



2025-26 MURRAY STATE RACERS BASKETBALL



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2025-26 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

NOVEMBER

03	Mon	(1) Omaha	WON	87-66
07	Fri	MVSU ^{ESPN+}	WON	108-60
11	Tue	@SMU ^{ACCN+}	LOST	102-91
15	Sat	Nicholls ^{ESPN+}	WON	99-79
18	Tue	Little Rock ^{ESPN+}	WON	89-68
23	Sun	□MTSU ^{Flo-TV}	LOST	90-87
24	Mon	□McNeese ^{Flo-TV}	LOST	73-60
25	Tue	□GWU ^{Flo-TV}	WON	96-95

DECEMBER

02	Tue	Morehead State ^{ESPN+}	WON	84-52
06	Sat	Bellarmino ^{ESPN+}	WON	81-68
13	Sat	(2) Akron ^{BallerTV}	WON	115-100
18	Thu	•Drake ^{ESPN+}	WON	81-72
21	Sun	•@Valparaiso ^{ESPN+}	WON	85-79
29	Mon	•Southern Illinois	WON	84-81

JANUARY

01	Thu	•@UIC ^{ESPN+}	WON	81-77
04	Sun	•Bradley ^{ESPN2}	WON	86-66
07	Wed	•@Evansville ^{ESPN+}	WON	79-69
10	Sat	•Valparaiso ^{ESPN+}	WON	92-79
17	Sat	•Indiana State ^{ESPN+}	WON	85-81
21	Wed	•@Drake ^{CBSSN}	LOST	101-90
24	Sat	•@UNI ^{CBSSN}	LOST	81-76
28	Wed	•Illinois State ^{ESPN+}	LOST	70-65
31	Sat	•@Belmont ^{CBSSN}	LOST	103-86

FEBRUARY

03	Tue	•UIC ^{ESPN+}	WON	81-74
06	Fri	•@SIU ^{ESPN+}	WON	91-81
09	Mon	•UNI ^{CBSSN}	H	9
12	Thu	•@Indiana State ^{ESPN+}	A	6
15	Sun	•Belmont ^{CBSSN}	H	
18	Wed	•@Illinois State ^{ESPN+}	A	
21	Sat	•Evansville ^{ESPN+}	H	

MARCH

01	Sun	•@Bradley ^{ESPN+}	A	
5-8	Th-Su	- MVC Tournament	N	

(1) Souix Falls, S.D. (2) Henderson, Nev.
 □Cayman Islands Classic
 - State Farm Arch Madness - St. Louis, Mo.
 •MVC Game Home games in BOLD and are CENTRAL

MSU CAREER SCORING

Player	Class	Gms	Points	Avg
Javon Jackson	Sr.	116	1401	12.1
Brayden Shorter	Jr.	87	918	10.6
JJ Traynor	Sr.	126	774	6.1
Fred King	Sr.	127	629	5.0
Layne Taylor	So.	44	557	12.7
Mason Miller	Sr.	125	453	3.6
Roman Domon	Fr.	25	343	13.7
Ben Shtolzberg	Sr.	73	218	3.0
KJ Tenner	So.	54	176	3.3
Dylan Anderson	Jr.	64	144	2.3
Mathis Courbon	Fr.	25	127	5.1
Brock Vice	Fr.	27	54	2.0

* All schools/levels played in college

Northern Iowa Panthers 15-9 (7-6 MVC)

Head Coach: Ben Jacobson
 Alma Mater: North Dakota (1994)
 at UNI: 389-254 (20th Season)
 Career: Same
 Missouri Valley: 216-145
 Record vs MSU: 3-3



Murray State Racers 18-7 (10-4 MVC)

Head Coach: Ryan Miller
 Alma Mater: Northern State (2000)
 at MUR: 18-7 (1st season)
 Career: Same
 Missouri Valley: 10-4
 Record vs UNI: 0-1



GAME DAY STORYLINES

- ▶ The Murray State Racers have won back-to-back games against UIC and Southern Illinois, after losing four in a row, as they come home Monday for a 9 p.m. game against the Northern Iowa Panthers at the CFSB Center.
- ▶ The Racers won for a third-straight time at SIU Friday night 91-81 and now go for a split in their season series with UNI after losing in Cedar Falls (Jan. 24).
- ▶ The big development for the Racers in the last two games is the emergence of freshman Roman Domon who had made his first two starts at MSU and has scored 35 points, grabbed 13 rebounds and dished out six assists.
- ▶ MSU's Fred King has been very good all season and in the last two games with 33 points, 23 rebounds and three steals.
- ▶ In the two wins over UIC and SIU, the Racers are hitting 52 percent from the field and 39 percent from the 3-point line.
- ▶ Prior to joining the MVC in 2022, the Racers and Panthers had never met before and heading into their seventh meeting, the Racers trail 4-2 and lost the only game played in Murray in 2024.
- ▶ The Racers are 11-1 at home this season with their only loss to Illinois State 70-65 on Jan. 28.

GAME DAY MEDIA

Racer Radio: Froggy 103.7 FM
 Audio: Froggy103.com & GoRacers.com
 Jeff Bidwell & Kenny Roth
 CBSSN: John Sadak & Tre Demps
 Live Stats: GoRacers.com & StatBroadcast.com

2025-26 MSU STATISTICS RANKINGS

Category	NCAA	MVC	Stat
Bench Points	23	1	32.6
Scoring Offense	23	1	86.3
FT Made Game	29	1	18.4
FT Percentage	38	1	.767
3PT Made Per Gm	48	2	9.8
Effective FG Percent	50	2	.553
FT Attempts Per Gm	56	1	27.6
FG Percentage	67	2	.474
Rebounds Per Gm	80	1	37.7
Blocks Per Game	87	1	4.0
3PT Percentage	103	4	.349
Off. Reb. Per Game	106	3	11.9
Def. Reb. Per Game	111	7	25.8
Rebound Margin	134	4	2.6
Assists Per Game	160	4	14.4
Assist/TO Ratio	183	6	+1.26
Fast Break Points	191	4	10.6
Turnovers Per Game	209	6	12.1
Turnover Margin	241	9	-0.6
FG Percentage Def.	280	11	.459
Fouls Per Game	289	11	18.9
3PT FG Defense	293	9	.349
Scoring Defense	305	11	79.1

UNI SERIES HISTORY

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Recent MVC Games

2023	@Away	Lost	67-75
2024	Home	Lost	60-70
2024	Away	Won	71-43
2025	Away	Won	71-68
2025	#Neutral	Lost	67-74
2026	Away	Lost	81-76

@ 1st game as MVC member
 # Nashville, Tenn.

MURRAY STATE ROSTER

#	Probable Starters	Yr.	P	H	W	NOTES
8	JJ Traynor	Sr.	F	6-9	210	MVC: .476 FG, .338 3PT, 6-8FT .750
9	Layne Taylor	So.	G	5-11	184	1st MVC +3.7 assist/TO, 9th nationally
77	Roman Domon	Fr.	G/F	6-9	225	Started last two games: 17.5ppg, 6.5rpg, 6A
22	Javon Jackson	Sr.	G	6-3	190	2nd MVC in scoring 16.5ppg, MVC 21-55 3pt (.382)
33	Fred King	Sr.	F	6-9	267	1st MVC blocks per game 1.83, 45th nationally
MSU Bench						
2	Mathis Courbon	Fr.	G/F	6-6	190	Career game vs Bradley: 16pts, 4-5 3pt, 7reb
6	Brock Vice	So.	F	6-10	238	Career high 12pts vs Drake (4-5FG, 1-2 3pt)
10	KJ Tenner	So.	G	6-0	166	MVC 13.2mpg, 21 assists/5 TO
11	Dylan Anderson	Jr.	F	7-0	235	Playing 8.3mpg, .375fg, 43reb
34	Brayden Shorter	Jr.	G	6-5	210	Career game vs Valpo: 5-10 3pt, 17pts
13	Mason Miller	Sr.	F	6-9	190	MVC games: 14-47 3pt (.298)

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER

No	Player	P	H	W	C	Hometown	(Previous Schools)
2	Mathis Courbon	G/F	6-6	190	Fr.	Lyon, France	Lycee Albert Thomas HS
4	*Tristian Ford	G	6-3	164	Fr.	Rockford, Ill.	Chicago Prep Academy
6	Brock Vice	F	6-10	238	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	North Texas / Creighton / Houston HS
7	*Ben Shtolzburg	G	6-4	195	Sr.	Northridge, Calif.	UC Santa Barbara / Creighton / Notre Dame HS
8	JJ Traynor	F	6-9	210	Sr.	Bardstown, Ky.	DePaul / Louisville / Bardstown HS
9	Layne Taylor	G	5-11	184	So.	Farmington, Ark.	Central Arkansas / Farmington HS
10	KJ Tenner	G	6-0	166	So.	Memphis, Tenn.	West Virginia / Cordova HS
11	Dylan Anderson	C	7-0	235	Jr.	Chandler, Ariz.	Boise State / Arizona / Gilbert HS
13	Mason Miller	F	6-9	195	Sr.	Germantown, Tenn.	Creighton / Houston HS
14	*Lachlan Crate	G/F	6-8	215	Fr.	Feilding, New Zealand	Feilding HS
22	Javon Jackson	G	6-3	190	Sr.	Houston, Texas	UIC / Utah State / Southern Nazarene / C.E. King HS
25	*Dillon Butler	G	6-3	192	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn.	Tipton Rosemark Academy
33	Fred King	C	6-9	267	Sr.	Mangrove Cay, Andros, Bahamas	Creighton / NBA Academy Latin America
34	Brayden Shorter	G	6-5	210	Jr.	Springfield, Mo.	Washburn / Kickapoo HS
77	Roman Domon	G/F	6-9	225	Fr.	Amiens, France	BCM Gravelines-Dunkerque

* Redshirt in 2025-26 season

COACHING STAFF & SUPPORT STAFF

Head Coach: Ryan Miller (Northern State, 2000) 1st season
General Manager: Ernie Kuyper (Memphis, 2007) 1st season
Associate Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator: Brendan Mullins (St. Michael's, 2007) 2nd season
Assistant Coach/Offensive coordinator: Jordan VerHulst (Grand Valley State, 2008) 1st season
Assistant Coach: Cullen Neal (New Mexico, 2016) 1st season
Assistant Coach: Mardracus Wade (Arkansas, 2014) 1st season
Assistant Coach: Jahenns Manigat (Creighton, 2014) 1st season
Defensive Analyst: Al Grushkin (Oglethorpe, 1975) 1st season
Executive Senior Associate AD - Competitive Excellence: Matt Kelly (Alma, 1994) 20th season
Sports Medicine/Head Athletic Trainer: Eric Frederick (TCU 1992) 33rd season
Strength & Conditioning Coach: Jason Nehring (Wisconsin-La Crosse, 1996) 1st season
Director of Basketball Operations: Jack Seltsam (Murray State, 2020) 4th season
Communications: Dave Winder (Murray State, 1987) 25th season
Director of Video: Eric Oberholtzer (Ohio State, 2025) 1st season
Graduate Assistant: Kevin Easley (Duquesne, 2023) 1st season **Graduate Assistant:** Judd Wagner (Wofford, 2025) 1st season
Graduate Assistant: Alex Robinson, Jr. (TCU, 2019) 1st season **Graduate Assistant:** Jerome Seagears (UNLV, 2016) 1st season
Graduate Assistant: David Sandstedt (Murray State, 2025) 1st season **Student Assistant:** Patrick Chew
Team Mangers: Jack Leath, Michael TenEyck, Elwood Mayberry, Mason Shubert, Jacob Southworth, Caleb Miller, Ian Drenner

Pronunciations

2 Muh-Tees Core-BONE
 8 TRAY-nor
 77 ROW-Mahn DOE-mun
 Juh-HENS Mahn-ee_GAH
 LOO-Cuh Matt-TOO

MVC Availability Report



PROGRAM INFORMATION

Location: Murray, Ky. (42071)
Founded: 1922
Enrollment: 10,035
Colors: Navy & Gold
Nickname: Racers
Conference: Missouri Valley
Arena: CFSB Center (8,600)
President: Dr. Ron Patterson
Director of Athletics: Nico Yantko
NCAA Athletics Faculty Rep.: Dr. Dave Gesler

First Season: 1925-26
Total Seasons: 101st in 2025-26
MVC Seasons: 4th season in 2025-26
Total Winning Seasons: 80
All-Time Record: 1751-973 (.649)
All-Time CFSB Center Record: 328-64 (.839)
Totals for start of 2025-26 season
Total Seasons: 28th season in 2025-26
MVC Regular Season Championships 0
MVC Tournament Championships 0

PROGRAM HISTORY

OVC Regular Season Championships 28
 1951, 1964, 1968, 1969, 1980, 1982, 1983, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2006, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022
OVC Tournament Championships 18
 1951, 1964, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2010, 2012, 2018, 2019, 2022
NCAA Tournament Appearances 18
 1964, 1969, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2010, 2012, 2018, 2019, 2022
NIT Tournament Appearances 8
 1980, 1982, 1983, 1989, 1994, 1996, 2011, 2015

OVC MVP's 21
 Jim Jennings (1964), Claude Virden (1969)
 Les Taylor (1972) (1973), Gary Hooker (1980),
 Glen Green (1983), Jeff Martin (1988) (1989),
 Popeye Jones (1990) (1991), Marcus Brown
 (1995) & (1996), De'Teri Mayes (1998), Aubrey
 Reese (2000), Cuthbert Victor (2004), Isaiah
 Canaan (2012) & (2013 Co-MVP), Cameron
 Payne (2015), Jonathan Stark (2018),
 Ja Morant (2019), KJ Williams (2022)
 All-Conference Selections 139

All-Time Coaches					18
Head Coach	Yrs	Seasons	Gm	Record	
Carlisle Cutchin	16	1925-41	348	256-92	
Rice Mountjoy	1	1941-42	22	18-4	
John Miller	6	1942-48	134	74-60	
Harlan Hodges	6	1948-54	170	105-65	
Rex Alexander	3	1954-58	104	49-55	
Cal Luther	16	1958-74	395	241-154	
Fred Overton	4	1974-78	103	44-59	
Ron Greene	7	1978-85	197	119-78	
Steve Newton	6	1985-91	181	116-65	
Scott Edgar	4	1991-95	118	79-40	
Mark Gottfried	3	1995-98	92	68-24	
Tev. Anderson	5	1998-03	155	103-52	
Mick Cronin	3	2003-06	93	69-24	
Billy Kennedy	5	2006-11	128	107-53	
Steve Prohm	4	2011-15	132	104-29	
Matt McMahon	7	2015-22	221	154-67	
Steve Prohm 3 (7 total)		2022-25	230	149-81	
Ryan Miller	1	2025-			

2025-26 TV & RADIO ROSTER



MATHIS COURBON
G/F - 6-6 - 190, Fr.
Lyon, France



TRISTIAN FORD
G - 6-3 - 164 - Fr.
Rockford, Ill.



