

2007-08 TENNESSEE STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL

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Tennessee State University 2007-08 Men's Basketball Schedule/Results (2-3, 0-0 OVC)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 6	Fisk (Exh)	W, 104-69
Nov. 7	Carson Newman (Exh)	W, 85-75
Nov. 9	Cumberland University	W, 90-80
Nov. 11	Georgia Tech	L, 85-99
Nov. 15	at Alaska-Fairbanks	W, 78-64
Nov. 17	at TOWC - Colorado State	L, 68-87
Nov. 18	at TOWC - Akron	L- 72-74
Dec. 3	at Indiana	7:00 p
Dec. 6	at Southeast Missouri State*	7:30 p
Dec. 8	at Eastern Illinois *	7:30 p
Dec. 17	at Belmont	7:30 p
Dec. 22	at Vanderbilt	7:30 p
Dec. 30	at Illinois	1:00 p
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Jan. 3	Morehead State*	7:30 p
Jan. 5	at Murray State*	7:30 p
Jan. 7	Tennessee Martin*	7:30 p
Jan. 10	at Samford*	7:30 p
Jan. 12	at Jacksonville State*	7:30 p
Jan. 17	Southeast Missouri State*	7:30 p
Jan. 19	Eastern Illinois*	4:30 p
Jan. 24	Eastern Kentucky*	7:30 p
Jan. 26	at Tennessee Tech*	7:30 p
Jan. 29	Jacksonville State*	7:30 p
Jan. 31	Samford	7:30 p
Feb. 2	at Austin Peay*	7:30 p
Feb. 7	at Tennessee Martin*	7:30 p
Feb. 9	Tennessee Tech*	7:30 p
Feb. 14	Murray State*	7:30 p
Feb. 18	Austin Peay*	7:30 p
Feb. 23	ESPN Bracket Buster	TBA
Feb. 28	at Morehead State*	7:30 p
Mar. 1	at Eastern Kentucky*	7:30 p
Mar. 4	OVC Tournament	TBD
Mar. 7	at OVC Tournament Semi Finals	TBD
Mar. 8	at OVC Tournament Finals	TBD

(*) = Ohio Valley Conference Games
Home Games in Bold

All times listed Central Time

TENNESSEE STATE VS.

GAME 6 - DECEMBER 3, 2007
#15 INDIANA "HOOSIERS" (6-1)
Assembly Hall Arena
- Bloomington, IN -
6:00p (CT)

Radio / TV / Internet

Radio WNSR 560-AM
TV Big Ten Network
Internet www.wnsr.com

Tennessee State Probable Starters

No.	Name	Pos	Cl	Ht.	Wt.	Ppg/Rpg/Apg
11	Bruce Price	G	Jr.	6-1	185	16.8/ 4.2/ 6.2
22	Gerald Robinson	G	Fr.	6-0	165	15.4/ 1.8/ 0.6
3	Jerrell Houston	F	Jr.	6-8	210	13.0/ 5.0/ 0.8
40	Stephen Evans	F	Fr.	6-9	230	3.8/ 2.6/ 0.0
1	Dontrell Taylor	F	Fr.	6-8	200	8.0/ 4.3/ 0.0

Key Players -Off the Bench

13	LaDarius Weaver	G	Sr.	6-0	165	9.2/ 5.0/ 0.8
15	Andrae Belton	G	Sr.	6-3	190	7.2/ 2.0/ 1.0
20	Darius Cox	F	Fr.	6-7	210	4.4/ 4.0/ 0.2
2	Reiley Ervin	G	Sr.	5-10	160	1.2/ 1.6/ 3.0

Indiana Probable Starters

No.	Name	Pos	Cl	Ht.	Wt.	Ppg/Rpg/Apg
23	Eric Gordon	G	Fr.	6-4	215	27.3/ 3.7/ 3.3
1	Armon Bassett	G	So.	6-1	175	11.7/ 2.2/ 3.5
13	Jamarcus Ellis	G/F	Jr.	6-5	200	7.7/ 8.2/ 3.5
3	D.J. White	F	Sr.	6-9	251	13.2/ 7.3/ 0.8
22	Lance Stemler	F	Sr.	6-8	210	5.8/ 3.2/ 1.2

TSU 2007-08 MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School:.....Tennessee State University
City:.....Nashville, Tennessee
Founded:.....1912
Enrollment:.....9,024
Nickname:.....Tigers
.....Big Blue
Colors:.....Royal Blue and White
Home Court :.....John B. McLendon Court
.....Gentry Center Complex
Capacity:.....10,600
Affiliation:.....NCAA Division I
Conference:.....Ohio Valley
President:.....Dr. Melvin N. Johnson
Alma Mater:.....N.C. A&T State
Athletics Director:.....Teresa L. Phillips
Alma Mater:.....Vanderbilt
Athletic Department Phone:.....615-963-5861
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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach:.....Cy Alexander
Alma Mater, Year:.....Catawba, 1975
Record at TSU (Years):.....48-75 (5th year)
Overall Record (Years):.....325-276 (22nd year)
OVC Record (Years).....33-38 (5th year)
Alexander's Phone:.....615-963-5851
Assistant Coaches (Alma Mater, Year)

.....Mark Pittman (Illinois, 1977)
.....Lonnie Williams (Eastern Washington, 1980)
.....Ed Pipes (Oklahoma Christian, 1978)

Basketball Operations

.....Brandon Lockridge (Tennessee State, 2004)
Athletic Trainer:.....Monroe Abrams
Training Room Phone:.....615-963-7829

2006-07 Overall Record:.....12-20
Conference Record/Finish:.....8-13/8th
Starters Returning/Lost:.....3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:.....6/3
Redshirts.....1
Newcomers.....4

TSU at a Glance

Tennessee State was picked to finish 6th in the Ohio Valley Conference Preseason Predicted Order of Finish.

The Tigers return six players from their 2006-07 team that finished 12-20 (8-13 OVC). Coach Cy Alexander welcomes the return of guard Bruce Price (Jr., 6-1, 185) who has missed the last two seasons with an ACL injury. Price was averaging 19.8 ppg before his injury in 2005. Top returning players from last season are senior guards LaDarius Weaver (13.7 ppg), Andrae Belton (11.1 ppg) and Reiley Ervin (9.6 ppg).

Last Time Out:

Playing in the BP Top of the World Classic in Fairbanks, AK, the Tigers came away with a 1-2 worksheet. Defeating the host school Alaska-Fairbanks (78-64) and dropping decisions to Colirado State (68-87) and Akron (72-74).

Against Akron, TSU battled back from a 10-point halftime deficit (28-38) to tie the game with 0:19 remaining. Akron won on a short jumper with 0:03 remaining in the game.

TSU has been inactive since November 18th.

Next Up:

Tennessee State faces the nationally ranked Indiana Hoosiers in Bloomington, IN. The Tigers are looking to get a better defensive effort from their inside players and in their transition defense. Offensively, coach Cy Alexander looks to get a more balanced performance from his perimeter players.

New Faces:

The Tigers have five new players on their 2007-08 roster. Two freshmen, two junior JUCO transfers and a sophomore transfer.

Welcome Back:

Junior guard **Bruce Price** returns to the Tennessee State squad after two seasons. He suffered an ACL injury against Ohio State in 2005, then re-injured the same ACL before the 2006-07 season. He was the Ohio Valley Conference "**Freshman of the Year**" during the 2004-05 season and was averaging over 19 points per game at the time of his original injury.

Waiting for a Good Word:

TSU's 6-9, 260 sophomore center Rashad Armstrong was found to have a breathing problem and has had a surgical procedure performed (esophagus) that has preventing his playing or practicing. He is awaiting clearance to return to practice and play for the Tigers.

OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE

OVC Honors:

Freshman guard **Gerald Robinson, Jr.** was named Ohio Valley Conference "**Freshman of the Week**" for the week of November 12th. He averaged 24 ppg in his first two collegiate games.

Individual:

Scoring Leaders

- 3t. - Bruce Price (16.8 ppg)
- 8t. - Gerald Robinson, Jr. (15.4 ppg)

Assists

- 2. - Bruce Price, -31 - (6.20 apg)
- 10. - Reiley Ervin, -15 - (3.00 apg)

3-Point FG %

- 5. - Gerald Robinson, Jr. - .485 - (16-33)

3-Point FG Made

- 2. Gerald Robinson, Jr. - 16 (3.20 pg)
- 6. LaDarius Weaver - 14 (2.80 pg)

TSU Tiger's Record When...

At Home	1-1
On the Road	1-0
At Neutral Site	0-2
TSU Scores First	1-1
Opponent Scores First	2-1
Winning the tip	2-0
Opponent wins the tip	0-3
Scoring 80+	1-1
Scoring 70-79	1-1
Scoring 60-69	0-1
Scoring fewer than 60	0-0
Opponent scores 80+	1-2
Opponent scores 70-79	0-1
Opponent scores 60-69	1-0
Opponent scores less than 60	0-0
Outrebounding opponent	2-0
Outrebounded by opponent	0-2
Rebounds Even	0-1
Shooting 50% or better	0-1
Shooting 40%-50%	1-2
Shooting less than 40%	0-1
Opponent shoots at least 50%	3-1
Opponents Shooting 40%-50%	0-1
Opponent shoots less than 40%	0-0
Making 7 or more three-pointers	1-2
Making 6 or less three-pointers	1-1
Opponent makes 7 threes or more	3-2
Opponent makes less than 7 threes	0-0
Leading at halftime	3-2
Trailing at halftime	2-3
Tied at halftime	0-0
Game goes into overtime	0-0
Leading with 5:00 to play	2-3
Trailing with 5:00 to play	2-3
Tied with 5:00 to play	0-0
Leading with 1:00 to play	2-3
Trailing with 1:00 to play	2-3
Tied with 1:00 to play	0-0
2 players score in double figures	2-3
3 players score in double figures	2-3
4 players score in double figures	2-1
5+ players score in double figures	0-0
Forcing 15 + turnovers	2-1
Forcing less than 15 turnovers	0-2
Committing 15 or more turnovers	1-2
Committing less than 15 turnovers	1-1

TSU's Record On:

Monday	0-0
Tuesday	0-0
Wednesday	0-0
Thursday	1-0
Friday	1-0
Saturday	0-1
Sunday	0-2
November	2-3
December	0-0
January	0-0
February	0-0
March	0-0
Day	0-2
Night	2-1

TSU 2007-08 MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

STARTING LINE-UPS / POINTS

Opponent		Result
Cumberland	J. Houston (14), B. Price (20), G. Robinson (26), A. Belton (2), J. Craft (0)	Won, 90-80
Ga. Tech	J. Houston (15), B. Price (15), G. Robinson (24), A. Belton (4), J. Craft (0)	Lost, 85-99
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	J. Houston (4), B. Price (21), G. Robinson (16), D. Taylor (2), S. Evans (1)	Won, 78-64
Colorado State %	J. Houston (10), B. Price (18), G. Robinson (5), D. Taylor (16), S. Evans (0)	Lost, 68-87
Akron %	J. Houston (22), B. Price (10), G. Robinson (6), D. Taylor (2), S. Evans (2)	Lost, 72-74

at Indiana

at SE Missouri

at Eastern ILL

at Belmont

at Vanderbilt

at Illinois

Morehead State

at Murray State

Tenn.-Martin

at Samford

SE Missouri

Eastern ILL

Eastern KY

at Tenn. Tech

Jacksonville St.

