
at Memphis St.	L 10-11

(&) game played in McComb, Miss.

1964

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 8-10
HOME: 7-4, AWAY: 1-6

Murray State	W 20-8
Kansas State	L 8-11
Illinois Wesleyan	L 3-8
Illinois Wesleyan	W 7-2
Taylor Univ. (IN)	W 8-1
Taylor Univ. (IN)	W 2-1
Taylor Univ. (IN)	W 8-4
Memphis State	W 4-3
at Mississippi	L 6-9
at Mississippi	L 6-7
at So. Mississippi	W 5-4(12)
at So. Mississippi	L 1-4
at Miss. College	L 3-5
Rhodes (TN)	L 4-6
So. Mississippi	W 6-5
So. Mississippi	L 1-9
at Rhodes (TN)	L 2-5
at Memphis State	L 3-6



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1965

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 15-8

HOME: 10-4, AWAY: 4-3, NEUT: 1-1

at UA-Monticello.....	L 6-7
at UA-Monticello.....	W 7-0
Kansas State.....	W 13-0
Kansas State.....	W 2-1
at Millsaps.....	W 12-7
Millsaps.....	W 28-0
Memphis State.....	L 6-8
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 2-8
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-1
%Mississippi St.....	W 1-0
%Mississippi St.....	L 1-6
Arkansas.....	W 5-1
Arkansas.....	W 12-7
Miss. College.....	W 8-4
Miss. College.....	W 1-0
Miss. College.....	L 1-4
Rhodes (TN).....	W 15-1
So. Mississippi.....	W 3-1
So. Mississippi.....	L 6-16
at Rhodes (TN).....	W 14-5
at Memphis State.....	W 3-2
at So. Mississippi.....	L 4-12
at So. Mississippi.....	L 6-8

(%) game played at Columbus, MS

1966

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 14-13

HOME: 8-6, AWAY: 6-7

at SE Louisiana.....	L 6-8
at SE Louisiana.....	W 2-1
at Louisiana State.....	L 2-4
at Louisiana State.....	W 6-4
UA-Monticello.....	W 7-0
UA-Monticello.....	W 9-1
NE Louisiana.....	L 6-10
NE Louisiana.....	L 4-6
at Mississippi St.....	L 2-3
Mississippi St.....	W 5-4
Parsons (IA).....	L 6-11
Parsons (IA).....	W 2-1
Parsons (IA).....	L 1-8
William Carey.....	L 9-10(12)
Memphis St.....	W 5-3
Quincy College.....	W 12-1
Quincy College.....	W 7-1
at Mississippi.....	L 2-6
Mississippi.....	W 10-8
at Miss. College.....	W 3-0
at Miss. College.....	W 2-1
at Miss. College.....	L 3-4
at Memphis St.....	L 6-10
So. Mississippi.....	L 1-5
at William Carey.....	L 4-8
at So. Mississippi.....	W 9-3
at So. Mississippi.....	W 2-1

1967

COACH DON WARD
RECORD: 19-12

HOME: 11-7, AWAY: 7-4, NEUT: 1-1

at NE Louisiana.....	W 7-0
at NE Louisiana.....	L 0-2
at UA-Monticello.....	W 2-1
at UA-Monticello.....	L 2-3
Ark.-Little Rock.....	W 16-2
Ark.-Little Rock.....	W 5-0
Ark.-Little Rock.....	W 4-2
Southeast Missouri.....	W 9-4
Southeast Missouri.....	L 5-8
Southeast Missouri.....	W 5-4
St. Louis Univ.....	L 0-4
St. Louis Univ.....	L 0-1
Kentucky Wesleyan.....	W 2-1
Kentucky Wesleyan.....	W 2-1
Memphis State.....	W 5-3
Mississippi.....	L 3-22
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 4-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 7-8
at Memphis State.....	W 6-4
at Mississippi.....	W 7-3
Miss. College.....	W 12-3
Miss. College.....	L 5-7
Miss. College.....	W 6-5
Arkansas.....	L 9-12
at Arkansas St.....	L 1-3
at Arkansas St.....	W 6-5
at So. Mississippi.....	W 1-0
at So. Mississippi.....	W 11-4
William Carey.....	L 3-5

NCAA Midwest Regional
(Normal, Ill., 1-1, 3rd)

Hiram College (OH).....	L 1-3
Kentucky Wesleyan.....	W 7-4

1968

COACH DON WARD
RECORD: 20-22-1

HOME: 11-5, AWAY: 4-3, NEUT: 5-3

NE Louisiana.....	W 8-7
NE Louisiana.....	T 4-4
Northwestern Univ.....	L 0-3
Northwestern Univ.....	W 7-1
Northwestern Univ.....	W 6-5

at Miss. College.....	W 17-3
at Miss. College.....	W 8-5
at Miss. College.....	W 3-2
Xavier (OH).....	W 8-7
Xavier (OH).....	W 8-4
Illinois State.....	W 6-3
Illinois State.....	L 3-9
Memphis State.....	W 8-2
at William Carey.....	L 4-5
at William Carey.....	L 0-4
at So. Mississippi.....	W 6-0
at Memphis State.....	L 2-7
Mississippi.....	L 7-10
Arkansas State.....	W 9-7
Arkansas State.....	L 1-2
So. Mississippi.....	W 8-0
So. Mississippi.....	W 5-2
William Carey.....	W 8-6
William Carey.....	L 3-4

NCAA Midwest Regional
(Jackson, Tenn., 3-1, 1st)

Whittenburg (OH).....	W 5-3
M. Tennessee St.....	W 5-2
M. Tennessee St.....	L 5-6
M. Tennessee St.....	W 3-2

NCAA Division II World Series
(Springfield, Mo., 2-2, 2nd)

Arkansas State.....	W 3-1
Chapman (CA).....	L 0-3
Arkansas State.....	W 4-3
Chapman (CA).....	L 0-11

1969

COACH DON WARD
RECORD: 23-8

HOME: 14-5, AWAY: 9-3

Western Illinois.....	W 2-0
Western Illinois.....	L 1-2
Western Illinois.....	L 3-6
Western Illinois.....	L 3-6
at Mississippi.....	W 6-2
William Carey.....	W 8-1
William Carey.....	W 5-4
at NE Louisiana.....	W 3-0
at NE Louisiana.....	L 6-7
Memphis State.....	W 2-0
Christian Brothers.....	W 8-2
Christian Brothers.....	W 5-1
Xavier (OH).....	W 20-7
UW-Stevens Pt.....	W 12-9
Belhaven.....	W 4-2
Belhaven.....	W 3-0
at Belhaven.....	L 1-2
at Belhaven.....	W 8-6
Miss. College.....	W 11-1
Miss. College.....	W 1-0
at Memphis State.....	W 5-3
at William Carey.....	L 4-5
at William Carey.....	W 4-2
at So. Mississippi.....	W 5-4(11)
at So. Mississippi.....	W 3-2(10)
at Christian Brothers.....	W 5-2
at Christian Brothers.....	W 5-2

1970

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 10-20-1

HOME: 7-13-1, AWAY: 3-7

NE Louisiana.....	L 4-9
NE Louisiana.....	L 1-3
UW-Stevens Pt.....	L 1-3(11)
UW-Stevens Pt.....	L 2-4
Illinois State.....	L 2-3(10)
Illinois State.....	T 1-1(8)
Southeast Missouri.....	W 4-1
Parsons (IA).....	L 5-6
Parsons (IA).....	W 4-1
Parsons (IA).....	L 0-1
Christian Brothers.....	W 5-2
Christian Brothers.....	L 4-5
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-7
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 9-8
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 4-8
at Memphis State.....	L 3-9
at Belhaven.....	L 0-3
at Miss. College.....	L 7-9
at Miss. College.....	W 5-3
at Miss. College.....	W 10-0
William Carey.....	W 1-0
William Carey.....	W 8-4
Belhaven.....	L 1-10
Memphis State.....	L 5-6
at William Carey.....	L 2-9
at William Carey.....	L 4-6
at So. Mississippi.....	L 1-7
at Christian Brothers.....	L 0-3
at Christian Brothers.....	W 7-3
South Alabama.....	L 3-8
South Alabama.....	L 4-12

1971

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 16-16

HOME: 13-7, AWAY: 3-9

at NE Louisiana.....	L 2-3
at NE Louisiana.....	L 1-5
UA-Monticello.....	W 15-1
UA-Monticello.....	W 9-1
Northwestern.....	W 5-3

William Carey.....	L 5-6(8)
William Carey.....	L 0-3
at Belhaven.....	W 14-8(8)
at Belhaven.....	W 14-8
Xavier (OH).....	L 14-15
UW-Stevens Pt.....	W 7-6
UW-Stevens Pt.....	L 6-9(8)
Illinois State.....	W 5-4
Illinois State.....	L 3-4(8)
at Memphis State.....	L 1-4
Miss. College.....	W 15-0
Miss. College.....	W 14-6
Miss. College.....	W 13-2
So. Mississippi.....	W 4-3
So. Mississippi.....	W 4-3(11)
Mississippi.....	L 4-10
Memphis State.....	W 10-6
at William Carey.....	L 1-2
at William Carey.....	L 0-3
at So. Mississippi.....	L 1-3
at So. Mississippi.....	W 3-0
at South Alabama.....	L 0-8
at South Alabama.....	L 2-4
Christian Brothers.....	L 6-7

1972

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 21-14

HOME: 13-7, AWAY: 6-7, NEUT: 2-0

at So. Mississippi.....	W 8-5
at So. Mississippi.....	L 1-4
at UA-Monticello.....	W 6-2
at UA-Monticello.....	W 17-3
Worcester (MA).....	W 17-3
Worcester (MA).....	W 10-6
at Memphis State.....	L 2-4
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 4-0
UW-Stevens Pt.....	W 11-1
UW-Stevens Pt.....	W 7-3
Notre Dame.....	W 10-8
Notre Dame.....	L 1-5
Quincy (IL).....	L 1-2
Parsons (IA).....	W 10-1
Parsons (IA).....	W 2-1
Parsons (IA).....	L 0-9
William Carey.....	W 12-0
William Carey.....	L 5-9
at Miss. College.....	W 5-3
at Miss. College.....	W 20-0
at Miss. College.....	L 3-7
at William Carey.....	L 6-9
at William Carey.....	L 4-10
So. Mississippi.....	W 7-0
So. Mississippi.....	L 1-5
Christian Brothers.....	L 0-2

GSC Tournament**
(Thibodeaux, La., 2-2, 2nd)

West Alabama.....	W 8-4
SE Louisiana.....	W 5-1
at Nicholls State.....	L 1-12
at Nicholls State.....	L 1-6
Mississippi.....	W 4-1
at Christian Brothers.....	W 8-1
Belhaven.....	W 9-3
Belhaven.....	W 4-3
Belhaven.....	L 1-2(8)

(**) There were no regular season GSC games during the 1972 season.

1973

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 19-10 (3-5 GSC)

HOME: 14-2, AWAY: 5-8

Valparaiso (IN).....	W 1-0
Valparaiso (IN).....	W 7-5
Valparaiso (IN).....	W 5-1
at Christian Brothers.....	W 3-1
*at SE Louisiana.....	L 3-5
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 7-2
Wheaton (IL).....	W 15-1
Wheaton (IL).....	W 3-2
Wheaton (IL).....	W 12-0
Worcester (MA).....	W 6-0
*at Nicholls State.....	L 0-2
*at Nicholls State.....	L 0-1
at Memphis State.....	L 2-8
*at NW (La.) State.....	L 3-5
*at NW (La.) State.....	L 6-9
*at NE Louisiana.....	L 5-6(10)
*at NE Louisiana.....	W 7-2
at Mississippi.....	L 3-6
Christian Brothers.....	W 16-0
Christian Brothers.....	L 1-3
Memphis State.....	L 5-11
*Miss. College.....	W 5-0
*Miss. College.....	W 14-2
at Belhaven.....	W 4-1
at Belhaven.....	W 9-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 1-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 3-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 17-9
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 6-0

1974

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 30-15 (10-7 GSC)

HOME: 20-5, AWAY: 10-10

at Arkansas State.....	W 4-1
at Arkansas State.....	L 4-5
Memphis State.....	L 2-6
at Alabama.....	W 3-2
at Alabama.....	L 0-3

NE Louisiana.....	W 6-5
NE Louisiana.....	W 2-0
at Christian Brothers.....	W 10-1
Belhaven.....	W 4-3
Belhaven.....	W 6-1
*Nicholls State.....	W 4-0
*Nicholls State.....	L 0-2
Bradley.....	W 9-3
Bradley.....	W 4-1
Bradley.....	W 6-5
*at NW (La.) State.....	W 5-0
*at NW (La.) State.....	L 1-2
Trinity (IL).....	W 17-0
*Miss. College.....	W 3-0
*Miss. College.....	L 4-6
Central Methodist.....	W 19-2
*SE Louisiana.....	W 5-0
Christian Brothers.....	W 17-2
at Mississippi.....	L 2-3(13)
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 6-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 13-12
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-3
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 10-11
at Tulane.....	W 3-2
at Tulane.....	L 2-5
at So. Mississippi.....	W 27-4
at So. Mississippi.....	W 6-4
*at Nicholls State.....	L 2-7
*at Nicholls State.....	L 0-3
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 5-2
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 14-4
*at Miss. College.....	W 5-0
*at Miss. College.....	L 3-5
Mississippi.....	L 1-5
at Memphis State.....	L 4-7
*NW (La.) State.....	W 9-7
*NW (La.) State.....	W 3-0

GSC Playoff
(Thibodeaux, La.)

at Nicholls State.....	L 4-5
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1975

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 25-16 (8-6 GSC)

HOME: 16-7, AWAY: 9-7, NEUT: 0-2

Arkansas State.....	L 5-7
Arkansas State.....	L 2-5
Louisiana Tech.....	W 9-8
Louisiana Tech.....	L 1-5
*NW (La.) State.....	W 5-0
*NW (La.) State.....	W 6-5
So. Mississippi.....	W 12-1
So. Mississippi.....	L 1-4
at Mississippi.....	L 0-3
at Mississippi.....	L 0-3
Illinois College.....	W 3-2
Illinois College.....	W 10-1
at Belhaven.....	W 7-0
at Belhaven.....	W 8-0
at Louisiana College.....	W 6-5
*Nicholls State.....	L 1-2
*Nicholls State.....	W 3-0
MacMurray (IL).....	W 8-2
MacMurray (IL).....	W 11-1
MacMurray (IL).....	W 10-1
*Miss. College.....	W 9-8
*Miss. College.....	L 1-6
Mississippi.....	L 7-10
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 6-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-5
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 6-4
*at SE Louisiana.....	L 6-7
*Nicholls State.....	L 1-3
*Nicholls State.....	W 1-0
at Alabama.....	W 6-0
at Alabama.....	W 7-5
Memphis State.....	L 4-17
*at NW (La.) State.....	W 3-0
*at NW (La.) State.....	W 3-2
*Miss. College.....	L 3-4
*Miss. College.....	L 2-3
Christian Brothers.....	W 4-3
Christian Brothers.....	W 6-2

NCAA South Regional
(Jacksonville, Ala., 1-2, 2nd)

Southern (La.).....	L 6-9
at Jacksonville State.....	W 6-5
Southern (La.).....	L 1-8

1976

COACH BOO FERRISS
RECORD: 23-17-1 (6-6 GSC)

HOME: 13-7, AWAY: 10-10-1

at Arkansas State.....	W 2-0
at Arkansas State.....	W 2-0
at Memphis State.....	L 5-6
Mississippi.....	W 12-8
Belhaven.....	W 5-4
Belhaven.....	W 5-4
at Mississippi.....	L 2-3
at Mississippi.....	T 4-4
Ark.-Little Rock.....	W 1-0
Ark.-Little Rock.....	W 4-3
at Louisiana Tech.....	L 0-11
at Louisiana Tech.....	W 5-3
at NE Louisiana.....	L 0-8
at NE Louisiana.....	L 2-5
Christian Brothers.....	W 5-3
Christian Brothers.....	W 10-7
*Nicholls State.....	L 4-11
*Nicholls State.....	L 8-9
Lambuth (TN).....	W 6-1
Lambuth (TN).....	L 3-4

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Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 10-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 5-8
*Miss. College.....	W 15-0
*Miss. College.....	W 8-3
*at Nicholls State.....	L 0-4
*at Nicholls State.....	L 3-4
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 8-5
*at SE Louisiana.....	L 3-4
Memphis State.....	L 1-3
at So. Mississippi.....	W 7-1
at So. Mississippi.....	W 12-8
at New Orleans.....	W 10-5
at New Orleans.....	L 2-4
at Tulane.....	W 3-2
at Tulane.....	L 6-7
*NW (La.) State.....	L 6-9
*NW (La.) State.....	W 17-3
Union (TN).....	W 8-7
Union (TN).....	L 3-5
*at Miss. College.....	W 10-0
*at Miss. College.....	W 3-1

1977

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 41-17 (12-5 GSC)

HOME: 24-6, AWAY: 13-9, NEUT: 4-2

at Belhaven.....	L 4-7
at Mississippi.....	L 6-12
at Mississippi.....	L 2-4
Arkansas State.....	W 4-3
Mississippi.....	L 4-5
Mississippi.....	L 2-3
at Alabama.....	W 3-0
at Alabama.....	W 10-5
So. Mississippi.....	W 14-4
So. Mississippi.....	W 5-3
So. Mississippi.....	W 8-5
at Lambuth (TN).....	W 8-1
at Lambuth (TN).....	W 8-4
at Union (TN).....	W 15-5
at Union (TN).....	W 14-2
Notre Dame.....	W 6-1
Notre Dame.....	W 3-2
Notre Dame.....	W 6-1
Illinois.....	W 8-5
at Memphis State.....	L 8-13
Missouri Baptist.....	W 4-3
Missouri Baptist.....	W 8-6
*at Nicholls State.....	L 2-4
*at Nicholls State.....	L 10-2
*at Nicholls State.....	L 12-13
Memphis State.....	W 3-1
So. Mississippi +.....	W 3-2
*at Miss. College.....	W 6-0
*at Miss. College.....	W 8-4
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 10-8
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 4-0
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 3-1
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 10-6
Ark-Little Rock.....	W 10-6
Ark-Little Rock.....	L 5-6
*Miss. College.....	W 7-5
*Miss. College.....	W 4-3
*Miss. College.....	W 7-2
at Mississippi State.....	L 6-7
at Mississippi State.....	L 6-7
*Nicholls State.....	L 5-8
*Nicholls State.....	W 9-2
*Nicholls State.....	W 13-9
at Christian Brothers.....	W 8-4
at Christian Brothers.....	W 8-6
*SE Louisiana.....	W 9-4
*SE Louisiana.....	L 3-6
*SE Louisiana.....	W 3-1