BROCK VICE
F - 6-10 - 238 - So.
Memphis, Tenn



BEN SHTOZBERG
G - 6-4 - 195- Sr.
Northridge, Calif.



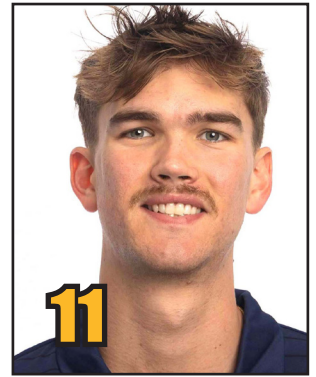
JJ TRAYNOR
F - 6-9 - 210 - Sr.
Bardstown, Ky.



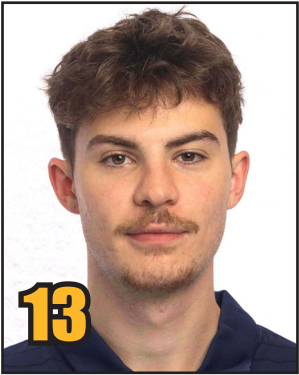
LAYNE TAYLOR
G - 5-11 - 184 - So.
Farmington, Ark.



KJ TENNER
G - 6-0 - 166 - So.
Memphis, Tenn



DYLAN ANDERSON
C - 7-0 - 235 - Jr.
Chandler, Ariz.



MASON MILLER
F - 6-9 - 190 - Sr.
Germantown, Tenn.



LACHLAN CRATE
G/F - 6-8 - 215 - Fr.
Feilding, New Zealand



JAVON JACKSON
G - 6-3 - 190 - Sr.
Houston, Texas



DILLON BUTLER
G - 6-3 - 192 - Fr.
Memphis, Tenn.



FRED KING
F - 6-9 - 267 - Sr.
Magrove Cay, Bahamas



BRAYDEN SHORTER
6-5 - 210 - Jr.
Springfield, Mo.



ROMAN DOMON
G/F - 6-9 - 225 - Fr.
Amiens, France



RYAN MILLER
Head Coach
1st Season

MURRAY STATE PLAYER NOTES

(2) MATHIS COURBON G 6-6 190 FR.**Before MSU**

- Out of Lyon, France, developed his game often playing up to higher competition with the France U18 and U21 program, French Pro-B League and with the France national team in the U18 European Championship Tournament.
- Marks the first French signee for Murray State Basketball in the program's 101 seasons.
- In four seasons of 72 games in the Pro-B League, played 22.8 minutes per game and scored 835 points, with per game averages of 11.5 points with 2.4 rebounds and 2.6 assists.
- Appeared as a Racer for the first time vs Omaha in the season opener where he played 15:51 and scored two points and dished out a pair of assists.
- In three games at the Cayman Islands Classic, was 8-13 (.615) from the field and had two big 3-point baskets in MSU's win over George Washington.
- Had his best game at Murray State against Bradley at home when he scored 16 points on 4-5 from the 3-point line with seven rebounds in only 19:39 on the floor.
- In the SIU game on the road, played an amazing eight minutes in the first half and hit a pair of 3-pointers and free throws.

(4) TRISTIAN FORD G 6-3 164 Fr.**Before MSU**

- Played prep hoops at Chicago Prep Academy.
- Averaged 21 points, eight rebounds and eight assists per game.
- Playing in the Grind Session, Ford was a three-time all-star.
- Posted three triple-doubles and was close to another with 11 points, nine rebounds and nine assists against Elite Prep of Washington.
- Plans to be a redshirt in the 2025-26 season.

(6) BROCK VICE F 6-10 238 So.**Before MSU**

- In 2024-25 played at North Texas, appeared in five games.
- In 2023-24, was a member of the team at Creighton & redshirted.
- His high school head coach was former 17-year NBA guard and two-time NBA Champion Mike Miller, the brother of new Racers head coach Ryan Miller.
- His father, Vance Vice, is currently on staff at Purdue and coached one season at Murray State as the offensive line coach in 1999.
- Played a career-high 12 minutes vs McNeese with four points (2-4 FG), three rebounds and one steal.
- In MSU's 8-game win streak, was 6-9 from the field with 13 points and 17 rebounds in 35 minutes.
- Hit his second 3-pointer of the season against Bradley at home.
- Best game in his 23-game career and best as a Racer with 12 points on 4-5 from the field as he also hit his third 3-pointer of the season and grabbed four rebounds.

(7) BEN SHTOLZBERG G 6-4 195 Sr.**Before MSU**

- Played 2023-24 & 2024-25 at UC Santa Barbara.
- Played in 56 games with one start.
- Had 76 assists and only 40 turnovers.
- Played as a freshman in 2022-23 at Creighton.
- Is sitting out the 25-26 season as a redshirt.

(8) JJ TRAYNOR F 6-9 210 Sr.**Before MSU**

- 2024-25 at DePaul played in 32 games, including 10 starts.
- Recorded first career double-double against Mercer with 11 points and 10 rebounds.

- Played at Louisville over four seasons from 2020-24.
- Played as a Racer for the first time as a starter in the season opener vs Omaha with seven points, five rebounds and three blocked shots.
- Had a big game against Bellarmine with 17 points on 8-12 from the field and also hauled in six rebounds.
- In MSU's 115-100 win over Akron, played team-high 30 minutes with 16 points, three assists, eight rebounds and two blocked shots.
- Hit his first five shots in a 16-point/9-rebound performance at home against Southern Illinois.

(9) LAYNE TAYLOR G 5-11 184 So.**Before MSU**

- Played his freshman season at Central Arkansas in 2024-25 and was named to the Atlantic Sun Conference All-Freshman Team.
- Played in 20 games, all starts, and led Central Arkansas in scoring at 17.4 points per game, while dishing out 73 assists against only 33 turnovers.
- Played as a Racer for the first time off the bench in the season opener vs Omaha with 12 points and six assists.
- Made his first start as a Racer at home against Nicholls State and scored 14 points on 5-9FG and 4-7 3PT with three rebounds and four assists.
- Was big part of MSU's 115-100 win over Akron in which Racers hit program-record 18 3-pointers.
- Young tied his career-high with six threes and scored team-high 23 points with eight assists and no turnovers.

(10) KJ TENNER G 6-0 166 So.**Before MSU**

- Played his freshman season of 2024-25 at West Virginia.
- Appeared in 30 games for the Mountaineers and played 13.1 minutes per game with an average of 2.7 points per game.
- Had 32 assists and only 12 turnovers and made 24 steals.
- Made his first start as a Racer in the season opener vs Omaha.
- Scored 10 points with six assists in 19:40 vs MVSU.
- Scored nine points and dished out four assists vs MTSU.
- Went 6-6 from the free throw line for 10 points in MSU's 115-100 win over Akron.
- Scored eight points vs UIC at home when he made a pair of 3-point baskets to go with two steals.

(11) DYLAN ANDERSON C 7-0 235 Jr.**Before MSU**

- 2024-25 season at Boise State and before that, two seasons at Arizona.
- appeared in 24 games-11 starts in 2024-25 with the Broncos.
- 2023-24 was a redshirt.
- 2022-23 at Arizona, played in 15 games.
- Played as a Racer for the first time as a starter in the season opener vs Omaha with eight points and five rebounds.
- Has hit three 3-point baskets in the season heading into the Morehead State game. Vs SMU, Little Rock & GWU.
- Matched his career high with three blocked shots against Indiana State at home.

(13) MASON MILLER F 6-9 190 Sr.**Before MSU**

- Played the last three seasons at Creighton.
- 2023-24 season, led the BIG EAST Conference in 3-point shooting at 45 percent on 49-of-108 for a Creighton team that advanced to the NCAA Tournament Sweet-16.
- 2022-23 played in 36 games for the Bluejays.
- Played as a Racer for the first time as a starter in the season opener

MURRAY STATE SEASON PLAYER NOTES

vs Omaha with seven points, five rebounds and three blocked shots.

- Made it to the line eight times vs MVSU and made seven and had a team-high eight rebounds.
- Hit a pair of clutch 3-pointers late in the SMU game.
- In the three games at the Cayman Islands Classic, hit 6-10 from the 3-point line.
- During MSU's 8-game win streak, went 16-34 from the 3-point line for .471.
- Scored 13 points in MSU's home win over Indiana State on 5-9 shooting from the field, including a clinching dunk with 13 seconds remaining.

(14) LACHLAN CRATE G/F 6-8 215 Fr.

Before MSU

- Played for a pair of home country teams from 2022-25 in New Zealand and progressed through NZ national program.
- Summer 2025, competed at the FIBA U19 tournament in Lausanne, Switzerland and team had a finish fourth-place.
- Plans to be a redshirt in the 2025-26 season.

(22) JAVON JACKSON G 6-3 190 Sr.

Before MSU

- Played the 2024-25 season at UIC in the Missouri Valley Conference.
- Career-high 30 points vs Racers (Jan. 15).
- Appeared in 31 games at UIC with 29 starts, scored team-high 11.9 points per game and totaled 83 assists and his 48 steals ranked third in The Valley.
- Played 2023-24 season at Utah State where he played in 28 games
- In 2022-23 season, played at Southern Nazarene in Oklahoma where he played in 32 games and made 25 starts.
- Played as a Racer for the first time as a starter in the season opener vs Omaha with game-high 24 points on 6-of-13 from the field and 10-of-10 from the free throw line.
- Scored 26 points on 8-14 from the field including 8-8 from the free throw line at SMU.
- Made it back to back games of 20-point scoring when he had 23 points against Nicholls.
- Drove length of the floor to score the game winning basket for the Racers with 1.2 seconds remaining against GWU in the Cayman Islands Classic.
- In MSU's 115-100 win over Akron, scored 20 points in 9-13 shooting with five assists.
- Scored 20 points against Bradley at home.
- Was 8-16 from the field at Evansville with 22 points.
- Was 7-7 from the free throw line at home against Indiana State and finished with his ninth 20-point game with a game high 21.
- Had his 10th game this season at Drake with 20.

(25) DILLON BUTLER G 6-3 192 Fr.

Before MSU

- Played prep basketball at Tipton Rosemark Academy.
- Named to the Daily Memphian All-Metro team twice.
- Plans to be a redshirt in the 2025-26 season.

(33) FRED KING C 6-9 267 Sr.

Before MSU

- Three seasons (2022-25) at Creighton, backing up All-America center Ryan Kalkbrenner.
- Had limited chances for more playing time, but when he did, he performed well.
- In 11 games playing 15 minutes or more, he shot 64% from the field, averaged 10.5 points, 6.2 rebounds, and 2.8 blocks.
- First game as a Racer vs MVSU at home, went 5-5 from the fued for 13 points and six rebounds.
- Scored 24 points on 8-8FG and 8-9FT with 10 rebounds and five blocked shots vs Nicholls, to become the first Racer with 20/10/5 since Ed Daniel scored 20 points, grabbed 18 rebounds and blocked five shots against Lipscomb on Nov. 26, 2012.
- In MSU's 115-100 win over Akron, blocked four shots, scored 11 points and grabbed eight rebounds.
- Posted his second double-double of the season with a 16 points/11 rebounds performance in the MVC opener against Drake.
- Scored 19 points on 8-13FG at Valparaiso with four blocked shots.
- Had a career-high 16 rebounds with 18 points in MSU's win at UIC on New Year's Day.
- Had a double-double vs UE with 11 points and 10 rebounds.
- Had a double-double with 14 points and 13 rebounds against Indiana State at home and he added four blocked shots.
- Had his sixth double-double at MSU with 16 points and 11 rebounds at UNI.
- Had another monster game at home vs UIC with his eighth double-double of the season with 16 points and 14 rebounds.

(34) BRAYDEN SHORTER G 6-5 210 Jr.

Before MSU

- In two seasons at Washburn, appeared in 63 games with 33 starts.
- Hit 162 3-point baskets while averaging 12 points per game.
- Hit 118 3-pointers in 2024-25, set Washburn single season record, to rank first nationally in NCAA D-II.
- Played as a Racer for the first time in the season opener vs Omaha with six points and three rebounds.
- Hit five 3-pointers vs MVSU.
- Hit a pair of threes in MSU's win over GWU in the Cayman Islands Classic.
- Posted a career-high at MSU with 17 points on 5-10 from the 3-point line vs Valparaiso at home.

GAME DAY & SEASON NOTES

Racers Men-Women Combine for Amazing Season

The last time the Racers' basketball teams were thriving at the same time was in the 1987-88 season, but now here we are 37 seasons later and the MSU men and women are having fantastic seasons. They've combined for 38 wins which puts them among 20 schools nationally in NCAA D-I.

MSU MEN/WOMEN COMBINED WINNING

TOTAL RECORD 38-10
MVC 19-5
HOME STREAK 23
(Ended Jan. 28)

The Racer men and women had a combined 23-game win streak snapped when the men's team lost at Drake 101-90 (Jan. 22). And they had a home streak of the same length stopped when the Racers men lost to Illinois State (Jan. 28).

The 1987-88 teams combined for 43 wins overall and 23 wins in the Ohio Valley Conference. But in that season, the women's team under Bud Childers finished third and the men's team won it under coach Steve Newton. MSU has never had a season in which the men's and women's teams won a conference title in the same season.

In 2008-09, the two combined for 42 wins, as the women's team won the title under Rob Cross, the MSU men placed second under Billy Kennedy.

King & Domon Lead Racers Past SIU in Carbondale

The Murray State Racers scored a 91-81 victory Friday night for their third-straight over the Southern Illinois Salukis on their home floor at Banterra Center in Carbondale.

STATE FARM ARCH MADNESS BEGINS IN

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DAYS

The Racers (18-7) improved to 10-4 in the Missouri Valley Conference and evened their series with the Salukis in The Valley at 4-4. MSU is at home Monday for a rare 9 p.m. tip against Northern Iowa at the CFSB Center in Murray, Kentucky.

Fred King was one rebound shy of a double-double, while he and Roman Domon each scored 17 points to lead the Racers. Javon Jackson scored 15 points, with MSU getting 14 from Layne Taylor and 12 from Mathis Courbon.

Trailing by eight points nearly eight minutes into the contest, the Racers had a pair of runs to get back into the game and eventually take their first lead. Layne Taylor hit back to back 3-pointers to tie the game 20-20 at 9:53. MSU took their largest of of the half at 5:20 after Mathis Courbon hit back to back threes to make it 31-26.