Samford

at Austin Peay

at Tenn.-Martin

Tenn. Tech

Murray State

ESPN Bracket Buster

at Morehead State

at Eastern KY

OVC Tournament

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% - Top of the World Classic

STARTING COMBINATIONS / RESULTS

Combination.....	Times	Result
Houston, Price, Robinson, Belton, Craft.....	2.....	1-1
Houston, Price, Robinson, Taylor, Evans	3.....	1-2

**TSU Record vs. Conferences
2007-08 Season**

Trans South	1-0
Cumberland	<i>First Meeting</i>
Atlantic Coast (ACC)	0-1
Ga. Tech	0-1 (99-85)- <i>GT leads 4-0</i>
Great Northwest (GNAC)	1-0
Alaska-Fairbank..	1-0 (78-64) <i>First Meeting</i>
Mountain West	0-1
Colorado State....	0-1 (87-68) <i>First Meeting</i>
Mid-American (MAC)	0-1
Akron	0-1 (74-72) <i>Akron leads 4-2</i>
Big Ten	0-0
Indiana	<i>First Meeting</i>
Illinois.....	<i>IU leads 2-0</i>
Atlantic Sun	0-0
Belmont	<i>TSU leads 7-3</i>
Southeastern (SEC)	0-0
Vanderbilt	<i>VU leads 4-0</i>
Bracket Buster	TBA
<i>All Opponents</i>	<i>1-2</i>

MEDIA INFORMATION

COVERING THE TIGERS: The Tennessee State University Athletic Media Relations Office is always interested in helping members of the media in their coverage of the Tigers athletic programs. Photographs, feature ideas, statistics, media guides are available through the athletic media relations office.

MEDIA ACCESS: Media credentials for writers, radio, television and photographers may be requested by contacting Wallace Dooley, Jr., Athletic Media Relations Director, wdooley@tnstate.edu; (615) 963-5674, fax (615) 963-7589

INTERVIEW PROCEDURES POSTGAME: Following a 10-minute cooling off period, head coach Cy Alexander and Tiger players will be available for interviews. Tennessee State has a closed locker room policy. Requests for Tiger player interviews must be directed to the TSU Athletic Media Relations staff. Interviews will be held in Room 155. Visiting coach and/or players will conduct interviews in Room 155, as well.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS: Players are available for interviews before practice, if arrangements are made the day before through Wallace Dooley, Jr. in the AMR office. Interviews after practice may be arranged the day of the interview. Telephone interviews will only be done through the AMR office. Phone numbers of student-athletes will not be released.

COACH ALEXANDER: All initial interviews with Coach Alexander and members of the TSU coaching staff must be arranged through Wallace Dooley, Jr.

RADIO AND TELEVISION: A phone line will be made available at TSU athletic events for visiting radio stations to broadcast TSU home games. Press credentials for radio or television should be requested at least one week prior to each game. Anyone interested in covering a game and/or practice should contact the athletic media relations office at least 24 hours in advance.

MEDIA SERVICES: Media/recruiting guides, game programs, game notes, rosters, and up-to date results and statistics will be available at the press area to working members of the media prior to each Tiger home game. A phone line is available to working media personnel on gamedays on a first-come, first served basis. Wireless internet is available in the Gentry Center. An official NCAA box score may be obtained from the Athletic Media Relations Department approximately 10 to 15 minutes following the conclusion of each game.

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY MEN'S BASKETBALL 2007-08 OUTLOOK

Coach Cy Alexander opens his fifth year at the helm of the Tennessee State University Big Blue Tigers. This year's team looks to improve on last season's 12-20 overall record, and 8-13 record (8th place) in the Ohio Valley Conference.

The 2007-08 Tigers return four of last season's five top scorers, led by 6-0 senior guard LaDarius Weaver (13.7 ppg) and 6-3 senior swingman Andrae Belton (11.1 ppg). The Tigers will be bolstered by the return of 6-1 junior guard Bruce Price (19.3 ppg) who missed the last two seasons with an ACL injury.

Coach Alexander feels that the Tigers' mixture of veterans and new players (4 seniors, 4 juniors, 2 sophomores, 3 freshman) give the Big Blue a good mix to be successful. "We might not be as big in the middle," says Alexander, "but we will have great athleticism." Alexander feels that the Tigers will be able to use that athleticism to put more pressure on the ball and run the floor more than in past seasons.

Veteran players include 6-8 junior forward Jerrell Houston (9.2 ppg/4.2 reb), a transfer from Mississippi State, 5-10 senior guard Reiley Ervin (9.6 ppg/3.0 asst), and 6-4 senior swingman Moraye Ivy (6.8 ppg/3.2 reb).

Key additions to this year's team include JUCO 6-9 forward Stephen Evans (Oakton CC) and 6-4 swingman Emmanuel Gaiter (Wabash Valley CC). James Craft, a 7-0 transfer center from Wright State, will play this season after sitting out last season.

The Tigers' freshman class features 6-0 guard Gerald Robinson, Jr., who averaged over 28 ppg at Nashville's Martin Luther King High School and was a finalist for Tennessee's Mr. Basketball award last year. Two other front court players in 6-8 Dontrell Taylor and 6-7 Darius Cox were also key additions to the signing class.

For the Tigers' to improve this season, Coach Alexander is looking for improved guard play, which he feels is a strength on this year's squad. He expects this team to run more and create offense in transition. "For us to be successful, we'll need early leadership from our veterans until our new players blend into the mix," says Alexander. "I'm looking for Bruce (Price) and Jerrell (Houston) to show their leadership this year." He concludes saying, "I really feel good about this group of players. We can accomplish good things this year."

Tennessee State will have an challenging early-season schedule, hosting ACC power Georgia Tech on November 11th

before traveling to Fairbanks, Alaska to compete in the Top of the World Classic. Their first opponent will be the host team, Alaska-Fairbanks then possible match-ups with Oregon State, Colorado State, Akron or Portland State. Following the Alaska trip, the Tigers travel to play at Big Ten power Indiana (12/3), then at OVC foes Southeast Missouri (12/6) and Eastern Illinois (12/8). Following those long road trips, the Big Blue plays in Nashville at Atlantic Sun opponent Belmont (12/17), then at SEC power Vanderbilt (12/22). One last road trip of 2007 sees TSU playing at another Big Ten opponent, Illinois (12/30).

The Tigers will resume their Ohio Valley Conference schedule in January and February, before playing an ESPN Bracket Buster opponent (TBA) on February 23rd. The OVC tournament begins on March 4th, beginning with the top eight teams (of 11) at campus sites before concluding in Nashville, Tennessee on March 7-8.

2007-08 TENNESSEE STATE PRESEASON BASKETBALL ROSTER INFORMATION NUMERICAL

No.	First Name	Last Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl	Exp	Hometown/Last School
00	Rashad	Armstrong	C	6-9	260	So	1L	Savannah, GA / Savannah HS
1	Dontrell	Taylor	F	6-8	200	Fr	HS	Irvington, GA / Wilco HS
2	Reiley	Ervin	G	5-10	160	Sr	3L	Memphis, TN / White Station
3	Jerrell	Houston	F	6-8	215	Jr	1L	Memphis, TN / Miss. State
11	Bruce	Price	G	6-1	190	Jr	2L	Minneapolis, MN / South HS
13	LaDarius	Weaver	G	6-0	165	Sr	1L	Atlanta, GA / Butler (KS) JC
15	Andrae	Belton	G	6-3	190	Sr	3L	Columbia, SC / Keenan HS
20	Darius	Cox	F	6-7	210	Fr	HS	Monroe, NC / Monroe HS
22	Gerald	Robinson	G	6-0	185	Fr	HS	Nashville, TN/ MLK HS
24	Moraye	Ivy	G/F	6-5	220	Sr	1L	Memphis, TN / Southwest (TN) CC
32	James	Craft	C	7-0	220	So	RS	Glen Allen, VA / Wright State
33	Emmanuel	Gaiter	G/F	6-4	220	Jr	JC	Waukegan, IL / Wabash Valley CC
40	Stephen	Evans	F	6-9	230	Jr	JC	Atlanta, GA/ Oakton (IL) CC

Staff

Head Coach: Cy Alexander
 Assistant Coaches: Ed Pipes, Mark Pittman, Lonnie Williams
 Basketball Operations: Brandon Lockridge

ALPHABETICAL

No.	Last Name	First Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Cl	Hometown/Last School
00	Armstrong	Rashad	C	6-9	260	So	Savannah, GA / Savannah HS
15	Belton	Andrae	G	6-3	190	Sr	Columbia, SC / Keenan HS
20	Cox	Darius	F	6-7	210	Fr	Monroe, NC / Monroe HS
32	Craft	James	C	7-0	220	So	Glen Allen, VA / Wright State
2	Ervin	Reiley	G	5-10	160	Sr	Memphis, TN / White Station
40	Evans	Stephen	F	6-9	230	Jr	Atlanta, GA / Oakton CC (IL)
33	Gaiter	Emmanuel	G/F	6-4	220	Jr	Waukegan, IL / Wabash Valley CC
3	Houston	Jerrell	F	6-8	215	Jr	Memphis, TN / Miss. State
24	Ivy	Moraye	G/F	6-5	220	Sr	Memphis, TN / Southwest (TN) CC
11	Price	Bruce	G	6-1	190	Jr	Minneapolis, MN / South HS
22	Robinson	Gerald	G	6-0	185	Fr	Nashville, TN / MLK HS
1	Taylor	Dontrell	F	6-8	200	Fr	Irvington, GA / Wilco HS
13	Weaver	LaDarius	G	6-0	165	Sr	Atlanta, GA / Butler (KS) JC

BY CLASS

Seniors (4):
 Ladarius Weaver, Reiley Ervin, Moraye Ivy, Andrae Belton.
Juniors (4):
 Bruce Price, Jerrell Houston, Stephen Evans, Emmanuel Gaither.
Sophomores (2):
 Rashad Armstrong, James Craft.
Freshmen (3):
 Darius Cox, Gerald Robinson, Dontrell Taylor.

