



2010 VIRGINIA TECH SOFTBALL

GAME NOTES

VIRGINIA TECH ATHLETICS COMMUNICATIONS

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2010 VIRGINIA TECH SCHEDULE

Feb. 12-14	Jacksonville University Tournament (at Jacksonville, Fla.)	
12	Drexel	Cancelled - rain
13	Bethune-Cookman at Jacksonville	W, 14-3 (6) L, 7-11
14	Drexel	W, 5-3
	UNC Greensboro	W, 8-2 (10)
19-21	Red & Black Showcase (at Athens, Ga.)	
19	Western Carolina at #8/6 Georgia	W, 14-3 (5) L, 1-6
20	Winthrop	L, 0-2
	at #8/6 Georgia	L, 0-8 (5)
21	Bowling Green	L, 2-3
24	Radford	Postponed
26-28	NFCA Leadoff Classic (at Columbus, Ga.)	
26	Hofstra	L, 2-3
	#6/4 Missouri	L, 4-9
27	Auburn	L, 0-2
	Illinois	L, 5-10
28	Nebraska	L, 0-2
Mar. 5-7	USF Under Armour Invitational (at Clearwater, Fla.)	
5	Chattanooga	W, 4-0
	Boston	W, 3-1
6	#24 Massachusetts	L, 0-3
	Quinnipiac	W, 2-1 (8)
7	Memphis	L, 0-2
12-14	FAU "Parents' Weekend" Tournament (at Boca Raton, Fla.)	
13	Western Kentucky	L, 0-2 (8)
	Iowa	L, 5-6
14	Jacksonville	L, 2-3
	Charleston Southern	L, 0-6
20	at NC State *	W, 2-0
	at NC State *	W, 11-0 (5)
21	at NC State *	L, 3-4
23	North Carolina A&T	W, 11-2 (5)
	North Carolina A&T	W, 8-1
24	Hampton	W, 10-2 (6)
	Hampton	W, 8-0 (5)
27	Virginia *	L, 0-5
	Virginia *	L, 3-4
28	Virginia *	L, 3-8
April 2	at #10 Georgia Tech *	1, 1-15 (5)
	at #10 Georgia Tech *	L, 1-3
3	at #10 Georgia Tech *	L, 1-9 (6)
6	East Tennessee State (DH)	5 p.m.
7	at Appalachian State	5 p.m.
10	at Maryland (DH) *	1 p.m.
11	at Maryland *	1 p.m.
14	at Radford	7 p.m.
17	Florida State (DH) *	Noon
18	Florida State *	1 p.m.
21	at Longwood (DH)	5 p.m.
24	North Carolina (DH) *	Noon
25	North Carolina *	1 p.m.
28	Liberty (DH)	5 p.m.
May 1	at Boston College (DH) *	1 p.m.
2	at Boston College *	1 p.m.
14-16	ACC Championship (at Blacksburg, Va.)	
21-23	at NCAA Regionals	
28-30	at NCAA Super Regionals	
June 3-9	at WCWS	

* denotes Atlantic Coast Conference games
Home games in bold
All home games played at Tech Softball Park
All times and dates subject to change

HOKIES STEP OUT OF CONFERENCE FOR THREE GAMES

GAMES 37-39

VIRGINIA TECH (13-23)
vs.
EAST TENNESSEE STATE (14-22)

April 6, 2010 • Blacksburg, Va.
5 PM (DH) • Tech Softball Park

AT

APPALACHIAN STATE (16-14)

April 7, 2010 • Boone, N.C.
5 PM • Sywassink/Lloyd Family Stadium

This Week's Headlines

♦ The Hokies will try to break a six-game losing streak as they step out of conference for three games.

♦ East Tennessee State is the alma mater of Tech head coach Scot Thomas and the Bucs feature former Hokie Callie Rhodes as one of their assistant coaches.

♦ Tech is 4-3 at home this year and 2-7 on the road.

About East Tennessee State

East Tennessee State is 14-22 overall, 3-5 in the Southern Conference heading into Tuesday's Regional action. The Bucs are led at the plate by Cheniece Cason, who is batting .320 with eight stolen bases. After that, the averages drop a bit as Lucy Schneider is the second-leading hitter at .274. The Bucs as a team hit just .242 with 16 home runs and 45 stolen bases.

In the circle, Jessica Duncan sees the most action as she is 6-6 with a 2.93 ERA in 95.2 innings. She has 59 strikeouts but has walked 32. Darci Gilbert (4-3, 3.31 ERA), Marissa Hardy (3-8, 4.58 ERA, 48 BBs) and Shelby Morris (1-5, 4.97 ERA) also see time in the circle. ETSU has a team ERA of 3.73,

The Series

Virginia Tech holds an 10-1 lead in a series that dates back to 2001. Tech Hokies are 5-0 against the Bucs at home, 3-0 in

Johnson City and 2-1 at neutral sites. Last year, the Hokies swept a single game at ETSU, winning 5-3. The two squads played three times in Bristol as part of the State Line Classic. Tech holds a five-game winning streak in the series as the last time the Bucs beat the Hokies was in 2004 at Bristol, a 4-2 win.

About Appalachian State

Appalachian State is 16-14 on the year and is led at the plate by hard-hitting Katie Boyd. The junior is hitting .378 with six home runs, 14 stolen bases and 17 RBI. Megan Rembielak is batting .316 while Hayley Grabner hits .300. Sarah Rappe is a threat on the base paths with 19 stolen bases. The Mountaineers as a team hit .257 with 15 home runs and 62 stolen bases.

Caitlin Wainright leads the way in the circle with an 8-6 mark and a 1.49 ERA in 89.0 innings. The staff as a whole has an ERA of 2.20.

The Series

This will be Virginia Tech's first trip to Boone as the Hokies hold a 3-0 lead after beating the Mountaineers 7-6 at Blacksburg last year. The Hokies also beat ASU 5-4 in eight innings earlier in the year at Coastal Carolina's tournament. The first meeting came in 2004 when Tech beat ASU 6-0 at Tech Softball Park.

On The Internet

Jerry Massey is back on the air this week for the two home games. The veteran broadcaster will bring you all the action from Tech Softball Park by logging onto Hokies All-Access. Fans must register and pay for the access. As always, live stats are available for free on hokiesports.com. There will be no broadcast or live stats for Wednesday's game.

Up Next

The Hokies will look to get back into the race for a good seed at the ACC Tournament this weekend when they travel to College

Park for a three-game set against Maryland.

What's Your Name?

The Tech softball team will have quite a different look this year after graduating six seniors from last year's squad, while adding a bunch of new players.

The Hokies will have nine newcomers this year, seven of who are freshmen. Toss in Misty Hall, who returns after missing last year due to suspension, and 10 of the 19 players on this year's team weren't on the 2009 roster.

Transfer U

Virginia Tech will start the season with a roster of 19 players in 2010. Five of those players are transfers from other colleges or universities:

Player	Previous School
Kristina Cruz	Santa Fe (FL) College
Misty Hall	Louisburg (NC) College
Richelle McGarva	Lake City (FL) C.C.
Amber Walker	Roanoke (VA) College
Ashton Ward	University of Tennessee

Lots of Changes

For the opening game of the 2010 season - a 14-3 win over Bethune-Cookman, eight of the nine fielding positions had new starters from the final game of the 2009 season, a loss to Georgia Tech in the ACC Semifinals.

Position	2009 GT Starter	2010 B-CC Starter
P*	Kenzie Roark	Ashton Ward
C	Amber Walker	Courtney Liddle
1B	Beth Walker	Kristin Graham
2B	Erin Ota	Bkaye Smith
SS	Kristin Graham	Misty Hall
3B	Charisse Mariconda	Kristina Cruz
LF	Jessica Everhart	Kristen Froehlich
CF	Jenna Rhodes	Richelle McGarva

* - In the circle, Kenzie Roark - who saw significant action in 2009 - will continue to play a big role for the Hokies, but will be joined by Ward, Graham and freshman Jasmin Harrell.