The Racers finished the half with a driving layup for Javon Jackson to lead by nine points (43-34) at the intermission.

Domon's 3-pointer with 5:06 left, put the Racers in front by 15 points. SIU managed to cut the lead to eight with a minute left, but never got any closer.

Game Notes

- o The Racers have won their last four games against SIU in the MVC to even the series in league games to 4-4.
- o MSU has won their last three games in Carbondale for the first time in their series with the Salukis.
- o With the win, the Racers have evened the all-time series with SIU at 23-23.
- o SIU was ranked as the 12th defense nationally since Jan. 1 and the Racers were still able to score 91 points and make 59 percent from the field on 30-of-51 from the field.
- o Part of the Racers' first half run when they took the lead for good, Courbon contributed a pair of 3-pointers and free throws in eight minutes of floor time.
- o The Racers were 8-of-14 from the 3-point line in the first half, it marked their best since they hit the same 8-of-14 against Indiana State (Jan. 17) at home.
- o Brock Vice was 6-of-6 from the free throw line in MVC games this season when he missed first try at 11:38
- o In the all-important end to the first half (4:00) and beginning of the second half (4:00) saw the Racers outscored SIU 22-11.
- o The Racers have played 25 games and have given up 10 or more 3-point baskets in one game, at Belmont (Jan. 31), SIU was 5-of-22 today.
- o The Racers are two wins from winning 20 games in a single-season in the MVC, their fourth season in 2025-26.

MSU CURRENT STREAKS

All Games	W2
UIC, Southern Illinois	
Last Loss: Belmont	
At CFSB Center	W1
UIC	
Last Loss: Illinois State	
On the Road	W1
Southern Illinois	
Last Loss: UNI	
Neutral Floor	W2
GWU, Akron	
Last Loss: McNeese	
Non-MVC Home	W6
SEMO, MVSU, Nicholls, Little Rock, Morehead State, Bellarmine	
Last Loss: Utah Valley	
Non-MVC Road	L2
WKU, SMU	
Last Win: MTSU	
MVC Overall	W2
UIC, SIU	
Last Loss: Belmont	
MVC Home	W1
UIC	
Last Loss: Illinois State	
MVC Road	W1
SIU	
Last Loss: UNI	

MSU VS 2025-26 OPPONENTS

Opponent	First	Last	W	L	Str
Omaha	2014	2025	2	0	W2
Mississippi Valley	2025	2025	1	0	W1
SMU	2023	2025	0	2	L2
Middle Tenn.	1930	2024	109	39	L1
Nicholls	1988	2025	3	0	W3
Little Rock	1998	2023	2	1	W1
McNeese State	1974	2025	1	3	L2
Geo. Washington	2025	2025	1	0	W1
Morehead State	1934	2022	117	52	W3
Bellarmine	2021	2025	2	1	W1
Akron	1980	2025	9	9	W1
Drake	1938	2026	4	7	L1
Valparasio	1999	2026	9	3	W8
Southern Illinois	1929	2026	23	23	W4
UIC	2006	2026	6	2	W2
Bradley	1962	2026	10	12	W1
Belmont	1986	2025	12	17	L4
Evansville	1943	2026	34	15	W2
Indiana State	1945	2026	6	11	W1
Illinois State	1971	2025	8	5	L4
UNI	2023	2026	2	4	L2

- o MSU is no stranger to posting 20-win seasons with 33 of them as the program plays its 101st season in 2025-26.
- o With two more wins, Coach Ryan Miller will be the fifth MSU coach to win 20 games in his rookie season.
- o The other four are: 1942-43 - John Miller (21-5), 1998-99 - Tevester Anderson (27-6), 2003-04 - Mick Cronin (28-6), 2011-12 - Steve Prohm (31-2).

MSU Takes First MVC Loss – At Drake

On Jan. 21, the Murray State Racers dropped a 101-90 defeat to the Drake Bulldogs and also saw their 12-game winning streak snapped at the Knapp Center in Des Moines, Iowa.

The Racers's run was the 23rd winning streak of 10 or more in MSU's 102 seasons of collegiate basketball.

Domon Thriving Among DI Freshmen

Murray State's Roman Domon has been named MVC Freshman of the Week three times this season and his play just keeps getting better.

FRESHMAN SCORERS IN THE VALLEY		
Roman Domon	MUR	13.5
Andy Johnson	UIC	12.0
Ty-Reek Coleman	ILST	11.9
JT Pettigrew	VALPO	11.2
Eoin Dillon	BEL	10.6

Entering the week, a strong case can be made that Domon is among the front runners to win the MVC Freshman of the Year Award at season's end.

Domon has scored in double-figures 18 times in 25 games this season and has two of 20 points or more.

On Jan. 24 at UNI, he became the first true freshman at MSU to score 29 points since Cameron Payne did it at Belmont in 2014. (Feb. 6, 2014).

On Feb. 3, he made his first MSU start and scored 18 points and grabbed 18 rebounds in MSU's home win over UIC. He followed that up with 17 points and five rebounds against SIU.

Jackson on Henson Award Watch List

Murray State's Javon Jackson has been named the Lou Henson Award Watch List as announced by CollegelInsider.com.

Jackson has topped 20 points scored 10 times in his first 21 games for the Racers.

The Racers have four players that have been named to the Lou Henson All-America Team including: Isaiah Canaan (2013), Jonathan Stark (2018), Tevin Brown (2020 & 2022) and KJ Williams (2022). MSU's Ja Morant was named the Lute Olsen National Player of the Year in 2019, also from CollegelInsider.com.

Legends Honored – Spencer's No. 31 & Sleets' No. 10 Retired



Dec. 6 was a historic game when the Racers hosted Bellarmine. and the No. 31 jersey of Isaac Spencer was retired. It was part of a larger celebration of the 1999-00 team that received their OVC Championship rings 25 years after their amazing season. Spencer's career (1997-01) still holds up as he was the only Racer to end his career in the top-10 in scoring, rebounding and assists.



Lamont Sleets' honor came Nov. 7 when the Racers hosted Mississippi Valley. From 1979-84, Sleets became one of the reasons the Racers' eventually became known by some as 'Point Guard U', paving the way for Don Mann, Aubrey Reese, Isaiah Canaan, Cameron Payne, Jonathan Stark and Ja Morant. Among his career highlights, Sleets was the first freshman to score 500 points in a single season and is one of only two Racers to score 2,000 career points without the benefit of the 3-point shot.

MURRAY STATE MVC SEASONS

2022-23		Record: 17-15		MVC: 11-9 (7th)	
MVC Tournament: Quarterfinals					
Home: 11-2 Away: 3-11 Neutral: 3-2					
Nov. 07	Saint Louis	A	L	68-91	
Nov. 12	Lindsey Wilson	H	W	90-53	
Nov. 17	b Texas A&M	N	W	88-79	
Nov. 18	b UMass	N	L	69-71	
Nov. 20	b Tulsa	N	W	77-60	
Nov. 26	Chattanooga	A	L	66-69	
Dec. 01	*Illinois State OT	H	W	70-67	
Dec. 04	*Valparaiso OT	A	W	77-70	
Dec. 10	Bellarmine	A	L	58-69	
Dec. 13	Chicago State	H	W	66-65	
Dec. 16	Austin Peay	H	W	68-60	
Dec. 21	Middle Tennessee	A	L	67-83	
Dec. 29	*Southern Illinois	H	L	57-63	
Jan. 01	*Evansville	A	W	78-61	
Jan. 04	*Bradley	H	W	67-58	
Jan. 07	*Drake	A	L	64-82	
Jan. 10	*UNI	A	L	67-75	
Jan. 14	*UIC	H	W	81-64	
Jan. 17	*Belmont	A	L	65-80	
Jan. 21	*Indiana State	H	W	82-73	
Jan. 24	*Southern Illinois	A	L	64-68	
Jan. 28	*Missouri State	H	W	67-75	
Feb. 01	*Belmont	H	W	83-82	
Feb. 04	*Indiana State	A	L	56-99	
Feb. 07	*Drake	H	L	68-92	
Feb. 11	*Bradley	A	L	48-83	
Feb. 15	*Illinois State	A	W	76-75	
Feb. 18	*Evansville	H	W	74-58	
Feb. 21	*Missouri State	A	L	69-84	
Feb. 26	*Valparaiso OT	H	W	77-76	
Mar. 02	#Valparaiso	N	W	78-50	
Mar. 03	#Drake	N	L	62-74	
b Myrtle Beach Invitational – Conway, S.C.					
2023-24		Record: 12-20		MVC: 9-11 (7th)	
MVC Tournament: 1st Round					
Home: 8-8 Away: 4-9 Neutral: 0-3					
Nov. 06	Midway	H	W	91-58	
Nov. 10	Tennessee Tech	H	W	78-72	
Nov. 14	Western Kentucky	H	L	81-86	
Nov. 20	b UNCW OT	N	L	81-83	
Nov. 22	b Appalachian State	N	L	57-67	
Nov. 29	*Bradley	H	W	79-72	
Dec. 03	*Illinois State	A	L	72-76	
Dec. 09	Austin Peay	A	L	49-53	
Dec. 13	Mississippi State	A	L	81-85	
Dec. 16	SE Louisiana	H	L	55-61	
Dec. 18	Little Rock	A	L	66-80	
Dec. 22	SMU	H	L	65-92	
Dec. 30	Middle Tennessee	H	W	75-54	
Jan. 02	*UIC	H	W	85-73	
Jan. 06	*Evansville	A	W	81-59	
Jan. 10	*Missouri State	A	W	77-53	
Jan. 14	*UNI	H	L	60-70	
Jan. 17	*UIC	A	W	73-58	
Jan. 21	*Indiana State	H	L	63-72	
Jan. 24	*Bradley	A	L	63-71	
Jan. 27	*Southern Illinois	H	L	58-60	
Jan. 30	*Illinois State	H	L	59-61	
Feb. 03	*UNI	A	W	71-43	
Feb. 07	*Belmont	A	L	64-69	
Feb. 10	*Evansville	H	W	73-70	
Feb. 14	*Missouri State	H	W	82-72	
Feb. 18	*Drake	A	L	72-95	
Feb. 21	*Southern Illinois	A	L	68-72	
Feb. 24	*Valparaiso	H	W	80-68	
Feb. 28	*Indiana State	A	L	77-89	
Mar. 07	#Missouri State	N	L	35-60	
b Ft. Myers Tipoff – Ft. Myers, Fla.					
* MVC Game					
# MVC Tournament – St. Louis, Mo.					

Jackson is part of a group of five MVC players on the Henson Award Watch List including: Leon Bond, III (Northern Iowa), Jaquan Johnson (Bradley), Tyler Lundblade (Belmont), Jalen Quinn (Drake).

The Lou Henson award honors the former Illinois and New Mexico State head coach who won 775 games in 41 seasons.

The 2026 award will be announced in Indianapolis, Ind., site of the men's Division I Basketball Championship.

Taylor Named MVC Newcomer of the Week

Murray State's Layne Taylor has been named the Missouri Valley Conference Freshman of the Week, as announced by the league office in St. Louis.

Out of Farmington, Arkansas, Taylor scored 23 points on a career-tying six 3-point baskets to help the Racers to a 115-100 win over the Akron Zips at the Jack Jones Classic in Las Vegas on Saturday.

Taylor hit 7-of-11 shots from the field, including 6-of-9 from the 3-point line and he was 3-of-4 from the free throw line.

As the assist-to-turnover ratio leader in the MVC, Taylor had eight assists against the Zips and didn't commit a turnover.

On the season, Taylor is scoring an average of 8.3 points per game and is third in The Valley with 4.5 assists per game.

Young is the third Racer to win an MVC weekly nod, following Javon Jackson who was MVC Player of the Week (Nov. 7) and Roman Doman who won the MVC Freshman of the Week (Dec. 15).

Racers on a Run at The Bank

The Racers had a 12-game win streak currently at the CFSB Center halted (Jan. 28) by Illinois State. It was the longest streak in the MVC.


MSU's home streak started when the Racers won the final two games at home last February over Indiana State and UIC and continued into this season for 10 games.

MSU's famous 47-game winning streak from 1996-2000, was the longest in the nation when it ended

Murray State Home Win Streak (ended at 12)			
Date	Opponent		Score
02-11-25	*UIC	Won	63-53
02-25-25	*Indiana State	Won	85-75
11-07-25	Mississippi Valley	Won	108-60
11-15-25	Nicholls	Won	99-79
11-18-25	Little Rock	Won	89-68
12-02-25	Morehead State	Won	84-52
12-06-25	Bellarmino	Won	81-68
12-18-25	*Drake	Won	81-72
12-29-25	*Southern Illinois	Won	84-81
01-04-26	*Bradley	Won	86-66
01-10-26	*Valparaiso	Won	92-79
01-17-26	*Indiana State	Won	85-81
01-27-26	*Illinois State	Lost	70-65

