

2012-2013



JACKSONVILLE STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Reinhardt at Jacksonville State

JAX STATE STARTS DECEMBER SLATE WITH REINHARDT

2012-13 GAMECOCK SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER (0-6)

5 (Mon.)	BLUE MOUNTAIN (Ex.)	W, 81-67
11 (Sun.)	at Alabama	L, 80-43
14 (Wed.)	at Georgia State	L, 79-50
17 (Sat.)	at Mercer	L, 63-51
19 (Mon.)	SAMFORD	L, 48-45
25 (Sun.)	JACKSONVILLE (Fla.)	L, 72-69
28 (Wed.)	KENNESAW STATE	L, 51-50

DECEMBER

7 (Fri.)	REINHARDT	6 p.m.
9 (Sun.)	at Lipscomb	2 p.m.
12 (Wed.)	at Chattanooga	6 p.m.
14 (Fri.)	! at North Florida	2:30 p.m.
15 (Sat.)	! vs. Campbell	12 p.m.
20 (Thur.)	at Mississippi State	7 p.m.
29 (Sat.)	* TENNESSEE TECH	2 p.m.
31 (Mon.)	* at UT Martin	2 p.m.

JANUARY

5 (Sat.)	* TENNESSEE STATE	2 p.m.
7 (Mon.)	* BELMONT	7 p.m.
12 (Sat.)	* at Eastern Illinois	4 p.m.
14 (Mon.)	* at SIU Edwardsville	7 p.m.
19 (Sat.)	* EASTERN KENTUCKY	1 p.m.
23 (Wed.)	* at Tennessee State	7 p.m.
26 (Sat.)	* MURRAY STATE	2 p.m.
28 (Mon.)	* AUSTIN PEAY	7 p.m.

FEBRUARY

2 (Sat.)	* MOREHEAD STATE	2 p.m.
9 (Sat.)	* at Tennessee Tech	5:30 p.m.
16 (Sat.)	* at Eastern Kentucky	3 p.m.
18 (Mon.)	* at Morehead State	5 p.m.
23 (Sat.)	* SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	6 p.m.

MARCH

2 (Sat.)	* at Belmont	2 p.m.
6 (Wed.)	OVC Tournament	TBA
7 (Thur.)	OVC Tournament	TBA
8 (Fri.)	OVC Tournament	TBA
8 (Sat.)	OVC Tournament	TBA

* - OVC Game

! - Osprey Holiday Classic (Jacksonville, Fla.)

All Times Central and subject to change

GAMEDAY CENTRAL



REINHARDT
Eagles
(6-5)



JACKSONVILLE STATE
Gamecocks
(0-6)

GAME STORYLINES

JSU starts December Slate With Reinhardt: Jacksonville State starts the month of December slate tonight as it hosts Reinhardt University to close out a four-game homestand. The Gamecocks (0-6) closed out the first month of the season with a hard fought, 51-50, loss in the final seconds to Kennesaw State on Nov. 28 and have been idle from competition due to fall semester final exams on the Jax State campus. The Eagles, who come to Jacksonville from Waleska, Ga., enter the contest at 6-5 on the season after a 48-43 win over Tennessee Temple last Tuesday night.

The Jax State-RU Series: Tonight's contest is the first-ever meeting on the hardwood between Jax State and RU. The two schools met earlier this season in men's basketball as the Gamecocks toppled the Eagles, 93-63 to open the 2012-13 season.

Scouting the Eagles: The Eagles of Reinhardt University is a member of the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics) and plays in the Appalachian Athletic Conference. RU is coached by Lindsey Huffman, who is in her first season at the helm. Huffman came to the Eagles' program after three seasons as an assistant coach at North Georgia College & State University in Dahlonega, Ga. She inherited a veteran squad with six seniors and juniors combined. Senior guard Tara Hay and junior center Taylor Johnson lead the Blue and Gold clad Eagles in scoring with double figure averages. Johnson leads the team in rebounds, averaging 7.6 per contest.

Cantrell Contributes Double Figures In Three Straight: Sophomore Miranda Cantrell has sparked the Gamecock offense in the last three games. After sitting out the season opener at Alabama, due to an injury in the preseason, the post player from College Park, Ga. shares the team lead in scoring with a 9.2 per game mark. Cantrell has turned in a trio of consecutive double figure point totals dating back to the Samford contest. She established a new career high versus SU with 12 points and put together back-to-back 10-point efforts against Jacksonville and Kennesaw State.

JSU Begins December Road Trip On Sunday: After tonight's Reinhardt contest, Jax State will play five games on the road over a 12-day span. The road trip begins on Sunday, Dec. 9 in Nashville, Tenn. versus Lipscomb and ends at Southeastern Conference member, Mississippi State on Thursday, Dec. 20. JSU will travel to Chattanooga on Dec. 12 and take part in the Hampton Inn Oceanfront Holiday Classic, hosted by the University of North Florida, on Dec. 14 and Dec. 15. Jax State will face host-UNF in the opening contest and take on Campbell to wrap up the two-day event.

JSU PROBABLE STARTERS

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	PPG	RPG	APG
1	Dashauna Truss	G	5-8	Jr.	4.7	2.8	2.8
3	Amanda McCarthy	G	5-8	Sr.	5.7	1.7	1.0
21	Marikate Gardler	G	5-10	So.	6.7	4.0	1.2
42	Miranda Cantrell	C	6-0	So.	9.2	5.0	1.2
33	Peyton Hisel	C	6-1	Fr.	5.8	4.3	0.3

OFF THE BENCH

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	PPG	RPG	APG
5	Briana Morrow	F	5-11	So.	9.2	11.0	0.6
4	Candace Morton	G	5-8	So.	8.0	5.3	0.6
11	Destany McLin	G	5-9	Fr.	4.2	3.0	0.6
24	Gia Banks	F	5-9	So.	2.0	2.7	0.0
14	Destiny James	G	5-8	Fr.	1.8	0.4	1.0
10	Dareyelle Avant	G	5-9	Fr.	1.0	0.7	0.0
50	Sydney Brown	C	6-1	Fr.	0.5	1.2	0.3



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JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Jacksonville, Ala.
Enrollment	9,504
Founded	1883
Colors	Red and White
Nickname	Gamecocks
Facility	Pete Mathews Coliseum/5,500
Conference	Ohio Valley Conference
President.....	Dr. William A. Meehan
Faculty Representative.....	Dr. Mary Newton
Athletic Director	Warren Koegel
Associate AD/SWA	Tracy Broom
Athletic Phone	(256) 782-5368
Athletic Ticket Office	(256) 782-8144

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STAFF

Head Coach.....	Annette Watts
Alma Mater	East Tennessee State, 1981
Years at JSU	Third Season
Record at JSU.....	14-46
Career Record.....	158-167 (12th year)
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Assistant Coach.....	Yvette Sparks
Alma Mater	Clearwater Christian College, 1994
Assistant Coach.....	Jason Williams
Alma Mater	Greensboro College, 2004
Assistant Coach.....	Courtney Payne
Alma Mater	University of Alabama, 2007

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TEAM INFORMATION

All-Time Record	437-512 (29 years)
All-Time OVC Record.....	57-89 (9 years)
First Season	1982-83
2011-12 Overall Record	4-25
2011-12 OVC Record.....	1-15
Starters Returning/Lost	3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	6/6
Newcomers	7

A LOOK AT THE GAMECOCKS

Starters Returning (3)

Briana Morrow (5-11, So., F)

11.4 ppg • 7.5 rpg • 0.6 bpg (28 gp/26 gs)

Danielle Vaughn (6-0, Sr. C)

10.8 ppg • 9.2 rpg • 1.0 bpg (29 gp/27 gs)

Candace Morton (5-8, So., G)

8.2 ppg • 4.2 rpg • 2.9 apg (29 gp/27 gs)

Other Returning Letterwinners (4)

Miranda Cantrell (6-0, So., C)

3.8 ppg • 2.8 rpg • 0.4 spg (29 gp/3 gs)

Bria'unna Buckner (5-6, So., G)

2.2 ppg • 0.4 rpg • 0.2 apg (13 gp/0 gs)

Amanda McCarthy (5-8, Sr., G)

2.0 ppg • 1.3 rpg • 0.9 apg (29 gp/9 gs)

Gia Banks (5-9, So., F)

1.0 ppg • 1.5 rpg • 0.4 apg (20 gp/0 gs)

Newcomers (7)

Dashaunna Truss (G, 5-8, Jr., Jacksonville, Fla./Stetson)

Dareyelle Avant (G, 5-9, Fr., Miami, Fla./Archbishop McCarthy HS)

Destany McLin (G, 5-9, Fr., Athens, Ala./Athens HS)

Destiny James (G, 5-8, Fr., Barlett, Tenn./Bartlett HS)

Marikate Gardler (G, 5-10, So., Springfield, Pa./Jefferson College)

Peyton Hisel (C, 6-1, Fr., Lexington, Ky./Tates Creek HS)

Sydney Brown (C, 6-1, Fr., Lawrenceburg, Ky. (Anderson County HS)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



2012-2013 JACKSONVILLE STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER

NUMERICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	YR.	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
1	Dashauna TRUSS	G	5-8	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla. (Stetson)
3	Amanda McCARTHY	G	5-8	Sr.	Boston, Mass (New Orleans)
4	Candace MORTON	G	5-8	So.	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay HS)
5	Briana MORROW	F	5-11	So.	Nashville, Tenn. (Glenclyff HS)
10	Dareyelle AVANT	G	5-9	Fr.	Miami, Fla. (Archbishop McCarthy HS)
11	Destany McLIN	G	5-9	Fr.	Athens, Ala. (Athens HS)
14	Destiny JAMES	G	5-8	Fr.	Bartlett, Tenn. (Bartlett HS)
21	Marikate GARDLER	G	5-10	So.	Springfield, Pa. (Jefferson (Mo.) College)
23	Bria'unna BUCKNER	G	5-6	So.	Detroit, Mich. (Detroit King HS)
24	Gia BANKS	F	5-9	So.	Loganville, Ga. (Walnut Grove HS)
33	Peyton HISEL	C	6-1	Fr.	Lexington, Ky. (Tates Creek HS)
42	Miranda CANTRELL	C	6-0	So.	College Park, Ga. (North Clayton HS)
44	Danielle VAUGHN	C	6-0	Sr.	Huntsville, Ala. (Sparkman HS)
50	Sydney BROWN	C	6-1	Fr.	Lawrenceburg, Ky. (Anderson County HS))

ALPHABETICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	YR.	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
10	Dareyelle AVANT	G	5-9	Fr.	Miami, Fla. (Archbishop McCarthy HS)
24	Gia BANKS	F	5-9	So.	Loganville, Ga. (Walnut Grove HS)
50	Sydney BROWN	C	6-1	Fr.	Lawrenceburg, Ky. (Anderson County HS)
23	Bria'unna BUCKER	G	5-6	So.	Detroit, Mich. (Detroit King HS)
42	Miranda CANTRELL	C	6-0	So.	College Park, Ga. (North Clayton HS)
21	Marikate GARDLER	G	5-10	So.	Springfield, Pa. (Jefferson (Mo.) College)
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11	Destany McLIN	G	5-9	Fr.	Athens, Ala. (Athens HS)
5	Briana MORROW	F	5-11	So.	Nashville, Tenn. (Glenclyff HS)
4	Candace MORTON	G	5-8	So.	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay HS)
1	Dashauna TRUSS	G	5-8	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla. (Stetson)
44	Danielle Vaughn	C	6-0	Sr.	Huntsville, Ala. (Sparkman HS)

HEAD COACH: Annette **WATTS** (3rd Season at JSU; East Tennessee State, 1981)

ASSISTANT COACH: Yvette **SPARKS** (2nd Season at JSU; Clearwater Christian College, 1994)

ASSISTANT COACH: Jason **WILLIAMS** (1st Season at JSU; Greensboro College, 2004)

ASSISTANT COACH: Courtney **PAYNE** (1st Season at JSU; University of Alabama, 2007)





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

HEAD COACH ANNETTE WATTS • THIRD SEASON • EAST TENNESSEE STATE, 1981



Annette Watts, with more than 22 years of coaching experience at both the high school and collegiate level, became the program's 11th coach when she came onboard in May of 2010.

In 2011-12, Watts had a mixture of veteran players along with a talented group of young players that now have a season of collegiate action under their belt. One of those new faces in the program was Briana Morrow, who was

named to the Ohio Valley Conference All-Newcomer Team after leading the Gamecocks in the scoring column and ranked among the top freshmen in the OVC in scoring and rebounding. Morrow was named the OVC Freshman of the Week four times during 2011-12. Watts, who has instilled academic success in the program, had five players named to the OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll for the 2011-12 academic year.

Watts used those years under her belt in her first season at JSU as she began the process of moving the women's basketball program to the next level. She guided her first Gamecock squad to the Ohio Valley Conference Tournament - the first appearance for JSU since 2009. JSU advanced to the second round after downing Tennessee State in the opening round. Watts' first season ended with a 10-21 overall mark and 6-12 in league play. She moved past the 150 career wins plateau in her first season at JSU with a win over Morehead State.

Watts spent the nine years as the head coach at Davidson from 2001-10, where she was the winningest head coach in the program's history, and led the Wildcats to five-straight winning seasons. She enters her first season in charge of the Gamecocks with an overall mark of 144-121. After nine seasons in the Southern Conference, she compiled 102 wins. Last season, the Wildcats posted a 14-15 overall mark and 12-8 within the league to finish fourth in the final standings.

Watts has served on a staff that has made the Women's NCAA Division I Final Four, as well as coached a high school team to the state quarterfinals, and also led Davidson to its first-ever postseason appearance with a trip to the 2006-07 WNIT.

The East Tennessee-native was named the 2005 Southern Conference Coach of the Year by the league's media, the first Davidson coach to earn SoCon Coach of the Year honors, after leading the Wildcats to a school-record 18 wins. Davidson also had a school-record 14 conference victories and earned the second seed in the SoCon Tournament, the highest seed ever for Davidson in its 13 trips to the league tourney that season.

In her first four years at the helm of the Wildcats' program, Davidson's record improved every season. After Davidson finished 9-19 in the 2000-01 season, Watts was brought in to turn the program around. As witnessed by her career record, the win totals increased from 10 in Watts' first year to 18 by her fourth season.

Watts' players have excelled off the court as well as she coached 26 players at Davidson that were named to the conference academic honor roll. While at the North Carolina-based school, Watts mentored eight All-SOCon players and seven players reached the 1,000-point career scoring mark in the Watts system. She had four newcomers during her time at DC that were named to the league's All-Freshman Team and one player named the top freshman of the year.

Prior to arriving at Davidson, Watts spent two seasons as head coach at Jackson County Comprehensive High School in Jefferson, Ga. She guided that team to the 2001 state quarterfinals and compiled an overall record of 38-20 in two years as head coach of the Lady Panthers. Her success on the court at Jackson County earned her Coach of the Year honors from the Jackson Herald News.

Before her stint at Jackson, Watts spent two seasons as an assistant under Hall of Fame coach Kay Yow at N.C. State. While with the Wolfpack, she was responsible for scouting opposing teams and recruiting, as well as on-floor coaching. Watts helped lead the 1997-98 Wolfpack squad to its first Final Four appearance. During her two-year tenure in Raleigh, the Wolfpack went 42-19 and advanced to the NCAA Tournament both years.

As a collegiate athlete, Coach Watts spent four seasons at East Tennessee State University where she played guard for the Lady Bucs. She received a bachelor of science degree from ETSU in 1981. Watts continued her post-graduate work at East Tennessee State, earning a master's degree in secondary math education in 1985.

After departing ETSU, Watts taught and coached basketball at Greeneville (Tenn.) High School for eight years. Active in the Greeneville community, she headed up the Lady Devil (YMCA) Basketball Camp for seven years.

Watts then moved south from Greeneville and served as head women's coach and full-time teacher at Robert Wood Johnson Comprehensive High School in Gainesville, Ga., where she compiled a career mark of 125-51. She was named Gainesville Times Coach of the Year three times (1992, '95 and '96) and also served as director of the Lady Knight Basketball Camp from 1990-95.

In addition to her wealth of coaching experience, Watts was also selected to a three-year term as a member of the NCAA Regional Advisory Committee for Division I women's basketball. She has also represented the SoCon as a member of the WBCA conference captains for three years. Watts is also a member of the National Association of Collegiate Women's Athletic Administrators.



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



WATTS' CAREER RECORD VS. ALL OPPONENTS

Alabama	0-1	Stephen F. Austin	0-0
Army	1-0	Stetson	0-1
Appalachian State	8-11	Stillman	1-0
Auburn	0-2	Tennessee State	1-3
Austin Peay	1-2	Tennessee Tech	0-4
Belmont	0-0	Towson	0-1
Bethune-Cookman	0-1	Troy	2-0
Campbell	1-0	UAB	0-2
Cincinnati	0-1	UNC	0-2
Charlotte	3-4	UNC Asheville	2-0
Chattanooga	1-18	UNC Greensboro	9-10
College of Charleston	15-6	UNC Wilmington	0-2
Cornell	1-0	UT Martin	0-3
Colorado State	0-1	UT San Antonio	0-1
Creighton	0-1	Vanderbilt	0-1
Duke	0-2	Virginia	0-1
Duquesne	1-1	Virginia Tech	0-1
East Carolina	1-0	Wake Forest	0-2
Eastern Kentucky	2-1	Western Carolina	10-11
Eastern Illinois	0-3	William & Mary	0-1
Eastern Washington	1-0	Winthrop	4-0
East Tennessee State	7-2	Wofford	16-4
Elon	13-4	Xavier	0-1
Emory	1-0		
Fairleigh Dickinson	1-0		
Florida International	1-1		
Florida State	0-1		
Furman	14-5		
Gardner-Webb	1-0		
Georgia	0-2		
Georgia Southern	15-4		
Georgia State	2-3		
Georgia Tech	0-3		
Gonzaga	1-0		
Greensboro College	1-0		
High Point	2-0		
Jacksonville	1-2		
Kennesaw State	1-2		
Kentucky	0-1		
LeMoyne-Owen	1-0		
Lipscomb	1-1		
Longwood	2-0		
Louisiana-Monroe	1-0		
Mercer	0-1		
Michigan State	0-1		
Mississippi	0-1		
Mississippi State	0-1		
Missouri	0-1		
Monmouth	0-1		
Montana	0-1		
Morehead State	1-4		
Murray State	0-3		
Nebraska	0-1		
North Carolina State	0-1		
North Florida	0-1		
Oglethorpe	1-0		
Penn	0-1		
Reinhardt	0-0		
Rice	0-1		
Robert Morris	1-0		
Samford	1-6		
San Francisco	0-1		
SIU Edwardsville	0-2		
South Carolina	0-1		
Southeast Missouri	2-2		
Southern Miss	1-2		
St. Joseph's	0-1		

Bold - 2012-13 Opponent

JSU'S RECORD UNDER WATTS

All Games	14-52
Home Games	7-19
Road Games	6-28
Neutral-sites	1-3
OVC Games	7-26
Non-Conference Home Games	5-5
Non-Conference Road Games	1-16
Non-Conference Neutral-site Games	0-2
OVC Home Games	2-14
OVC Road Games	5-12
OVC Neutral Site Games	1-1
OVC Tournament Games	1-1
November Games	4-15
December Games	3-11
January Games	5-12
February Games	1-11
March Games	1-1
Monday Games	1-9
Tuesday Games	1-4
Wednesday Games	2-4
Thursday Games	4-9
Friday Games	0-2
Saturday Games	3-18
Sunday Games	2-5
Overtime Games	1-1
Televised Games	0-2
Games vs. Ranked Opponents	0-2

WATTS' YEAR-BY-YEAR

Davidson College

2001-02	10-18, 6-12 SoCon
2002-03	15-15, 8-10 SoCon
2003-04	16-12, 13-7 SoCon
2004-05	18-11, 14-6 SoCon
2005-06	17-12, 12-6 SoCon
2006-07	23-9, 13-5 SoCon
2007-08	19-11, 13-5 SoCon
2008-09	12-18, 11-9 SoCon
2009-10	14-15, 12-8 SoCon

Jacksonville State

2010-11	10-21, 6-12 OVC
2011-12	4-25, 1-15 OVC
2012-13	0-6, 0-0 OVC

TOTAL ----- 158-173 (12 Seasons)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

NEW STAFF MEMBERS

There will be new faces on the Jax State bench this season as Watts brought in a pair of staff members in the off season. Jason Williams comes to JSU program after eight years at Belmont Abbey College, an NCAA Division II school located in Charlotte, N.C. Williams was on the Crusaders' men's basketball coaching staff. The final piece of the coaching staff was added when Courtney Payne came on board in August. A native of Scottsboro, Ala., Payne joins JSU after spending one season as varsity girls head coach at Shades Mountain Christian School in the Birmingham, Ala. area. A graduate of Scottsboro High School and Snead State Community College, Payne finished her undergraduate studies in 2007 at The University of Alabama. Payne moved on to her second Southeastern Conference program after graduating from UA as she spent time at Louisiana State University as a Strength and Conditioning Intern in 2007. While at LSU, she was mentored by Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach Melissa Moore. That season, LSU advanced to the Women's Final Four.