Hall Returns

Misty Hall, who missed the entire 2009 season after being suspended from the university, returns for the 2010 season after being reinstated. The senior from Dayton, Va., started all 68 games in 2008, hitting .241 with

a team-leading seven home runs - including a walk-off solo shot in the regionals against Louisville - and 38 RBI with 17 stolen bases. The athletic Hall will play primarily at shortstop once again, a place where she started 59 games as a sophomore, but can also catch.

Losing Hall last year had a trickle-down effect as she was slated to play shortstop and catch last year. In her absence, Erin Ota had to slide over to short, a position she had never played and at 5-2, wasn't exactly the prototypical size. The Hokies rotated three catchers behind the plate, two of whom came to Tech as walk-ons and used a true freshman most of the season at second base.

Hall was off to a hot start, but suffered a sprained left knee on a collision at the plate against Georgia on Feb. 19 and missed several games. She returned to play in the field at the Under Armour Invite, but sustained a different injury to the same knee and missed two more weeks.

Tough Schedule

Head coach **Scot Thomas** has put together yet another tough schedule this season, one that is highlighted by 21 scheduled games against 2009 NCAA Tournament teams such as Florida State (3), North Carolina (3), Radford (2), UMass (1), Nebraska (1), Chattanooga (1), Iowa (1), Auburn (1), Boston (1) and Illinois (1). The Hokies will also take on 2009 NCAA Super Regional squad Georgia Tech in a three-game ACC series and will also play three games against Georgia (2) and Missouri (1) - 2009 WCWS squads.

Ironically enough, the Hokies will face all four teams from last year's Atlanta Regional (Georgia Tech, Boston, Iowa and Auburn) and three of the four squads from the Chapel Hill Regional (UNC, Georgia and Radford).

Canadian Connection

Junior **Richelle McGarva** is the latest in the long line of Canadians to suit up for the Tech softball program. Starting with Michelle Johnson in 1997, McGarva is the eighth Canadian to migrate south to Blacksburg ... and they've all been from the province of British Columbia.

Player	Hometown	Years Lettered at Tech
Michelle Johnson	Surrey, B.C.	1997, 1998
Kara Krumhardt	White Rock, B.C.	1997, 1998, 1999, 2000
Ashlee Dobbe	N. Vancouver, B.C.	1999, 2000, 2001, 2002
Mindi Wylie	Surrey, B.C.	2001, 2002, 2003, 2004
Shanel Garofalo	Port Coquitlam, B.C.	2001, 2002, 2003, 2004
Alisia Narodowski	Vancouver, B.C.	2005, 2006
Jess Hodge	Vancouver, B.C.	2008
Richelle McGarva	Surrey, B.C.	Junior at Tech

WHAT'S A HOKIE?

That's the most often-asked question regarding Virginia Tech athletics. The answer leads all the way back to 1896 when Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

With the change came the necessity for writing a new cheer and a contest for such a purpose was held by the student body. Senior O.M. Stull won first prize for his "Old Hokie" yell which still is used today.

Later, when asked if "Hokie" had any special meaning, Stull explained the words he used had no hidden or symbolic meaning, but had been thought up in an effort to get attention. Hokie soon became a nickname for all Tech teams and for those people loyal to Tech athletics.

Following is the "Old Hokie" yell in its original form:

**Hoki, Hoki, Hoki Hy!
Tech! Tech! V.P.I.!
Sola-Rex Sola-Rah
Polytech-Vir-gin-i-a!!
Rae, Ri, V.P.I.**



JUST VIRGINIA TECH, PLEASE

While the full name of the school is Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, the school is commonly referred to as "Virginia Tech."

Founded in 1872, as Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College, the university changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1896.

Fans of the athletic department, as well as media covering the Hokies, shortened the name to VPI, but it eventually became Virginia Tech.

The "State University" was added in 1970 to bring the official title to what it is today.

Those covering Hokie athletics are asked to refer to the university as simply "Virginia Tech."

Virginia Tech University, VPI and SU, VPI&SU, VT or VA Tech are not recognized names and should not be used.

INSIDE THE NUMBERS

Overall: 13-23

Home: 4-3

Away: 2-7

Neutral: 7-13

Atlantic Coast Conference: 2-7

Home: 0-3

Away: 2-4

When leading after five: 7-2

When trailing after five: 0-18

When leading after six: 6-1

When trailing after six: 0-17

When tied after five: 2-1

When tied after six: 1-1

Record in extra innings: 2-1

When scoring first: 11-5

When scoring in first inning: 7-4

When scoring six or more runs: 8-1

When holding opp. to two runs or less: 9-5

Record in one-run games: 1-6

Record in two-run games: 3-6

Record in five-run or more games: 8-9

When committing one or fewer errors: 11-13

When committing two or more errors: 2-10

vs. lefties (starters): 0-1

vs. righties (starters): 13-22

In February: 4-10

In March: 9-10

In April: 0-3

In May: 0-0

Morning games: 2-6

Afternoon games: 10-13

Night games: 1-4

MOST RUNS SCORED IN ...

1st inning: 7 (North Carolina A&T; 3/23)

2nd inning: 5 (NC State; 3/20)

3rd inning: 4 (twice)

4th inning: 4 (Western Carolina; 2/19)

5th inning: 5 (three times)

6th inning: 5 (Bethune-Cookman; 2/13)

7th inning: 2 (Jacksonville; 2/13)

Extra innings: 6 (UNCG; 2/14)

MOST RUNS ALLOWED IN ...

1st inning: 6 (Virginia; 3/28)

2nd inning: 7 (Jacksonville; 2/13)

3rd inning: 3 (twice)

4th inning: 6 (Georgia Tech; 4/2)

5th inning: 3 (twice)

6th inning: 5 (Georgia Tech; 4/3)

7th inning: 3 (Bowling Green; 2/21)

Extra innings: 1 (UNCG; 2/14)

Largest margin of victory: 11 (three times)

Largest margin of defeat: 14 (GT; 4/2)

Longest winning streak: 4 (3/23-3/24)

Longest losing streak: 9 (2/19-3/5)

Home of the 2010 ACC Softball Championship

For the first time in the program's history, a conference tournament will be hosted at home in Blacksburg when the Atlantic Coast Conference Softball Championship is played at Tech Softball Park come May 14-16. Seven other teams will join the Hokies in Blacksburg in a single-elimination tournament to decide the league's automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament.

Tech served as host for the 1999 Atlantic 10 Softball Championship and the 2002 Big East Softball Championship, both played at the Moyer Complex in nearby Salem, but this will be the first conference tournament played at Tech Softball Park.

Tracking Tinch

After being named the National Player of the Year by USA Softball in 2008, former Hokie pitcher Angela Tinch has kept things rolling. In the summer of 2008, she was a standout for the Akron Racers and last year, she went to Japan for another adventure.

She signed with LeoPalace 21 of the Japan Pro Softball League and competed there for three months before returning to the NPF last summer. She then headed back to Japan after the NPF season wrapped up to finish her stint across the seas where she helped her team to a top-four finish in the top division of pro softball. Currently, she is helping out as an assistant coach at Syracuse University while continuing to train. She will play with one of the Team USA squads this summer.

Did You Know?: Head coach Scot Thomas

was in the same fraternity as country music star Kenny Chesney at ETSU ... Assistant coach **Al Brauns** served in the Vietnam War ... **Marra Hvozdovic** is a fourth-generation Hokie as her great grandfather, grandfather and both parents attended Virginia Tech ... **Richelle McGarva** used to work in construction with her dad ... **Kenzie Roark** was an aunt before she was even born and became a great aunt last year ... **Whitney Davis** went to the same high school as Atlanta Braves relief pitcher Billy Wagner ... **Alicia Field** has a severe case of Ophidiophobia (a fear of snakes) while **Jasmin Harrell** has Ailurophobia (a fear of cats) ... Student assistant coach **Charisse Mariconda** is finishing up her degree in finance and does not have a middle name ... **Ella Miller's** full name is Ella Katherine Newbill Miller as she was named after her grandfather Newbill Miller, with whom she shares a birthday ... She also grew up on the family Purebred Angus farm in Virginia ... **Betty Rose** also has two middle names, Anne Blair, and her father Otis played on the Tech baseball team when he went to school here ...

