



UVA WISE

2023-24 MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

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2023-24 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Sat, Nov. 11	King University	Wise, Va.	W, 90-69
Sun, Nov. 12	Lees-McRae College	Wise, Va.	L, 100-99
Wed, Nov. 15	Johnson & Wales (N.C.)	Wise, Va.	W, 102-80
Sat, Nov. 18	#16 North Georgia	Wise, Va.	L, 78-68
Tue, Nov. 21	Southern Wesleyan	Wise, Va.	W, 89-76
Sat, Nov. 25	*Wingate	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Wed, Nov. 29	Carolina University	Wise, Va.	7 p.m.
Sat, Dec. 2	*at Limestone	Gaffney, S.C.	4 p.m.
Sat, Dec. 9	*Newberry	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Wed, Dec. 13	*at Emory & Henry	Emory, Va.	5:30 p.m.
Mon, Dec. 18	Chowan University	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Sat, Dec. 30	at #2 West Liberty	West Liberty, W.V.	4 p.m.
Wed, Jan. 3	*Mars Hill	Wise, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Jan. 6	*at Lenoir-Rhyne	Hickory, N.C.	4 p.m.
Wed, Jan. 10	*at #21 Lincoln Memorial	Harrogate, Tenn.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Jan. 13	*Anderson	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Wed, Jan. 17	*at Carson-Newman	Jefferson City, Tenn.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Jan. 20	*at Coker	Hartsville, S.C.	4 p.m.
Sat, Jan. 27	*Catawba	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Wed, Jan. 31	*Emory & Henry	Wise, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Feb. 3	*at Mars Hill	Mars Hill, N.C.	4 p.m.
Wed, Feb. 7	*Tusculum	Wise, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Feb. 10	*Limestone	Wise, Va.	4 p.m.
Wed, Feb. 14	*#21 Lincoln Memorial	Wise, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Feb. 17	*at Newberry	Newberry, S.C.	4 p.m.
Wed, Feb. 21	*Carson-Newman	Wise, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Wed, Feb. 28	*at Tusculum	Greeneville, Tenn.	7:30 p.m.
Sat, Mar. 2	*at Wingate	Wingate, N.C.	4 p.m.

UVA WISE CAVALIERS



2023-24 Record:
3-2 (0-0 SAC)
Wise, Va.
Blake Mellinger
(11th season)

WINGATE BULLDOGS



2023-24 Record:
3-1 (0-0 SAC)
Wingate, N.C.
Brian Good
(16th season)



SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE

GAME 6 - SAC Home Opener

Saturday, Nov. 24 | 4 p.m.
Wise, Va. | David J. Prior Convocation Center

LIVE STATS: Statbroadcast (uvawiselive.com)

TV: FloSports (flohoops.com/teams/6972111)

UVA WISE PLAY BY PLAY: Brendan Schabath

UVA WISE ANALYST: Steve Curran

RADIO: WLSD FM 92.5, AM 1220 (SAC road games only)

UVA WISE NEWS AND NOTES

>> The Cavs are 3-2 heading into the conference season Saturday after an 89-76 win over Southern Wesleyan Tuesday night. It was the best game of sophomore guard Patrick Shelley's career. He went off for a career-high 25 points coupled with a career-best 11 rebounds for the first double-double of his collegiate career. Shelley could barely miss in the game, going 8-for-11 (72.7 percent) from the floor and 5-for-6 (83.3 percent) from downtown. 8 made FG and 5 made 3FG are also new marks for the most in a single game in Shelley's career. He also added four assists, a block, and a steal.

After struggling against No. 16 North Georgia in the matchup prior, the Cavs got back to their identity Tuesday against the Warriors. They scored 20 points in transition and bucketed 19 points off of 13 Southern Wesleyan turnovers. UVA Wise also got 20 points off the bench in the game, contributing to their No. 9 rank nationally of 43.8 bench points per contest.

Sophomore guard Zion Fruster was exceptional again in the win. Fruster has been the straw that stirs the drink for the red and black this season, leading the team with 18.4 points per game, and scoring 17 or more points in all five contests. Beyond the scoring, Fruster added three rebounds, four assists and a steal. He's been one of the better passers this season for UVA Wise, ranking No. 2 in the SAC and No. 55 nationally with a 3.0 A:TO ratio. Junior guard Zy'Ever "Deuce" Wingfield had a quality outing as well, going 3-for-6 from the floor for 10 points. Wingfield is now shooting 23-for-37 (62.2 percent) on field goals this season, ranking him No. 2 in the conference and No. 46 across the country among all qualified D2 shooters.

The Cavs are 3-7 all-time in conference openers under head coach Blake Mellinger and Saturday could mark their first win in a conference opener since joining the SAC.

ABOUT THE WINGATE BULLDOGS

>> Wingate enters Saturday's matchup at 3-1 this season with its only loss coming at the hands of Converse University (5-0), a Conference Carolinas competitor. The Bulldogs have a very potent offense this season and their early-season numbers support that claim. They currently rank in the top 40 among NCAA D2 schools in Offensive rating (117.8, No. 33), A:TO ratio (1.38, No. 34) and 3-point percentage (40.5 percent, No. 39).

Wingate is coached by Brian Good, now in his 16th season with the program, and 29th overall as a head coach. Last year, Good led the Bulldogs to a 15-13 (10-8 SAC) record which included a win over UVA Wise, 89-77, in the team's lone showdown back on Feb. 11. The Bulldogs finished the season as the No. 3 seed in the SAC Tournament, eventually losing to Tusculum in the first round.

Good's squad saw 60 percent of its scoring disappear from last season, forcing them to lean on senior guard Donnell Nixon II for the largest offensive contribution this season. Last year, Nixon II averaged 12.6 points per game which ranked fourth on the team. This year he's already boosted those numbers substantially, averaging 20.5 points per game on 12-for-18 (66.7 percent) shooting from deep with 4.3 rebounds and 3.8 assists each contest. Nixon II was Wingate's lone preseason all-conference selection, being voted to the Preseason All-SAC 2nd Team prior to the beginning of this season.

The Bulldogs support Nixon II with three other double digit per game scorers in juniors Josh Massey (18.5 points) and Kendall Taylor (10.8 points) as well as senior forward Vontrez Roberts (10.5 points). Those three players are a combined 6-for-12 (50 percent) from deep this season. Wingate plays a similar style of offense to UVA Wise, typically trotting out four players who can operate on the perimeter with speed and efficiency, resulting in fast paced action up and down the floor.

Defensively, Wingate does well shutting down opponents when they get near the rim. The Bulldogs rank No. 5 in the country, allowing opposing teams to score just 19.8 percent of their points in the paint, at an average of 16.5 paint points per game, which ranks No. 8 nationally. Wingate can also shut down squads in transition, allowing a stark 4.8 fast break points per game so far this year, ranking No. 28 across the country.

CAVALIER PROBABLE STARTING FIVE



Zion Fruster



Carmelo Pacheco



Deuce Wingfield



Patrick Shelley



Joe'I Pettiford

	PPG	18.4	PPG	9.0	PPG	12.4	PPG	15.0	PPG	7.8
	APG	3.2	APG	1.4	APG	3.2	APG	3.2	RPG	3.6
	RPG	3.8	RPG	1.6	RPG	3.8	RPG	4.8	BLKs	3
	FG	50.0%	FG	45.9%	FG	62.2%	FG	60.5%	FG	60.0%
	3 FG	44.0%	3 FG	37.0%	3 FG	3-4	3 FG	62.5%	3 FG	3-7
	FT	73.9%	FT	1-1	FT	13-16	FT	70.4%	FT	6-6

CAVS ON THE AIR



All UVA Wise home games will be broadcast live on FloSports.

All road SAC games will be live on radio at WLSD 92.5 FM, 1220 AM.

Play-by-play announcer **Brendan Schabath** will be joined on-air by partner **Steve Curran** as the analyst this season.

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2023-24 UVA WISE MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER



NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht./Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
0	CALEN LIGHTFORD	G	5-11, 175 LBS	SO.	HUNTSVILLE, ALA./SPARKMAN HIGH SCHOOL
1	CARMELO PACHECO	G	6-5, 190 LBS	FR.	HARRISONBURG, VA./FORK UNION MILITARY ACADEMY
2	ZY'EVER WINGFIELD	G	6-4, 185 LBS	JR.	RICHMOND, VA./LE MOYNE COLLEGE (N.Y.)
3	PATRICK SHELLEY	G/F	6-4, 195 LBS	SO.	ROME, GA./DARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
4	JAKE HATCH	F	6-10, 215 LBS	FR.	HOOVER, ALA./HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL
5	ZION FRUSTER	G	6-2, 180 LBS	SO.	DOUGLASVILLE, GA./HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL
10	LAV CVETKOVIC'	F	6-7, 210 LBS	JR.	NOVI SAD, SERBIA/COLLIN COLLEGE (TEXAS)
11	BEN BRYSON	G	6-3, 190 LBS	SR.	MILLS RIVER, N.C./WEST HENDERSON HIGH SCHOOL
12	BRAD HALVORSEN	G	6-1, 165 LBS	JR.	KINGSPORT, TENN./ CHRIST SCHOOL
13	ISAIAH MCAMIS	G	6-1, 180 LBS	R-JR.	WISE, VA./CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
14	DANTE WORLEY	G	6-0, 170 LBS	FR.	BRISTOL, VA./VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL
20	JOSH NEWLAND	G	6-1, 160 LBS	SO.	MANASSAS, VA./OSBOURN HIGH SCHOOL
21	FILIP BRKIC'	G	6-4, 190 LBS	FR.	ZAGREB, CROATIA/FLORIDA COASTAL PREP
22	ZACHARY OWENS	G	6-0, 170 LBS	SR.	CASTLEWOOD, VA./CASTLEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL
23	RRON UKAJ	F	6-7, 220 LBS	SR.	PEJA, KOSOVO/EASTERN FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE
24	JOE'L PETTIFORD	F	6-7, 230 LBS	R-SO.	GREENSBORO, N.C./FORK UNION MILITARY ACADEMY
33	EVAN RAMSEY	F	7-0, 245 LBS	FR.	ABINGDON, VA./ABINGDON HIGH SCHOOL

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER (PRONUNCIATIONS)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht./Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
21	FILIP BRKIC' (fill-ip, BRICK)	G	6-4, 190 LBS	FR.	ZAGREB, CROATIA/FLORIDA COASTAL PREP
11	BEN BRYSON	G	6-3, 190 LBS	SR.	MILLS RIVER, N.C./WEST HENDERSON HIGH SCHOOL
10	LAV CVETKOVIC' (LAHV, s-vet-KOH-vitch)	F	6-7, 210 LBS	JR.	NOVI SAD, SERBIA/COLLIN COLLEGE (TEXAS)
5	ZION FRUSTER (Zy-on, FROO-ster)	G	6-2, 180 LBS	SO.	DOUGLASVILLE, GA./HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL
12	BRAD HALVORSEN (HAL-vor-sin)	G	6-1, 165 LBS	JR.	KINGSPORT, TENN./ CHRIST SCHOOL
4	JAKE HATCH	F	6-10, 215 LBS	FR.	HOOVER, ALA./HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL
0	CALEN LIGHTFORD	G	5-11, 175 LBS	SO.	HUNTSVILLE, ALA./SPARKMAN HIGH SCHOOL
13	ISAIAH MCAMIS (mick-AIM-iss)	G	6-1, 180 LBS	R-JR.	WISE, VA./CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
20	JOSH NEWLAND	G	6-1, 160 LBS	SO.	MANASSAS, VA./OSBOURN HIGH SCHOOL
22	ZACHARY OWENS	G	6-0, 170 LBS	SR.	CASTLEWOOD, VA./CASTLEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL
1	CARMELO PACHECO (puh-CHECK-oh)	G	6-5, 190 LBS	FR.	HARRISONBURG, VA./FORK UNION MILITARY ACADEMY
24	JOE'L PETTIFORD (joe-ell, PET-uh-ferd)	F	6-7, 230 LBS	R-SO.	GREENSBORO, N.C./FORK UNION MILITARY ACADEMY
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3	PATRICK SHELLEY	G/F	6-4, 195 LBS	SO.	ROME, GA./DARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
23	RRON UKAJ (Ron, OO-kuh)	F	6-7, 220 LBS	SR.	PEJA, KOSOVO/EASTERN FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE
2	ZY'EVER WINGFIELD (Zie-ever, WING-field)	G	6-4, 185 LBS	JR.	RICHMOND, VA./LE MOYNE COLLEGE (N.Y.)
14	DANTE WORLEY (Dahn-tay, WUR-lee)	G	6-0, 170 LBS	FR.	BRISTOL, VA./VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL

HEAD COACH: BLAKE MELLINGER (**mell-in-jur**) (12TH SEASON, UVA WISE '06)

ASSISTANT COACHES: BLAKE STINSON (4TH SEASON, UVA WISE '21), AUSTIN HOWARD (3RD SEASON, FLAGLER '18)

SOPHOMORE SENSATIONS

The Cavs have returned three of their outstanding freshman from last season. SAC All-Freshman Team selections Calen Lightford and Patrick Shelley are joined by explosive scoring guard Zion Fruster in the sophomore class this year. Lightford returned as the leading scorer and distributor of the trio from last season as he averaged 8.0 PPG and 2.8 APG. All three players averaged 6.8+ PPG last year. Shelley was the team's best defender from last year, leading the team in steals with 45 and finishing second in blocks with 16. This season, Shelley has already surpassed his career scoring mark from last year with a career-best 25 points against Southern Wesleyan on Nov. 21. Fruster has shot out of a cannon offensively to start the '23-24 campaign. He's scored 17+ points in each of the first five games for the Cavs, headlined by a 20-point performance against Johnson & Wales. Fruster can't miss from deep right now either. He's off to an 11-for-25 start from beyond the arc this season.



INTERNATIONAL INTRIGUE

One quick glance down the Cavalier roster and you'll notice something unusual about this team: foreign born players. UVA Wise has three international players this season, all of which moved to the United States during their teenage years to pursue basketball. Junior forward Lav Cvetkovic' hails from the European basketball hotbed of Serbia, after an outstanding young career in the SREM Basketball League and the Quality League of Belgrade. Filip Brkic' was a late basketball-loving bloomer after he became familiar with NBA star LeBron James. Brkic' picked up from Zagreb, Croatia and moved to Maine to play for the Foxcroft Academy Ponies before finishing his high school career at Florida Coastal Prep. Brkic' is one of just 15 active NCAA men's basketball players that calls Croatia home. Senior forward Ron Ukaj is from Kosovo, a small, landlocked country in Southeast Europe bordering Serbia, Macedonia, Albania and Montenegro. Ukaj has the beat on his international counterparts, as there are only three active NCAA mens basketball players that call Kosovo home.



FRESHMAN FIREPOWER

After having two SAC All-Freshman selections last year, Blake Mellinger and his staff may have just struck gold again with the freshman class joining the Cavs for the 2023-24 season. Dante Worley (Bristol, Va.), Filip Brkic' (Zagreb, Croatia) and Evan Ramsey (Abingdon, Va.) were all highly touted, 1,000 point scorers in high school. The headliner of the freshman class is guard Carmelo Pacheco (Harrisonburg, Va.). Pacheco, who averaged 24+ PPG, 7+ RPG and 3+ APG in his junior and senior seasons at Spotswood High School, made an immediate impact upon his arrival on campus. At 6-foot-5, he's a big guard who can handle the ball, has exceptional court vision and IQ, an outstanding play-making ability and a sweet shooting stroke. Assistant coach Blake Stinson said "he may be the most ready freshman I've ever seen play here." Pacheco has started all five games to begin his collegiate career and leads the team in minutes per game at 27.4. He's knocked down at least one triple in each game, going 10-for-27 (37%) to start the year with a 3-for-5 performance against Lees-McRae which totaled 9 points as he added 2 rebounds and 2 assists.



THREE-POINT BARRAGE

Last season, the Highland Cavaliers were one of the best and most prolific three-point shooting teams across the country. The Cavs averaged 25.8 three-point attempts per game, ranking 35th nationally. They made those threes at a 40.1% clip which was 6th in NCAA D2. The bulk of the shooting came from SAC Player of the Year, Bradley Dean, and 2nd Team All-SAC Selection, Luke Lawson, both of whom are no longer with UVA Wise. With expectations of a slump in the downtown shooting department this season, this year's team has proven everybody wrong with an unbelievable start to the year from beyond the arc. The Cavs are a soul-sucking 55-for-138 (39.9%) from deep through the first five games. This includes them going 23-for-46 (50%) in the first two games. Their current 3FG% of 39.9 ranks 58th in the country.