NCAA South Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss., 2-1, 1st)

Nicholls State.....	W 7-4
Nicholls State.....	L 3-5
Nicholls State.....	W 10-0

NCAA Division II World Series (Springfield, Ill., 3-2, 3rd)

UC-Riverside.....	L 2-8
SIU-Edwardsville.....	W 5-4
New Haven (CT).....	W 5-3
Eckerd (FL).....	W 8-6
UC-Riverside.....	L 3-5
(+ game played in Jackson, MS April 8-9 series vs. SLA at Ponchatoula, La., is officially listed as an away series)	

1978

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 43-19 (14-4 GSC)

HOME: 23-11, AWAY: 13-6, NEUT: 7-2

Belhaven.....	W 2-0
Belhaven.....	W 8-3
Miss. Valley State.....	W 9-2
Miss. Valley State.....	W 11-2
Miss. Valley State.....	W 8-0
Miss. Valley State.....	W 7-2
Christian Brothers.....	W 2-1
Christian Brothers.....	L 3-4
Mississippi.....	L 1-4
Mississippi.....	L 2-4
So. Mississippi +.....	W 11-2
at So. Mississippi.....	L 9-11
at So. Mississippi.....	W 15-4
St. Louis Univ. I.....	W 5-4
*Miss. College.....	W 9-5
*Miss. College.....	W 29-3
*Miss. College.....	W 13-6
Millikin (IL).....	W 15-4

Millikin (IL).....	W 4-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 15-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 6-9
Illinois Wesleyan.....	L 3-10
*SE Louisiana.....	L 4-2
*SE Louisiana.....	L 7-8
*SE Louisiana.....	W 6-5
So. Mississippi.....	W 9-0
Mississippi State.....	L 3-12
Mississippi State.....	L 3-6
*Nicholls State.....	W 6-5
*Nicholls State.....	W 6-3
*Nicholls State.....	W 6-4
at Ark-Little Rock.....	L 1-2
at Ark-Little Rock.....	W 6-2
*at Miss. College.....	W 23-4
*at Miss. College.....	W 8-0
*at Miss. College.....	W 5-2
Memphis State.....	W 19-5
at Mississippi.....	W 10-8
at Mississippi.....	W 8-6
at Memphis State.....	L 3-39
*at SE Louisiana.....	L 5-8
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 4-3
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 9-6
at Miss. Valley State.....	W 6-3
at Miss. Valley State.....	W 2-1
*at Nicholls State.....	W 14-1
*at Nicholls State.....	L 5-9
*at Nicholls State.....	W 10-3

GSC Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 2-1, 1st)

Troy State.....	W 8-6(10)
SE Louisiana.....	L 4-5(10)
West Alabama.....	W 8-2

NCAA South Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss., 3-1, 1st)

Troy State.....	W 8-0
Mankato State.....	W 14-11(10)
Troy State.....	L 5-10
Troy State.....	W 8-4

NCAA Division II World Series (Springfield, Ill., 4-2, 2nd)

SW Missouri State.....	W 12-2
Florida Southern.....	L 8-13
Valdosta State.....	W 9-5
New Haven (CT).....	W 12-11
Florida Southern.....	L 2-7

(+) game played at Laurel
(-) game played at New Orleans, La.
(@) game played at Jackson

1979

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 32-20 (12-6 GSC)

HOME: 22-10, AWAY: 5-9, NEUT: 5-1

Miss. Valley State.....	W 11-3
Miss. Valley State.....	L 2-3 (6)
Memphis State.....	L 1-6
at Mississippi.....	L 2-3
at Mississippi.....	L 1-10
So. Mississippi.....	L 8-19
at Mississippi State.....	L 2-4
at Mississippi State.....	L 8-9(10)
Morehead State.....	W 5-2
Morehead State.....	W 3-1
Morehead State.....	W 9-8
Morehead State.....	W 15-9
Missouri Baptist.....	W 15-5
Missouri Baptist.....	W 8-4(5)
Missouri Baptist.....	W 8-4
Missouri Baptist.....	W 11-5(6)
Missouri-St. Louis.....	W 5-4
Missouri-St. Louis.....	L 5-9(6)
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 8-7(10)
*at SE Louisiana.....	L 6-8
*at SE Louisiana.....	W 7-2
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 16-3
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 4-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 16-15
*at Nicholls State.....	L 5-6
*at Nicholls State.....	L 5-15
*at Nicholls State.....	L 8-9(10)
*at Miss. College.....	W 8-1
*at Miss. College.....	W 14-6
*at Miss. College.....	W 5-4
Mississippi.....	W 3-0
Tulane.....	L 4-15
Tulane.....	L 2-5(5)
*SE Louisiana.....	L 1-5
*SE Louisiana.....	W 6-5
*SE Louisiana.....	W 4-1
at Memphis State.....	L 2-3
*Miss. College.....	W 12-9
*Miss. College.....	L 12-13
*Miss. College.....	W 7-4
*Nicholls State.....	W 3-2
*Nicholls State.....	W 8-0
*Nicholls State.....	W 5-3

GSC Tournament (Livingston, Ala., 4-1, 1st)

Troy State.....	W 10-3
Nicholls State.....	L 7-10
at West Alabama.....	W 5-1
Nicholls State.....	W 4-3(10)
Nicholls State.....	W 5-4

NCAA South Central Regional (Jacksonville, Ala., 2-2, 2nd)

West Alabama.....	W 12-3
at Jacksonville St.....	L 3-4
Troy State.....	W 10-6
at Jacksonville St.....	L 7-10

Games marked with "5" and "6" indicate home games stopped prematurely due to darkness at Ferriss Field.

1980

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 26-12 (7-5 GSC)

HOME: 17-3, AWAY: 7-7, NEUTRAL: 2-2

Miss. Valley State.....	W 16-0
Miss. Valley State.....	W 3-2
Memphis State.....	W 6-5
at William Carey.....	L 2-5
Morehead (KY).....	W 7-4
Morehead (KY).....	W 2-1
*West Alabama.....	W 5-0
*West Alabama.....	L 2-3
*West Alabama.....	W 5-1
at Memphis State.....	L 8-12
*Miss. College.....	W 3-1
*Miss. College.....	W 5-2
*Miss. College.....	W 11-4
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 11-9
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-6
at Mississippi.....	W 3-2
at Mississippi.....	W 4-2
Arkansas State.....	W 7-6
Arkansas State.....	W 16-1
Arkansas State.....	W 5-3
Mississippi State.....	W 12-9
Mississippi State.....	L 1-9
*at Jacksonville St.....	L 3-4
*at Jacksonville St.....	L 3-4
*at Jacksonville St.....	W 15-3
Mississippi.....	L 5-7
Mississippi.....	W 2-1
Ark-Little Rock +.....	W 7-5
Ark-Little Rock +.....	W 2-1
*at Troy State.....	L 1-12
*at Troy State.....	W 8-0
*at Troy State.....	L 8-24
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 8-1
at Miss. Valley St.....	L 2-3
at Christian Brothers.....	W 13-5
at Christian Brothers.....	W 15-5

NCAA Central Regional (Troy, Ala., 0-2, 4th)

Bellarmine (KY).....	L 4-6
Wright State (OH).....	L 4-10

(+) game played in Greenville

1981

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 42-17-1 (5-5 GSC)

HOME: 21-6-1, AWAY: 18-10

NEUTRAL: 3-1

at Belhaven.....	W 21-3
at Belhaven.....	W 11-2
Miss. Valley State.....	W 16-3
Miss. Valley State.....	W 4-2
So. Arkansas.....	W 16-8
So. Arkansas.....	W 11-5
Belhaven.....	W 6-5
Belhaven.....	W 15-0
Mississippi.....	W 5-4
Mississippi.....	W 10-2
*at North Alabama.....	W 5-1
*at North Alabama.....	L 5-6
William Carey.....	W 9-4
William Carey.....	L 0-2
at Alabama.....	W 5-2
at Alabama.....	L 6-9
at Birmingham So.....	L 5-8
at Ala.-Birmingham.....	W 4-2
*at West Alabama.....	W 8-6
*at West Alabama.....	W 3-2 (8)
*at West Alabama.....	W 6-4
Notre Dame.....	W 8-7(10)
Notre Dame.....	W 11-6
Notre Dame.....	L 7-8
at SE Louisiana.....	W 9-7
at SE Louisiana.....	W 7-2
*Miss. College.....	L 4-8
at So. Arkansas.....	W 10-8
at So. Arkansas.....	W 12-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-2
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 12-4
*Tenn.-Martin.....	L 9-10
*Tenn.-Martin.....	W 9-0
at Mississippi.....	L 3-4(9)
at Mississippi.....	L 1-4(9)
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 10-0
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 13-10
Christian Brothers.....	W 7-2
Christian Brothers.....	W 16-6
at Ark-Little Rock.....	W 9-3
at Ark-Little Rock.....	W 8-4
So. Mississippi +.....	W 15-2
So. Mississippi.....	W 3-0
So. Mississippi.....	W 15-4
Ark-Little Rock.....	L 10-19
at Mississippi St.....	W 4-1
at Mississippi St.....	L 3-8
*at Miss. College.....	L 2-7
*at Miss. College.....	L 3-6
at Arkansas St.....	L 0-3
at Arkansas St.....	W 7-6

GSC Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 3-2, 2nd)

North Alabama.....	W 11-0
West Alabama.....	W 8-1
Troy State.....	W 8-7
Troy State.....	L 6-8(10)
Troy State.....	L 2-3

NCAA Central Regional (Troy, Ala., 2-2, 2nd)

Northern Kentucky.....	L 0-3
Indianapolis.....	W 28-15
Northern Kentucky.....	W 16-12
at Troy State.....	L 4-5

(+) game played in Greenville

1982

COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 41-19 (7-1 GSC)

HOME: 18-3, AWAY: 17-12,

NEUTRAL: 6-4

at Belhaven.....	W 11-1
at Belhaven.....	W 7-6(6)
at NE Louisiana.....	L 0-9
at NE Louisiana.....	L 6-7
at Miss. Valley State.....	W 14-0
at Miss. Valley State.....	L 0-1
Belhaven.....	W 7-0
Belhaven.....	W 7-4(6)
at Mississippi.....	W 4-3
at Mississippi.....	W 9-3
SE Louisiana.....	W 6-4
SE Louisiana.....	L 8-13
*West Alabama.....	W 11-0
Illinois College.....	W 15-1
Illinois College.....	W 15-0
at William Carey.....	W 3-0
at William Carey.....	L 7-8(8)
at So. Mississippi.....	W 11-3
at So. Mississippi.....	L 5-7(5)
at William Carey.....	L 9-20
at William Carey.....	W 4-3
at Texas A&M.....	L 0-2
at Texas A&M.....	L 8-16
at Texas A&M.....	L 4-11
at Bethel (TN).....	W 6-3
at Bethel (TN).....	W 13-0(6)
Rhode Island +.....	L 3-4
*at Tenn.-Martin.....	W 9-3
*at Tenn.-Martin.....	W 12-2
at Miss. Valley St.....	L 3-4
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 13-2
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 5-3
*Miss. College.....	W 4-2
*Miss. College.....	W 3-1
So. Arkansas.....	W 11-0
So. Arkansas.....	W 10-2
Mississippi =.....	W 11-10
*at West Alabama.....	L 0-5
*at West Alabama.....	W 16-3
*at West Alabama.....	W 16-6
at Ark-Little Rock.....	W 9-3
at Ark-Little Rock.....	W 8-2
at Arkansas State.....	W 6-3
at Arkansas State.....	W 3-2
Mississippi State =.....	W 9-4
Ark-Little Rock.....	L 3-7
Ark-Little Rock.....	L 6-8
NE Louisiana.....	W 17-0 (5)
NE Louisiana.....	W 11-0(5)

GSC Tournament (Jacksonville, Ala., 2-2, 3rd)

Troy State.....	L 6-15
North Alabama.....	W 14-5
West Alabama.....	W 17-8
at Jacksonville St.....	L 9-14

NCAA Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss., 3-0, 1st)

Jacksonville State.....	W 15-0
Indianapolis.....	W 11-8
Indianapolis.....	W 8-5

NCAA Division II World Series (Riverside, Calif., 2-2, 3rd)

Florida Southern.....	L 2-18
SW Missouri St.....	W 7-5
New Haven (CT).....	W 5-1
Florida Southern.....	L 9-13
(+ game played at Martin, Tenn. (=) games played in Greenville	

1983

COACH BOO FERRISS

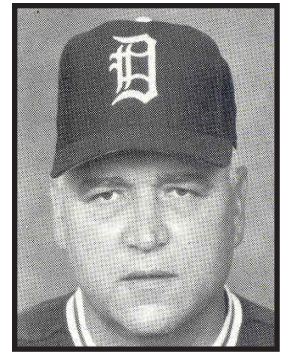
RECORD: 17-19-1 (3-6 GSC)

HOME: 9-11-1, AWAY: 7-8, NEUT: 1-0

at Belhaven.....	W 11-1
at Belhaven.....	W 8-1
Belhaven.....	W 5-1
Belhaven.....	L 1-2
Mississippi.....	L 8-13
Mississippi.....	T 4-4
So. Mississippi.....	W 10-3
So. Mississippi.....	W 5-4
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 11-8
at Miss. Valley St.....	L 3-4
*North Alabama.....	W 8-7
*North Alabama.....	L 4-14
at West Florida.....	L 6-7
*Jacksonville State.....	L 2-6
*Jacksonville State.....	L 0-1



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1989

COACH BILL MARCHANT
RECORD: 28-17 (11-2 GSC)
HOME: 13-5, AWAY: 14-10,
NEUT: 1-2

at Belhaven	W 12-3
at Belhaven	L 5-6
at William Carey	L 7-8
at William Carey	W 5-2
UA-Monticello	W 18-2
*at North Alabama	W 6-0
*at North Alabama	L 5-6
*Miss. College	W 10-1
*Miss. College	W 17-2
Mississippi	L 3-5
*Tenn.-Martin	W 10-5
*Tenn.-Martin	W 9-1
Morehead St (KY)	L 11-17
at Birmingham So.	W 3-2
at Montevallo	L 4-5
at Montevallo	W 5-4
*at West Alabama	W 18-5
*at West Alabama	W 8-6
Illinois Wesleyan	W 8-4
Louisiana Tech	L 3-4
So. Arkansas	W 3-2
So. Arkansas	W 10-3
*North Alabama	W 10-9(9)
*North Alabama	L 5-11
at Louisiana Tech	L 6-13
*at Miss. College	W 4-1
*at Miss. College	W 12-4
William Carey	W 6-1
William Carey	L 3-4
NE Louisiana	W 4-1
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 9-4
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 13-8
at Mississippi St.	L 1-2
at Mississippi St.	L 1-4
*West Alabama	W 8-7
*West Alabama	W 10-3
at Union (TN)	W 9-1
at Union (TN)	W 18-6
at Mississippi	L 4-8
at Arkansas State	W 20-1

GSC Tournament (Jacksonville, Ala., 1-2, 3rd)	
West Georgia	W 8-2
North Alabama	L 5-9
at Jacksonville St.	L 2-5

NCAA South Central Regional (Florence, Ala, 0-2, 3rd)	
Jacksonville St.	L 10-11
at North Alabama	L 4-8

1990
COACH BILL MARCHANT
RECORD: 33-14 (9-7 GSC)
HOME: 16-5, AWAY: 17-9

Belhaven	W 11-3
Miss. Valley State	W 10-3
Miss. Valley State	W 16-4
at Union (TN)	L 4-7
at Union (TN)	W 13-2
*North Alabama	L 4-5(10)
*North Alabama	W 6-5
at Arkansas Tech	W 4-0
at Arkansas Tech	L 2-4
UA-Monticello	W 6-3
UA-Monticello	W 5-0
*at Miss. College	W 7-0
*at Miss. College	W 9-0
at William Carey	W 6-4
at William Carey	W 6-2
*at Tenn.-Martin	L 5-6
*at Tenn.-Martin	L 2-3
at Louisiana Tech	W 4-0
at Grambling	W 7-2
at Grambling	L 5-9
at So. Arkansas	W 10-0
at So. Arkansas	W 9-3
*West Alabama	L 3-6
*West Alabama	W 5-2
Illinois Wesleyan	W 14-6
Union (TN)	L 2-5
Union (TN)	W 12-5
at Miss. Valley State	W 5-1

at Mississippi	L 7-10
Mississippi	W 9-4
*at North Alabama	L 1-3
*at North Alabama	W 10-4
at Miss. Valley St.	W 18-11
at Miss. Valley St.	W 5-2

GSC North Division Tournament
(Cleveland, Miss., 5-1, 1st)

Jacksonville St.	L 7-9
West Georgia	W 6-2
Jacksonville St.	W 6-5
North Alabama	W 9-5
Tenn.-Martin	W 9-6
Tenn.-Martin	W 14-1

GSC Championship
(Troy, Ala., 2-0, 1st)

Troy State	W 6-5
Troy State	W 8-7

NCAA South Central Regional
(Cleveland, Miss., 2-2, 2nd)

Grand Valley St.	W 8-2
Troy State	L 2-10
Grand Valley St.	W 8-4
Troy State	L 6-10