Bkaye Smith goes by Bkaye, which is short for Brittany Kaye, and raced Motocross when she was a child ... **Amber Walker** is engaged ... **Misty Hall** is an avid hunter who has killed three black bears and has the Browning hunting symbol tattoo ... **Stephanie Kujawa**, who goes by the nickname "Kujo," aspires to be a firefighter and is an avid

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2010 QUICK FACTS

SCHOOL

Location: Virginia Tech is located in Blacksburg (pop. 39,000) in scenic southwest Virginia. The campus lies on a plain between the Blue Ridge and Allegheny Mountains, 2,100 feet above sea level.

History: Founded in 1872 as the land-grant university of the state

Enrollment: 30,000

Colors: Chicago maroon & burnt orange

Nickname: Hokies

Conference: Atlantic Coast

President: Charles W. Steger

Director of Athletics: Jim Weaver

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Scot Thomas

Alma Mater: East Tennessee State, 1991

Career/VT Record: 524-358 (15th year)

Associate Head Coach: Al Brauns

Alma Mater: Penn State, 1973 (12th year)

Assistant Coach: Barb Sherwood

Alma Mater: Troy, 1999 (2nd year)

Volunteer Coach: Bobby Barton

Student Assistant Coach: Charisse Mariconda

FACILITY

Home Field: Tech Softball Park (1,024)

Dimensions: Lines 200'; center 220'

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surfer ... **Sarah Ashby** was a dancer for 13 years, including ballet, pointe, tap, clogging and jazz and is also a three-time Locks of Love donor ... **Kristina Cruz** only spoke Spanish until she was 4 years old and is the first in her family to leave the state of Florida to go to college ... **Courtney Liddle** enjoys graphic design work, as well as painting and drives a black turbo Volkswagen Beetle ... **Ashton Ward** has a younger brother (Michael) who is a freshman at Tech and she once sat next to Vanilla Ice on a flight back from a softball tournament ... **Kelsey Hensel** can fly a plane and went skydiving over winter break ... **Kristen Froehlich** wears No. 37 because it was the same number her dad wore in college ... **Kristin Graham** is from Warner Robins, GA, which is the only city/town in the U.S. to have had both 11-year-old & 12-year-old boys and girls win the Little League World Series.

VIRGINIA TECH NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Class	B-T	Hometown	High School/Other
2	Bkaye Smith	2B	5-7	Fr.	B-R	Cameron, N.C.	Southern Lee
3	Ashton Ward	P/U	6-0	Jr.	R-R	Charlotte, N.C.	Butler/University of Tennessee
4	Whitney Davis	OF	5-4	Sr.	L-L	Tazewell, Va.	Tazewell
5	Richelle McGarva	OF	5-6	Jr.	R-R	Surrey, B.C., Canada	Lord Tweedsmuir Sec./Lake City C.C.
6	Kristina Cruz	3B	5-7	Jr.	R-R	Tampa, Fla.	Academy of the Holy Names/Santa Fe College
7	Stephanie Kujawa	OF	5-5	Fr.	R-R	Cooper City, Fla.	Cooper City
8	Marra Hvozdovic	OF	5-6	So.	R-R	Herndon, Va.	Herndon
10	Sarah Ashby	OF	5-8	Fr.	L-L	Vinton, Va.	William Byrd
11	Amber Walker	C	5-9	Sr.	R-R	Galax, Va.	Galax/Roanoke College
12	Courtney Liddle	C	5-10	Fr.	R-R	Haymarket, Va.	Battlefield
13	Alicia Field	3B	5-3	Jr.	R-R	Manassas, Va.	Osborn Park
14	Kenzie Roark	P	5-10	Jr.	R-R	Mt. Juliet, Tenn.	Mt. Juliet
15	Betty Rose	C	5-7	Fr.	R-R	South Boston, Va.	Halifax County
18	Misty Hall	SS	5-11	Sr.	R-R	Dayton, Va.	Turner Ashby/Louisburg College
20	Kristin Graham	1B/P	6-0	So.	R-R	Warner Robins, Ga.	Warner Robins
21	Kelsey Hensel	U	5-8	So.	R-R	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.	Palm Beach Gardens
22	Jasmin Harrell	P	5-4	Fr.	R-R	Irvine, Calif.	Beckman
26	Ella Miller	3B	5-7	Fr.	R-R	Washington, Va.	Highland School
37	Kristen Froehlich	OF/U	5-7	So.	R-R	Coral Springs, Fla.	North Broward Prep

Head Coach: Scot Thomas (East Tennessee State, 1991); Overall Record: 524-358 (15th season); Virginia Tech Record: same

Associate Head Coach: Al Brauns (Penn State, 1973, 12th season)

Assistant Coach: Barb Sherwood (Troy, 1999, second season)

Volunteer Assistant: Bobby Barton (first season)

Student Assistant: Charisse Mariconda (first season)

Athletic Trainer: Katie Baer

Manager: Kevin Price

Athletics Communications: Bryan Johnston

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

Hokies by States

Virginia	9
Florida	4
North Carolina.....	2
Georgia.....	1
California.....	1
Tennessee.....	1
Canada	1

Hokies by Class

Seniors	3
Juniors	5
Sophomores.....	4
Freshmen	7

Pronunciation Guide

Baer.....	(naked) bare or (grrr) bear
Bkaye	B.K.
Brauns	Brawns
Froehlich.....	FRO-lick
Harrell.....	huh-RELL
Marra Hvozdovic.....	Maur-uh haz-DOE-vik
Kujawa	koo-JAH-wuh
Roark.....	ROH-ark
Richelle McGarva	Rih-SHELL

Hometowns

Galax	GAY-lax
Manassas.....	muh-NASS-us
Tazewell	TAZ-well



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Name	No.
Sarah Ashby	10
Kristina Cruz.....	6
Whitney Davis	4
Alicia Field.....	13
Kristen Froehlich	37
Kristin Graham.....	20
Misty Hall.....	18
Jasmin Harrell.....	22
Kelsey Hensel.....	21
Marra Hvozdovic.....	8
Stephanie Kujawa	7
Courtney Liddle.....	12
Richelle McGarva	5
Ella Miller.....	26
Kenzie Roark.....	14
Betty Rose.....	15
Bkaye Smith	2
Amber Walker.....	11
Ashton Ward.....	3

VIRGINIA TECH MEDIA INFORMATION

GAME CREDENTIALS

Home games are held at Tech Softball Park and are free of charge. No credentials are needed for entrance. Media interested in attending the games are asked to call the Athletics Communications Office in advance. There are three press boxes at Tech Softball Park. The center press box is reserved for the public address announcer, SIDs, the official scorer and game management. The third-base side press box is for home radio and media while the first-base side press box is for visiting radio and media.

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS

Coach Thomas and players will be available after the second game of the doubleheader.

LIVE STATS AND BROADCASTS

Fans and media can keep up with the Hokies via the Internet with live stats. At all home games, and most away games, play-by-play, as well as up-to-date box scores and stats, are available by clicking on the live stats link on Tech's homepage. Once again this year, audio broadcasts can be found on Hokies All Access. Jerry Massey will call the games, providing fans another option to keep up with the Hokies.

SOFTBALL HOTLINE

Shortly after each game, fans and media can call the Virginia Tech Softball Hotline and listen to a recording recapping the action. To access the hotline, call (540) 232-3719 and press "3" during the introduction.