ABOUT THE CAVS CONT'D

OFF THE BENCH AND IN THE BASKET

Over three games from Nov. 11 - Nov. 15, for the first time in the NCAA Division II era of UVA Wise history, the Cavs scored 50+ bench points in three consecutive games. With 51, 57, and 51 bench points in respective games, the Cavs averaged 53.0 Bench Points Per Game in just five days. They currently rank 9th in the country in the category with 43.8 bench points per game. In game one (vs. King) it was Zion Fruster and Deuce Wingfield leading the way. Fruster had 19 points to open the season while Wingfield had 12 in his UVA Wise debut. Game two (vs. Lees-McRae) saw the same two players make a splash of the bench as Wingfield totaled a career-high 21 points and Fruster added 17. A third bench player, Rron Ukaj, made matters better for the Cavs with 14 points off the pine for the red and white. In game three (vs. JWU) it was pretty much all Joe'l Pettiford as he got off to a red hot start with 14 first-half points going towards his game-high total of 22. Four other Cavalier players scored 6+ points off the bench in that game as well.



THE SHELLEY FACTOR

Sophomore guard Patrick Shelley is a key piece to UVA Wise's success this season. The combo guard was named to the All-SAC Freshman Team last year after a 6.8 PPG, 4.4 RPG season in which he added 45 steals, putting him in the top 10 in total steals and steals per game within the South Atlantic Conferenc. Despite Shelley's 6-foot-4, 195 lb. frame, he's good enough defensively to often matchup with the opposing bigs down low. He's great on offense too. This season, Shelley is averaging 15.0 PPG in five games. This includes a career-high 25 points and a career-best 11 rebounds on Nov. 21 against Southern Wesleyan for his first career double-double. The multi-faceted Rome, Ga. native is also averaging 4.8 RPG and 1.8 SPG this year. He is second on the team in minutes at 24.6 per game, only trailing freshman guard Carmelo Pacheco.



BEAT THE BEST TO BE THE BEST

This season, the Cavs will play one of the tougher schedules in the country. They are currently slated to face three NABC top 25 teams this season over the course of four games: No. 16 North Georgia (L, 78-68), No. 2 West Liberty (Dec. 30) and No. 5 Lincoln Memorial (twice, Jan. 10, Feb. 14). Additionally, SAC opponent Carson-Newman, who the Cavs will face twice, is receiving votes in the NABC Poll. In the NCAA D2 Southeast Region, UVA Wise will match up against eight opponents who are in the top 10 or receiving votes in the region. Along with the aforementioned LMU, North Georgia and Carson-Newman (who are all currently in the top 5 of the region), the Cavs are slated to face No. 4 Tusculum, No. 7 Catawba, and Anderson Lenoir-Rhyne who are each receiving votes within the Southeast Region.



THE TRANSFER TANDEM

UVA Wise brought in two highly talented transfers this season. Zy'Ever "Deuce" Wingfield joins the Cavs from Le Moyne College (N.Y.) as a junior, while Lav Cvetkovic' transferred from Collin College (Tex.) as a junior as well. Last season, Wingfield averaged 7.6 PPG and 3.5 RPG on 52.4% FG for the Dolphins of Le Moyne (which is in now in the first year of its transition to Division I). The man they call "Deuce" has already wowed numerous fans with his athletic abilities and smooth playmaking skills. He went off for a career-high 21 points against Lees-McRae on Nov. 12 in the second game of his debut weekend in a Cavalier uniform. Cvetkovic' comes in averaging 8.6 PPG and 5.0 RPG last year as a smooth-shooting, 6-foot-7 forward who can operate on the perimeter without any trouble. He had a big night against JWU on Nov. 15 doing a little bit of everything for UVA Wise with 9 points, 5 rebounds, 6 assists, 1 block and 0 turnovers in 21 minutes.

TALE OF THE TAPE



SAC rank	WINGATE	STAT	UVA Wise	SAC rank
5	2.8	NET rating	6.0	3
7	85.5	PPG	89.8	5
9	83.5	Opp. PPG	81.8	9
6	47.6	FG%	51.8	2
5	45.8	Opp. FG%	48.1	11
4	40.5	3PT FG%	39.1	4
13	45.0	Opp. 3PT FG%	41.0	10
2	76.6	FT%	71.8	6
2	2.7	REB margin	-3.8	10
4	16.3	APG	18.8	2
2	1.28	A:TO Ratio	1.32	1
3	14.0	TO %	17.4	9
5	7.5	SPG	10.5	1
5	3.0	BPG	2.5	6

■ - Top 3 in SAC

■ - Bottom 3 in SAC

THE BULLDOG BREAKDOWN

>> Wingate has one of the most prolific offenses within the South Atlantic Conference. Knocking down 41.3% of their three pointers, the Bulldogs currently rank No. 3 in the conference and No. 30 nationally in the category. They also get high percentage shots inside the arc, averaging 41 2-point attempts per game, ranking No. 3 in the SAC and No. 89 nationally.

>> On defense, Wingate does not allow easy buckets to its opponents. The Bulldogs are allowing a conference-best just 16.5 paint points per game to their opponents. That number is good enough for a No. 8 rank nationwide. They also only allow 4.8 points in transition, ranking No. 2 in the SAC and No. 28 across the country.

>> Donnell Nixon II is the sharp-shooter leading the way for the Bulldogs. He ranks No. 9 nationally 3-point percentage, going 12-for-18 (66.7 percent) and his 20.5 points per game ranks in the top 60 among all D2 scorers. Defensively, junior forward Josh Massey is off to a fantastic start for the Bulldogs. He ranks No. 2 in the SAC and No. 18 nationally with an average of 2.3 blocks per game. The Western Carolina D1 transfer also already has 2 double-doubles this year, making him 1/3 players in the conference to have multiple double-doubles so far this year.

THE CAVALIER BREAKDOWN

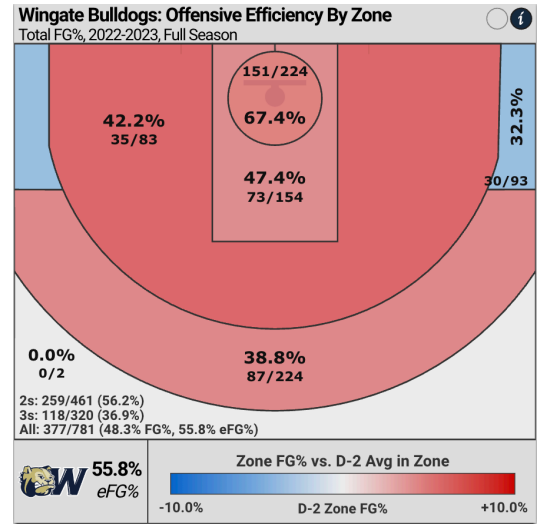
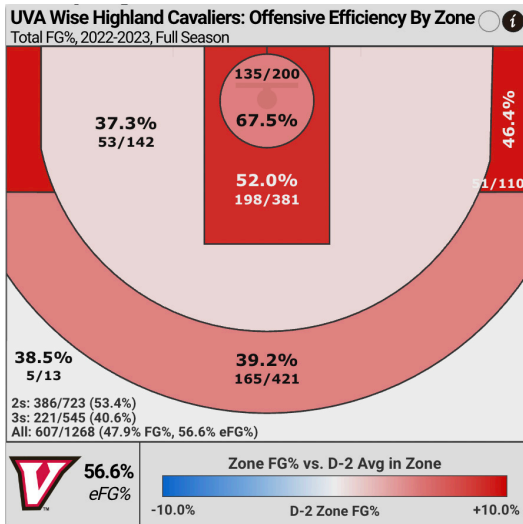
>> UVA Wise is off to a great start scoring the ball this season. Its NET Rating of 6.0 (NET Rating = difference between team and opponents points per 100 possessions) ranks them No. 3 in the SAC and No. 46 nationally. Their Effective FG% of 60.4 is second best in the conference and No. 17 across the country, as the Cavs have made 161 FG this season, 55 of which have been three pointers.

>> The Cavs have been one of the best passing teams in the country this season, averaging 18.8 assists per game, second in the SAC and No. 18 in NCAA D2. Surprisingly, no one player is leading the charge for the Cavs in the category. Instead three different players are tied for the team lead with 3.2 assists per contest and seven guys have dished out 7 or more assists.

>> By personnel, UVA Wise has a few standouts among the national ranks on both sides of the ball so far. Deuce Wingfield ranks No. 46 in FG% at 64.5 (23-for-37). The Cavs are No. 17 in the country with an average of 10.8 3FGM per game and Zion Fruster leads the way in that category for them, averaging 2.2 3FGM each outing. Fruster is also No. 55 nationally and No. 2 in the SAC in A:TO ratio at 3.0.

TALE OF THE TAPE CONT'D

2022-23 Offensive Shooting Charts



HOW THEY STACK UP

>> The Cavs have an opportunity to exploit some defensive shortcomings against a Wingate teams that is very prolific on the offensive side of the floor. While Wingate still has a quality defense, they struggle defending on the three point line. So far this season, opponents are shooting 45.0% from deep against the Bulldogs, which ranks No. 287 out of 304 NCAA D2 programs. Meanwhile, the Cavs have one of the better three-point shooting teams, ranking No. 58 nationally at 39.1% on threes. To boot, the Cavs make threes at a high rate, averaging 10.8 3FGM per game, a No. 17 best mark in the country. Even worse for Wingate, not only does it allow opponents to make threes at a high percentage, but it allows them to take many threes, allowing 27.3 attempts per game from downtown, 267th most in the nation.

>> Offensively for Wingate, the Bulldogs have been proficient in hanging onto the basketball through four games this season. Right now, Wingate turns the ball over on just 14% of its possessions, ranking No. 63 nationally. However, UVA Wise is one of the best teams in the country at forcing turnovers. The Cavs are forcing 19.2 turnovers per game this season, a mark that ranks them at No. 19 in the country.

>> UVA Wise has fallen behind the foul battle this season. So far, the Cavs have attempted just 94 free throws while their opponents have taken 114 shots at the foul line. UVA Wise is averaging 15.6 fouls drawn per contest, but Wingate opponents are averaging even less than that, drawing a shockingly low 4.5 fouls per game against the Bulldogs this year. UVA Wise will look to be aggressive and get to the line in order to win free throw battle Saturday.

Key Numbers

UVA WISE

STAT	VALUE	D2 RANK
Effective FG%	60.4	17
Assists / Game	18.8	18
3FG / Game	10.8	17
Turnovers Forced / Game	19.3	19
Opponent 3-Point %	41.0	266
Turnovers / Game	14.2	190

WINGATE

STAT	VALUE	D2 RANK
A:TO Ratio	1.38	34
3-Point %	45.0	39
Opponent Paint PPG	16.5	8
Opponent Fast Break PPG	4.8	28
Paint Points / Game	20.0	281
Opponent 3-Point %	45.0	287

THE LAST TIME

Series History: This will be the eighth meeting all-time between UVA Wise and Wingate. The Bulldogs lead the series as they're 6-1 against the Cavs historically. The seven games are bookended by a pair of 3-game win streaks. The lone UVA Wise win came on Feb. 20, 2021 as the Cavs knocked off the Bulldogs 104-99.

MATCHUPS SINCE 2013 (UVA WISE JOINS NCAA DIV. II)					
1/11/20	L, 77-74	at WINGATE	2/19/22	L, 106-66	at WINGATE
2/22/20	L, 83-73	at WISE	2/11/23	L, 89-77	at WISE
12/2/20	L, 98-86	at WINGATE			
2/20/21	W, 104-99	at WISE			
1/2/22	L, 93-72	at WISE			

UVA WISE 77 - 89 WINGATE

	1	2	Total	Records
Wingate	37	52	89	15-9,10-5 SAC
UVA Wise	38	39	77	14-10,7-8 SAC

A second half offensive push from Wingate's Destin Clark and Jarren Cottingham gave way for a 89-77 Wingate win over the Cavaliers in the Prior Center on Saturday afternoon.

WHAT HAPPENED

After a hotly-contested first half including four three-point balls each from Luke Lawson and Cottingham, the Bulldogs (15-9, 10-5 SAC) took control at the 16:56 mark of the second half and never looked back. A 22-7 run for Wingate led by a Cottingham three-pointer put the Bulldogs ahead by a score of 69-51 and their lead continued to grow. The Bulldogs held their lead for the remainder of the contest, but not without a last-minute rally from UVA Wise to get within 10, 87-77. A foul drawn by Wingate's Donell Nixon II and two charity stripe tosses would solidify the final score of 89-77 at the buzzer.

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE

- Lawson led the Cavaliers with 24 points and made seven three-pointers.
- Bradley Dean hit one three in the contest, but snagged 23 points including nine shots from the field. Dean also added a team-high nine rebounds.

- The Cavaliers grabbed 30 points in the paint while Wingate grabbed 34 under the bucket. The Bulldogs outrebounded the Cavaliers by a 32-26 margin.

- The Bulldogs found success from the field, hitting 35-of-62 shots (56.5-percent) and 12-of-24 from beyond the arc (50-percent).

- The Cavaliers shot a solid 29-of-62 shots (46.8-percent) from the field and 10-of-25 from three-point range (40-percent). Wingate's Cottingham led the Bulldogs with 22 points, while teammate Destin Clark put up a double-double with 15 points and 10 rebounds.

Date: 02/11/23		Time: 4:00 PM		Attendance: 172		Site: David J. Prior Convocation Center, Wise, VA		Referees: Matt Brockman, Terry McNeil, Justin Bass						
		Score By Period				1		2		Total				
		Wingate		37		52		89						
		UVA Wise		38		39		77						
Wingate 89														
#	Player	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	ORB-DRB	REB	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
02	Cottingham, Jarren	*	34	8-9	6-7	0-0	0-2	2	1	2	0	0	1	22
01	Massey, Josh	*	28	6-11	1-4	4-6	0-3	3	2	3	1	1	3	17
05	Clark, Destin	*	30	7-15	0-2	1-2	3-7	10	1	3	4	0	1	15
24	Nixon II, Donell	*	30	5-9	0-1	2-2	0-4	4	3	5	1	0	3	12
20	Letino, Sasha	*	25	2-3	0-0	0-0	2-4	6	0	0	3	2	1	4
11	Elmore, Sean		27	4-9	3-7	0-0	0-3	3	2	3	1	0	1	11
23	Wilson, Andreas		16	2-4	2-3	0-0	1-3	4	1	1	2	0	1	6
15	Greenidge, Ahman		10	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2
TM	TEAM		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals		-	200	35-62	12-24	7-10	6-26	32	12	17	14	3	11	89
Team Summary		FG		3PT		FT								
First Half		15-28 53.57 %		5-12 41.67 %		2-4 50.00 %								
Second Half		20-34 58.82 %		7-12 58.33 %		5-6 83.33 %								
Total		35-62 56.5 %		12-24 50.0 %		7-10 70.0 %								
Technical Fouls: none		Second Chance Points: 9		Scores Tied: 4 times(s)		Points in the Paint: 34		Fast Break Points: 21						
Lead Changed: 8 times(s)		Points off Turnovers: 26		Bench Points: 19		Largest Lead: 0 0								
UVA Wise 77														
#	Player	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	ORB-DRB	REB	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
14	Lawson, Luke	*	38	8-12	7-10	1-1	0-3	3	0	0	3	3	0	24
01	Dean, Bradley	*	38	9-17	1-5	4-5	0-9	9	1	4	5	0	2	23
11	Bryson, Ben	*	35	3-7	0-3	0-0	1-2	3	2	2	1	0	1	6
34	Ukaj, Rron	*	23	3-7	0-0	0-0	1-3	4	2	1	0	1	1	6
02	Lightford, Calen	*	20	1-2	0-1	2-2	0-0	0	1	6	2	0	1	4
05	Frustrer, Zion		20	3-8	1-3	0-0	1-0	1	2	1	2	0	0	7
03	Shelley, Patrick		16	1-6	1-2	2-2	4-1	5	3	0	1	0	0	5
10	Yacinthe, Kervens		10	1-3	0-1	0-0	1-0	1	1	0	3	0	1	2
TM	TEAM		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		-	200	29-62	10-25	9-10	8-18	26	12	14	17	4	6	77
Team Summary		FG		3PT		FT								
First Half		15-36 41.67 %		5-15 33.33 %		3-3 100.00 %								
Second Half		14-26 53.85 %		5-10 50.00 %		6-7 85.71 %								
Total		29-62 46.8 %		10-25 40.0 %		9-10 90.0 %								
Technical Fouls: none		Second Chance Points: 7		Scores Tied: 4 times(s)		Points in the Paint: 30		Fast Break Points: 18						
Lead Changed: 8 times(s)		Points off Turnovers: 14		Bench Points: 14		Largest Lead: 0 0								

AROUND THE SAC

2023-24 SAC PRESEASON POLL

RANK	TEAM	2022-23 RECORD
1	LINCOLN MEMORIAL (11)	27-4 (16-2)
2	CATAWBA (2)	22-7 (15-2)
3	NEWBERRY	19-10 (11-6)
4	<u>WINGATE</u>	15-13 (10-7)
5	TUSCULUM	16-11 (11-7)
6	CARSON-NEWMAN	13-15 (8-10)
7	ANDERSON	9-19 (5-14)
8	LENOIR-RHYNE	11-15 (6-11)
9	EMORY & HENRY	15-13 (6-12)
10	LIMESTONE	14-15 (8-10)
11	UVA WISE	19-11 (9-9)
12	COKER	12-17 (6-11)
13	MARS HILL	9-19 (4-14)

2023-24 SAC PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAMS

First Team	Second Team	Third Team
Gabe Brown, Emory & Henry	Mahmoud Bangura, Coker	Nick Brenegan, Carson-Newman
Me'Kell Burries, Lincoln Memorial	Martez Brown, Lincoln Memorial	Kendall Davis, Mars Hill
Kory Davis, Mars Hill	Garrett Denbow, Anderson	Kadyn Dawkins, Mars Hill
DeAngelo Epps, Catawba	Connor Jordan, Tusculum	Peyton Gerald, Catawba
Javeon Jones, Catawba	<u>Donnell Nixon II, Wingate</u>	Jake Moynihan, Emory & Henry
Chase Rankin, Lincoln Memorial	Jordan Walters, Lincoln Memorial	Matthew Sells, Lincoln Memorial

NOTABLE SAC GAMES THIS WEEKEND



X



LIVINGSTONE at COKER
FRIDAY, NOV. 24 - 5:30 PM



X



CATAWBA at FLORIDA SOUTHERN
FRIDAY, NOV. 24 - 7:30 PM



X



CARSON-NEWMAN at LANDER
SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - 3:30 PM



X



LENOIR-RHYNE at SOUTHERN WESLEYAN
SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - 2:00 PM



X



#21 LINCOLN MEMORIAL at KING
SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - 4:00 PM



X



COKER at JOHNSON C. SMITH
SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - 4:00 PM



X



CATAWBA vs. SAINT LEO
SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - 5:30 PM - LAKELAND, FLA.