MURRAY STATE MVC SEASONS			
2024-25		Record: 16-17	
		MVC: 9-11 (7th)	
MVC Tournament: Quarterfinals			
Home: 7-5 Away: 6-8 Neutral: 3-4			
Nov. 04	Bethel	H	W 113-37
Nov. 08	Pittsburgh	A	L 68-83
Nov. 16	Middle Tennessee	A	W 88-67
Nov. 20	Maryland E. Shore	H	W 79-61
Nov. 22	Utah Valley	H	L 75-77
Nov. 26	*UT Arlington	N	W 79-66
Dec. 03	*Evansville	H	W 63-61
Dec. 08	SE Missouri	H	W 73-53
Dec. 14	Western Kentucky OT	A	L 76-81
Dec. 18	*Indiana State	A	L 74-84
Dec. 22	oNebraska	N	L 65-92
Dec. 23	oCharlotte 20T	N	L 90-94
Dec. 25	oLoyola-Chicago	N	W 71-68
Jan. 02	*Illinois State	H	L 68-74
Jan. 05	*Drake	A	W 59-66
Jan. 08	*Northern Iowa	A	W 71-68
Jan. 11	*Valparaiso	H	W 58-47
Jan. 15	*UIC 20T	A	L 93-97
Jan. 18	*Bradley	H	L 61-74
Jan. 22	*Southern Illinois	A	W 74-64
Jan. 25	*Belmont	H	L 77-95
Jan. 29	*Evansville	A	L 74-78
Feb. 01	*Missouri State	A	L 56-77
Feb. 04	*Drake	H	L 45-55
Feb. 08	*Valparaiso	A	L 74-56
Feb. 11	*UIC	H	W 63-53
Feb. 17	(1)*Northern Iowa	N	L 67-74
Feb. 19	*Southern Illinois	W	A 62-60
Feb. 22	*Bradley OT	A	L 83-85
Feb. 25	*Indiana State	H	W 85-75
Mar. 02	*Belmont	A	L 60-70
Mar. 06	#Evansville	N	W 74-53
Mar. 07	#Bradley	N	L 62-70
^ Jacksonville, Fla.			
o Diamond Head Classic - Honolulu, Hawaii			
* MVC Game			
(1) Nashville, Tenn.			
# MVC Tournament - St. Louis, Mo.			
2025-26			
Nov. 03	(1) Omaha	N	W 85-77
Nov. 07	MVSU	H	W 108-60
Nov. 11	SMU	A	L 102-91
Nov. 15	Nicholls	H	W 99-79
Nov. 18	Little Rock	H	W 89-68
Nov. 23	(2) Middle Tennessee	N	L 90-87
Nov. 24	(2) McNeese	N	L 70-63
Nov. 25	(2)George Washington	N	W 96-95
Dec. 2	Morehead State	H	W 84-52
Dec. 6	Bellarmino	H	W 81-68
Dec. 13	(3)Akron	N	W 115-100
Dec. 18	*Drake	H	W 81-72
Dec. 21	*Valparaiso	A	W 85-79
Dec. 29	*Southern Illinois	H	W 84-81
Jan. 1	*UIC	A	W 81-77
Jan. 4	*Bradley	H	W 82-66
Jan. 7	*Evansville	A	W 79-69
Jan. 10	*Valparaiso	H	W 92-79
Jan. 17	*Indiana State	H	W 85-81
Jan. 21	*Drake	A	L 101-90
Jan. 24	*UNI	A	L 81-76
Jan. 28	*Illinois State	H	L 70-65
Jan. 31	*Belmont	A	L 103-86
Feb. 03	*UIC	H	W 81-74
Feb. 06	*Southern Illinois	A	W 91-81
Feb. 09	*UNI	H	
Feb. 12	*Indiana State	A	
(1) Sioux Falls, SD			
(2) Cayman Islands Classic			
(3) Henderson, Nevada			

Cuthbert "Cuffy" Victor part of 2025 class to Murray State Hall of Fame



The 43rd class to the MSU HOF is set to honored the weekend of Jan. 16-17, 2026. Cuthbert Victor competed for the Racers from 2000-04, out of St. Croix, Virgin Islands. He was recruited by fellow MSU Hall of Famer, Coach Tevester Anderson in fall 2000 and finished up as a 2004 All-America and OVC Player of the Year as a senior for Coach Mick Cronin.

Victor remains ninth all-time at Murray State in field goal percentage & Top-20 in points and career field goals made. Part of multiple championship teams for the Racers, Victor is still MSU's all-time shot blocker.

The rest of the 2025 class includes: Danny Alfeldt (Baseball), Alexa Becker (Softball), Casey Brockman & Marcus Harris (Football), Rachel Giustino (Volleyball), Tonia Pratt (Track & Field) and Ivan Roe (Rifle).

with a loss to SEMO on Jan. 13, 2000. Coach Mark Gottfried coached the Racers as they closed out Racer Arena and Tevester Anderson was the new coach in 1998 when the CFSB Center was opened. The streak was split between the closing of Racer Arena and the opening of the CFSB Center. MSU won their final 30 games in Racer Arena and opened the CFSB Center by winning 17 in a row.

Racers Set Program 3-Point Record

On Dec. 13, The Racers scored an amazing 115-100 win over the Akron Zips in Las Vegas and in the process, broke the school record of 17 made 3-point baskets in the neutral site game, they made 18.

There were two prior instances of making 17 threes in a single game at MSU, starting with the 1994 game under Coach Scott Edgar when the Racers defeated NAIA team, Campbellsville 138-88 at Racer Arena. Racer Radio's star analyst, Kenny Roth, was an assistant with the Racers in 1994. Certainly he remembers that eight different Racers hit a 3-pointer but none of them made more than three!

The other game of 17 threes was an overtime loss for the Racers against South Dakota State in Brookings in 2016 for Coach Matt McMahon.

Drake's 19 threes vs Western Illinois (Dec. 2) is tops for the MVC so far this season. As of Dec. 15, there are 18 games in 2025-26 in which a team has made 20 or more. Charleston Southern made 24 threes (Dec. 4) against Warren Wilson and Cornell did the same against Misericordia (Nov. 26). The top game in which two NCAA DI teams were playing, Iowa State hit 22 against Alcorn (Dec. 3) and Villanova hit 22 against Sacred Heart (Nov. 11).

Miller Announces Redshirt Plans for Four

Since first taking the Murray State job back

in March, Head Coach Ryan Miller has talked openly about the possibility to redshirt some players in 2025-26. With teams allowed to carry 15 scholarship players starting this season (up from 13 in past years),

During his pregame interview ahead of Murray State's game with Mississippi Valley State, Miller said he intends to redshirt four Racers this season: senior guard Ben Shtolzberg, and freshmen Lachlan Crate, Tristian Ford and Dillon Butler.

"Those guys will be part of the scout team and development squad that we have this year, but they're treated no different than anybody else," Miller said. "They'll be developing for the next year and holding our culture together as we go through this year's process."

Preseason Notes

- o The Racers have a roster of 15 with not one returner from the 2024-25 season.
- o The Racers are part of a group of 22 teams in NCAA DI that have at least 10 transfers on their 2025-26 roster.
- o MSU has 10, along with teams including Baylor, Indiana, Seton Hall and USC.
- o Memphis and Southern Miss each have 14 to lead the nation in transfers.
- o MSU is part of only nine teams in NCAA D-I that have no returners.
- o The other teams are Arkansas State, Baylor, Cleveland State, Memphis, Miami, New Mexico, North Texas and Sacramento State.
- o MSU coach Ryan Miller is part of 30 1st-year head coaches in NCAA D-I.

Murray State Begins the Miller Era in 2025-26

Ryan Miller, who is regarded as one of the nation's top recruiters and boasts a winning pedigree that included stops at Creighton, TCU, Auburn and others, was named the 18th head coach of the Murray State men's basketball program on March 17, 2025.

Miller, who previously served as the top assistant for the Creighton Bluejays, has coached in eight NCAA Tournaments, won five regular-season championships and has one league tournament title on the sidelines over the course of his career. During his tenure at Creighton, Miller helped guide the Bluejays the Big East Championship game in 2024-25 and to four-straight NCAA Tournament appearances, including two Sweet Sixteen showings and a visit to the Elite 8.

Racers Grow into Fourth Season in Missouri Valley Conference

Time certainly seems to have flown by as the

MSU Recent Overtime Games

Last OT Game			
02-22-2025	Bradley	A L	85-83
Last OT Non-Conference Away Win			
02-03-2005	UTSA	A W	89-79
Last OT Non-Conference Away Loss			
12-23-2024	Charlotte	N L	94-90
Last OT Non-Conference Home Win			
12-05-2015	Evansville	H L	85-81
Last OT Regular Season Home Win			
12-08-2000	UAB	H W	84-72
Last OT MVC Away Win			
12-04-22	Valparaiso	A W	77-70
Last OT MVC Away Loss			
02-22-25	Bradley	A L	85-83
Last OT MVC Home Win			
02-26-23	Valparaiso	H W	77-76
Last OT MVC Home Loss			
None			

NCAA D-I 1ST YEAR HEAD COACHES

Auburn	Steven Pearl
Alabama A&M	Donte Jackson
Alcorn State	Jake Morton
Arkansas State	Ryan Pannone
Bellarmino	Doug Davenport
Bryant	Jamion Christian
Campbell	John Andrzejek
Central Michigan	Andy Bronkema
Chicago State	Landon Bussie
Cleveland State	Rob Summers
Colorado State	Ali Farokhmanesh
Columbia	Kevin Hovde
Denver	Tim Bergstraser
Drake	Eric Henderson
Florida A&M	Charlie Ward
Florida State	Luke Loucks
Fordham	Mike Magpayo
Grambling State	Patrick Crarey II
High Point	Flynn Clayman
Indiana	Darian DeVries
Iowa	Ben McCollum
Maryland	Buzz Williams
Miami (FL)	Jai Lucas
Murray State	Ryan Miller
NC State	Will Wade
Texas	Sean Miller
Villanova	Kevin Willard
Virginia	Ryan Odom
West Virginia	Ross Hodge
Xavier	Richard Pitino

MSU Head Coach - Rookie Season

Steve Prohm	2011-12	31-2
Mick Cronin	2003-04	28-6
Tevester Anderson	1998-99	27-6
Mark Gottfried	1995-96	19-10
Steve Prohm	2022-23	17-15
Matt McMahon	2015-16	17-14
Scott Edgar	1991-92	17-13
Steve Newton	1985-86	17-12
Ryan Miller	2025-26	17-7

Modern era since 1948

Teams with No Returners 2025-26

Arkansas State	Ryan Pannone
Baylor	Scott Drew
Cleveland State	Rob Summers
Memphis	Anfernee Hardaway
Miami	Jai Lucas
Murray State	Ryan Miller
New Mexico	Eric Olen
North Texas	Daniyal Robinson
Sacramento State	Mike Bibby

Racers are now about to begin their fourth basketball season in the MVC in 2025-26.

- o MSU is 29-31 in their first three seasons in the MVC.
- o After 11-9 in 2022-23, MSU has gone 9-11 in the last two seasons.
- o At State Farm Arch Madness, the Racers are 2-3 and have made the quarterfinals twice including last season when they defeated Evansville in the first round.
- o The Racers received their highest preseason slot in recent poll voting of third place behind UNI and Illinois State.
- o MSU newcomers Fred King, Mason Miller, Brayden Shorter and JJ Traynor.
- o The Racers open play in the MVC at home against Drake (Dec. 18).
- o In the pre-MVC season, the Racers have 11 games with six at home and one on the road at SMU.
- o MSU has three neutral site events including the season opener in Sioux Falls, S.D. against Omaha (Nov. 3), a three-game trip (Nov. 23-25) to the Cayman Islands Classic, against MTSU, McNeese State & George Washington) and a game against Akron in Las Vegas at the Jack Jones Classic (Dec. 13).

The 20-Game Grind in the Valley

Time certainly seems to have flown by as the Racers are now about to begin their fourth basketball season in the MVC in 2025-26. Here are some highlights of a promising season for MSU.

- o Three games in December including the MVC opener at home (Dec. 18) against Drake.
- o For the first time since 2022, the Racers play on New Year's Day when they play in Chicago against UIC.
- o MSU has nine-straight games in that there are two days off between games between Jan. 28 to Feb. 21. Eight MVC games await the Racers in January including home games with Bradley (Jan. 4), Valparaiso (Jan. 10), Indiana State (Jan. 17) and Illinois State (Jan. 28).
- o The final four home games of the season take place in February with games against UIC (Feb. 3), Northern Iowa (Feb. 9), Belmont (Feb. 15) and Evansville (Feb. 21).

Racers Add Navon Shabazz to 2026-27 Roster

Murray State head men's basketball coach Ryan Miller announced the signing of 6-3 guard Navon Shabazz who joins the Racers for the 2026-27 season as a freshman.

Shabazz, out of Des Moines, Iowa, joins the Racers from Iowa United Prep in Des Moines. In his sophomore season in 2023-24, Shabazz was an Iowa All-State selection and helped Davenport Assumption High School win the

Iowa Class 3A State Championship for the first time in 24 years. In the prior two seasons from 2021-23, he also played at Nova Southeastern University Prep in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

Racers Play Summer Ball in the Bahamas

- o It worked out well for new Racer boss, Ryan Miller, to be able to take the team to the Bahamas Summer League for three exhibition games (Aug. 4-6).
 - MSU won three games over University of Calgary twice and a local team to Nassau.
 - Fred King was able to return to his home country and see friends and family.
 - He also scored 53 points on 22-of-32 from the field with 31 rebounds.

Other Notables

- o The 2025-26 season has tremendous buzz and anticipation under Coach Miller.
- o With a team that is expected to compete for the MVC Title, Miller may very well rank high on the MSU list of first year head coaches come March.
- o The Racers are part of nine teams in NCAA DI that have no returners in 2025-26.

MVC Hosts NCAA Regional in 2026

- o The NCAA men's basketball tournament returns to St. Louis March 20 & 22, 2026 at Enterprise Center!
- o Missouri Valley Conference hosts the First and Second Rounds.

Murray State Basketball History

- o MSU's winning percentage is among the top-50 all-time in NCAA D-I for teams that have played 25 or more seasons at this level.
- o MSU began playing basketball at Wilson Hall in 1925 under Coach Carlisle Cutchin.
- o As a founding member of the Ohio Valley Conference in 1948, the Racers were part of the league moving into NCAA D-I in the 1950s.
- o The Racers played Southwest Missouri (now Missouri State) for the NAIB National Championship in 1952 under Hall of Fame Coach Harlan Hodges.
- o MSU lost to the Bears 73-64 in Kansas City.
- o After 74 seasons in the OVC and winners of 28 regular season championships and 18 NCAA Tournament appearances, the Racers joined the Missouri Valley Conference in the 2022-23 season.
- o 2025-26 is Murray State's fourth school year as members of the MVC and third season as a member of the Missouri Valley Football Conference.

COLLEGE INSIDER TOP-25				
(Feb. 02)				
Rk	Team	Rec	Pts	Prev
1	Gonzaga (30)	22-1	773	1
2	Miami (I)	22-0	741	2
3	Liberty	18-3	682	3
4	Belmont	20-3	663	5
5	Saint Mary's	19-4	647	4
6	Akron	18-4	617	10
7	Santa Clara	19-5	601	9
8	High Point	20-4	523	7
9	North Dakota State	19-5	496	12
10	Yale	16-4	436	6
11	UNCW	18-3	428	13
12	Hawaii	16-5	395	11
13	UC Irvine	15-7	377	21
14	Murray State	16-7	325	8
15	McNeese	18-4	324	15
16	Stephen F Austin	19-3	312	16
17	Kent State	16-6	253	14
18	Winthrop	16-8	176	20
19	ETSU	16-7	162	18
20	Troy	15-8	135	17
21	St. Thomas (MN)	18-6	131	19
22	Utah Valley	16-6	119	23
23	Wright State	15-8	82NR	(30)
24	UC Santa Barbara	15-7	74NR	(41)
25	Portland State	14-6	62	25

RECEIVING VOTES: Illinois State 61, Cal Baptist 47, South Alabama 42, Sam Houston 38, UT Martin 37, **Bradley 33**, Charleston 29, UC San Diego 26, Navy 22, **Northern Iowa 22**, Mercer 21, San Francisco 21, Bowling Green 15, Oakland 14, Tennessee State 13, **UIC 13**, Harvard 10, Missouri State 10, Lipscomb 9, Pacific 8, Furman 8, Merrimack 7, Alabama A&M 6, Appalachian State 6, UT Arlington 5, Austin Peay 5, William & Mary 4, Wofford 3, Long Island 2, Stony Brook 2, Hofstra 1, North Dakota 1.

MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE

MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE 2025-26 STANDINGS

SCHOOL	MVC					Overall					
	MVC	PCT.	H	A	STR	ALL	PCT.	H	A	N	L10STRk
Belmont	12-2	.857	6-1	6-1	W9	22-3	.880	10-2	10-1	2-0	9-1 W9
Murray State	10-4	.714	6-1	4-3	W2	18-7	.720	11-1	4-4	3-2	6-4 W2
Bradley	9-5	.643	6-1	3-4	L1	16-9	.640	11-2	3-5	2-2	6-4 L1
Illinois State	8-5	.615	5-2	3-3	W1	16-8	.667	10-2	4-4	2-2	5-5 W1
UIC	8-6	.571	4-3	4-3	L2	13-12	.520	7-4	5-7	1-1	8-2 L2
UNI	7-6	.538	5-2	2-4	W2	15-9	.625	11-3	3-5	1-1	4-6 W2
Valparaiso	6-7	.462	5-2	1-5	W1	12-12	.500	10-4	2-8	0-0	6-4 W1
Drake	6-8	.429	3-3	3-5	L3	12-13	.480	6-7	4-5	2-1	4-6 L3
Southern Illinois	4-9	.308	2-5	2-4	L1	10-14	.417	6-5	3-8	1-1	4-6 L1
Indiana State	3-10	.231	2-4	1-6	W1	10-14	.417	7-4	3-9	0-1	2-8 W1
Evansville	1-12	.077	0-6	1-6	L6	5-19	.208	3-8	1-9	1-2	1-9 L6

MSU TRENDS VS MVC TEAMS

ALL GAMES

Most Recent Game

Last Opposite Result

Opponent	Streak	Date	W/L	H/A	Score	Date	W/L	H/A	Score
Valparaiso	Won 8	01-10-26	Won	Home	92-79	11-29-14	Lost	Neutral	93-58
Southern Illinois	Won 4	02-06-26	Won	Away	91-81	02-21-24	Lost	Away	72-68
Drake	Lost 1	01-22-26	Lost	Away	101-90	12-18-25	Won	Home	81-72
UIC	Won 3	02-03-26	Won	Home	81-74	01-15-25	Lost	Away	97-93 ^{20T}
Indiana State	Won 2	01-17-26	Won	Home	85-81	12-18-24	Lost	Away	84-74
Belmont	Lost 5	01-31-26	Lost	Away	103-86	02-01-23	Won	Home	83-82
Illinois State	Lost 4	01-28-26	Lost	Home	70-65	02-15-23	Won	Away	76-75
Bradley	Won 1	01-05-26	Won	Home	88-66	02-22-25	Lost	Away	85-83
Evansville	Won 1	01-07-26	Won	Away	79-69	01-19-25	Lost	Away	78-74
UNI	Lost 2	01-24-26	Lost	Away	81-76	01-11-25	Won	Away	71-68

HOME GAMES

Most Recent Game

Last Opposite Result

Opponent	Streak	Date	W/L	H/A	Score	Date	W/L	H/A	Score
UIC	Won 5	02-02-26	Won	Home	81-74	MSU 5-0 all-time			
Evansville	Won 4	12-03-24	Won	Home	63-61	12-05-15	Lost	Home	85-81 OT
Valparaiso	Won 4	01-10-26	Won	Home	92-79	12-29-12	Lost	Home	66-64
Indiana State	Won 2	01-17-26	Won	Home	85-81	01-21-24	Lost	Home	72-63
Drake	Won 1	12-18-25	Won	Home	81-72	02-04-25	Lost	Home	55-45
Southern Illinois	Won 1	12-29-25	Won	Home	84-81	11-19-19	Won	Home	79-66
Illinois State	Lost 3	01-28-26	Lost	Home	70-65	12-01-22	Won	Home	70-67 ^{OT}
Belmont	Lost 2	01-25-25	Lost	Home	95-77	02-01-23	Won	Home	83-82
Bradley	Won 1	01-05-26	Won	Home	88-66	01-18-25	Lost	Home	74-61
UNI	Lost 1	01-14-24	Lost	Home	70-60	None			

AWAY GAMES

Most Recent Game

Last Opposite Result

Opponent	Streak	Date	W/L	H/A	Score	Date	W/L	H/A	Score
Valparaiso	Won 3	12-21-25	Won	Away	85-79	11-08-13	Lost	Away	77-74
UNI	Lost 1	01-24-26	Lost	Away	81-76	01-08-25	Won	Away	71-68
Southern Illinois	Won 3	02-06-26	Won	Away	91-81	02-21-24	Lost	Away	72-68
Drake	Lost 1	01-22-26	Lost	Away	101-90	01-05-25	Won	Away	66-59
Evansville	Won 1	01-07-26	Won	Away	79-69	01-29-25	Lost	Away	78-74
UIC	Won 1	01-01-26	Won	Away	81-77	01-15-25	Lost	Away	97-93 ^{20T}
Illinois State	Lost 1	12-03-23	Lost	Away	76-72	12-13-15	Lost	Away	63-61
Indiana State	Lost 3	12-18-24	Lost	Away	84-74	11-26-08	Won	Away	67-61
Bradley	Lost 3	02-22-25	Lost	Away	85-83	12-19-81	Won	Away	58-56
Belmont	Lost 4	01-31-26	Lost	Away	103-86	01-15-22	Won	Away	82-60

MVC PRESEASON POLL

2025-26 Predicted Order of Finish

1.	Illinois State	34 1st pl. votes	487
2.	Northern Iowa	8	442
3.	Murray State	4	385
4.	Bradley	0	370
5.	Belmont	0	344

MVC WEEKLY AWARDS

11-07-24	Javon Jackson	Player of Week
12-01-25	Roman Domon	Freshman of Week
12-15-25	Layne Taylor	Newcomer of Week
12-23-25	Fred King	Player of Week
12-23-25	Roman Domon	Freshman of Week
01-12-26	Roman Domon	Freshman of Week

RECENT MVC CHAMPIONS

Season	Regular	Rec	Tournament
2001-02	CU/SIU	14-4	Creighton
2002-03	SIU	16-2	Creighton
2003-04	SIU	17-1	UNI
2004-05	SIU	15-3	Creighton
2005-06	Wichita State	14-4	SIU
2006-07	SIU	15-3	Creighton
2007-08	Drake	15-3	Drake
2008-09	UNI/CU	14-4	UNI
2009-10	UNI	15-3	UNI
2010-11	Missouri State	15-3	INST
2011-12	Wichita State	16-2	Creighton
2012-13	Creighton	13-5	Creighton
2013-14	Wichita State	18-0	Wichita
2014-15	Wichita State	17-1	UNI
2015-16	Wichita State	16-2	UNI
2016-17	ILST/WSU	17-1	Wichita
2017-18	Loyola	15-3	Loyola
2018-19	Drake/Loyola	12-6	Bradley
2019-20	UNI	14-4	Bradley
2020-21	Loyola	16-2	Loyola
2021-22	UNI	14-4	Loyola
2022-23	Bradley	16-4	Drake
2023-24	Indiana State	17-3	Drake
2024-25	Drake	17-3	Drake
2025-26			

COACH RYAN MILLER



Ryan Miller is in his first season as Murray State Head Coach in the 2025-26 season and his 23rd overall season in college basketball. He was introduced as the Racers' 18th head coach on March 17, 2025.

Ryan Miller's Winning Pedigree

- Regarded as one of the nation's top recruiters, has had a career with stops at Creighton, TCU, Auburn and others.
- Comes to MSU after serving as the top assistant for the Creighton Bluejays
- Has coached in eight NCAA Tournaments.
- Won five regular-season championships and has one league tournament title.
- Assembled multiple top-15 recruiting classes nationally throughout his tenure.

- Developed numerous NBA standouts, including Desmond Bane, Derrick Jones, Baylor Scheierman, Christian Wood, Rashad Vaughn, and Patrick McCaw.
- Helped guide the Bluejays the Big East Championship game in 2024-25 and to four-straight NCAA Tournament appearances, including two Sweet Sixteen showings and a visit to the Elite 8.
- Creighton was 47th nationally in shooting, second in the Big East with a field goal percentage (.412).
- Helped secure the nation's No. 7 recruiting class shortly after arriving on campus in the spring of 2021. The class included three players on the BIG EAST's All-Freshman team -- Trey Alexander, Ryan Nembhard and Arthur Kaluma.
- Oversaw a Bluejay defense that ranked 19th nationally per KenPom in 2021-22, and 14th in 2022-23.

Career arc to becoming head coach

- Spent five seasons at TCU as an assistant coach (2016-18) and as an assistant head coach (2018-21)
- Horned Frogs reached the postseason three times with Miller on staff.
- 2018 NCAA Tournament trip that was the program's first bid to the Big Dance in 20 seasons.
- TCU's nine Big 12 wins that season remain a program record.
- In his first season at TCU, team went from 12 wins to 24 victories and claimed the 2017 NIT title.
- In 2014-15, was part of a UNLV staff that landed the nation's No. 11 ranked recruiting classes in 2015 and 2014 the class was No. 5.
- Was named the fourth-best recruiter outside the Power 5 while at UNLV by ESPN's Jeff Borzello and Adam Finkelstein.
- 2012-14, was also associate head coach at Auburn.
- 2007-12, assistant coach under Steve Alford.
- Lobos were 126-46 overall and made five consecutive postseason trips, including a pair of NCAA Tournament berths.
- New Mexico also won two regular-season Mountain West Conference Championships and one league tournament crown.
- Was assistant coach at Pepperdine 2006-07.
- First career position in 2003-06, was video coordinator and assistant director of basketball operations at Memphis under John Calipari.

Playing Career

- 1994-96, attended and played at Northern State
- Scored 1,804 points to finish his eighth on Northern State's all-time list
- Inducted into the Northern State Hall of Fame in 2001.
- Inducted into the Northern Sun Conference Hall of Fame in 2018.

Family Ties

- Miller and his wife Marna have two daughters, Melia and Halle.
- His brother, Mike, played 17 years in the NBA and was named NBA Rookie of the Year in 2001 and the NBA Sixth Man of the Year in 2006.
- Mike also won back-to-back NBA Championships with the Miami Heat in 2012 and 2013, respectively.
- Mike's son, Mason, played for Ryan Miller at Creighton and is playing the 2025-26 season with him at Murray State.

MILLER VS 2025-26 OPPONENTS

Akron	1-0	NON-CONF. OPP.
Bellarmine	1-0	Akron
Belmont	0-0	12-13-25 N W 115-100
Bradley	1-0	
Drake	1-1	Bellarmine
Evansville	1-0	12-06-25 H W 81-68
Geo. Washington	1-0	
Illinois State	0-1	Omaha
Indiana State	1-0	11-03-25 N W 85-77
Little Rock	1-0	
Middle Tenn.	0-1	Mississippi Valley
Miss. Valley	1-0	11-07-25 H W 108-67
Morehead State	1-0	
Nicholls	1-0	Morehead State
McNeese State	0-1	12-03-25 H W 84-52
Omaha	1-0	
SMU	0-1	SMU
Southern Illinois	2-0	11-11-25 A L 102-91
UIC	2-0	
UNI	0-1	Nicholls
Valparaiso	2-0	11-15-25 H W 99-79

MVC OPPONENTS

Belmont		Little Rock
01-31-26 A		11-18-28 H W 89-68
02-15-26 H		
Bradley		Middle Tennessee
01-04-26 H W 88-66		11-23-25 N L 90-87
03-01-26 A		
Drake		McNeese State
12-18-25 H W 81-72		11-24-25 N L 73-60
01-21-26 A L 101-90		
Evansville		George Washington
01-07-26 A W 79-69		11-25-25 N W 96-95
02-21-26 H		
Illinois State		
01-28-26 H L 70-65		
02-18-26 A		
Indiana State		
01-17-26 H W 85-81		
02-12-26 A		
Northern Iowa		
01-24-26 A L 81-76		
02-09-26 H		
Southern Illinois		
12-29-25 H W 84-81		
02-06-26 A W 91-81		
UIC		
01-01-26 A W 81-77		
02-03-26 H W 81-74		
Valparaiso		
12-21-25 A W 85-79		
01-10-26 H W 92-79		

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

2025-26 GAME LOG & LEADERS

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	18-7	11-1	4-4	3-2
CONFERENCE	10-4	6-1	4-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	8-3	5-0	0-1	3-2

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.	High Points	High Rebounds
11/03/2025	vs Omaha	W	85-77	1013	(24) JACKSON, Javon	(6) MILLER, Mason (6) TAYLOR, Layne
11/07/2025	Mississippi Val.	W	108-60	5214	(15) SHORTER, Brayden	(8) MILLER, Mason
11/11/2025	at SMU	L	91-102	4348	(26) JACKSON, Javon	(8) KING, Fredrick
11/15/2025	Nicholls	W	99-79	5079	(24) KING, Fredrick	(10) KING, Fredrick
11/18/2025	Little Rock	W	89-68	5079	(16) MILLER, Mason (16) SHORTER, Brayden	(6) KING, Fredrick
11/23/2025	vs Middle Tenn.	L	87-90	555	(18) KING, Fredrick	(6) KING, Fredrick (6) DOMON, Roman
11/24/2025	vs McNeese	L	60-73	0	(14) MILLER, Mason (14) DOMON, Roman	(12) KING, Fredrick
11/25/2025	vs George Washington	W	96-95	0	(24) JACKSON, Javon	(9) KING, Fredrick
12/02/2025	Morehead St.	W	84-52	4716	(14) JACKSON, Javon	(10) DOMON, Roman
12/06/2025	Bellarmine	W	81-68	4762	(17) TRAYNOR, JJ	(9) KING, Fredrick
12/13/2025	vs Akron	W	115-100	0	(23) TAYLOR, Layne	(8) TRAYNOR, JJ (8) KING, Fredrick
12/18/2025	Drake	W	81-72	4377	(16) KING, Fredrick	(11) KING, Fredrick
12/21/2025	at Valparaiso	W	85-79	1612	(20) DOMON, Roman	(6) TRAYNOR, JJ
12/29/2025	Southern Ill.	W	84-81	5058	(19) JACKSON, Javon	(9) TRAYNOR, JJ
01/01/2026	at UIC	W	81-77	805	(18) KING, Fredrick	(16) KING, Fredrick
01/04/2026	Bradley	W	86-66	5165	(20) JACKSON, Javon	(8) KING, Fredrick
01/07/2026	at Evansville	W	79-69	4017	(22) JACKSON, Javon	(11) DOMON, Roman
01/10/2026	Valparaiso	W	92-79	5112	(21) JACKSON, Javon	(10) KING, Fredrick
01/17/2026	Indiana St.	W	85-81	8083	(21) JACKSON, Javon	(13) KING, Fredrick
01/21/2026	at Drake	L	90-101	3148	(20) JACKSON, Javon	(10) DOMON, Roman
01/24/2026	at UNI	L	76-81	4073	(29) DOMON, Roman	(11) KING, Fredrick
01/28/2026	Illinois St.	L	65-70	5553	(19) KING, Fredrick	(11) KING, Fredrick
01/31/2026	at Belmont	L	86-103	3718	(22) KING, Fredrick	(8) KING, Fredrick
02/03/2026	UIC	W	81-74	4840	(18) DOMON, Roman	(14) KING, Fredrick
02/06/2026	at Southern Ill.	W	91-81	5234	(17) KING, Fredrick (17) DOMON, Roman	(9) KING, Fredrick