ACROSS THE NATION

Hokies vs. the States Tech's record vs. the teams from the 40 different states it has played

State	Record	State	Record
Alabama	5-4	Missouri	2-4
Arizona	1-3	Nebraska	0-4
Arkansas	0-2	Nevada	2-0
California	2-6	New Jersey	15-9
Connecticut	11-3	New Mexico	1-0
Delaware	3-0	New York	45-15
Florida	27-22	North Carolina	73-34
Georgia	18-23	North Dakota	0-1
Illinois	7-4	Ohio	29-10
Indiana	6-18	Oklahoma	2-1
Iowa	4-7	Oregon	1-2
Kansas	1-0	Pennsylvania	40-32
Kentucky	5-2	Rhode Island	15-7
Louisiana	1-3	South Carolina	28-19
Maine	1-2	Tennessee	26-20
Maryland	11-13	Texas	2-1
Massachusetts	26-22	Utah	1-0
Michigan	11-12	Virginia	93-46
Minnesota	2-0	Washington	0-1
Mississippi	1-2	West Virginia	8-4

Hokies in the States Tech's record in the 23 states it has played in

State	Record	Last
Virginia	243-116	2010
Florida	78-57	2010
North Carolina	50-28	2010
South Carolina	31-17	2009
Tennessee	27-21	2009
Georgia	22-38	2010
Pennsylvania	10-16	2003
Massachusetts	9-7	2008
Maryland	9-7	2008
Rhode Island	8-4	2004
New York	7-7	2004
Alabama	4-1	2007
Nevada	4-1	2006
Connecticut	3-1	2004
Arizona	3-2	2008
Michigan	2-1	2008
Ohio	5-6	2007
California	5-10	2008
New Jersey	3-5	2003
West Virginia	1-3	2000
Oklahoma	0-2	2008
Indiana	0-4	2004
Louisiana	0-4	2001

HOKIES IN THE PROS

National Pro Fastpitch (NPF)

AKRON RACERS

Angela Tincher (P)	2008-
Kelsey Hoffman (C)	2009-
Barb Sherwood (head coach).....	2009

ROCKFORD THUNDER

Jenna Rhodes (OF)	2009-
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INTERNATIONAL

HOKIES

UNITED STATES

Angela Tincher ...	2006 World University Games
	2009 Pan Am Qualifier Tournament

ITALY

Shanel Garofalo	2007 National Team
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PUERTO RICO

Charisse Mariconda	2007 National Team
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CANADA

Ashlee Dobbe	1999 Junior National Team
Jess Hodge.....	2007 Junior National Team
Richelle McGarva....	2007 Junior National Team

MISCELLANEOUS ALL-TIME STREAKS & RECORDS

Tech's All-Time Varsity Record.....	524-358
Home	184-88
Away.....	142-123
Neutral.....	198-147
Versus Virginia Opponents.....	93-46
Home vs. Virginia Opponents	47-26
In Virginia	243-116
In February.....	96-59
In March.....	205-135
In April.....	177-130
In May.....	46-34
In Season Openers.....	8-7
In Home Openers.....	11-4
In Atlantic Coast Conference Play (5th year).....	57-47
In BIG EAST Play (4 years).....	39-39
In Atlantic 10 Play (5 years).....	48-32
In Conference Tournament Games	22-15
In NCAA Tournament Games.....	8-10
Scoring First	385-74
Opponent Scores First.....	139-284
Record When Scoring 0-2 Runs.....	100-272
Record When Allowing 0-2 Runs	399-69
Record When Scoring 3-5 Runs.....	198-70
Record When Allowing 3-5 Runs	103-147
Record When Scoring 6-9 Runs.....	154-17
Record When Allowing 6-9 Runs	21-97
Record When Scoring 10 or More Runs	72-1
Record When Allowing 10 or More Runs	1-42
Record When Scoring Margin is 1 Run	145-106
Record When Scoring Margin is 2 Runs.....	72-62
Record When Scoring Margin is 5 or More Runs.....	178-108
Longest Winning Streak.....	26
April 2, 1999 through May 1, 1999	
Longest Losing Streak.....	13
April 4, 1996 through April 17, 1996	
Longest Home Winning Streak.....	26
April 25, 1998 through April 8, 2000	

NO-HITTERS & PERFECT GAMES

◆ Perfect Games

1. Ashlee Dobbe vs. St. Bonaventure	W, 10-0 (5).....	5/7/00
2. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Hofstra.....	W, 6-0	3/10/02
3. Katie Maynard vs. Liberty.....	W, 3-0	5/9/04
4. Angela Tincher vs. Lehigh.....	W, 4-0	2/23/07
5. Angela Tincher vs. Florida State	W, 1-0 (8).....	3/24/07

◆ No-Hitters

1. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Brown	W, 1-0	3/26/99
2. Clarisa Crowell vs. Boston College.....	W, 2-0	3/27/99
3. Clarisa Crowell vs. La Salle.....	W, 6-0	4/18/99
4. Clarisa Crowell vs. Greensboro	W, 1-0	4/21/99
5. Ashlee Dobbe vs. La Salle	W, 8-0 (5).....	4/29/00
6. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Dayton	W, 4-0	5/11/00
7. Catherine Gilliam vs. Cornell	W, 2-0	3/2/01
8. A. Dobbe/N. Smith vs. Winthrop	W, 6-0	2/24/02
9. Clarisa Crowell vs. Providence.....	W, 3-0	3/24/02
10. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Gardner-Webb.....	W, 8-0 (5).....	3/29/02
11. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Tennessee.....	W, 6-0	4/17/02
12. Ashlee Dobbe vs. Pittsburgh.....	W, 4-0	4/21/02
13. K. Maynard/R. Pacheco vs. Liberty	L, 0-1.....	4/2/03
14. Katie Maynard vs. Providence	W, 1-0 (8).....	4/23/04
15. A. Tincher/K. Morrison vs. St. Bonaventure.....	W, 8-0 (5).....	3/19/05
16. Angela Tincher vs. Maryland.....	W, 5-0	3/25/05
17. Angela Tincher vs. Furman	W, 8-0 (6).....	2/12/06
18. Angela Tincher vs. Radford	W, 3-2 (9).....	3/1/06
19. Angela Tincher vs. Virginia.....	W, 4-1	3/18/06
20. Angela Tincher vs. UNC Greensboro	W, 2-0	4/25/06
21. Angela Tincher vs. Fordham.....	W, 5-0	3/8/07
22. Angela Tincher vs. Ohio State.....	W, 2-0	3/11/07
23. Angela Tincher vs. Canisius.....	W, 5-0	5/18/07
24. Angela Tincher vs. UNC Greensboro	W, 8-0 (5).....	3/12/08
25. Angela Tincher vs. NC State	W, 3-0	3/21/08
26. Angela Tincher vs. US National Team (exhib.)	W, 1-0	3/26/08
27. Angela Tincher vs. East Carolina	W, 11-0 (5).....	4/29/08
27. Angela Tincher vs. Florida State	W, 2-0	5/10/08

TLC AT THE TSP

Tech Softball Park, home of Virginia Tech softball since 1998, has been a tough place for opposing teams to play of the years. Tech finished in 21st in the nation in 2007, averaging 547 fans per home date, a year after finishing 17th in the country with an average of 551 fans per home date. In 2008, Tech went way up in average attendance, averaging 699 fans per date.

Nearly 800 permanent seats have been added, along with lights, two more press boxes and a new sound system, making the facility a fine one for the Hokies to play.

Over the years, Tech has posted a 162-61 record at home, a winning percentage of .726.