SAC STATISTICAL LEADERS

STAT	TEAM (NATIONAL RANK)	VALUE
PPG	COKER (7)	98.8
Opp. PPG	LENOIR-RHYNE (119)	71.8
FG%	CARSON-NEWMAN (13)	54.0%
3FG%	CARSON-NEWMAN (5)	45.3%
eFG%	CARSON-NEWMAN (8)	62.4%
FT%	CARSON-NEWMAN (35)	77.6%
APG	CARSON-NEWMAN (6)	21.0
A:TO	UVA WISE (54)	1.32
RPG	CARSON-NEWMAN (13)	44.3
O. RPG	CATAWBA (36)	14.0
R. Margin	CARSON-NEWMAN (4)	15.0
BPG	CATAWBA (1)	7.0
SPG	UVA WISE (26)	10.5
TOPG	LENOIR-RHYNE (51)	11.0
T. Margin	CATAWBA (10)	8.0
WIN %	CARSON-NEWMAN (T1)	100%

NABC TOP 25 POLL

RANK	TEAM	RECORD
1	NOVA SOUTHEASTERN (16)	3-0
2	<u>WEST LIBERTY (W. VA.)</u>	4-0
3	CENTRAL OKLAHOMA	5-0
4	CAL STATE SAN BERNARDINO	3-0
5	CHICO STATE	3-0
6	SAINT MARTIN'S	5-0
7	FERRIS STATE	4-0
8	FAIRMONT STATE	4-0
9	MSU MOORHEAD	4-0
10	<u>NORTH GEORGIA</u>	3-0
11	WEST TEXAS A&M	3-1
12	MINNESOTA STATE	3-0
13	DBU	3-0
14	AUGUSTA	2-1
15	MSU DENVER	4-0
16	MINNESOTA DULUTH	3-1
17	NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE	2-2
18	ASHLAND	3-0
19	COLORADO MESA	3-1
20	FORT LEWIS	3-1
21	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	3-2
22	WEST GEORGIA	3-0
23	WALSH (OH)	2-0
24	EMPORIA STATE	4-1
25	FLORIDA SOUTHERN	4-1

SAC TEAMS RECEIVING VOTES: **CARSON-NEWMAN (14)**

BOLD DENOTES SAC MEMBER

UNDERLINE DENOTES UVA WISE OPPONENT



HEAD MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH **BLAKE MELLINGER**



Blake Mellinger enters his eleventh season leading the UVA Wise men's basketball program for the 2023-24 campaign.

In 2022-23, the Cavaliers wrapped up one of the most successful seasons in program history — collecting a 19-12 overall record, the team's first winning record since the 2009-10 season and the most wins for the program in the Division II era (most wins for the program since 2002-03). UVA Wise went 9-9 in conference, their best SAC record to date since their induction into the conference in 2019. In the postseason, UVA Wise defeated then No. 9-ranked Lincoln Memorial in the SAC Semifinals, 86-78, to enter the program's first-ever SAC Conference Championship. UVA Wise earned SAC Tournament Runner-Up status and All-Tournament Team honoree Bradley Dean's 21 points totaled his overall tournament scoring to 84, tying a SAC conference tournament record set by Denzail Jones of Anderson in 2012.

Also among SAC All-Tournament honorees was Luke Lawson, UVA Wise forward from Coeburn, Va. who used his last year of eligibility with the Cavaliers after a four-year career at Division I UNC Asheville — and quickly made noise in the SAC. Lawson scored in double-figures in 21 of 28 games played including three 30+ performances against Mars Hill, Emory & Henry, and Tusculum. Lawson scored a career-high 33 points against Emory & Henry on Jan. 18, 2023 which was highlighted by an individual program-record of nine made three-pointers in a game. Defensively, Lawson totaled 39 blocks on the season — good for a second-place ranking in the conference.

In the regular season, Mellinger most notably developed 2022-23 SAC Player of the Year, D2CCA Southeast Region Men's Basketball First-Team All-Region, and Division II Honorable Mention All-American Bradley Dean, a sophomore hailing from Gate City, Va. During the regular season, Dean scored in double-figures in 25 of 27 games played, including a massive career-high 40 point performance against Limestone on Dec. 15, 2022. His 20.7 points per game led the conference with a margin of 3.7 points ahead of the second-place ranking. As of Feb. 25, his average ranked in the top 25 in all of Division II. Additionally, Dean averaged 3.9 assists per game which ranked sixth in the SAC. Dean's Player of the Year honor was first for the UVA Wise men's basketball program in the Division II era.

As a team, UVA Wise finished ranked first in the conference in three-point field goal percentage (39.8-percent), second in the conference in offensive efficiency (1.164), and seventh nationally in three-point field goal percentage (39.8-percent).

UVA Wise's 19-12 overall record completed a 15-game

win improvement from the year prior (4-24 overall, 2021-22 season).

Coach Mellinger's squad played its inaugural season in the South Atlantic Conference during the 2019-20 campaign. The team finished with a pair of league wins as then-sophomore guard Cameron Whiteside earned All-SAC Second Team honors, Virginia Sports Information Directors (VaSID) All-State First Team honors and was named the SAC Points Per Game Statistical Champion.

The 2017-18 campaign saw major victories and accolades as UVA Wise defeated three of the league's top four teams inside the David J. Prior Convocation Center. After doubling the team's win total for the three consecutive seasons, Coach Mellinger guided the Cavaliers to their best record of the past five years with a 14-16 overall mark and an 11-11 record in the Mountain East Conference that season. The Cavaliers advanced to the Mountain East Conference Tournament that same season with a first-round victory against Glenville State. The win marked the first time the men's basketball program had won a conference tournament game since 2010. Under Mellinger's tutelage, forward Taiwo Badmus completed an outstanding career as a Cavalier, scoring his 1,000th point in a 25-point comeback win at home against Glenville State. Badmus currently ranks 14th on the UVA Wise men's basketball all-time scoring list, collecting 1,265 points in two seasons with UVA Wise.

During the 2016-17 season, Mellinger led UVA Wise to nine victories for the most wins in a season since the Cavs' 2013-14 campaign. For the second-straight year, Mellinger steered UVA Wise to an upset of a nationally ranked opponent inside the David J. Prior Convocation Center as the Cavs took down No. 18 Wheeling Jesuit University 83-81 on Feb. 9, 2016. The win came a season after UVA Wise upset then 14th-ranked King University on Dec. 20, 2015.

Mellinger has developed three all-conference forwards during his time as head coach starting with All-Mountain East Conference First Team selection Deon Boyce in 2014. Matt Day claimed All-MEC Second Team honors in 2016 before recently graduated Cavalier forward Taiwo Badmus (London, England) was named to the All-MEC Second Team in 2017 and the All-MEC First Team in 2018. Boyce, Day, and Badmus each averaged double-doubles in scoring and rebounding their senior seasons as Boyce led the nation in rebounding his final year as a Cavalier. Day completed his career ranking sixth on UVA Wise's all-time scoring list with 1,627 total points and holds the school record for most points scored in a single game (49). Badmus averaged a double-double during his junior year in 2016-17 after transferring to UVA Wise from Fairmont State and finished his career averaging a double-double of 21.9

points and 10.4 rebounds.

Before being named head coach, Mellinger spent six seasons as the top assistant and recruiting coordinator for UVA Wise. Over that time period he spearheaded the recruiting efforts for the Cavs, and assisted in leading the program to its second Appalachian Athletics Conference championship and a NAIA National Tournament appearance in 2010. In addition to his recruiting responsibilities as an assistant, Mellinger was responsible for developing game plans and strategies, on floor coaching, scheduling, team travel, day-to-day operations, monitoring team compliance and academics, scouting opponents, individual player development, setting up community service projects, and assisting in the coordination of team camp.

Mellinger is no stranger to teaching the game of basketball as his father and grandfather were both coaches, making him a third generation coach in the Mellinger family. Blake's grandfather, Arnold, is the only men's basketball player to have his jersey retired at Carson-Newman University. The elder Mellinger competed for the Eagles from 1954-57 and scored 1,826 career points, ranking sixth all-time in Carson-Newman history.

A native of Glade Spring, Virginia, Mellinger was a three-sport athlete at Patrick Henry High School, lettering in basketball, football and track and field. After completing his career at Patrick Henry, Mellinger accepted an offer to play at fellow NCAA Division II Limestone College in Gaffney, South Carolina, where he played for Coach Larry Epperly from 2001-2003.

He then transferred to UVA Wise and played for Coach Lee Clark from 2003-2005. Blake served as team captain for the Cavs and went on to become an all-conference player after averaging 12.3 points and five rebounds as a senior. Mellinger scored a total of 536 points and collected 264 in two seasons at UVA Wise.

Mellinger received his bachelor's degree in business administration from UVA Wise in 2006. He and his wife Amy, along with their two children Mason and McKenna, reside in Wise.

MELLINGER MILESTONES

First Win: Nov. 10, 2013 vs. King (74-64)

25th Win: Feb. 23, 2017 vs. WV State (91-75)

50th Win: Nov. 12, 2019 vs. Piedmont International (88-70)

First SAC Postseason Appearance: March 1, 2023 vs. Newberry (South Atlantic Conference Quarterfinals)



2023-24 MEN'S BASKETBALL **ASSISTANT COACHES**



Blake Stinson
4th Year

Blake Stinson begins his fourth season as an assistant coach for men's basketball after being elevated to the position in October 2020.

Stinson, a Honaker, Va. native, started his student assistant position in 2019 with the UVA Wise men's basketball team, and graduated from UVA Wise in May of 2021.

During his time as a student, Stinson was also a member of the UVA Wise baseball team where he achieved a perfect 1.00 fielding percentage during the 2019-2020 season.

His background in basketball is credited to his impressive high school career, where the dual-athlete was named First Team All-State in his junior and senior years in baseball and snagged the VHSL career assist record and the single-season assist record in basketball his sophomore year at Honaker High School.

Stinson previously served as the men's basketball student assistant where he aided with practice and data analyzation. A native of Honaker, Virginia, Stinson also formerly held the position of assistant varsity basketball coach at Honaker High School.

Stinson graduated from UVA Wise in May of 2021 with a degree in business administration.



Austin Howard
3rd Year

Austin Howard begins his third season as an assistant coach for men's basketball in the 2022-2023 season.

Howard, originally from Pulaski, Tenn., completed his undergraduate education at Flagler College in St. Augustine, Fla. from 2013 to 2018, where he was a five-year student-athlete on the basketball team and served as the team leader of the school's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC). As a player on Flagler's basketball team, Howard put up 422 points, along with 190 rebounds and 154 assists.

After his exceptional undergraduate career, he then attended Middle Tennessee State University and served as a graduate assistant to the college's basketball team from 2019 to 2021 while earning a master's in leisure & sports management.

Prior to Middle Tennessee State University, Howard also served as a varsity basketball coach for Collierville High School in Memphis, Tenn. During his time at Collierville, Howard aided younger athletes to develop their skills and provided the instructional training necessary to compete at the higher level.

COMBINED TEAM STATS



2023-24 UVA Wise Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

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as of Nov 24, 2023

Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
UVA Wise	195	185	0	380
Opponents	140	185	0	325

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats									
		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
5	FRUSTER, Zion	4-2	91:00	22.8	28-53	.528	9-19	.474	9-13	.692	3	12	15	3.8	8	0	11	8	0	7	74	18.5
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	4-4	98:00	24.5	21-32	.656	9-13	.692	19-25	.760	3	16	19	4.8	12	0	14	7	2	9	70	17.5
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	4-2	89:00	22.3	19-29	.655	2-2	1.000	9-10	.900	1	13	14	3.5	6	0	12	9	1	5	49	12.3
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	4-3	82:00	20.5	13-22	.591	2-6	.333	6-6	1.000	7	9	16	4.0	11	0	2	2	2	3	34	8.5
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	4-4	108:00	27.0	13-28	.464	8-20	.400	0-0	.000	0	8	8	2.0	5	0	6	0	1	2	34	8.5
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	4-2	65:00	16.3	9-17	.529	7-13	.538	8-9	.889	1	2	3	0.8	7	0	10	9	1	2	33	8.3
23	UKAJ, Rron	4-1	69:00	17.3	14-22	.636	2-4	.500	1-4	.250	8	13	21	5.3	2	0	4	7	0	4	31	7.8
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	4-0	71:00	17.8	13-25	.520	4-13	.308	1-2	.500	3	13	16	4.0	7	0	9	5	2	1	31	7.8
11	BRYSON, Ben	4-2	71:00	17.8	5-9	.556	0-2	.000	4-4	1.000	8	3	11	2.8	7	0	8	7	1	5	14	3.5
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	4-0	48:00	12.0	3-11	.273	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	0	3	3	0.8	3	0	4	4	0	1	10	2.5
22	OWENS, Zachary	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	BRKIC', Filip	2-0	04:00	2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	NEWLAND, Josh	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											2	6	8					1				
Total		4	800		138-251	.550	46-106	.434	58-75	.773	36	98	134	33.5	68	0	81	60	10	39	380	95.0
Opponents		4	800		118-250	.472	29-84	.345	60-83	.723	46	86	132	33.0	62	0	57	72	6	40	325	81.3

Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	380	325
Points per game	95.0	81.3
Scoring margin	+13.8	-
Field goals-att	138-251	118-250
Field goal pct	.550	.472
3 point fg-att	46-106	29-84
3-point FG pct	.434	.345
3-pt FG made per game	11.5	7.3
Free throws-att	58-75	60-83
Free throw pct	.773	.723
F-Throws made per game	14.5	15.0
Rebounds	134	132
Rebounds per game	33.5	33.0
Rebounding margin	+0.5	-
Assists	81	57
Assists per game	20.3	14.3
Turnovers	60	72
Turnovers per game	15.0	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.8
Steals	39	40
Steals per game	9.8	10.0
Blocks	10	6
Blocks per game	2.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1739	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-435	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2023	King (TN)	W	90-69	435
11/12/2023	Lees-McRae	L	99-100	473
11/15/2023	JWU (Charlotte)	W	102-80	523
11/21/2023	Southern Wesleyan	W	89-76	308



#0 CALEN LIGHTFORD

SQ. / 6' 5"11" / 175 /

Huntsville, Ala. - Sparkman High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	*	22	3-7	2-5	7-7	0	2	3	1	1	15
LMC	11/12	*	17	1-2	1-2	1-2	0	4	4	0	1	4
J&W	11/15		22	3-6	2-4	0-0	3	3	2	0	0	8
N. GA	11/18		19	1-5	1-4	0-0	2	1	0	0	0	3
SWU	11/21		4	2-2	2-2	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	6
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	22 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	7 vs. King 11/11/23
Career	37 at Young Harris 12/31/22	Career	7 vs. King 11/11/23
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	15 vs. King 11/11/23	Season	4 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	21 vs. Clinton 2/18/23	Career	9 vs. LR 2/25/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	3 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	1 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	6 vs. Clinton 2/18/23	Career	3 at King 11/11/22
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	3 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	1 vs. King 11/11/23
Career	7 vs. Clinton 2/18/23	Career	1 vs. Clinton 2/18/22
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	9
Career	4 vs. Mars Hill 2/1/23	Career Games 10+ AST	0

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2022-23	31	3	23.7	73-162	0.451	40-100	0.400	53-59	0.898	6	47	1.8	58	2.8	40	2	21	239	8.0
2023-24	5	2	16.8	10-22	0.455	8-17	0.471	8-9	0.889	2	3	1.0	8	2.2	9	1	2	36	7.2
Career	36	5	22.8	85-192	0.443	48-118	0.407	63-70	0.900	8	50	1.6	67	2.7	51	3	25	281	7.8

BIO

Calen Lightford returns to UVA Wise for his sophomore year after a quality campaign as a freshman point guard. Last season, Lightford was second on the team and 12th in the SAC in assists (86 total, 2.8 APG) behind SAC Player of the Year Bradley Dean. Playing and starting in all 30 games for the Cavs, he was the main ball handler for Blake Mellinger's squad. Beyond distributing, Lightford is a more than capable scorer, averaging 8.0 PPG last year and reaching double figures 8 times which included a career-high 21 points against Clinton College, which he reached while also dishing out 7 assists. Finishing the year with 8.0 PPG, 2.8 APG, 45.1% FG, and 40% 3FG, it was no surprise as Lightford was named to the 2022-23 SAC All-Freshman team

Lightford suited up for the Cavaliers last year after a prolific career at Sparkman High School in Huntsville, Ala. He totaled 1,040 points for the Senators in just 65 games as a four-year varsity starter.