BASKETBALL BLOODLINES

Three members of the 2012-13 JSU women's basketball squad have siblings or relatives that have played major college basketball or are still playing at the collegiate level. Newcomers Marikate Gardler, Destiny James and Sydney Brown all have basketball bloodlines. Gardler's sister, Meghan, played at the University of Connecticut from 2006-10 and was a member of the 2010 NCAA National Championship Huskie squad and is currently playing professional basketball overseas. Gardler's father, Harrison and brother, Chris, attended Saint Joseph University and played for the Hawks of St. Joseph. James' older sister, Jasmine is a member of the University of Georgia women's basketball program. Brown, who hails from the Bluegrass State, is a relative of former University of Kentucky standout and current member of the Detroit Pistons, Tayshaun Prince.

GAMECOCKS' LEADING SCORER RETURNS

It is very rare to have a freshman leading the way in scoring and rebounding for an NCAA Division I program, but last season with so many new faces in the JSU program, first-year player Briana Morrow paced the Gamecock offense and led the squad on the boards. The rising sophomore from Nashville, Tenn. finished the season scoring 11.4 points per game and ranked second on the team in rebounds with a 7.5 per contest mark. Following her stellar freshman campaign, Morrow was named to the OVC All Newcomer Team. She was selected as the league's Newcomer of the Week four times (Dec. 6, Dec. 20, Jan. 10 and Feb. 7).

Morrow scored in double figures in 17 of the 28 games played and in nine OVC games. The 5-foot-11 forward posted five double-doubles and scored a season-best 25 points at Jacksonville on Dec. 15 of 2011. Morrow's best OVC performance came against Tennessee State on Jan. 7 with 14 points and 16 rebounds.

GOING TO THE GLASS UNDER WATTS

One of the benchmarks of an Annette Watts program is going to the glass and winning the rebounding edge in each contest. In the first two seasons under Watts, the Gamecocks have averaged 39.8 rebounds per game and have a slim +0.8 rebounding margin over the opposition in the first 60 games of the Watts regime. JSU has been one of the top programs in the Ohio Valley Conference in rebounding in the last two seasons. In 2010-11, Watts' first year at Jax State, her squad ranked fourth in the OVC in offensive and defensive rebounds and averaged 39.3 boards per game and equaled the opponents with a +0.0 margin.

In 2011-12, JSU averaged over 40 rebounds per contest and once again were listed among the league leaders in the rebounding category. JSU finished with a +1.6 rebounding lead over its opponents last season and ranked second in the OVC in rebound margin. JSU led the OVC in offensive rebounding percentage with a .390 mark. In OVC games only, Jax State out-rebounded OVC foes by a +4.3 margin, which ranked second in the league.

Prior to Watts' arrival, JSU ranked eighth and ninth respectively in the OVC in offensive and defensive rebounds. The Gamecocks were listed tenth among the 11 teams in the league in 2009-10.

REBOUNDING EDGE

JSU has out-rebounded its opponent in five of the first six games this season. Kennesaw State is the lone team to date to pull down more rebounds than the Gamecocks this season. KSU out-rebounded JSU, 48-36. The Gamecocks are out-rebounding the opposition by a +1.0 margin (41.3-40.3). Jax State pulled down a season-best 48 rebounds on two occasions - at Alabama and at Georgia State. The Red and White rank third in the Ohio Valley Conference in rebounding margin behind SIU Edwardsville (+5.6) and Eastern Kentucky (+1.9).

The Gamecocks are averaging 15.0 offensive rebounds, which ranks second among OVC teams. JSU scored a season-high 27 points off 26 offensive boards at Georgia State and had 23 offensive rebounds versus Jacksonville.

SEEING DOUBLE

Sophomore Briana Morrow turned in her second double-double performance of the season and her seventh of her career against Jacksonville. Morrow, from Nashville, Tenn., led all scorers with 15 points and 18 rebounds. It marked the second time this season that she has pulled down double digit boards. She grabbed a career-best 19 rebounds against Georgia State on Nov. 14, along with 15 points.

CANTRELL CONTRIBUTES DOUBLE DIGITS

Sophomore Miranda Cantrell has sparked the Gamecock offense in the last three games. After sitting out the season opener at Alabama, due to an injury in the preseason, the post player from College Park, Ga. shares the team lead in scoring with a 9.2 per game mark. Cantrell has turned in a trio of consecutive double figure point totals dating back to the Samford contest. She established a new career high versus SU with 12 points and put together back-to-back 10-point efforts against Jacksonville and Kennesaw State.

McLIN MAKING IT HAPPEN

Freshman guard Destany McLin has definitely progressed and adapted to the college game effectively and has seen her playing time increase over the past two games. In the past two games, the Athens, Ala.-native has played 39 minutes, an average of 19.5 over the last two games. McLin had her best game of her young Gamecock career against Jacksonville and nearly posted a double-double with 11 points and nine rebounds. She pulled down six defensive boards and was 5-of-11 from the field, including a three-point basket vs. JU. McLin also dished out a pair of assists in the game and credited with two steals in the Samford game.

YOUNG GAMECOCKS

The Gamecocks will start the 2012-13 season as the youngest team in the Ohio Valley Conference. Head coach Annette Watts has a combined 11 sophomores and freshmen on her third JSU squad. The roster features five freshmen and six sophomores, in which five of them gain valuable minutes as a freshman. The five sophomores - Briana Morrow, Candace Morton, Miranda Cantrell, Gia Banks and Brianna Buckner accounted for 43% of JSU's scoring last season. Morrow led the team in scoring with an 11.4 scoring mark in her rookie season.

JSU PICKED SIXTH IN OVC'S EAST DIVISION

The Ohio Valley Conference announced its annual preseason prognostications for the 2012-13 women's basketball season at the league's media day in October. Jacksonville State was picked sixth in the East Division by the conference's coaches and sports information directors.

With the addition of Belmont University, the OVC now has 12 competing institutions and has two divisions in the league. The Gamecocks are grouped with the Bruins of BU, Eastern Kentucky, Morehead State, Tennessee State and Tennessee Tech.

The Golden Eagles of TTU were picked as the preseason favorite in the OVC East Division, followed by ECU in the second slot. Belmont, Morehead State and Tennessee State were slated three through five.

Defending OVC Champion UT Martin was a unanimous selection to win the West Division. Eastern Illinois and SIU Edwardsville claimed the second and third spots among the West squads. Murray State, Austin Peay and Southeast Missouri round out the West Division.

JSU ON THE OVC DIGITAL NETWORK

This summer, the OVC and Sidearm Sports launched the OVC Digital Network, the new and improved home for live streaming of athletic contests involving OVC member institutions. Events will be available for free to fans and can be seen on any computer or mobile device without the need for a mobile app or download. The new portal includes live stats and social media integration. All of JSU's home and road OVC games will be available on the OVCDN this season. Links to the OVCDN are available on Jax State's official web site - www.JSUGamecockSports.com.



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



KENNESAW STATE SQUEAKS PAST JSU

Kennesaw State hit a pair of free throws with 3.6 second left to squeak past Jacksonville State, 51-50, on Wednesday night in women's college basketball action at JSU's Pete Mathews Coliseum.

After JSU's Dashauna Truss drilled the go-ahead three-point basket with 11 second left to give JSU a 50-49 lead in the waning seconds left in the contest, but the Owls' Kristina Wells went to the free throw line to sink a pair of free throws for the road win. The loss drops Jax State to 0-6 on the season, while KSU moved to 2-5 on the year. The one-point setback was the third consecutive game that was decided by three points or less.

In a game that saw ten ties and five lead changes, JSU played catch up for the last 21 minutes of the contest after building its largest lead of the season at 15-6 at the 13:11 mark of the opening half. KSU clawed its way back into the game and found itself in a back and forth affair until the Black and Gold mounted a final push of the opening half to take a four-point, 31-27 lead into the halftime break.

Both teams started the contest with hot shooting hands as both connected on 40 percent from the field, while both teams combined for seven three-point shots.

The shooting percentages simmered in the second half as JSU out-scored KSU, 23-20, but could not close the deal down the final stretch. KSU quickly took its largest lead of the contest with a pair of sic-point leads in the first two minutes of the half. JSU equalized at 38-all with a three-point-er from Bri'anna Buckner with 12:16 to go in the game. KSU would push the lead out to five points at 45-40 with just over four minutes left in the game and then had to fend off a furious Gamecock run.

Sophomore Miranda Cantrell missed the free throw opportunity after her fifth made bucket of the game at the 2:02 mark to cut the lead to 47-45, but sophomore Gia Banks pulled down the rebound for the put-back to even the contest at 47-all. KSU's Sametria Gideon hit a lay up with 25 seconds left before Truss' three-point basket.