1998:	12-7
1999:	17-0
2000:	20-3
2001:	18-4
2002:	16-3
2003:	10-7
2004:	15-6
2005:	9-9
2006:	8-4
2007:	12-4
2008:	15-5
2009:	8-6
2010:	4-3

162-61 (.726)

Tech Softball Park Top 10 Attendance Marks

Att.	Opp.	Date
1,977	NC State *	4/16/05
1,874	North Carolina *	4/15/06
1,369	Maryland *	4/25/09
1,283	Maryland	4/21/07
1,182	Florida State *	4/19/08
1,164	North Carolina	4/26/08
1,030	Liberty	4/16/08
917	North Carolina	4/27/08
873	Virginia	3/27/10
814	Maryland	4/22/07

* - Spring Football Game held on that day

TSP Average Attendance (last 5 years)

Year	Avg. Att.	Nat'l Rank
2004	275	-
2005	535	15th
2006	551	17th
2007	547	21st
2008	699	13th
2009	469	28th

STREAKIN!

Longest Winning Streaks:

1. Feb. 26-April 26, 1999 26
2. Feb. 13-March 6, 2005 18
3. March 10-March 20, 2002 13
4. April 24-May 10, 2002 12
5. April 4-April April 28, 2007 10
Feb. 12-March 1, 2006 10
7. March 20-March 31, 1999 9
April 12-April 19, 2008 9
8. March 24-April 2, 1996 8

Longest Losing Streaks:

1. April 4-April 17, 1996 13
2. Feb. 23-March 9, 2003 10
3. **Feb. 19-March 5, 2010 9**
4. Feb. 22-March 12, 1996 8
5. Feb. 7-Feb. 20, 2009 7
6. April 12-April 16, 1997 6
March 28-April 2, 1998 6
March 27-current 6
9. March 13-March 16, 1997 5
April 15-April 20, 1998 5
May 9-May 17, 2005 5
March 7-March 14, 2010 5

CAREER STARTS By Position

LEFT FIELD

Hvozdovic.....	20
Ward.....	11
Kujawa	8

Froehlich6

Rose5

Ashby1

THIRD BASE

Cruz20

Hensel14

Field2

SHORTSTOP

Hall75

Graham14

Cruz9

Ward6

Froehlich3

Smith1

CENTER FIELD

McGarva34

Davis10

SECOND BASE

Froehlich45

Smith35

RIGHT FIELD

Davis172

Froehlich11

Hvozdovic1

FIRST BASE

Graham39

Ward7

PITCHER

Roark63

Harrell10

Graham7

Ward5

CATCHER

A. Walker41

Liddle28

Hensel8

Field7

Rose7

Hall3

DESIGNATED PLAYER

Graham24

Ward10

McGarva7

Froehlich5

Hall5

A. Walker4

Hvozdovic4

Liddle4

Ashby3

Hensel1

Rose1

ACC STANDINGS (AS OF APRIL 5)

Team	ACC				Overall				Last 10	Streak
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct		
Georgia Tech	8	1	0	.889	32	5	0	.865	9-1	W7
Virginia	7	1	0	.875	21	14	0	.600	8-2	W1
Florida State	6	3	0	.667	33	7	0	.825	9-1	L1
NC State	6	3	0	.667	23	15	0	.605	7-3	W4
North Carolina	5	7	0	.417	27	13	0	.675	5-5	L1
Virginia Tech	2	7	0	.222	13	23	0	.361	4-6	L6
Maryland	1	7	0	.125	21	15	0	.583	4-6	W1
Boston College	0	6	0	.000	9	17	0	.346	2-8	L7

Longest Hitting Streaks:

1. Kelly Brown, 2005.....	24
2. Kara Krumhardt, 1999.....	16
3. Bronwyn Blair, 2000.....	15
4. Jenna Rhodes, 2009.....	15
5. Michelle Meadows, 1997.....	12
Michelle Meadows, 2000.....	12
Mindi Wylie, 2002.....	12
Kelly Brown, 2003.....	12
8. Five with.....	11

Most Career Multi-Hit Games:

1. Michelle Meadows (1997-00).....	69
Kelly Brown (2003-06).....	69
3. Bronwyn Blair (1998-01).....	67
Charisse Mariconda (2006-09).....	67
4. Kara Krumhardt (1997-00).....	65
Shanel Garofalo (2001-04).....	65

Most Career Multi-RBI Games:

1. Megan Evans (2002-05).....	43
2. Charisse Mariconda (2006-09).....	35
3. Ali Verbage (1998-01).....	30
Kara Krumhardt (1997-00).....	30
5. Megan Evans (2002-05).....	29

CAREER MULTIPLE-HIT GAMES

	Career	2010
Whitney Davis.....	23	6
Misty Hall.....	12	1
Kristin Graham.....	11	5
Richelle McGarva.....	8	8
Bkaye Smith.....	8	8
Ashton Ward.....	6	6
Kristen Froehlich.....	5	3
Kelsey Hensel.....	3	3
Courtney Liddle.....	2	2
Amber Walker.....	1	0
Kristina Cruz.....	1	1
Alicia Field.....	1	1
Stephanie Kujawa.....	1	1
Betty Rose.....	1	1

2010 GAME-WINNING RUNS

Bkaye Smith.....	4
Richelle McGarva.....	2
Courtney Liddle.....	2
Kristin Graham.....	2
Ashton Ward.....	2
Kristen Froehlich.....	1

CAREER MULTIPLE-RBI GAMES

	Career	2010
Misty Hall.....	11	2
Whitney Davis.....	8	2
Kristen Froehlich.....	7	2
Kristin Graham.....	7	4
Richelle McGarva.....	4	4
Courtney Liddle.....	3	3
Kelsey Hensel.....	3	3
Marra Hvozdic.....	2	1
Ashton Ward.....	2	2
Amber Walker.....	1	0
Stephanie Kujawa.....	1	1

2010 GAME-WINNING HITS

Ashton Ward.....	2
Courtney Liddle.....	2
Kristen Froehlich.....	1
Kelsey Hensel.....	1
Kristin Graham.....	2

* wins where game-winning runs were scored on error, bases-loaded walk, sac flies, fielders choice, etc., are not reflected

INHERITED RUNNERS

BREAKDOWN

Pitcher	Inherited	Scored	Pct.
K. Graham	0	0	0%
J. Harrell	15	10	66.7%
K. Roark	17	4	23.5%
A. Ward	2	0	0%
Totals	34	14	41.2%

CAREER WALK-OFF HOMERS

	Opp.	Inn.	Score	Date
M. Hall	Louisville	10	1-0	5/16/08
M. Hvozdic	W. Mich	7	1-0	3/8/09

CAREER GRAND SLAMS

No one on the team has hit a grand slam

Hitting Streaks

Player	Career	2010	Current
Davis, W.	8	8	3
McGarva, R.	7	7	-
Smith, B.	7	7	-
Graham, K.	6	6	-
Froehlich, K.	5	5	2
Hall, M.	4	3	-
Liddle, C.	4	4	-
Hvozdic, M.	4	4	-
Cruz, K.	2	2	-
Ashby, S.	2	2	-
Field, A.	2	2	-
Ward, A.	2	2	-
Hensel, K.	2	2	2
Kujawa, S.	1	1	-
Rose, B.	1	1	-

2010 HOME RUN LISTING

Courtney Liddle.....	Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Ashton Ward.....	Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Courtney Liddle.....	Jacksonville (2/13)
Misty Hall.....	Western Carolina (2/19)
Courtney Liddle.....	Bowling Green (2/21)
Courtney Liddle.....	Hofstra (2/26)
Richelle McGarva.....	Missouri (2/26)
Courtney Liddle.....	Chattanooga (3/5)
Courtney Liddle.....	NC State (3/20)
Kristen Froehlich.....	NC State (3/20)
Courtney Liddle.....	NC State (3/21)
Kristin Graham.....	North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Marra Hvozdic.....	North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Betty Rose.....	North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Whitney Davis.....	Virginia (3/27)
Richelle McGarva.....	Virginia (3/28)
Misty Hall.....	Georgia Tech (4/2)

THE CHIEF'S FASHION CORNER

(JERSEYS/PANTS/SOCKS COMBINATIONS)

White on White on White.....	0-2
White on White on Maroon.....	2-0
White on White on Orange.....	2-3
White on Maroon on White.....	4-5
White on Maroon on Maroon.....	0-0
Maroon on White on Maroon.....	1-7
Maroon on Maroon on White.....	0-0
Maroon on Maroon on Maroon.....	0-1
Orange on White on White.....	0-0
Orange on White on Orange.....	2-5
Orange on Maroon on Orange.....	2-0



SCOT THOMAS

VIRGINIA TECH HEAD COACH

15TH SEASON

EAST TENNESSEE STATE (1981)

RECORD: 524-358

- 2007 Atlantic Coast Conference Coach of the Year •
- 2007, 2008 NFCA Northeast Region Coaching Staff of the Year •
- 1999 Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year •
- 1999, 2000, 2002, 2005 & 2008 VaSID State Coach of the Year •

• Led Tech to the Women's College World Series in 2008, a first for the program. The Hokies also finished a program-best eighth in both final polls that year.