BY POSITION

Guard (5):
 Reiley Ervin, Ladarius Weaver, Gerald Robinson, Bruce Price, Andrae Belton.
Guard/Forward (2):
 Moraye Ivy, Emmanuel Gaither.
Forward (4):
 Jerrell Houston, Darius Cox, Stephen Evans, Dontrell Taylor
Center (2):
 Rashad Armstrong, James Craft

BY STATE

Tennessee (4): Reiley Ervin, Jerrell Houston, Moraye Ivy, Gerald Robinson
Georgia (3): Ladarius Weaver, , Dontrell Taylor, Rashad Armstrong.
New Jersey (1): Stephen Evans
South Carolina (1): Andrae Belton.
North Carolina (1): Darius Cos.
Virginia (1): James Craft.
Illinois (1): Emmanuel Gaither.
Minnesota (1): Bruce Price

CY ALEXANDER ~ HEAD COACH



Years at TSU: 4 Years
Alma Mater: Catawba (1975)
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Previous College Coaching Experience:..... S.C. State
..... Howard
Notables:.....
Personal: Married (Cecelia), one daughter

Cy Alexander was named head men's basketball coach at Tennessee State University on April 1, 2003. Alexander came to TSU to rebuild a tradition-rich Tiger program after serving as head coach at South Carolina State for 16 seasons.

In his short time in Nashville, Alexander has been a very busy man. He has hit the recruiting trail hard and been very visible on campus and in the community, laying the foundation to restore the men's basketball program to its winning ways.

The new TSU coach knows what it takes to build a successful program. He led the South Carolina State team to five appearances in the NCAA Tournament, including four trips to the tournament in eight years.

Alexander took over the South Carolina State reigns in 1987, inheriting a program that had suffered nine straight losing seasons and built it into one of the winningest in the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) and in South Carolina. He compiled an overall record of 277-202 overall and 191-79 MEAC record. Alexander led the Bulldogs to five MEAC tournament titles, and the

team finished first or second in the MEAC every year but one since the 1991 season.

In the 2002-03 season, the Bulldogs were 20-11 overall and 15-3 in the MEAC regular season. Alexander was named MEAC Coach of the Year for the third time, and the Bulldogs played top seed Oklahoma in the opening round of the NCAA East Region Tournament.

A native of Winston-Salem, N.C., Alexander was an assistant coach at Howard University in Washington, D.C., for 11 years under A.B. Williamson before moving to S.C. State. He quickly made an impact at the Bulldogs' helm, leading the team to a winning 16-13 mark in his inaugural season.

In his second season, Alexander led the Bulldogs to a 25-8 record, the most wins in school history. S.C. State won the MEAC regular season title and its first MEAC Tournament title, earning the school's first-ever trip to the NCAA Tournament, where the Bulldogs faced Duke in the East Regionals.

Before Alexander arrived in Orangeburg, the school had

captured just one MEAC regular season title and had reached only one MEAC tournament final, that coming in 1980 when S.C. State fell to Howard. Under Alexander's direction, S.C. State advanced to the MEAC tournament finals seven times, winning five crowns.

South Carolina State was named American Sports Wire Black College National Champions three times under Alexander's guidance. His teams received the prestigious recognition in 1996, 1998, and 2000.

Alexander quickly established himself as one of the most highly respected young coaches in the country. During the historical 1988-89 season, his team gained recognition by winning the San Juan Shootout against a field that included Big East power Villanova, ranked 11th nationally at the time.

Among his honors in addition to the MEAC Conference Coach of the Year awards is being named Palmetto State Coach of the Year by the Greenville Basketball Club.

CY ALEXANDER ~ HEAD COACH

He has also been named to the Catawba and S.C. State Hall of Fames. In 1996, he was named American Sports Wire National Coach of the Year.

Alexander is a member of the Black Coaches Association, and the National Association of Basketball Coaches, serving on the Recruiting Committee. He also serves on the NCAA Basketball Tournament East Regional Advisory Committee, and is a member of several organizations, including Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

Alexander was recently named to the NCAA Division I Academic Enhancement group.

Alexander holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology from Catawba College and earned a master's degree in education from Howard University.

Cy is married to Cecelia Perry of Raleigh, N.C., and they are the parents of a daughter, Joi, who resides in Washington, D.C.

Career Head Coaching Record			
Year	School	Overall	Conf.
1987-88	South Carolina State	16-13	10-6
1988-89	South Carolina State	25-8	14-2
1989-90	South Carolina State	13-16	8-8
1990-91	South Carolina State	13-15	10-6
1991-92	South Carolina State	14-15	9-7
1992-93	South Carolina State	16-13	9-7
1993-94	South Carolina State	16-13	10-6
1994-95	South Carolina State	14-11	11-4
1995-96	South Carolina State	22-8	14-2
1996-97	South Carolina State	14-14	12-6
1997-98	South Carolina State	22-8	16-2
1998-99	South Carolina State	17-12	14-4
1999-00	South Carolina State	20-14	14-5
2000-01	South Carolina State	19-13	14-4
2001-02	South Carolina State	15-16	11-7
2002-03	South Carolina State	20-11	15-3
2003-04	Tennessee State	7-21	6-10
2004-05	Tennessee State	14-17	9-7
2005-06	Tennessee State	13-15	11-9
2006-07	Tennessee State	12-20	8-12



MARK PITTMAN- ASSISTANT COACH



Years on TSU Staff:..... 4 Years
Hometown:..... Chicago, IL
Alma Mater: Illinois (1973)
Previous College Coaching Experience:..... Illinois
..... Cincinnati, S. C. State, Jacksonville
Personal:Married (Jill), four children

LONNIE WILLIAMS- ASSISTANT COACH

Years on TSU Staff:..... 1 Year
Hometown:.....New York, NY
Alma Mater: Eastern Washington (1980)
Previous College Coaching Experience:.....Florida Atlantic
..... N.C. A&T, Tuskegee,
.....Fla. International, Knoxville College, Hartford
Personal: Married (Rosemarie) three children



ED PIPES- ASSISTANT COACH



Years on TSU Staff:..... 1st Year
Hometown:..... Cincinnati, OH
Alma Mater:Oklahoma Christian (1978)
Previous College Coaching Experience:.....
..... Univ. of Colorado (CS), Xavier
Personal: Divorced, two sons

BRANDON LOCKRIDGE- BASKETBALL OPERATIONS

Years on TSU Staff:..... 3 Years
Hometown:.....Nashville, TN
Alma Mater:Tennessee State (2004)
Previous College Coaching Experience:.....Tennessee State
Personal:Single



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ANDRAE BELTON

#15

GUARD - 6-3, 190 - SENIOR
COLUMBIA, SC - KEENAN HS

Career Highs

Points 35
 *Murray State (01/04/07)*
Field Goals..... 14
 *Murray State (01/04/07)*
FG Attempts..... 23
 *Murray State (01/04/07)*
FG Pct..... 87.5
 *at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)*
3-pt FG Att..... 9
 *Murray State (01/04/07)*
3-pt FG 3
 *5 times*
Free Throws..... 6
 *Loyola (MD) (02/17/07)*
FT Att..... 9
 *Loyola (MD) (02/17/07)*
Rebounds 9
 *at Austin Peay (02/12/07)*
Assists 6
 *Tn.-Martin (02/06/07)*
Blocked Shots..... 1
 *3 times*
Steals 4
 *at Tn. Martin (01/06/07)*
Minutes..... 42
 *at Murray State (02/14/07)*

Belton Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	22	1-4	0-1	0-0	1-2-3	1	0	1	1	2
Ga. Tech	23	1-8	1-4	1-2	3-0-3	1	1	0	2	4
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	31	7-8	3-3	0-1	0-2-2	2	1	0	3	17
Colorado State %	12	2-4	1-2	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	5
Akron %	26	3-4	2-2	0-0	0-2-2	1	0	0	0	8

at Indiana
at SE Missouri
at Eastern ILL
at Belmont
at Vanderbilt
at Illinois
Morehead State
at Murray State
Tenn.-Martin
at Samford
SE Missouri
Eastern ILL
Eastern KY
at Tenn. Tech
Jacksonville St.
Samford
at Austin Peay
at Tenn.-Martin
Tenn. Tech
Murray State
ESPN Bracket Buster
at Morehead State
at Eastern KY
OVC Tournament
OVC Tournament
OVC Tournament
 % - *Top of the World Classic*

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def	Tot	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2005-06	18-0	85/4.7	7-23	.304	0-7	.000	1-3	.333	5-7	12	0.7	6-0	3	5	1	1	15/0.8
2006-07	28-1	469/16.8	34-94	.362	17-51	.333	9-16	.563	21-33	54	1.9	30-0	31	22	6	21	94/3.4
2007-08	24-10	722/30.1	96-223	.430	34-85	.400	41-57	.719	40-62	102	4.3	44-1	47	32	4	26	267/11.1
TOTAL	70-11	1276/18.2	137-340	.403	51-143	.357	51-76	.671	66-102	168	2.4	80-1	81	59	11	48	376/5.4

TSU TIGERS - PLAYER BIOS



REILEY ERVIN

#2

GUARD - 5-10 - 160 - SENIOR
MEMPHIS, TN - WHITE STATION HS

Ervin Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	14	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-1-1	3	1	0	0	3
Ga. Tech	19	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	8	5	0	0	0
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	7	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-3-3	2	3	0	0	0
Colorado State %	10	1-3	1-3	0-0	1-1-2	0	2	0	0	3
Akron %	13	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1-1	2	2	0	0	0