1986
COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 29-24 (3-9 GSC)
HOME: 19-8, AWAY: 10-14, NEU: 0-2

at Belhaven	L 1-3
at Belhaven	W 13-0(5)
Miss. Valley St.	W 3-1
Miss. Valley St.	W 11-10(6)
at So. Mississippi	W 4-3
at So. Mississippi	L 1-6
Belhaven	W 3-1
Belhaven	W 10-1
at Miss. Valley St.	L 1-3
at Miss. Valley St.	L 0-9
Rhodes (TN)	W 3-2(8)
Rhodes (TN)	W 13-4
NE Louisiana	L 7-9
at UA-Monticello	W 12-4
at UA-Monticello	W 6-1
*at North Alabama	L 3-4(10)
Mississippi	L 5-7
*West Alabama	W 7-0
*West Alabama	W 9-8(10)
at William Carey	L 0-5
at SE Louisiana	W 4-1
Bradley	L 11-12
at West Florida	W 4-0
at West Florida	L 2-6
Miss. Valley St.	W 3-0(5)
at Louisiana Tech	W 5-2(10)
*at West Alabama	W 19-8
*at West Alabama	W 7-4(10)
William Carey	W 12-3
William Carey	L 8-9(8)
Illinois Wesleyan	W 12-7
Quincy (IL)	W 5-4
Quincy (IL)	W 5-1
*at Tenn.-Martin	L 3-4
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 10-8
Louisiana Tech	W 6-5
at Mississippi	L 1-6
at Mississippi	L 1-7
*Miss. College	W 4-2
*Miss. College	L 7-8
at Mississippi St.	L 4-6
at Mississippi St.	L 1-12
Ark.-Little Rock	L 7-9
Ark.-Little Rock	W 9-4
*at Miss. College	L 1-6
*at Miss. College	W 11-4
NE Louisiana	L 10-13
*North Alabama	W 7-5
*North Alabama	L 0-7
Arkansas State	W 4-1
Arkansas State	L 2-8

GSC North Division Tournament
(Martin, Tenn., 2-2, 3rd)

North Alabama	L 4-17
at Tenn.-Martin	W 15-6
Jacksonville St.	W 13-1
West Georgia	L 1-2

1985
COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 38-20-1 (7-5 GSC)
HOME: 24-10, AWAY: 14-10-1

at Belhaven	L 1-3
at Belhaven	L 5-6
Miss. Valley St.	W 9-1
Miss. Valley St.	W 5-0
*at West Alabama	W 4-0
*at West Alabama	W 5-0
Belhaven	L 2-3
at Christian Brothers	W 7-5
Mississippi	W 5-4(12)
at Mississippi	L 2-6
NE Louisiana	W 7-4
NE Louisiana	L 4-5
William Carey	W 1-0
William Carey	W 8-6
at Ala.-Birmingham	W 7-5
at Montevallo	W 20-10
*at Jacksonville St.	W 11-4
*at Jacksonville St.	L 4-4(5)
South Alabama	W 5-1
UA-Monticello	W 9-1
UA-Monticello	W 9-6
So. Mississippi	L 4-7
Mississippi State	L 4-6
Miss. Valley St.	W 6-2
Miss. Valley St.	W 11-7
Mississippi State	L 8-14
*West Alabama	W 10-1
*West Alabama	L 4-5
at William Carey	W 9-2
at William Carey	W 17-5
Illinois Wesleyan	W 19-1
Louisiana Tech	W 8-7
Louisiana Tech	L 7-9
*at Miss. College	L 7-8
*at Miss. College	W 13-0
at NE Louisiana	L 1-4
at NE Louisiana	L 0-1
at Louisiana Tech	L 0-9
at Louisiana Tech	L 3-5
*Miss. College	W 3-2
*Miss. College	W 2-1

GSC North Division Tournament
(Jacksonville, Ala., 0-2, DNP)

at Jacksonville St.	L 8-9(10)
West Georgia	L 3-14

(+) game played at Pensacola, Fla.

1987
COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 29-22 (11-5 GSC)
HOME: 19-6, AWAY: 9-15, NEUT: 1-1

Christian Brothers	W 10-1
William Carey	W 3-2(9)
William Carey	L 1-5(5)
Miss. Valley St.	W 14-1
Miss. Valley St.	W 8-1(6)
Mississippi	L 3-8
at Ark.-Little Rock	L 5-6(11)
West Florida	W 17-8
West Florida	W 3-1
Culver-Stockton	W 11-0
Culver-Stockton	W 6-0
Miss. Valley St.	W 7-6(10)
at NE Louisiana	L 4-6
at NE Louisiana	L 2-14
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 10-7
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 9-4
at William Carey	W 9-7
at William Carey	L 0-13
UA-Monticello	W 13-0
UA-Monticello	W 9-0
*Miss. College	W 3-0
*Miss. College	W 6-3
Union (TN)	L 0-3

Union (TN)	W 14-4
Illinois Wesleyan	W 17-1
NE Louisiana	L 1-5
*at North Alabama	L 1-3
*at West Alabama	L 1-2
at Mississippi	L 5-6
*North Alabama	W 4-0
*North Alabama	L 1-5
at Belhaven	W 11-10 (10)
*West Alabama	W 4-3
*West Alabama	W 8-2
at Miss. Valley St.	W 8-3
at Miss. Valley St.	W 6-4
*at Miss. College	L 4-9
*at Miss. College	W 18-8
at Mississippi State	L 4-5(10)
at Mississippi State	L 10-16
Louisiana Tech	L 2-6
*at North Alabama	W 4-0
*at North Alabama	L 2-9
Belhaven	L 10-11
*Tenn.-Martin	W 4-1
*Tenn.-Martin	W 6-0
at Arkansas State	L 0-1
at Arkansas State	L 6-11

GSC Tournament
(Troy, Ala., 1-2, 3rd)

at Troy State	L 0-2
Jacksonville State	W 12-8
North Alabama	L 6-9 (10)

1988
COACH BOO FERRISS

RECORD: 44-13 (13-1 GSC)
HOME: 32-8, AWAY: 12-5

at Belhaven	W 3-2
at Belhaven	W 10-4
Miss. Valley St.	W 15-9
Miss. Valley St.	W 9-5(6)
at NE Louisiana	L 3-13
Belhaven	W 8-1
Belhaven	W 8-0
at William Carey	W 8-5
at William Carey	L 3-4
at Christian Brothers	W 6-4
*North Alabama	W 4-3
*North Alabama	W 12-11
Mississippi	L 8-11
Union (TN)	L 5-7
Union (TN)	W 7-4
*at Miss. College	W 19-0
*at Miss. College	W 8-5
Illinois College	W 8-0
Illinois College	W 12-4
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 8-7
*at Tenn.-Martin	W 11-4
Spring Hill (AL)	W 18-12
at West Florida	W 6-4
at West Florida	W 6-4
at West Florida	L 1-9
*West Alabama	W 6-5(8)
*West Alabama	W 4-2
Mississippi State	L 1-7
Mississippi State	W 9-8
Rust College	W 8-5
Rust College	L 9-10
Ark.-Little Rock	W 10-4
*at North Alabama	W 5-4(8)
*at North Alabama	L 2-3(9)
Miss. Valley St.	W 16-4
Miss. Valley St.	W 15-3
at Louisiana Tech	L 2-18
*Miss. College	W 2-1(9)
*Miss. College	W 5-3
William Carey	W 6-5
William Carey	W 4-1
Louisiana Tech	W 9-8
*Tenn.-Martin	W 3-0
*Tenn.-Martin	W 14-4
at Mississippi	W 16-10
NE Louisiana	L 6-7
Arkansas State	W 8-2
Arkansas State	W 14-1

GSC Tournament
(Cleveland, Miss., 3-1, 1st)

Troy State	W 3-2
Jacksonville St.	W 10-2
Troy State	L 1-10

NCAA South Central Regional
(Cleveland, Miss., 3-2, 2nd)

Jacksonville St.	L 5-13
Troy State	W 9-7
C. Missouri St.	W 9-8
Jacksonville St.	W 10-6
Jacksonville St.	L 2-8

DID YOU KNOW?

From 1960 to 1988, Delta State University only had two coaches? **Dave "Boo" Ferriss** served 26 seasons as head coach during that time amassing a 639-387-3 record. **Don Ward** coached the Statesmen for three seasons from 1967-69. Ward's record at DSU was 62-42-1.

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at Miss. Valley State.....	W 6-0
*at North Alabama.....	L 2-3
*at North Alabama.....	W 8-6
*Miss. College.....	W 5-1
*Miss. College.....	W 6-0
at Mississippi State.....	L 14-15(12)
at Mississippi State.....	L 2-24
*Tenn.-Martin.....	W 6-5(8)
*Tenn.-Martin.....	L 1-3
Louisiana Tech.....	W 13-7
at Mississippi.....	W 8-4(10)
*at West Alabama.....	W 9-1
*at West Alabama.....	L 8-9
William Carey.....	L 6-8
William Carey.....	W 2-1
at LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 9-1
at LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 16-3
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 16-0
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 15-0

1991

COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 33-12 (11-2 GSC)

HOME: 20-5, AWAY: 10-7, NEUT: 3-0

at Belhaven.....	W 9-6
UA-Monticello.....	W 18-7
UA-Monticello.....	L 2-3
Belhaven.....	W 10-8
Alcorn State.....	W 9-8
Alcorn State.....	W 5-4
*at North Alabama.....	W 3-2(8)
*at North Alabama.....	L 0-2
at Miss. Valley State.....	W 8-1
at Miss. Valley State.....	L 2-3
*at Miss. College.....	W 8-4
at UA-Monticello.....	W 10-1
Arkansas Tech.....	W 5-4
Arkansas Tech.....	W 12-8
*at Tenn.-Martin.....	W 9-4
*at Tenn.-Martin.....	W 7-4
William Carey.....	W 6-4
William Carey.....	W 11-0
at Montevallo.....	L 5-8
at Montevallo.....	L 7-8
*at West Alabama.....	W 2-1
*at West Alabama.....	L 0-1
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 17-2
at Union (TN).....	L 4-5
at Union (TN).....	W 18-6
So. Arkansas.....	W 15-5
So. Arkansas.....	L 8-12
*North Alabama.....	W 9-1
*North Alabama.....	W 6-4
*Miss. College.....	W 5-2
*Miss. College.....	W 10-1
Mississippi State.....	L 4-6
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 8-4(9)
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 7-0
*West Alabama.....	W 9-2
*West Alabama.....	W 4-3(8)
at William Carey.....	L 0-1
at William Carey.....	W 6-2

GSC Tournament (Troy, Ala., 3-0, 1st)

Jacksonville State.....	W 5-3
North Alabama.....	W 2-0(12)
Jacksonville State.....	W 4-2

NCAA South Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss., 2-2, 3rd)

Troy State.....	W 11-5
Jacksonville State.....	L 4-7
Jacksonville State.....	W 10-4
Jacksonville State.....	L 0-2

1992

COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 28-26 (9-7 GSC)

HOME: 15-7, AWAY: 12-15, NEUT: 1-4

Belhaven.....	L 13-18(13)
at Grambling.....	L 6-7
Miss. Valley State.....	W 10-9
at William Carey.....	L 3-4(8)
at William Carey.....	L 0-1(11)
Henderson State.....	W 13-7
Henderson State.....	W 9-5
Harding.....	W 15-7
at Alcorn State.....	L 1-4
at Alcorn State.....	L 4-5
Mississippi.....	L 1-9
at Central Arkansas.....	W 4-2
at Central Arkansas.....	W 12-2
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 14-3
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 16-1
at Henderson State.....	W 5-4
at Henderson State.....	W 7-3
at So. Arkansas.....	L 0-5
at So. Arkansas.....	L 0-10(6)
UA-Monticello.....	W 8-3
*North Alabama.....	W 11-7
*North Alabama.....	L 1-3
Birmingham So. +.....	L 1-5
NE Louisiana.....	L 4-12
*at West Alabama.....	W 6-1
*at West Alabama.....	L 2-3
*at West Alabama.....	L 5-7
Central Arkansas.....	W 4-3
Central Arkansas.....	W 10-5
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 11-7
William Carey.....	L 5-9
William Carey.....	L 3-10
*Miss. College.....	W 7-2
*Miss. College.....	W 8-2
*Miss. College.....	W 7-2

at Mississippi State.....	L 4-7
at Mississippi State.....	L 2-8
*at Valdosta State.....	L 2-3
*at Valdosta State.....	L 6-8
Grambling.....	W 14-13
West Alabama.....	L 4-5(14)
*Jacksonville St.....	W 10-6
*Jacksonville St.....	L 1-8
at Mississippi.....	W 9-6
at NE Louisiana.....	W 4-3
*at West Georgia.....	W 5-1
*at West Georgia.....	L 1-4
*at West Georgia.....	W 13-3
at Miss. College.....	L 4-5
at Miss. College.....	W 5-2

GSC Tournament (Florence, Ala., 1-2, 3rd)

West Alabama.....	W 5-4
Valdosta State.....	L 1-4
West Alabama.....	L 5-10

(+) game played in Tupelo
(S) game played in Meridian

1993

COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 23-22-1(6-11 GSC)

HOME: 11-7-1, AWAY: 12-15

at Belhaven.....	W 13-7
at Belhaven.....	L 8-9(6)
UA-Monticello.....	W 10-4
UA-Monticello.....	W 4-2
at William Carey.....	W 6-2
at William Carey.....	W 5-4
at UA-Monticello.....	W 5-4(9)
at UA-Monticello.....	L 2-3
Central Arkansas.....	W 3-2(8)
Central Arkansas.....	W 9-0
NE Louisiana.....	T 10-10(10)
Miss. Valley State.....	W 6-4
Miss. Valley State.....	W 16-1
Lambuth (TN).....	W 9-0
Lambuth (TN).....	L 6-7
at Mississippi.....	L 1-6
So. Arkansas.....	W 4-2
So. Arkansas.....	L 4-8
*at Lincoln Memorial.....	W 4-3
*at Lincoln Memorial.....	L 4-5(10)
*at Lincoln Memorial.....	W 10-7
at Mississippi St.....	L 1-5
at Mississippi St.....	L 3-8
*at North Alabama.....	L 6-12
*at North Alabama.....	L 1-2
*at North Alabama.....	W 10-6
at Central Arkansas.....	W 13-0
at Central Arkansas.....	W 13-0
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 8-6
*West Alabama.....	L 0-4
*West Alabama.....	L 1-4
William Carey.....	L 1-7(8)
William Carey.....	W 8-1
*at Miss. College.....	L 3-9
*at Miss. College.....	W 6-2
*at Miss. College.....	L 4-5
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 13-2
at Miss. Valley St.....	L 3-4
*Valdosta State.....	L 0-1
*Valdosta State.....	L 1-3
*Valdosta State.....	W 14-12
*at Jacksonville St.....	L 7-9
*at Jacksonville St.....	W 6-3
*at Jacksonville St.....	L 3-4
at Mississippi.....	L 1-5
at Ne Louisiana.....	L 1-8

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COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 45-13 (19-4 GSC)

HOME: 16-5 AWAY: 22-5 NEUT: 7-3

*at West Alabama.....	L 2-11
*at West Alabama.....	W 7-4
*at West Alabama.....	L 2-8
at William Carey.....	W 13-3
at William Carey.....	W 4-2
*Central Arkansas.....	W 4-3
*Central Arkansas.....	W 2-0
*Central Arkansas.....	W 10-0
Freed-Hardeman.....	L 6-13
*Miss. College.....	W 2-0
*Miss. College.....	W 7-4
*Miss. College.....	L 2-10
at Grambling.....	L 3-5
Belhaven.....	L 3-4
*at Henderson State.....	W 9-0
*at Henderson State.....	W 2-0
*at Henderson State.....	W 5-1
Mississippi State.....	W 12-5
Mississippi State.....	W 2-1
Mississippi.....	L 1-14
at LSU-Shreveport.....	W 17-0
at LSU-Shreveport.....	L 2-6
*West Alabama.....	L 1-3
*West Alabama.....	W 9-3
Miss. Valley State.....	W 19-5
at So. Arkansas.....	W 11-4
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 13-4
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 18-3
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 6-1
William Carey.....	W 10-2
William Carey.....	W 3-1
at UA-Monticello.....	W 20-7
at UA-Monticello.....	W 17-4
*at Miss. College.....	W 5-3

* at Miss. College.....	W 7-6
* at Miss. College.....	W 7-2
at SW Louisiana.....	W 4-1(8)
at SW Louisiana.....	L 0-2
*Henderson State.....	W 12-1
*Henderson State.....	W 5-0
*Henderson State.....	W 10-4
Birmingham So. +.....	W 14-0
at Mississippi.....	W 6-5

GSC Tournament (Livingston, Ala., 3-0, 1st)

North Alabama.....	W 7-6
at West Alabama.....	W 13-4
at West Alabama.....	W 9-7

NCAA South Central Regional (Pueblo, Colo., 3-1, 1st)

Central Oklahoma.....	L 2-6
at So. Colorado.....	W 7-6
Central Oklahoma.....	W 17-5
Central Oklahoma.....	W 9-6

NCAA Division II World Series (Montgomery, Ala., 3-2, T 3rd)

Mansfield (PA).....	L 3-4
Springfield (MA).....	W 12-11(10)
Mansfield (PA).....	W 6-1
C. Missouri State.....	W 10-3
C. Missouri State.....	L 2-8

(+) game played in New Hope

1995

COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 40-15 (19-5 GSC)

HOME: 27-3, AWAY: 12-9, NEUT: 1-3

at Belhaven.....	L 0-1
Grambling.....	W 14-0
UA-Monticello.....	W 8-1
UA-Monticello.....	W 10-0
Miss. Valley State.....	W 8-2
Mississippi.....	L 4-6
Arkansas Tech.....	W 3-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 7-6
*Henderson State.....	W 6-1
*Henderson State.....	W 7-1
*Henderson State.....	W 11-3
*at Central Arkansas.....	L 2-5
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 5-2
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 11-4
Camerson (OK).....	W 8-3
*Miss. College.....	W 9-4
*Miss. College.....	W 8-7
*Miss. College.....	W 7-3
Harding.....	W 12-0
*at West Alabama.....	W 4-3
*at West Alabama.....	W 7-5
*at West Alabama.....	L 0-1(10)
Central Oklahoma.....	W 13-4
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 20-10
at William Carey.....	W 7-6
at William Carey.....	L 2-7
Union (TN).....	W 20-0
Union (TN).....	W 4-2
Birmingham So. +.....	L 3-4
Illinois Wesleyan.....	W 2-0
So. Arkansas.....	W 1-0
So. Arkansas.....	L 2-3(9)
*at Henderson St.....	W 6-3
*at Henderson St.....	W 16-0
*at Henderson St.....	L 7-8
at Grambling.....	W 6-2
at Harding.....	W 16-2
*Central Arkansas.....	L 5-8
*Central Arkansas.....	W 10-0
*Central Arkansas.....	W 15-0
at Mississippi.....	L 4-7
*at Miss. College.....	L 1-8
*at Miss. College.....	W 15-3
*at Miss. College.....	W 13-4
William Carey.....	W 5-1
William Carey.....	W 3-2
*West Alabama.....	W 3-1
*West Alabama.....	W 3-2
*West Alabama.....	W 10-0
Freed-Hardeman.....	W 11-3

GSC Tournament (Florence, Ala., 0-2, 4th)