• Led the Hokies to a 1-0 upset win over the USA National Team in an exhibition game on March 26, 2008 at Oklahoma City, snapping the team's 185-game pre-Olympic exhibition tour winning streak.

• Guided Tech to its fourth-straight NCAA Regional in 2008, a program first. Tech was seed 16th nationally and No. 1 at the Columbus Regional in 2007.

• Led the Hokies to Atlantic Coast Conference tournament titles in both 2007 and 2008. Also led the Hokies to the regular-season title in 2007, a program first.

• Has had 11 non-losing seasons in 14 full seasons, building the program from the ground up starting in 1996.

• Was named the 2007 ACC Coach of the Year and he and his staff were named the Northeast Region Coaching Staff of the Year by the NFCA in both 2007 and 2008.

• Became Tech's first head softball coach when he was hired on July 7, 1995. Since then, he has recorded 524 wins, averaged 37 wins per season and made the conference tournament championship game seven times.

• Has coached two NFCA/Louisville Slugger All-Americans: Angela Tincher (2nd, 2007; 1st, 2008 and 1st, 2009) and Jenna Rhodes (3rd, 2009).

• Angela Tincher was named the 2008 USA Softball National Player of the Year to go along with a NCAA Top VIII Award, the Lowe's Senior CLASS Award and the Honda Award.

• In 14 previous seasons, has had five players earn Academic All-America honors. Michelle Johnson made the 1998 second-team squad while Michelle Meadows was a three-time selection, the last two being on the first team. Following the 2002 season, Ashlee Dobbe earned first-team honors and Angela Tincher was a three-time Academic All-American, including the softball Academic All-American of the Year in 2008. Jenna Rhodes was a second-team selection in 2009.

• Has been named the Virginia State Coach of the Year by the Virginia Sports Information Directors (VaSID) a record five times (1999, 2000, 2002, 2005 and 2008).

• He has had 23 different players named to the all-state team 50 different times, including at least three on every team in 11 of the last 12 seasons.

• Has three former players currently playing in the NPF: Angela Tincher and Kelsey Hoffman with the Akron Racers and Jenna Rhodes with the Rockford Thunder.

• Has had six current or former players represent their respective country in international events: Angela Tincher (USA), Shanel Garofalo (Italy), Charisse Mariconda (Puerto Rico), Ashlee Dobbe, Richelle McGarva and Jess Hodge (Canada).

• Graduated from East Tennessee State University in 1991 with a bachelor's in physical education.

• Was also selected to be the head coach of a group of local collegiate all-stars who took on the U.S. Olympic Softball Team in Salem, Va., in the summer of 2004 and did so again in the summer of 2008.

• A native of Blacksburg, Va., he graduated from Blacksburg High where he was a member of the football and baseball teams.

THOMAS' CAREER MILESTONES

Wins	Date	Opponent	Score
1	3/15/96	UMES	9-1 (5)
50	3/11/98	Yale	8-0 (5)
100	4/2/99	Saint Peter's	7-1
200	4/29/01	St. John's	2-1
300	4/27/04	Virginia	6-3 (8)
400	3/4/07	Stetson	3-0
500	4/11/09	Boston College	9-1 (6)

Year	Overall	Conference
1996	16-32	6-10 (Atlantic 10)
1997	24-32	8-8 (Atlantic 10)
1998	32-31	8-8 (Atlantic 10)
1999	54-16	14-2 (Atlantic 10)
2000	41-22	12-4 (Atlantic 10)
2001	36-23	12-8 (Big East)
2002	42-18	12-8 (Big East)
2003	21-29	6-12 (Big East)
2004	36-23	9-11 (Big East)
2005	44-25	4-13 (ACC)
2006	39-21	12-8 (ACC)
2007	49-16	15-5 (ACC CHAMPS)
2008	49-19	16-5 (ACC CHAMPS)
2009	28-28	8-10 (ACC)
2010	13-23	2-7 (ACC)

Overall: 524-358 (144-119) in 882 games

THE COACHING STAFF



AL BRAUNS
Associate Head Coach
12th Season
First Base Coach
Outfield Coach



BARB SHERWOOD
Assistant Coach
2nd Season
Pitching & Catching Coach



BOBBY BARTON
Volunteer Assistant Coach
1st Season



CHARISSE MARICONDA
Student Assistant Coach
1st Season

THE SUPPORT STAFF



KATIE BAER
Certified
Athletic Trainer
4th Season



KEVIN PRICE
Student Manager
5th Season



BRYAN JOHNSTON
Media Relations
11th Season

Sarah Ashby • #10

OF • Fr. • Vinton, Va. (William Byrd)

A speedy player who will be one of the top choices as a pinch runner ... Has played in 26 games, starting four ... Has four hits and has scored nine runs ... Also has eight stolen bases.

Ashby's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	2 (three times)
Runs	1 (nine times)
Hits	1 (four times)
RBI	0
Home Runs	0
2B	0
3B	0
Walks	0
Stolen Bases	1 (nine times)
Putouts	1 (twice)
Assists	0

Kristina Cruz • #6

3B • Jr. (TR) • Tampa, Fla. (Academy of the Holy Names/Santa Fe College)

A transfer from junior college ... Has an extremely strong arm and plays the position well ... Can also play shortstop ... Has started 29 games ... Is batting .136 with five RBI and a stolen base.

Cruz's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	3 (nine times)
Runs	2 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Hits	2 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
RBI	1 (five times)
Home Runs	0
2B	1 (four times)
3B	0
Walks	1 (twice)
Stolen Bases	1 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Putouts	4 vs. Jacksonville (3/14)
Assists	4 (twice)

Whitney Davis • #4

OF • Sr. • Tazewell, Va. (Tazewell)

A lefty both throwing and hitting ... Has the strongest arm of all the outfielders ... Hit her first collegiate home run at Michigan in the Super Regionals in 2008 ... Is batting .321 on the year with 10 RBI and 10 runs scored ... Has 115 career hits, including 22 doubles, 42 RBI and a batting average of .236.

Davis' Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	5 vs. UNCG (2/14/10)	5 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Runs	3 vs. Furman (4/25/07)	2 vs. W. Carolina (2/19)
Hits	3 (four times)	3 (twice)
RBI	2 (eight times)	2 (twice)
Home Runs	1 (twice)	1 vs. Virginia (3/27/10)
2B	1 (20 times)	1 (four times)
3B	1 vs. Ohio State (3/11/07)	0
Walks	2 (five times)	1 (seven times)
Stolen Bases	1 (six times)	1 (twice)
Putouts	4 (four times)	4 vs. NC State (3/21)
Assists	1 (nine times)	1 (four times)

Alicia Field • #13

3B • Jr. • Manassas, Va. (Osborn Park)

A walk-on who joined the team as a bullpen catcher and third baseman in 2008 ... Picked up her first collegiate hit and RBI against Virginia in 2008 ... Started several games at catcher last year ... Had two hits against Hampton this year.