Career Highs

Points 29
 Jacksonville St. (01/13/07)
Field Goals..... 7
 2 times
FG Attempts..... 16
 at Austin Peay (02/27/07)
FG Pct..... 1000%
 (1-1) So. Illinois (11/23/04)
3-pt FG Att..... 11
 Eastern Ill. (12/09/06)
3-pt FG 6
 2 times
Free Throws..... 15
 Jacksonville St. (01/13/07)
FT Att..... 16
 Jacksonville St. (01/13/07)
Rebounds 6
 2 times
Assists 9
 Eastern Ill (12/09/06)
Blocked Shots..... 1
 2 times
Steals 5
 at TN-Martin (02/09/06)
Minutes..... 44
 at Austin Peay (02/27/07)

at Indiana
 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
 SE Missouri
 Eastern ILL
 Eastern KY
 at Tenn. Tech
 Jacksonville St.
 Samford
 at Austin Peay
 at Tenn.-Martin
 Tenn. Tech
 Murray State
 ESPN Bracket Buster
 at Morehead State
 at Eastern KY
 OVC Tournament
 OVC Tournament
 OVC Tournament

% - Top of the World Classic - Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def-Tot	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2005-06	31-7	573/18.5	55-138	.399	36-96	.375	37-50	.740	14-36-0	1.6	44-1	74	61	0	30	183/5.9
2006-07	28-27	939/33.5	79-222	.356	39-142	.275	57-87	.655	12-52-64	2.3	79-0	138	86	1	42	254/9.1
2007-08	32-30	1033/32.3	86-256	.336	40-135	.296	96-142	.676	15-50-65	2.0	95-3	131	96	1	21	308/9.6
TOTAL	91-64	2545/28.0	220-616	.357	115-373	.308	190-279	.681	41-138-179	2.0	218-4	343	243	2	93	745/8.2

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MORAYE IVY

#24

GUARD/FORWARD - 6-5, 220 - SENIOR
MEMPHIS, TN - CENTRAL HS (SOUTHWEST CC)

Ivy Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland		DNP								
Ga. Tech		DNP								
at Alaska-Fairbanks %		DNP								
Colorado State %		DNP								
Akron %		DNP								
at Indiana										
at SE Missouri										
at Eastern ILL										
at Belmont										
at Vanderbilt										
at Illinois										
Morehead State										
at Murray State										
Tenn.-Martin										
at Samford										
SE Missouri										
Eastern ILL										
Eastern KY										
at Tenn. Tech										
Jacksonville St.										
Samford										
at Austin Peay										
at Tenn.-Martin										
Tenn. Tech										
Murray State										
ESPN Bracket Buster										
at Morehead State										
at Eastern KY										
OVC Tournament										
OVC Tournament										
OVC Tournament										

% - Top of the World Classic - Fairbanks, AK

Career Highs

Points	18
..... at Siena (12/28/06)	
Field Goals	6
..... at Siena (12/28/06)	
FG Attempts	15
..... twice	
FG Pct	80%
..... (4-5) Loyola (02/17/07)	
3-pt FG Att	10
..... at Siena (12/28/06)	
3-pt FG	4
..... at Siena (12/28/06)	
Free Throws	5
..... four times	
FT Att	8
..... twice	
Rebounds	9
..... Tenn. Tech (01/27/07)	
Assists	4
..... at Morehead St. (01/02/07)	
Blocked Shots	5
..... 5 times	
Steals	5
..... at Siena (12/28/06)	
Minutes	35
..... Samford (01/11/07)	

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def-Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2007-08	32-16	753/23.5	71-218	.326	23-91	.253	50-75	.667	32-71-103	3.2	97	3	41	48	5	36	215/6.7
TOTAL	32-16	753/23.5	71-218	.326	23-91	.253	50-75	.667	32-71-103	3.2	97	3	41	48	5	36	215/6.7

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LADARIOUS WEAVER #13

GUARD - 6-0, 165 - SENIOR
SCOTTSDALE, GA - AVONDALE HS (BUTLER (KS) CC)

Weaver Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	16	3-6	3-6	0-0	0-1-1	1	1	0	0	9
Ga. Tech	22	3-7	3-7	0-0	0-3-3	0	0	0	0	9
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	16	4-8	3-7	2-2	0-1-1	0	1	0	1	13
Colorado State %	23	1-4	1-4	0-0	0-0-0	3	1	0	0	3
Akron %	22	4-6	4-6	0-0	1-1-2	0	1	0	1	12

Career Highs

Points 26
 twice
 Field Goals..... 9
 twice
 FG Attempts..... 19
 Tn.-Martin (02/06/07)
 FG Pct..... 88.9%
 twice
 3-pt FG Att..... 15
 Tn.- Martin (02/06/07)
 3-pt FG 7
 2 times
 Free Throws..... 5
 2 times
 FT Att..... 6
 Ball State (12/22/06)
 Rebounds 4
 4 times
 Assists 6
 Eastern IL (12/09/06)
 Blocked Shots..... 1
 4 times
 Steals 4
 at S.E. Missouri (01/18/07)
 Minutes..... 40
 2 times

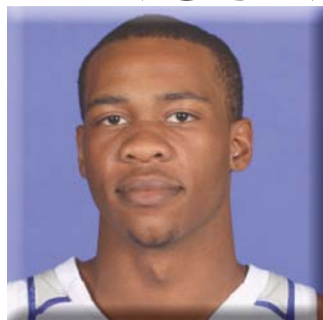
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 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
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% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def-Tot/Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2007-08	32-25	1101/34.4	155-387	.401	93-256	.363	35-48	.729	20-69-89/2.8	69	3	56	44	3	37	438/13.7
TOTAL	32-25	1101/34.4	155-387	.401	93-256	.363	35-48	.729	20-69-89/2.8	69	3	56	44	3	37	438/13.7

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STEPHEN EVANS

#40

FORWARD - 6-9, 230 - JUNIOR

NEWARK, NJ - CAMPBELL HS (OAKTON (IL) CC)

Evans Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	25	5-7	0-0	0-0	3-4-7	0	3	1	0	10
Ga. Tech	21	3-5	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	0	1	1	0	6
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	14	0-2	0-0	1-2	1-2-3	0	1	0	1	1
Colorado State %	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Akron %	6	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-0-1	0	0	0	0	2

Career Highs

Points 10
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

Field Goals..... 5
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

FG Attempts..... 7
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

FG Pct..... 71.4%
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

3-pt FG Att..... 0

3-pt FG 0

Free Throws..... 1
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)

FT Att..... 2
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)

Rebounds 7
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

Assists 0

Blocked Shots..... 1
 2 times

Steals..... 1
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)

Minutes..... 25

- at Indiana
- at SE Missouri
- at Eastern ILL
- at Belmont
- at Vanderbilt
- at Illinois
- Morehead State
- at Murray State
- Tenn.-Martin
- at Samford
- SE Missouri
- Eastern ILL
- Eastern KY
- at Tenn. Tech
- Jacksonville St.
- Samford
- at Austin Peay
- at Tenn.-Martin
- Tenn. Tech
- Murray State
- ESPN Bracket Buster
- at Morehead State
- at Eastern KY
- OVC Tournament
- OVC Tournament
- OVC Tournament

% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

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EMMANUEL GAITER #33

GUARD/FORWARD - 6-4, 220 - JUNIOR
WAUKEGAN, IL - WAUKEGAN HS (WABASH VALLEY (IL) CC)

Gaiter Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	3	1-1	0-0	0-2	1-1-2	0	2	0	0	2
Ga. Tech	DNP									
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Colorado State %	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Akron %	DNP									

Career Highs

Points 2
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
Field Goals..... 1
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
FG Attempts..... 1
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
FG Pct 100.0%
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
3-pt FG Att 0

3-pt FG 0

Free Throws 0
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
FT Att 2
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
Rebounds 2
 Cumberland (11/11/07)
Assists 0

Blocked Shots

Steals

Minutes..... 3
 Cumberland (11/11/07)

at Indiana
at SE Missouri
at Eastern ILL
at Belmont
at Vanderbilt
at Illinois
Morehead State
at Murray State
Tenn.-Martin
at Samford
SE Missouri
Eastern ILL
Eastern KY
at Tenn. Tech
Jacksonville St.
Samford
at Austin Peay
at Tenn.-Martin
Tenn. Tech
Murray State
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at Morehead State
at Eastern KY
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Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

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JERRELL HOUSTON #3

FORWARD - 6-8, 215 - JUNIOR
MEMPHIS, TN - EAST HS (MISSISSIPPI STATE)

Houston Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	26	4-11	0-1	6-6	2-3-5	0	2	0	2	14
Ga. Tech	28	7-8	1-2	0-0	1-5-6	2	1	2	2	15
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	24	1-4	0-0	2-2	1-2-3	0	5	2	1	4
Colorado State %	17	5-7	0-0	0-1	0-2-2	2	6	0	1	10
Akron %	31	8-13	0-0	6-6	6-3-9	0	3	0	2	22

Career Highs

Points 22
 Akron (11/18/07)
Field Goals..... 8
Akron (11/18/07)
FG Attempts..... 14
 Eastern Ky. (02/24/07)
FG Pct..... 87.5%
 Ga. Tech (11/11/07)
3-pt FG Att..... 6
 Eastern Ky. (02/24/07)
3-pt FG 2
 Eastern Ky. (02/24/07)
Free Throws..... 6
 Akron (11/18/07)
FT Att..... 6
 3 times
Rebounds 9
 Akron (11/18/07)
Assists 4
 at Murray St. (02/14/07)
Blocked Shots..... 4
 at Austin Peay (02/27/07)
Steals 2
 6 times
Minutes..... 38
at Austin Peay (02/27/07)

at Indiana
 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
 SE Missouri
 Eastern ILL
 Eastern KY
 at Tenn. Tech
 Jacksonville St.
 Samford
 at Austin Peay
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Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def-Tot / Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2007-08	5-4	157/31.4	20-54	.370	3-18	.167	3-5	.600	5-16-21 / 4.2	8	0	14	13	6	9	46/9.2
TOTAL	5-4	157/31.4	20-54	.370	3-18	.167	3-5	.600	5-16-21/ 4.2	8	0	14	13	6	9	46/9.2