Attendance Summary

	Games	Attend	Avg/Game
Home	12	63038	5253
Away	8	26955	3369
Neutral	5	1568	314
Total	25	91561	3662

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

MURRAY STATE OVERTIME GAMES (SINCE 1983)

Date	Opponent	H/A/N	W/L	Score	Span	Tot	Notes
11-29-1983	*Tennessee State	Home	Won	65-58	---	---	
02-03-1984	*Austin Peay	Home	Won	90-85	16	---	
01-14-1985	*Youngstown State	Home	Won	66-62	25	---	
02-09-1985	*Tennessee Tech	Away	Lost	51-53	8	20T	
12-16-1985	Bowling Green	Home	Won	70-63	14	---	
12-05-1986	Southern Cal	Neutral	Lost	53-54	25	---	Wendy's Classic, Bowling Green, Ky.
02-07-1987	*Morehead State	Home	Lost	72-84	17	---	
01-05-1988	Memphis State	Away	Lost	70-76	18	---	
01-09-1989	Lamar	Home	Won	80-78	34	---	
12-09-1989	Southern Illinois	Home	Lost	108-114	20	30T	
12-29-1989	Texas-San Antonio	Neutral	Won	107-101	4	---	Lamar Invitational, Beaumont, Texas
02-19-1990	*Tennessee State	Home	Won	90-89	13	---	
03-15-1990	Michigan State	Neutral	Lost	71-75	8	---	NCAA Tournament, Knoxville, Tenn.
12-28-1990	South Alabama	Neutral	Won	88-78	13	---	BMA Holiday Classic, Kansas City, Mo.
02-08-1992	*Morehead State	Away	Won	93-91	41	---	
02-17-1992	*Tennessee Tech	Home	Won	103-99	3	---	
12-19-1992	Evansville	Away	Won	87-78	11	---	
01-09-1993	*Austin Peay	Away	Won	82-76	6	---	
01-30-1993	*Tennessee Tech	Home	Won	117-112	7	---	
03-01-1997	*Austin Peay	Neutral	Won	88-85	129	---	OVC Tournament Final, Nashville, Tenn.
01-03-1998	*Middle Tennessee	Away	Won	76-71	49	---	
12-30-1998	Florida State	Neutral	Lost	76-80	32	---	Rainbow Classic, Honolulu, Hawaii
02-13-1999	*#Eastern Illinois	Home	Won	94-89	15	20T	
01-18-2000	*Austin Peay	Home	Lost	75-77	22	---	
01-22-2000	*Morehead State	Away	Won	87-86	2	---	
12-08-2000	Ala.-Birmingham	Home	Won	84-72	21	---	
02-06-2001	*Austin Peay	Home	Lost	79-84	16	---	
01-24-2002	*Morehead State	Away	Lost	83-92	27	---	
02-07-2003	*Austin Peay	Neutral	Lost	56-59	44	---	OVC Tournament Semi, Nashville, Tenn.
12-07-2003	Western Kentucky	Away	Won	100-95	7	20T	
01-08-2004	*Eastern Kentucky	Home	Won	80-78	42	---	
11-19-2005	Cincinnati	Away	Lost	75-79	17	---	Season Opener
12-03-2005	Texas-San Antonio	Away	Won	89-79	2	---	
02-02-2006	*Austin Peay	Away	Won	69-68	17	---	
12-07-2006	*Eastern Kentucky	Away	Lost	66-72	21	---	
01-04-2007	*Tennessee State	Away	Won	86-83	4	---	
02-14-2007	*Tennessee State	Home	Lost	64-60	11	---	
01-03-2008	*Eastern Illinois	Away	Lost	83-80	16	---	
01-31-2008	*Austin Peay	Away	Lost	92-87	9	---	
02-28-2009	*Eastern Kentucky	Home	Won	70-65	37	---	
11-26-2011	Southern Miss	Neutral	Won	90-81	44	20T	Great Alaska Shootout, Anchorage, Alaska
02-02-2013	*Austin Peay	Home	Won	75-68	48	---	
02-20-2013	*Morehead State	Away	Won	106-100	5	20T	
03-09-2013	*Belmont	Neutral	Lost	70-68	5	---	OVC Tournament Final, Nashville, Tenn.
03-01-2014	*Southeast Missouri	Away	Lost	118-115	28	20T	Final game of the regular season
01-29-2015	*Eastern Kentucky	Home	Won	85-78	28	---	MSU pushed win streak to 16
02-14-2015	*Southeast Missouri	Away	Won	94-92	5	---	MSU Pushed win streak to 21
12-05-2015	Evansville	Home	Lost	85-81	22	---	
11-29-2016	Southern Illinois	Away	Lost	89-85	29	---	1st OT at SIU, 1st since 1989 at MSU
12-17-2016	South Dakota State	Away	Lost	88-84	5	---	Stark ties MSU record with nine 3-point baskets
01-21-2017	*Austin Peay	Away	Lost	84-81	9	---	1st loss at APSU since 2009. Broke 6-gm win streak.
02-08-2017	*Morehead State	Away	Lost	101-100	4	---	Jonathan Stark career-high 33 points.
03-01-2017	*Tennessee Tech	Neutral	Won	85-84	6	20T	OVC Tournament 1st Round. Stark 41 points.
12-21-2019	Evansville	Away	Lost	78-76	78	---	Tevin Brown 31 points.
01-18-2020	*Southeast Missouri	Away	Won	96-91	7	---	Matt McMahon 100th win
03-04-2021	Jacksonville State	Neutral	Lost	68-54	40	---	OVC Tournament semifinals
04-17-2022	#San Francisco	Neutral	Won	92-87	33	---	NCAA Tournament
12-01-2022	^Illinois State	Home	Won	70-67	8	---	MSU's first as MVC member
12-04-2022`	^Valparaiso	Away	Won	77-70	0	---	Back-to-back OT wins
02-26-2023	^Valparaiso	Home	Won	77-76	22	---	Back to back OTs vs Valparaiso
11-20-2023	UNCW	Neutral	Lost	83-81	6	---	Fort Myers, Fla.
12-14-2024	WKU	Away	Lost	81-76	36	---	MSU's first game at Diddle Arena since 2014
12-23-2024	Charlotte	Neutral	Lost	94-90	3	20T	Diamond Head Classic
01-15-2025	UIC	Away	Lost	97-93	6	20T	Racers scored 7pts in final 11 seconds to force OT
02-22-2025	^Bradley	Away	Lost	85-83	11	---	Terence Harcum 22 points, his best MSU

* OVC Game
 ^ MVC Game
 #NCAA Game

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

2025-26 MSU SEASON BOX SCORE

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	18-7	11-1	4-4	3-2
CONFERENCE	10-4	6-1	4-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	8-3	5-0	0-1	3-2

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Murray St.	1013	1144	0	2157
Opponents	910	1068	0	1978

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
22	JACKSON, Javon	25-25	609:17	24.4	135-317	.426	42-106	.396	101-117	.863	11	49	60	2.4	68	2	71	58	2	28	413	16.5
77	DOMON, Roman	25-2	565:19	22.6	97-184	.527	31-80	.388	118-147	.803	29	95	124	5.0	40	1	38	42	4	25	343	13.7
33	KING, Fredrick	24-23	583:38	24.3	126-191	.660	2-6	.333	74-119	.622	84	130	214	8.9	67	0	19	48	44	16	328	13.7
9	TAYLOR, Layne	25-22	642:46	25.7	75-178	.421	44-124	.355	29-36	.806	21	50	71	2.8	42	1	93	25	1	20	223	8.9
8	TRAYNOR, JJ	25-25	572:55	22.9	83-158	.525	19-58	.328	19-29	.655	37	61	98	3.9	53	2	20	31	24	10	204	8.2
34	SHORTER, Brayden	25-1	377:04	15.1	51-142	.359	38-127	.299	23-26	.885	10	34	44	1.8	23	0	13	14	3	5	163	6.5
13	MILLER, Mason	24-22	570:20	23.8	46-115	.400	39-98	.398	22-28	.786	25	70	95	4.0	47	1	11	13	4	9	153	6.4
2	COURBON, Mathis	25-0	415:49	16.6	38-85	.447	15-38	.395	36-46	.783	9	45	54	2.2	28	0	31	23	4	11	127	5.1
10	TENNER, KJ	25-3	351:21	14.1	40-92	.435	7-22	.318	25-32	.781	10	22	32	1.3	58	0	47	19	1	13	112	4.5
6	VICE, Brock	23-0	121:44	5.3	19-29	.655	3-9	.333	10-14	.714	15	27	42	1.8	20	0	3	8	5	5	51	2.2
11	ANDERSON, Dylan	25-2	189:48	7.6	15-40	.375	4-22	.182	6-10	.600	15	33	48	1.9	27	0	13	13	9	3	40	1.6
Team											32	30	62				8					
Total		25	5000		725-1531	.474	244-690	.354	463-604	.767	298	646	944	37.8	473	7	359	302	101	145	2157	86.3
Opponents		25	5000		729-1589	.459	141-404	.349	379-525	.722	296	581	877	35.1	505	18	301	288	66	178	1978	79.1

Team Statistics

	MUR	OPP
Scoring	2157	1978
Points per game	86.3	79.1
Scoring margin	+7.2	-
Field goals-att	725-1531	729-1589
Field goal pct	.474	.459
3 point fg-att	244-690	141-404
3-point FG pct	.354	.349
3-pt FG made per game	9.8	5.6
Free throws-att	463-604	379-525
Free throw pct	.767	.722
F-Throws made per game	18.5	15.2
Rebounds	944	877
Rebounds per game	37.8	35.1
Rebounding margin	+2.7	-
Assists	359	301
Assists per game	14.4	12.0
Turnovers	302	288
Turnovers per game	12.1	11.5
Turnover margin	-0.6	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.2	1.0
Steals	145	178
Steals per game	5.8	7.1
Blocks	101	66
Blocks per game	4.0	2.6
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	63038	26955
Home games-Avg/Game	12-5253	8-3369
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	5-314

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/03/2025	vs Omaha	W	85-77	1013
11/07/2025	Mississippi Val.	W	108-60	5214
11/11/2025	at SMU	L	91-102	4348
11/15/2025	Nicholls	W	99-79	5079
11/18/2025	Little Rock	W	89-68	5079
11/23/2025	vs Middle Tenn.	L	87-90	555
11/24/2025	vs McNeese	L	60-73	0
11/25/2025	vs George Washington	W	96-95	0
12/02/2025	Morehead St.	W	84-52	4716
12/06/2025	Bellarmino	W	81-68	4762
12/13/2025	vs Akron	W	115-100	0
12/18/2025	Drake	W	81-72	4377
12/21/2025	at Valparaiso	W	85-79	1612
12/29/2025	Southern Ill.	W	84-81	5058
01/01/2026	at UIC	W	81-77	805
01/04/2026	Bradley	W	86-66	5165
01/07/2026	at Evansville	W	79-69	4017
01/10/2026	Valparaiso	W	92-79	5112
01/17/2026	Indiana St.	W	85-81	8083
01/21/2026	at Drake	L	90-101	3148
01/24/2026	at UNI	L	76-81	4073
01/28/2026	Illinois St.	L	65-70	5553
01/31/2026	at Belmont	L	86-103	3718
02/03/2026	UIC	W	81-74	4840
02/06/2026	at Southern Ill.	W	91-81	5234

2025-26 MSU MISSOURI VALLEY BOX SCORE

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	10-4	6-1	4-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	10-4	6-1	4-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Murray St.	570	592	0	1162
Opponents	515	599	0	1114

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
22	JACKSON, Javon	14-14	348:59	24.9	77-181	.425	22-58	.379	56-66	.848	7	31	38	2.7	41	2	42	40	2	18	232	16.6
33	KING, Fredrick	14-14	357:37	25.5	84-132	.636	1-3	.333	38-58	.655	54	78	132	9.4	43	0	10	30	27	11	207	14.8
77	DOMON, Roman	14-2	336:28	24.0	57-110	.518	17-45	.378	76-94	.809	12	51	63	4.5	26	1	21	20	4	14	207	14.8
9	TAYLOR, Layne	14-14	370:48	26.5	45-101	.446	26-71	.366	16-19	.842	11	28	39	2.8	22	1	45	14	1	12	132	9.4
8	TRAYNOR, JJ	14-14	318:07	22.7	40-84	.476	11-36	.306	8-10	.800	17	37	54	3.9	29	1	6	13	12	5	99	7.1
34	SHORTER, Brayden	14-0	197:13	14.1	23-66	.348	14-55	.255	18-20	.900	4	19	23	1.6	12	0	3	6	1	2	78	5.6
2	COURBON, Mathis	14-0	221:40	15.8	17-41	.415	7-16	.438	24-30	.800	7	27	34	2.4	14	0	16	10	2	7	65	4.6
13	MILLER, Mason	13-12	323:33	24.9	17-55	.309	14-48	.292	9-11	.818	12	33	45	3.5	20	0	2	5	3	3	57	4.4
10	TENNER, KJ	14-0	182:47	13.1	16-41	.390	5-15	.333	5-8	.625	3	10	13	0.9	31	0	22	6	0	7	42	3.0
6	VICE, Brock	14-0	75:13	5.4	11-16	.688	2-6	.333	9-10	.900	12	18	30	2.1	14	0	2	7	4	3	33	2.4
11	ANDERSON, Dylan	14-0	67:36	4.8	4-18	.222	1-11	.091	1-4	.250	3	14	17	1.2	12	0	6	4	4	1	10	0.7
Team											13	11	24					4				
Total		14	2800		391-845	.463	120-364	.330	260-330	.788	155	357	512	36.6	264	5	175	159	60	83	1162	83.0
Opponents		14	2800		407-869	.468	82-225	.364	218-306	.712	155	342	497	35.5	279	10	164	153	36	89	1114	79.6