Valdosta State.....	L 3-9
West Alabama.....	L 2-6

NCAA South Central Regional (Florence, Ala., 1-2, 3rd)

Valdosta State.....	W 8-1
at North Alabama.....	L 6-13
at North Alabama.....	L 8-9

1996

COACH BILL MARCHANT

RECORD: 53-8 (15-1 GSC)

at Belhaven.....	W 16-10
at Belhaven.....	W 16-2
Miss. Valley State.....	W 17-0
at UA-Monticello.....	W 7-0
at UA-Monticello.....	W 8-0
Christian Brothers.....	W 16-7
Christian Brothers.....	W 22-0
West Alabama.....	W 2-1(8)
West Alabama.....	W 3-2
West Alabama.....	W 5-3
at Union (TN).....	W 5-2
at Union (TN).....	W 10-0
at Miss. Valley St.....	W 7-2
William Carey.....	L 5-9
William Carey.....	W 8-2
*Arkansas Tech.....	W 7-2
*Arkansas Tech.....	W 7-3
*Arkansas Tech.....	W 9-0

at Lyon College.....	W 15-1
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 7-0
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 9-1
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 5-2
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 5-1
*at Central Arkansas.....	W 6-2
Central Oklahoma.....	W 7-2
Central Oklahoma.....	W 4-2
Harding.....	W 6-3
Grambling.....	W 10-0
at SW Louisiana.....	L 2-7
at SW Louisiana.....	W 8-4
*at Henderson St.....	W 6-3
*at Henderson St.....	W 5-1
*at Henderson St.....	W 10-5
Belhaven.....	W 13-0
Belhaven.....	W 10-2
*UA-Monticello.....	W 4-0
*UA-Monticello.....	W 3-2
at Grambling.....	W 9-2
at Jackson State.....	L 5-6
*Miss. College.....	W 12-3
*Miss. College.....	W 4-2
at Christian Brothers.....	L 0-1
at Christian Brothers.....	W 14-2
Lyon College.....	W 22-7
at Harding.....	W 7-2
at So. Arkansas.....	W 9-4
at So. Arkansas.....	W 7-2
at So. Arkansas.....	L 4-5

GSC Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 4-1, 1st)

Lincoln Memorial.....	W 6-4
Ala.-Huntsville.....	L 9-12
Lincoln Memorial.....	W 6-1
Ala.-Huntsville.....	W 15-8
Ala.-Huntsville.....	W 13-12
Jackson State.....	W 7-0

NCAA South Central Regional (Abilene, Texas, 3-0, 1st)

Wingate.....	W 10-2
at Abilene Christian.....	W 5-4
at Abilene Christian.....	W 4-2

NCAA Division II World Series (Montgomery, Ala., 2-2, 4th)

Tampa.....	W 8-4
St. Joseph's (Mo.).....	L 6-7



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1997
COACH MIKE KINNISSON

RECORD: 36-20 (12-4 GSC)

HOME 15-2; AWAY 14-13 NEUT. 4-3	
Union.....	W 8-3
Union.....	W 12-7
Mississippi Valley State.....	W 17-1
Lambuth.....	W 21-7
West Alabama.....	L 13-14
West Alabama.....	L 2-3
West Alabama.....	W 6-3
Mississippi Valley State.....	W 25-2
Mississippi State.....	L 4-11
West Florida.....	L 2-5
West Florida.....	W 8-0
Auburn-Montgomery.....	W 4-1
William Carey.....	L 8-11
William Carey.....	W 5-4
*Arkansas Tech.....	W 2-0
*Arkansas Tech.....	L 5-7
Oklahoma City.....	L 3-9
Central Oklahoma.....	L 4-9
Central Oklahoma.....	L 5-9
*Central Arkansas.....	W 6-3
*Central Arkansas.....	L 2-4
*Central Arkansas.....	W 3-2
Campbellsville College.....	L 7-8
Campbellsville College.....	W 5-4
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 7-2
Lyon College.....	W 14-3
Belhaven.....	L 7-10
Belhaven.....	W 9-2
*Henderson State.....	W 13-3
*Henderson State.....	W 6-5
*Henderson State.....	W 7-3
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 22-0
Belhaven.....	W 4-3
Belhaven.....	W 9-2



DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Jackson State.....	L 5-6
*Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 10-7
*Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 13-9
William Carey.....	W 4-3
William Carey.....	L 3-6
Jackson State.....	W 3-2
Christian Brothers.....	W 12-8
Christian Brothers.....	W 12-5
Christian Brothers.....	W 12-0
Southwestern Louisiana.....	L 9-10
Southwestern Louisiana.....	L 4-8
Louisiana College.....	W 17-8
Southern Arkansas.....	L 6-8
Southern Arkansas.....	W 10-6
Southern Arkansas.....	L 3-10
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 6-0
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 21-0

GSC Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 3-2, 2nd)

West Georgia.....	W 6-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 9-6
North Alabama.....	L 6-19
Valdosta State.....	W 11-5
North Alabama.....	L 7-8

1998

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 39-12 (12-4 GSC)

HOME 24-4' AWAY 12-7; NEUT. 3-1

LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 17-5
Tampa's.....	W 2-1
Valdosta State.....	L 7-8
at Union.....	W 7-4
at Union.....	W 11-7
at Lambuth.....	L 6-16
at Lambuth.....	W 11-5
West Alabama.....	W 8-4
West Alabama.....	W 22-2
West Alabama.....	W 14-2
William Carey.....	L 0-1
William Carey.....	W 14-8
at Ole Miss.....	L 0-1
Jackson State.....	W 13-2
at Henderson State*.....	L 3-5
at Henderson State*.....	W 8-6
at Henderson State*.....	W 9-5
Millsaps College.....	W 15-2
Millsaps College.....	W 11-5
McKendree College.....	W 13-9
McKendree College.....	W 5-1
Christian Brothers*.....	W 12-1
Christian Brothers*.....	W 9-3
Christian Brothers*.....	W 9-0
at Mississippi Valley.....	W 18-2
B'ham Southern+.....	W 11-8
at Central Arkansas*.....	L 10-13
at Central Arkansas*.....	W 24-15
at Central Arkansas*.....	L 11-7
Mississippi Valley^.....	W 8-3
Arkansas Tech.....	L 6-8*
Arkansas Tech.....	W 10-1*
Arkansas Tech.....	W 8-7*
Lambuth.....	W 12-6
Lambuth.....	W 9-5
Belhaven.....	W 9-6
Belhaven.....	W 5-2
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 8-2
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 11-3
LSU-Shreveport.....	L 3-10
William Carey.....	W 9-8
William Carey.....	W 5-4
Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 16-8
Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 21-4
at Lyon College.....	W 13-1
at Southern Arkansas*.....	W 17-11
at Southern Arkansas*.....	W 13-3
at Southern Arkansas*.....	L 4-7

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 1-2)

Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 4-5
Central Arkansas.....	W 13-11
West Georgia.....	L 9-11
.....(S) Montgomery, Ala.; (+) New Hope, Miss. (^) Greenville, Miss.	

1999

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 41-12 (11-3 GSC)

HOME 16-3' AWAY 20-5; NEUT. 5-4

Cumberland Univ.....	W 5-0
Cumberland Univ.....	W 5-2
at LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 36-1
Tampa University Invitational (Tampa, Fla., 2-1)	
vs. Tampa.....	W 11-4
at Florida Southern.....	L 1-9
vs. West Florida.....	W 7-1
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 6-1
vs. Quincy University&.....	L 12-20
at North Alabama.....	W 6-1
vs. Quincy University&.....	L 22-17
at Belhaven College.....	W 10-5
Millsaps College.....	W 14-6
Ole Miss.....	W 13-4
at Louisiana College.....	W 16-4
at LSU-Shreveport.....	W 9-7
at LSU-Shreveport.....	W 5-4
at LSU-Shreveport.....	W 13-8
at Jackson State.....	W 13-7
at Christian Brothers*.....	W 12-1
at Christian Brothers*.....	W 5-4

at William Carey.....	W 8-5
at William Carey.....	L 4-3
Jackson State.....	W 5-3
Central Arkansas*.....	W 19-4
Central Arkansas*.....	L 10-9
Central Arkansas*.....	W 17-2
at Arkansas Tech*.....	W 4-3
at Arkansas Tech*.....	W 1-0
at Arkansas Tech*.....	L 2-16
Union University.....	L 2-9
Union University.....	W 16-1
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 16-0
at Lyon College.....	W 9-1
Louisiana College.....	W 15-2
at Nicholls State.....	W 10-9
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 13-7
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 20-4
at Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 17-3
at Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 12-8
at Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 23-7
at Mississippi Valley State.....	W 20-8
William Carey.....	W 18-1
William Carey.....	W 8-1
Southern Arkansas*.....	W 3-1
Southern Arkansas*.....	W 7-6
Southern Arkansas*.....	L 2-11

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Florence, Ala., 4-2, 2nd)

vs. Lincoln Memorial.....	W 6-1
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	W 10-2
at North Alabama.....	L 12-3
vs. Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 5-3
at North Alabama.....	W 5-3
at North Alabama.....	L 10-7

NCAA South Regional Tournament (Florence, Ala., 0-2, 4th)

vs. Southeastern Oklahoma.....	L 6-7
vs. Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 12-7
* Tampa Invitational, Tampa, Fla. & Played in Florence, Ala.	

2000

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 48-12 (13-3 GSC)

HOME 26-4' AWAY 19-6; NEUT. 3-2

at Belhaven College.....	W 4-0
at Belhaven College.....	W 10-4
at Union University.....	L 2-3
at Union University.....	L 3-5
at Freed Hardeman.....	W 6-1
Millsaps College.....	W 15-3
Millsaps College.....	W 6-2
North Alabama.....	L 0-5
Abilene Christian.....	L 0-3
at Mississippi Valley State.....	W 20-0
Valdosta State/Jewelers Classic (Valdosta, Ga., 3-0)	
vs. Augusta State.....	W 14-2
at Valdosta State.....	W 17-9
vs. Barry University.....	W 10-3
at William Carey.....	L 5-6
at William Carey.....	W 14-2
at West Alabama.....	W 18-10
at West Alabama.....	W 7-3
at West Alabama.....	W 12-10
Jackson State.....	W 20-8
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 5-1
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 5-0
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 3-2
Freed Hardeman.....	W 9-3
Freed Hardeman.....	W 9-5
at LeMoyné Owen.....	W 15-5
Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 10-3
Arkansas-Monticello*.....	W 15-3
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 9-4
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 10-5
Mississippi Valley State.....	W 15-0
Lyon College.....	W 14-2
at Henderson State*.....	L 5-6
at Henderson State*.....	W 3-0
LeMoyné-Owen.....	W 12-0
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 8-3
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 18-1
Christian Brothers*.....	W 13-0
Christian Brothers*.....	W 4-3
Christian Brothers*.....	W 4-3
at Southern Arkansas*.....	L 4-6
at Southern Arkansas*.....	W 17-4
at Southern Arkansas*.....	W 12-8
Belhaven College.....	W 4-1
Belhaven College.....	W 15-7
Central Arkansas*.....	W 5-1
Central Arkansas*.....	W 9-7
Central Arkansas*.....	L 2-4
at Millsaps College.....	L 1-2
at Arkansas Tech*.....	W 16-7
at Arkansas Tech*.....	W 8-3
at Arkansas Tech*.....	W 15-1

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 4-1, 1st)

North Alabama.....	L 8-10
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 10-8
Southern Arkansas.....	W 23-4
Montevallo.....	W 5-3
North Alabama.....	W 11-1

NCAA South Central Regional Tournament (Abilene, Texas, 2-2, 2nd)

vs. Southeastern Oklahoma St.....	W 11-9
Abilene Christian.....	W 14-13
vs. Southeastern Oklahoma St.....	L 4-7
vs. Southeastern Oklahoma St.....	L 5-11

2001

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 50-11 (19-2 GSC)

HOME 20-0' AWAY 23-7; NEUT. 7-4

at LSU-Shreveport.....	W 9-8
at Abilene Christian.....	W 7-6
at Abilene Christian.....	L 3-6
at Abilene Christian.....	L 2-5
at Abilene Christian.....	L 0-10
vs. Kentucky Wesleyan.....	W 8-2
at North Alabama.....	W 5-2
at Belhaven College.....	W 10-0
at Belhaven College.....	W 9-2
at Nicholls State.....	L 5-8
at Nicholls State.....	W 14-1
at Nicholls State.....	W 10-9
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 10-8
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 10-0
at William Carey.....	W 4-2
at William Carey.....	W 13-7
at Christian Brothers.....	L 9-12
at Christian Brothers.....	W 8-1
at Christian Brothers.....	W 14-1
Trinity University (Texas).....	W 19-11
at Lyon College.....	W 23-11
Henderson State.....	W 7-6
Henderson State.....	W 13-8
Henderson State.....	W 15-8
at Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 7-2
at Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 5-6
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 22-0
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 26-0
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 16-4
Mississippi Valley State.....	W 6-2
at Southern Arkansas.....	L 6-8
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 7-5
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 20-15
Millsaps.....	W 12-7
Millsaps.....	W 13-12
Jackson State.....	W 18-7
Grambling State.....	W 8-4
at Grambling State.....	W 18-8
Union University (Tenn.).....	W 44-11
Central Arkansas.....	W 11-1
William Carey.....	W 6-4
William Carey.....	W 6-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 6-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 7-1
Arkansas Tech.....	W 17-6
Belhaven College.....	W 8-0
Belhaven College.....	W 6-3
at Harding.....	W 6-0
at Harding.....	W 13-8
at Harding.....	W 4-0

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Valdosta, Ga., 1-2)

vs. Alabama Huntsville.....	L 8-9
at Valdosta State.....	W 16-4
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	L 6-7

NCAA South Central Regional Tournament (Abilene, Texas, 3-0, 1st)

vs. Central Oklahoma.....	W 5-4
vs. Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 7-5
vs. Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 11-10

NCAA Division II Championship (Montgomery, Ala., 3-2, 3rd)

vs. North Florida.....	L 7-9
vs. Tampa.....	W 14-11
vs. UMass Lowell.....	W 6-2
vs. North Florida.....	W 11-7
vs. St. Mary's.....	L 4-17

2002

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 50-8 (20-2 GSC)

HOME 27-3' AWAY 22-1; NEUT. 1-4

Jackson State.....	W 19-2
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 5-4
LSU-Shreveport.....	W 15-3
Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 5-8
Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 5-9
at Grambling State.....	W 8-3
at Grambling State.....	W 14-8
at Arkansas State.....	W 13-9
West Alabama.....	W 11-2
West Alabama.....	W 6-1
West Alabama.....	W 16-13
at Mississippi Valley.....	W 10-3
at Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 13-2
at Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 8-4
at Montevallo.....	W 18-4
at Montevallo.....	W 13-1
Christian Brothers.....	L 2-4
Christian Brothers.....	W 6-5
Christian Brothers.....	W 6-2
Trinity.....	W 12-2
at Lyon College.....	W 6-3
at Jackson State.....	W 16-1
at Henderson State.....	W 14-8
at Henderson State.....	W 5-1
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 15-5
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 13-0
Ouachita Baptist.....	W 17-3
Southern Arkansas.....	W 32-8
Southern Arkansas.....	W 21-9
Southern Arkansas.....	W 15-5
at Millsaps College.....	W 11-0
at Millsaps College.....	W 4-3
Grambling State.....	W 10-7
Grambling State.....	W 5-4
Mississippi Valley.....	W 12-0
at Belhaven College.....	W 13-2
at Central Arkansas.....	L 2-7
at Central Arkansas.....	W 14-6
at Central Arkansas.....	W 16-2

William Carey.....	W 12-6
William Carey.....	W 19-4
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 16-7
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 7-5
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 12-4
at Loyola University.....	W 7-0
at Loyola University.....	W 3-0
Harding.....	W 10-0
Harding.....	W 19-12
Harding.....	W 12-5
Belhaven College.....	W 7-2

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Millington, Tenn., 1-2)

vs. Valdosta State.....	L 3-6
vs. North Alabama.....	W 8-2
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	L 0-2

NCAA South Central Regional Tournament (Cleveland, Miss., 3-0, 1st)

vs. Central Oklahoma.....	W 16-10
vs. Abilene Christian.....	W 6-5
vs. Abilene Christian.....	W 3-2

NCAA Division II Championship (Montgomery, Ala., 0-2, 6th)

vs. Ashland.....	L 5-12
vs. Columbus State.....	L 5-6

2003

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 52-10 (28-4 GSC)

HOME 27-2' AWAY 20-8 NEUT. 5-0

at Belhaven College.....	W 11-0
at Belhaven College.....	L 2-4
Montevallo.....	W 8-2
Montevallo.....	W 4-3
Jackson State.....	W 16-6
at SE Oklahoma State.....	L 2-5
at SE Oklahoma State.....	L 3-4
at East Central (Okla.).....	W 15-2
at West Alabama.....	L 2-8
at West Alabama.....	W 3-0
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 8-0
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 11-4
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 7-2
Arkansas-Monticello.....	W 3-1
at William Carey.....	W 8-0
Henderson State.....	W 14-1
Henderson State.....	W 17-0
Henderson State.....	W 5-4
at Alabama Huntsville.....	W 6-5
at Alabama Huntsville.....	W 6-4
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 23-0
at Ouachita Baptist.....	L 1-2
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 8-3
Miss. Valley State.....	W 6-4
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 8-1
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 6-1
at Southern Arkansas.....	L 5-6
at Southern Arkansas.....	L 5-9
Lyon College.....	W 17-7
Central Arkansas.....	W 4-2
Central Arkansas.....	W 9-8
Central Arkansas.....	W 4-0
Central Arkansas.....	W 11-4
William Carey.....	W 18-6
Arkansas Tech.....	W 8-4
Arkansas Tech.....	W 11-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 8-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W 4-1
Belhaven College.....	W 11-3
vs. Miss. Valley State.....	W 8-6
at Harding.....	W 7-0
at Harding.....	W 7-2
at Harding.....	W 4-5
at Harding.....	W 2-5

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Millington, Tenn., ??)

vs. Valdosta State.....	W 12-9
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	W 10-2
vs. West Florida.....	W 2-0
vs. Alabama Huntsville.....	W 9-2

NCAA D-II South Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss., ???)

vs. SE Okla. St.....	W 8-4
vs. Abilene Christian.....	L 5-14
vs. Central Oklahoma.....	W 18-8
Abilene Christian.....	L 10-13