Cantrell, inserted into the starting line up for the first time this season, turned in her third-straight double figure scoring game with ten points and three assists in just 19 minutes of action. Truss led all JSU scorers with 13 points with nine of those 13 points coming off three-point baskets. The Jacksonville, Fla.-native also dished out five assists. Freshman Peyton Hisel and sophomore Marikate Gardler added seven points each in the loss. Banks posted a career high six points and matched her career high in rebounds with seven.

NCAA RANKINGS

Sophomore Briana Morrow and senior Amanda McCarthy are ranked among the NCAA leaders in a pair of statistical categories in the latest NCAA report this week. Morrow ranks 21st in rebounds per game with an 11.0 mark. She is just 3.8 rebounds off of the nation's leader, Jillian Alleyne of Oregon. McCarthy is listed 38th among the individuals in the free throw percentage category with a .900 charity stripe mark. Harvard's Christine Clark is a perfect 28-for-28 at the free throw line.

TWELVE HOME GAMES HIGHLIGHT 2012-13 SCHEDULE

Twelve home dates and a pair of road games against Southeastern Conference opponents are apart of the 2012-13 schedule for the Jacksonville State women's basketball team.

The Gamecocks will play four consecutive home games that spans over the final week of November and opens December play before tipping off the Ohio Valley Conference slate at home on Dec. 29 against Tennessee Tech. JSU will host in-state rival Samford for its home opener on Nov. 19, before taking on a duo of Atlantic Sun Conference foes - Jacksonville and Kennesaw State on Nov. 25 and Nov. 28 respectively. The four-game homestand wraps up on Dec. 7 as Reinhardt College visits Pete Mathews Coliseum.

The OVC moved to divisional play for this season and JSU is slated for the East Division. The Gamecocks will play home-and-home contests with TTU, Tennessee State, Eastern Kentucky, Morehead State and league newcomer-Belmont.

JSU will visit West Division foes - UT Martin, who won the conference for a second-straight year last year, Eastern Illinois and SIU Edwardsville. Murray State, Austin Peay and Southeast Missouri will travel to Jacksonville from the West Division.

GAMECOCKS RETURN TO JACKSONVILLE ... FLORIDA'S VERSION

For the Second season in a row, the Gamecocks will travel to the state of Florida's city of Jacksonville to compete in the University of North Florida-hosted Hampton Inn/UNF Osprey Holiday Classic on Dec. 14 and 15. Last season, JSU faced Florida International and host-UNF. The 2012-13 field includes the Ospreys of UNF, Jax State, Campbell and Maryland Eastern Shore. JSU squares off with UNF on the opening day (Dec. 14) and will wrap up the two-day event against Campbell.

NEW DIVISIONS

With the addition of Belmont for the 2012-13 season, the Ohio Valley Conference will move to divisional play for both men and women's basketball regular-season schedules. The East Division will include Belmont, Eastern Kentucky, Jacksonville State, Morehead State, Tennessee State and Tennessee Tech. The West Division will consist of Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Murray State, Southeast Missouri, SIU Edwardsville and UT Martin.

In the sports of men's and women's basketball, the top team in each division based on conference winning percentage automatically earns a berth in the OVC Basketball Championship. The next six teams with the highest winning percentage will also earn a bid, regardless of division. The No. 1 seed will go to the divisional winner with the top conference winning percentage, while the No. 2 seed will automatically go to the other divisional winner. The remaining six teams will be seeded 3-8 by conference winning percentage, regardless of division.

MATCHUP BREAKDOWN



- VS. -



JSU-----	STAT -----	RU
0-6 -----	Record -----	6-5
51.3-----	PPG -----	55.1
-14.2 -----	Scoring Margin-----	+8.8
.329-----	FG% -----	.369
.200-----	3PT% -----	.283
2.2-----	3PT-Made/gm -----	3.7
.709-----	FT% -----	.599
12.2-----	FT Made/gm-----	12.1
41.3-----	RPG -----	39.1
+1.0-----	Reb. +/------	+9.5
9.8-----	APG -----	11.5
23.3-----	TO/gm -----	19.5
-6.5-----	TO +/------	-4.2
6.2-----	Stls/gm -----	7.6
1.8-----	Blks/gm -----	1.3
.380-----	Opp. FG%-----	.359
.264-----	Opp. 3PT FG% -----	.361
.653-----	Opp. FT%-----	.617
40.3-----	Opp Rebound Avg.-----	29.6

JSU'S Last Five Games

11/14/12-----	at Georgia State, L (79-50)
11/17/12-----	at Mercer, L (63-51)
11/19/12-----	Samford, L (48-45)
11/25/12-----	Jacksonville, L (72-69)
11/28/12-----	Kennesaw State, L (51-50)

JSU'S Next Two Games

12/9/12 -----	at Lipscomb, 2 p.m.
12/12/12-----	at Chattanooga, 6 p.m.

RU'S Last Five Games

11/20/12-----	at Brenau, L (74-65)
11/26/12-----	at Tennessee Temple, L (47-39)
11/28/12-----	at Point, W (54-38)
12/1/12 -----	Virginia Intermont, L (65-52)
12/4/12 -----	Tennessee Temple, W (48-43)

RU'S Next Two Games

12/11/12-----	Truett-McConnell College
12/15/12-----	Brenau University





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JSU BY THE NUMBERS

DOUBLE-DOUBLES -----2012-13 -----CAREER

Briana Morrow	2	7
Danielle Vaughn	0	18
Briana Morrow	0	5
Candace Morton	0	1

DOUBLE-FIGURE PTS -----2012-13 -----CAREER

Miranda Cantrell	3	5
Briana Morrow	2	16
Amanda McCarthy	2	3
Dashauna Truss	1	1
Destany McLin	1	1
Danielle Vaughn	0	39
Candace Morton	0	8

20-PLUS PTS GAMES -----2012-13 -----CAREER

Danielle Vaughn	0	5
Briana Morrow	0	1
Candace Morton	0	1

DOUBLE-FIGURE REB. -----2012-13 -----CAREER

Briana Morrow	2	9
Danielle Vaughn	0	20
Briana Morrow	0	7
Candace Morton	0	1

LOCATION • LOCATION • LOCATION

Here's a comparative look at the Gamecocks' stats at home in Pete Mathews Coliseum and away from Jacksonville.

	Home	Road	Neutral
Record	0-3	0-3	0-0
PPG	54.7	48.0	0.0
Opp PPG	57.0	74.0	0.0
Scoring Margin	-2.3	-26.0	0.0
FG %	36.3	29.1	0.0
3PT FG	25.0	12.0	0.0
Opp. FG %	36.4	39.5	0.0
FT %	70.6	71.0	0.0
RPG	37.7	45.0	0.0
Opp. RPG	40.7	40.0	0.0
Reb. +/-	-3.0	+5.0	0.0
APG	14.3	5.3	0.0
TO/PG	17.7	29.0	0.0
Opp. TO/PG	19.0	14.7	0.0
SPG	6.7	5.7	0.0
BPG	1.3	2.0	0.0

JSU'S RECORD VS. THE...

A-SUN	0-3
Big South	0-0
CAA	0-1
OVC	0-0
SEC	0-1
SoCON	0-1

GAME-BY-GAME SPECIALTY STATS (JSU FIRST)

OPPONENT ----- BENCH ----- PAINT ----- OFF TO ----- 2ND CHANCE ----- FAST BREAK

at Alabama	10/46	12/33	10/33	9/15	2/17
at Georgia State	21/38	30/36	5/27	27/17	4/16
at Mercer	20/20	14/14	11/21	12/13	2/4
Samford	20/2	22/12	17/21	7/9	4/2
Jacksonville	29/32	42/42	23/15	22/14	8/16
Kennesaw State	11/13	22/24	15/9	10/17	4/2
Reinhardt					
at Lipscomb					
at Chattanooga					
at North Florida					
vs. Campbell					
at Mississippi State					
Tennessee Tech					
at UT Martin					
Tennessee State					
Belmont					
at Eastern Illinois					
at SIU Edwardsville					
Eastern Kentucky					
at Tennessee State					
Murray State					
Austin Peay					
Morehead State					
at Tennessee Tech					
at Eastern Kentucky					
at Morehead State					
Southeast Missouri					
at Belmont					

JSU'S RECORD BY STARTING LINEUP

Truss, McCarthy, Morton, Morrow, Hisel	0-3
Truss, McCarthy, Gardler, Morrow, Hisel	0-2
Truss, McCarthy, Gardler, Cantrell, Hisel	0-1

MISCELLANEOUS 2012-13 TEAM STATS

Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss:	9, vs. Kennesaw State (1st-13:11)
Largest Deficit to Overcome in Win:	
Largest Lead at Anytime:	9, vs. Kennesaw State (1st-13:11)
Largest Deficit at Anytime:	38, vs. Alabama (2nd-00:51)



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JSU'S GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OPPONENT	GUARD	GUARD	GUARD	FORWARD	CENTER
at Alabama	Truss	McCarthy	Morton	Morrow	Hisel
at Georgia State	Truss	McCarthy	Morton	Morrow	Hisel
at Mercer	Truss	McCarthy	Morton	Morrow	Hisel
Samford	Truss	McCarthy	Gardler	Morrow	Hisel
Jacksonville	Truss	McCarthy	Gardler	Morrow	Hisel
Kennesaw State	Truss	McCarthy	Gardler	Cantrell	Hisel
Reinhardt					
at Lipscomb					
at Chattanooga					
at North Florida					
vs. Campbell					
at Mississippi State					
Tennessee Tech					
at UT Martin					
Tennessee State					
Belmont					
at Eastern Illinois					
at SIU Edwardsville					
Eastern Kentucky					
at Tennessee State					
Murray State					
Austin Peay					
Morehead State					
at Tennessee Tech					
at Eastern Kentucky					
at Morehead State					
Southeast Missouri					
at Belmont					

JSU'S RECORD WHEN...