Team Statistics

	MUR	OPP
Scoring	1162	1114
Points per game	83.0	79.6
Scoring margin	+3.4	-
Field goals-att	391-845	407-869
Field goal pct	.463	.468
3 point fg-att	120-364	82-225
3-point FG pct	.330	.364
3-pt FG made per game	8.6	5.9
Free throws-att	260-330	218-306
Free throw pct	.788	.712
F-Throws made per game	18.6	15.6
Rebounds	512	497
Rebounds per game	36.6	35.5
Rebounding margin	+1.1	-
Assists	175	164
Assists per game	12.5	11.7
Turnovers	159	153
Turnovers per game	11.4	10.9
Turnover margin	-0.4	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	1.1
Steals	83	89
Steals per game	5.9	6.4
Blocks	60	36
Blocks per game	4.3	2.6
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	38188	22607
Home games-Avg/Game	7-5455	7-3230
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
12/18/2025	Drake	W	81-72	4377
12/21/2025	at Valparaiso	W	85-79	1612
12/29/2025	Southern Ill.	W	84-81	5058
01/01/2026	at UIC	W	81-77	805
01/04/2026	Bradley	W	86-66	5165
01/07/2026	at Evansville	W	79-69	4017
01/10/2026	Valparaiso	W	92-79	5112
01/17/2026	Indiana St.	W	85-81	8083
01/21/2026	at Drake	L	90-101	3148
01/24/2026	at UNI	L	76-81	4073
01/28/2026	Illinois St.	L	65-70	5553
01/31/2026	at Belmont	L	86-103	3718
02/03/2026	UIC	W	81-74	4840
02/06/2026	at Southern Ill.	W	91-81	5234

2025-26 MSU SEASON BOX SCORE (HOME)

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	11-1	11-1	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	6-1	6-1	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-0	5-0	0-0	0-0

Scores by Period

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Murray St.	512	523	0	1035
Opponents	384	466	0	850

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
22	JACKSON, Javon	12-12	292:23	24.4	58-137	.423	24-53	.453	53-58	.914	7	18	25	2.1	29	1	40	31	2	15	193	16.1
33	KING, Fredrick	12-11	289:01	24.1	60-95	.632	0-2	.000	47-69	.681	36	75	111	9.3	26	0	12	16	22	13	167	13.9
77	DOMON, Roman	12-1	252:12	21.0	44-79	.557	12-32	.375	36-50	.720	13	39	52	4.3	16	0	21	17	2	11	136	11.3
9	TAYLOR, Layne	12-11	294:16	24.5	38-88	.432	24-63	.381	10-13	.769	9	25	34	2.8	18	1	43	14	1	11	110	9.2
8	TRAYNOR, JJ	12-12	277:36	23.1	38-77	.494	9-29	.310	9-12	.750	14	36	50	4.2	16	0	10	16	8	4	94	7.8
13	MILLER, Mason	11-11	277:15	25.2	25-58	.431	20-50	.400	11-14	.786	13	29	42	3.8	18	0	6	3	2	5	81	7.4
34	SHORTER, Brayden	12-0	178:06	14.8	25-68	.368	22-64	.344	14-16	.875	7	18	25	2.1	11	0	7	7	2	3	86	7.2
2	COURBON, Mathis	12-0	197:02	16.4	22-43	.512	9-21	.429	11-14	.786	4	24	28	2.3	14	0	16	14	3	9	64	5.3
10	TENNER, KJ	12-1	179:39	15.0	21-46	.457	6-15	.400	12-15	.800	7	12	19	1.6	29	0	20	9	1	9	60	5.0
6	VICE, Brock	12-0	64:41	5.4	10-15	.667	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	8	17	25	2.1	12	0	1	4	4	2	25	2.1
11	ANDERSON, Dylan	12-1	97:48	8.2	7-23	.304	2-15	.133	3-4	.750	7	17	24	2.0	14	0	6	1	5	1	19	1.6
Team											17	11	28					3				
Total		12	2400		348-729	.477	130-349	.372	209-269	.777	142	321	463	38.6	203	2	182	135	52	83	1035	86.3
Opponents		12	2400		317-739	.429	64-185	.346	152-212	.717	138	266	404	33.7	233	6	114	154	27	86	850	70.8

Team Statistics

	MUR	OPP
Scoring	1035	850
Points per game	86.3	70.8
Scoring margin	+15.4	-
Field goals-att	348-729	317-739
Field goal pct	.477	.429
3 point fg-att	130-349	64-185
3-point fg pct	.372	.346
3-pt fg made per game	10.9	3.5
Free throws-att	209-269	152-212
Free throw pct	.777	.717
FThrows made per game	17.4	12.7
Rebounds	463	404
Rebounds per game	38.6	33.7
Rebounding margin	+4.9	-
Assists	182	114
Assists per game	15.2	9.5
Turnovers	135	154
Turnovers per game	11.3	12.8
Turnover margin	+1.4	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.3	0.7
Steals	83	86
Steals per game	6.9	7.2
Blocks	52	27
Blocks per game	4.3	2.3
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	63038	0
Home games-attendance	12-1035	0-0
Neutral site-attendance	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/07/2025	Mississippi Val.	W	108-60	5214
11/15/2025	Nicholls	W	99-79	5079
11/18/2025	Little Rock	W	89-68	5079
12/02/2025	Morehead St.	W	84-52	4716
12/06/2025	Bellarmine	W	81-68	4762
12/18/2025	Drake	W	81-72	4377
12/29/2025	Southern Ill.	W	84-81	5058
01/04/2026	Bradley	W	86-66	5165
01/10/2026	Valparaiso	W	92-79	5112
01/17/2026	Indiana St.	W	85-81	8083
01/28/2026	Illinois St.	L	65-70	5553
02/03/2026	UC	W	81-74	4840

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

2025-26 MSU SEASON BOX SCORE (AWAY)

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	4-4	0-0	4-4	0-0
CONFERENCE	4-3	0-0	4-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Murray St.	318	361	0	679
Opponents	327	366	0	693

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
77	DOMON, Roman	8-1	211:07	26.4	36-66	.545	11-27	.407	57-71	.803	9	34	43	5.4	15	1	12	14	2	9	140	17.5
22	JACKSON, Javon	8-8	192:38	24.1	47-111	.423	12-33	.364	31-39	.795	2	21	23	2.9	26	1	20	19	0	10	137	17.1
33	KING, Fredrick	8-8	202:49	25.4	51-73	.699	1-2	.500	16-25	.640	32	36	68	8.5	29	0	4	24	13	3	119	14.9
8	TRAYNOR, JJ	8-8	172:15	21.5	29-52	.558	7-20	.350	4-5	.800	11	14	25	3.1	20	1	3	6	9	2	69	8.6
9	TAYLOR, Layne	8-7	212:58	26.6	21-51	.412	11-36	.306	8-8	1.000	6	13	19	2.4	13	0	26	8	0	6	61	7.6
2	COURBON, Mathis	8-0	137:39	17.2	7-25	.280	4-11	.364	18-22	.818	3	15	18	2.3	9	0	8	4	0	2	36	4.5
13	MILLER, Mason	8-6	177:01	22.1	9-31	.290	8-26	.308	8-9	.889	9	20	29	3.6	15	1	2	5	1	2	34	4.3
34	SHORTER, Brayden	8-1	112:25	14.1	12-37	.324	4-28	.143	6-7	.857	2	7	9	1.1	8	0	2	3	1	0	34	4.3
10	TENNER, KJ	8-1	108:28	13.6	10-24	.417	1-6	.167	2-5	.400	2	7	9	1.1	18	0	20	6	0	2	23	2.9
6	VICE, Brock	7-0	34:44	5.0	5-8	.625	1-3	.333	7-8	.875	5	6	11	1.6	5	0	1	3	1	2	18	2.6
11	ANDERSON, Dylan	8-0	37:57	4.7	3-9	.333	1-5	.200	1-4	.250	4	8	12	1.5	6	0	5	4	0	2	8	1.0
Team											7	8	15					1				
Total		8	1600		230-487	.472	61-197	.310	158-203	.778	92	189	281	35.1	164	4	103	97	27	40	679	84.9
Opponents		8	1600		248-505	.491	48-131	.366	149-200	.745	93	195	288	36.0	163	8	118	84	23	55	693	86.6

Team Statistics

	MUR	OPP
Scoring	679	693
Points per game	84.9	86.6
Scoring margin	-1.8	-
Field goals-att	230-487	248-505
Field goal pct	.472	.491
3 point fg-att	61-197	48-131
3-point FG pct	.310	.366
3-pt FG made per game	7.6	6.0
Free throws-att	158-203	149-200
Free throw pct	.778	.745
F-Throws made per game	19.8	18.6
Rebounds	281	288
Rebounds per game	35.1	36.0
Rebounding margin	-0.9	-
Assists	103	118
Assists per game	12.9	14.8
Turnovers	97	84
Turnovers per game	12.1	10.5
Turnover margin	-1.6	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	1.4
Steals	40	55
Steals per game	5.0	6.9
Blocks	27	23
Blocks per game	3.4	2.9
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	0	26955
Home games-Avg/Game	0-0	8-3369
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2025	at SMU	L	91-102	4348
12/21/2025	at Valparaiso	W	85-79	1612
01/01/2026	at UIC	W	81-77	805
01/07/2026	at Evansville	W	79-69	4017
01/21/2026	at Drake	L	90-101	3148
01/24/2026	at UNI	L	76-81	4073
01/31/2026	at Belmont	L	86-103	3718
02/06/2026	at Southern Ill.	W	91-81	5234

2025-26 MURRAY STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

2025-26 MSU SEASON BOX SCORE (NEUTRAL)

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-2	0-0	0-0	3-2
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-2	0-0	0-0	3-2

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Murray St.	183	260	0	443
Opponents	199	236	0	435

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
22	JACKSON, Javon	5-5	124:17	24.9	30-69	.435	6-20	.300	17-20	.850	2	10	12	2.4	13	0	11	8	0	3	83	16.6
77	DOMON, Roman	5-0	101:60	20.4	17-39	.436	8-21	.381	25-26	.962	7	22	29	5.8	9	0	5	11	0	5	67	13.4
33	KING, Fredrick	4-4	91:48	22.9	15-23	.652	1-2	.500	11-25	.440	16	19	35	8.8	12	0	3	8	9	0	42	10.5
9	TAYLOR, Layne	5-4	135:31	27.1	16-39	.410	9-25	.360	11-15	.733	6	12	18	3.6	11	0	24	3	0	3	52	10.4
34	SHORTER, Brayden	5-0	86:33	17.3	14-37	.378	12-35	.343	3-3	1.000	1	9	10	2.0	4	0	4	4	0	2	43	8.6
8	TRAYNOR, JJ	5-5	123:04	24.6	16-29	.552	3-9	.333	6-12	.500	12	11	23	4.6	17	1	7	9	7	4	41	8.2
13	MILLER, Mason	5-5	116:03	23.2	12-26	.462	11-22	.500	3-5	.600	3	21	24	4.8	14	0	3	5	1	2	38	7.6
10	TENNER, KJ	5-1	63:14	12.6	9-22	.409	0-1	.000	11-12	.917	1	3	4	0.8	11	0	7	4	0	2	29	5.8
2	COURBON, Mathis	5-0	81:08	16.2	9-17	.529	2-6	.333	7-10	.700	2	6	8	1.6	5	0	7	5	1	0	27	5.4
11	ANDERSON, Dylan	5-1	54:03	10.8	5-8	.625	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	4	8	12	2.4	7	0	2	8	4	0	13	2.6
6	VICE, Brock	4-0	22:19	5.6	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	0-2	.000	2	4	6	1.5	3	0	1	1	0	1	8	2.0
Team											8	11	19					4				
Total		5	1000		147-315	.467	53-144	.368	96-132	.727	64	136	200	40.0	106	1	74	70	22	22	443	88.6
Opponents		5	1000		164-345	.475	29-88	.330	78-113	.690	65	120	185	37.0	109	4	69	50	16	37	435	87.0

Team Statistics

	MUR	OPP
Scoring	443	435
Points per game	88.6	87.0
Scoring margin	+1.6	-
Field goals-att	147-315	164-345
Field goal pct	.467	.475
3 point fg-att	53-144	29-88
3-point FG pct	.368	.330
3-pt FG made per game	10.6	5.8
Free throws-att	96-132	78-113
Free throw pct	.727	.690
F-Throws made per game	19.2	15.6
Rebounds	200	185
Rebounds per game	40.0	37.0
Rebounding margin	+3.0	-
Assists	74	69
Assists per game	14.8	13.8
Turnovers	70	50
Turnovers per game	14.0	10.0
Turnover margin	-4.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	1.4
Steals	22	37
Steals per game	4.4	7.4
Blocks	22	16
Blocks per game	4.4	3.2
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	0	0
Home games-Avg/Game	0-0	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	5-314

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/03/2025	vs Omaha	W	85-77	1013
11/23/2025	vs Middle Tenn.	L	87-90	555
11/24/2025	vs McNeese	L	60-73	0
11/25/2025	vs George Washington	W	96-95	0
12/13/2025	vs Akron	W	115-100	0

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2025-26 MSU SEASON GAME BY GAME

