

2014-15
Game Notes

10 NCAA Appearances | 1 Final Four | 6 SEC Championships | 3 SEC Tournament Titles | 18 Postseason Appearances



Game 2
MISSISSIPPI STATE
Bulldogs (1-0)
vs.
Mississippi Valley State
Delta Devils (0-1)

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Series Information

Series: MSU, 4-0

Home: 4-0

Away: NA

Neutral: NA

Current Streak: MSU, +4

Last Meeting: 94-72 (11-19-13)

Series Note: First Meeting



Game Information

When: Monday, November 17, 2014

Time: 7:02 p.m.

Location: Starkville, Miss.

Arena: Humphrey Coliseum (10,500)

TV: SEC Network+ - Bart Gregory (PxP)
Matt Wyatt (Analyst)

Sirius/XM: 98/191

Mississippi State Coach: Rick Ray

MSU Record: 25-41, 3rd year

Career Record: Same

vs. MVSU: 1-0

MVSU Coach: Andre Payne

MVSU Record: 0-1, 1st year

Career Record: 239-184, 13th year

vs. MSU: First Meeting

2014-15 MSU Schedule/Results

NOVEMBER

14	WESTERN CAROLINA	W, 66-56
17	MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE	7 p.m.
22	UTAH STATE	Noon
24	CLAYTON STATE	7 p.m.
<i>Corpus Christi Coastal Challenge</i>		
28	vs. St. Louis	8:30 p.m.
29	vs. TCU/Bradley	3:30/ 6 p.m.

DECEMBER

6	at Tulane	TBA
13	at Oregon State	3 p.m.
17	ARKANSAS STATE	6 p.m.
20	vs. USC Upstate ^	3 p.m.
23	JACKSONVILLE	7 p.m.
30	McNeese State	7 p.m.

JANUARY

2	FLORIDA STATE	7 p.m.
7	TENNESSEE	8 p.m.
10	at Florida	6 p.m.
13	at Texas A&M	8 p.m.
17	VANDERBILT	3 p.m.
21	at Auburn	8 p.m.
24	GEORGIA	2 p.m.
28	at Ole Miss	8 p.m.
31	LSU	1 p.m.

FEBRUARY

3	at Tennessee	6 p.m.
7	at Arkansas	3 p.m.
10	ALABAMA	8 p.m.
14	at Missouri	3 p.m.
19	OLE MISS	8 p.m.
21	ARKANSAS	3 p.m.
25	KENTUCKY	6 p.m.
28	at South Carolina	5 p.m.

MARCH

4	at Vanderbilt	8 p.m.
7	MISSOURI	5:30 p.m.

2015 SEC Tournament

11-15 TBA + TBA

^ - Jackson, Miss (Mississippi Coliseum)
+ - Nashville (Bridgestone Arena)

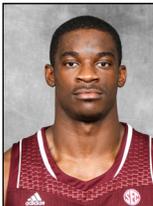
WHAT TO NOTE AS MSU PLAYS MISSISSIPPI VALLEY . . .

- ✓ Mississippi State opened its 103rd season of basketball by winning its 10th lid-lifter in the last 13 years to improve to 80-23 all-time.
- ✓ In all three season openers with Rick Ray at the helm, opponents have been held to 56 points or less.
- ✓ Five MSU players made their collegiate debuts — **Oliver Black**, **Travis Daniels**, **Fallou Ndoye**, **Demetrius Houston** and **Maurice Dunlap**.
- ✓ **Gavin Ware** collected his 10th-career double-double against Western Carolina with 14 points and 10 rebounds. He also had a double-double in last year's opener against Prairie View.
- ✓ MSU and Mississippi Valley are meeting for the fifth time, with the Bulldogs winning the previous four encounters by an average margin of 26.0 points.
- ✓ MSU is 24-3 against SWAC foes after going 2-0 a year ago against MVSU and Jackson State.
- ✓ Only 95 miles separate the Mississippi State and Mississippi Valley State campuses.
- ✓ Rarely does MSU win when opponents record more assists. But against WCU, the Bulldogs improved to 3-37 when having fewer assists under **Rick Ray**.
- ✓ Two starters from a year ago missed the game while still recovering from back surgery last month, **Craig Sword** and **I.J. Ready**. Junior college transfer **Johnny Zuppardo** is out for the year after tearing the ACL and meniscus in his left knee during pre-season camp.
- ✓ Dating back to last season, **Fred Thomas** has now scored 15 or more points four games in a row. During that stretch, he's 19-of-37 shooting with an 11-of-24 mark beyond the arc.
- ✓ The plus-12 rebound margin vs. the Catamounts was the highest since being plus-14 last January at home against Maryland Eastern Shore.
- ✓ The 37 attempted FGs vs. WCU were the fewest since 39 vs. Vanderbilt on 2-12-05.