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COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 54-11 (19-3 GSC)

HOME 25-3' AWAY 18-6 NEUT. 11-2

at West Florida.....	W 5-1
at West Florida.....	W 16-3
at West Florida.....	L 1-2
at Columbus State.....	W 10

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Montevallo.....	W, 13-3
Montevallo.....	W, 15-14
at Central Arkansas.....	W, 7-6
at Central Arkansas.....	W, 15-1
at Central Arkansas.....	W, 16-3
at William Carey.....	W, 11-6
Henderson State.....	W, 17-3
Henderson State.....	W, 9-6
Henderson State.....	W, 20-10
at Mississippi Valley State.....	W, 3-1
at Harding.....	L, 4-5
at Harding.....	W, 6-4
at Harding.....	W, 5-6
Mississippi Valley State.....	W, 9-4
Arkansas Tech.....	W, 8-1
Arkansas Tech.....	W, 5-2
Arkansas Tech.....	W, 8-2
William Carey.....	W, 17-11
at Christian Bros.....	W, 7-6
at Christian Bros.....	W, 12-4
at Christian Bros.....	W, 10-4
Alabama-Huntsville.....	W, 11-2
Alabama-Huntsville.....	W, 3-2
at Arkansas-Monticello.....	W, 12-7
LSU-Shreveport.....	W, 11-1
Belhaven.....	W, 8-4
Ouachita Baptist.....	W, 5-0
Ouachita Baptist.....	W, 13-3
Ouachita Baptist.....	W, 8-4

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Millington, Tenn., 4-1/1st)

vs. West Alabama.....	W, 12-11
vs. Central Arkansas.....	W, 6-5
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	W, 16-11
vs. Valdosta State.....	L, 9-10
vs. Valdosta State.....	W, 22-5

NCAA South Central Regional (Cleveland, 3-0)

vs. Incarnate Word.....	W, 5-4
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	W, 6-5
vs. Southern Arkansas.....	W, 24-2

NCAA College World Series (Montgomery, Ala., 4-1 / 1st)

vs. Central Missouri State.....	W, 6-5
vs. Columbus State.....	W, 14-5
vs. Central Missouri State.....	L, 9-12
vs. Central Missouri State.....	W, 10-9

2005

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 52-10 (19-4 GSC)

HOME: 25-5 AWAY: 19-3 NEU: 8-2

at St. Edwards University.....	W 10-4
Abilene Christian.....	W 10-4
Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 8-3
Rockhurst University.....	W 10-2
Alabama-Huntsville.....	L 7-8
Rockhurst University.....	W 9-2
MS Valley State.....	W 12-5
at North Alabama.....	W 6-2
S. Illinois-Edwardsville.....	W 8-1
Union University.....	W 7-1
Pace University.....	W 4-0
Pace University.....	W 3-1
Pace University.....	W 19-2
at Belhaven College.....	W 8-4
at West Alabama.....	L 9-10
at West Alabama.....	W 9-2
at West Alabama.....	W 3-1
William Carey.....	W 13-3
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 20-13
at Southern Arkansas.....	L 8-11
at Southern Arkansas.....	W 8-3
at Montevallo.....	W 10-3
Mars Hill College.....	W 6-2
Central Arkansas.....	W 9-0
Central Arkansas.....	L 0-1
Central Arkansas.....	W 11-3
Columbus State.....	W 10-0
Columbus State.....	W 10-0
at Henderson State.....	W 18-7
at Henderson State.....	W 2-1
Montevallo.....	W 7-3
Montevallo.....	W 25-23
Harding University.....	W 8-4
Harding University.....	W 11-1
Harding University.....	W 12-0
MS Valley State.....	W 19-0
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 17-6
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 11-2
at Arkansas Tech.....	W 13-10
at William Carey.....	W 14-3
Christian Brothers.....	W 20-3
Christian Brothers.....	W 17-0
Christian Brothers.....	W 12-2
at Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 6-5
at Alabama-Huntsville.....	W 5-4
UA-Monticello.....	W 9-1
UA-Monticello.....	L 3-4
UA-Monticello.....	W 7-4
Belhaven College.....	W 7-4
at Ouachita Baptist.....	L 3-5
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 10-1
at Ouachita Baptist.....	W 6-1

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Millington, Tenn., 2-2)

Montevallo.....	W 9-2
Southern Arkansas.....	W 12-10
West Alabama.....	L 1-4
North Alabama.....	L 4-9

NCAA South Central Regional (Cleveland, Miss. 3-0)

West Alabama.....	W 18-4
Abilene Christian.....	W 17-2
Central Oklahoma.....	W 9-1

NCAA DII College World Series (Montgomery, Ala. 1-2)

Chico State.....	W 3-0
Central Missouri.....	L 1-2
Grand Valley.....	L 7-11

2006

COACH MIKE KINNISON

RECORD: 37-17 (20-4 GSC)

HOME: 17-6 AWAY: 18-8 NEU: 2-3

Bryant.....	W 12-5
Bryant.....	W 8-1
Bryant.....	W 3-1
Belhaven.....	L 5-2
#25 West Florida.....	W 5-4
#25 West Florida.....	L 8-9
#25 West Florida.....	W 6-5
Miss. Valley State.....	W 9-8
@ Columbus State.....	L 0-3
@ Columbus State.....	L 1-11
@ Tampa.....	L 7-10
@ Quincy.....	W 9-4
@ Ala-Huntsville.....	W 10-3
@ North Alabama.....	W 7-6
@ North Alabama.....	L 4-11
@ West Alabama.....	W 7-2
@ West Alabama.....	W 9-5
@ West Alabama.....	L 2-3
@ Union.....	W 7-3
@ Jackson State.....	W 11-6
Southern Arkansas*.....	W 10-4
Southern Arkansas*.....	W 10-4
Southern Arkansas*.....	W 17-15
@ Montevallo.....	L 3-5
@ Montevallo.....	W 11-6
@ Central Arkansas*.....	L 7-8
@ Central Arkansas*.....	L 2-4
@ Central Arkansas*.....	W 3-1
@ Central Arkansas*.....	W 5-1
@ William Carey.....	W 7-5
Henderson State*.....	W 2-0
Henderson State*.....	L 5-6
Henderson State*.....	W 5-2
@ Harding*.....	W 8-1
@ Harding*.....	W 5-3
@ Harding*.....	W 13-3
@ Miss. Valley State.....	L 7-11
Arkansas Tech*.....	W 9-3
Arkansas Tech*.....	L 2-4
Arkansas Tech*.....	W 10-0
William Carey.....	L 12-17
@ Christian Brothers*.....	W 3-0
@ Christian Brothers*.....	W 6-3
@ Christian Brothers*.....	W 6-5
Ala-Huntsville.....	W 12-2
Ala-Huntsville.....	W 16-6
@ Ark-Monticello*.....	W 4-2
@ Ark-Monticello*.....	W 11-2
@ Ark-Monticello*.....	W 11-0
@ Belhaven.....	L 4-5
Ouachita Baptist*.....	W 2-1
Ouachita Baptist*.....	W 11-4
Ouachita Baptist*.....	L 3-7

Gulf South Conference Tournament (Millington, Tenn., 0-2)

West Florida.....	L 2-4
West Alabama.....	L 3-4



ALL-TIME COACHES RECORDS

Dave "Boo" Ferriss.....1960-66/70-88 639-387-8

- 1982 College World Series (3rd)
- 1978 College World Series (2nd)
- 1977 College World Series (3rd)
- Four-time Gulf South Conference Champions

Mike Kinnison 1997-Present.....459-123

- 2004 NCAA Division II National Champions
- 2005 College World Series (5th)
- 2002 College World Series (7th)
- 2000 College World Series (3rd)
- Three-time Gulf South Conference Champions
- Four-time NCAA South Central Region Champions
- 2004 ABCA "National Coach of the Year"

Bill Marchant 1989-1986.....283-127

- 1996 College World Series (4th)
- 1994 College World Series (3rd)
- Two-time NCAA South Central Region Champions
- Three-time Gulf South Conference Champions

Gene Chadwick 1949-1959..... 66-66

Don Ward 1967-1969.....62-42-1

- 1968 College World Series (2nd)

Forrest Wyatt..... 1938/1948.....17-11-1

Herman Zimonski 1933-1936..... 7-22

A.D. Dickinson 1937-1938..... 3-10

Delta State All-time Record* 1536-788-10

*1938-55 11 games missing



mikeKINNISON • Year-by-Year

Year	School	Overall	Pct.	GSC	Pct.	Titles
2006	Delta State University	37-17	.685	20-4	.833	GSC West Division
2005	Delta State University	52-10	.838	19-4	.826	GSC West/NCAA SC
2004	Delta State University	54-11	.830	19-3	.863	NCAA/GSC Champions
2003	Delta State University	52-10	.838	28-4	.875	GSC Champions
2002	Delta State University	50-8	.862	20-2	.909	GSC West/NCAA SC
2001	Delta State University	50-11	.819	19-2	.904	GSC West Division
2000	Delta State University	48-12	.800	13-3	.812	GSC Champions
1999	Delta State University	41-12	.773	11-3	.785	GSC West Division
1998	Delta State University	39-12	.764	12-4	.750	GSC West Division
1997	Delta State University	36-20	.720	12-4	.750	GSC West Division
Totals		459-123	.789	173-33	.839	One NCAA/ Three GSC



DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY

RECORD VERSUS ALL-OPPONENTS

Abilene Christian University (Texas).....	8-6
Alabama, University of	7-3
Alabama, University of, at Birmingham	2-0
Alabama-Huntsville, University of	18-9
Alcorn State University.....	2-2
Arkansas State University.....	21-12
Arkansas Tech University	36-5
Arkansas, University of.....	3-2
Arkansas, University of, at Little Rock	17-9
Arkansas, University of, at Monticello.....	57-5
Ashland University (Ohio)	0-1
Auburn University, at Montgomery (Ala.)	1-0
Augusta State University (Ga.)	1-0
Barry University (Fla.)	1-0
Belhaven College.....	63-19
Bellarmino College (Ky.).....	0-1
Bethel College (Tenn.)	2-1
Birmingham-Southern College (Ala.)	3-3
Bradley University (Ill.)	3-1
Bryant University	3-0
California, University of at Chico	1-1
California, University of, at Riverside.....	0-2
Cameron University (Okla.)	1-0
Campbellsville University (Ky.).....	1-1
Carson-Newman	1-1
Central Arkansas, University of.....	43-10
Central Missouri State	2-3
Central Oklahoma, University of	4-0
Chapman University (Calif.)	0-2
Christian Brothers University (Tenn.)	57-11
Colorado State University-Pueblo	1-0
Columbus State University (Ga.)	4-3
Culver-Stockton College (Mo.)	2-0
Cumberland University (Tenn.)	2-0
Dallas Baptist University (Texas)	2-0
East Central University (Okla.).....	1-0
Eckerd College (Fla.)	1-0
Florida Southern College.....	0-5
Freed-Hardeman University (Tenn.)	4-1
Grambling State University (La.)	12-3
Grand Valley State University (Mich.)	3-1
Harding University (Ark.)	21-3
Henderson State University (Ark.)	40-4
Hiram College (Ohio)	0-1
Illinois, University of.....	1-0
Illinois College	6-0
Illinois State University	2-4-1
Illinois Wesleyan University	43-7
Incarinate Word.....	1-0
Indianapolis, University of (Ind.).....	3-0
Jackson State University	11-2
Jacksonville State University	17-21-1
Kansas State University	2-1
Kennesaw State University (Ga.)	0-1
Kentucky Wesleyan College.....	4-0
Lambuth University (Tenn.).....	8-3
LeMoyné-Owen College (Tenn.)	11-0
Lincoln Memorial University (Ill.)	5-1
Louisiana, University of, at Lafayette.....	2-4
Louisiana, University of, at Monroe	15-26-2
Louisiana College	4-0
Louisiana State University.....	1-1
Louisiana State-Shreveport	16-2
Louisiana Tech University	10-13
Loyola University (La.).....	2-0
Lyon College (Ark.).....	8-0
MacMurray College (Ill.)	1-1
Mansfield University (Pa.)	1-1
Mars Hill (SC)	1-0
McKendree College (Ill.)	2-0
Massachusetts Lowell, University of	1-0
Memphis, University of (Tenn.)	13-23
Middle Tennessee State University	2-2
Millikin University (Ill.)	2-0
Millsaps College.....	29-9

Minnesota State University, Mankato.....	1-0
Mississippi College.....	102-27-1
Mississippi, University of	27-52-2
Mississippi State University	9-32
Mississippi Valley State University.....	72-12
Missouri Baptist University	6-0
Missouri, University of.....	1-1
Montevallo, University of (Ala.)	15-5
Morehead State University (Ky.)	6-1
Murray State University.....	3-4
New Haven, University of (Conn.)	3-0
New Orleans, University of	1-2
Nicholls State University (La.).....	19-25
North Alabama, University of	34-32
North Florida, University of.....	1-1
Northern Kentucky, University of.....	1-1
Northwestern State University (La.).....	8-4
Notre Dame, University of	6-1-1
Oklahoma City University.....	0-1
Ouachita Baptist University (Ark.)	28-3
Pace University	3-0
Parsons College (Iowa)	4-5
Quincy University (Ill.).....	6-3-1
Rhode Island, University of.....	0-1
Rhodes College (Tenn.)	6-2
Rockhurst	2-0
Rust College.....	1-1
St. Edward's (Texas)	1-0
St. Joseph's College (Tenn.)	0-1
St. Louis University (Mo.)	1-2
St. Mary's (Texas).....	0-1
San Diego, University of (Calif.).....	1-0
South Alabama, University of.....	1-5
Southeastern Louisiana University	25-12
Southeast Missouri State University	3-1
Southeast Oklahoma State University	4-5
Southern Arkansas University.....	45-18
Southern Mississippi, University of	44-22-1
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville	2-0
Southern University (La.)	0-2
Southwest Missouri State University	2-0
Spring Hill College (Ala.)	2-0
Springfield College (Mass.)	1-0
Tampa, University of (Fla.).....	5-1
Taylor University (Ind.).....	3-0
Tennessee-Martin, University of	23-7
Texas A&M University.....	0-3
Trinity Christian College (Ill.).....	1-0
Trinity University (Texas).....	2-0
Troy State (Ala.)	12-11
Tulane University (La.).....	2-4
Tusculum	2-0
Tuskegee University (Tenn.)	1-0
Union University (Tenn.)	22-10
Valdosta State University (Ga.).....	8-9
Valparaiso University (Ind.)	4-1
West Alabama, University of.....	69-27
West Florida, University of.....	12-7
West Georgia, State University of.....	4-3
Western Illinois University	1-3
Wheaton College (Ill.).....	3-0
Wisconsin-Stevens Point, University of.....	4-3
William Carey College	66-42
Wingate University (N. Carolina)	1-0
Wittenberg University (Ohio).....	1-0
Worcester State College (Mass.)	3-0
Wright State University (Ohio).....	0-1
Xavier (Ohio).....	3-1

• Please note that all School names have been changed to their current (or modern) names in order to clarify record keeping

• BOLD Indicates Current GSC Members





2004 NCAA Division II National Champions

NCAA COLLEGE WORLD SERIES HISTORY



2004 NCAA Champions!

Third time the charm for Statesmen! By David Johnson

At 9:41 p.m., Saturday, May 29, 2004, in Montgomery, Alabama, the national championship trophy for college baseball finally found its way to a place that had been eagerly awaiting its arrival for the better part of 40 years. It carried with it the perspiration, aspirations, dreams and desires of two generations of players and fans who knew deep in their hearts that someday - one day - it would be theirs.

A minute earlier junior righthander Scott Ellison took a deep breath, squinted and looked squarely in at catcher Craig Newton. Fate had placed the young pitcher from Houston, Mississippi, at center circle of perhaps the biggest moment in his school's rich and storied athletic history. And then it happened.

Ellison unleashed the 3-2 pitch to Grand Valley State designated hitter Matt Wright. Wright saw it coming right down the pipe. He clutched his bat and let loose a mighty swing. For a nanosecond, it was as if the air was sucked out of Paterson Field as nearly 2,500 people simultaneously held their collective breath. For just a hiccup the moment lay frozen, as Father Time, too, seemed to stop in recognition of the high tide of this carnival of dreams. *Whiff. Thud. "Strike Three."* Final score: Delta State 12, Grand Valley State 8. Cheers swelled and tears welled as the Statesmen rushed the field.

The customary celebration in the middle of the infield began with Newton, grinning ear-to-ear, taking Ellison down like a middle linebacker. Soon followed first baseman Bert Pickard, second baseman Clay Smith, shortstop Eric Patten, third baseman Mark Broome, center fielder Jud Thigpen, left fielder Will Waldkirch, right fielder Brett Donahoo and the rest of the Statesmen that with one swing of a bat had their names etched into eternity at their beloved university.

Then Mike Kinnison took us all by surprise. In a move that could rival the classiest moments ever in any sport, there was hardly a dry eye remaining when it became apparent what the destination of Kinnison's sudden and purposeful jolt from the throng of celebrating players toward

the dugout was.

In a swift motion, trophy in hand, Kinnison leaped atop the first base dugout and climbed over the railing separating the playing field and seats at Paterson Field.

Twenty rows up sat the patriarch of the family that Delta State baseball is - Dave "Boo" Ferriss. "Anybody that knows our program knows that Coach Ferriss is the guy who laid the foundation for this program and is responsible for the success that we've had," the humble Kinnison would later say at the post-game press conference. But he didn't need to say anything to anyone pulling for the Green and White. This beautiful moment was fully understood.

Kinnison made his way through the plethora of applauding Delta State fans to where his mentor of many years waited. Together holding the national championship trophy, the two embraced as tears streamed down each of their cheeks. It was as perfect of a moment to be found in the annals of Delta State history.

The celebration continued at Paterson Field as the vocals of country music singer Alan Jackson rang out with the familiar lyrics of the hauntingly appropriate "Midnight in Montgomery" over the stadium's public address system. Only now, the hands of Father Time stood frozen at 9:41 p.m., and finally, after eight previous trips to the ball of baseball, midnight would not come for the Statesmen.

The team that had always been the champions of our hearts, was finally the nation's champion.