Opponent	Date	Score	W	Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds										
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
vs Omaha	11/03/2025	85-77	W	23-59	.390	9-32	.281	30-33	.909	10	26	36	36.0	21	12	14	4	8	85	85.0
Mississippi Val.	11/07/2025	108-60	W	38-79	.481	15-43	.349	17-25	.680	19	27	46	41.0	17	27	5	3	11	108	96.5
at SMU	11/11/2025	91-102	L	32-62	.516	9-26	.346	18-24	.750	8	23	31	37.7	25	18	15	3	5	91	94.7
Nicholls	11/15/2025	99-79	W	31-53	.585	12-22	.545	25-30	.833	12	26	38	37.8	15	16	20	6	9	99	95.8
Little Rock	11/18/2025	89-68	W	29-57	.509	14-30	.467	17-23	.739	11	21	32	36.6	17	15	9	2	7	89	94.4
vs Middle Tenn.	11/23/2025	87-90	L	30-62	.484	7-22	.318	20-29	.690	8	26	34	36.2	17	12	8	5	4	87	93.2
vs McNeese	11/24/2025	60-73	L	18-57	.316	9-33	.273	15-26	.577	15	33	48	37.9	18	12	20	4	4	60	88.4
vs George Washington	11/25/2025	96-95	W	36-68	.529	10-25	.400	14-19	.737	16	24	40	38.1	24	15	10	2	5	96	89.4
Morehead St.	12/02/2025	84-52	W	27-63	.429	10-31	.323	20-29	.690	19	31	50	39.4	16	16	11	2	4	84	88.8
Bellarmine	12/06/2025	81-68	W	30-57	.526	11-30	.367	10-11	.909	10	25	35	39.0	13	18	13	3	4	81	88.0
vs Akron	12/13/2025	115-100	W	40-69	.580	18-32	.563	17-25	.680	15	27	42	39.3	26	23	18	7	1	115	90.5
Drake	12/18/2025	81-72	W	23-57	.404	9-26	.346	26-31	.839	11	23	34	38.8	20	10	5	3	7	81	89.7
at Valparaiso	12/21/2025	85-79	W	28-57	.491	6-18	.333	23-28	.821	10	26	36	38.6	17	12	11	4	5	85	89.3
Southern Ill.	12/29/2025	84-81	W	29-57	.509	10-27	.370	16-21	.762	7	25	32	38.1	18	16	14	4	8	84	88.9
at UIC	01/01/2026	81-77	W	27-67	.403	8-24	.333	19-22	.864	18	23	41	38.3	19	17	14	6	8	81	88.4
Bradley	01/04/2026	86-66	W	30-59	.508	13-30	.433	13-14	.929	9	35	44	38.7	14	15	12	6	0	86	88.3
at Evansville	01/07/2026	79-69	W	27-59	.458	7-25	.280	18-27	.667	10	26	36	38.5	20	13	9	2	4	79	87.7
Valparaiso	01/10/2026	92-79	W	31-65	.477	12-31	.387	18-23	.783	12	23	35	38.3	18	16	11	5	10	92	87.9
Indiana St.	01/17/2026	85-81	W	29-62	.468	11-29	.379	16-23	.696	13	26	39	38.4	17	11	11	13	5	85	87.8
at Drake	01/21/2026	90-101	L	31-68	.456	7-32	.219	21-30	.700	11	26	37	38.3	27	12	11	3	5	90	87.9
at UNI	01/24/2026	76-81	L	26-62	.419	7-26	.269	17-20	.850	14	21	35	38.1	19	9	9	3	5	76	87.3
Illinois St.	01/28/2026	65-70	L	23-60	.383	4-22	.182	15-17	.882	7	26	33	37.9	15	8	8	3	9	65	86.3
at Belmont	01/31/2026	86-103	L	29-61	.475	6-23	.261	22-26	.846	16	17	33	37.7	19	11	13	4	5	86	86.3
UIC	02/03/2026	81-74	W	28-60	.467	9-28	.321	16-22	.727	12	33	45	38.0	23	14	16	2	9	81	86.1
at Southern Ill.	02/06/2026	91-81	W	30-51	.588	11-23	.478	20-26	.769	5	27	32	37.8	18	11	15	2	3	91	86.3
Total		2157		725-1531	.474	244-690	.354	463-604	.767	298	646	944	37.8	473	359	302	101	145	2157	86.3
Opponents		1978		729-1589	.459	141-404	.349	379-525	.722	296	581	877	35.1	505	301	288	66	178	1978	79.1

Murray St. Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
25	86.3	47.4	35.4	76.7	37.8	14.4	12.1	1.2	5.8	4.0

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2025-26 OPPONENT SEASON GAME BY GAME

Opponent	Date	Score	W	Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG							
vs Omaha	11/03/2025	85-77	W	30-64	.469	4-12	.333	13-18	.722	10	25	35	35.0	20	6	17	2	8	77	77.0
Mississippi Val.	11/07/2025	108-60	W	19-60	.317	4-15	.267	18-21	.857	15	27	42	38.5	23	7	23	5	4	60	68.5
at SMU	11/11/2025	91-102	L	35-74	.473	7-16	.438	25-30	.833	17	25	42	39.7	19	16	11	3	10	102	79.7
Nicholls	11/15/2025	99-79	W	30-72	.417	8-24	.333	11-13	.846	17	11	28	36.8	22	14	15	2	17	79	79.5
Little Rock	11/18/2025	89-68	W	27-61	.443	2-6	.333	12-16	.750	16	19	35	36.4	19	11	14	3	5	68	77.2
vs Middle Tenn.	11/23/2025	87-90	L	37-74	.500	6-16	.375	10-18	.556	17	29	46	38.0	23	17	10	4	3	90	79.3
vs McNeese	11/24/2025	60-73	L	29-70	.414	5-23	.217	10-19	.526	13	27	40	38.3	23	16	8	5	15	73	78.4
vs George Washington	11/25/2025	96-95	W	31-61	.508	7-19	.368	26-33	.788	10	20	30	37.3	20	11	7	2	5	95	80.5
Morehead St.	12/02/2025	84-52	W	22-59	.373	3-12	.250	5-10	.500	9	21	30	36.4	22	6	11	1	8	52	77.3
Bellarmine	12/06/2025	81-68	W	25-49	.510	6-18	.333	12-16	.750	2	16	18	34.6	12	14	11	0	8	68	76.4
vs Akron	12/13/2025	115-100	W	37-76	.487	7-18	.389	19-25	.760	15	19	34	34.5	23	19	8	3	6	100	78.5
Drake	12/18/2025	81-72	W	26-58	.448	3-16	.188	17-23	.739	12	23	35	34.6	21	9	11	1	3	72	78.0
at Valparaiso	12/21/2025	85-79	W	31-65	.477	7-18	.389	10-15	.667	11	23	34	34.5	24	14	11	2	4	79	78.1
Southern Ill.	12/29/2025	84-81	W	33-68	.485	3-8	.375	12-17	.706	14	24	38	34.8	22	4	13	0	10	81	78.3
at UIC	01/01/2026	81-77	W	26-64	.406	4-12	.333	21-26	.808	18	24	42	35.3	22	14	15	4	8	77	78.2
Bradley	01/04/2026	86-66	W	23-70	.329	7-18	.389	13-16	.813	13	20	33	35.1	15	8	4	2	5	66	77.4
at Evansville	01/07/2026	79-69	W	27-53	.509	1-12	.083	14-19	.737	5	27	32	34.9	19	15	15	4	5	69	76.9
Valparaiso	01/10/2026	92-79	W	27-58	.466	7-16	.438	18-22	.818	10	25	35	34.9	21	9	16	4	6	79	77.1
Indiana St.	01/17/2026	85-81	W	32-66	.485	8-16	.500	9-15	.600	12	23	35	34.9	20	11	12	3	8	81	77.3
at Drake	01/21/2026	90-101	L	32-64	.500	5-12	.417	32-41	.780	11	34	45	35.5	23	9	9	3	8	101	78.5
at UNI	01/24/2026	76-81	L	31-54	.574	7-15	.467	12-21	.571	6	25	31	35.2	16	14	8	2	5	81	78.6
Illinois St.	01/28/2026	65-70	L	28-56	.500	6-16	.375	8-14	.571	6	31	37	35.3	15	9	12	3	5	70	78.2
at Belmont	01/31/2026	86-103	L	37-66	.561	12-24	.500	17-25	.680	15	18	33	35.2	21	25	8	4	7	103	79.3
UIC	02/03/2026	81-74	W	25-62	.403	7-20	.350	17-29	.586	12	26	38	35.3	21	12	12	3	7	74	79.0
at Southern Ill.	02/06/2026	91-81	W	29-65	.446	5-22	.227	18-23	.783	10	19	29	35.1	19	11	7	1	8	81	79.1
Total		1978		729-1589	.459	141-404	.349	379-525	.722	296	581	877	35.1	505	301	288	66	178	1978	79.1
Murray St.		2157		725-1531	.474	244-690	.354	463-604	.767	298	646	944	37.8	473	359	302	101	145	2157	86.3

Opponents Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
25	79.1	45.9	34.9	72.2	35.1	12.0	11.5	1.0	7.1	2.6

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2025-26 GAME NOTABLES

DI Games Only
Biggest Lead
 Opponents: +34 at Belmont 2H 7:34
 Murray State: +55 H MVSU 2H 3:33
Biggest deficit overcome to win
 Opponents: -6 vs McNeese 18:17 1H
 Murray State: -8 vs Valpo 2H 13:40
High 1H Scoring
 Opponent: 54 at Belmont
 Murray State: 50 H Bradley
Low 1H Scoring
 Opponent: 23 H MVSU & UALR
 Murray State: 17 vs McNeese
High 2H Scoring
 Opponent: 57 at Drake
 Murray State: 68 N Akron
Low 2H Scoring
 Opponent: 24 H Morehead State
 Murray State: 36 H ILST
High Made Field Goals (Non OT)
 Opponent: 37 at Belmont
 Murray State: 40 N Akron
Low Made Field Goals
 Opponent: 19 vs Omaha
 Murray State: 18 vs McNeese
High Made 3PT Baskets
 Opponent: 12 at Belmont
 Murray State: 18 N Akron
Low Made 3PT Baskets
 Opponent: 1 A Evansville
 Murray State: 3 H Illinois State
High Made FT
 Opponents: 26 vs GWU
 Murray State: 32 at Drake
Low Made FT
 Opponents: 5 H Morehead State
 Murray State: 13 H Bradley

STARS OF THE GAME

*Racer Radio Postgame Interview
 Omaha Miller *Jackson
 MVSU Courbon *King
 SMU *Jackson
 Nicholls King *Taylor
 MTSU *Taylor
 McNeese *Courbon
 GWU *Jackson
 Morehead Traynor
 Bellarmine Jackson *Traynor
 Akron *Taylor
 Drake Miller *King
 Valparaiso *Traynor
 SIU Jackson *Traynor
 UIC *Traynor
 Bradley Jackson *Courbon
 Evansville *Taylor
 Vaparaiso Young *Shorter
 Indiana State Jackson *King
 Drake Domon
 UNI Jackson
 Illinois State King
 Belmont Domon
 UIC Jackson *King
 SIU *Taylor

MSU 50-Point Halves

Opp	1H	2H			Score
Omaha	--	51	N	W	85-77
MVSU	--	61	H	W	108-60
Nicholls	--	51	H	W	99-79
GWU	--	51	N	W	96-95
MORE	--	51	H	W	84-52
Akron	--	68	N	W	115-100
Bradley	50	--	H	W	86-66

MISCELLANEOUS

30+ POINTS	25-26	CAREER
20+ POINTS	25-26	CAREER
Javon Jackson	10	24
Layne Taylor	1	
Fred King	1	1
Roman Domon	1	1
10+ ASSISTS	25-26	CAREER
10+ REBOUNDS	25-26	CAREER
Roman Domon	3	3
Fred King	9	11
DOUBLE-DOUBLES	25-26	CAREER
Roman Domon	3	3
Fred King	8	10
Totals all schools played for		

MSU TRIPLE-DOUBLES

Name	P	R	A
*Ja Morant	17	11	16
03-21-19 Marquette			
Ja Morant	11	10	10
02-28-19 at Morehead			
Ja Morant	29	13	12
11-24-18 Mo. State			
Ja Morant	11	10	14
12-28-17 E. Illinois			
Isacc Miles	13	10	11
02-23-09 UT Martin			
* NCAA Tournament			

FREE THROW STREAKS

Current

Layne Taylor	5
Mathis Courbon	4
Fred King	3
Brock Vice	3
JJ Traynor	3
KJ Tenner	2
Brayden Shorter	2

2025-26 Season Best

Javon Jackson	21
Javon Jackson	18
Brayden Shorter	15
Roman Domon	15
Roman Domon	13
KJ Tenner	12

Best FT Streaks Since 2013

Jonathan Stark	39	2017-18
Bryce Jones	25	2016-17
Gee McGhee	24	2016-17
Bryce Jones	23	2015-16
Ja Morant	22	2018-19
Jeffery Moss	22	2013-14
Quincy Anderson	21	2023-24
JaCobi Wood	21	2023-24
Brian Moore	21	2022-23
Jonathan Stark	21	2017-18
Rob Perry	20	2022-23
Cameron Payne	20	2013-14
Ja Morant	19	2018-19
Terence Harcum	18	2024-25
Quincy Anderson	18	2023-24
Ja Morant	18	2017-18
JaCobi Wood	16	2022-23
KJ Williams	16	2019-20
Tevin Brown	15	2019-20
Anthony Smith	15	2019-20
T.J. Sapp	15	2014-15
AJ Ferguson	14	2024-25
Cameron Payne	14	2014-15

MSU Free Throw Streak Record

Jonathan Stark (2017-18)	39
Greg Coble (1989-90)	33

3PT STREAKS

Current Consecutive Games with 3PT

Player	Streak
Javon Jackson	18
Layne Taylor	12
Roman Domon	2
KJ Tenner	2

MSU Best this season

Mason Miller	10
Brayden Shorter	9

MSU 3PT Streak

40	Isaiah Canaan, 2011-12 to 12-13
28	Tevin Brown, 2021-22
23	Jonathan Stark, 2017-18
21	Tevin Brown, 2020-21 to 2021-22
21	Jonathan Stark, 2016-17
20	Cameron Payne, 2014-15
19	Jonathan Stark, 2016-17 to 17-18
18	Terence Harcum, 2024-25

GAME STARTERS

Opp	Guard	Guard	Forward	Forward	Forward
Omaha	Tenner	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	Anderson
MVSU	Tenner	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	Anderson
SMU	Tenner	Jackson	Shorter	Traynor	King
Nicholls	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Little Rock	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
MTSU	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
McNeese	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
GWU	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Morehead	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Bellarmine	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Akron	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Drake	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Valparaiso	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Southern Ill.	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
UIC	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Bradley	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Evansville	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Valparaiso	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Indiana State	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Drake	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
UNI	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Illinois State	Taylor	Jackson	Miller	Traynor	King
Belmont	Taylor	Jackson	Miller20	Traynor	King
UIC	Taylor	Jackson	Domon	Traynor	King
Southern Ill.	Taylor22	Jackson25	Domon2	Traynor25	King23

RECORD FOR LINEUPS

(2-0) Tenner, Jackson, Miller, Traynor
 Anderson

(0-1) Tenner, Jackson, Shorter,
 Traynor, King

(15-5) Taylor, Jackson, Miller, Traynor,
 King

(2-0) Taylor, Jackson, Domon,
 Traynor, King

START CHART

	25-26	Str	Career
Tenner	3		3
Jackson	25	25	25
Miller	22		22
Traynor	25	25	25
Anderson	2		2
King	23	23	23
Shorter	1	1	1
Taylor	22	22	22
Domon	1	1	1
MSU games only			