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BRUCE PRICE

#11

GUARD - 6-1, 190 - JUNIOR
MINNEAPOLIS, MN - SOUTH HS

Price Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	32	1-13	1-7	17-22	1-7-8	6	2	0	2	20
Ga. Tech	24	3-8	0-3	9-13	2-2-4	6	3	0	2	15
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	36	6-12	2-5	7-12	1-5-6	6	9	0	3	21
Colorado State %	37	7-19	2-9	2-4	2-1-3	6	3	0	1	18
Akron %	27	2-7	0-1	6-8	0-0-0	7	7	1	1	10

Career Highs

Points 30
 *S.E. Missouri (01/13/05)*
 Field Goals..... 8
 *at Alabama (12/18/04)*
 FG Attempts..... 17
 *Trevecca (11/30/04)*
 FG Pct..... 70.0%
 *at Eastern IL (12/12/05)*
 3-pt FG Att..... 12
 *Trevecca (11/04/04)*
 3-pt FG 8
 *at Alabama (12/18/04)*
 Free Throws..... 18
 *S.E. Missouri (01/13/05)*
 FT Att..... 18
 *So. Mississippi (12/19/05)*
 Rebounds 8
 *at Alabama (12/18/04)*
 Assists 8
 .. *at Jacksonville St. (01/06/05)*
 Blocked Shots..... 1
 *15 times*
 Steals 6
 *Eastern IL (01/15/05)*
 Minutes..... 41
 *Trevecca (11/30/04)*

at Indiana
at SE Missouri
at Eastern ILL
at Belmont
at Vanderbilt
at Illinois
Morehead State
at Murray State
Tenn.-Martin
at Samford
SE Missouri
Eastern ILL
Eastern KY
at Tenn. Tech
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Tenn. Tech
Murray State
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at Morehead State
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OVC Tournament

% - *Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK*

Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off-Def-Tot / Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/ Avg
2005-06	31-28	1021/32.9	114-307	.371	59-182	.324	138-199	.693	25-79-104 / 3.4	97	4	104	118	13	60	425/ 13.7
2006-07	6-6	219/36.5	28-68	.412	10-32	.313	50-67	.746	8-13-21 / 3.5	20	1	35	26	2	12	116/ 19.3
TOTAL	37-34	1240/33.5	142-375	.379	69-214	.322	188-266	.707	33-92-125 / 3.4	117	5	139	144	15	72	541/ 14.6

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JAMES CRAFT, JR.

#32

**CENTER - 7-0, 220 - R-SOPHOMORE
GLEN ALLEN, VA - MERCERSBURG ACADEMY (WRIGHT STATE)**

Craft Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	11	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-2-4	1	0	0	0	0
Ga. Tech	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2-2	0	0	0	0	0
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	7	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	1	0	0
Colorado State %	5	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	0	0	0
Akron %	19	2-4	0-0	0-0	1-5-6	0	1	0	0	4

Career Highs

Points 4
 Akron (11/18/07)
 Field Goals..... 2
 Akron (11/18/07)
 FG Attempts..... 4
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
 FG Pct..... 50 %
 Akron (11/18/07)
 3-pt FG Att.....

 3-pt FG

 Free Throws.....

 FT Att.....

 Rebounds 6
 Akron (11/18/07)
 Assists 1
 2 times
 Blocked Shots..... 1
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)
 Steals.....

 Minutes..... 19
 Akron (11/18/07)

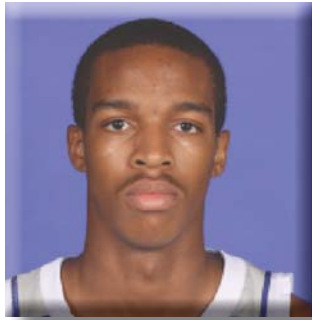
at Indiana
 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
 SE Missouri
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 Jacksonville St.
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% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

TSU TIGERS - PLAYER BIOS



DARIUS COX

#20

FORWARD - 6-7, 210 - FRESHMAN
MONROE, NC - MONROE HS

Cox Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	18	2-3	0-0	0-0	1-3-4	0	1	2	0	4
Ga. Tech	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	2	0	0	0
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	22	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-4-5	0	0	1	0	4
Colorado State %	29	4-6	0-1	0-0	5-3-8	0	0	1	1	8
Akron %	15	3-3	0-0	0-0	0-3-3	1	0	1	0	6

Career Highs

Points 8
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

Field Goals..... 4
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

FG Attempts..... 6
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

FG Pct..... 100.0%
 (at Alaska-FB (11/15/07))

3-pt FG Att..... 1
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

3-pt FG

Free Throws.....

FT Att.....

Rebounds 8
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

Assists

Blocked Shots..... 2
 Cumberland (11/09/07)

Steals.....

Minutes..... 29
 Colorado State (11/17/07)

at Indiana
 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
 SE Missouri
 Eastern ILL
 Eastern KY
 at Tenn. Tech
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% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

TSU TIGERS - PLAYER BIOS



GERALD ROBINSON, JR. #22

GUARD - 6-0, 185 - FRESHMAN

NASHVILLE, TN - MARTIN LUTHER KING HS

Robinson Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	33	10-15	4-7	2-2	1-1-2	1	0	0	4	26
Ga. Tech	36	9-19	5-12	1-1	1-1-2	1	0	0	3	24
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	28	5-7	4-5	2-2	0-3-3	1	2	0	2	16
Colorado State %	28	1-8	1-5	2-2	1-1-2	0	1	0	1	5
Akron %	26	2-6	2-4	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	6

Career Highs

Points 26
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
Field Goals..... 10
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
FG Attempts..... 15
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
FG Pct..... 71.4%
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)
3-pt FG Att..... 12
 Ga. Tech (11/11/07)
3-pt FG 5
 Ga. Tech (11/11/07)
Free Throws..... 2
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
FT Att..... 2
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
Rebounds 2
 2 times
Assists 1
 2 times
Blocked Shots..... 0

Steals..... 4
 Cumberland (11/09/07)
Minutes..... 36
 Ga. Tech (11/11/07)

at Indiana
 at SE Missouri
 at Eastern ILL
 at Belmont
 at Vanderbilt
 at Illinois
 Morehead State
 at Murray State
 Tenn.-Martin
 at Samford
 SE Missouri
 Eastern ILL
 Eastern KY
 at Tenn. Tech
 Jacksonville St.
 Samford
 at Austin Peay
 at Tenn.-Martin
 Tenn. Tech
 Murray State
 ESPN Bracket Buster
 at Morehead State
 at Eastern KY
 OVC Tournament
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 OVC Tournament

% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

TSU TIGERS - PLAYER BIOS



DONTRELL TAYLOR #1

**FORWARD - 6-8, 200 - FRESHMAN
IRWINGTON, GA - WILCO HS**

Taylor Game-by-Game

Opponent	MP	FG-A	3FG-A	FT-A	Reb	A	TO	Blk	St	Pts
Cumberland	DNP									
Ga. Tech	13	3-3	0-0	6-7	1-1-2	0	1	0	0	12
at Alaska-Fairbanks %	14	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-5-6	0	3	3	0	2
Colorado State %	32	6-9	0-0	4-8	1-5-6	0	2	1	0	16
Akron %	15	1-4	0-0	0-0	2-1-3	0	2	0	0	2
at Indiana										
at SE Missouri										
at Eastern ILL										
at Belmont										
at Vanderbilt										
at Illinois										
Morehead State										
at Murray State										
Tenn.-Martin										
at Samford										
SE Missouri										
Eastern ILL										
Eastern KY										
at Tenn. Tech										
Jacksonville St.										
Samford										
at Austin Peay										
at Tenn.-Martin										
Tenn. Tech										
Murray State										
ESPN Bracket Buster										
at Morehead State										
at Eastern KY										
OVC Tournament										
OVC Tournament										
OVC Tournament										

% - Top of the World Classic- Fairbanks, AK

Career Highs

Points 16
 Colorado State (11/17/07)
Field Goals..... 3
 Ga. Tech (11/1/07)
FG Attempts..... 6
 Colorado State (11/17/07)
FG Pct..... 100.0%
 Ga. Tech (11/1/07)
3-pt FG Att.....

3-pt FG

Free Throws..... 6
 Ga. Tech (11/1/07)
FT Att..... 8
 Colorado State (11/17/07)
Rebounds 6
 2 times
Assists

Blocked Shots..... 3
 at Alaska-FB (11/15/07)
Steals.....

Minutes..... 32
 Colorado State (11/17/07))

Career Statistics

Year GP-GS Min/Avg FG-FGA Pct FG-FGA Pct FT-FTA Pct Off-Def Tot Avg PF-FO Ast TO Blk Stl Pts/Avg

TIGER 2007-2008 STATISTICS

Tennessee State-Men Tennessee State Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 19, 2007) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(2-3)	(1-1)	(1-0)	(0-2)
CONFERENCE.....	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(2-3)	(1-1)	(1-0)	(0-2)

#	Player	GP-GS	---TOTAL---		---3-PTS---		FT-FTA	Pct	---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
			Min--Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA			Pct	Off	Def	Tot									Avg
11	PRICE, Bruce.....	5-5	156 31.2	19-59	.322	5-25	.200	41-59	.695	6	15	21	4.2	13	0	31	24	1	9	84	16.8
22	ROBINSON, Gerald....	5-5	151 30.2	27-55	.491	16-33	.485	7-8	.875	3	6	9	1.8	11	0	3	3	0	10	77	15.4
03	HOUSTON, Jerrell....	5-5	126 25.2	25-48	.521	1-3	.333	14-15	.933	10	15	25	5.0	18	1	4	17	4	8	65	13.0
13	WEAVER, LaDarius...	5-0	99 19.8	15-31	.484	14-30	.467	2-2	1.000	1	6	7	1.4	16	1	4	4	0	2	46	9.2
01	TAYLOR, Dontrell...	4-3	74 18.5	11-17	.647	0-0	.000	10-15	.667	5	12	17	4.3	7	0	0	8	4	0	32	8.0
15	BELTON, Andrae.....	5-2	114 22.8	14-28	.500	7-13	.538	1-3	.333	4	6	10	2.0	7	0	5	2	1	6	36	7.2
20	COX, Darius.....	5-0	86 17.2	11-14	.786	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	7	13	20	4.0	12	0	1	3	5	1	22	4.4
40	EVANS, Stephen.....	5-3	73 14.6	9-15	.600	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	5	8	13	2.6	8	0	0	5	2	1	19	3.8
02	ERVIN, Reiley.....	5-0	63 12.6	2-8	.250	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	1	7	8	1.6	5	0	15	13	0	0	6	1.2
32	CRAFT, James.....	5-2	54 10.8	2-8	.250	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	10	13	2.6	13	1	2	1	1	0	4	0.8
33	GAITER, Emmanuel...	3-0	4 1.3	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	1	2	0.7	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0.7
TEAM.....										7	14	21	4.2	0		1					
Total.....		5	1000	136-285	.477	45-112	.402	76-106	.717	53	113	166	33.2	110	3	65	83	18	37	393	78.6
Opponents.....		5	1000	145-288	.503	36-99	.364	78-123	.634	58	115	173	34.6	111	-	82	79	16	40	404	80.8