Leads at Halftime	0-1
Trails at Halftime	0-5
Is Tied at Halftime	0-0
Shoots 45% or better from the field	0-0
Shoots less than 45% from the field	0-6
Opp. shoots less than 45% from the field	0-5
Opp shoots 45% or better from the field	0-1
Outrebounds (or ties) the opponent	0-5
Outrebounded by the opponent	0-1
Fewer (or ties) TOs than opponent	0-2
More TOs than opponent	0-4
Holds opponents to 65 points or less	0-3
In games decided by 10 points or less	0-0
In games decided by 5 points or less	0-3

JSU'S RECORD WHEN SCORING...

Less than 60 points	0-5
60-69 points	0-1
70-79 points	0-0
80-89 points	0-0
90-99 points	0-0
100 or more points	0-0

JSU'S RECORD WHEN ALLOWING...

Less than 60 points	0-2
60-69 points	0-1
70-79 points	0-2
80-89 points	0-1
90-99 points	0-0
100 or more points	0-0

JSU'S RECORD IN...

All Games	0-6
Home Games	0-3
Road Games	0-3
Neutral-sites	0-0
Non-Conference Games	0-6
Non-Conference Home Games	0-3
Non-Conference Road Games	0-3
Non-Conference Neutral-site Games	0-0
OVC Games	0-0
OVC Home Games	0-0
OVC Road Games	0-0
OVC Neutral Site Games	0-0
OVC Tournament Games	0-0
November Games	0-6
December Games	0-0
January Games	0-0
February Games	0-0
March Games	0-0
Monday Games	0-1
Tuesday Games	0-0
Wednesday Games	0-2
Thursday Games	0-0
Friday Games	0-0
Saturday Games	0-1
Sunday Games	0-2
Overtime Games	0-0
Televised Games	0-0
Games vs. Ranked Opponents	0-0





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

GAMECOCK GAME-BY-GAME LEAD/DEFICIT

OPPONENT	LARGEST LEAD	LARGEST DEFICIT	RESULT
at Alabama	None	38 (2nd, 4:26)	L, 80-43
at Georgia State	None	31 (2nd, 4:46)	L, 79-50
at Mercer	5 (1st, 18:32)	17 (2nd, 1:15)	L, 62-51
Samford	8 (2nd, 6:24)	5 (1st, 14:01)	L, 48-45
Jacksonville	4 (2nd, 15:04)	11 (1st, 16:22)	L, 72-69
Kennesaw State	9 (1st, 13:11)	6 (2nd-19:18)	L, 51-50
Reinhardt			
at Lipscomb			
at Chattanooga			
at North Florida			
vs. Campbell			
at Mississippi State			
Tennessee Tech			
at UT Martin			
Tennessee State			
Belmont			
at Eastern Illinois			
at SIU Edwardsville			
Eastern Kentucky			
at Tennessee State			
Murray State			
Austin Peay			
Morehead State			
at Tennessee Tech			
at Eastern Kentucky			
at Morehead State			
Southeast Missouri			
at Belmont			

JSU IN THE LAST FIVE MINUTES

OPPONENT	POINTS	FG	3PT	REB	TO
at Alabama	9	2-5	1-2	6	4
Opponent	10	3-12	0-3	7	1
at Georgia State	7	3-11	0-2	6	2
Opponent	8	3-8	0-2	8	3
at Mercer	12	2-5	1-1	3	3
Opponent	16	2-4	0-0	5	1
Samford	2	1-2	0-1	4	7
Opponent	8	2-6	2-5	4	1
Jacksonville	15	3-11	1-4	5	1
Opponent	10	2-3	0-0	5	4
Kennesaw State	10	3-10	1-3	6	1
Opponent	9	1-5	0-1	9	2
Reinhardt					
Opponent					
at Lipscomb					
Opponent					
at Chattanooga					
Opponent					
at North Florida					
Opponent					
vs. Campbell					
Opponent					
at Mississippi State					
Opponent					
Tennessee Tech					
Opponent					
at UT Martin					
Opponent					
Tennessee State					
Opponent					
Belmont					
Opponent					
at Eastern Illinois					
Opponent					
at SIU Edwardsville					
Opponent					
Eastern Kentucky					
Opponent					
at Tennessee State					
Opponent					
Murray State					
Opponent					
Austin Peay					
Opponent					
Morehead State					
Opponent					
at Tennessee Tech					
Opponent					
at Eastern Kentucky					
Opponent					
at Morehead State					
Opponent					
Southeast Missouri					
Opponent					
at Belmont					
Opponent					





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

GAMECOCK RETURNING PLAYERS



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AMANDA MCCARTHY

Sr. • G • 5-8

Boston, Mass. (New Orleans)

HONORS

2011 OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL
2012 OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

2011-12: Saw action in all 29 games as a junior and started nine games...averaged 16.2 minutes per game and played a season-best 29 at Samford (11/30)...finished with eight points and a season-best five rebounds in the Samford contest...turned in a season-high nine points against Eastern Illinois (1/28) with three treys...dished out four assists versus Troy (12/4)...credited with two steals and five points against SIUE (1/30)... Named to the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll.

2010-11: Played in all 31 games as a first-year transfer from the University of New Orleans ... Started four games, including the first three contests of the season at the point guard position ... Played a season-high 30 minutes against Florida State (12/12/10) along with recording her best scoring game of the season against FSU with a team-best 12 points ... Knocked down four three-pointers in the contest and pulled down three rebounds ... Dished out four assists and a pair of steals in 29 minutes of action at Georgia Tech (1/2/11) ... Turned ... Finished the season 11-of-12 from the free throw line (91%) ... Named to the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll.

2009-10: Played in 26 games as a freshman at the University of New Orleans...transferred to JSU after UNO dropped its athletic programs to the NCAA's Division III level...started in seven games as a rookie and averaged 13.4 minutes on floor...turned in a 3.0 scoring mark and connected on 33 percent from the field and 66.7 from the free throw line...dished out 16 assists and credited with seven steals...turned in a pair of 12-point performances against Middle Tennessee State twice (12/30/09 & 1/27/10)...scored in 12 of her 26 games played...pulled down a season-best four rebounds versus Southeastern Louisiana (12/1/09).

MCCARTHY'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 12, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Rebounds----- 5, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Assists----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Steals ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Blocks -----
Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Free Throws ----- 9, vs. Alabama (11/12/112)
Minutes ----- 34, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 12, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Rebounds----- 5, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Assists----- 4, vs. Troy (12/4/11)
Steals ----- 2, vs. SIU Edwardsville (1/30/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Stillman (11/14/10)
Field Goals ----- 4, vs. Florida State (12/12/10)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 4, vs. Florida State (12/12/1)
Free Throws ----- 9, vs. Alabama (11/12/112)
Minutes ----- 34, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)



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CANDACE MORTON

So. • G • 5-8

Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay HS)

HONORS:

OVC FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK (1/17/12)
2012 OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

2011-12: Played both guard positions throughout her first season on the collegiate level...saw action in all 29 games and started 22 as a freshman...ranked fourth on the squad in points with 8.2 per contest...reached double digits in the scoring column in eight games, including a season-best 23-point performance at Austin Peay (1/14)...turned in a double-double vs. APSU with 15 rebounds...finished the game 9-of-20 from the field and credited with seven assists...was named the OVC's Freshman of the Week after her 25-point effort at APSU and eight points the following game against Murray State (1/16)...scored 19 points against Eastern Kentucky (12/20) in her first OVC contest...closed out the season with a 14-point effort vs. UT Martin (2/25)...registered 13 points in a road game at Kennesaw State (11/19)...averaged 4.2 rebounds per game and just shy under three assists per contest...named to the 2012 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll.

MORTON'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 9, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Rebounds----- 6, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Assists----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Steals ----- 2, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Blocks -----
Field Goals ----- 3, 2x; last vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
3 PT Field Goals -----
Free Throws ----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/12/12)
Minutes ----- 34, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 23, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)
Rebounds----- 15, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)
Assists----- 7, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)
Steals ----- 6, vs. Lipscomb (11/21/11)
Blocks ----- 2, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)
Field Goals ----- 9, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, 3x; last vs. Southeast Missouri (1/2/12)
Free Throws ----- 8, vs. Troy (12/4/11)
Minutes ----- 38, vs. Austin Peay (1/14/12)



GAMECOCK RETURNING PLAYERS



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BRIANA MORROW

So. • F • 5-11

Nashville, Tenn. (Glenclyff HS)

Honors:

2012 OVC All-Newcomer Team

OVC Freshman of the Week (12/6/11)

OVC Freshman of the Week (12/20/11)

OVC Freshman of the Week (1/10/12)

OVC Freshman of the Week (2/7/12)

2011-12: Led JSU in scoring as a freshman with an 11.4 scoring clip and pulled down 7.5 rebounds per game...played in 28 games and made 26 starts, including 15 in OVC play...named to the 2012 OVC All-Newcomer Team and was tabbed the league's top freshman of the week four times...turned in back-to-back double figure scoring outings against Samford and Troy to earn her first of four weekly honors...earned her second honor after accumulating 43 points on Jax State's three-game trip to Jacksonville, Fla...registered a season-high 25 points against Jacksonville after knocking down 12-of-17 from the field... (12/15)...recorded double digit points in 17 of the 28 games played and in nine OVC contests...claimed double doubles in both match ups with Tennessee State...carded 14 points and a season-best 16 rebounds in the game in Jacksonville and finished with 12 points and 10 boards in her hometown of Nashville, Tenn...Sank the game-winning three-pointer at the buzzer at Austin Peay (1/14)...tallied four double-doubles on the season...ranked 14th in OVC in scoring in all games and 19th in OVC games only...listed third in the OVC in field goal percentage with a mark of .453...among the league leaders in rebounds with 7.5...turned in three assists versus Eastern Kentucky (12/20)...credited with two blocks on three occasions.

