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VMI BASKETBALL

2008-09 MEDIA GUIDE



Kentucky



Fri., Nov. 14
at Rupp Arena

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Lexington, Ky.
Enrollment: 27,000
President: Dr. Lee T. Todd, Jr.
Athletics Director: Mitch Barnhart
Home Court: Rupp Arena
School Colors: Blue & White
Nickname: Wildcats
Conference: Southeastern (Eastern Div.)

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Billy Gillispie
School Record: 18-13/Second Season
Overall Record: 118-71/Seventh Season
Assistants: Jeremy Cox, Glynn Cyprien, Tracy Webster
2007-08 Record: 18-13 (12-4 SEC)
Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/5
Series Against VMI: Kentucky leads 5-2

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Virginia



Sun., Nov. 16
at John Paul Jones Arena

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Charlottesville, Va.
Enrollment: 20,834
President: John T. Casteen, III
Director of Athletics: Craig Littlepage
Home Court: John Paul Jones Arena
School Colors: Orange and Blue
Nickname: Cavaliers
Conference: Atlantic Coast Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Dave Leitao
School Record: 53-42/Fourth Season
Overall Record: 133-111/Ninth Season
Assistants: Bill Courtney, Drew Diener, Steve Seymour
2007-08 Record: 17-16 (5-11 ACC)
Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/6
Series Against VMI: Virginia leads 99-15

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Maryland Bible



Tues., Nov. 18
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Baltimore, Md.
Enrollment: 300
President: John Hadley
Director of Athletics: N/A
Home Court: N/A
School Colors: N/A
Nickname: N/A
Conference: Independent

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Jim Pearce
School Record: N/A
Overall Record: N/A
Assistants: N/A
2007-08 Record: N/A
Starters Returning/Lost: N/A
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: N/A
Series Against VMI: First Meeting

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Stevenson



Thurs., Nov. 20
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Stevenson, Md.
Enrollment: 3,000
President: Dr. Kevin J. Manning
Director of Athletics: Brett Adams
Home Court: Student Union Gymnasium
School Colors: Green & White
Nickname: Mustangs
Conference: Capital Athletic

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Brett Adams
School Record: N/A/15th Season
Overall Record: N/A/15th Season
Assistant: Ron Murphy
2007-08 Record: 7-19 (5-11 CAC)
Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/9
Series Against VMI: First Meeting

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Campbell



Mon., Nov. 24
at Gore Arena
Tues., Dec. 9
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Buies Creek, N.C.
Enrollment: 6,654
President: Dr. Jerry M. Wallace
Athletics Director: Stan Williamson
Home Court: Gore Arena
School Colors: Orange & Black
Nickname: Fighting Camels
Conference: Atlantic Sun Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Robbie Lang
School Record: 39-104/Sixth Season
Overall Record: 39-104/Sixth Season
Assistants: Buck Harris, Bobby Kennen, Michael Slonaker
2007-08 Record: 10-20 (5-11 A-Sun)
Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/5
Series Against VMI: Tied 1-1

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Jacksonville State



Sat., Nov. 29
at Pete Mathews Coliseum

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Jacksonville, Ala.
Enrollment: 9,481
President: Dr. William A. Meehan
Athletics Director: Oval Jaynes
Home Court: Pete Mathews Coliseum
School Colors: Red & White
Nickname: Gamecocks
Conference: Ohio Valley

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: James Green
School Record: 0-0/First Season
Overall Record: 167-160/12th Season
Assistants: Kyle Roane, Mike Smith, Rob Brooks
2007-08 Record: 7-22 (5-15 OVC)
Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/9
Series Against VMI: JSU leads 1-0

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Winthrop



Wed., Dec. 3
Cameron Hall
Wed., Feb. 4
at Winthrop Coliseum

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Rock Hill, S.C.
Enrollment: 6,600
President: Dr. Anthony J. DiGiorgio
Athletic Director: Tom Hickman
Home Court: Winthrop Coliseum
School Colors: Garnet & Gold
Nickname: Eagles
Conference: Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Randy Peele
School Record: 22-12/Second Season
Overall Record: 68-81/Sixth Season
Assistants: Paul Molinari, Larry Dixon, Marty McGillan
2007-08 Record: 22-12 (10-4 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/4
Series Against VMI: Winthrop leads 9-5

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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UNC Asheville



Sat., Dec. 6
at Justice Center
Mon., Feb. 2
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location: Asheville, N.C.
Enrollment: 3,500
Chancellor: Dr. Anne Ponder
Athletics Director: Janet Cone
Home Court: Justice Center
School Colors: Royal Blue & White
Nickname: Bulldogs
Conference: Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Eddie Biedenbach
School Record: 166-186/13th Season
Overall Record: 195-237/16th Season
Assistants: Nick McDevitt, Brett Carey, Kotie Kimble
2007-08 Record: 23-10 (10-4 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost: 1/4
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8/4
Series Against VMI: UNCA leads 9-5