MSU BY THE NUMBER

400 — Mississippi State collected its 400th win at Humphrey Coliseum against Western Carolina.

MISSISSIPPI STATE PROJECTED STARTING 5

G . 6-0 . 190 . Sr	G . 6-5 . 206 . Jr	F . 6-8 . 219 . Jr	F . 6-7 . 210 . Sr	F . 6-9 . 260 . Jr
3 Trivante Bloodman	Fred Thomas	23 Travis Daniels	25 Roquez Johnson	20 Gavin Ware
				
Pts.: 7.0 Rbs.: 2.0 Assts.: 6.0 Stl.: 0.0	Pts.: 15.0 Rbs.: 6.0 Assts.: 0.0 Stl.: 0.0	Pts.: 2.0 Rbs.: 1.0 Assts.: 0.0 Stl.: 1.0	Pts.: 16.0 Rbs.: 5.0 Assts.: 1.0 Stl.: 1.0	Pts.: 14.0 Rbs.: 10.0 Blks.: 3.0 Stl.: 1.0

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE PREVIEW/SERIES

2014-15 STATS	PPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%	RB	RBM	A	S	B	T	TM
Mississippi State (1-0)	66.0	45.9	44.4	75.7	39.0	+12.0	7.0	5.0	5.0	16.0	-5.0
Mississippi Valley (0-1)	65.0	34.2	26.3	47.6	26.0	-27.0	9.0	13.0	1.0	11.0	-8.0

Leaders	Scoring	Rebounds	Assists	Steals	Blocks
MSU	Johnson, 16.0	Ware, 10.0	Bloodman, 6.0	5 Players at 1.0	Ware, 3.0
MVSU	Washington, 17.0	Priar, 5.0	Corley, 3.0	Vaughn and Corley, 3.0	Williams, 1.0

Date	Opponent	Score
11-14-14	Indiana	L, 116-65

- Last Time Out For Mississippi Valley**
- ✓ Mississippi Valley lost in its debut for first-year coach Andre Payne.
 - ✓ Indiana led 54-31 at the half.
 - ✓ Valley's defense forced 19 turnovers and collected 13 steals.
 - ✓ The Hoosiers were 39-59 shooting (66.1%).
 - ✓ Jordan Washington and DeAngelo Priar totaled 17 and 11 points, respectively.
 - ✓ Valley lost the battle of the boards, 53-26.

Rick Ray vs. Mississippi Valley State
11/19/14 W, 94-72

Most Points Scored: 94
Fewest Points Scored: 94
Most Points Allowed: 72
Fewest Points Allowed: 72

2001:	MSU, 93-58	at Starkville
2007:	MSU, 82-63	at Starkville
2010:	MSU, 73-45	at Starkville
2014:	MSU, 94-72	at Starkville

LAST YEAR VS. MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics
Miss. Valley State vs Mississippi State
11-19-13 7 p.m. at Starkville, Miss. (Humphrey Coliseum)



Miss. Valley State 72 • 1-4

#	Player	Total			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min																								
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22	Ralling, Blake	f	1-5	0-1	2-2	0	3	3	2	4	0	1	0	0	13																							
23	Currington, James	f	5-6	0-0	0-1	2	1	3	4	10	0	0	0	0	16																							
01	Priar, DeAngelo	g	7-16	1-4	4-4	1	4	5	3	19	4	1	0	1	38																							
03	Marshall, Darryl	g	3-6	0-1	2-2	0	0	0	3	8	5	4	0	2	23																							
24	McDonald, Anthony	g	4-9	2-5	2-3	0	2	2	1	12	1	3	0	1	36																							
00	Vaughn, Vacha	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	5																							
02	Washington, Jordan	g	3-7	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	7	0	2	0	0	12																							
10	Fauntleroy, Thaddeus	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	5																							
11	Dobbs, Cameron	g	1-1	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	4																							
13	Henry, Cortland	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7																							
31	Francis, Julius	g	4-6	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	5	8	0	1	1	1	23																							
32	Mishtein, Ben	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	5																							
33	Hurt, Daniel	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	13																							
Team						2			0			2																										
Totals			28-59			4-12			12-14			8			19			27			21			72			18			1			7			200		

FG % 1st Half: 13-29 44.8% 2nd half: 15-30 50.0% Game: 28-59 47.5%
 3FG % 1st Half: 1-6 16.7% 2nd half: 3-6 50.0% Game: 4-12 33.3%
 FT % 1st Half: 2-3 66.7% 2nd half: 10-11 90.9% Game: 12-14 85.7%