Majoring in Software Engineering, Lightford also enjoys fishing, bowling, and video games away from the basketball court. His favorite athlete is Kobe Bryant because of his approach and mindset to the game of basketball. Lightford also admires Flint, Mich. native and former Iowa State point guard Monte Morris because he loves his game (thanks to teammate Lav Cvetkovic' who introduced Morris to Lightford).

Lightford chose to attend UVA Wise because of the coaching staff, his teammates, and the impressive David J. Prior Convocation Center.

He is a son to his mom, Stephanie, and his dad, Cardell. He has three brothers, Caleb, Caden, and Josh.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

- 2022-23 SAC All-Freshman Team



#1 CARMELO PACHECO

FR / G / 6'5" / 190 /

Harrisonburg, Va. - Fork Union Military Academy

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	*	26	2-5	2-4	0-0	3	0	0	0	1	6
LMC	11/12	*	29	3-6	3-5	0-0	2	2	0	0	0	9
J&W	11/15	*	19	3-6	1-4	0-0	0	2	0	0	1	7
N. GA	11/18	*	29	4-9	2-7	1-1	0	1	0	0	2	11
SWU	11/21	*	33	5-11	2-7	0-0	3	2	0	1	0	12
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	33	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	1	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	33	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	1	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	12	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	2	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	12	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	2	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	3	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	2	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	3	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	2	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	5	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	1	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	5	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	1	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	3	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career Games 10+ PTS		2
Career	3	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career Games 2+ 3PM		4

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2023-24	5	5	27.4	17-37	0.459	10-27	0.370	1-1	0.000	0	8	1.6	7	1.4	0	1	4	45	9.0
Career	5	5	27.4	17-37	0.459	10-27	0.370	1-1	0.000	0	8	1.6	7	1.4	0	1	4	45	9.0

BIO

Carmelo Pacheco gears up for his first collegiate season after an impressive high school run at Spotswood High School in his hometown of Harrisonburg, Va. For the Trailblazers, Pacheco averaged 24+ PPG, 7+ RPG, and 3+ APG in both his junior and senior seasons. He was named to the VHSL Class 3A First Team All-State after leading Spotswood to its first state quarterfinal appearance since 2019.

Pacheco racked up the accolades in high school, garnering two District Player of the Year selections (2021, 2022), a Region Player of the Year selection (2022), and two First Team All-State selections (2021, 2022).

After graduating from Spotswood, the career 1,000 point scorer elected to reclassify to 2023 and attend Fork Union Military Academy, a former school of fellow teammates Joe'l Pettiford and Deuce Wingfield, where he was named the Post Graduate Player of the Year for 2023 for the Blue Devils.

On the travel circuit, Pacheco played AAU basketball for Team Blaze in the Elite Prep League. There he was named to the Elite Prep League First Team in 2023.

Pacheco decided to attend UVA Wise and study Sports Management because the coaching staff made him feel comfortable and he enjoyed the school during his visit. His favorite athlete is LeBron James because "he makes everyone around him better."

Outside of basketball, Pacheco enjoys playing video games, hanging out with his friends, and is an avid boxing fan.

He is a son to his mother, Charla, and his dad, Angel, while having 10 other siblings.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

- 2x VHSL Class 3A First Team All-State (2021, 2022)
- 2x District Player of the Year (2021, 2022)
- Region Player of the Year (2022)
- Fork Union Post Graduate Player of the Year (2023)
- Elite Prep League First Team (2023)



#2 ZY'EVER "DEUCE" WINGFIELD

JR / G / 6'4" / 185 /

Richmond, Va. - Le Moyne College (N.Y.)

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11		19	4-7	0-0	4-5	4	3	1	1	2	12
LMC	11/12		28	9-11	1-1	2-2	3	2	5	0	0	21
J&W	11/15	*	17	3-5	0-0	0-0	0	3	1	0	2	6
N. GA	11/18	*	26	4-8	1-2	4-6	5	4	5	0	3	13
SWU	11/21	*	25	3-6	1-1	3-3	7	4	2	0	1	10
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	28 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	4 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	29 vs. Angelo State 12/17/22	Career	9 vs. Angelo St. 12/17/22
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	21 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	4 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	21 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career	4 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	7 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	3 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	8 vs. Dominican 11/12/22	Career	3 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	9 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	1 vs. King 11/11/23
Career	9 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career	2 vs. Adelphi 2/1/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	1 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	15
Career	1 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23	Career Games 1+ 3PM	11

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2021-22*	17	0	12.1	20-53	0.377	0-6	0.000	15-18	0.833	14	32	2.7	24	0.5	23	7	6	55	3.2
2022-23*	30	7	17.3	87-166	0.524	8-16	0.500	45-58	0.776	29	75	3.5	57	0.6	37	12	20	227	7.6
2023-24	5	3	23.0	23-37	0.622	3-4	0.750	13-16	0.813	3	16	3.8	10	3.2	14	1	8	62	12.4
Career	52	10	16.1	130-256	0.508	11-26	0.423	73-92	0.793	46	123	2.4	90	0.7	74	20	34	344	6.6

*at Le Moyne College (N.Y.)

BIO

Zy'Ever Wingfield, better known as "Deuce", is one of two first-year transfers suiting up for the red and black this season. Wingfield joins UVA Wise after two good years in upstate New York at Le Moyne College. There Wingfield made major improvements between his freshman and sophomore seasons. In his first year, he averaged 3.2 PPG and 2.7 RPG in just 17 games for the Dolphins. As a sophomore, Wingfield elevated those numbers to 7.6 PPG and 3.5 RPG while also shooting an impressive 52.4% FG. He's also a quality defender, totaling 20 steals and 12 blocks in 30 games last season. He went on a five-game tear in the middle of the season, averaging 11 PPG, 3.6 RPG, and 1.2 SPG while scoring in double figures four times. He may serve as an energizer bunny this season for Blake Mellinger, as Deuce is known for his incredible hustle, sprinboard legs, eye-popping athleticism, and charismatic playstyle.

Wingfield took a unique path to Wise, Va. His high school basketball days started as an impressive role player at Highland Springs High School in Highland Springs, Va. Before his senior season (2019-20), Wingfield decided to leave Highland Springs and attend Henrico High School in Richmond. He drew collegiate attention from the likes of Christopher Newport, Longwood, Richmond, North Carolina Wesleyan, and Columbia. However, Wingfield, like fellow teammates Carmelo Pacheco and Joe'l Pettiford, elected to reclassify and take a post-graduate year at Fork Union Military Academy. It was during his season with the Blue Devils that Wingfield caught the eye of Le Moyne head coach Nate Champion, and would ultimately decide to start his collegiate career with the Dolphins.

After two years at Le Moyne, Wingfield is now a Cavalier, joining the team in search of winning a championship and to be closer to his family.

His favorite athletes are Kobe Bryant and Michael Jordan "because of the focus they play with and their unmatched passion for the sport itself."

Besides basketball, Wingfield participates in many other interesting hobbies. His favorite thing to do is produce music and he's also a self-proclaimed great cook and "swag guru."

He is a son to his mom, Pippi, and his dad, Everette. Wingfield also has 5 other siblings which include his three sisters, Emony, Nic'Kyah, and Zalexis, along with his two brothers, Zaylen and Zorian.



#3 PATRICK SHELLEY

SO. / G/F / 6'4" / 195 /

Rome, Ga. - Darlington School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	*	19	4-6	2-4	4-6	1	3	2	1	3	14
LMC	11/12	*	29	4-7	2-3	9-13	4	4	2	0	2	19
J&W	11/15	*	19	5-8	0-0	2-2	3	3	1	0	3	12
N. GA	11/18	*	25	2-6	1-3	0-2	5	2	3	0	0	5
SWU	11/21	*	31	8-11	5-6	4-4	11	4	2	1	1	25
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	31	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	9	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	35	at LMU 2/22/23	Career	9	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	25	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	4	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	25	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	4	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	11	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	3	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23
Career	11	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	5	at E&H 2/15/23
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	8	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	1	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	8	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career	2	at LMU 2/22/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	5	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	13	
Career	5	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Career Games 2+ STL	16	
			Most Consecutive Games 1+ STL	9	
			Career Double-Doubles	1	

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2022-23	30	6	20.3	71-160	0.444	16-43	0.372	47-68	0.691	54	78	4.4	52	1.1	33	16	45	205	6.8
2023-24	5	5	24.6	23-38	0.605	10-16	0.625	19-27	0.704	5	19	4.8	17	3.2	10	2	9	75	15.0
Career	36	11	20.9	96-203	0.473	26-60	0.433	67-97	0.691	60	100	4.4	70	1.4	43	18	54	285	7.9

BIO

Patrick Shelley is back for his second year with the Cavaliers after being named to the 2022-23 SAC All-Freshman Team a season ago. As a 6-foot 4-inch, 195-pound guard, Shelley's hustle and physicality allow him to hang with the best forwards in conference as well. Shelley can do a little bit of everything for UVA Wise. He's the second-best returning rebounder for the Cavs averaging 4.4 RPG last year. He's arguably Mellinger's best defender after leading the team in steals at 45 (1.5 SPG) and ranking 6th in the conference on defense, while also finishing second on the team in blocks last year with 16. From 12/17/22 - 1/25/23, Shelley recorded at least 1 steal in 9 straight games, and averaged 2.3 steals per contest. He gets it done on offense as well, scoring in double figures 9 times last year for the Cavs, which included a late-season run that saw Shelley reach 10+ points in four consecutive games (14.5 PPG) while also rebounding at a 7.8 RPG clip.

It's no surprise that Shelley serves as the "do everything man" for UVA Wise after looking at his impressive high school career. At Darlington School in Rome, Ga. Shelley excelled in basketball, football, and track & field. In 2019, he was named to the All-Area First Team in both football and basketball for the Tigers. In that 2019 football season, Shelley led the area in receptions as a wideout, before transitioning to play quarterback. He even had an offer to play football for the University of Georgia Bulldogs and offers from other high-major Division I universities. Instead, Shelley joined the Cavaliers as a two-sport athlete in basketball and track & field.

In just one collegiate year, Shelley has also proven he can excel in the classroom as well, being named to the Dean's List for the 2022-23 school year.

His favorite thing to do outside of basketball is cook.

He is the son to his mother, Deann, and his father, James. Athleticism runs in the family too as Shelley's sister, Sierra Matthews is on the volleyball and swim teams at Life University in Marietta, Ga.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School	Academic
- All-Area First Team (Football + Basketball, 2019)	2022-23 Dean's List
Collegiate	
- 2022-23 SAC All-Freshman Team	



#4 JAKE HATCH

FR / F / 6'10" / 215 /

Hoover, Ala. - Hoover High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG	
2023-24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

BIO

Jake Hatch comes to UVA Wise as a freshman with winning in his blood after winning the Alabama Class 7A State Championship at Hoover High School last year. A versatile 6-foot 10-inch wing, Hatch models his game after his favorite athlete, Kevin Durant.

"I feel that I'm kind of like him because he was also skinny and slim in college but he pushed and made it to the NBA. I also want to style my game like his."

Hatch chose to join the Cavs because the campus had a "homey" feel the entire time during his visit. He also cited the team's success in their run to the SAC Tournament title game last year and the team's great chemistry as contributing factors in his decision.

The Accounting major is an excellent student beyond basketball. In high school, Hatch was a member of both the Business Honor Society and Junior Honor Society.

He has continued his family's college basketball tradition, as his dad, Brian, played at the University of South Alabama (1987-91) and his grandfather also played Division I basketball.

Hatch is the only child to his aforementioned dad, Brian, and his mom, Shannon.



#5 ZION FRUSTER

SO. / 6'2" / 180 /

Douglasville, Ga. - Alexander High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11		18	7-11	4-4	1-4	4	3	2	0	1	19
LMC	11/12		23	5-15	0-3	1-1	6	3	1	0	4	17
J&W	11/15	*	19	7-11	3-5	3-3	2	1	1	0	1	20
N. GA	11/18	*	29	4-11	2-6	8-10	4	5	0	1	3	18
SWU	11/21	*	31	6-16	2-7	4-5	3	4	4	0	1	18
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	31	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	8	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	40	vs. Clinton 2/18/23	Career	8	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	20	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	5	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	21	vs. Clinton 2/18/23	Career	5	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	6	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	4	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	6	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career	4	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	8	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	1	vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	8	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Career	1	vs. CN 1/25/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	4	vs. King 11/11/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	11	
Career	4	vs. King 11/11/23	Career Games 20+ PTS	3	
			Active Streak: 17+ PTS in a game	5	

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2022-23	30	1	18.6	84-201	0.418	20-68	0.294	29-47	0.617	16	62	2.6	31	1.6	43	2	24	217	7.2
2023-24	5	3	24.0	32-64	0.500	11-25	0.440	17-23	0.739	4	15	3.8	9	3.2	8	1	10	92	18.4
Career	35	4	19.4	116-265	0.438	31-93	0.333	46-70	0.657	20	77	2.8	40	1.8	51	3	34	309	8.8

BIO

Zion Fruster returns to UVA Wise for his sophomore season after being the second-leading scorer among freshman last season for the Cavs. Fruster did a little bit of everything for UVA Wise, averaging 7.2 PPG and reaching double figures seven times. He took advantage of his opportunities against Virginia-Lynchburg and Clinton College with his first two 20-point games of his career, with a career-high 21 points coming against Clinton. Of the returners from last year, Fruster is third on the team with 24 steals a season ago.

Fruster landed in Wise, Va. after a three-year varsity career at Alexander High School in Douglasville, Ga. As a senior, Fruster averaged 15.7 PPG, 3.5 RPG, and 2.4 SPG for the Cougars. He helped lead Alexander to a 24-5 record in the 6A region.

Fruster is studying Sports Management at UVA Wise and says his favorite athlete is Dallas Mavericks point guard Kyrie Irving "because he has a smooth game and I try to model my game after him."

Fruster chose to committ to UVA Wise in-part because of the "amazing weather" in Wise.

He is the son to his mother, Jevonda Dobbs.



#10 LAV CVETKOVIC'

JR / F / 6'7" / 210 /

Novi Sad, Serbia - Collin College (Texas)

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11		21	3-9	2-6	0-0	7	1	2	0	0	8
LMC	11/12		9	1-2	1-1	1-2	2	0	2	0	0	4
J&W	11/15		21	4-7	1-4	0-0	5	6	0	1	0	9
N. GA	11/18		16	0-8	0-6	0-0	2	0	2	0	0	0
SWU	11/21		20	5-7	0-2	0-0	2	2	1	1	1	10
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	21 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	1 vs. Lees McRae 11/12/23
Career	21 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career	5 vs. ETBU JV 12/1/22
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	10 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	6 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23
Career	22 vs. Navarro 11/13/22	Career	6 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	7 vs. King 11/11/23	Season	1 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	10 vs. Dallas Christian 1/5/23	Career	2 vs. South Plains 11/26/22
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	5 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	1 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	8 vs. Navarro 11/13/22	Career	3 at Grayson College 1/17/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	2 vs. King 11/11/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	11
Career	5 vs. SAGU (JV) 11/3/22	Career Games 2+ 3PM	12

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2021-22*	28	24	--	93-222	0.419	41-127	0.323	28-47	0.596	32	88	4.3	26	1.4	24	4	14	255	9.1
2022-23*	30	27	--	93-212	0.439	24-82	0.293	47-62	0.758	49	101	5.0	40	1.1	26	6	18	257	8.6
2023-24	5	0	17.4	13-33	0.394	4-19	0.211	1-2	0.500	3	15	3.6	11	1.8	7	2	1	31	6.2
Career	35	51	--	106-245	0.433	28-101	0.277	48-64	0.750	52	116	4.8	51	1.2	33	8	19	288	8.2

*at Collin College (Tex.)