2007 STATESMEN BASEBALL



Statesmen 12 • Lakers 8 2004 NCAA DII National Championship Game • Final Box

Statesmen Baseball
#2 Delta State vs #6 Grand Valley State
May 29, 2004 at Montgomery, AL (Paterson Field)

Delta State 12 (54-11)

Grand Valley State 8 (46-16)

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Eric Patten ss.....	3	2	1	2	2	0	1	5	0
Mark Broome 3b.....	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	1
Jud Thigpen cf.....	5	1	1	0	1	1	4	0	3
Bert Pickard 1b.....	3	3	2	4	0	1	7	1	0
Craig Newton c.....	5	0	2	0	0	1	7	0	1
Chris Reed dh.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Will Waldkirch lf.....	5	2	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
Clay Smith 2b.....	4	2	2	0	0	0	4	1	2
Brett Donahoo rf.....	5	1	1	2	0	1	3	0	2
Matt McAlpin p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Tyler Brewer p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scott Ellison p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	39	12	14	12	3	4	27	10	9

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Smith 2b.....	5	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	0
Allen 3b.....	5	1	0	1	0	2	0	3	2
Mertes rf.....	4	1	2	1	1	0	5	0	1
Hudnall 1b.....	4	2	1	1	0	0	8	0	1
McFarland cf.....	4	1	3	2	1	0	5	0	2
Beckwith c.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1
Wright dh.....	5	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sandy lf.....	4	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Lyster ss.....	4	1	1	0	0	2	2	1	1
Mixter p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Micoff p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
McLeod p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Finnerty p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	39	8	13	8	2	7	27	10	8

Score by Innings	R	H	E				
Delta State.....	12	113	003	-	12	14	1
Grand Valley State..	002	020	301	-	8	13	2

E - M. Broome(21); Allen(13); Lyster(18). DP - Statesmen 2. LOB - Statesmen 9; Lakers 8. 2B - J. Thigpen(24); B. Pickard(20); Mertes(10); McFarland(18); Wright(6). HR - E. Patten(4); B. Pickard(8); W. Waldkirch(7); Hudnall(9); Wright(3). HBP - M. Broome; B. Pickard; C. Reed; C. Smith; Hudnall; Beckwith. SH - E. Patten(2). SF - B. Pickard(9). SB - Smith(32). CS - C. Newton(2).

Delta State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Matt McAlpin.....	6.1	9	6	4	2	5	28	32
Tyler Brewer.....	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	5	5
Scott Ellison.....	1.2	2	1	1	0	2	6	6

Grand Valley State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Mixter.....	2.1	6	4	4	1	0	11	14
Micoff.....	3.0	4	5	3	2	2	14	17
McLeod.....	2.2	3	1	1	0	1	10	12
Finnerty.....	1.0	1	2	2	0	1	4	5

Win - M. McAlpin (10-1). Loss - Mixter (8-3). Save - S. Ellison (3).
HBP - by M. McAlpin (Beckwith); by Micoff (B. Pickard); by McLeod (C. Reed); by McLeod (M. Broome); by M. McAlpin (Hudnall); Finnerty (C. Smith). PB - C. Newton(13).

Umpires - HP: Mike Baker 1B: Asa Howard 2B: Barry Chambers 3B: Randy Bachman
Start: 6:35 pm Time: 3:07 Attendance: 2428

Game notes:
Championship Game, 37th D-II National Baseball Championship
Game: BB65



2004 NCAA College World Series Line Scores

May 23, 2004 at Montgomery, AL

Delta State.....	002	011	010	1	-	6	9	5	(51-10)
Central Missouri St.	102	101	000	0	-	5	11	3	(54-7)

WP-S. Ellison (4-2) LP-Webber (2-3) T-3:27 A-1504

May 25, 2004 at Montgomery, AL

Columbus State.....	000	030	101	-	5	8	3	(40-20)
Delta State.....	051	044	00X	-	14	19	0	(52-10)

WP-B. Lightsey (11-1) LP-Bradley (5-2) T-2:40 A-1556
HR CSU - Groce (5)

HR DSU-M - M. Broome (15), C. Newton (9)

2004 NCAA Division II Baseball Championship Winner's Bracket Game

May 27, 2004 at Montgomery, AL

Central Missouri St.	111	000	810	-	12	12	4	(57-7)
Delta State.....	110	150	100	-	9	11	3	(52-11)

WP-Dunavant (5-1) Save-Webber(9) LP-T. Brewer (4-2) T-3:06 A-803

HR CMSU - Leandro (16), Downey 2 (10), Eftink (5)

HR DSU-M - C. Newton 2 (11)

Semifinal game 2004 NCAA Division II Baseball Championship

May 28, 2004 at Montgomery, AL

Delta State.....	012	501	010	-	10	12	1	(53-11)
Central Missouri St.	241	101	000	-	9	15	3	(57-8)

WP-S. Ellison (5-2) LP-Powers (6-3) T-3:17 A-1348

Semifinals, Division II National Baseball Championship

May 29, 2004 at Montgomery, AL

Delta State.....	121	113	003	-	12	14	1	(54-11)
Grand Valley State..	002	020	301	-	8	13	2	(46-16)

WP-M. McAlpin (10-1) Save-S. Ellison(3) LP-Mixter (8-3) T-3:07 A-2428

HR DSU-M - E. Patten (4), B. Pickard (8), W. Waldkirch (7)

HR GVSU - Hudnall (9), Wright (3)

Championship Game, 37th D-II National Baseball Championship

NCAA College World Series All-Tournament Team

- 1b • Bert Pickard
- C • Craig Newton
- P • Scott Ellison

NCAA 2004 CWS Most Valuable Player: Bert Pickard, Delta State University

ABCA/Rawlings Division II National Coach of the Year

Mike Kinnison, Delta State University

2007 STATESMEN BASEBALL



2004 Statesmen Baseball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cls.	Hometown
1	Donyelle Williams	OF	R/R	5-8	175	Jr.-SQ	Largo, Fla.
2	Mark Broome	SS/2B	R/R	5-11	155	Sr.-1L	Clinton
3	Norwood Taylor	SS/2B	R/R	5-11	175	Jr.-TR	Greenwood
4	Will Waldkirch	OF	R/R	5-7	185	Sr.-1L	Franklin, Tenn
5	Eric Patten	SS/2B	R/R	5-9	175	Jr.-2L	Cedar Hill, Texas
6	Trent Posey	IF/RHP	R/R	5-9	170	Fr.-HS	Collinsville
7	John Polles	RHP	R/R	5-10	175	Jr.-2L	Brandon
9	Steven Hannan	RHP/OF	R/R	6-0	185	Fr.-RS	Grenada
12	Jud Thigpen	OF	R/R	5-11	185	Sr.-3L	Cleveland
13	Brett Cerda	UTIL	R/R	6-2	170	Jr.-TR	Yazoo City
14	Craig Newton	C/OF	L/R	5-10	175	Jr.-2L	Vicksburg
16	Shane Jackson	LHP	L/L	5-9	155	Jr.-TR	Bartlett, Tenn.
17	Brent Leach	LHP	L/L	6-0	210	Jr.-TR	Brandon
19	Chris Reed	RHP/DH	R/R	6-2	210	Sr.-1L	Jackson
20	Clay Smith	2B	R/R	5-11	190	Jr.-TR	Mesquite, Texas
21	Jonathan Mitcham	RHP	R/R	6-3	200	Sr.-1L	Poplarville
22	Wade Whitaker	OF	S/R	6-1	175	Jr.-TR	Geiger, Ala.
24	Chad Greenlee	RHP/OF	R/R	6-3	195	So.-1L	Mooreville
25	Brad Lightsey	RHP	R/R	6-3	195	Jr.-2L	Batesville
26	Tim Jones	LHP	L/L	6-0	175	Jr.-TR	Pascaguola
27	Matt McAlpin	RHP	R/R	6-1	205	Sr.-1L	Mize
28	Keith Fitzgerald	1B	R/L	6-5	205	Sr.-1L	Cleveland
29	Alan Bryan	RHP	R/R	6-3	200	Jr.-TR	Rossville, Tenn.
30	Brett Byrd	3B	R/R	5-10	195	So.-1L	Madison
32	Tyler Brewer	LHP	L/L	6-2	160	Fr.-HS	Batesville
34	Brett Boykin	C	R/R	5-10	185	Fr.-HS	Hollandale
35	Rusty Rayborn	RHP	R/R	6-2	175	Fr.-HS	Tylertown
37	Drew Glass	C	R/R	6-0	190	Jr.-1L	Covington, Tenn.
38	Scott Ellison	RHP	R/R	6-1	210	Jr.-TR	Houston
39	Josh Barton	RHP	R/R	6-4	200	Sr.-1L	Millington, Tenn
40	Brett Donahoo	OF	R/R	5-11	215	Jr.-TR	West Point
41	Marcus Grisham	1B	R/R	6-2	205	Sr.-3L	Plain Dealing, La.
42	Bert Pickard	3B/OF/C	R/R	6-0	210	Jr.-TR	Ocean Springs

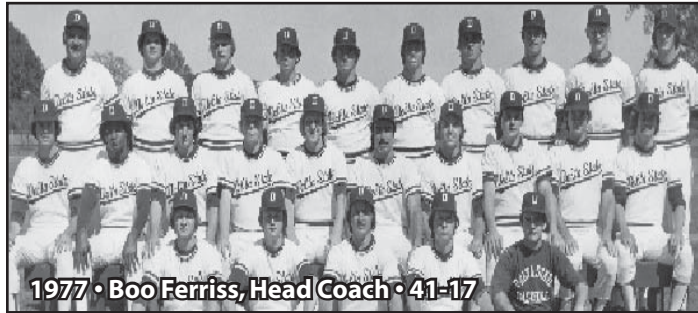
- 15--Mike Kinnison**, Head Coach (Delta State, 1978)
- 11--Rodney Batts**, Assistant Coach (Delta State, 1996)
- 31 - Jason Miller**, Graduate Assistant
- 38 - Bryan Nobile**, Graduate Assistant
- 35 - Brad Montgomery**, Graduate Assistant
- 3 - Patrick Ferriss**, Graduate Assistant
- Gary Hayes**, Equipment Manager



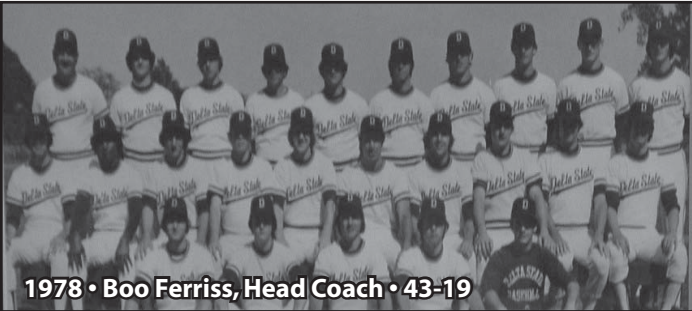
Delta State's All-time NCAA College World Series Teams



1968 • Don Ward, Head Coach • 20-22-1



1977 • Boo Ferriss, Head Coach • 41-17



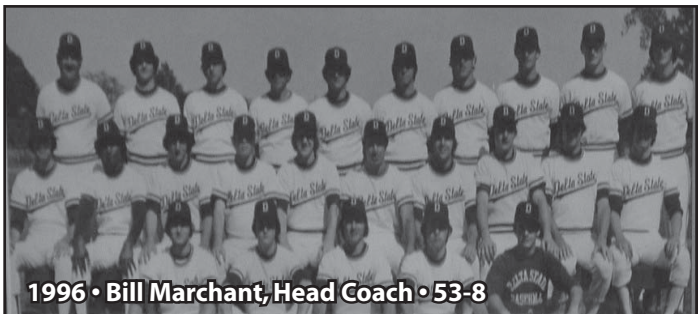
1978 • Boo Ferriss, Head Coach • 43-19



1982 • Boo Ferriss, Head Coach • 41-19



1994 • Bill Marchant, Head Coach • 45-13



1996 • Bill Marchant, Head Coach • 53-8



2000 • Mike Kinnison, Head Coach • 48-12



2002 • Mike Kinnison, Head Coach • 50-8



2004 • Mike Kinnison, Head Coach • 54-11



2005 • Mike Kinnison, Head Coach • 52-10



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Former Head Coach • 639-387-8 in 26 seasons at Delta State University

Dave "Boo" Ferriss



Most people simply know him as "Boo." He is Dave "Boo" Ferriss, Boston Red Sox Hall of Famer and legendary coach of the Delta State University Statesmen. Ferriss retired following the completion of the 1988 season, but he continues to be a tireless supporter at all levels

of baseball throughout the state and especially his beloved Statesmen.

The Shaw, Miss., native spent 46 years in baseball on the collegiate and professional levels, including 26 seasons at Delta State.

A legend in national collegiate baseball coaching circles, Ferriss was inducted into the American Baseball Coaches Association Hall of Fame in 1988 in Atlanta, Ga.

Ferriss compiled a 639-387-8 record, all at Delta State and his coaching record ranks him among all-time national coaching leaders at the NCAA Division II level. His 1988 team was ranked 9th nationally in the Collegiate Baseball poll.

When Ferriss took over the baseball program in 1960 he started it from the ground level. The Statesmen played many of their games off campus and Ferriss coached without the benefit of an assistant. He directed DSU teams

to the NCAA Division II Playoffs in eight of his last 12 years, including three trips to the NCAA Division II championships where the Statesmen finished third, second and third respectively in 1977, 1978 and 1982.

Gulf South Conference championships came in 1978, 1979, 1985 and 1988, with the Statesmen finishing second in 1981 and third in 1982. Forty-nine of his players earned All-Gulf South Conference honors.

Ferriss also earned several honors for his coaching accomplishments. In 1988, he received the United States



1946 Bost Red Sox Rotation

Baseball Federation Service Award for his contributions to the game.

He has been named NCAA Regional "Coach of the Year" three times while also earning Gulf South Conference coaching honors three times.

In 1978 and 1982 he was selected as "College Baseball Coach of the Year" in Mississippi and was runner-up in that category in 1985. His 1985 team was ranked No. 1 in the nation for several weeks in the NCAA Division II poll.

Under his direction, 20 Statesmen players earned All-American honors and 23 continued their baseball careers on the professional level. Twenty former players received Academic All-American honors and forty former players are now coaching in the high school and college ranks.

In addition to his DSU coaching duties, Ferriss also served at various intervals as Athletic Director and Director of the DSU Foundation.

Ferriss, a graduate of Mississippi State, was signed by the Boston Red Sox after his junior year of college, and the lanky right-hander broke into professional baseball with Greensboro (N.C.) of the Piedmont League in 1942.

After military service he joined the Boston Red Sox in 1945 where he spent 10 years in the organization (five years as a pitcher and five years as the pitching coach). He was named "Rookie of the Year" with a 21-10 record, and he defeated each American League team the first time he faced them while winning his first two major league starts with shutouts.



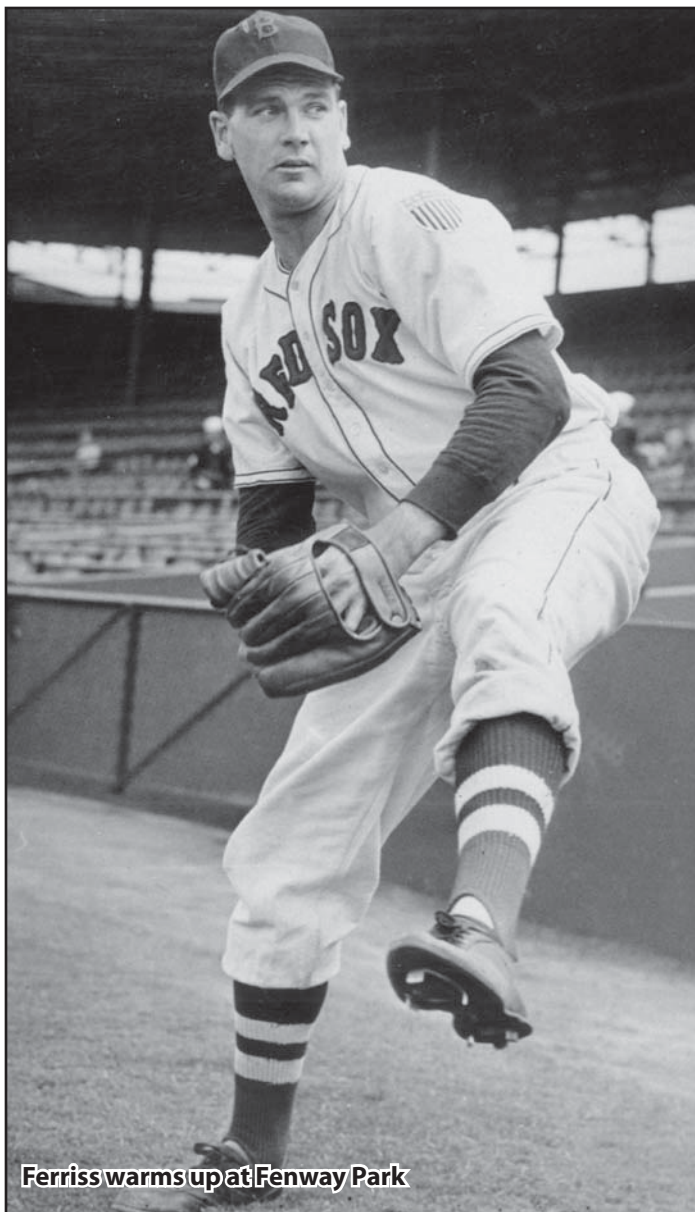
Coach Ferriss

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In 1946, Ferriss was the American League's number one pitcher with a 25-6 record and he pitched the Red Sox to a 4-0 win over the St. Louis Cardinals in the 1946 World Series. His major league record was 65-30. Ferriss holds several major league records that include the most consecutive home wins of 13 in 1946.

He is a 1989 inductee into the Delta State University Sports Hall of Fame and is a member of the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame and the Mississippi State University Sports Hall of Fame. He was inducted into the Mississippi Semi-Pro Baseball Hall of Fame in 1981 and to the Boston



Ferriss warms up at Fenway Park

Red Sox Hall of Fame in 2002.

In the fall of 2003, the Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame announced that it would be sponsoring a "Mississippi Collegiate Baseball Player of the Year" and the trophy would be the name and likeness of Dave "Boo" Ferriss. Stephen Head, of the University of Mississippi, became the Ferriss Trophy's first recipient.