TEAM STATISTICS	TSU	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	393	404	11/09/07	CUMBERLAND	W	90-80	715
Points per game.....	78.6	80.8	11/11/07	GA TECH	L	85-99	7387
Scoring margin.....	-2.2	-	11/15/07	at Alaska-Fairbanks	W	78-64	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	136-285	145-288	11/17/07	vs Colorado State	L	68-87	1656
Field goal pct.....	.477	.503	11/18/07	vs Akron	L	72-74	3334
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	45-112	36-99					
3-point FG pct.....	.402	.364					
3-pt FG made per game..	9.0	7.2					
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	76-106	78-123					
Free throw pct.....	.717	.634					
REBOUNDS.....	166	173					
Rebounds per game.....	33.2	34.6					
Rebounding margin.....	-1.4	-					
ASSISTS.....	65	82					
Assists per game.....	13.0	16.4					
TURNOVERS.....	83	79					
Turnovers per game.....	16.6	15.8					
Turnover margin.....	-0.8	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	0.8	1.0					
STEALS.....	37	40					
Steals per game.....	7.4	8.0					
BLOCKS.....	18	16					
Blocks per game.....	3.6	3.2					
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-					
Home win streak.....	0	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	8102	4990					
Home games-Avg/Game....	2-4051	1-0					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	2-2495					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Tennessee State.....	181	212	393
Opponents.....	186	218	404

TIGER 2007-2008 STATISTICS

Tennessee State-Men

Tennessee State Game-by-Game Highs (as of Nov 19, 2007)

All games

Opponent	Date	Score	WL	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKED SHOTS
CUMBERLAND	11/09/07	90-80	W	26-ROBINSON, Gera	8-PRICE, Bruce	6-PRICE, Bruce	4-ROBINSON, Gera	2-COX, Darius
GA TECH	11/11/07	85-99	L	24-ROBINSON, Ger	6-HOUSTON, Jerr	8-ERVIN, Reiley	3-ROBINSON, Ger	2-HOUSTON, Jerr
at Alaska-Fairbanks	11/15/07	78-64	W	21-PRICE, Bruce	6-PRICE, Bruce	6-PRICE, Bruce	3-PRICE, Bruce	3-TAYLOR, Dontr
vs Colorado State	11/17/07	68-87	L	18-PRICE, Bruce	8-COX, Darius	6-PRICE, Bruce	1-COX, Darius BELTON, Andra HOUSTON, Jerr ROBINSON, Ger PRICE, Bruce	1-TAYLOR, Dontr COX, Darius
vs Akron	11/18/07	72-74	L	22-HOUSTON, Jerr	9-HOUSTON, Jerr	7-PRICE, Bruce	2-HOUSTON, Jerr	1-PRICE, Bruce COX, Darius

TSU 2007-08 MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

GAME ONE

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS
Cumberland vs Tennessee State
11/09/07 07:50 at Nashville, TN (Gentry Center)

VISITORS: Cumberland 0-1

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
12	JOHNSON, Maurice..... *	1-3	0-2	2-2	0	0	0	3	4	1	2	0	1	16	
22	DOUGLAS, Thomas..... *	8-17	3-7	2-5	0	0	0	4	21	2	2	0	1	34	
24	YOUNG, Decorey..... *	3-12	1-4	3-4	3	7	10	3	10	1	6	2	1	35	
32	BRAXTON, Rontreal.... *	3-3	2-2	3-5	0	1	1	5	11	2	1	0	0	13	
44	BUFFORD, Kevin..... *	1-1	0-0	2-2	1	3	4	3	4	1	1	1	0	19	
05	KUCHAR, Johnny.....	1-2	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	3	0	1	0	2	9	
15	TUCKER, Channing....	2-9	1-7	0-0	1	2	3	2	5	1	0	0	1	14	
20	LANGELLIER, Jason....	1-4	0-1	2-4	4	2	6	2	4	2	2	0	2	30	
21	STEWART, Cam.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
30	JAMISON, Steven.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	
40	JAMES, Rodney.....	9-16	0-0	0-1	6	3	9	1	18	0	1	0	0	26	
TEAM.....						1	5	6							
Totals.....		29-67	8-24	14-23	16	24	40	26	80	10	17	3	8	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 15-30 50.0% 2nd Half: 14-37 37.8% Game: 43.3% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-12 41.7% 2nd Half: 3-12 25.0% Game: 33.3% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 9-14 64.3% 2nd Half: 5-9 55.6% Game: 60.9% 3

HOME TEAM: Tennessee State 1-0

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
03	HOUSTON, Jerrell..... *	4-11	0-1	6-6	2	3	5	3	14	0	2	0	2	26	
11	PRICE, Bruce..... *	1-13	1-7	17-22	1	7	8	3	20	6	2	0	2	32	
15	BELTON, Andrae..... *	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	1	2	1	0	1	1	22	
22	ROBINSON, Gerald..... *	10-15	4-7	2-2	1	1	2	2	26	1	0	0	4	33	
32	CRAFT, James..... *	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	11	
02	ERVIN, Reiley.....	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	3	1	0	0	14	
13	WEAVER, LaDariusous..	3-6	3-6	0-0	0	1	1	2	9	1	1	0	0	16	
20	COX, Darius.....	2-3	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	2	4	0	1	2	0	18	
33	GAITER, Emmanuel....	1-1	0-0	0-2	1	1	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	3	
40	EVANS, Stephen.....	5-7	0-0	0-0	3	4	7	3	10	0	3	1	0	25	
TEAM.....						2	3	5							
Totals.....		28-63	9-25	25-32	14	28	42	20	90	13	12	4	9	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 17-33 51.5% 2nd Half: 11-30 36.7% Game: 44.4% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 6-16 37.5% 2nd Half: 3-9 33.3% Game: 36.0% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 10-14 71.4% 2nd Half: 15-18 83.3% Game: 78.1% 4

Officials: Meeneese, Murley, Joyner

Technical fouls: Cumberland-DOUGLAS, Thomas. Tennessee State-PRICE, Bruce.

Attendance: 715

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Cumberland.....	44	36	80
Tennessee State.....	50	40	90

TSU home opener.

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Points in the paint-CUMB 34, TSU 30. Points off turnovers-CUMB 9, TSU 17.

2nd chance points-CUMB 14, TSU 18. Fast break points-CUMB 6, TSU 6.

Bench points-CUMB 30, TSU 28. Score tied-11 times. Lead changed-15 times.

Last FG-CUMB 2nd-02:28, TSU 2nd-00:03.

Largest lead-CUMB by 5 1st-16:33, TSU by 11 1st-01:19.

Tigers Open Season with 90-80 Win Over Cumberland

The Tennessee State University Tigers opened their 2007-08 regular season with a 90-80 win over Cumberland University, from nearby Lebanon, Tennessee.

Freshman guard Gerald Robinson, Jr., paced the Tigers with 26 points on 10-15 shooting from the floor, including 4-7 from 3-point range. Juniors Bruce Price (20), Jerrell Houston (14) and Stephen Evans (10) added double-figure scoring for the Big Blue.

The game was close throughout as the two teams saw the score tied eleven times and the lead change fifteen times. Cumberland held a brief five point lead in the first half (16:33), but the Tigers fought back to lead by eleven late in the half (1:19). The Tigers held a 50-44 lead at halftime.

In the second half, Cumberland chipped away at the Tigers' lead to take a 59-58 lead at 13:02 and a three point lead (61-58) at 12:01. The teams traded leads until TSU forged ahead by five points (76-71) at 6:20 on a Gerald Robinson 3-pointer. Cumberland closed the game to a 1-point contest (81-80) with 0:55 remaining, but the Tigers were able to stretch their lead back to the final 90-80 margin to close out the game.

GAME TWO

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS
Ga Tech vs Tennessee State
11/11/07 6:00p at Nashville, TN (Gentry Center)

VISITORS: Ga Tech 1-1

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
00	Clinch, Lewis..... *	3-6	2-4	2-2	1	2	3	1	10	3	2	1	0	27	
03	Miller, Maurice..... *	2-6	0-4	4-4	0	3	3	2	8	5	3	0	2	29	
23	Morrow, Anthony..... *	12-17	5-9	2-2	1	9	10	2	31	4	0	0	0	33	
32	Smith, Jeremis..... *	4-5	0-0	8-12	1	1	2	3	16	4	0	1	3	26	
44	Aminu, Alade..... *	12-14	0-0	1-4	3	6	9	2	25	0	2	1	0	26	
02	Causey, Matt.....	0-5	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	4	0	2	3	0	1	10	
10	Storrs, Lance.....	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
13	Bell, D'Andre.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	4	0	3	2	0	2	13	
14	Anderson, Ty.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
31	Lawal, Gani.....	1-4	0-0	2-4	2	2	4	3	4	0	1	0	0	13	
34	Sheehan, Brad.....	2-3	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	3	5	2	1	1	0	15	
TEAM.....						2	1	3							
Totals.....		36-61	7-20	20-30	11	29	40	24	99	23	14	4	8	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-29 48.3% 2nd Half: 22-32 68.8% Game: 59.0% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 1-8 12.5% 2nd Half: 6-12 50.0% Game: 35.0% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 6-10 60.0% 2nd Half: 14-20 70.0% Game: 66.7% 3,1

HOME TEAM: Tennessee State 1-1

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
03	HOUSTON, Jerrell.... *	7-13	1-2	0-0	1	5	6	4	15	2	1	2	2	28	
11	PRICE, Bruce..... *	3-8	0-3	9-13	2	2	4	4	15	6	3	0	2	24	
15	BELTON, Andrae..... *	1-8	1-4	1-2	3	0	3	2	4	1	1	0	2	23	
22	ROBINSON, Gerald.... *	9-19	5-12	1-1	1	1	2	2	24	1	0	0	3	36	
32	CRAFT, James..... *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	12	
01	TAYLOR, Dontrell....	3-3	0-0	6-7	1	1	2	4	12	0	1	0	0	13	
02	ERVIN, Reiley.....	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	8	5	0	0	19	
13	WEAVER, LaDariusous..	3-7	3-7	0-0	0	3	3	3	9	0	0	0	0	22	
20	COX, Darius.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	
40	EVANS, Stephen.....	3-5	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	6	0	1	1	0	21	
TEAM.....						1	4	5							
Totals.....		29-64	10-28	17-23	9	21	30	27	85	18	14	3	9	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-33 42.4% 2nd Half: 15-31 48.4% Game: 45.3% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-17 23.5% 2nd Half: 6-11 54.5% Game: 35.7% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 7-10 70.0% 2nd Half: 10-13 76.9% Game: 73.9% 2

Officials: Mike Stuart, Antinio Petty, Jeb Hartness

Technical fouls: Ga Tech-Causey, Matt. Tennessee State-PRICE, Bruce.