BIO

Lav Cvetkovic' will begin his third collegiate year in a new uniform after transferring to UVA Wise from JUCO Collin College in Texas. The Serbia native put up impressive numbers in two seasons for the Cougars, averaging 8.8 PPG and 4.7 RPG while shooting 42.9% FG and 31.1% 3FG. He was twice named to the All-NTJCAA Team, with a 2nd Team selection in 2022 and a 3rd Team selection in 2023.

Cvetkovic' got his basketball start back in Serbia before moving to the United States in 2018 and attending Spring Creek Academy in Plano, Tex. It was there where Cvetkovic' performance earned him two 6A First Team All-State and All-Conference selections.

Before moving to Texas, Cvetkovic' stood out back in Serbia as well. In the SREM Basketball League he was named the league MVP for three consecutive years (2013, 2014, 2015) while being named an All-Star and to the SREM Basketball League First Team three years in a row in the same seasons. He then went on to play in the Quality League of Belgrade in 2017 in which he again earned the league's MVP honor while being named to the First Team.

Last year at Collin College, Cvetkovic' was also named to the NJCAA Region 5 All-Academic Team.

He chose to attend UVA Wise because of "the great coaching staff and the great basketball facilities." Cvetkovic' added, "I also thought the way they play basketball would fit my skill set perfectly."

Basketball is in Cvetkovic's blood as his father, Branislav, played professionally in Serbia for KK Sremska Mitrovica. His younger sister, Mila, also plays basketball in Serbia at KK Srem. Cvetkovic's younger brother, Sergej, plays collegiate basketball at Caldwell Community College in Hudson, N.C. The mother of this supremely athletic family is Ivana.

Outside of basketball, Cvetkovic is well versed in the world of sports. Growing up, on top of basketball he played volleyball, tennis, soccer, swimming, taekwando, and handball. He still loves to play volleyball today while also spending his free time watching the NBA and listening to music.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- 6A First Team All-Conference (2020, 2021)
- 6A First Team All-State (2020, 2021)

Collegiate

- NTJCAA 2nd Team (2022)
- NTJCAA 3rd Team (2023)

Academic

- NJCAA Region 5 All-Academic Team (2023)

Serbian

- SREM Basketball League MVP, 1st Team and All-Star (2013, 2014, 2015)
- Quality League of Belgrade MVP, 1st Team (2017)



#11 BEN BRYSON

SR / G / 6'3" / 190 /

Mills River, N.C. - West Henderson High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	*	22	0-1	0-1	0-0	2	2	1	0	3	0
LMC	11/12	*	17	2-3	0-1	2-2	3	1	2	1	0	6
J&W	11/15		17	3-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	6
N. GA	11/18		18	1-1	0-0	0-0	5	1	0	0	1	2
SWU	11/21		15	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	1	3	0	1	2
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	22	vs. King 11/11/23	Season	2	vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	38	vs. LMU 3/4/23	Career	5	at Coker 1/8/21
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	6	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	4	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23
Career	16	at Tusculum 12/7/22	Career	6	at Tusculum 2/3/22
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	5	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	3	vs. King 11/11/23
Career	12	vs. Catawba 2/26/22	Career	3	vs. King 11/11/23
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	3	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	1	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	6	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Career	1	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	--		Career Games 10+ PTS	20	
Career	4	vs. Mars Hill 2/1/23	Career Games 5+ REB	24	
			Career Games 10+ REB	1	

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2020-21	18	0	17.2	25-62	0.403	5-15	0.333	24-37	0.649	6	22	1.6	35	1.6	13	0	15	79	4.4
2021-22	21	21	28.5	44-117	0.376	9-43	0.209	12-20	0.600	31	63	4.5	53	2.4	22	1	17	109	5.2
2022-23	31	31	29.6	96-197	0.487	51-119	0.429	17-24	0.708	48	83	4.2	80	1.7	14	1	35	260	8.4
2023-24	5	2	19.12	6-10	0.600	0-2	0.000	4-4	1.000	10	6	3.2	9	1.8	7	1	6	16	3.2
Career	75	54	12.3	171-386	0.443	65-179	0.363	57-85	0.671	95	174	3.6	177	1.9	56	3	73	464	6.2

BIO

Ben Bryson is back for his senior season at UVA Wise as the lead returning scorer from a year ago. Just behind all conference selections Bradley Dean and Luke Lawson, Bryson averaged 8.4 PPG while adding 4.2 RPG, and 1.1 SPG. Of the 20 times in his career in which Bryson has reach double figures in points, 16 occurred last season for the Cavs. This included a stretch from Nov. 11, 2022 to February 1, 2023 in which Bryson scored in double figures in 16 of 19 games. He averaged 10 PPG on 51.1% 3FG in the stretch and set his career high with 16 points during it at Tusculum on Dec. 7. Bryson has grown into a multi-level scorer and progressed in each season during his time at UVA Wise. In total, it was a career shooting season for Bryson as a junior, setting career-best marks in both FG and 3FG shooting at 48.7% FG and 42.9% 3FG. He's also proven to be proficient in rebounding, tallying games with 5+ rebounds 22 times over his career, including 15 times a season ago.

As a sophomore, Bryson saw the floor in 21 games and started all of them. He was a precise three point shooter, knocking down a triple on 37.6% of his attempts while having his best rebounding season at 4.5 RPG which included a career-high 12 boards against Catawba on Feb. 26, 2022.

As a freshman, he was a viable option off the bench for Mellinger, seeing the floor in 18 games at an average of 17.2 MPG. He added some valuable defense for a freshman with 15 steals that season while averaging 4.4 PPG.

Bryson's value to the team goes beyond the box score as well, as he's been a team captain for the Cavs in all 3 of his years with the program.

He came to UVA Wise out of West Henderson High School in Hendersonville, N.C. Bryson was a three-time conference Player of the Year for the Falcons, finishing his career as the program's all-time leader in points (1,996), assists (542), and steals (328). He holds the competitive advantage over his father, Joey, who's 1995 scoring record at West Henderson was broken by his son in 2020.

Athleticism runs in the Bryson family. Bryson's aforementioned father, Joey, went on to play Division I basketball Western Carolina University after his prolific high school career, while Bryson's mom, April, played D1 volleyball at Appalachian State University. His brother, Jake, threw shot and discuss at Gardner Webb University and his younger sister, Emma, is currently committed to play volleyball for the University of Georgia Bulldogs.

In the classroom Bryson has been named to the Dean's List at UVA Wise four times in his academic career. He chose UVA Wise for a multitude of reasons, namely stating he "felt this was the best fit for me because of how close it was to home, the facilities, and I felt that the coaches believed in what I was capable of achieving."

His favorite athletes are Memphis Grizzlies point Guard Derrick Rose and New England Patriots running back Ezekiel Elliot. Away from the floor, Bryson enjoys weightlifting, fishing, hunting, and watching movies and has even been quoted as saying, "no one on the team can out-bench me., enough said."

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- 3x Conference Player of the Year (2018, 2019, 2020)



#12 BRAD HALVORSEN

JR / 6'1" / 165 /

Kingsport, Tenn. - Christ School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	12	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Season	2	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23
Career	12	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Career	2	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	5	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Season	3	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23
Career	5	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Career	3	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	2	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Season	--	
Career	2	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Career	--	
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	1	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Season	--	
Career	1	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23	Career	--	
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	1	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23			
Career	1	vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23			

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2020-21*	5	0	2.8	1-2	0.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	0.2	2	0.2	2	0	1	2	0.4
2021-22*	5	0	1.4	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0.0	1	0.2	2	0	0	0	0.0
2022-23	1	1	12.0	1-4	0.250	1-2	0.500	2-2	1.000	0	2	2.0	2	3.0	1	0	0	5	5.0
2023-24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Career	11	1	2.9	2-7	0.286	1-4	0.250	2-2	1.000	0	3	0.3	5	0.5	5	0	1	7	0.6

BIO

Brad Halvorsen is geared up for his third season with the Cavaliers this year, after transferring from Western Carolina University the year prior. Halvorsen only played in 10 games for the Catamounts in his first two seasons. As a freshman, he had a reserve role off the bench only playing in 5 games and scoring two points. As a sophomore, Halvorsen was expected to see a jump in playing time but suffered an injury and missed most of the season. Halvorsen originally joined Western Carolina to play with his older brother, Matt, who was two years ahead of him with the program. The two graduated from Christ School in Kingsport, Tenn. and became the third pair of brothers to play Division I athletics joining Chavis and Travis Holmes (VMI) and the notable Mason, Miles, and Marshall Plumlee who played basketball at Duke.

Halvorsen didn't always have plans to play collegiate basketball. In fact, when it came time to make his college decision, he did not have much interest from college programs, despite being named to the All-Conference Team in 2019, and ultimately decided to give up the game of basketball. Halvorsen enrolled at the University of Tennessee as a freshman. It wasn't long after his enrollment that he realized how much he missed the game of basketball. So, Halvorsen decided to transfer to Western Carolina and play with his brother Matt. The decision re-energized Halvorsen's love of the game.

Since then, it's been a difficult road with a few injuries for Brad, but he chose to join the Cavaliers because he "believed in what the coaches were building, loved the gym, and it's close to home."

Halvorsen stems from a long lineage of athletic prowess in his family. His father, Mark, played college baseball at Rider University. His brother, Todd, played collegiately at the University of Tennessee before transferring to East Tennessee State University. While his aforementioned brother, Matt, scored 1,000 career points for the Catamounts at Western Carolina and currently holds the record for made 3-pointers in a career with 297. Halvorsen also has a cousin, Brian Roberts, who played in the MLB with the Baltimore Orioles and New York Yankees from 2001-2014, leading the league in doubles in 2009 and twice being named an All-Star with Baltimore in 2005 and 2007. Halvorsen's mother is Laurie and he has a sister named Katie.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School
- All-Conference Team (2019)



#13 ISAIAH MCAMIS



R-JR / G / 6'1" / 180 /

Wise, Va. - Central High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11		11	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	2	0	0	3
LMC	11/12		8	0-1	0-1	1-2	1	3	0	0	1	1
J&W	11/15		21	2-7	2-7	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	6
N. GA	11/18		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21		8	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	2	0	0	0
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	21 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	1 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	41 at Coker 1/9/21	Career	5 vs. Catawba 2/26/22
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	6 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	3 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	21 vs. E&H 1/25/22	Career	7 vs. Catawba 2/26/22
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	1 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23	Season	1 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	7 at Mars Hill 2/2/22	Career	3 at Tusculum 2/23/22
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	--
Career	7 vs. E&H 1/25/22	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	15
Career	6 vs. E&H 1/25/22	Career Games 3+ 3FG	14
		Career Games 4+ 3FG	6

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2020-21	18	10	22.2	37-96	0.385	23-73	0.315	15-22	0.682	3	35	2.1	25	2.2	29	0	12	112	6.2
2021-22	24	21	31.3	81-189	0.429	59-149	0.396	24-33	0.727	5	56	2.5	38	2.9	63	0	21	245	10.2
2022-23*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
2023-24	4	0	12.0	3-11	0.273	3-11	0.273	1-2	0.500	0	3	0.8	3	1.0	4	0	1	10	2.5
Career	46	31	17.3	84-200	0.420	62-160	0.388	25-35	0.714	8	94	1.4	66	1.6	96	0	34	367	8.0

*missed entire season due to injury

BIO

The hometown Wise, Va. native Isaiah McAmis is back from injury and ready for his fourth season with the Cavalier program. McAmis missed all of last year with an ACL injury. His presence on the floor was certainly missed, as the guard averaged 10.2 PPG the season prior with lethal shooting from beyond the arc at 39.6% 3FG. The lethal shooter was 4th in the SAC in 3-point FG made per game at 2.46 in the 2021-22 season. In his career, McAmis has made 3+ 3FG in a game 14 separate times. 12 of those outings came during his sophomore season which included three performances of 5+ made 3FG highlighted by a career high 6 made 3FG as McAmis went 6-12 from deep to contribute to his career-high 21 points against rival Emory & Henry on Jan. 25, 2022.

As a freshman, McAmis made an instant impact off the bench for the Cavs scoring in double figures 3 times in 18 games, while showing an ability to dish the ball too with an average of 2.2 APG.

McAmis hails from Central High School, just down the road from UVA Wise's campus. He's arguably the best basketball in Central High School history, as his signing with UVA Wise made him the first basketball player in school history to sign with a Division II program. Scoring 1,693 career points, McAmis holds the all-time scoring record at Central, as he averaged 24 PPG, 4 APG, and 2.3 SPG during his senior season and led the Warriors to a Region 2D Runner-up appearance, the school's first ever appearance in the state tournament. He did all of this in just three years of varsity basketball, missing his junior season with an ACL injury. He holds the Central High School all-time records for 3-pointers made (218), field goals made (532), and free throws made (409), while ranking second in school history in assists (275) and steals (194).

The McAmis family has a rich athletic history at UVA Wise and in collegiate athletics in general. Isaiah's sister, Hannah, is a current member of the UVA Wise volleyball team. His father, TJ, played basketball for the Cavs. His aunt, Bobbi Mullins, played women's basketball while another aunt, Angela, was on the Cavalier tennis team. McAmis' uncle, Jason Mullins, also played football for UVA Wise. He also has a younger sister, Emmah, who is currently enrolled at Central High School and holds nine D1 offers for basketball. McAmis' mother, Roz, certainly has many reasons to proud of her family.

McAmis' favorite athlete of all-time is former Duke and NBA shooting guard, JJ Reddick. Outside of basketball, McAmis is involved with his local church, as he plays the drums at mass.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- Central High School all-time record holder

- Points (1,693), 3PM (218), FGM (532), FTM (409)



#14 DANTE WORLEY

FR / G / 6'0" / 170 /

Bristol, Va. - Virginia High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2023-24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

BIO

Dante Worley joins UVA Wise as one of four freshman on the Cavalier roster this season. Worley comes from Virginia High School in Bristol, Va. Worley was a two-sport athlete for the Bearcats, excelling in both football and basketball. In football, he played wide receiver on varsity for his final year, recording 8 receptions for 62 yards with a touchdown. On the hardwood, Worley stood out as a career 1,000 point scorer in just three varsity seasons as he participated on the junior varsity team as a freshman. His senior season earned him the award of Southwest Virginia Boys Basketball Player of the Year, All-SWD First Team, and VHSL Region 2D Player of the Year.

Worley's favorite athlete is Memphis Grizzlies point guard Derrick Rose and his favorite thing to do outside of basketball is hangout with his friends.

He is a son to his mom, Janeen, and his dad, Robert. Worley has two siblings, a sister, Breanna, and a brother, Deondre.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- Southwest Virginia Boys Basketball Player of the Year
- All-SWD First Team
- VHSL Region 2D Player of the Year



#20 JOSH NEWLAND

SO. / 6 / 6'0" / 160 /

Manassas, Va. - Osbourn High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	--
Career	6 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	2 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	4 vs. Mars Hill 2/1/23	Career	1 vs. Virginia-Lynchburg 1/7/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	3 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	2 vs. Mars Hill 2/1/23	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2021-22	1	0	--	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2022-23	6	0	2.2	3-7	0.429	0-0	.000	2-4	0.500	0	6	1.0	2	0.2	0	0	0	8	1.3
2023-24	1	0	2.0	0-2	0.000	0-2	0.000	0-0	0.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Career	8	0	1.8	3-9	0.333	0-2	0.000	2-4	0.500	0	6	0.8	2	0.1	0	0	0	8	1.0

BIO

Josh Newland returns to UVA Wise for his third year with the program after redshirting as a freshman in the 2021-22 season. Newland, a Manassas, Va. native, appeared in 6 games for the Cavs. He made his debut with UVA Wise against Pfeiffer Nov. 15, 2022 scoring 4 points and snagging 3 rebounds in just 6 minutes of action. Newland also scored 4 points against SAC foe Mars Hill on Feb. 1, 2023. Newland works very hard in a reserve role for the Cavs. He pushes all of his teammates in practice and plays with aggression, never shying away from a shot and forcing good defense from his defender.

Newland spent his high school days at Osbourn High School in his hometown of Manassas. For his efforts in 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons, he was twice named an honorable mention for Cedar Run All-District Team.

His favorite athlete is former Boston Celtics forward Paul Pierce, as Newland grew up a Celtics fan.

Newland's favorite thing to do outside of basketball is go to the movies.