Field's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	3 (two times)	2 (four times)
Runs	1 (four times)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Hits	2 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	2 vs. Hampton (3/24)
RBI	1 (twice)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Doubles	1 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Walks	1 (two times)	0
Putouts	10 vs. App. State (2/21/09)	2 (twice)
Assists	3 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	3 vs. Hampton (3/24)

Kristen Froehlich • #37

OF/2B • So. • Coral Springs, Fla. (North Broward Prep)

A versatile player who can play in the outfield or the middle infield ... Had two home runs and five RBI in a win at Liberty last year ... Started seven games in left field, 14 in right field, two at shortstop, three at designated player and one at second base this year ... Had a pinch hit, two RBI single against Drexel ... Has 42 career hits, including three home runs, two triples and 12 doubles, with 26 RBI.

Froehlich's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	5 vs. Georgia Tech (3/21/09)	4 vs. Iowa (3/13)
Runs	3 vs. NC State (3/20/10)	3 vs. NC State (3/20)
Hits	2 (five times)	2 (three times)
RBI	5 vs. Liberty (4/16/09)	3 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
Home Runs	2 vs. Liberty (4/16/09)	1 vs. NC State (3/20)
2B	1 (12 times)	1 (three times)
3B	1 (twice)	1 (twice)
Walks	2 (twice)	2 vs. NC State (3/20)
Stolen Bases	1 (three times)	1 vs. Bowling Green (2/21)
Putouts	7 vs. Georgia Tech (3/21/09)	4 vs. Georgia Tech (4/1)
Assists	5 vs. Florida State (4/4/09)	3 vs. Georgia (2/19)

Kristin Graham • #20

1B/P • So. • Warner Robins, Ga. (Warner Robins)

Will start at first base, but will also be counted on for innings in the circle ... Saw action at first base, shortstop, pitcher and designated player last year ... Threw 5.0 shutout innings for the win and picked up the game-winning hit in the bottom of the seventh to lift the Hokies to a 3-2 win over Georgia Tech in 2009 ... Is hitting .238 this year with five doubles, a home run and 19 RBI ... Has thrown 19.0 innings this year, with a 1.84 ERA and 20 strikeouts ... Has a career batting average of .229 with 52 hits, nine doubles, three home runs, 30 RBI and 28 runs scored.

Graham's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	5 (twice)	5 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Runs	2 (six times)	2 (four times)
Hits	3 (twice)	3 (twice)
RBI	4 vs. W. Carolina (2/19/10)	4 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
Home Runs	1 (three times)	1 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
2B	2 (twice)	2 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
3B	0	0
Walks	2 (three times)	2 vs. Memphis (3/7)
Stolen Bases	1 vs. Appalachian State (2/21/09)	0

Innings Pitched	6.1 vs. B. Green (2/21/10)	6.1 vs. Bowling Green (2/21)
Strikeouts	8 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	8 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Runs	4 vs. Radford (3/24/09)	3 vs. Georgia Tech (4/3)
Earned Runs	4 vs. Radford (3/24/09)	3 vs. Georgia Tech (4/3)
Hits	4 (three times)	4 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Wild Pitches	4 vs. Hofstra (2/26/10)	4 vs. Hofstra (2/26)
Hit By Pitch	1 (twice)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Walks Allowed	4 vs. Hofstra (2/26/10)	4 vs. Hofstra (2/26)
Putouts	13 (twice)	13 vs. Auburn (2/27)
Assists	5 (twice)	5 (twice)

Misty Hall • #18**SS• r-Sr. (TR) • Dayton, Va. (Turner Ashby/Louisburg College)**

Missed the 2009 season after being suspended from the school ... Returned to start at shortstop this year ... Is hitting .171 with a home run, seven RBI, nine runs scored and three stolen bases this year ... Has a career batting average of .225 with 53 hits, nine doubles, a triple, nine home runs and 46 RBI.

Hall's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	6 vs. Arizona (3/1/08)	4 (twice)
Runs	3 vs. W. Carolina (2/19/10)	3 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
Hits	3 (two times)	2 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/14)
RBI	4 vs. Longwood (4/9/08)	3 vs. Drexel (2/14)
Home Runs	1 (nine times)	1 (twice)
2B	1 (eight times)	1 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/14)
3B	1 vs. Longwood (4/9/08)	0
Walks	3 vs. Villanova (2/23/08)	1 (four times)
Stolen Bases	2 (twice)	2 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/14)
Putouts	10 vs. Maryland (3/29/08)	2 (four times)
Assists	4 (four times)	4 (twice)

Jasmin Harrell • #22**P • Fr. • Irvine, Calif. (Beckman)**

A talented freshman who will be counted on for innings this year ... Went 2-0 her first collegiate weekend, picking up wins over Bethune-Cookman and Drexel ... Is 7-7 with a 2.58 ERA and 55 strikeouts in 92.1 innings with 17 walks.

Harrell's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	1 vs. Hofstra (2/26)
Innings Pitched	8.0 vs. Western Kentucky (3/13)
Strikeouts	8 vs. Drexel (2/14)
Runs	6 vs. Georgia Tech (4/3)
Earned Runs	4 (three times)
Hits	9 vs. Drexel (2/14)
Wild Pitches	1 (four times)
Hit By Pitch	1 (twice)
Walks Allowed	3 (three times)
Putouts	2 (twice)
Assists	4 vs. Boston (3/5)

Kelsey Hensel • #21**U • So. • Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. (Palm Beach Gardens)**

Started eight games at catcher last year but is now splitting time at third base and can also play first base ... Also serves as a top pinch hitter, picking up a big one against Bowling Green ... Has started 15 games this season and is batting .289.

Hensel's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	3 (eight times)	3 (six times)
Runs	1 (eight times)	1 vs. NC State (3/20)
Hits	2 (three times)	2 (three times)
RBI	4 vs. NC State (3/20/10)	4 vs. NC State (3/20)
Home Runs	0	0
2B	1 (four times)	1 (four times)
3B	0	0
Walks	1 (six times)	1 (five times)
Stolen Bases	0	0
Putouts	6 (three times)	2 (three times)
Assists	5 vs. Western Kentucky (3/13/10)	5 vs. W. Kentucky (3/13)

Marra Hvozdic • #8**OF/U • So. • Herndon, Va. (Herndon)**

An invited walk-on who is a versatile player ... Has worked at all three outfield spots, shortstop and at catcher in her career ... Picked up her first collegiate hit against Evansville last year ... Hit a game-winning, two-run home run against Illinois-Chicago in 2009 ... Hit a walk-off homer in Tech's 1-0 win over Western Michigan one day later ... Hit a home run against North Carolina A&T this year.

Hvozdic's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	3 (nine times)	3 (three times)
Runs	2 (twice)	2 (twice)
Hits	1 (13 times)	1 (six times)
RBI	2 (twice)	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Home Runs	1 (three times)	1 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
2B	1 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
3B	1 vs. Hampton (3/24/10)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Walks	1 (seven times)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Stolen Bases	1 (five times)	0
Putouts	3 vs. Radford (3/24/09)	2 (twice)
Assists	0	0

Stephanie Kujawa • #7**OF • Fr. • Cooper City, Fla. (Cooper City)**

A freshman who can play anywhere in the outfield ... Got her first collegiate start in left field against UNC Greensboro ... Has a hit and a run scored ... Put down a crucial sacrifice bunt against UNCG to start the game-winning inning ... Has six hits and three RBI.