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Southern Wesleyan



Sat., Dec. 13
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Central, S.C.
Enrollment:675
President:Dr. David Spittal
Director of Athletics:Chris Williams
Home Court:Tysinger Gym
School Colors:Royal Blue & Gold
Nickname:Warriors
Conference:Southern States Athletic

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Charles Wimphrie
School Record:250-275/17th Season
Overall Record:282-295/19th Season
Assistants:James Herman,
.....Robert Woods
2007-08 Record:10-21 (6-12 SSAC)
Starters Returning/Lost:2/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:5/7
Series Against VMI:VMI leads 3-0

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Army



Sun., Dec. 21
at Christl Arena

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:West Point, N.Y.
Enrollment:4,400
Superintendent:Lt. Gen. Franklin Hagenbeck
Athletic Director:Kevin Anderson
Home Court:Christl Arena
School Colors:Black, Gold & Gray
Nickname:Black Knights, Cadets
Conference:Patriot League

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Jim Crews
School Record:49-120/Seventh Season
Overall Record:343-329/23rd Season
Assistants:Chris Hollender,
.....Jim Platt, Kendrick Saunders
2007-08 Record:14-16 (6-8 Patriot)
Starters Returning/Lost:4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:18/5
Series Against VMI:Army leads 6-2

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Richmond



Wed., Dec. 31
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:University of Richmond, Va.
Enrollment:2,950
President:Dr. Edward L. Ayers
Director of Athletics:Jim Miller
Home Court:Robins Center
School Colors:Red & Blue
Nickname:Spiders
Conference:Atlantic 10 Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Chris Mooney
School Record:37-54/Fourth Season
Overall Record:79-9.3/Seventh Season
Assistants:Kevin McGeehan,
.....Jamal Brunt, Rob Jones
2007-08 Record:16-15 (9-7 A-10)
Starters Returning/Lost:4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:10/2
Series Against VMI: Richmond leads 83-43

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Gardner-Webb



Sat., Jan. 3
at Porter Arena
Sat., Feb. 7
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Boiling Springs, N.C.
Enrollment:4,000
President:Dr. Frank Bonner
Director of Athletics:Chuck Burch
Home Court:Paul Porter Arena
School Colors:Scarlet & Black
Nickname:Bulldogs
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Rick Scruggs
School Record:178-180/14th Season
Overall Record:356-295/21st Season
Assistants:Ken Huber,
.....Doug Esleek, Michael Lee
2007-08 Record:16-16 (9-7 A-Sun)
Starters Returning/Lost:4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:9/3
Series Against VMI:GWU leads 1-0

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Charleston Southern



Mon., Jan. 5
at CSU Field House
Mon., Feb. 9
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Charleston, S.C.
Enrollment:3,286
President:Dr. Jairy C. Hunter, Jr.
Athletic Director:Hank Small
Home Court:CSU Field House
School Colors:Blue & Gold
Nickname:Buccaneers
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Barclay Radebaugh
School Record:31-58/Fourth Season
Overall Record:52-66/Fifth Season
Assistants:Courtney Brooks,
.....J.D. Powell, Bob Richey
2007-08 Record:10-20 (4-10 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost:4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:7/6
Series Against VMI:VMI leads 9-5

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Coastal Carolina



Sat., Jan. 10
Cameron Hall
Sat., Feb. 14
at Kimbel Arena

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Conway, S.C.
Enrollment:8,300
President:Dr. David DeCenzo
Athletics Director: Warren "Moose" Koegel
Home Court:Kimbel Arena
School Colors: Coastal Green, Bronze & Black
Nickname:Chanticleers
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Cliff Ellis
School Record:13-15/Second Season
Overall Record:625-364/33rd Season
Assistants:Jamie Kachmarik,
.....Raheem Waller, Scott Stapler
2007-08 Record:13-15 (6-8 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost:3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:5/5
Series Against VMI:CCU leads 7-3

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Presbyterian



Mon., Jan. 12
Cameron Hall
Mon., Feb. 16
at Templeton Arena

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Clinton, S.C.
Enrollment:1,200
President:Dr. John V. Griffith
Athletics Dir.:Dr. William B. "Bee" Carlton
Home Court:Ross E. Templeton Arena
School Colors:Garnet & Blue
Nickname:Blue Hose
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Gregg Nibert
School Record:332-231/20th Season
Overall Record:332-231/20th Season
Assistants:Mark Berger,
.....Justin Smith, Quinton Ferrell
2007-08 Record:5-25
Starters Returning/Lost:4/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:7/3
Series Against VMI:VMI leads 1-0

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Liberty



Sat., Jan. 17
Cameron Hall
Tues., Feb. 24
at Vines Center

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Lynchburg, Va.
Enrollment:11,500
Exec. Vice President:Dr. Ronald Godwin
Athletics Director:Jeff Barber
Home Court:Vines Center
School Colors:Red, White & Blue
Nickname:Flames
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Ritchie McKay
School Record:16-16/Second Season
Overall Record:181-174/13th Season
Assistants:Brad Soucie,
.....Jason Eaker, Kyle Getter
2007-08 Record:16-16 (7-7 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost:1/4
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:4/8
Series Against VMI:Tied 9-9