MORROW'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 15, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Rebounds----- 19, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Assists----- 2, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Steals ----- 3, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Field Goals ----- 6, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- -
Free Throws ----- 5, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Minutes ----- 33, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 25, vs. Jacksonville (12/15/11)
Rebounds----- 19, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Assists----- 3, vs. Eastern Kentucky (12/20/11)
Steals ----- 3, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Blocks ----- 2, 4x; last vs. UT Martin (2/6/12)
Field Goals ----- 12, vs. Jacksonville (12/15/11)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 2, vs. Samford (11/30/11)
Free Throws ----- 5, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Minutes ----- 33, 6x; last vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)



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BRIA'UNNA BUCKNER

So. • G • 5-6

Detroit, Mich. (Detroit King HS)

2011-12: Played in 13 games as a freshman before suffering a season-ending injury in early January...a three-point threat of the bench in 2011-12 with seven of her nine made baskets coming from behind the three-point arc...connected on two treys against SIU Edwardsville (12/31) en route to posting a season-best nine points in the contest...saw a season-high 13 minutes of action off the bench at SIUE...registered eight points at Jacksonville (12/15) and four points against Southern Mississippi (11/25)...pulled down a rebound in five games...was a perfect 2-for-2 at the free throw line versus Eastern Kentucky (12/20)...participated in a basketball ministry overseas with the News Release basketball... News Release Basketball is an athletic ministry whose vision is to - be and build the family of God... The tour made stops in Hanover and Berlin, Germany.

BUCKNER'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- -
Assists----- -
Steals ----- 1, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Blocks ----- -
Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Free Throws ----- -
Minutes ----- 7, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 9, VS. SIU Edwardsville (12/31/11)
Rebounds----- 1, 4x; last vs. SIU Edwardsville (12/31/11)
Assists----- 1, 2x; last vs. Georgia Southern (11/26/11)
Steals ----- 1, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Blocks ----- -
Field Goals ----- 3, 2x; last vs. SIU Edwardsville (12/31/11)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 2, 2x; last vs. SIU Edwardsville (12/31/11)
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Eastern Kentucky (12/20/11)
Minutes ----- 13, vs. SIU Edwardsville (12/31/11)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

GAMECOCK RETURNING PLAYERS



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GIA BANKS

So. • F • 5-9

Loganville, Ga. (Walnut Grove HS)

2011-12: Saw action 20 of the 29 games as a freshman...made her collegiate debut in the season opener at Mississippi State (11/11), playing a season-best 29 minutes...pulled down a team-high seven rebounds in the MSU contest...turned in a season-high four points versus OVC foe Eastern Illinois (1/28)...credited with two blocks at Kentucky (11/5)...finished with three rebounds and three points in 14 minutes of action against Eastern Kentucky (12/20)...dished out two assists versus Tennessee State (1/7)...knocked down a three-pointer at North Florida (12/18).

BANKS' SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 7, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists-----
Steals-----
Blocks-----
Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals-----
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 21, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 7, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists----- 2, vs. Tennessee State (1/7/12)
Steals ----- 1, 3x; last vs. North Florida (12/18/11)
Blocks ----- 2, vs. Kentucky (11/15/11)
Field Goals ----- 2, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals-----
Free Throws ----- 2, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 29, vs. Mississippi State (11/11/11)



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MIRANDA CANTRELL

So. • C • 6-0

College Park, Ga. (North Clayton HS)

Honors

2012 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

2011-12: Added depth at the post position in 2011-12, playing in all 29 games and starting three contests...in the starting line up at Samford (11/30), vs. Troy (12/4) and against OVC foe SIU Edwardsville (1/30)...averaged 3.8 points per game and pulled down 2.8 rebounds...scored in double figures twice against Florida International (12/17) and 11 versus Morehead State (1/9)...turned in a season-best 12 in the FIU contest...hailed in seven rebounds against Troy (12/4)...registered six of her 12 points vs. FIU from the free throw line...credited with three steals versus Eastern Kentucky (12/20) and dished out a pair of assists on three occasions...tallied a block at Kentucky (11/15), at North Florida (12/18) and at Southeast Missouri (1/2)... named to the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll.

CANTRELL'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 12, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Rebounds----- 6, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Assists----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 1, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Field Goals ----- 5, 3x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals-----
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Minutes ----- 24, vs. Samford (11/19/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 12, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Rebounds----- 6, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Assists----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 1, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Field Goals ----- 5, 3x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals-----
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Minutes ----- 24, vs. Samford (11/19/12)



GAMECOCK RETURNING PLAYERS/NEWCOMERS



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DANIELLE VAUGHN

Sr. • C • 6-0

Huntsville, Ala. (Sparkman HS)

Honors:

OVC Freshman of the Week (1/25/10)

2011-12: Anchor in the post for JSU by laying in all 29 contests and in the starting line 27 times ... nearly averaged a double-double with 10.5 points per game and pulling down 9.2 rebounds per contest ... ranked third on the team in scoring and turned in 11 double-doubles on the season...credited with 30 blocks and 32 steals...established a new career high in points against LeMoyne-Owen (11/17) with 26 points...connected on 11-of-14 from the field in that game along with three blocks...set a new career standard for rebounds with 16 versus Southeast Missouri (1/2)...scored in double figures in ten of the 16 OVC games...registered three consecutive double-doubles against SEMO (1/2) - 20 points, 16 rebounds, Tennessee State (1/7) - 13 points, 11 rebounds and Morehead State (1/9) - 14 points, 14 rebounds...scored in double figures in six of the final seven games of the year...connected on 63.2 percent from the field, which ranked among the leaders in the league...listed third among the rebounding leaders in the OVC and seventh in blocks...averaged 5.9 defensive rebounds and 3.3 on the offensive end of the floor...averaged a double-double against OVC competition with 10.6 points a game and 10.3 boards per OVC match up...averaged 30 minutes of floor action and played all 40 minutes at Morehead State (2/13).

2010-11: Started 30 of 31 games as a sophomore ... Averaged 27.2 minutes per game and scoring 8.8 points per contest ... Led JSU on the boards with 7.3 per game ... Led the Ohio Valley Conference for the second-straight year in field goal percentage with a .582 mark ... Turned in six double-double performances, including a pair of 20-plus point conference outings against Morehead State (2/3/11) and at UT Martin (2/10/11) ... Finished with a career-best 22 points and 11 rebounds at MSU and 20 points and a season-high 13 rebounds at UTM ... Drained 11 of 13 from the field against Morehead State ... Pulled down 3.2 offensive rebounds and 4.1 on the defensive end of the floor ... Averaged a blocked shot per game with 30 total on the season ... Credited with four blocks at Stetson (11/29/10) along with 13 points and 12 rebounds ... Played a season-high 38 minutes in Jax State's opening contest of the OVC Tournament with Tennessee State en route to posting ten points, eight rebounds and five blocked shots.

2009-10: Earned OVC Freshman of the Week honors on Jan. 25 after posting 16 and 14 point efforts against Tennessee State (1/19/10) and Austin Peay (1/23/10)...ranked third on the team in scoring with a 7.6 scoring margin...averaged 5.3 rebounds per game...led the OVC in field goal percentage at 53 percent and ranked second in the OVC in field goal percentage at 40 percent shooting in league games...played in 26 games. Starting in 22 of those games as a rookie...turned in nine double figure scoring games along with a pair of double-doubles in both games against Tennessee State...Pulled down a career-high 16 boards against TSU (2/20/10)...credited with four blocked shots and 14 points against Morehead State (1/9/10)...scored at least a point in every game she participated in.

VAUGHN'S CAREER HIGHS

Points ----- 26, vs. LeMoyne-Owen (11/17/11)
Rebounds----- 16, vs. Tennessee State (1/7/12)
Assists----- 3, vs. Tennessee Tech (2/4/12)
Steals ----- 3, vs. Georgia State (12/28/11)
Blocks ----- 4, 2x; last vs. Stetson (11/29/10)
Field Goals ----- 12 vs. UT Martin (2/6/12)
3 PT Field Goals -----
Free Throws ----- 7 vs. Tennessee Tech (1/23/12)
Minutes ----- 40 vs. Morehead State (2/13/12)



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DASHAUNA TRUSS

Jr. • G • 5-8

Jacksonville, Fla. (Stetson)

PRIOR TO JSU: Started her career at Stetson University in DeLand, Fla.... played as a freshman in 2009-10 and a sophomore in 2010-11...made 59 appearances for the Hatters in two seasons, including 14 starts as a freshman... averaged 3.3 points and 1.6 rebounds per game...led the Hatters with 33 steals and ranked third on the squad with 36 assists...scored nine points on three separate occasions (Nov. 14 at Florida, Dec. 29 vs. Buffalo and Jan. 2 at Lipscomb)...seven points and five assists vs. Belmont (Feb. 18)...eight points, four rebounds and four steals in Feb. 20 win over Lipscomb that clinched Stetson's spot in the Atlantic-Sun tournament...played in 29 games as a sophomore and dished out 21 assists and matched her career high with six rebounds against Florida State (Dec. 30).

TRUSS' SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 13, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 6, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 4, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Field Goals ----- 4, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Free Throws ----- 3, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Minutes ----- 37, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 13, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 6, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 4, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Field Goals ----- 4, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Free Throws ----- 3, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Minutes ----- 37, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)



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GAMECOCK NEWCOMERS



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DAREYELLE AVANT

Fr. • G • 5-9

Miami, Fla. (Archbishop McCarthy HS)

HIGH SCHOOL: Prepped at Archbishop McCarthy High School in the Miami, Fla. area...played for Wally Haywood at AMHS...helped guide the Mavericks to a 25-1 record as a senior and one of the top programs in the state of Florida last season...served as captain for AMHS as a senior...averaged seven points and three assists per game as a junior...named All County after her senior season by the Sun Sentinel.

AVANT'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Rebounds----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists-----
Steals-----
Blocks-----
Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Free Throws -----
Minutes ----- 7, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Rebounds----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists-----
Steals-----
Blocks-----
Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Free Throws -----
Minutes ----- 7, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)



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DESTANY McLIN

Fr. • G • 5-9

Athens, Ala. (Athens HS)

HIGH SCHOOL: A four-year member of the Athens High School basketball program under head coach Eddie Murphree, who is the brother of Jax State assistant baseball coach, Mike Murphree...named First Team All-State as a senior...averaged 17 points and ten rebounds in her final season on the prep level...helped guide the Golden Eagles to a spot in the AHSAA Northwest Regional semifinals...AHS claimed the Area 16 crown to advance to the regional round...participated in the AAU circuits with the Alabama Southern Starz, who claimed a national championship in 2011...played three seasons for the AAU program under the guidance of Kent Looney and Doug Bush...was named Who's Who Among American High School Students at AHS.

