



2025-26 EAST TEXAS A&M LION MEN'S BASKETBALL



2025-26 SOUTHLAND CONFERENCE MEN'S BASKETBALL MEDIA DAY



EAST TEXAS A&M LIONS

2024-25 Record (SLC Record) 5-26 (3-17) Returners/Newcomers 5/11

AP/USA Today Coaches Poll NR/NR Starters Returning/Lost 3/2

Head Coach - Jaret von Rosenberg

Record at East Texas A&M (Years) ... 119-112 (Ninth) Career Record Same

2025-26 STORYLINES

- East Texas A&M officially completed its accelerated transition to being a full NCAA Division I member and is now eligible for the NCAA Tournament in the 2025-26 season, a year ahead of schedule.
- The last time the Lions played in the NCAA Tournament at any level was in 2021-22.
- Head coach Jaret von Rosenberg is entering his ninth season at the helm of the program, which is tied for the fourth-longest tenure in program history and is 15 wins away from tying for fourth for most wins.
- This season, the Lions just five players from last season, losing its top four scorers and three of its top five players in terms of minutes played.
- The Lions welcome 11 newcomers to the roster this season with four being Division I transfers, while one is from Division II, two from NAIA schools, three are from junior colleges, and one is a true freshmen.
- The four Division I transfers are the most for the program going into a season since 2023-24.
- This season's schedule features a game at UCONN for the second straight season, while also making the second trip to Hawaii in the Division I era, and taking on Texas A&M for the third year in a row. Another notable non-conference games include at New Mexico, at Rice, home vs. Central Arkansas as well as a multi-team event at FDU, facing FDU and Army.
- The Southland plays the most conference games in Division I amongst any conference (22). The Lions begin SLC action on December 12 at McNeese, winners of the last two SLC titles.
- The Lions look to return to the eight-team SLC Tournament for the first time since 2023-24.

MEET THE LIONS ATTENDING SOUTHLAND MEDIA DAY



HEAD COACH: JARET VON ROSENBERG

- Enters ninth season at the helm of the Lion Men's Basketball program.
- He is fifth in program history for most wins, being 15 away from fourth.
- In his first five seasons, the Lions advanced to the NCAAs three times.



JUNIOR FORWARD: NOAH PAGOTTO

- Enters first season at ET, transfer from West Texas A&M. Originally from Wollongong, New South Wales, Australia.
- NCAA Division II Academic All-American and Lone Star Conference Academic Player of the Year.
- Averaged 9.4 points and 4.9 rebounds in 66 games at WTAMU.

2025-26 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
O25	at Tarleton ^{EXH}	6 p.m.
O29	UT DALLAS^{EXH}	6:30 P.M.
N3	ARLINGTON BAPTIST	10:30 A.M.
N5	at New Mexico	TBA
N9	at Hawaii	8 p.m. HT
N14	at Rice	7 p.m.
N19	DALLAS CHRISTIAN	6:30 P.M.
N24	at FDU	Noon ET
N25	vs. Army (Hackensack, N.J.)	2 p.m. ET
D5	at UCONN	7:30 p.m. ET
D7	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	5 P.M.
D12	at McNeese ^{SLC}	7:30 p.m.
D15	at Southeastern ^{SLC}	6 p.m.
D21	at Texas A&M	TBA
D29	SFA^{SLC}	6:30 P.M.
D31	LAMAR^{SLC}	TBA
J3	at Nicholls ^{SLC}	3 p.m.
J5	at New Orleans ^{SLC}	7 p.m.
J10	UTRGV^{SLC}	5 P.M.
J12	A&M-CORPUS CHRISTI^{SLC}	6:30 P.M.
J17	at HCU ^{SLC}	3:30 p.m.
J19	at UIW ^{SLC}	TBA
J24	at Northwestern State ^{SLC}	3:30 p.m.
J26	at Lamar ^{SLC}	6 p.m.
J31	NICHOLLS^{SLC}	5 P.M.
F2	NEW ORLEANS^{SLC}	6:30 P.M.
F7	NORTHWESTERN STATE^{SLC}	5 P.M.
F9	at SFA ^{SLC}	6 p.m.
F14	MCNEESE^{SLC}	5 P.M.
F16	SOUTHEASTERN^{SLC}	1 P.M.
F21	UIW^{SLC}	5 P.M.
F23	HCU^{SLC}	6:30 P.M.
F28	at UTRGV ^{SLC}	4:30 p.m.
M2	at A&M-Corpus Christi ^{SLC}	7 p.m.
M8-11	SLC Tournament (Lake Charles, La.)	

EAST TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

QUICK FACTS

Location	Commerce, Texas
Enrollment	11,500
Founded	1889 (as East Texas Normal College)
Colors	Navy Blue and Gold
Nickname	Lions
National Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Southland
Arena	Field House
President	Dr. Mark Rudin
AD	Jim Curry
SID	Avi Mehta

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2025-26 EAST TEXAS A&M MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER



0 RONNIE HARRISON
6-9 JR. F
FORNEY, TX



1 VINNY SIGONA
6-0 JR. G
PLANO, TX



2 EVAN PHELPS
6-0 JR. G
MIDLAND, TX



3 MYKOL SANCHEZ-VEGA
6-6 SR. G
ORLANDO, FL.



4 CHRIS ADLAM
6-4 SO. G
CYPRESS, TX



5 TAY MOSHER
6-7 SR. F
THE COLONY, TX



6 LONDON FIELDS
6-5 JR. G
TUPELO, MS



7 MICHAEL FOLARIN
6-10 SR. F
LONDON, ENGLAND



8 DAMIAN GARCIA
6-5 SR. G
HOUSTON, TX



10 JOSH TAYLOR
6-8 SR. F
ATLANTA, GA



11 KAMREN ROBINSON
6-0 FR. G
SUFFOLK, VA



12 KOLLIN TOLBERT
6-2 JR. G
CINCINNATI, OH



13 NOAH PAGOTTO
6-8 JR. F
WOLLONGONG, AUSTRALIA



20 PARKER WHISENHUNT
6-3 SO. G
SULPHUR SPRINGS, TX



25 GIANNI HUNT
6-4 SR. G
LAKEWOOD, CA



30 ALEX MCCRAY
6-1 JR. G
GAINESVILLE, FL.



JARED VON ROSENBERG
HEAD COACH



COLEMAN FURST
ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH



A.J. HOLLAND
ASSISTANT COACH



TREY CONROD
ASSISTANT COACH



JARED KORTSEN
ASSISTANT COACH



CLIF CARROLL
ASSISTANT COACH