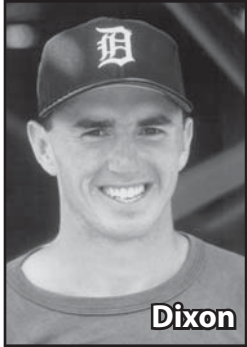


CellularSouth Dave "Boo" Ferriss Trophy

Today, coach Ferriss continues to champion the cause of collegiate baseball across Mississippi and the U.S. He is a frequent speaker at civic clubs across the state, and he never misses an opportunity to watch "his" Statesmen play baseball.



1945 AL Rookie of the Year Trophy

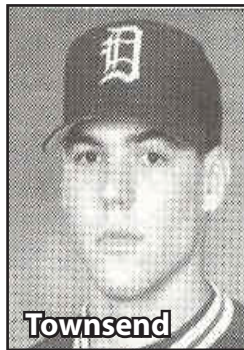


Dixon

There is no denying that the Statesmen of Delta State University boast one of the strongest legacies in all of collegiate baseball. That legacy comes from a team first mentality. However, four individuals have garnered the highest honor a player can receive - National Player of the Year.

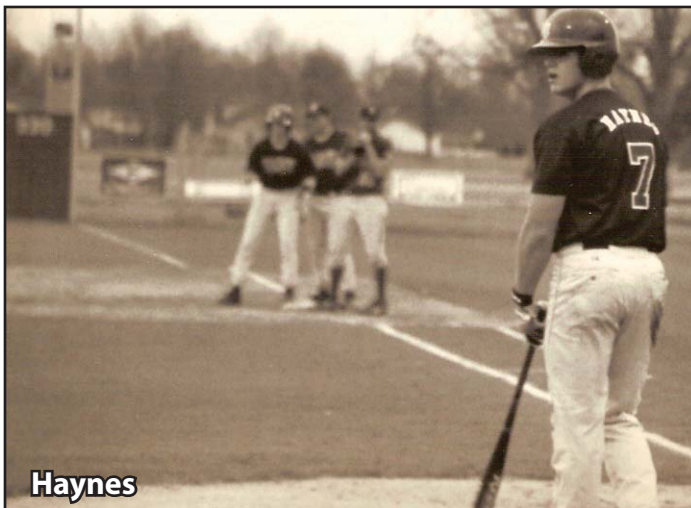
Bubba Dixon, pictured above, was the first player in DSU history to be named a National Player/Pitcher of the Year. The Lucedale native went 16-3 with an ERA of 1.93 during the 1994 season. In 19 starts, he allowed just 93 hits and 43 runs in 144.1 innings pitched. Dixon went on to pitch in the San Diego Padres organization.

Dave Townsend, pictured at right, became the second Statesmen to claim National Pitcher and Player of the Year honors when he received the **Dick Houser Award** following the 1996 season. Townsend went 16-1 with an ERA of 2.33 in 20 starts. He made 22 appearances allowing 94 hits and 41 runs in 123.2 innings pitched. **Townsend** became the first DSU player ever to garner both awards.



Townsend

Dee Haynes became the first Statesmen position player to be named the **American Baseball Coaches Association/Rawlings NCAA Division II National Player of the Year** in 2000. The Columbus native batted .381 with 22 home runs and 87 RBI during the 2000 season. Haynes holds virtually



Haynes

American Baseball Coaches Association/Rawlings National Players of the Year

every school offensive record. The two-time First Team ABCA All-American holds records for batting average (.405), RBI (253), home runs (69), doubles (59) and total bases (537).



Thigpen

Jud Thigpen became the latest Statesmen to take home the **ABCA/Rawlings National Player of the Year Award** in 2004. The Cleveland native guided the Statesmen to their first ever NCAA National championship en route to receiving the award. Thigpen batted .429 with 14 home runs and 80 RBI in 2004. In 65 starts in centerfield, Thigpen committed zero errors. The senior set a new school record for hits in a season with 112. Thigpen closed his career at DSU ranking in the top-10 in virtually every statistical category.



Thigpen

The Bayou Academy product signed as an undrafted free agent in June with the Colorado Rockies. As a rookie in the Northwest League, Thigpen made the most of the opportunity. He was named to the Northwest League All-Star team for his efforts. He is currently with the AA Tulsa (Okla.) Drillers.

Thigpen also received the **Redline Defensive Outfielder Award**. In his last two seasons, Thigpen played 129 games without making an error.

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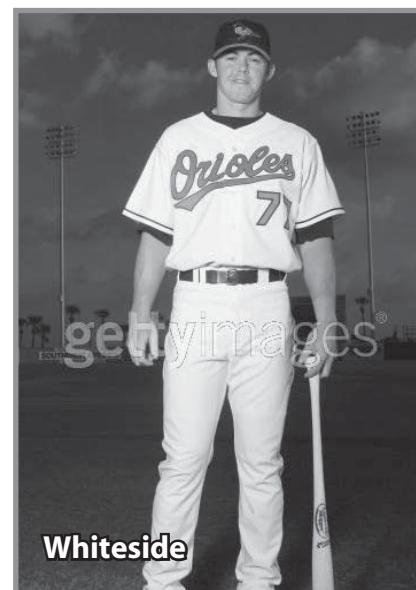
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Jim Miles.....	P.....	1964-65.....	Washington Senators
Ted Thornton.....	2B.....	1967-68.....	Atlanta Braves
Les Slough.....	C.....	1967-70.....	Boston Red Sox
Joe Hubal.....	P.....	1972-75.....	Boston Red Sox
Stewart Cliburn.....	P.....	1975-77.....	Pittsburgh Pirates
John Crawford.....	C.....	1975-78.....	Detroit Tigers
Judson Thigpen.....	P.....	1975-78.....	Detroit Tigers
Bubba McBrain.....	OF.....	1976-79.....	Oakland A's
Ty Carter.....	P.....	1978-80.....	Toronto Blue Jays
Barry Lyons.....	C.....	1979-82.....	New York Mets
Ronald Davis.....	1B/DH.....	1979-82.....	Detroit Tigers
Chris Burgess.....	P.....	1980-83.....	Toronto Blue Jays
John Edwards.....	OF.....	1980-83.....	Houston Astros
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Randy Palmer.....	C.....	1993.....	Minnesota Twins
Dustin Riggs.....	P.....	1993-95.....	Anderson, IN
Gary Enis.....	C.....	1994-95.....	Tupelo, MS
Heath Bailey.....	OF.....	1994-96.....	Anderson, IN
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*MATT MILLER.....	P.....	1995.....	CLEVELAND INDIANS
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Jeremy Dixon.....	OF.....	1996-97.....	Greenville, MS
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Andy Lee.....	P.....	1998-99.....	Boston Red Sox
Russ Perkins.....	P.....	1998-99.....	Alexandria, La./Jackson, MS
Andrew Waddell.....	P.....	1999-00.....	Jackson, MS
Casey Myrick.....	OF.....	1995-98.....	Jackson, MS
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Dee Haynes.....	OF.....	1998-00.....	St. Louis Cardinals
Eli Whiteside.....	C.....	1999-01.....	Baltimore Orioles
Edwin Maysonet.....	2B.....	2001-03.....	Houston Astros
Dusty Hughes.....	LHP.....	2000-03.....	Kansas City Royals
Mark Broome.....	3B.....	2003-04.....	St. Louis Cardinals
Jud Thigpen.....	OF.....	2001-04.....	Colorado Rockies
Brent Leach.....	P.....	2005.....	Los Angeles Dodgers
Craig Newton.....	C.....	2002-05.....	St. Louis Cardinals
Bert Pickard.....	1B.....	2004-05.....	Jackson Senators
Brett Donahoo.....	OF.....	2004-05.....	Jackson Senators
Matt McAlpin.....	P.....	2003-04.....	Jackson Senators

Names listed in bold are active players in an organization.

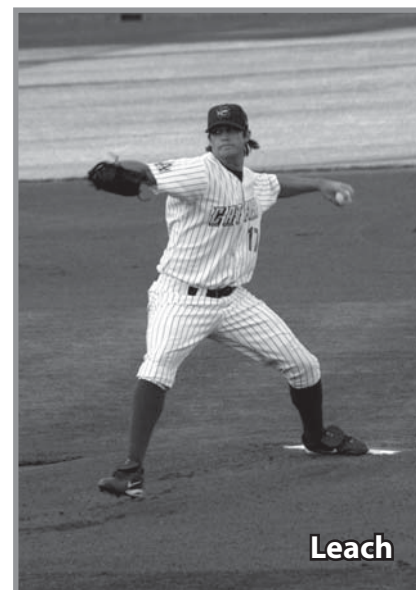
*Matt Miller is currently on the Cleveland Indians 25-man roster



Miller



Whiteside



Leach



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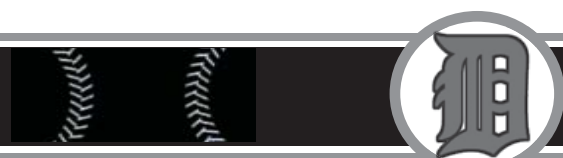
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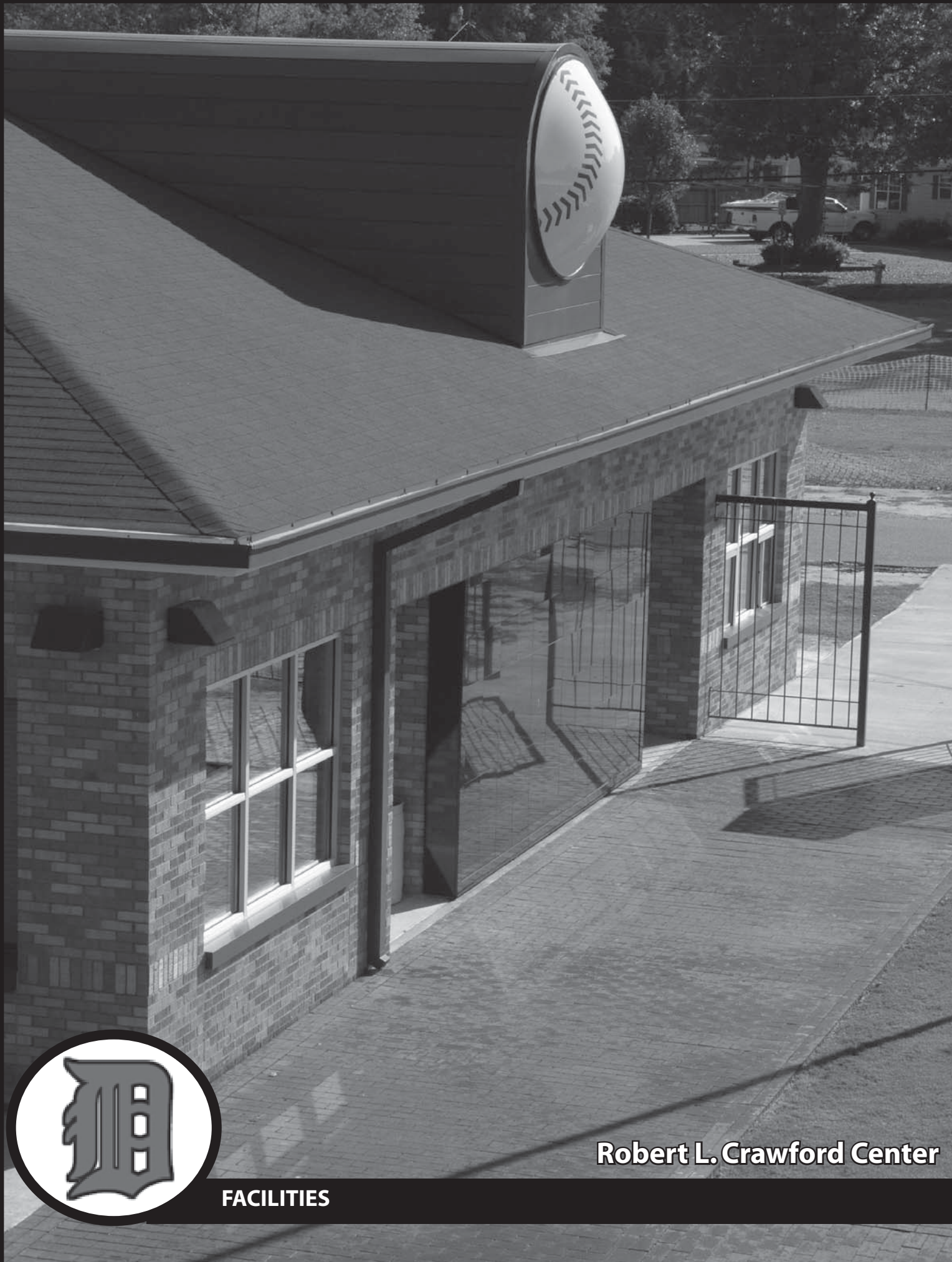
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Former All-GSC catcher Eli Whiteside is pictured above making a play for the Baltimore Orioles last season.



FACILITIES

Robert L. Crawford Center



Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field

Delta State baseball enters its 42nd season of play in one of the finest collegiate facilities in the Gulf South Conference and the nation -- Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field.

The construction of the stadium, was completed in 1964, under the watchful eye of coach Dave "Boo" Ferriss, who oversaw the transformation of the 6.63-acre parcel of land into DSU's present day "field of dreams". The former okra patch was named in honor of coach Ferriss upon his retirement on June 18, 1988.

Ferriss Field features three large grandstands for fan seating, two outfield decks overlooking the park, state-of-the-art press box and the newly opened Robert L. Crawford Center.

Delta State's all-time record at Ferriss Field is 744-215-2 (.775), and the Statesmen have posted an 209-32 mark under current head coach Mike Kinnison at the facility. During the "Boo"



Ferriss era, DSU was 368-149-1 (.710). Under head coach Don Ward, the Statesmen were 36-17 (.679) and under Bill Marchant DSU was 131-34-1 (.789) Last season, the Statesmen posted a 17-6 record at Ferriss Field.

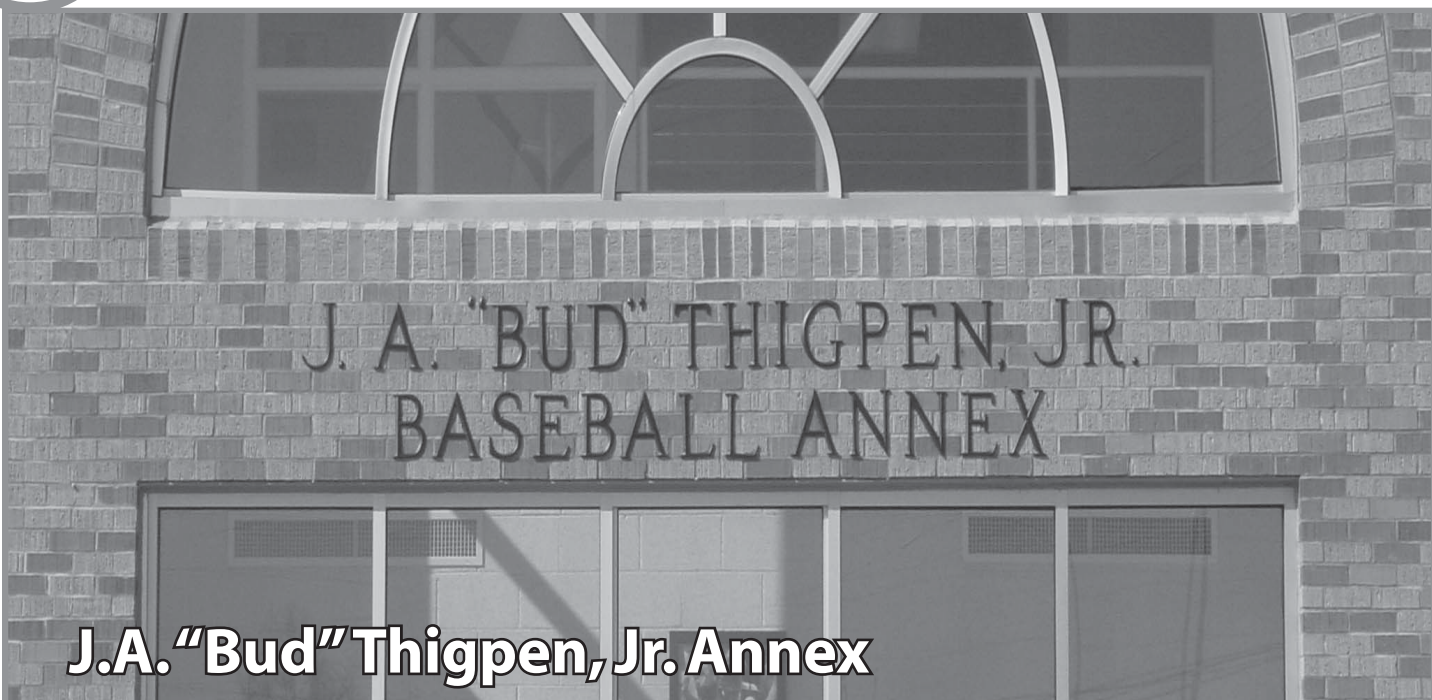
In 1971, the State Building Commission authorized the expenditure of \$85,000 to add lights to the facility, but Ferriss and other DSU administrators made the decision to build a covered grandstand, dugouts, a press box, concession stand and restrooms.

The early renovations still provided the Statesmen fans with the comfort, convenience and true baseball atmosphere that Ferriss had envisioned during his coaching tenure. Prior to the 1999 season the bleachers were renovated and a new press box was built. Following the 1999 season Kinnison and his staff



Painted a yellow home run line on the top of the outfield fence and a red-brick backstop with netting was added in January of 2000. The improvements continued during the Fall of 2001 when chair back seats were added behind the backstop at field level.

In addition to the Ferriss Field, the Bryce Griffis Indoor Baseball Center was completed in the Fall of 2000 and benefits the Statesmen with year round training and practice ability.



J.A. "Bud" Thigpen, Jr. Annex

The **J.A. "Bud". Thigpen, Jr. Baseball Annex** was completed on June 13, 2005 by Roy Collins Construction, Inc. of Cleveland and turned over to the Delta State University Department of Athletics. The facility is the latest addition to the ever-growing Athletic complex at Delta State.

The family of the late J.A. "Bud" Thigpen, Jr. made the facility a possibility by their generous donation to Delta State Athletics.

The Thigpens have a long and storied history with Delta State baseball. Judson Thigpen was a standout reliever for Coach Dave "Boo" Ferriss from 1975-78. Judson was a part of two College World Series teams during his playing days.

Judson's son, Jud led DSU to the program's first ever

for equipment and supplies. The second floor features coaches offices, coaches locker room and rest room facilities. The structure is also home to the 2004 NCAA Division II National Championship trophy and various Statesmen baseball memorabilia.