He is a son to his mom, Nancy, and his dad, Ernie. He's a brother to his sister, Nikki, and his brother, Jes.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- 2x Cedar Run All-District Team Honorable Mention (2020, 2021)



#21 FILIP BRKIC'

FR / G / 6'4" / 190 /

Zagreb, Croatia - Florida Coastal Prep

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	2	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	--
Career	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career	--
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	1 vs. King 11/11/23
Career	--	Career	1 vs. King 11/11/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2023-24	2	0	2.0	0-1	0.000	0-1	0.000	0-0	0.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.5	1	0	0	0	0.0
Career	2	0	2.0	0-1	0.000	0-1	0.000	0-0	0.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.5	1	0	0	0	0.0

BIO

Filip Brkic' will begin his college career in a different country than his native land of Croatia. Brkic' lived in Croatia for most of his life before moving to the United States to play high school basketball at Foxcroft Academy in Foxcroft, Maine. At Foxcroft, Brkic' was a 17 PPG scorer for the Ponies on 43% FG shooting. He also added much more than scoring as he averaged 5.8 RPG, 2.7 APG, and 2.1 SPG in the 2021-22 season. It was at Foxcroft that Brkic' was named First Team All-Conference in 2022. Additionally, Brkic' earned a selection on both the McDonald's All-Star and Conference All-Star teams. After that season, Brkic' moved to Florida and transferred to Florida Coastal Prep for his final high school season.

Brkic' brings high-level international experience to the table for the Cavs, having played on the Croatian U15 National Team in 2018 and 2019. In fact, Brkic' is one of just 15 active NCAA players from Croatia.

Brkic' attributes LeBron James for his love of the game, as he began watching James at a young age and his love of basketball stems from that.

He cited the coaching staff and the facilities as reasons for his commitment to UVA Wise. "The whole environment reminds me of my country a little bit," Brkic' added.

He is a son to his mom, Kristina, and his dad, Damir. Brkic' has two sisters, Ema Lucija and Vita Antonia.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- First Team All-Conference (2022)
- Maine McDonald's All Star (2022)
- Conference All Star (2021, 2022)



#22 ZACH OWENS

SR / 6' 0" / 170 /

Castlewood, Va. - Castlewood High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	2 vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	--
Career	5 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	2 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	6 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	2 vs. Mars Hill 2/1/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	2 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	2 vs. Pfeiffer 11/15/22	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2020-21	3	0	1.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2021-22	3	0	2.0	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1	0	0.3	0	0.0	0	0	0	3	1.0
2022-23	6	0	2.2	2-5	0.400	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	3	1	0.7	2	0.5	1	0	0	6	1.0
2023-24	1	0	2.0	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Career	13	0	1.1	3-7	0.429	1-2	0.500	2-2	1.000	4	1	0.3	2	0.2	1	0	0	9	0.7

BIO

Zach Owens will suit up in a Cavalier uniform for the fourth season of his collegiate career. He's played in a reserve role in the three previous years for UVA Wise, totaling 9 points in 12 games played for the Cavs. 6 of his 9 points came in the form of a career-high against Pfeiffer on Nov. 11, 2022 last season. Owens is a three-sport athlete for the Cavaliers, participating with the UVA Wise men's cross country team and the Cavalier track & field program.

Owens hails from Castlewood, Va. and Castlewood High School where he was also a three-sport athlete in the same sports he currently participates in for the Cavs. Owens currently holds 10 separate Virginia State records in the running sports, headlined by the fastest 800m sprint time in Virginia high school history at a blazing 2-minute 6-second space. His other records place him with some of the best times ever in the 1600m, 3200m, 4x100 relay, 4x400 relay, 4x800 relay (two records), high jump, long jump, and triple jump.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- 800m record (1st, 2019)
- 1600m record (4th, 2019)
- 3200m record (4th, 2017)
- 4x100 relay record (4th, 2019)
- 4x400 relay record (1st, 2019)
- 4x800 relay record (2nd, 2018 | 3rd, 2017)
- High jump (9th, 2019)
- Long jump (9th, 2019)
- Triple jump (4th, 2019)



#23 RRON UKAJ

SR / F / 6'7" / 220 /

Peja, Kosovo - Eastern Florida State College

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11		15	4-4	1-1	0-0	5	0	4	0	0	9
LMC	11/12		23	6-9	1-1	1-3	7	2	1	0	4	14
J&W	11/15	*	18	3-7	0-2	0-1	5	0	0	0	0	6
N. GA	11/18		14	5-8	1-3	0-0	4	0	4	1	0	11
SWU	11/21		13	1-2	0-0	0-0	4	2	2	0	0	2
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	23 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	1 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	31 vs. LMU 1/4/23	Career	5 vs. LMU 1/4/23
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	14 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	2 vs. S. Wesleyan 11/21/23
Career	16 at Coker 12/17/22	Career	6 vs. Virginia Lynchburg 1/7/23
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	7 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	4 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	14 vs. LMU 1/4/23	Career	4 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	6 vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23	Season	1 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23
Career	7 at Coker 12/17/22	Career	1 vs. LMU 1/4/23
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	1 vs. N. Georgia 11/18/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	15
Career	2 vs. LMU 1/4/23	Career Games 10+ REB	4
		Most Consecutive Games 10+ PTS	6

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2020-21*	15	3	8.3	10-27	0.370	1-7	0.143	4-6	0.667	12	23	2.3	15	0.4	12	0	1	25	1.7
2021-22*	31	9	11.3	26-64	0.406	3-7	0.429	23-39	0.590	52	43	3.1	55	0.6	25	6	8	78	2.5
2022-23	28	21	20.6	84-160	0.525	7-18	0.389	47-68	0.691	47	114	5.8	77	0.9	53	4	9	222	7.9
2023-24	5	1	16.6	19-30	0.633	3-7	0.429	1-4	0.250	10	15	5.0	7	0.8	11	1	4	42	8.4
Career	80	34	8.4	141-283	0.498	14-39	0.359	75-117	0.641	121	196	2.3	176	0.4	104	12	22	371	4.6

*at Eastern Florida State College

BIO

After spending his first two collegiate seasons at Eastern Florida State College, Rron Ukaj is with UVA Wise for a second consecutive season after transferring from EFSC before his junior season. Ukaj made major improvements from his days in a Titans' uniform jumping from 2.5 PPG and 3.1 RPG on 40.6% FG, to 7.9 PPG and 5.8 RPG on 52.5% FG in his first season with UVA Wise as a junior. Ukaj took advantage of his opportunity after expected starting forward Joe'l Pettiford was sidelined for the entirety of the season—after just 4 games, proving to be the second best rebounder for UVA Wise. The improvement Ukaj made in his offensive production during his transfer to the SAC runner up reared its head in the first few games for the Cavs last season. In the first 11 games of the season, Ukaj scored in double figures 7 times including in 6 consecutive outings from Nov. 19, 2022 - Dec. 10, 2022. In that 6-game stretch of double figures, Ukaj averaged 11.5 PPG while adding 6.2 RPG on an impressive 73.9% FG shooting.

Ukaj moved over to the United States from Kosovo in southeastern Europe after high school in order to pursue his dream of basketball. He's one of just three active NCAA players who hails from Kosovo to play college basketball. His father, Milaim, used to play professional basketball in Kosovo.

Ukaj has an impressive foreign basketball accomplishment as well, having been named MVP at the FIBA U18 European Championship (Division C) in 2018. He averaged 14.6 PPG, 12.0 RPG and 1.0 BPG in the tournament held in Prishtina, Kosovo.

Ukaj says his favorite thing to do outside of basketball is to go mountain biking.

He is the son to his mother, Vjollca, and has two sisters, Rea and Jona.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School
- FIBA U18 European Championship MVP (2018)



#24 JOE'L PETTIFORD

R-SO. / F / 6' 7" / 230 /

Greensboro, N.C. - Fork Union Military Academy

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	*	25	1-5	0-1	2-2	4	0	2	2	2	4
LMC	11/12	*	17	1-1	0-0	2-2	3	0	0	0	0	4
J&W	11/15		19	10-13	2-3	0-0	7	2	0	0	0	22
N. GA	11/18	*	24	2-3	1-1	0-0	2	0	0	1	0	5
SWU	11/21	*	20	1-3	0-2	2-2	2	0	0	0	1	4
WIN	11/25											
CAR	11/29											
LIME	12/2											
NWB	12/9											
E&H	12/13											
CHW	12/18											
W. LIB	12/30											
MH	1/3											
LR	1/6											
LMU	1/10											
AND	1/13											
CN	1/17											
CK	1/20											
CTW	1/27											
E&H	1/31											
MH	2/3											
TU	2/7											
LIME	2/10											
LMU	2/14											
NWB	2/17											
CN	2/21											
TU	2/28											
WIN	3/2											

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES			FREE THROWS		
Season	25	vs. King 11/11/23	Season	2	vs. Lees-McRae 11/12/23
Career	38	at Coker 12/4/21	Career	7	at Carson-Newman 1/5/22
POINTS			ASSISTS		
Season	22	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	2	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23
Career	23	at Coker 12/4/21	Career	4	vs. Lenoir-Rhyne 1/12/22
REBOUNDS			STEALS		
Season	7	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	2	vs. King 11/11/23
Career	13	at Lenoir-Rhyne 1/12/22	Career	2	vs. King 11/11/23
FIELD GOALS			BLOCKS		
Season	10	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Season	2	vs. King 11/11/23
Career	10	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career	4	vs. Coker 2/7/22
3-POINT FIELD GOALS			MISCELLANEOUS		
Season	2	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career Games 10+ PTS	19	
Career	2	vs. Johnson & Wales 11/15/23	Career Games 20+ PTS	4	
			Career Double-Doubles	4	

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG
2021-22	27	24	26.1	118-217	0.544	5-17	0.294	60-99	0.606	49	117	6.1	90	0.9	67	22	10	301	11.1
2022-23*	4	4	18.3	16-23	0.696	1-1	1.000	5-8	0.625	8	10	4.5	11	0.5	7	2	2	38	9.5
2023-24	5	4	21.2	15-25	0.600	3-7	0.429	6-6	1.000	7	11	3.6	12	0.4	2	3	3	39	7.8
Career	36	32	24.5	149-265	0.562	9-25	0.360	71-113	0.628	64	138	1.0	113	0.8	76	27	15	378	10.5

*missed most of season due to injury

BIO

When a highly anticipated sophomore season was cut short due to injury, UVA Wise was saddened to learn it would have to continue the rest of the 2022-23 season with out one of its best player in Joe'l Pettiford. Now, Pettiford is back and healthy and ready to lead UVA Wise to successful season at the forward position. When looking at Pettiford's first season on campus at UVA Wise, it's not a shock to understand the hype surrounding his return this year. Averaging 11.1 PPG and 6.1 RPG on 54.4% FG, Pettiford was named to the 2021-22 SAC All-Freshman Team. He recorded 22 blocks on the year, averaging 0.8 BPG. Both marks placed him in the top 15 performers of the conference in just his first year.

Born and raised in Greensboro, N.C., Pettiford attended Southwest Guilford High School in High Point, N.C. where he was an obvious high-level basketball player. A two-time state champion with the Cowboys, Pettiford was awarded All-District, All-Conference, and Most Outstanding Player during his high school career. After high school, like his current teammates Carmelo Pacheco and Deuce Wingfield, Pettiford elected to spend a post graduate season at Fork Union Military Academy.

Pettiford, a son to his mom, Nicole, and his father, Anthony, is currently studying Sports Management at UVA Wise.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School
 - 2x state champion
 - All-District
 - All-Conference

Collegiate
 - All-SAC Freshman Team (2022)



#33 EVAN RAMSEY

FR / F / 7'0" / 245 /

Abingdon, Va. - Abingdon High School

GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPP	DATE	GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FTA	REB	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
KU	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMC	11/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J&W	11/15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. GA	11/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWU	11/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	11/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAR	11/29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	12/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	12/9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	12/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHW	12/18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. LIB	12/30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	1/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AND	1/13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	1/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK	1/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CTW	1/27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E&H	1/31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH	2/3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIME	2/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LMU	2/14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NWB	2/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CN	2/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TU	2/28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIN	3/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER/SEASON HIGHS

MINUTES		FREE THROWS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
POINTS		ASSISTS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
REBOUNDS		STEALS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
FIELD GOALS		BLOCKS	
Season	--	Season	--
Career	--	Career	--
3-POINT FIELD GOALS		MISCELLANEOUS	
Season	--		
Career	--		

CAREER STATS

Season	GP	GS	MPG	FG-FGA	FG %	3P-3PA	3FG %	FT-FTA	FT %	O Reb.	D Reb.	RPG	PF	APG	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	PPG	
2023-24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

BIO

Evan Ramsey rounds out UVA Wise's 2023 freshman class as the tallest player on UVA Wise's roster, standing at 7-feet tall. He scored over 1,000 career points at Abingdon High School in his hometown. Ramsey has dealt with a few injuries in his basketball career, but UVA Wise is focused on his health and development. In his junior season at Abingdon, Ramsey earned numerous accolades for his accomplishments on the hardwood. He made the VHSL Class 3 All-State Second Team in 2021. He was also named the Mountain 7 District Player of the Year and, as a senior, he earned VHSL All-Region 3D First Team honors. He earned all of these playing in just 65 career games with the varsity squad.

Ramsey chose to join UVA Wise to begin his collegiate basketball career because he liked the aspect of being close to home and he felt very welcomed on his visit.

Academically, Ramsey excels in the classroom too, finishing his high school academic career with 3.9 GPA.

His favorite things to do away from basketball are to light weights and spend time with his close family and friends.

He is the son to his mom, Stephanie Monk, and his dad, Christopher Ramsey.

AWARDS + ACCOLADES

High School

- VHSL Class 3 All-State 2nd Team (2021)
- Mountain 7 District POY (2021)
- VHSL All-Region 3D First Team (2023)

OVERALL TEAM STATS



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Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	380	325
Points per game	95.0	81.3
Scoring margin	+13.8	-
Field goals-att	138-251	118-250
Field goal pct	.550	.472
3 point fg-att	46-106	29-84
3-point FG pct	.434	.345
3-pt FG made per game	11.5	7.3
Free throws-att	58-75	60-83
Free throw pct	.773	.723
F-Throws made per game	14.5	15.0
Rebounds	134	132
Rebounds per game	33.5	33.0
Rebounding margin	+0.5	-
Assists	81	57
Assists per game	20.3	14.3
Turnovers	60	72
Turnovers per game	15.0	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.8
Steals	39	40
Steals per game	9.8	10.0
Blocks	10	6
Blocks per game	2.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1739	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-435	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
UVA Wise	195	185	0	380
Opponents	140	185	0	325

COMBINED TEAM STATS



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Game Records

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

Score by Periods

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Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point			F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats								
		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
5	FRUSTER, Zion	4-2	91:00	22.8	28-53	.528	9-19	.474	9-13	.692	3	12	15	3.8	8	0	11	8	0	7	74	18.5
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	4-4	98:00	24.5	21-32	.656	9-13	.692	19-25	.760	3	16	19	4.8	12	0	14	7	2	9	70	17.5
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	4-2	89:00	22.3	19-29	.655	2-2	1.000	9-10	.900	1	13	14	3.5	6	0	12	9	1	5	49	12.3
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	4-3	82:00	20.5	13-22	.591	2-6	.333	6-6	1.000	7	9	16	4.0	11	0	2	2	2	3	34	8.5
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	4-4	108:00	27.0	13-28	.464	8-20	.400	0-0	.000	0	8	8	2.0	5	0	6	0	1	2	34	8.5
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	4-2	65:00	16.3	9-17	.529	7-13	.538	8-9	.889	1	2	3	0.8	7	0	10	9	1	2	33	8.3
23	UKAJ, Rron	4-1	69:00	17.3	14-22	.636	2-4	.500	1-4	.250	8	13	21	5.3	2	0	4	7	0	4	31	7.8
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	4-0	71:00	17.8	13-25	.520	4-13	.308	1-2	.500	3	13	16	4.0	7	0	9	5	2	1	31	7.8
11	BRYSON, Ben	4-2	71:00	17.8	5-9	.556	0-2	.000	4-4	1.000	8	3	11	2.8	7	0	8	7	1	5	14	3.5
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	4-0	48:00	12.0	3-11	.273	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	0	3	3	0.8	3	0	4	4	0	1	10	2.5
22	OWENS, Zachary	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	BRKIC', Filip	2-0	04:00	2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	NEWLAND, Josh	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											2	6	8				1					
Total		4	800		138-251	.550	46-106	.434	58-75	.773	36	98	134	33.5	68	0	81	60	10	39	380	95.0
Opponents		4	800		118-250	.472	29-84	.345	60-83	.723	46	86	132	33.0	62	0	57	72	6	40	325	81.3

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Turnovers	60	72
Turnovers per game	15.0	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.8
Steals	39	40
Steals per game	9.8	10.0
Blocks	10	6
Blocks per game	2.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1739	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-435	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2023	King (TN)	W	90-69	435
11/12/2023	Lees-McRae	L	99-100	473
11/15/2023	JWU (Charlotte)	W	102-80	523
11/21/2023	Southern Wesleyan	W	89-76	308