Mississippi State 94 • 3-0

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03	Colin Borchert	f	6-13	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	2	14	4	1	2	1	31																										
20	Gavin Ware	f	8-11	0-0	7-11	3	8	11	1	23	0	1	1	0	26																										
01	Fred Thomas	g	3-9	1-3	1-1	0	1	1	2	8	1	3	0	2	27																										
04	Trivante Bloodman	g	4-5	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	8	5	1	0	4	27																										
32	Craig Sword	g	5-8	0-1	0-0	1	3	4	3	10	1	1	0	1	13																										
02	Dre Applewhite	g	2-3	0-0	5-6	3	4	7	2	9	3	3	0	1	20																										
11	Jacoby Davis	g	2-3	2-3	0-1	1	1	2	1	6	0	0	0	1	13																										
24	Tyson Cunningham	g	2-4	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	3	4	1	0	0	0	20																										
25	Roquez Johnson	g	3-11	0-1	6-8	3	2	5	2	12	2	1	0	0	23																										
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Totals			35-67			5-14			19-27			16			25			41			17			94			17			11			3			10			200		

FG % 1st Half: 20-34 58.8% 2nd half: 15-33 45.5% Game: 35-67 52.2%
 3FG % 1st Half: 1-5 20.0% 2nd half: 4-9 44.4% Game: 5-14 35.7%
 FT % 1st Half: 3-7 42.9% 2nd half: 16-20 80.0% Game: 19-27 70.4%

Officials: Lee Cassell, Chuck Jones, James Barker
 Technical fouls: Miss. Valley State-Currington, James, Mississippi State-Craig Sword.
 Attendance: 6759

	1st	2nd	Total
Miss. Valley State	29	43	72
Mississippi State	44	50	94

Overall (MSU, 4-0)	at Starkville (MSU, 4-0)
Last MSU win: 70-59 (2012-13)	Last MSU win: 70-59 (2012-13)
Last MVSU win: NA	Last MVSU win: NA
Current MSU win streak: 4	Current MSU win streak: 4
Biggest MSU win: 83-63 (2000-01)	Biggest MSU win: 83-63 (2000-01)
Biggest MVSU win: NA	Biggest MVSU win: NA
Most MSU points: 94 (2013-14)	Most MSU points: 94 (2013-14)
Most MVSU points: 72 (2013-14)	Most MVSU points: 72 (2013-14)

NEXT FOUR FOR MSU . . .

November 22	November 24	November 28	November 29
vs. Utah State Noon Starkville, MS TV: SEC Network Series: Tied, 1-1	vs. Clayton State 7 p.m. Starkville, MS TV: SEC Network Series: First Meeting	vs. St. Louis 8:30 p.m. Corpus Christi, TX TV: SEC Network Series: SLU Leads, 1-0	vs. TCU/Bradley 3:30/6 p.m. Corpus Christi, TX TV: CBS Sports Network Series: SLU Leads, 1-0

NOTES

STAFF CONSISTENCY

For the third-consecutive year, Rick Ray's staff remained intact during the offseason.

Back for their third year at Chris Hollender, George Brooks, Wes Flanigan, Adam Gordon and Adam Bauman.

ANOTHER CLEMSON CONNECTION

In his first year as a graduate assistant is Tanner Smith, a four-year player at Clemson when Rick Ray was an assistant and Adam Gordon a graduate assistant.

Smith's duties include assisting with on-court workouts, video scouting, academic monitoring and on-campus recruiting.

He comes to MSU after spending the last two years overseas playing professionally.

At Clemson, Smith appeared in 127 games where he scored 986 points, grabbed 459 rebounds, dished out 320 assists and collected 159 steals en route to playing in three different NCAA Tournaments.

MORE ASSISTS; FEWER TURNOVERS

After dishing out just 321 assists and committing 545 turnovers two years ago, MSU improved drastically in both departments a year ago.

In 2013-14, MSU had 401 assists compared to just 459 turnovers.

MAN OF STEAL

In just two seasons, Craig Sword has collected 115 steals, including the 60 he had a year ago.

He needs just 24 more to crack the Top 10 in the MSU record books. Ray White (1976-79) is record holder with 217.

1,000 Point Club

Mississippi State has two players that could join the 1,000-point club this year — Craig Sword and Gavin Ware

Sword needs just 228 more points after he totaled 437 a year ago.

Ware is now 386 points shy. Last year, he scored 330 points.

HOME LOSING SKID SNAPPED

Not only did Mississippi State open the year on a positive note, it snapped a six-game losing skid at Humphrey Coliseum.

Prior to the Bulldogs' 66-56 win against Western Carolina, their last win at the Hump came on Jan. 22, 2014, against Auburn 82-74.