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Radford



Wed., Jan. 21
at Dedmon Center
Sat., Feb. 21
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Radford, Va.
Enrollment:9,122
President:Penelope W. Kyle
Director of Athletics:Robert Lineburg
Home Court:Dedmon Center
School Colors:Red & White
Nickname:Highlanders
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Brad Greenberg
School Record:10-20/Second Season
Overall Record:10-20/Second Season
Assistants:Rick Hall,
.....Cedric Smith, Ali Ton
2007-08 Record: ..10/20 (5-9 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost:5/0
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:10/4
Series Against VMI: ..Radford leads 15-12

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High Point



Sat., Jan. 24
Cameron Hall
Sat., Feb. 28
at Millis Center

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:High Point, N.C.
Enrollment:3,500
President:Dr. Nido Qubein
Athletic Director:Craig Keilitz
Home Court:Millis Athletic Center
School Colors:Purple & White
Nickname:Panthers
Conference:Big South Conference

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Bart Lundy
School Record:87-66/Sixth Season
Overall Record:202-107/12th Season
Assistants:Marlon Sears,
.....Don Burgess, Brian MacDonald
2007-08 Record:17-14 (8-6 Big South)
Starters Returning/Lost:3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:6/8
Series Against VMI: .High Point leads 10-2

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Southern Virginia



Thurs., Jan. 29
Cameron Hall

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Location:Buena Vista, Va.
Enrollment:675
President:Dr. Rodney K. Smith
Athletic Director: Thomas F. Longenecker
Home Court:Knight Arena
School Colors:Green, White & Black
Nickname:Knights
Conference:Independent

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach:Brian Pendleton
School Record:First Season
Overall Record:First Season
Assistant:Tony Caputo
.....
2007-08 Record:13-14
Starters Returning/Lost:1/4
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:8/9
Series Against VMI:VMI leads 7-0

SPORTS INFORMATION CONTACT

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Travel Plans

Opponent	Nights Staying	Hotel Name and Address	Hotel Phone
at Kentucky	Thurs., Nov. 13	Hyatt Regency Lexington 401 West High Street, Lexington, KY 40507	859-253-1234
at Campbell	Sun., Nov. 23	Hampton Inn Dunn 100 Jesse Tart Circle, Dunn, NC 28334	910-892-4333
at Jacksonville St.	Fri., Nov. 28	Wingate Inn-Anniston/Oxford 143 Colonial Drive, Oxford, AL, 36203	256-831-1921
at UNC Asheville	Fri., Dec. 5	Crowne Plaza Asheville 1 Holiday Inn Dr., Asheville, NC 28806	828-254-3211
at Army	Sat., Dec. 20	Holiday Inn Express West Point-Ft. Montgomery 1106 Route 9W, Fort Montgomery, NY 10922	845-446-4277
at Gardner-Webb	Fri., Jan. 2 and Sat., Jan. 3	AmericInn of Boiling Springs 428 E. College Ave, Boiling Springs, NC 28017	704-434-9996
at Charleston Southern	Sun., Jan. 4	Courtyard Marriott Charleston North 2415 Mall Dr., N. Charleston, SC 29406	843-747-9122
at Winthrop	Tues., Feb. 3	Wingate Inn-Rock Hill Galleria 760 Galleria Blvd., Rock Hill, SC 29732	803-324-9000
at Coastal Carolina	Fri., Feb. 13 and Sat., Feb. 14	Sleep Inn & Suites Waccamaw Pines 108 Waccamaw Pines Dr., Myrtle Beach, SC 29579	843-236-0102
at Presbyterian	Sun., Feb. 15	Hampton Inn & Suites-Clinton 201 E Corporate Center Dr, Clinton, SC 29325	864-938-1040
at High Point	Fri., Feb. 27	Radisson Hotel High Point 135 N. Main St., High Point, NC 27260	336-889-8888

* Trips to Virginia (Nov. 16), Radford (Jan. 21) and Liberty (Feb. 24) will not include overnight stays. All trips by bus.



2008-09 BIG SOUTH COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

Monday, Nov. 10

PRESBYTERIAN at Duke &7 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 11

PRESBYTERIAN vs. Georgia South./Houston & TBD

Friday, Nov. 14

GARDNER-WEBB at Virginia Tech7 p.m.

Brevard at RADFORD7 p.m.

VMI at Kentucky7 p.m.

North Greenville at WINTHROP7 p.m.

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at Iowa7:05 p.m.

Belmont-Abbey at UNC ASHEVILLE7:30 p.m.

HIGH POINT at Duquesne8:30 p.m.

Montreat at LIBERTY9:15 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 15

Coker at COASTAL CAROLINA7 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 16

VMI at Virginia4 p.m.

WINTHROP at South Carolina4 p.m.

Montreat at UNC ASHEVILLE4:30 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 17

Furman at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 18

LIBERTY at UNC ASHEVILLE *Noon

COASTAL CAROLINA at Savannah State7 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at Longwood7 p.m.