Attendance: 7387

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Ga Tech.....	35	64	99
Tennessee State.....	39	46	85

Points in the paint-GT 48, TSU 18. Points off turnovers-GT 19, TSU 26.

2nd chance points-GT 14, TSU 9. Fast break points-GT 4, TSU 12.

Bench points-GT 7, TSU 27. Score tied-7 times. Lead changed-11 times.

Last FG-GT 2nd-01:42, TSU 2nd-00:21.

Largest lead-GT by 21 2nd-07:45, TSU by 7 1st-10:45.

Tigers Fall 99-85 To Georgia Tech

Freshman guard Gerald Robinson scored 24 points to led a valiant effort by the Tennessee State University Tigers against ACC opponent Georgia Tech. But TSU succumbed to a strong second half inside game by the Yellow Jackets to drop a 99-85 decision at the Gentry Center in Nashville,

Tennessee State (1-1) battled Georgia Tech (1-1) on even terms in the first half taking as much as a seven-point lead (19-12) at 10:45 on LaDariusous Weaver's 3-pointer. Georgia Tech, however, went on a 13-2 run to move ahead of the Tigers 25-21 at the 6:58 mark. TSU closed out the half with a 39-35 lead.

In the second half, TSU saw their lead slip away as Ga. Tech closed in on the Tigers at 17:34 (46-45) and moved away over the next 5:03 to take a 65-54 lead. The Yellow Jackets' Alade Aminu scored a career-high 25 pts utilizing his inside game to repeatedly score over the shorter TSU defenders. Georgia Tech maintained a double-digit lead the rest of the game to coast to their final 99-85 victory.

For TSU, Gerald Robinson finished the game with 24 points, Jerrell Houston and Bruce Price scored 15 points each and Dontrell Taylor added 10 points. Houston led all Tigers with six rebounds. Reiley Ervin dished out 8 assists for the Tigers.

TSU 2007-08 MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

GAME THREE

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS
Tennessee State vs Alaska-Fairbanks
11/15/07 6:00 PM at BP Top of the World Classic Game 1

VISITORS: Tennessee State 2-1		REBOUNDS												
TOT-FG 3-PT		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
01 TAYLOR, Dontrell.... *	1-1 0-0	0-0	1 5	6 2	2	2	0	3	3	0	14			
03 HOUSTON, Jerrell.... *	1-4 0-0	2-2	1 2	3 4	4	0	5	2	1	24				
11 PRICE, Bruce..... *	6-12 2-5	7-12	1 5	6 1	21	6	9	0	3	36				
22 ROBINSON, Gerald.... *	5-7 4-5	2-2	0 3	3 2	16	1	2	0	2	28				
40 EVANS, Stephen..... *	0-2 0-0	1-2	1 2	3 2	1	0	1	0	1	14				
02 ERVIN, Reiley..... *	0-1 0-1	0-0	0 3	3 0	0	2	3	0	0	7				
13 WEAVER, LaDariusous..	4-8 3-7	2-2	0 1	1 3	13	0	1	0	1	16				
15 BELTON, Andrae.....	7-8 3-3	0-1	0 2	2 17	2	1	0	2	31					
20 COX, Darius.....	2-2 0-0	0-0	1 4	5 4	4	0	0	1	0	22				
32 CRAFT, James.....	0-1 0-0	0-0	0 1	1 1	0	0	0	1	0	7				
33 GAITER, Emmanuel....	0-1 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	1				
TEAM.....			1 1											
Totals.....	26-47 12-21	14-21	6 28	34 21	78	11	25	7	10	200				
TOTAL FG % 1st Half: 12-26	46.2%	2nd Half: 14-21	66.7%	Game: 55.3%	DEADB									
3-Pt. FG % 1st Half: 6-12	50.0%	2nd Half: 6-9	66.7%	Game: 57.1%	REBS									
F Throw % 1st Half: 6-9	66.7%	2nd Half: 8-12	66.7%	Game: 66.7%	1									

HOME TEAM: Alaska-Fairbanks 2-1		REBOUNDS												
TOT-FG 3-PT		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
05 Jourdain, Philippe... *	2-3 0-0	0-0	0 1	1 0	4	4	4	0	3	24				
11 Matteson, Colin..... *	6-18 1-4	4-8	4 5	9 4	17	0	2	0	3	36				
13 Titus, Mike..... *	1-5 0-3	3-3	3 2	5 5	2	2	0	3	34					
20 Atkins, Kevin..... *	5-11 1-1	6-11	6 3	9 4	17	0	4	0	1	32				
40 Begojevic, Mladen.... *	6-13 1-3	0-0	0 4	4 3	13	3	2	1	2	29				
01 Campbell, Keven.....	1-3 1-2	1-2	0 0	0 3	4	1	1	0	0	22				
02 Simmons, Jason.....	0-0 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	0	0	1	0	0	1				
04 Edwards, Bo.....	0-2 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	6				
23 Carger, DeRay.....	1-4 1-2	1-3	1 3	4 2	4	2	1	0	1	16				
TEAM.....			1 3	4 1										
Totals.....	22-59 5-15	15-27	15 21	36 21	64	12	18	1	13	200				
TOTAL FG % 1st Half: 10-31	32.3%	2nd Half: 12-28	42.9%	Game: 37.3%	DEADB									
3-Pt. FG % 1st Half: 3-8	37.5%	2nd Half: 2-7	28.6%	Game: 33.3%	REBS									
F Throw % 1st Half: 5-11	45.5%	2nd Half: 10-16	62.5%	Game: 55.6%	6									

Officials: Bobby Pultz, Daryl Gelinias, Marc Terrazas
Technical fouls: Tennessee State-None. Alaska-Fairbanks-None.
Attendance:
Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total
Tennessee State..... 36 42 - 78
Alaska-Fairbanks..... 28 36 - 64

Points in the paint-TSU 22,UAF 26. Points off turnovers-TSU 9,UAF 19.
2nd chance points-TSU 9,UAF 7. Fast break points-TSU 0,UAF 0.
Bench points-TSU 34,UAF 8. Score tied-3 times. Lead changed-6 times.
Last FG-TSU 2nd-00:04, UAF 2nd-00:00.
Largest lead-TSU by 17 2nd-01:55, UAF by 5 1st-14:32.

Tennessee State Topples Nanooks In Top Of The World Classic Opener

The Alaska Nanooks stayed with Tennessee State as long as they could, rebounding from an eight-point halftime deficit to tie the game in the second half, but the Tigers proved too much for the tournament hosts, riding a late game surge to a 78-64 victory in the BP Top of the World Classic's opening game.

Tennessee State got a game-high 21 points from junior Bruce Price. Three other Tigers also cracked double-figures, with Andrae Belton hitting for 17, Gerald Robinson pouring in 16, and LaDariusous Weaver finishing with 13.

Despite the comfortable final scoreline, Alaska made life anything but for the Tigers throughout most of the contest. Though Tennessee State went into the locker room with a 46-38 halftime lead, the Nanooks needed just five minutes to erase that lead, as two lay-ins from Philippe Jourdain brought the game within striking distance. In fact, the Blue and Gold thought they had sprung into the lead, following a Mike Titus drive and lay-in that would have put them up 45-44. But a frustrated Alaska team saw the bucket erased for a charging foul, and the Tigers promptly rattled off five points to pull away for good.

Despite the much-publicized lack of height on the Nanooks, Alaska finished the game with both more rebounds as well as more points in the paint. Tennessee State, however, did most of their damage from the perimeter. The Tigers hit for six three-pointers in both halves, shooting at a 57.1 percent clip from behind the arc for the game.

Tennessee State will now benefit from an off-day on Friday before returning to action on Saturday (11/17). The Tigers will return to the court against Colorado State, a 69-56 winner over Oregon State at 3:00p (CT).