400th WIN

On Dec. 1, 1975, the doors of Humphrey Coliseum officially opened with an 85-82 win against Indiana State.

Against Western Carolina on Friday, MSU collected win No. 400 with the 66-56 victory.

BULLDOGS SIGN TWO

On Wednesday, Mississippi State took advantage of the early signing period by inking Tookie Brown and Joe Strugg.

Brown is a 5-11, 170-pound guard out of Morgan County High School in Madison, Ga., while Strugg is a 6-8, 200-pound forward from G.W. Carver High School in Montgomery, Ala.

Strugg is the fourth MSU signee out of Carver in the last four years, along with Roquez Johnson, Craig Sword and Demetrius Houston.

The Bulldogs are expected to sign one more during the early signing period.

Hutton Named SEC Legend

Doug Hutton has been named the 2015 SEC Legend.

Hutton, a native of Clinton, Miss., played for the Bulldogs from 1961-64 and led MSU to the historic 1963 NCAA Tournament against Loyola-Chicago.

The All-SEC standout was voted team captain his senior year and averaged 14.8 points.

He'll be recognized at the SEC Tournament next March in Nashville.

All-Time MSU Legends

1999: Bailey Howell

2000: Jim Ashmore

2001: W.D. Stroud

2002: Jeff Malone

2003: Joe Dan Gold

2004: Greg Carter

2005: Jack Bouldin

2006: Rickey Brown

2007: Richard Williams

2008: Wiley Peck

2009: Tony Watts

2010: Kermit Davis

2011: Darryl Wilson

2012: Chuck Evans

2013: Horatio Webster

2014: Erick Dampier

2015: Doug Hutton

SEC STANDINGS & RESULTS**2013-14 SEC Standings**

	SEC	Overall
Kentucky	2-0	1.000
Alabama	1-0	1.000
Auburn	1-0	1.000
Florida	1-0	1.000
LSU	1-0	1.000
Mississippi State	1-0	1.000
South Carolina	1-0	1.000
Texas A&M	1-0	1.000
Arkansas	1-0	.000
Vanderbilt	1-0	.000
Missouri	1-1	.500
Georgia	0-1	.000
Tennessee	0-1	.000
Ole Miss	0-1	.000

As of March 8, 2014

SEC This Week**November 17 (Monday)**

Miss. Valley St. at Mississippi State, 7 p.m.

Miami at Florida, 6 p.m.

Ole Miss at Troy, 7 p.m.

Western Carolina at Alabama, 8 p.m.

November 18 (Tuesday)

Auburn at Colorado, Midnight

Baylor at South Carolina, 11 a.m.

Stony Brook at Georgia, 6 p.m.

Kentucky vs. Kansas, 8 p.m.

Texas Tech at LSU, 8:30 p.m.

November 19 (Wednesday)

Oral Roberts at Missouri, 7 p.m.

Wake Forest at Arkansas, 8 p.m.

November 20, 2014 (Thursday)

Texas A&M vs. Dayton, 9:30 a.m.

Texas Southern at Tennessee, 6 p.m.

South Carolina vs. Cornell, 6:30 p.m.

Southern at Ole Miss, 7 p.m.

Southern Miss at Alabama, 8 p.m.

Lipscomb at Vanderbilt, 8 p.m.

SEC Last Week**November 14 (Friday)**

Florida 68, William & Mary 45

VCU 85, Tennessee 69

Mississippi State 66, Western Carolina 56

Georgia Tech 80, Georgia 73

Charleston Southern 66, Ole Miss 65

South Carolina 81, North Florida 56

Kentucky 85, Grand Canyon 45

Texas A&M 109, Northwestern State 68

Alabama 82, Towson 54

UMCK 69, Missouri 61

Auburn 83, UW-Milwaukee 73

November 15 (Saturday)

LSU 93, Gardner Webb 82

November 16 (Sunday)

Kentucky 71, Buffalo 52

Vanderbilt 83, Trevecca 56

Arkansas 97, Alabama State 79

Missouri 56, Valparaiso 41

2014-15 MISSISSIPPI STATE NOTES

500 CLUB IN REACH

■ Following a 10-rebound performance against Western Carolina on Friday, junior forward Gavin Ware now needs just 48 more to reach 500 for his career.

In the scoring category, he's now just 386 points shy of 1,000.

ALABAMA FLAVOR

■ A quick glance at Mississippi State's roster reveals one very strong common thread — the state of Alabama.

Player wise, the roster features five players from Alabama — Travis Daniels, Demetrius Houston, Roquez Johnson, Craig Sword and De'Runnya Wilson.

In addition, the coaching staff has two ties in Wes Flanigan and George Brooks.

Flanigan was an All-SEC standout at Auburn from 1993-97, while Brooks is a native of Lafayette, Ala.