Bridgewater at RADFORD7 p.m.

Maryland Bible at VMI7 p.m.

WINTHROP at Akron7 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 20

Atlanta Christian at HIGH POINT7 p.m.

Stevenson at VMI7 p.m.

Coll. of Charleston at CHARLESTON SO.7:30 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 21

RADFORD at Virginia7 p.m.

WINTHROP at Davidson7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at Georgia7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 22

UNC ASHEVILLE at Campbell3:15 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at Florida State !7 p.m.

Toccoa Falls at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 7:30 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at OklahomaTBA

HIGH POINT at North Carolina StateTBA

Monday, Nov. 24

VMI at Campbell7 p.m.

San Jose State at PRESBYTERIAN8 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at Cincinnati !TBA

Tuesday, Nov. 25

GARDNER-WEBB at South Carolina7 p.m.

HIGH POINT at South Florida7 p.m.

LIBERTY at Virginia7 p.m.

RADFORD at William & Mary7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at Wofford7 p.m.

WINTHROP at North Carolina State7 p.m.

The Citadel at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 28

COASTAL CAROLINA vs. Western Illinois ! ...3 p.m.

Coker at LIBERTY @6 p.m.

Montreat at HIGH POINT7 p.m.

North Florida at CHARLESTON SO.7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at Clemson7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 29

VMI at Jacksonville State4 p.m.

Virginia-Wise at GARDNER-WEBB7 p.m.

RADFORD at Navy7 p.m.

East Carolina at WINTHROP7 p.m.

COASTAL CAROL. vs. UT-Pan-Amer./N.C. A&T! TBD

William & Mary/S.C. State at Liberty @TBD

Sunday, Nov. 30

UNC ASHEVILLE at North Carolina6:30 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 1

George Mason at LIBERTY7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at Army7 p.m.

CHARLESTON SO. at HIGH POINT *7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 3

PRESBYTERIAN at COASTAL CAROLINA *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at VMI *7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at Tennessee7 p.m.

HIGH POINT at North Carolina Central7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 4

GARDNER-WEBB at RADFORD *7 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 6

GARDNER-WEBB at LIBERTY *1 p.m.

VMI at UNC ASHEVILLE *4:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at RADFORD *7 p.m.

COASTAL CAROL. at CHARLESTON SO. *7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 7

LIBERTY at Clemson3 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 9

Campbell at VMI7 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 10

Limestone at HIGH POINT7 p.m.

Duquesne at RADFORD7 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 12

GARDNER-WEBB at Wichita State8 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 13

Southern Virginia at COASTAL CAROLINA1 p.m.

Southern Wesleyan at VMI1 p.m.

Catawba at UNC ASHEVILLE4:30 p.m.

Towson at HIGH POINT7 p.m.

Covenant at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14

PRESBYTERIAN at Tulsa2 p.m.

James Madison at RADFORD2 p.m.

Virginia-Wise at COASTAL CAROLINA4 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at Kansas State7 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 15

Anderson at LIBERTY7 p.m.

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at CincinnatiTBA

Wednesday, Dec. 17

COASTAL CAROLINA at Coll. of Charleston7 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at Western Carolina7 p.m.

UC Davis at PRESBYTERIAN7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at Duke7:30 p.m.

LIBERTY at DePaul \$8:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 19

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at Florida State7 p.m.

Youngstown State at HIGH POINT7 p.m.

LIBERTY at Saint Louis \$TBA

RADFORD at George MasonTBA

Saturday, Dec. 20

COASTAL CAROLINA at Georgia State4 p.m.

Ferrum at GARDNER-WEBB4 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at Buffalo4 p.m.

WINTHROP at Old Dominion7 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 21

PRESBYTERIAN at Ball State1 p.m.

VMI at Army1 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 22

LIBERTY vs. Northern Colorado \$5:30 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at Ohio State7 p.m.

College of Charleston at WINTHROP7 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 23

LIBERTY vs. Southern/USC Upstate \$2:30/5 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at South Carolina7 p.m.

RADFORD at West VirginiaTBA

Saturday, Dec. 27

Shenandoah at RADFORD7 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 28

PRESBYTERIAN at Marquette2 p.m.

East Carolina at COASTAL CAROLINA3 p.m.

Cincinnati Christian at LIBERTY3 p.m.

WINTHROP vs. Florida %6:30 p.m.

HIGH POINT at Minnesota7 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 29

Virginia Tech at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN7 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 30

Emmanuel at COASTAL CAROLINA7 p.m.

RADFORD at Wake Forest7 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 31

Western Carolina at UNC ASHEVILLE4:30 p.m.

Anderson at GARDNER-WEBB7 p.m.

Richmond at VMITBA

Saturday, Jan. 3

HIGH POINT at COASTAL CAROLINA *4:30 p.m.

VMI at GARDNER-WEBB *7 p.m.

LIBERTY at WINTHROP *7 p.m.