GAME FOUR

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS
Colorado State vs Tennessee State
11/17/07 12:00 PM at BP Top of the World Classic

VISITORS: Colorado State 2-1		REBOUNDS												
TOT-FG 3-PT		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
04 WALKER, Marcus..... *	15-18 5-8	8-9	0 2	2 2	2	43	3	3	0	4	34			
13 McFARLAND, Andre.... *	4-8 2-3	1-1	1 2	3 0	11	1	1	0	1	34				
21 SIMMONS, Josh..... *	2-3 1-1	2-2	0 0	0 2	7	1	4	1	0	14				
30 CREASON, Stuart.... *	4-5 0-0	1-4	0 2	2 2	2	9	1	1	0	23				
43 GARDNER, Willis.... *	1-5 0-2	2-2	0 3	3 4	4	9	3	1	0	32				
03 CLAYMAN, Flynn.....	3-5 0-1	0-0	0 1	1 1	6	2	3	1	0	14				
12 NIGON, Adam.....	0-1 0-0	0-0	1 5	6 2	0	0	1	1	0	24				
22 WOODARD, Jesse.....	2-3 0-1	1-2	0 1	1 2	5	3	0	0	0	13				
23 AGUILAR, Ronnie.....	1-1 0-0	0-0	1 3	4 4	2	0	1	1	0	12				
TEAM.....			1 7	8										
Totals.....	32-49 8-16	15-20	4 26	30 19	87	20	17	5	6	200				
TOTAL FG % 1st Half: 17-24	70.8%	2nd Half: 15-25	60.0%	Game: 65.3%	DEADB									
3-Pt. FG % 1st Half: 7-10	70.0%	2nd Half: 1-6	16.7%	Game: 50.0%	REBS									
F Throw % 1st Half: 0-0	0.0%	2nd Half: 15-20	75.0%	Game: 75.0%	1									

HOME TEAM: Tennessee State 2-2		REBOUNDS												
TOT-FG 3-PT		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
01 TAYLOR, Dontrell.... *	6-9 0-0	4-8	1 5	6 0	16	0	2	1	0	32				
03 HOUSTON, Jerrell.... *	5-7 0-0	0-1	0 2	2 5	10	2	6	0	1	17				
11 PRICE, Bruce..... *	7-19 2-9	2-4	2 1	3 1	18	6	3	0	1	37				
22 ROBINSON, Gerald.... *	1-8 1-5	2-2	1 1	2 3	5	0	1	0	1	28				
40 EVANS, Stephen..... *	0-0 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	2	0	0	0	0	7				
02 ERVIN, Reiley.....	1-3 1-3	0-0	1 1	2 0	3	0	2	0	0	10				
13 WEAVER, LaDariusous..	1-4 1-4	0-0	0 0	0 5	3	3	1	0	0	23				
15 BELTON, Andrae.....	2-4 1-2	0-0	0 0	0 2	5	0	0	0	1	12				
20 COX, Darius.....	4-6 0-1	0-0	5 3	8 2	8	0	0	1	1	29				
32 CRAFT, James.....	0-2 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	0	0	1	0	0	5				
33 GAITER, Emmanuel....	0-0 0-0	0-0	0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0+				
TEAM.....			3 4	7										
Totals.....	27-62 6-24	8-15	13 17	30 20	68	12	15	2	5	200				
TOTAL FG % 1st Half: 11-27	40.7%	2nd Half: 16-35	45.7%	Game: 43.5%	DEADB									
3-Pt. FG % 1st Half: 2-9	22.2%	2nd Half: 4-15	26.7%	Game: 25.0%	REBS									
F Throw % 1st Half: 4-6	66.7%	2nd Half: 4-9	44.4%	Game: 53.3%	3									

Officials: Shawn Lehigh, Bobby Pultz, Daryl Gelinias
Technical fouls: Colorado State-None. Tennessee State-None.
Attendance: 1656
Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total
Colorado State..... 41 46 - 87
Tennessee State..... 28 40 - 68

Points in the paint-CS 32,TSU 26. Points off turnovers-CS 20,TSU 11.
2nd chance points-CS 2,TSU 11. Fast break points-CS 0,TSU 0.
Bench points-CS 13,TSU 19. Score tied-0 times. Lead changed-2 times.
Last FG-CS 2nd-00:14, TSU 2nd-00:18.
Largest lead-CS by 19 2nd-18:00, TSU by 1 1st-16:24.

Tigers' Hoops Fall to Hot Shooting Colorado State, 87-68

The Tennessee State University men's basketball team saw their record slip to 2-2 after dropping an 87-68 contest to Colorado State at the BP Top of the World Classic in Fairbanks, Alaska.

Three Tigers players scored in double-figures, Bruce Price (18), Dontrell Taylor (16) and Jerrell Houston (10). Their performances, however, were cancelled by Colorado State's Marcus Walker who scored a tournament-record 43 points leading the Rams in a 65.3% shooting performance for the game, they shot 70.8% in the first half. TSU shot a chilly 43.5% from the floor on the game and 40.7% during the first half.

The Tigers got off to a poor start, falling behind 0-3 (19:06) on a Walker 3-pointer and got their only lead of the game, 7-6 (16:24) on LaDariusous Weaver's 3-pointer. During the rest of the first half Colorado State gradually stretched their lead to a 13-point advantage, 41-28, at halftime. Colorado State's Marcus Walker had 22 points at the half.

In the second half, the Tigers were able to cut into their double-digit deficit at the 10:13 mark, after a Darius Cox lay-up drew the score to 50-59, followed by a TSU 5-0 run that drew the score to 53-59. Colorado State moved back to an 11-point lead, 64-53 at 5:52 and never looked back as they cruised to their final victory at 87-68.

GAME FIVE

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS
Akron vs Tennessee State
11/18/07 12:30p AKT at BP Top of the World Classic

VISITORS: Akron 2-1

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
04	McNEES, Steve..... *	3-9	3-9	0-0	1	0	1	3	9	2	1	0	1	26	
11	DIALS, Nick..... *	5-11	3-7	0-2	1	2	3	2	13	6	2	0	0	33	
21	WOOD, Jeremiah..... *	6-9	0-0	5-9	4	4	8	4	17	4	5	1	4	33	
30	McKNIGHT, Chris..... *	1-3	0-1	4-4	0	2	2	3	6	0	0	1	0	15	
32	CONYERS, Jimmy..... *	4-5	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	8	0	1	0	0	15	
01	MIDDLETON, Cedrick..	1-1	1-1	2-2	0	0	0	4	5	1	1	0	0	15	
02	MILUM, Quade.....	3-6	0-0	1-2	2	0	2	2	7	2	1	1	0	28	
10	SALLEE, Jeremy.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	04	
25	GODDARD, Nick.....	1-3	0-2	2-2	0	0	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	10	
33	LINHART, Nate.....	2-4	1-3	0-2	3	2	5	0	5	1	2	0	0	21	
54	BARDO, Mike.....	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	
	TEAM.....				1	4	5								
	Totals.....	26-52	8-24	14-23	12	15	27	21	74	17	13	3	5	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 15-30 50.0% 2nd Half: 11-22 50.0% Game: 50.0% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-12 33.3% 2nd Half: 4-12 33.3% Game: 33.3% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 4-4 100 % 2nd Half: 10-19 52.6% Game: 60.9% 4

HOME TEAM: Tennessee State 2-3

##	Player Name	TOT-FG		3-PT		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT								
01	TAYLOR, Dontrell.... *	1-4	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	1	2	0	2	0	0	15	
03	HOUSTON, Jerrell.... *	8-13	0-0	6-6	6	3	9	2	22	0	3	0	2	31	
11	PRICE, Bruce..... *	2-7	0-1	6-8	0	0	0	4	10	7	7	1	1	27	
22	ROBINSON, Gerald.... *	2-6	2-4	0-1	0	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	26	
40	EVANS, Stephen..... *	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	6	
02	ERVIN, Reiley.....	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	2	2	0	0	13	
13	WEAVER, LaDarius... *	4-6	4-6	0-0	1	1	2	3	12	0	1	0	1	22	
15	BELTON, Andrae.....	3-4	2-2	0-0	0	2	2	0	8	1	0	0	0	26	
20	COX, Darius.....	3-3	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	4	6	1	0	1	0	15	
32	CRAFT, James.....	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	5	6	4	4	0	1	0	0	19	
	TEAM.....				3	3									
	Totals.....	26-49	8-14	12-15	11	19	30	22	72	11	17	2	4	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 12-22 54.5% 2nd Half: 14-27 51.9% Game: 53.1% DEADB
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 2-4 50.0% 2nd Half: 6-10 60.0% Game: 57.1% REBS
F Throw % 1st Half: 2-2 100 % 2nd Half: 10-13 76.9% Game: 80.0% 0

Officials: Newton Chelette, Darryl Gelinias, Bobby Pultz
Technical fouls: Akron-None. Tennessee State-None.
Attendance: 3334
Score by Periods
Akron..... 38 36 - 74
Tennessee State..... 28 44 - 72
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Points in the paint-AKRON 20,TSU 20. Points off turnovers-AKRON 22,TSU 18.
2nd chance points-AKRON 9,TSU 13. Fast break points-AKRON 0,TSU 0.
Bench points-AKRON 21,TSU 30. Score tied-4 times. Lead changed-2 times.
Last FG-AKRON 2nd-00:04, TSU 2nd-01:28.
Largest lead-AKRON by 12 1st-00:25, TSU by 2 1st-05:26.

Tigers' Rally Falls Short, Akron Edges TSU, 74-72

The Tennessee State Tigers (2-3), playing in the Top of the World Classic at Fairbanks, Alaska trailed the Akron Zips (2-1) by 10 points, 38-28 at halftime. The Tigers mounted a second half rally outscoring Akron 44-36, but lose the game 74-72 on a jumper with 0:04 remaining.

The Tigers got a season-high 22 points from junior forward Jerrell Houston, with support from LaDarius Weaver (12) and Bruce Price (10), but committed 17 turnovers and gave up 22 points off turnovers. Houston pulled down a game-high 9 rebounds and Bruce dished out a game-high 9 assists.

Statistically, TSU out-rebounded Akron 30-27, but the game was relatively equal with TSU hitting 26-of 49 (53.1%) from the field to Akron's 26-of-52 (50%). Both teams connected on eight 3-pointers, 8-14 for TSU and 8-24 for Akron. The Zips, however, hit 14-of-23 FTs to the Tigers 12-of-15 FTs.

The Tigers got off to a slow start, falling behind 0-4 at 18:30 and 4-12 at 14:39. TSU went on a 12-6 run to pull into a tie (18-18) with 8:06 remaining in the half. and took a 22-20 lead at 6:04 on a steal and lay-up by Jerrell Houston. Akron went on an 18-6 run to end the half with a 38-28 lead.

In the second half, Akron pushed their lead to 12 points (45-33) with 16:53 remaining in the game. TSU responded with a 13-1 run to tie the game at 46-46 with 12:47 remaining on a pair of 3-pointers by Gerald Robinson and two free-throws by Bruce Price. Akron surged ahead by 9 points (56-65) with 6:14 remaining, but the Tigers closed to within 2-points (70-72) with 1:34 remaining and then a tie at 72-72 with 1:28 left on a lay-up by Bruce Price. Akron hit a jumper with 0:04 remaining to take the snuff out the Tigers come-back bid.

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