McLIN'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 11, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Rebounds----- 9, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Assists----- 2, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Steals----- 2, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks-----
Field Goals ----- 5, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 22, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 11, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Rebounds----- 9, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Assists----- 2, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Steals----- 2, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks-----
Field Goals ----- 5, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Free Throws ----- 2, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 22, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)



GAMECOCK NEWCOMERS



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DESTINY JAMES

Fr. • G • 5-8

Barlett, Tenn. (Barlett HS)

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Lynn Whitfield at Barlett High School, just outside metro Memphis, Tenn....A four-time All-District and All-Region selection...named to the Second Team All-Region as a freshman and First Team selection from her sophomore season through her senior campaign at BHS...averaged 19 points, six rebounds and dished out five assists per contest as a senior...finished her prep career averaging 17.6 points and five assists...member of the ESPN Hoopgurlz Top 100 list in 2012...Earned a spot on the Memphis Commercial Appeal's Best of the Preps Team as sophomore, junior and senior...Helped guide the Panthers of BHS to 84 wins during her four-year stint in the program, including a 26-7 mark as a freshman and posting a 22-6 final record as a senior...Named to the Tennessee East-West All Star Team...An honor student at BHS and was a member of the National Spanish Honor Society, Who's Who Among American High School Students and was voted the Most Athletic Girl at BHS.

JAMES' SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 4, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Rebounds----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 2, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Blocks -----
Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Free Throws ----- 2, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Minutes ----- 26, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 4, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Rebounds----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Steals ----- 2, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Blocks -----
Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Free Throws ----- 2, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Minutes ----- 26, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)



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MARIKATE GARDLER

So. • G • 5-10

Springfield, Pa. (Jefferson College)

PRIOR TO JSU: Played one season at Jefferson College in Hillsboro, Missouri...played for Steve Cochran at JC and helped the Vikings to a 31-5 mark in 2011-12...played in 33 games...connected on 24-of-72 three-pointers (.333) and 21-of-32 free throws (.666)...pulled down 68 total rebounds and averaged 2.0 rebounds per game...dished out 25 assists and credited with 27 steals in 2011-12...also posted 11 blocks.

HIGH SCHOOL: Prepped at Cardinal O'Hara High School under the direction of head coach Linus McGinty...helped lead the Lions of COHS to a No. 1 national ranking on the prep level...COHS claimed the Arizona Nike Elite Christmas Tournament during her sophomore season.

GARDLER'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 10, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Rebounds----- 6, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Steals ----- 2, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks ----- 1, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Field Goals ----- 4, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Free Throws ----- 4, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 28, 2x; last vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 10, vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)
Rebounds----- 6, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists----- 5, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Steals ----- 2, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks ----- 1, 2x; last vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Field Goals ----- 4, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Free Throws ----- 4, vs. Mercer (11/17/12)
Minutes ----- 28, 2x; last vs. Georgia State (11/14/12)



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GAMECOCK NEWCOMERS



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PEYTON HISEL

Fr. • C • 6-1

Lexington, Ky. (Tates Creek HS)

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Justin Cheatham at Tates Creek High School in the Lexington, Ky. area...named All-District in 2011 and 2012...tabbed All-Region First Team as a senior in 2012...earned All-City First Team honors as a junior in 2011 and Second Team accolades as a senior...earned Most Valuable Player honors at the 2010 Berea Christmas Tournament...averaged 11 points and ten rebounds in her final season at TCHS and accumulated over 1,500 career points and over 1,300 total rebounds as a member of the Commodore program...member of the 2011 Kentucky Junior All-Star Team and the 2012 Kentucky-Ohio All-Star Team...listed 16th in the state of Kentucky's 2012 Class according to the Louisville-Courier Journal.

HISEL'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 7, 4x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 9, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists----- 1, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Steals----- 1, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Free Throws ----- 3, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Minutes ----- 30, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 7, 4x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Rebounds----- 9, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Assists----- 1, 2x; last vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Steals----- 1, vs. Samford (11/19/12)
Blocks----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Field Goals ----- 3, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- 1, 2x; last vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)
Free Throws ----- 3, 2x; last vs. Jacksonville (11/25/12)
Minutes ----- 30, vs. Kennesaw State (11/28/12)



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SYDNEY BROWN

Fr. • C • 6-1

Lawrenceburg, Ky. (Anderson County HS)

HIGH SCHOOL: Prepped at Anderson County High School...named All-District in 2008 and 2012 and earned All-Region honors in 2010 and 2012...helped lead the Bearcats of ACHS to the District Championship in 2011 and 2012...ACHS claimed the Regional title in 2010...ranked the 21st-best player in the state of Kentucky for the Class of 2012 according to the Louisville-Courier Journal...was on the varsity squad since 2008...averaged double figures in scoring as a senior...a member of the Spanish National Honors Society.

BROWN'S SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

SEASON

Points ----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Rebounds----- 5, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Assists----- -
Steals----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Blocks----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Field Goals ----- 2, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- -
Free Throws ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Minutes ----- 19, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)

CAREER

Points ----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Rebounds----- 5, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Assists----- -
Steals----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Blocks----- 3, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Field Goals ----- 2, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT Field Goals ----- -
Free Throws ----- 1, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)
Minutes ----- 19, vs. Alabama (11/11/12)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



2012-2013 JACKSONVILLE STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-6	0-3	0-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-6	0-3	0-3	0-0

##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
42	CANTRELL, Miranda	5-1	96	19.2	21-39	.538	0-0	.000	4-8	.500	15	10	25	5.0	14	1	7	9	1	2	46	9.2
05	MORROW, Briana	5-5	139	27.8	18-46	.391	0-2	.000	10-17	.588	31	24	55	11.0	10	1	3	19	1	6	46	9.2
04	MORTON, Candace	3-3	85	28.3	8-33	.242	0-4	.000	8-10	.800	2	14	16	5.3	3	0	2	15	0	2	24	8.0
21	GARDLER, Marikate	6-3	140	23.3	15-41	.366	1-11	.091	9-9	1.000	6	18	24	4.0	22	2	7	26	2	5	40	6.7
33	HISEL, Peyton	6-6	124	20.7	12-25	.480	2-3	.667	9-14	.643	8	18	26	4.3	21	2	2	11	2	2	35	5.8
03	MCCARTHY, Amanda	6-6	139	23.2	7-36	.194	2-17	.118	18-20	.900	6	4	10	1.7	6	0	6	9	0	4	34	5.7
01	TRUSS, Dashauna	6-6	179	29.8	9-49	.184	4-23	.174	6-8	.750	2	15	17	2.8	13	1	17	28	1	7	28	4.7
11	MCLIN, Destany	6-0	72	12.0	11-27	.407	1-1	1.000	2-3	.667	5	13	18	3.0	4	0	4	2	0	3	25	4.2
23	BUCKNER, Bria'unna	1-0	7	7.0	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	3.0
24	BANKS, Gia	6-0	62	10.3	5-17	.294	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	5	11	16	2.7	9	0	0	3	0	0	12	2.0
14	JAMES, Destiny	5-0	88	17.6	2-10	.200	1-1	1.000	4-8	.500	0	2	2	0.4	5	0	10	6	0	2	9	1.8
10	AVANT, Dareyelle	3-0	12	4.0	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.7	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.0
50	BROWN, Sydney	6-0	57	9.5	1-9	.111	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	2	5	7	1.2	13	0	1	9	3	3	3	0.5
Team											13	17	30					3				
Total.....		6	1200		111-337	.329	13-65	.200	73-103	.709	95	153	248	41.3	122	7	59	140	10	37	308	51.3
Opponents.....		6	1200		135-355	.380	29-110	.264	94-144	.653	97	145	242	40.3	93	-	68	101	16	70	393	65.5

TEAM STATISTICS	JSU	OPP
SCORING	308	393
Points per game	51.3	65.5
Scoring margin	-14.2	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	111-337	135-355
Field goal pct	.329	.380
3 POINT FG-ATT	13-65	29-110
3-point FG pct	.200	.264
3-pt FG made per game	2.2	4.8
FREE THROWS-ATT	73-103	94-144
Free throw pct	.709	.653
F-Throws made per game	12.2	15.7
REBOUNDS	248	242
Rebounds per game	41.3	40.3
Rebounding margin	+1.0	-
ASSISTS	59	68
Assists per game	9.8	11.3
TURNOVERS	140	101
Turnovers per game	23.3	16.8
Turnover margin	-6.5	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.4	0.7
STEALS	37	70
Steals per game	6.2	11.7
BLOCKS	10	16
Blocks per game	1.7	2.7
ATTENDANCE	1079	2433
Home games-Avg/Game	3-360	3-811
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/12	at Alabama	L	43-80	1042
11/14/12	at Georgia State	L	50-79	656
11/17/12	at Mercer	L	51-63	735
11/19/12	SAMFORD	L	45-48	405
11/25/12	JACKSONVILLE	L	69-72	241
11/28/12	KENNESAW STATE	L	50-51	433

* - Conference game

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Jacksonville State	148	160	308
Opponents	187	206	393





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

2012-13 GAME-BY-GAME TEAM STATISTICS

Opponent	Date	Score		Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds				pf	a	t/o	blk	stl	pts	avg
				fg-fga	pct	3fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg							
at Alabama	11/11/12	43-80	L	12-46	.261	1-8	.125	18-24	.750	12	36	48	48.0	29	5	38	4	6	43	43.0
at Georgia State	11/14/12	50-79	L	18-67	.269	0-7	.000	14-19	.737	26	22	48	48.0	20	5	25	1	9	50	46.5
at Mercer	11/17/12	51-63	L	16-45	.356	2-10	.200	17-26	.654	17	22	39	45.0	23	6	24	1	2	51	48.0
SAMFORD	11/19/12	45-48	L	18-43	.419	2-13	.154	7-11	.636	7	25	32	41.8	10	16	23	2	11	45	47.2
JACKSONVILLE	11/25/12	69-72	L	27-76	.355	3-12	.250	12-16	.750	23	22	45	42.4	21	14	19	1	6	69	51.6
KENNESAW STATE	11/28/12	50-51	L	20-60	.333	5-15	.333	5-7	.714	10	26	36	41.3	19	13	11	1	3	50	51.3
Jacksonville State		308		111-337	.329	13-65	.200	73-103	.709	95	153	248	41.3	122	59	140	10	37	308	51.3
Opponents		393		135-355	.380	29-110	.264	94-144	.653	97	145	242	40.3	93	68	101	16	70	393	65.5