RADFORD at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at CHARLESTON SO.*7:30 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 5

LIBERTY at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

VMI at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *7:30pm

RADFORD at COASTAL CAROLINA *7:30pm

Wednesday, Jan. 7

UNC ASHEVILLE at GARDNER-WEBB *7 p.m.

HIGH POINT at WINTHROP *7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 10

COASTAL CAROLINA at VMI *1 p.m.

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at RADFORD *7 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 12

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at RADFORD *7 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at VMI *7 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 13

HIGH POINT at UNC ASHEVILLE *7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 14

GARDNER-WEBB at WINTHROP *7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 17

LIBERTY at VMI *1 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at WINTHROP *2 p.m.

CHARLESTON SO. at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

RADFORD at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at GARDNER-WEBB*7:30 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 19

UNC ASHEVILLE at COASTAL CAROLINA *7 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 20

LIBERTY at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at CHARLESTON SO.*7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 21

GARDNER-WEBB at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

VMI at RADFORD *7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 24

HIGH POINT at VMI *1 p.m.

WINTHROP at COASTAL CAROLINA *2 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at UNC ASHEVILLE *4:30 p.m.

RADFORD at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

GARDNER-WEBB at CHARLESTON SO.*7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 27

HIGH POINT at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

Morris at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 28

GARDNER-WEBB at COASTAL CAROLINA *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at UNC ASHEVILLE *7 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 29

Southern Virginia at VMI7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 31

CHARLESTON SO. at COASTAL CAROL. * 4:30 p.m.

RADFORD at GARDNER-WEBB *7 p.m.

HIGH POINT at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at Charlotte7 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 2

RADFORD at WINTHROP *7 p.m.

UNC ASHEVILLE at VMI *7 p.m.

HIGH POINT at CHARLESTON SO. *7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 4

COASTAL CAROLINA at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

LIBERTY at GARDNER-WEBB *7 p.m.

VMI at WINTHROP *7 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 7

GARDNER-WEBB at VMI *1 p.m.

CHARLESTON SO. at UNC ASHEVILLE*4:30 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at RADFORD *7 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 9

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN at VMI *7 p.m.

COASTAL CAROLINA at RADFORD *7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at LIBERTY *7 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 11

GARDNER-WEBB at UNC ASHEVILLE *7 p.m.

WINTHROP at HIGH POINT *7 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 14

VMI at COASTAL CAROLINA *2 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN at WINTHROP *2 p.m.

RADFORD at UNC ASHEVILLE *4:30 p.m.

LIBERTY at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *7:30 p.m.

HIGH POINT at GARDNER-WEBB *8 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 16

LIBERTY at COASTAL CAROLINA *7 p.m.

VMI at PRESBYTERIAN *7 p.m.

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The Big South Conference is celebrating its 25th Anniversary in 2008-09, a milestone coming on the heels of unprecedented achievements and unparalleled success in League history over the past few years. Since its founding in 1983, the Big South Conference has matured into a competitive leader in college athletics, actively pursuing excellence on the field of play and in the classroom. The League's growing presence as an NCAA Division I athletic conference is evident by athletic accomplishments on the national stage, innovative marketing and media partnerships, increased television packages, and quality athletic competition while intentionally fostering the academic, personal, social, athletic and leadership development of each student-athlete.

The Big South Conference was formed on August 21, 1983, when Charleston Southern (then Baptist College) Athletic Director Howard Bagwell and Augusta President George Christenberry began recruiting members into the Big South, receiving initial commitments from Augusta, Charleston Southern, Campbell University, Coastal Carolina and Winthrop. One month later, Dr. Edward M. Singleton was selected as the League's first Commissioner and continued to solicit new members. His efforts led to the additions of Armstrong State, Radford and UNC Asheville, giving the Big South more than the required six members to constitute an official conference. The Big South's first year of competition was in the Fall of 1984, and in September 1986, the Big South Conference was granted full-fledged NCAA Division I status.

During its infancy and prior to securing automatic bids to NCAA Championships, the Big South made early strides in earning at-large berths in several national postseason events, including volleyball, women's basketball and women's golf. The League received its first automatic bid in 1990 to the NCAA Baseball Championship. In 1989, George F. "Buddy" Sasser replaced the retiring Dr. Singleton as Commissioner. Under Sasser's leadership, the Conference implemented its public relations and compliance programs, and

introduced its first-ever men's basketball television package, featuring the Big South competing among some of the finest teams in the nation.

In the last 15 years alone, the Big South Conference has experienced monumental growth and success in nearly every sport. During this time, the Conference has had two individual National Champions, close to 200 All-Americans, has reached the "Sweet 16" in men's soccer, women's basketball and baseball, has received national Top 25 rankings in men's soccer, men's basketball, women's basketball, baseball, men's outdoor track & field, and men's golf, had an individual selected to play in the NCAA Singles Championship three times, had the No. 1 ranked men's golfer in the country, had the national team and individual scoring leader in men's basketball twice, received an at-large playoff berth in the Football Championship Subdivision in 2006, and had an institution finish fifth in the NCAA Men's Golf Championships - the Conference's highest-ever team finish in an NCAA event.