5 SEE FIRST ACTION

■ Five Mississippi State players saw their first action as a Bulldog against Western Carolina — Oliver Black, Travis Daniels, Maurice Dunlap, Demetrius Houston and Fallou Ndoye.

That total tied for the second most in the SEC with Tennessee, while Texas A&M had the most with seven.

2014-15 MISSISSIPPI STATE PLAYER BREAKDOWN

0		Maurice Dunlap ● Fr ● G ● 6-2 ● 175 ● Greenwood, MS	Notes: Made MSU debut vs. WCU and finished with 6 points on 2 3-pointers.														
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1		Fred Thomas ● Jr ● F ● 6-5 ● 206 ● Jackson, MS	Notes: Considered MSU's best defensive player. Totaled 15 points vs. WCU. In last four games dating back to last year, is 19-of-37 shooting.														
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2		Demetrious Houston ● Fr ● F ● 6-7 ● 210 ● Montgomery, AL	Notes: Made MSU debut vs. WCU and totaled 3 points and 7 rebounds.														
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15		I.J. Ready ● So ● G ● 5-11 ● 170 ● North Little Rock, AR	Last Game: Missed all of preseason after having surgery to repair a bulging disk. Is expected to return in mid-December. As a freshman, totaled 153 points, dished out 69 assists and collected 32 steals. Appeared in 26 games and drew 21 starts.														
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22		Fallou Ndoye ● Fr ● F ● 6-11 ● 222 ● Taif, Senegal	Notes: Made MSU debut vs. WCU and totaled 2 points, 3 rebounds to go along with his 1 steal.														
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FR | G | 6-2 | 175
Greenwood, MS



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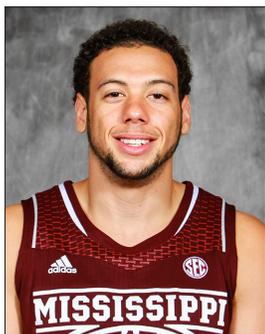
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SR | G | 6-2 | 214
Brandon, MS



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Memphis, TN



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SO | F | 6-5 | 225
Birmingham, AL



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Marietta, GA



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Rick Ray
Head Coach
3rd Year



George Brooks
Assistant Coach
5th Year



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Chris Hollender
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MISSISSIPPI STATE ROSTER/MEDIA INFORMATION

2014-15 MISSISSIPPI STATE ROSTER

Media Information

Credentials

◆Media members may obtain both season credentials and game-by-game passes by contacting Gregg Ellis at 662.325.3595.

Radio Network

◆Bulldog fans can catch all of MSU's games on the radio with the veteran broadcast talent of Jim Ellis (play-by-play), along with Richard Williams serving as the color analyst.

There will also be a 30-minute pregame show featuring third-year coach Rick Ray along with a post-game show as well.

Rick Ray Show

◆"Mississippi State Basketball with Rick Ray" returns for its third year. The 30-minute television program features MSU coach Rick Ray and his 2014-15 squad.

Hosted by veteran sportscaster Jim Ellis, the weekly show will detail game highlights, player interviews, scouting reports on upcoming opponents and courtside profiles showcasing interesting aspects of the MSU basketball program.

Under the direction of producer/director Derek Cody and Drew Walker, the 30-minute television program is a production of the Bulldog Sports Network in conjunction with the Mississippi State University Television Center. The first show airs in January.

SEC Teleconference

◆The SEC's weekly teleconference is every Monday and will be coordinated through the SEC media relations office. To participate, contact Craig Pinkerton of the SEC at 205-458-3038. Rick Ray is scheduled for 11:17 a.m. CT.

Social Networking

◆Media and Bulldog fans can follow MSU tweets this year at both @msusportsgregg and @HailStateMBK, in addition to @RickRay1.

On Instagram, media and fans can follow the account @HailStateMBK.

You can also follow MSU online at hailstate.com.

Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown
0	Maurice Dunlap	G	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Greenwood, MS (Amanda Elzy HS)
1	Fred Thomas	G	6-5	206	Jr.	2L	Jackson, MS (Jim Hill HS)
2	Demetrius Houston	F	6-7	210	Fr.	HS	Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS)
3	Trivante Bloodman	G	6-0	190	Sr.	2L	Bronx, NY (Olney Central College)
4	Johnny Zuppardo	F	6-9	235	Jr.	JC	Bay St. Louis, MS (Jones Junior College)
5	Isaiah Butler	G	6-2	214	Sr.	HS	Brandon, MS (Brandon HS)
10	Jeffery Johnson	G	6-2	172	Sr.	HS	Memphis, TN (Germantown HS)
12	De'Runnya Wilson	F	6-5	225	So.	1L	Birmingham, AL (Wenonah HS)
14	Elijah Staley	G	6-6	235	Fr.	HS	Marietta, GA (Wheeler HS)
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HEAD COACH:

Rick Ray (Grand View College [IA], 1994; 3rd year)

ASSISTANTS:

Wes Flanigan (Auburn, 1997; 3rd year)

Chris Hollender (Evansville, 1998; 3rd year)

George Brooks (Mississippi State, 1997; 5th year)

OPERATIONS:

Adam Gordon

GRADUATE ASSISTANT COACH:

Tanner Smith

VIDEO:

Adam Bauman

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING:

Richard Akins

TRAINER:

Ryan Dotson

Pronunciation Guide

TRIVANTE BLOODMAN: TRA-VON-TAY
FALLOU NDOYE: FA-LOU N-DOY-A
DE'RUNNYA WILSON: D-RUN-YA
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ROQUEZ JOHNSON: RAW-QUEZ

MISSISSIPPI STATE BASKETBALL

GAME 2: MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: _____ Starkville, Mississippi
 Founded: _____ February 28, 1878
 Enrollment: _____ 20,424
 Conference: _____ SEC
 Nickname: _____ Bulldogs
 Colors: _____ Maroon (PMS 202) & White
 Arena: _____ Humphrey Coliseum (10,500)
 President: _____ Dr. Mark E. Keenum
 Director of Athletics: _____ Scott Stricklin
 Faculty Representative: _____ Dr. Steven C. Turner
 Web Site: _____ www.hailstate.com
 Twitter: _____ @HailStateMBK

BASKETBALL HISTORY

First Year of Basketball: _____ 1908-09
 Number of Seasons: _____ 103
 All-Time Record: _____ 1,335-1,123
 All-Time SEC Record: _____ 558-726
 Total Number of Head Coaches: _____ 19
 Humphrey Coliseum Record: _____ 400-157
 20-Win Seasons: _____ 17
 NCAA Tournament Appearances: _____ 10
 NCAA Tournament Record: _____ 11-10
 NCAA Tournament Final Fours: _____ 1
 (1996, lost to Syracuse 77-69 in semis)
 NIT Appearances: _____ 8
 NIT Record: _____ 7-8
 NIT Final Fours: _____ 1
 (2007, lost 63-62 to West Virginia in semis)
 SEC Championships: _____ 6
 (2004, 1991, 1963, 1962, 1961, 1959)
 SEC Tournament Championships: _____ 3
 (2009, 2002 and 1996)
 SEC Tournament Record: _____ 28-50
 SEC Western Division Titles: _____ 7
 (2010, 2008, 2007, 2004, 2003, 1996, 1995)

BASKETBALL STAFF

Head Coach: _____ Rick Ray
 Alma Mater, Year: _____ Grand View College, 1994
 Record at MSU/Years: _____ 25-41
 Career Record/Years: _____ Same
 Phone: _____ 662-325-3800
 Assistant Coach: _____ Wes Flanigan
 Assistant Coach: _____ Chris Hollender
 Assistant Coach: _____ George Brooks
 Director of Operations: _____ Adam Gordon
 Video Coordinator: _____ Adam Bauman
 Strength Coach: _____ Richard Akins
 Athletic Trainer: _____ Ryan Dotson
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TEAM INFORMATION

2013-14 Overall Record _____ 14-19
 2013-14 SEC Record _____ 3-15
 SEC Finish: _____ 14th
 National Ranking: _____ n/a
 Starters Returning/Lost: _____ 5/0
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: _____ 7/4
 Newcomers: _____ 9
 Roster (Sr./Jr./So./Fr.): _____ (4/5/2/5)

MSU KNOWS HOW TO WIN GAMES AT 'THE HUMP'

Over the course of the last decade, Mississippi State's Humphrey Coliseum has become a difficult venue for opposing teams. Last year, MSU was 11-6, including an 8-1 mark against non-conference foes. This year, MSU is 1-0

The Bulldogs have compiled a 38-season composite record of 400-157 (.718) at "The Hump" since Mississippi State's basketball facility opened prior to the 1975-76 campaign.