Games played: 6
Points/game: 51.3
FG Pct: 32.9
3FG Pct: 20.0
FT Pct: 70.9

Rebounds/game: 41.3
Assists/game: 9.8
Turnovers/game: 23.3
Assist/turnover ratio: 0.4
Steals/game: 6.2
Blocks/game: 1.7



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

JACKSONVILLE STATE SUPERLATIVES - HIGHS

POINTS	69	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
	51	at Mercer (11/17/12)
	50	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	50	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	45	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
FIELD GOALS MADE	27	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
	20	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	76	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
	67	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.419 (18-43)	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	.356 (16-45)	at Mercer (11/17/12)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	5	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	3	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	15	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	13	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.333 (5-15)	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	.250 (3-12)	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
FREE THROWS MADE	18	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	17	at Mercer (11/17/12)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	26	at Mercer (11/17/12)
	24	at Alabama (11/11/12)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.750 (18-24)	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	.750 (12-16)	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
REBOUNDS	48	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	48	at Alabama (11/11/12)
ASSISTS	16	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	14	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
STEALS	11	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	9	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
BLOCKED SHOTS	4	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	2	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
TURNOVERS	38	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	25	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
FOULS	29	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	23	at Mercer (11/17/12)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

JACKSONVILLE STATE SUPERLATIVES - LOWS

POINTS	43	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	45	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	50	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	50	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	51	at Mercer (11/17/12)
FIELD GOALS MADE	12	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	16	at Mercer (11/17/12)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	43	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	45	at Mercer (11/17/12)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.261 (12-46)	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	.269 (18-67)	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE	0	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	1	at Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	7	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	8	at Alabama (11/11/12)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.000 (0-7)	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	.125 (1-8)	at Alabama (11/11/12)
FREE THROWS MADE	5	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	7	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	7	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	11	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.636 (7-11)	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	.654 (17-26)	at Mercer (11/17/12)
REBOUNDS	32	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	36	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
ASSISTS	5	at Alabama (11/11/12)
	5	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
STEALS	2	at Mercer (11/17/12)
	3	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
BLOCKED SHOTS	1	at Georgia State (11/14/12)
	1	at Mercer (11/17/12)
	1	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
	1	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
TURNOVERS	11	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)
	19	JACKSONVILLE (11/25/12)
FOULS	10	SAMFORD (11/19/12)
	19	KENNESAW STATE (11/28/12)



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

2012-13 JSU GAME HIGHS

Opponent	Date	Score	Points	Rebounds	Assists	Steals	Blocked shots
at Alabama	11/11/12	43-80	9-MCCARTHY, Aman MORTON, Candace	9-MORROW, Briana	3-MCCARTHY, Aman	2-MORTON, Candac	3-BROWN, Sydney
at Georgia State	11/14/12	50-79	15-MORROW, Briana	19-MORROW, Briana	3-TRUSS, Dashauna	3-MORROW, Briana	1-HISEL, Peyton
at Mercer	11/17/12	51-63	12-MCCARTHY, Ama	6-MORTON, Candac	2-MCCARTHY, Aman CANTRELL, Mirand	1-MORROW, Briana TRUSS, Dashauna	1-GARDLER, Marikat
SAMFORD	11/19/12	45-48	12-CANTRELL, Miran	6-CANTRELL, Mirand TRUSS, Dashauna	5-GARDLER, Marikat	4-TRUSS, Dashauna	1-MORROW, Briana CANTRELL, Mirand
JACKSONVILLE	11/25/12	69-72	15-MORROW, Briana	18-MORROW, Briana	4-TRUSS, Dashauna	2-JAMES, Destiny	1-TRUSS, Dashauna
KENNESAW STATE	11/28/12	50-51	13-TRUSS, Dashauna	9-HISEL, Peyton	5-JAMES, Destiny TRUSS, Dashauna	1-MCCARTHY, Aman CANTRELL, Mirand BUCKNER, Bria'unn	1-HISEL, Peyton





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

JSU POINTS-REBOUNDS-ASSISTS

Opponent	Date	Score		01	03	04	05	10	11	14
				TRUSS,DASH	MCCARTHY,A	MORTON,CAN	MORROW,BRI	AVANT,DARE	MCLIN,DEST	JAMES,DEST
at Alabama	11/11/12	43-80	L	0-1-1	9-2-3	9-6-1	8-9-0	3-1-0	0-4-0	DNP
at Georgia State	11/14/12	50-79	L	5-4-3	0-0-0	7-4-0	15-19-0	0-0-0	4-1-0	0-0-0
at Mercer	11/17/12	51-63	L	2-3-0	12-5-2	8-6-1	2-4-1	DNP	2-1-0	3-0-0
SAMFORD	11/19/12	45-48	L	8-6-4	0-0-1	DNP	6-5-0	DNP	6-1-2	2-0-2
JACKSONVILLE	11/25/12	69-72	L	0-2-4	11-1-0	DNP	15-18-2	DNP	11-9-2	4-1-3
KENNESAW STATE	11/28/12	50-51	L	13-1-5	2-2-0	DNP	DNP	0-1-0	2-2-0	0-1-5

Opponent	Date	Score		21	23	24	33	42	50
				GARDLER,MA	BUCKNER,BR	BANKS,GIA	HISEL,PEYT	CANTRELL,M	BROWN,SYDN
at Alabama	11/11/12	43-80	L	4-6-0	DNP	0-2-0	7-4-0	DNP	3-5-0
at Georgia State	11/14/12	50-79	L	10-5-0	DNP	0-0-0	2-3-1	7-6-0	0-0-1
at Mercer	11/17/12	51-63	L	6-2-0	DNP	2-3-0	7-5-0	7-5-2	0-2-0
SAMFORD	11/19/12	45-48	L	4-4-5	DNP	0-1-0	7-4-1	12-6-1	0-0-0
JACKSONVILLE	11/25/12	69-72	L	9-1-2	DNP	4-3-0	5-1-0	10-5-1	0-0-0
KENNESAW STATE	11/28/12	50-51	L	7-6-0	3-0-0	6-7-0	7-9-0	10-3-3	0-0-0





JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

KENNESAW STATE at JACKSONVILLE STATE (11/28/12)

Kennesaw State 51 • 2-5

##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
32	GIDEON, Sametria	f	4-12	0-0	5-6	8	4	12	2	13	0	1	1	0	36
01	HOLLIDAY, Ashley	g	5-12	3-8	0-0	0	2	2	1	13	2	3	0	2	34
10	WELLS, Kristina	g	1-7	0-0	6-9	2	5	7	1	8	0	4	0	1	34
15	YOUNG, Bria	g	0-7	0-7	2-4	1	0	1	2	2	1	4	0	0	31
35	KENNEDY, Chantel	g	1-3	0-0	0-2	2	10	12	2	2	3	0	0	3	37
13	GUZMAN, Shadelly		0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
24	GRAY, Elaina		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	4
30	MASON, Chelsea		6-11	1-3	0-0	3	3	6	1	13	0	1	0	0	17
Team						0	8	8				2			
Totals			17-54	4-19	13-21	16	32	48	10	51	6	16	1	7	200

FG % 1st Half: 12-30 40.0% 2nd half: 5-24 20.8% Game: 17-54 31.5%
 3FG % 1st Half: 4-11 36.4% 2nd half: 0-8 0.0% Game: 4-19 21.1%
 FT % 1st Half: 3-5 60.0% 2nd half: 10-16 62.5% Game: 13-21 61.9%

Deadball
Rebounds
2

Jacksonville State 50 • 0-6

##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
33	ISEL, Peyton	f	3-7	1-1	0-1	3	6	9	2	7	0	5	1	0	30
42	CANTRELL, Miranda	f	5-11	0-0	0-1	1	2	3	4	10	3	0	0	1	19
01	TRUSS, Dashauna	g	4-12	3-7	2-2	0	1	1	2	13	5	1	0	0	32
03	MCCARTHY, Amanda	g	1-7	0-4	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	28
21	GARDLER, Marikate	g	2-6	0-2	3-3	1	5	6	5	7	0	1	0	0	18
10	AVANT, Dareyelle		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
11	MCLIN, Destany		1-4	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	15
14	JAMES, Destiny		0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	17
23	BUCKNER, Bria'unna		1-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	7
24	BANKS, Gia		3-8	0-0	0-0	3	4	7	3	6	0	2	0	0	21
50	BROWN, Sydney		0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	10
Team						1	3	4							
Totals			20-60	5-15	5-7	10	26	36	19	50	13	11	1	3	200

FG % 1st Half: 11-27 40.7% 2nd half: 9-33 27.3% Game: 20-60 33.3%
 3FG % 1st Half: 3-8 37.5% 2nd half: 2-7 28.6% Game: 5-15 33.3%
 FT % 1st Half: 2-2 100.0 2nd half: 3-5 60.0% Game: 5-7 71.4%

Deadball
Rebounds
0

Officials: R-Courtney Walker, U1-Sonny Scyphers, U2-Shawn Goode
 Technical fouls: Kennesaw State-None. Jacksonville State-None.
 Attendance: 433

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Kennesaw State	31	20	51
Jacksonville State	27	23	50

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
KSU	24	9	17	2	13
JSU	22	15	10	4	11

Last FG - KSU 2nd-00:25, JSU 2nd-00:10.
 Largest lead - KSU by 6 2nd-19:18, JSU by 9 1st-13:11.

Score tied - 10 times.
 Lead changed - 5 times.