"The Thigpen's have certainly helped insure the future of this program and they will always have a special place in this program," stated coach Kinnison. "Their generosity has opened the door to a new chapter with this program."

The J.A. "Bud" Thigpen, Jr. Baseball Annex is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Tours of the facility are available to the public.



NCAA Championship and for his efforts was named the 2004 Rawlings/ABCA NCAA Division II Player of the Year.

The Annex features a large players lounge and meeting room (first floor), as well as additional storage space





Bryce Griffis Indoor Practice Facility

The Bryce Griffis Baseball Practice Center is proof that dreams can come true. The indoor baseball practice center had been a dream of former Delta State legendary baseball coach Dave "Boo" Ferriss and through his tireless fundraising efforts the dream became a reality in December of 2000.

The facility is 10,400 square feet and includes a full-size infield area when the nets of the two batting cages are raised, two portable pitching mounds and retractable wall panels to allow expanded practice area. Throughout the practice area is a revolutionary artificial turf called "Agra Turf" that bust onto the athletic scene at the University of Nebraska, the University of Washington and at the Tampa Bay Devil Rays' Tropicana Field. A room in the center highlights former players and features the all-time accomplishments of the University's baseball program. The foyer of the building recognizes all of the donors to the project.

"We are extremely proud of the indoor practice facility," said DSU head baseball coach Mike Kinnison. "It is a tremendous asset to our

added Kinnison. "They can see an opportunity here for them to develop completely."

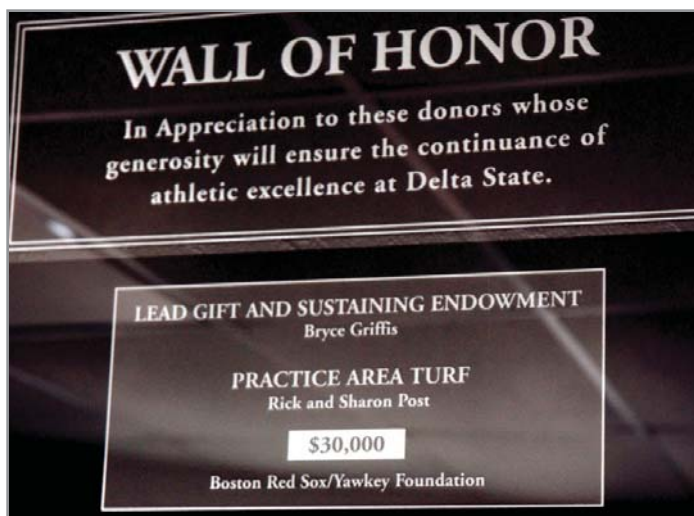
Then DSU President Dr. David Potter announced that the indoor baseball facility would be named The Bryce Griffis Baseball Practice Center following the approval by the Board of Trustees of the Institutions of Higher Learning of the State of Mississippi at their January 2000 meeting.

Griffis, of Starkville, president and owner of Sturgis Timber Company, made a lead gift to the baseball facility and an endowed gift to maintain it and Ferriss Field. In 1998, he established the Bryce Griffis Endowment Fund to provide monies to fulfill departmental and/or student needs,



and in 1987 endowed a gift to the College of Business. A 1954 graduate of Delta State, Griffis lettered three years in baseball and football. He was recognized as the University's Outstanding Alumnus in 1986 and has continued to provide leadership through service as a member of the DSU Foundation Board of Directors and president of the Athletic Alumni Association.

Griffis has been a strong supporter of higher education, having served on the Board of Trustees of the Institutions of Higher Learning from 1980-1992, and as its president in 1986-87. He was appointed by former Gov. William Winter.



program in recruiting and player development. Having a practice place at our disposal during inclement weather makes it much easier to plan quality practices.

"I think it is a positive that when we have prospective players on campus that we can show them a facility that not everyone else has,"



Robert L. Crawford Center

As the Delta State baseball program concluded the 2006 season, Roy Collins Construction, Inc. of Cleveland began putting the finishing touches on the Robert L. Crawford Center. The Crawford Center will be the latest addition to the already famous, Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field Baseball Complex.

The Robert L. Crawford Center will be the main entrance and exit point for all Statesmen baseball games at Ferriss Field. The facility features the "Boo Ferriss Museum," men's and women's rest room facilities, an umpire's locker room, concession areas and a merchandising stand.

The Crawford Center also boasts a baseball diamond inspired flag plaza that features the Stars and Bars, Mississippi state flag, and a flag representing Delta State University, the 2004 NCAA national championship, and the Gulf South Conference.

The Crawford Center is the second building in as many years to be completed for the Statesmen baseball program. In June of 2005, the J.A. "Bud" Thigpen, Jr. Baseball Annex was completed. The Crawford Center, Thigpen Annex and Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field combine to give the Statesmen the best facilities in all of NCAA Division II.

"Without the support of the Thigpen and Crawford families this would not be possible," stated Brad Teague, Director of Athletics. "Their generosity will insure that the legacy of success continues at Delta State for many years to come," Teague added.

"If we're going to do something, let's make something nice," Dr. Brad Teague, Director of Athletics commented. "We think it's just a great facility that will enhance the whole baseball operation."

The facility has been made possible by the generous donation of the John Crawford Family. John Crawford was a two-time All-American catcher for coach Ferriss at Delta State from 1977-78. He was drafted by the Detroit Tigers and spent a few years in their organization. His daughter, Kendall, will be a freshman on the Lady Statesmen basketball team in 2007.

The facility is named in honor of his father, Robert L. Crawford.

Mr. Crawford was a successful businessman and citizen of Houston. His wife now resides in Saltillo and still stays in contact with coach Ferriss.

John Crawford is a successful businessman in Starkville. His wife, Beth, is also a graduate of Delta State. They have three daughters.

"The Crawfords have been tremendous supporters of our program for years," said coach Ferriss. "They have supported us like few others and I am excited this facility bears their name."



The "Boo Ferriss Baseball Museum" will feature all sorts of memorabilia, as well as lots of facts and history on DSU legend Dave "Boo" Ferriss, a Boston Red Sox Hall of Famer.

"It gives us more of a museum-like atmosphere for our kids and our fans, and we think the community will come out more and more for baseball," Teague concluded.

The Robert L. Crawford Center is open to the public Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. The Boo Ferriss Museum, slated to open March 24, will be open for guided tours starting March 25 and on all home baseball dates.



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Academic excellence, 41 National Championships and a leadership role in the NCAA's Division II make the Gulf South Conference (GSC) something special. As a charter member of D-II, the league's 15 universities in six southeastern states enter the 37th year of setting the standards nationally, always breaking new ground.

In the summer of 1970, six college presidents met to talk about athletics; when the meeting ended, a new league emerged—the Mid-South Conference—started by, and to this day run by, the CEOs, the first in NCAA history. To this day, it is that CEO-control and involvement that makes the league work and its 14 championships (football; men's & women's cross country and soccer; volleyball, men's & women's basketball, tennis and golf; softball and baseball) so bitterly contested.

From that point forward, the GSC has been giant steps ahead of the D-II pack. Dating back to 1997, the league has found neutral sites paying sizeable guarantees for most of its team championships. NCAA Conventions regularly feature GSC-proposed or -inspired legislation. No one wins more regionals or earns more NCAA post-season bids. In 2004, the league purchased its own new construction office space. But the crowning moment came last year, when the GSC debuted its highly successful "GSC-TV Live" package of nine football games and its basketball finals. Add to that its web-TV show, "GSC Sports Weekly," and you can see why 2005-06 was so special and why 2006-07 should be even better.

We take pride in our 41 National Team Championships in 12 sports and more than 100 regional titles, especially because there is no sacrifice on the academic side, where GSC student-athletes regularly earn Academic All-America. The Conference added one more National Title to its resume in 2005-06 when Valdosta State captured its first-ever NCAA Men's Tennis Crown, marking the third consecutive GSC National Men's Tennis Championship (West Florida "back-to-backed" (deleted words, added quotes) in 2004 and 2005).

Delta State, Florence State (now North Alabama), Jacksonville State, Livingston (now West Alabama), Tennessee-Martin and Troy State were the charter members who launched the league. Scheduling problems for the 1970-71 academic year limited the GSC to football, won by Jacksonville State. In 1971, the addition of Southeast Louisiana (SELA) and Nichols State increased the membership to eight. The league opened an office in Hammond, LA, changed its name to the Gulf South Conference and began championships in nine men's sports. Mississippi College and Northwestern Louisiana (NWLA, now Northwestern State) joined in 1972 and two years later, NELA left for Division I with SELA and Nicholls State following in 1979.

The conference continued with seven teams until 1981, when the CEOs admitted Valdosta State, followed by West Georgia (1983). In 1991, Tennessee-Martin and Troy State went Division I, briefly dropping the GSC back to seven members, before the beginning of an expansion resulting in ten new members: Lincoln Memorial (1992-93); Alabama-Huntsville, Henderson State, Central Arkansas and Mississippi University for Women (1993-94); West Florida (1994-95); and Arkansas-Monticello, Arkansas Tech, Montevallo and Southern Arkansas (1995-96). Jacksonville State went Division I at the end of 1992-93. Mississippi College dropped to Division III at the end of 1995-96, and was replaced by Christian Brothers to keep the Conference at 16 schools. In July 2000, the GSC welcomed Harding University and Ouachita Baptist University, making it the largest NCAA conference at any level with 18 schools. MUW dropped its athletics program at the end of the 2002-03 season, decreasing the membership to 17. The Conference decreased to 15 teams in 2006-07 when Central Arkansas moved to Division I and Lincoln Memorial moved to the South Atlantic Conference.

Former Commissioner Jim McCullough moved the GSC

office to Birmingham. The current Commissioner, Nathan (Nate) N. Salant, has been in office since October, 1992. He is assisted by Assistant Commissioner for Media and Public Affairs Michael Anderson, Associate Sports Information Director Tim Andrzejewski, Sports Information Assistant Michael Banks and Assistant to the Commissioner Andrea Nguyen. The Chairman of the GSC Board of Directors is Dr. David Rankin (Southern Arkansas). Joining him on the executive committee are Vice Chair Dr. Beheruz Sethna (West Georgia) and past-Chair Dr. Robert Brown (Arkansas Tech). The Supervisors of Officials are Bill Johnson (Football), John Caldwell (Basketball-West Division) and Mike Murphy (Basketball-East Division).

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GSC WEST DIVISION OPPONENTS



OUACHITA BAPT

Game 1/2 - March 17, 2007 - 12 p.m.
Game 3 - March 18, 2007 - 1 p.m.
Rab Rogers Field
Arkadelphia, Arkansas

Location: Arkadelphia, Arkansas
Nicknames: Tigers
School Colors: Purple and White
Stadium: Rab Rogers Field (1,000)
Conference: Gulf South
2006 Record: 31-24, 16-7 GSC
Head Coach: Scott Norwood
Record: 188-114/Six years
SID Contact: Ben Cutrell
SID Phone: 870-245-5186
Website: www.obu.edu



CHRISTIAN BROS.

Game 1/2 - March 24, 2007 - 3 p.m.
Game 3 - March 25, 2007 - 2 p.m.
Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field
Cleveland, Mississippi

Location: Memphis, Tenn.
Nicknames: Buccaneers
School Colors: Scarlet and Gray
Stadium: Buc Field (500)
Conference: Gulf South
2006 Record: 24-22, 10-14 GSC
Head Coach: Phil Goodwin
Record: NA/Seventh season
SID Contact: Eric Opperman
SID Phone: 901-321-3378
Website: www.gobucsgo.com



HARDING

Game 1/2 - March 31, 2007 - 3 p.m.
Game 3 - April 1, 2007 - 2 p.m.
Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field
Cleveland, Mississippi

Location: Searcy, Ark.
Nicknames: Bisons
School Colors: Black and Old Gold
Stadium: Jerry Moore Field (1,000)
Conference: Gulf South
2006 Record: 21-28, 6-17 GSC
Head Coach: Dr. Patrick McGaha
Record: 140-123/Sixth season
SID Contact: Scott Goode
SID Phone: 501-279-4760
Website: www.hardingsports.com



HENDERSON ST

Game 1/2 - April 6, 2007 - 12 p.m.
Game 3 - April 7, 2007 - 1 p.m.
Reddie Field
Arkadelphia, Arkansas

Location: Arkadelphia, Arkansas
Nicknames: Reddies
School Colors: Red and White
Stadium: Reddie Field (400)
Conference: Gulf South
2005 Record: 15-29, 9-12 GSC
Head Coach: John Harvey
Record: 31-22/Second season
SID Contact: Troy Mitchell
SID Phone: 870-230-5197
Website: www.hsu.edu



ARK.-MONTICELLO

Game 1/2 - April 14, 2007 - 3 p.m.
Game 3 - April 15 - 2 p.m.
Dave "Boo" Ferriss Field
Cleveland, Mississippi

Location: Monticello, Arkansas
Nicknames: Boll Weevils
School Colors: Green and White
Stadium: Weevil Field (500)
Conference: Gulf South
2005 Record: 25-20, 7-16 GSC
Head Coach: Ron Hill
Record: 299-449/First Year
SID Contact: Paul Smith
SID Phone: 870-460-1574
Website: www.uamont.edu



ARKANSAS TECH

Game 1/2 - April 21, 2007 - 1 p.m.
Game 3 - April 22, 2007 - 2 p.m.
Wonder Boy Field
Russellville, Arkansas

Location: Russellville, Arkansas
Nicknames: Wonder Boys
School Colors: Green and Gold
Stadium: Wonder Boy Field (500)
Conference: Gulf South
2005 Record: 19-29, 6-17 GSC
Head Coach: Billy Goss
Record: NA/Eighth season
SID Contact: Ben Greenberg
SID Phone: 479-968-0645
Website: www.atu.edu



SOU. ARKANSAS

Game 1/2 - April 28, 2007 - 3 p.m.
Game 3 - April 29, 2007 - 2 p.m.
Mulerider Field
Magnolia, Arkansas

Location: Magnolia, Arkansas
Nicknames: Muleriders
School Colors: Blue and White
Stadium: Mulerider Field (1,000)
Conference: Gulf South
2005 Record: 40-18, 16-7 GSC
Head Coach: Allen Gum
Record: 40-18/Second season
SID Contact: Houston Taylor
SID Phone: 870-235-4102
Website: www.saumag.edu



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May 5-9, 2007
USA Stadium
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Delta State University Statesmen Baseball prides itself on the tradition of excellence passed down over the generations from coaches to players to their families. Each year a new generation of former Statesmen enter the ranks of alumni and many of those alumni go on to coach at the high school, collegiate or professional levels. Delta State, like many of our nation's premier baseball institutions, has a long history of success and a great progeny of former coaches. Many of our alumni have reached the pinnacle of success with championships, while others have simply instilled the love of baseball in their players hearts and minds. Over the last 45 years, Delta State has seen over 147 former players and graduate assistants go on to be successful coaches and mentors. The 2007 edition of the Statesmen Baseball Media Guide salutes those former players who have taken on the challenge to molding the futures of young men and women across the country with America's pastime.



Alumni coaches under "Boo" Ferriss in the coaching ranks

Crenshaw, Tommy
Walker, Dixie
Spence, Shafer
Miles, Jimmy
Grimmett, James
Spence, Payne
McGraw, Robert
Byrd, T.J.
Williams, A.C.
McMinn, Runt
Brumfield, Bob
Morgan, Raymond
Ward, Don
Ashley, Norris
Allegrezza, F.E.
Pitcock, Jerry
Skelton, Don
Tosch, Bobby
Carson, Wayne
Hurst, Paul
Williams, Monroe
Boatner, Jerry
Norris, Chester
Whitehurst, Jim
Difabio, Joe
Lee, Bobby
Tucker, Hubert
Jourdan, Charles
Bowen, Dale
Moore, Mike
Hill, Tony
McClarskey, Jeff
McKelroy, Mac
Morrison, Richard
Ruscoe, Rusty
Gurlen, Randall
Hester, Stacy
Davis, Sandy

Belk, James
Laramie, Dave
Gawriluk, Jim
Pettit, Timmy
Otts, Rusty
Smith, Charlie
Thomson, Tobin
Hayes, Lee
Lowther, David
Kraft, Mike
Davis, Dan
McLemore, Vince
Downs, Keith
Wies, Steve
Brothers, Danny
Clark, Jamie
Long, Brian
King, Dan
Thompson, Tommy
Harmon, Gus
Hall, Eddie
Patterson, Mike
Tomaszewski, Steve
Ray, Johnny
Williams, Terry
Difabio, Al
Rosamond, Mike
Porter, Joey
Harper, Don
Johnson, Gayden
Scank, Vinnie
Letort, Kim
Bryant, Gene
Partridge, Stan
Hubal, Joe
Hill, Harry
Lewis, Mike
Long, Jerry
Daniell, Bob
Kinnison, Mike
Clay, Sonny
Stanford, Tony
Neaves, Rickey
Downing, Robert
Farris, Cooper
Scott, Mike
Pearce, John David
Brown, David
Watkins, Larry
Cates, Bubba
Smillie, John
Hearn, Ricky

Thornton, Ted
Castle, Don
Little, Jerry
Marchant, Bill
Buccheri, Joe
Adams, Steve
Grantham, Doug
Nelson, David
McDonald, Jimmy Guy
Drainie, John



Alumni coaches under Bill Marchant in the coaching ranks

Dickinson, Kelly
Collier, Rick
Hammack, Jerrod
Laird, Kit
Beesley, Craig
Case, Duane
Robbins, Doug
Hardy, Hayland
Goff, Greg
Temple, Sam
Yarborough, Jake
Hancock, Tony
Osborne, Bart
Kuykendall, Lee
Culotta, Joey
McClendon, Mike
Montgomery, Tony
Enis, Gary
Thompson, Jason
Martin, Josh
Ostrander, Christian
Batts, Rodney
Munier, Jeff
Durham, Chip
Bartling, Neil
Porter, Ryan

Rea, Brian
Earnest, Lewis
Ray, Johnny
Wies, Steve



Alumni coaches under Mike Kinnison in the coaching ranks

Lee, Andy
Anthony, Chad
Bartling, Neill
Drye, Greg
Scarborough, Rob
Robey, Patrick
Rea, Brian
Nobile, Bryan
Walls, Jeff
Abraham, Jim
Page, Brent
Turman, Clint
Lightsey, Brad
Patten, Eric
Pickard, Bert

The List

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