TRACKING MSU'S HOME SUCCESS UNDER RICK RAY

Season	Overall		SEC		Non-SEC	
	Record	Win %	Record	Win %	Record	Win %
2012-13	7-7	.500	3-6	.333	4-1	.800
2013-14	11-6	.47	3-5	.375	8-1	.889
2014-15	1-0	1.000			1-0	1.000
Totals	19-13	.594	6-11	.353	13-2	.867

A LOOK AT THE HISTORY OF HUMPHREY COLISEUM



LARGEST CROWDS AT THE HUMP

Crowd	Opponent	Date
10,788	Kentucky	2-16-10
10,735	Ole Miss	2-7-04
10,645	Ole Miss	2-23-02
10,541	Florida	1-7-03
10,458	Auburn	3-2-04
10,437	Alabama	2-21-04
10,432	Alabama	3-5-05
10,432	Kentucky	1-13-04
10,429	Ole Miss	2-15-03
10,421	Ole Miss	1-26-08
10,412	Ole Miss	1-13-09
10,364	Ole Miss	2-9-12
10,338	Florida	1-24-07
10,315	Kentucky	1-9-96

INDIVIDUAL MSU RECORDS AT THE HUMP

Most Points Scored
 40, Rickey Brown (Auburn, 3-7-77)

Most Rebounds
 24, Wiley Peck (Alabama, 1-27-79)

Most Assists
 15, Al Perry (Vanderbilt, 1-29-77)

TEAM MSU RECORDS AT THE HUMP

Most Points Scored
 123, Troy State (12-5-95)

Most Rebounds
 75, Mississippi Valley St. (11-21-00)

Most Consecutive Wins
 14, 1-22-03 to 1-10-04

MSU COACH RICK RAY

Head Coach Rick Ray



- On April 1, 2012, Rick Ray was named the 19th head coach in Mississippi State history.
- In his first season at MSU, produced two players to the SEC All-Freshman team — Gavin Ware and Craig Sword.
- Entering his third season, he is 25-41 in the rebuilding process.
- On the staff of three different teams that have advanced to the NCAA Tournament — Indiana State, Purdue and Clemson.
- As an assistant at Clemson for two years, the Tigers won 38 games and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament in 2011.
- During his time at Purdue as an assistant, the Boilermakers won 103 games in four years.
- All four teams at Purdue earned a berth in the NCAA Tournament, with the last two advancing to the Sweet 16.
- The 2009 Purdue team won 28 games and the Big 10 Tournament en route to garnering a No. 5 seed.
- The 2007 Purdue recruiting was considered one of the tops in the country, earning national rankings of No. 5 and No. 6 by Scout and Rivals, respectively.
- Ray was an assistant at Indiana State for seven years.
- In 2000 and 2001, the Sycamores won 20-plus games and made the NCAA Tournament.
- In 2000, ISU won the Missouri Valley Conference regular-season title with a 14-4 ledger.
- In 2001, Indiana State won the MVC Tournament before upsetting Oklahoma in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.
- Ray also spent two seasons at Northern Illinois (2005 and 2006), while his first coaching job was at Nebraska-Omaha.
- Ray and his wife, Breyana, have two sons, Deacon and Mason, and one daughter, Katriece.

Rick Ray Year-By-Year

2012-13	Result/Score
N. 9 at Troy	L, 56-53
N. 13 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	W, 78-58
N. 19 North Carolina	L, 95-49
N. 20 Marquette	L, 89-62
N. 21 Texas	L, 69-55
N. 27 ALCORN STATE	W, 60-52
D. 1 at Providence	L, 73-63
D. 4 TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO	W, 53-42
D. 15 at Loyola Chicago	L, 59-51
D. 22 Central Arkansas (Jackson, MS)	W, 79-72
D. 30 ALABAMA A&M	L, 59-57
J. 3 NEW ORLEANS	W, 97-46
J. 9 SOUTH CAROLINA	W, 56-54
J. 12 +at Georgia	W, 72-61
J. 16 +ALABAMA	L, 75-43
J. 19 +at Tennessee	L, 72-57
J. 23 +at Arkansas	L, 96-70
J. 26 +FLORIDA	L, 82-47
J. 30 +TEXAS A&M	OT L, 55-49
F. 2 +LSU	L, 69-68
F. 6 +at Ole Miss	L, 93-75
F. 9 +at Florida	L, 83-58
F. 13 +MISSOURI	L, 78-36
F. 16 +at LSU	L, 80-68
F. 20 +at Alabama	L, 64-56
F. 23 +VANDERBILT	L, 72-31
F. 27 +at Kentucky	L, 85-55
M. 2 +OLE MISS	W, 73-67
M. 6 +at South Carolina	L, 79-72
M. 9 +AUBURN	OT W, 74-71
M. 13 South Carolina*	W, 70-59
M. 14 Tennessee*	L, 69-53
2013-14	Result/Score
N. 8 PRAIRIE VIEW	W, 71-56
N. 14 KENNESAW STATE	W, 78-55
N. 19 MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE	W, 94-72
N. 23 at Utah State	L, 87-68
N. 27 JACKSON STATE	W, 58-56
D. 1 LOYOLA CHICAGO	OT W, 65-64
D. 5 TCU	L, 71-61
D. 13 SE Louisiana (Jackson, Miss.)	W, 68-62
D. 17 FLORIDA A&M	W, 78-65
D. 19 FLORIDA GULF COAST	W, 66-53
D. 22 South Florida (Las Vegas)	W, 71-66
D. 23 UNLV (Las Vegas)	L, 82-66
J. 2 MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE	W, 77-63
J. 8 +at Kentucky	L, 85-63
J. 11 +OLE MISS	W, 76-72
J. 15 +at Alabama	L, 80-61
J. 18 +TEXAS A&M	OT W, 81-72
J. 22 +AUBURN	W, 82-74
J. 25 +at Ole Miss	L, 82-63
J. 30 +FLORIDA	L, 62-51
F. 1 +at Vanderbilt	L, 55-49
F. 5 +at Texas A&M	L, 72-52
F. 8 +KENTUCKY	L, 69-59
F. 12 +GEORGIA	L, 75-55
F. 15 +at Auburn	L, 92-82
F. 19 +at LSU	L, 92-81
F. 22 +ARKANSAS	L, 73-69
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M. 5 +at Georgia	L, 66-45
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2014-15	Result/Score
N. 14 Western Carolina	W, 66-56