Kujawa's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	3 (twice)
Runs	1 (three times)
Hits	2 vs. Hampton (3/24)
RBI	2 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Home Runs	0
2B	0
3B	0
Walks	0
Stolen Bases	0
Putouts	2 vs. Quinnipiac (3/6)
Assists	0

Courtney Liddle • #12**C • Fr. • Haymarket, Va. (Battlefield)**

A two-time prep All-American who will handle the catching duties this year ... Provides a strong bat in the lineup ... Hit a home run in each of her first two collegiate games ... Has started 32 games and is batting .238 with seven home runs, four doubles, 13 RBI and 16 runs scored ... Has thrown out six would-be base stealers ... Has drawn 15 walks.

Liddle's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	5 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Runs	2 (three times)
Hits	2 (twice)
RBI	3 vs. Chattanooga (3/5)
Home Runs	1 (seven times)
2B	1 (four times)
3B	0
Walks	2 (three times)
Stolen Bases	0
Putouts	11 vs. Jacksonville (2/13)
Assists	1 (11 times)

Richelle McGarva • #5**OF • r-Jr. (TR) • Surrey, B.C., Canada (Lord Tweedsmuir Sec./Lake City CC)**

A transfer from Lake City Community College ... Started the first five games of the 2009 season in center before suffering a lateral dislocation of her left ankle in practice on Feb. 10, 2009 ... Missed the rest of the season ... Has returned in strong fashion early on this year ... Is hitting .275 with two home runs, nine doubles, 20 RBI, 10 stolen bases and 10 runs scored ... Has also made several outstanding plays in center field.

McGarva's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	5 vs. Beth-Cook (2/13/10).....	5 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Runs	2 vs. NC A&T (3/23/10)	2 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Hits	2 (eight times)	2 (eight times)
RBI	4 vs. Beth-Cook (2/13/10).....	4 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Home Runs	1 (twice)	1 (twice)
2B	2 vs. Beth-Cook (2/13/10).....	2 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
3B	0	0
Walks	1 (seven times).....	1 (five times)
Stolen Bases	2 vs. NC A&T (3/23/10)	2 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Putouts	4 vs. Nebraska (2/28).....	4 vs. Nebraska (2/28)
Assists	1 (twice)	1 (twice)

Ella Miller • #26**3B • Fr. • Washington, Va. (Highland School)**

A walk-on who made the team in the fall ... Can play at either position on the left side of the infield ... Could also be used as a pinch runner ... Has played in 12 games thus far, scoring three runs.

Miller's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	1 vs. NC State (3/20)
Runs	1 (twice)
Hits	0
RBI	0
Home Runs	0
2B	0
3B	0
Walks	1 (three times)
Stolen Bases	0
Putouts	0
Assists	1 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)

Kenzie Roark • #14**P • Jr. • Mt. Juliet, Tenn. (Mt. Juliet)**

Threw a three-hit shutout in a win over No. 21 Florida State last year ... Is 3-13 on the season with a 3.29 ERA ... Has struck out 79 in 89.1 innings ... Also has a save ... Threw a one-hit shutout against Chattanooga ... Is 27-37 on her career with five saves, a 2.99 ERA and 307 strikeouts in 386.0 innings.

Roark's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
Innings Pitched	8.2 vs. Maine (2/21/09)	7.0 (twice)
Strikeouts	10 (twice)	10 (twice)
Runs	10 vs. Georgia Tech (3/21/09).....	8 vs. Jacksonville (2/13)
Earned Runs	8 (two times)	7 vs. Georgia Tech (4/2)
Hits	11 (two times)	7 (four times)
Wild Pitches	3 vs. Chattanooga (2/7/09).....	1 (four times)
Hit By Pitch	2 vs. Missouri (2/26).....	2 vs. Missouri (2/26)
Walks Allowed	6 (twice)	6 vs. Missouri (2/26)
Putouts	1 (eight times)	1 vs. Georgia (2/19)
Assists	6 vs. App. State (2/21/09).....	3 (twice)

Betty Rose • #15**C • Fr. • South Boston, Va. (Halifax County)**

An invited walk-on who was one of the bright spots of fall ball ... A talented player who will see action behind the plate ... Can also play in the outfield ... Has a strong arm ... Has started 13 games and played in 18 ... Hit a home run against North Carolina A&T this year.

Rose's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	3 (three times)
Runs	3 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Hits	2 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
RBI	1 (twice)
Home Runs	1 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
2B	0
3B	0
Walks	2 vs. Iowa (2/13)
Stolen Bases	0
Putouts	9 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Assists	2 vs. Missouri (2/26)

Bkaye Smith • #2**U • Fr. • Cameron, N.C. (Southern Lee)**

A feisty player who will be a spark plug at the top of the lineup ... Gives 110% all the time ... Will be a crowd favorite for her attitude and work ethic ... Is hitting .294 with 32 hits, including two doubles and a triple, 16 stolen bases and 21 runs scored.

Smith's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best/2010 Best
At Bats	6 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Runs	2 (five)
Hits	3 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
RBI	1 (four times)
Home Runs	0
2B	1 (twice)
3B	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Walks	2 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Stolen Bases	3 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Putouts	6 (twice)
Assists	3 (six times)

Amber Walker • #11**C • Sr. (TR) • Galax, Va. (Galax/Roanoke College)**

A transfer from Roanoke College who started behind the plate last year ... Has started 45 games for her career ... Had an RBI double at Virginia last year ... Drew a bases-loaded walk against Bethune-Cookman this year.

Walker's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best	2010 Best
At Bats	4 vs. NC A&T (4/23/09)	3 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Runs	1 (nine times).....	1 vs. North Carolina A&T (3/23)
Hits	2 vs. NC A&T (4/23/09)	0
RBI	2 vs. Liberty (4/16/08)	1 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Home Runs	0	0
2B	1 (four times).....	0
3B	0	0
Walks	2 (two times)	1 (three times)
Stolen Bases	0	0
Putouts	8 vs. Hampton (3/24/10).....	8 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Assists	2 (five times)	1 vs. Hampton (3/24)

Ashton Ward • #3**1B/P • Jr. (TR) • Charlotte, N.C. (Butler/Univ. of Tennessee)**

A talented pitcher who has pitched at the highest level ... Can also play first base ... Had her best game against Quinnipiac, tossing 7.0 innings, allowing one unearned run with seven strikeouts and went 4-for-4 at the plate, including the game-winning hit in the eighth inning ... Had eight strikeouts against Hampton ... Has a 32-7 collegiate record as a pitcher ... Is batting .257 with a home run, three triples and 12 RBI ... Has started five games in the circle.

Ward's Season and Career Highs

Category	Career Best (07/08 from Tenn)	2010 Best
Innings Pitched	9.0 vs. South Carolina (3/19/08)	7.0 vs. Quinnipiac (3/6)
Strikeouts	11 vs. ETSU (4/2/08).....	8 vs. Hampton (3/24)
Runs	8 (twice)	8 vs. Georgia Tech (4/2)
Earned Runs	7 (twice)	7 vs. Georgia Tech (4/2)
Hits	11 vs. Alabama (3/8/08).....	6 vs. Georgia Tech (4/2)
Wild Pitches	3 (three times)	3 vs. Quinnipiac (3/6)
Hit By Pitch	1 (three times)	0
Walks Allowed	4 vs. W. Carolina (2/19/10)	4 vs. Western Carolina (2/19)
At Bats	4 (eight times)	4 (eight times)
Runs	2 (twice)	2 (twice)
Hits	4 vs. Quinnipiac (3/6/10).....	4 vs. Quinnipiac (3/6)
RBI	3 (twice).....	3 vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/13)
Home Runs	1 vs. Beth-Cook (2/13/10).....	1 vs. Beth-Cook (2/13)
2B	1 (six times).....	1 (twice)
3B	1 (three times)	1 (three times)
Walks	2 (twice)	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (2/14)
Stolen Bases	1 (eight times).....	1 (eight times)
Putouts	8 vs. Missouri (3/26)	8 vs. Missouri (3/26)
Assists	6 vs. Auburn (3/27/10).....	6 vs. Auburn (3/27)