GAME HIGHS



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UVA Wise - Game Highs

POINTS	102		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	99		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	90		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	89		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	43		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	35		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	78		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	59		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.614	(35-57)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.551	(43-78)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	14		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	12		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	32		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	28		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	28		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.500	(14-28)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	.500	(9-18)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	20		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	18		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	29		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	24		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.938	(15-16)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	.833	(5-6)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
REBOUNDS	37		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	34		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
ASSISTS	24		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	21		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
STEALS	13		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	12		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	5		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	3		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
TURNOVERS	19		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	17		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	17		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FOULS	20		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	19		King (TN) (11/11/2023)

OPPONENT GAME HIGHS



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Opponent - Game Highs

POINTS	100		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	80		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	76		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	69		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	39		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	28		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	28		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	69		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	61		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.565	(39-69)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.467	(28-60)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	11		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	7		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	24		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	22		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.458	(11-24)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.389	(7-18)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	17		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	16		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	16		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	24		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	24		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.810	(17-21)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	.786	(11-14)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
REBOUNDS	38		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	38		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
ASSISTS	16		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	16		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
STEALS	13		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	12		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	4		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	2		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
TURNOVERS	26		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	18		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FOULS	19		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	18		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)

GAME LOWS



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UVA Wise - Game Lows

POINTS	89		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	90		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	99		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	102		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	29		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	31		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	57		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	57		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.509	(29-57)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	.525	(31-59)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	9		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	11		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	18		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	28		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	28		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.344	(11-32)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	.429	(12-28)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	5		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	15		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	6		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	16		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.690	(20-29)	Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.750	(18-24)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
REBOUNDS	31		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	32		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
ASSISTS	16		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	20		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
STEALS	6		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	8		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	1		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	1		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
TURNOVERS	7		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	17		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	17		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FOULS	13		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	16		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)

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POINTS	69		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	76		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	80		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	100		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	23		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	28		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	28		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	60		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	60		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.383	(23-60)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	.459	(28-61)	JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	4		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	7		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	7		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	18		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	20		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.200	(4-20)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	.318	(7-22)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	11		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	16		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	16		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	14		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	21		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.667	(16-24)	Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	.667	(16-24)	King (TN) (11/11/2023)
REBOUNDS	28		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	28		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
ASSISTS	10		King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	15		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
STEALS	5		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	10		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	0		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	0		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
TURNOVERS	13		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	15		Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FOULS	9		JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	16		Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)

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POINTS	25		Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	22		Joe'l Pettiford vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	21		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	20		Zion Fruster vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	19		Patrick Shelley vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	19		Zion Fruster vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	10		Joe'l Pettiford vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	9		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	16		Zion Fruster vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	15		Zion Fruster vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	.818	(9-11)	Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.769	(10-13)	Joe'l Pettiford vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	5		Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Zion Fruster vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	7		Carmelo Pacheco vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	7		Zion Fruster vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	7		Isaiah McAmis vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(4-4)	Zion Fruster vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1.000	(2-2)	Calen Lightford vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	9		Patrick Shelley vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Calen Lightford vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	13		Patrick Shelley vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Calen Lightford vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(7-7)	Calen Lightford vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1.000	(4-4)	Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Zion Fruster vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
REBOUNDS	11		Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	7		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	7		Joe'l Pettiford vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	7		Rron Ukaj vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Lav Cvetkovic' vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
ASSISTS	6		Lav Cvetkovic' vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	4		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Zion Fruster vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Ben Bryson vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	4		Patrick Shelley vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Calen Lightford vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
STEALS	4		Rron Ukaj vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Zion Fruster vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	2		Joe'l Pettiford vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Lav Cvetkovic' vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	1		Patrick Shelley vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	1		Carmelo Pacheco vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	1		Lav Cvetkovic' vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	1		Ben Bryson vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	1		Calen Lightford vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Patrick Shelley vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
TURNOVERS	5		Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Zion Fruster vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Calen Lightford vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Rron Ukaj vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)

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FOULS		
	4	Zy'Ever Wingfield vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4	Joe'l Pettiford vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4	Joe'l Pettiford vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4	Lav Cvetkovic' vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	4	Patrick Shelley vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)

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POINTS	22		Rodney Smith vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	19		Cameron Lawson vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	19		Timon Jones vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	18		Jaden Scriven vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	15		Jaylin Stewart vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	7		Rodney Smith vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Jaylin Stewart vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Timon Jones vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	16		Jaden Scriven vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	14		Timon Jones vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	.778	(7-9)	Jaylin Stewart vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.625	(5-8)	Raevon Allen vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	.625	(5-8)	Cameron Lawson vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	5		Timon Jones vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Cameron Lawson vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	8		Timon Jones vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	6		Griffin Effenberger vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(2-2)	Rodney Smith vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	.800	(4-5)	Cameron Lawson vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	6		Jaden Scriven vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	6		Rodney Smith vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	8		Jaden Scriven vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	7		Rodney Smith vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	7		Eli Elston vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(3-3)	Nathan Meshida vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Jordan Akal vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
REBOUNDS	9		Jaylen Benson-Hollinhead vs JWU (Charlotte) (11/15/2023)
	8		Sidney Dollar vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
ASSISTS	6		Griffin Effenberger vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		LJ Rogers vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
STEALS	4		Jaylin Stewart vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Amarius Beasley vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	1		Nico Ashley vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	1		Sidney Dollar vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	1		Cam George vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Satchel Love vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Mikhail Pocknett vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	1		Seth Cullen vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
TURNOVERS	6		Jordan Akal vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
	5		Mikhail Pocknett vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)
FOULS	4		Griffin Effenberger vs Southern Wesleyan (11/21/2023)
	4		Jaylin Stewart vs Lees-McRae (11/12/2023)
	4		Seth Cullen vs King (TN) (11/11/2023)

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Points

##	Player	G	Pts	Pts/G
5	Fruster, Zion	4	74	18.5
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	70	17.5
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	49	12.3
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	34	8.5
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	34	8.5
0	Lightford, Calen	4	33	8.3
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	31	7.8
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	31	7.8
11	Bryson, Ben	4	14	3.5
13	McAmis, Isaiah	4	10	2.5

Scoring Average

##	Player	G	Pts	Pts/G
5	Fruster, Zion	4	74	18.5
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	70	17.5
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	49	12.3
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	34	8.5
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	34	8.5
0	Lightford, Calen	4	33	8.3
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	31	7.8
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	31	7.8
11	Bryson, Ben	4	14	3.5
13	McAmis, Isaiah	4	10	2.5

Field Goal Percentage

##	Player	FG	Att	Pct
3	Shelley, Patrick	21	32	.656
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	19	29	.655
23	Ukaj, Rron	14	22	.636
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	13	22	.591
11	Bryson, Ben	5	9	.556
0	Lightford, Calen	9	17	.529
5	Fruster, Zion	28	53	.528
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	13	25	.520
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	13	28	.464
13	McAmis, Isaiah	3	11	.273

Field Goal Attempts

##	Player	G	Att	Att/G
5	Fruster, Zion	4	53	13.3
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	32	8.0
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	29	7.3
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	28	7.0
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	25	6.3

Field Goals Made

##	Player	G	Made	Made/G
5	Fruster, Zion	4	28	7.0
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	21	5.3
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	19	4.8
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	14	3.5
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	13	3.3

3-Point FG Percentage

##	Player	3FG	Att	Pct
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	2	2	1.000
3	Shelley, Patrick	9	13	.692
0	Lightford, Calen	7	13	.538
23	Ukaj, Rron	2	4	.500
5	Fruster, Zion	9	19	.474
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	8	20	.400
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	2	6	.333
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	13	.308
13	McAmis, Isaiah	3	11	.273

3-Point FG Attempts

##	Player	G	Att	Att/G
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	20	5.0
5	Fruster, Zion	4	19	4.8
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	13	3.3
0	Lightford, Calen	4	13	3.3
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	13	3.3

3-Point FG Made

##	Player	G	Made	Made/G
5	Fruster, Zion	4	9	2.3
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	9	2.3
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	8	2.0
0	Lightford, Calen	4	7	1.8
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	4	1.0

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Free Throw Percentage

##	Player	Made	Att	Pct
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	6	6	1.000
11	Bryson, Ben	4	4	1.000
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	9	10	.900
0	Lightford, Calen	8	9	.889
3	Shelley, Patrick	19	25	.760
5	Fruster, Zion	9	13	.692
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	1	2	.500
13	McAmis, Isaiah	1	2	.500
23	Ukaj, Rron	1	4	.250

Free Throw Attempts

##	Player	G	Att	Att/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	25	6.3
5	Fruster, Zion	4	13	3.3
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	10	2.5
0	Lightford, Calen	4	9	2.3
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	6	1.5

Free Throws Made

##	Player	G	Made	Made/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	19	4.8
5	Fruster, Zion	4	9	2.3
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	9	2.3
0	Lightford, Calen	4	8	2.0
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	6	1.5

Rebounds

##	Player	G	Reb	Reb/G
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	21	5.3
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	19	4.8
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	16	4.0
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	16	4.0
5	Fruster, Zion	4	15	3.8

Assists

##	Player	G	Ast	Ast/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	14	3.5
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	12	3.0
5	Fruster, Zion	4	11	2.8
0	Lightford, Calen	4	10	2.5
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	9	2.3

Rebounds Average

##	Player	G	Reb	Reb/G
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	21	5.3
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	19	4.8
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	16	4.0
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	16	4.0
5	Fruster, Zion	4	15	3.8

Steals

##	Player	G	Stl	Stl/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	9	2.3
5	Fruster, Zion	4	7	1.8
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	5	1.3
11	Bryson, Ben	4	5	1.3
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	4	1.0

Offensive Rebounds

##	Player	G	OReb	OReb/G
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	8	2.0
11	Bryson, Ben	4	8	2.0
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	7	1.8
5	Fruster, Zion	4	3	0.8
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	3	0.8

Blocked Shots

##	Player	G	Blk	Blk/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	2	0.5
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	2	0.5
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	2	0.5
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	1	0.3
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	1	0.3

Defensive Rebounds

##	Player	G	DReb	DReb/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	16	4.0
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	13	3.3
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	13	3.3
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	13	3.3
5	Fruster, Zion	4	12	3.0

Minutes

##	Player	G	Min	Min/G
1	Pacheco, Carmelo	4	108	27:00
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	98	24:30
5	Fruster, Zion	4	91	22:45
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	89	22:15
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	82	20:30

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Fouls

##	Player	G	PF	PF/G
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	12	3.0
24	Pettiford, Joe'l	4	11	2.8
5	Fruster, Zion	4	8	2.0
0	Lightford, Calen	4	7	1.8
10	Cvetkovic', Lav	4	7	1.8

Turnovers

##	Player	G	TO	TO/G
2	Wingfield, Zy'Ever	4	9	2.3
0	Lightford, Calen	4	9	2.3
5	Fruster, Zion	4	8	2.0
3	Shelley, Patrick	4	7	1.8
23	Ukaj, Rron	4	7	1.8

Foul Outs

##	Player	G	FO
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AVERAGES PER 40 MIN



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##	Player	min	fgm	fga	pct	3fgm	3fga	pct	ftm	fta	pct	oreb	dreb	treb	pf	a	to	blk	stl	pts
21	BRKIC', Filip	40	0.0	10.0	.000	0.0	10.0	.000	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	BRYSON, Ben	40	2.8	5.1	.556	0.0	1.1	.000	2.3	2.3	1.000	4.5	1.7	6.2	3.9	4.5	3.9	0.6	2.8	7.9
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	40	7.3	14.1	.520	2.3	7.3	.308	0.6	1.1	.500	1.7	7.3	9.0	3.9	5.1	2.8	1.1	0.6	17.5
5	FRUSTER, Zion	40	12.3	23.3	.528	4.0	8.4	.474	4.0	5.7	.692	1.3	5.3	6.6	3.5	4.8	3.5	0.0	3.1	32.5
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	40	5.5	10.5	.529	4.3	8.0	.538	4.9	5.5	.889	0.6	1.2	1.8	4.3	6.2	5.5	0.6	1.2	20.3
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	40	2.5	9.2	.273	2.5	9.2	.273	0.8	1.7	.500	0.0	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.3	3.3	0.0	0.8	8.3
20	NEWLAND, Josh	40	0.0	40.0	.000	0.0	40.0	.000	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
22	OWENS, Zachary	40	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	40	4.8	10.4	.464	3.0	7.4	.400	0.0	0.0	.000	0.0	3.0	3.0	1.9	2.2	0.0	0.4	0.7	12.6
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	40	6.3	10.7	.591	1.0	2.9	.333	2.9	2.9	1.000	3.4	4.4	7.8	5.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	16.6
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	40	8.6	13.1	.656	3.7	5.3	.692	7.8	10.2	.760	1.2	6.5	7.8	4.9	5.7	2.9	0.8	3.7	28.6
23	UKAJ, Rron	40	8.1	12.8	.636	1.2	2.3	.500	0.6	2.3	.250	4.6	7.5	12.2	1.2	2.3	4.1	0.0	2.3	18.0
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	40	8.5	13.0	.655	0.9	0.9	1.000	4.0	4.5	.900	0.4	5.8	6.3	2.7	5.4	4.0	0.4	2.2	22.0

Note: All statistics are pro-rated based on an average per 40-minute game.

NON-CONFERENCE GAMES



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Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
UVA Wise	195	185	0	380
Opponents	140	185	0	325

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total				3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats								
		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
5	FRUSTER, Zion	4-2	91:00	22.8	28-53	.528	9-19	.474	9-13	.692	3	12	15	3.8	8	0	11	8	0	7	74	18.5
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	4-4	98:00	24.5	21-32	.656	9-13	.692	19-25	.760	3	16	19	4.8	12	0	14	7	2	9	70	17.5
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	4-2	89:00	22.3	19-29	.655	2-2	1.000	9-10	.900	1	13	14	3.5	6	0	12	9	1	5	49	12.3
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	4-3	82:00	20.5	13-22	.591	2-6	.333	6-6	1.000	7	9	16	4.0	11	0	2	2	2	3	34	8.5
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	4-4	108:00	27.0	13-28	.464	8-20	.400	0-0	.000	0	8	8	2.0	5	0	6	0	1	2	34	8.5
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	4-2	65:00	16.3	9-17	.529	7-13	.538	8-9	.889	1	2	3	0.8	7	0	10	9	1	2	33	8.3
23	UKAJ, Rron	4-1	69:00	17.3	14-22	.636	2-4	.500	1-4	.250	8	13	21	5.3	2	0	4	7	0	4	31	7.8
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	4-0	71:00	17.8	13-25	.520	4-13	.308	1-2	.500	3	13	16	4.0	7	0	9	5	2	1	31	7.8
11	BRYSON, Ben	4-2	71:00	17.8	5-9	.556	0-2	.000	4-4	1.000	8	3	11	2.8	7	0	8	7	1	5	14	3.5
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	4-0	48:00	12.0	3-11	.273	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	0	3	3	0.8	3	0	4	4	0	1	10	2.5
22	OWENS, Zachary	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	BRKIC', Filip	2-0	04:00	2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	NEWLAND, Josh	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											2	6	8				1					
Total		4	800		138-251	.550	46-106	.434	58-75	.773	36	98	134	33.5	68	0	81	60	10	39	380	95.0
Opponents		4	800		118-250	.472	29-84	.345	60-83	.723	46	86	132	33.0	62	0	57	72	6	40	325	81.3

Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	380	325
Points per game	95.0	81.3
Scoring margin	+13.8	-
Field goals-att	138-251	118-250
Field goal pct	.550	.472
3 point fg-att	46-106	29-84
3-point FG pct	.434	.345
3-pt FG made per game	11.5	7.3
Free throws-att	58-75	60-83
Free throw pct	.773	.723
F-Throws made per game	14.5	15.0
Rebounds	134	132
Rebounds per game	33.5	33.0
Rebounding margin	+0.5	-
Assists	81	57
Assists per game	20.3	14.3
Turnovers	60	72
Turnovers per game	15.0	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.8
Steals	39	40
Steals per game	9.8	10.0
Blocks	10	6
Blocks per game	2.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1739	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-435	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2023	King (TN)	W	90-69	435
11/12/2023	Lees-McRae	L	99-100	473
11/15/2023	JWU (Charlotte)	W	102-80	523
11/21/2023	Southern Wesleyan	W	89-76	308