In 2006-07 alone, the Big South was the only Conference nationwide to have an at-large participant in the football playoffs (Coastal Carolina), a team in the Second Round of the NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament (Winthrop) and a No. 1 seed in the NCAA Baseball Regionals (Coastal Carolina). In fact, Coastal Carolina's baseball program has been a No. 1 seed three out of the last four years, while its playoff berth in 2006 came in just the fifth-year of the Big South's football existence.

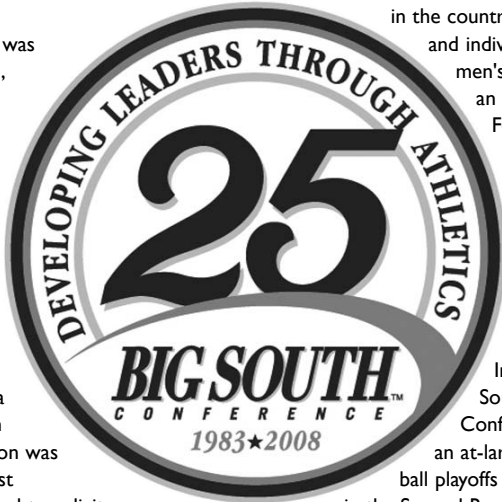
In August 1996, Kyle B. Kallander replaced Sasser as the League's third Commissioner, and in his 12 years at the helm of the Big South, Kallander has been instrumental in aggressively promoting the Conference to new levels.

The Conference has enjoyed record levels in marketing revenue during the past several years, he has brought television coverage to Big South women's basketball, baseball and softball for the first time in Conference history, as well as increased national televi-

sion exposure to the League as a whole through aggressive and unique television packages. Under Kallander's leadership, the Big South developed and initiated its first long-range strategic plan, re-affirming the League's vision as a distinctive athletic Conference committed to the quality of institutional life through athletic competition. He also spearheaded the efforts to add football as a championship sport, which came to fruition in 2002. Kallander's long range vision has also included technological advancements, as the Conference introduced its first live event video streaming in 2005 and has since expanded its video offerings to more than 500 events annually through a partnership with the member institutions, as well as the creation of a Conference blog and an online merchandise store.

The Conference's on-field accomplishments have been duplicated in the classroom. Annually, more than 40 percent of Conference student-athletes are named to the Big South's Presidential Honor Roll for maintaining a cumulative 3.0 grade-point average, and the League has had more than 90 Academic All-Americans in its quarter-century of existence.