CONFERENCE GAMES

HOME GAMES



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Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
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Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point			F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats								
		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
5	FRUSTER, Zion	4-2	91:00	22.8	28-53	.528	9-19	.474	9-13	.692	3	12	15	3.8	8	0	11	8	0	7	74	18.5
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	4-4	98:00	24.5	21-32	.656	9-13	.692	19-25	.760	3	16	19	4.8	12	0	14	7	2	9	70	17.5
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	4-2	89:00	22.3	19-29	.655	2-2	1.000	9-10	.900	1	13	14	3.5	6	0	12	9	1	5	49	12.3
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	4-3	82:00	20.5	13-22	.591	2-6	.333	6-6	1.000	7	9	16	4.0	11	0	2	2	2	3	34	8.5
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	4-4	108:00	27.0	13-28	.464	8-20	.400	0-0	.000	0	8	8	2.0	5	0	6	0	1	2	34	8.5
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	4-2	65:00	16.3	9-17	.529	7-13	.538	8-9	.889	1	2	3	0.8	7	0	10	9	1	2	33	8.3
23	UKAJ, Rron	4-1	69:00	17.3	14-22	.636	2-4	.500	1-4	.250	8	13	21	5.3	2	0	4	7	0	4	31	7.8
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	4-0	71:00	17.8	13-25	.520	4-13	.308	1-2	.500	3	13	16	4.0	7	0	9	5	2	1	31	7.8
11	BRYSON, Ben	4-2	71:00	17.8	5-9	.556	0-2	.000	4-4	1.000	8	3	11	2.8	7	0	8	7	1	5	14	3.5
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	4-0	48:00	12.0	3-11	.273	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	0	3	3	0.8	3	0	4	4	0	1	10	2.5
22	OWENS, Zachary	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	BRKIC', Filip	2-0	04:00	2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	NEWLAND, Josh	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											2	6	8				1					
Total		4	800		138-251	.550	46-106	.434	58-75	.773	36	98	134	33.5	68	0	81	60	10	39	380	95.0
Opponents		4	800		118-250	.472	29-84	.345	60-83	.723	46	86	132	33.0	62	0	57	72	6	40	325	81.3

Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	380	325
Points per game	95.0	81.3
Scoring margin	+13.8	-
Field goals-att	138-251	118-250
Field goal pct	.550	.472
3 point fg-att	46-106	29-84
3-point FG pct	.434	.345
3-pt FG made per game	11.5	7.3
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F-Throws made per game	14.5	15.0
Rebounds	134	132
Rebounds per game	33.5	33.0
Rebounding margin	+0.5	-
Assists	81	57
Assists per game	20.3	14.3
Turnovers	60	72
Turnovers per game	15.0	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.8
Steals	39	40
Steals per game	9.8	10.0
Blocks	10	6
Blocks per game	2.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1739	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-435	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2023	King (TN)	W	90-69	435
11/12/2023	Lees-McRae	L	99-100	473
11/15/2023	JWU (Charlotte)	W	102-80	523
11/21/2023	Southern Wesleyan	W	89-76	308

AWAY GAMES



2023-24 UVA Wise Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics Won games

Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
UVA Wise	143	138	0	281
Opponents	94	131	0	225

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
5	FRUSTER, Zion	3-2	68:00	22.7	20-38	.526	9-16	.563	8-12	.667	2	7	9	3.0	6	0	8	7	0	3	57	19.0
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	3-3	69:00	23.0	17-25	.680	7-10	.700	10-12	.833	1	14	15	5.0	9	0	10	5	2	7	51	17.0
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	3-2	65:00	21.7	12-21	.571	2-6	.333	4-4	1.000	6	7	13	4.3	7	0	2	2	2	3	30	10.0
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	3-1	48:00	16.0	8-15	.533	6-11	.545	7-7	1.000	1	2	3	1.0	5	0	6	5	1	1	29	9.7
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	3-2	61:00	20.3	10-18	.556	1-1	1.000	7-8	.875	1	10	11	3.7	4	0	10	4	1	5	28	9.3
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	3-0	62:00	20.7	12-23	.522	3-12	.250	0-0	.000	3	11	14	4.7	6	0	9	3	2	1	27	9.0
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	3-3	79:00	26.3	10-22	.455	5-15	.333	0-0	.000	0	6	6	2.0	5	0	4	0	1	2	25	8.3
23	UKAJ, Rron	3-1	46:00	15.3	8-13	.615	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	5	9	14	4.7	2	0	2	6	0	0	17	5.7
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	3-0	40:00	13.3	3-10	.300	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.7	3	0	1	4	0	0	9	3.0
11	BRYSON, Ben	3-1	54:00	18.0	3-6	.500	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	6	2	8	2.7	5	0	7	5	0	5	8	2.7
22	OWENS, Zachary	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	BRKIC', Filip	2-0	04:00	2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	NEWLAND, Josh	1-0	02:00	2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											2	6	8					1				
Total		3	600		103-194	.531	37-88	.420	38-46	.826	27	76	103	34.3	52	0	60	43	9	27	281	93.7
Opponents		3	600		79-181	.436	18-60	.300	49-69	.710	36	68	104	34.7	44	0	41	57	4	30	225	75.0

Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	281	225
Points per game	93.7	75.0
Scoring margin	+18.7	-
Field goals-att	103-194	79-181
Field goal pct	.531	.436
3 point fg-att	37-88	18-60
3-point FG pct	.420	.300
3-pt FG made per game	12.3	6.0
Free throws-att	38-46	49-69
Free throw pct	.826	.710
F-Throws made per game	12.7	16.3
Rebounds	103	104
Rebounds per game	34.3	34.7
Rebounding margin	-0.3	-
Assists	60	41
Assists per game	20.0	13.7
Turnovers	43	57
Turnovers per game	14.3	19.0
Turnover margin	+4.7	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.7
Steals	27	30
Steals per game	9.0	10.0
Blocks	9	4
Blocks per game	3.0	1.3
Winning streak	3	-
Home win streak	3	-
Attendance	1266	0
Home games-Avg/Game	3-422	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/11/2023	King (TN)	W	90-69	435
11/15/2023	JWU (Charlotte)	W	102-80	523
11/21/2023	Southern Wesleyan	W	89-76	308



2023-24 UVA Wise Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics Lost games

Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
UVA Wise	52	47	0	99
Opponents	46	54	0	100

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats									
		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
2	WINGFIELD, Zy'Ever	1-0	28:00	28.0	9-11	.818	1-1	1.000	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	3.0	2	0	2	5	0	0	21	21.0
3	SHELLEY, Patrick	1-1	29:00	29.0	4-7	.571	2-3	.667	9-13	.692	2	2	4	4.0	3	0	4	2	0	2	19	19.0
5	FRUSTER, Zion	1-0	23:00	23.0	8-15	.533	0-3	.000	1-1	1.000	1	5	6	6.0	2	0	3	1	0	4	17	17.0
23	UKAJ, Rron	1-0	23:00	23.0	6-9	.667	1-1	1.000	1-3	.333	3	4	7	7.0	0	0	2	1	0	4	14	14.0
1	PACHECO, Carmelo	1-1	29:00	29.0	3-6	.500	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2.0	0	0	2	0	0	0	9	9.0
11	BRYSON, Ben	1-1	17:00	17.0	2-3	.667	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	2	1	3	3.0	2	0	1	2	1	0	6	6.0
10	CVETKOVIC', Lav	1-0	09:00	9.0	1-2	.500	1-1	1.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	2.0	1	0	0	2	0	0	4	4.0
0	LIGHTFORD, Calen	1-1	17:00	17.0	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	4	4	0	1	4	4.0
24	PETTIFORD, Joe'l	1-1	17:00	17.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	3.0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	4.0
13	MCAMIS, Isaiah	1-0	08:00	8.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	1.0
Team																						
Total		1	200		35-57	.614	9-18	.500	20-29	.690	9	22	31	31.0	16	0	21	17	1	12	99	99.0
Opponents		1	200		39-69	.565	11-24	.458	11-14	.786	10	18	28	28.0	18	0	16	15	2	10	100	100.0

Team Statistics

	WISE	OPP
Scoring	99	100
Points per game	99.0	100.0
Scoring margin	-1.0	-
Field goals-att	35-57	39-69
Field goal pct	.614	.565
3 point fg-att	9-18	11-24
3-point FG pct	.500	.458
3-pt FG made per game	9.0	11.0
Free throws-att	20-29	11-14
Free throw pct	.690	.786
F-Throws made per game	20.0	11.0
Rebounds	31	28
Rebounds per game	31.0	28.0
Rebounding margin	+3.0	-
Assists	21	16
Assists per game	21.0	16.0
Turnovers	17	15
Turnovers per game	17.0	15.0
Turnover margin	-2.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.2	1.1
Steals	12	10
Steals per game	12.0	10.0
Blocks	1	2
Blocks per game	1.0	2.0
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	473	0
Home games-Avg/Game	1-473	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
11/12/2023	Lees-McRae	L 99-100	473

UVA WISE MEN'S BASKETBALL HISTORY

MEN'S BASKETBALL

1,000 POINT CLUB

1. Zack Moore	2,377
2. Nat Law	2,092
3. Jeff Miller	1,706
4. Hobby Stuart	1,646
5. Jarred Soles	1,643
6. Matt Day	1,627
7. Mario Walker	1,584
8. Darren Morton	1,436
9. Bobby Hedrick	1,434
10. David Ray	1,433
11. Travis Berry	1,365
12. Ron Dickenson	1,341
13. Tony McDonald	1,340
14. Cameron Whiteside	1,307
15. Michal Seals	1,267
16. Taiwo Badmus	1,265
17. Terry Edwards	1,228
18. Scotty Vermillion	1,215
19. Roger St. Clair	1,198
20. Mike Hoskins	1,178
21. Josh Jordan	1,171
22. Rob Stoss	1,163
23. Rick Myers	1,155
24. Jerry Myers	1,137
25. Stacy Ervin	1,127
26. Major Griffey	1,095
27. Pance Kecev	1,093
28. Parker Gemmell	1,092
29. Brandon Green	1,091
30. Briggs Parris	1,078
31. Chance Sheffey	1,067
32. Peter Vance	1,064
33. Barry Hamler	1,062
34. Johnny Gose	1,056
35. Eddie Whitaker	1,044
36. Terry Bird	1,031
T-37. Nat Hash	1,004
T-37. Adam Hood	1,004
39. Brad Dean	1,003

UVA Wise Individual Single-Game Records

Most Points Scored	49, Matt Day (vs. WV State, Feb. 25, 2016)
Most Field Goals Made	18-3x, Rick Myers (at Lincoln Memorial, Jan. 9, 1973), David Ray (vs. King College, Jan. 29, 1977), Hobby Stuart (vs. Pikeville College, Feb. 6, 1986)
Most 3P FG Made	9-3x, Luke Lawson vs. E&H - 1/18/23, Briggs Parris vs. Livingstone - 11/9/18, Nat Law vs. Bryan - 1/18/97
Most Free Throws Made	24, Matt Day (vs WV State, Feb. 25, 2016)
Most Free Throws Attempted	27, Matt Day (vs. WV State, Feb. 25, 2016)
Most Rebounds	25, Kevin Short (vs. Tusculum, 1989-90)

UVA Wise Individual Single-Season Records

Most Points Scored	806, Nat Law (1998-99)
Most Field Goals Made	274, Nat Law (1998-99)
Most 3-Point Field Goals Made	114, Nat Law (1998-99)
Best Field Goal Percentage	64.3%, Clay Parker (1995-96)
Most Free Throws Made	208, Zack Moore (2002-03)
Best Free Throw Percentage	89.7%, Terry Edwards (1981-82)
Most Rebounds	399, Deon Boyce (2013-14)
Most Rebounds Per Game	14.8, Deon Boyce (2013-14)

UVA Wise Individual Career Records

Most Points Scored	2,377, Zack Moore (1999-03)
Most Points Per Game	20.8, Jeff Miller (1987-90)
Most Free Throws Made	629, Zack Moore (1999-03)
Most FT Attempted	805, Zack Moore (1999-03)
Highest FT Percentage	86.7%, David Ray (1975-78)
Most Rebounds	1,027, Reagan Mullins (1997-01)
Most Blocks	100, Josh Jordan (2009-12)

UVA Wise Team Single-Season Records

Most Points Scored	3,039 (1993-94)
Most Points Allowed	3,104 (1979-80)
Most Games Won	24 (2002-03)
Most FG Made	1,093 (1981-82)
Highest FG Percentage	54.4% (1981-82)



In the 2013-14 season, Deon Boyce led all of NCAA Division II in total rebounds per game (14.8) and offensive rebounds per game (6.22).

MEN'S BASKETBALL

YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORDS

1969-70:	9-13
1970-71:	5-21
1972-73:	10-17
1973-74:	6-17
1974-75:	4-23
1975-76:	0-15
1976-77:	10-16
1977-78:	8-20
1978-79:	8-20
1979-80:	6-30
1980-81:	15-19
1981-82:	15-14
1982-83:	13-15
1983-84:	9-18
1984-85:	9-18
1985-86:	8-22
1986-87:	9-21
1987-88:	6-20
1988-89:	9-16
1989-90:	16-15
1990-91:	10-22
1991-92:	9-22
1992-93:	8-22
1993-94:	21-12
1994-95:	8-24
1995-96:	14-16
1996-97:	18-16
1997-98:	16-17
1998-99:	12-21
1999-00:	5-28
2000-01:	9-24
2001-02:	16-13
2002-03:	24-10
2003-04:	14-18
2004-05:	3-28
2005-06:	15-18
2006-07:	7-24
2007-08:	14-17
2008-09:	8-21
2009-10:	17-13
2010-11:	11-18
2011-12:	9-16
2012-13:	11-15
2013-14:	11-16
2014-15:	2-26
2015-16:	4-25
2016-17:	9-20
2017-18:	14-16
2018-19:	9-20
2019-20:	6-22
2020-21:	5-13
2021-22:	4-21
2022-23:	19-12



SAC Rankings
11th Preseason

2023-24 Record
3-2 (0-0 SAC)

Last Game:

W, 89-76
S. Wesleyan

Next Game:

Wed., Nov. 29
7 p.m.
vs. Carolina

Head Coach:

Blake Mellinger
11th year

Asst. Coaches:

Blake Stinson
Austin Howard

2023-24 Schedule

Table with 2 columns: OPPONENT, DATE/RESULT. Lists games against KING, LMC, J&W, #16 N. GA, SWU, WINGATE, CAROLINA U., LIMESTONE, NEWBERRY, EMORY & HENRY, CHOWAN, #3 W. LIBERTY, MARS HILL, LENOIR-RHYNE, #6 LINCOLN MEMORIAL, ANDERSON, CARSON-NEWMAN, COKER, CATAWBA, EMORY & HENRY, MARS HILL, TUSCULUM, LIMESTONE, #6 LINCOLN MEMORIAL, NEWBERRY, CARSON-NEWMAN, TUSCULUM, WINGATE, SAC TOURNAMENT.

Stats Leaders

Table with 2 columns: PLAYER, STAT (VALUE). Lists leaders for PPG (18.4), RPG (5.0), APG (3.2), BLKS (3), STLs (10), FG% (63.3), 3FG% (62.5), FT% (81.3), and MPG (27.4).

Main table containing player profiles for #0 Calen Lightford, #1 Carmelo Pacheco, #2 Zy'Ever "Deuce" Wingfield, #3 Patrick Shelley, #4 Jake Hatch, #5 Zion Fruster, #10 Lav Cvetkovic', #11 Ben Bryson, #12 Brad Halvorsen, #13 Isaiah McAmis, #14 Dante Worley, #20 Josh Newland, #21 Filip Brkic', #22 Zach Owens, #23 Rron Ukaj, #24 Joe'l Pettiford, and #33 Evan Ramsey. Each profile includes team, stats, and career highlights.

BROADCAST MEDIA ROSTER



**#0 CALEN
LIGHTFORD**
SO. PG
HUNTSVILLE, ALA.



**#1 CARMELO
PACHECO**
FR. G
HARRISONBURG,
VA.



**#3 ZY'EVER
WINGFIELD**
JR. G
RICHMOND, VA.



**#3 PATRICK
SHELLEY**
SO. G
ROME, GA.



**#4 JAKE
HATCH**
FR. F
HOOVER, ALA.



**#5 ZION
FRUSTER**
SO. G
DOUGLASSVILLE,
GA.



**#10 LAV
CVETKOVIC'**
JR. PG
NOVI SAD, SERBIA



**#11 BEN
BRYSON**
SR. G
MILLS RIVER, N.C.



**#12 BRAD
HALVORSEN**
JR. G
KINGSPORT, TENN.



**#13 ISAIAH
MCAMIS**
R-JR. G
WISE, VA.



**#14 DANTE
WORLEY**
FR. G
BRISTOL, VA.



**#20 JOSH
NEWLAND**
SO. G
MANASSAS, VA.



**#21 FILIP
BRKIC'**
FR. G
ZAGREB, CROATIA



**#22 ZACH
OWENS**
SR. G
CASTLEWOOD,
VA.



**#23 RRON
UKAJ**
SR. F
PEJA, KOSOVO



**#24 JOE'L
PETTIFORD**
R-SO. F
GREENSBORO,
N.C.



**#33 EVAN
RAMSEY**
FR. F
ABINGDON, VA.



**BLAKE
MELLINGER**
HEAD COACH
UVA WISE '06



BLAKE STINSON
ASSISTANT
COACH
UVA WISE '21



AUSTIN HOWARD
ASSISTANT
COACH
FLAGLER '18