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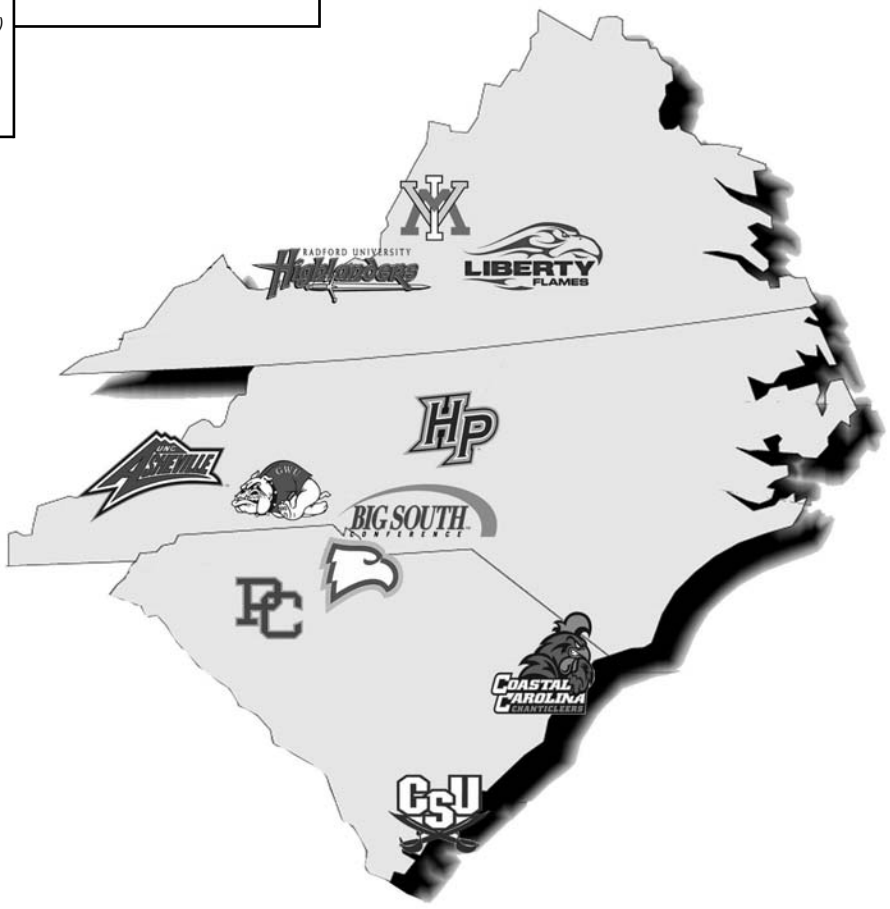
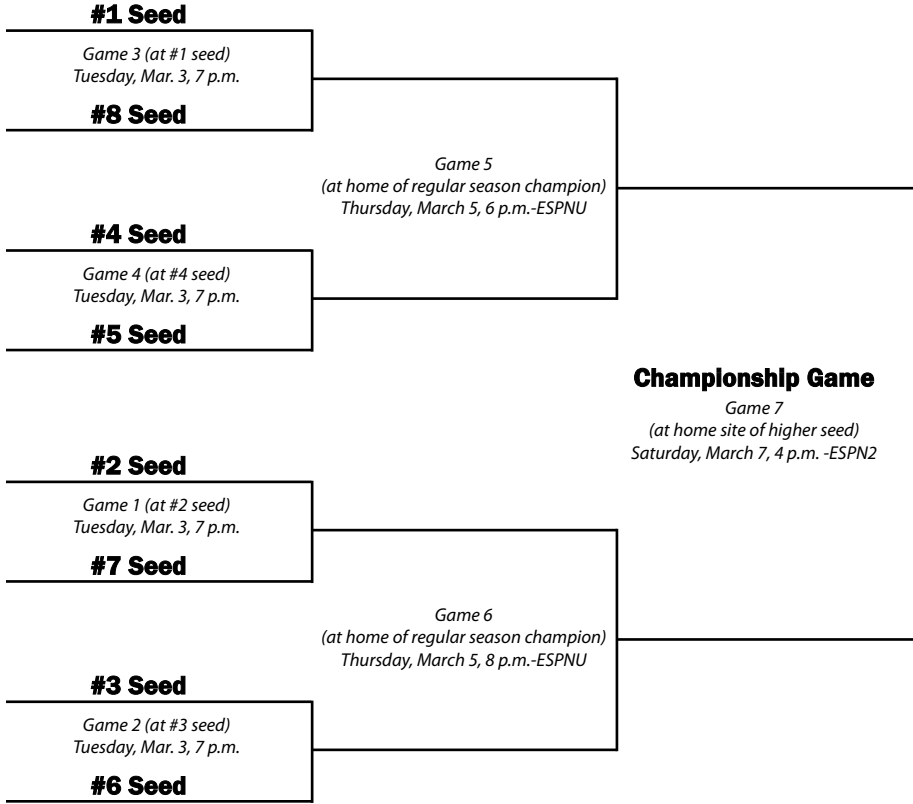
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KEYDETS ON THE AIR

KEYDETS ON TELEVISION

The Keydets will return to regional exposure this season with six contests scheduled to be televised regionally.

Each of VMI's first two match-ups of the season will be broadcast, as the Keydets tip off the season at Kentucky on Nov. 14 in a contest that will be shown on Fox Sports Net South and on the Big Blue Sports Network. Two days later, VMI's contest at Virginia will be carried on Comcast Sports Net Mid-Atlantic.

On Dec. 3, VMI's Big South opener at home against defending champions Winthrop will be the first of three contests broadcast from Cameron Hall on the Mid-Atlantic Sports Network. Other MASN games include a Dec. 31 date with Richmond and a Feb. 21 contest against Radford.

In addition, VMI's trip to Liberty on Feb. 24 will be carried on the Flames Television Network.

Updated TV broadcast information will be posted on www.vmikeydets.com.

Big South TV Schedule

- 11/10- Presbyterian at Duke, 7 p.m. (ESPNU)
- 11/14- **VMI at Kentucky, 7 p.m. (FSN South/BBSN)**
- 11/14- Charleston South. at Iowa, 7:05 p.m. (BTN.com)
- 11/16- **VMI at Virginia, 4 p.m. (CSN Mid-Atlantic)**
- 11/18- Liberty at UNC Asheville*, 2 p.m. (ESPN)
- 11/22- Coastal Carolina at Florida St., 7 p.m. (FSN Fla)
- 11/24- Coastal Carolina at Cincinnati, 7:30 p.m. (FSN Ohio)
- 11/30- UNC Asheville at North Carolina, 6:30 p.m. (FSN)
- 12/3- UNC Asheville at Tennessee, 7 p.m. (SportSouth)
- 12/3- **Winthrop at VMI*, 9 p.m. (MASN)**
- 12/6- Gardner-Webb at Liberty*, 3 p.m. (MASN)
- 12/15- Charleston Sou. at Cincinnati, 7:30 p.m. (FSN Ohio)
- 12/17- UNC Asheville at Duke, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
- 12/18- Charleston Sou. at Florida St., 7 p.m. (FSN Fla)
- 12/22- UNC Asheville at Ohio State, 7 p.m. (BTN)
- 12/22- College of Charleston at Winthrop, 7 p.m. (CN2)
- 12/23- Presbyterian at South Carolina, 7 p.m. (SS)
- 12/28- Winthrop vs. Florida, 6:30 p.m. (FSN)
- 12/28- High Point at Minnesota, 7 p.m. (ESPNU)
- 12/29- Va.Tech at Charleston Sou., 7 p.m. (FSN South/CSN)
- 12/31- **Richmond at VMI, 7 p.m. (MASN)**
- 1/14- Gardner-Webb at Winthrop*, 7 p.m. (CN2)
- 1/17- UNC Asheville at Winthrop*, 8 p.m. (MASN)
- 1/24- Presbyterian at UNC Asheville*, 7 p.m. (SS)
- 1/31- Charleston Sou. at Coastal Carolina*, 9 p.m. (MASN)
- 2/14- High Point at Gardner-Webb*, 2 p.m. (MASN)
- 2/21- **Radford at VMI*, 4 p.m. (MASN)**
- 2/24- Charleston Southern at Winthrop*, 7 p.m. (CN2)
- 2/28- Liberty at Radford*, 6 p.m. (MASN)
- 3/5- Big South Tournament Semifinals, 6/8 p.m. (ESPNU)
- 3/7- Big South Tournament Championship, 4 p.m. (ESPN2)

VMI RADIO NETWORK

All 29 regular season games and tournament action of the 2008-09 Keydets can be heard on WREL-AM 1450 originating in Lexington. Roanoke's WRIS-AM 1410 will also carry selected games of the 2008-09 VMI Basketball schedule.

Wade Branner, "The Voice of the Keydets", returns to call his 23rd season of VMI Basketball. Branner will handle play-by-play duties for a majority of the team's contests this season.

Christian Hoffman will provide play-by-play and color commentary on selected broadcasts.

The pregame show airs 15 minutes before tip-off.

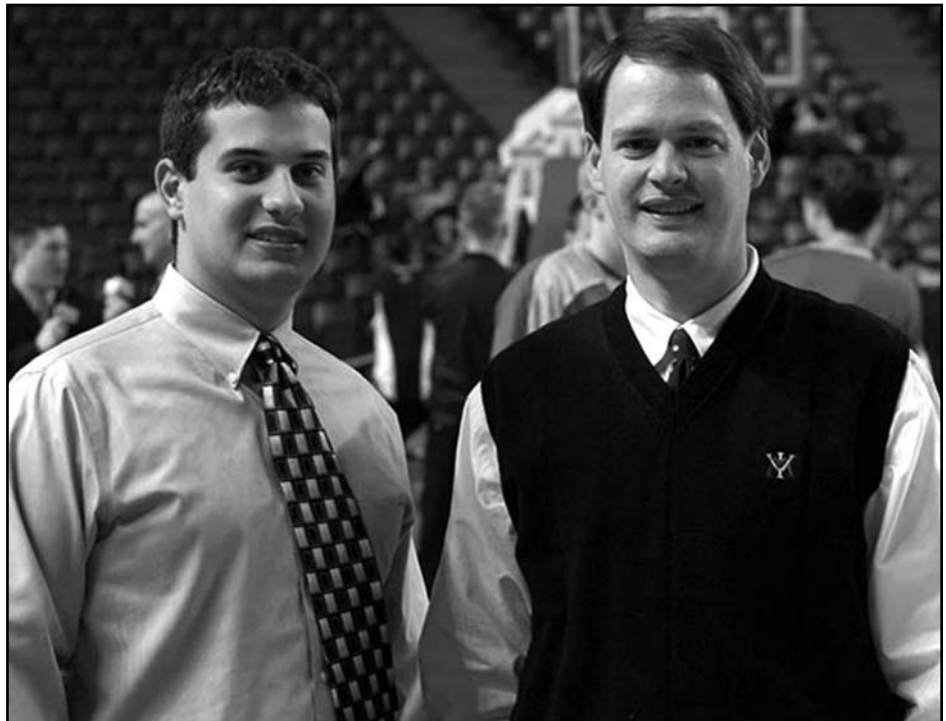
KEYDETS ON THE INTERNET

The home of VMI basketball radio-broadcasts on the internet is www.vmikeydets.com.

Streaming services are provided by JumpTV. Listeners can catch live play-by-play audio of all VMI basketball games on the world wide web.

All home games and Big South contests not televised will also be streamed with live video on the Big South Edge, at www.BigSouthSports.com. Individual games and season packages are available.

Game boxes, updated stats, game stories and releases can be accessed on the VMI athletic page at vmikeydets.com. Click on teams, then basketball to access the basketball home page directly.



Wade Branner (right) and Christian Hoffman will provide the play-by-play for VMI Basketball this season.

TELEVISION NETWORK KEY:

- BBSN- Big Blue Sports Network
- BTN.com- BigTenNetwork.com
- BTN- Big Ten Network
- CN2- CN2TV, Rock Hill, S.C.
- CSN Mid-Atlantic- Comcast SportsNet Mid-Atlantic

FSN- Fox Sports Net

- FSN Fla- Fox Sports Net Florida
- FSN Ohio- Fox Sports Net Ohio
- FSN South- Fox Sports Net South
- MASN- Mid Atlantic Sports Network
- SS- SportSouth