+ - SEC Game
* - SEC Tournament

MSU Under Rick Ray

	2014-15	Total
Leads at Halftime	1-0	20-5
Trails at Halftime		2-35
Is Tied at Halftime		3-1
Shoots 45% or better from the field	1-0	16-6
Shoots less than 45% from the field		9-35
Opp. shoots less than 45% from the field	1-0	20-13
Opp. shoots 45% or better from the field		5-29
Outbounds (or ties) the opponent	1-0	15-9
Outbounded by the opponent		10-32
More assists than opponent		22-4
Fewer assists than opponent	1-0	3-37
Fewer (or ties) TOs than opponent		16-15
More TOs than opponent	1-0	9-26
Holds opponents to 65 points or less	1-0	16-7
In games decided by 10 points or less	1-0	12-14
All Games	1-0	25-41
Home Games	1-0	19-14
Road Games		1-21
Neutral-sites		5-6
Non-SEC Games	1-0	16-10
Non-SEC Home Games	1-0	13-2
Non-SEC Road Games		0-4
Non-SEC Neutral-site Games		3-4
SEC Games		7-29
SEC Home Games		6-12
SEC Road Games		1-17
SEC Tournament		2-2
November Games	1-0	7-5
December Games		6-5
January Games		7-9
February Games		0-16
March Games		4-6
Monday Games		0-2
Tuesday Games		5-1
Wednesday Games		5-16
Thursday Games		4-4
Friday Games	1-0	3-1
Saturday Games		6-15
Sunday Games		2-1
Overtime Games		3-1
Television Games	1-0	12-38
Games vs. Ranked Opponents		0-7

Rick Ray vs. All Opponents

Alabama	0-3
Alabama A&M	0-1
Alcorn State	1-0
Arkansas	0-2
Auburn	2-1
Central Arkansas	1-0
Florida	0-3
Florida Atlantic	1-0
Florida A&M	1-0
Florida Gulf Coast	1-0
Georgia	1-2
Jackson State	1-0
Kennesaw State	1-0
Kentucky	0-3
Loyola Chicago	1-1
LSU	0-3
Marquette	0-1
Maryland Eastern Shore	1-0
Mississippi Valley State	1-0
Missouri	0-2
New Orleans	1-0
North Carolina	0-1
Ole Miss	2-3
Prairie View A&M	1-0
Providence	0-1
South Carolina	2-2
South Florida	1-0
Southeastern Louisiana	1-0
TCU	0-1
Tennessee	0-3
Texas	0-1
Troy	0-1
Texas A&M	1-2
Texas-San Antonio	1-0
UNLV	0-1
Utah State	0-1
Vanderbilt	1-2
Western Carolina	1-0
TOTAL:	25-41

MISSISSIPPI STATE BY THE NUMBERS

GAME-BY-GAME SPECIALTY STATS (MSU First)

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Bench</u>	<u>Paint</u>	<u>Off TO</u>	<u>2nd Chance</u>	<u>Fast Break</u>
Western Carolina	12/5	16/16	15/15	7/16	0/4
Mississippi Valley St.					
Utah State					
Clayton State					
St. Louis					
Bradley/TCU					
Tulane					
Oregon State					
Arkansas State					
USC Upstate					
Jacksonville					
McNeese State					
Florida State					
Tennessee					
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Texas A&M					
Vanderbilt					
Auburn					
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LSU					
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Missouri					
Ole Miss					
Arkansas					
Kentucky					
South Carolina					
Vanderbilt					
Missouri					

GAME-BY-GAME LEAD/DEFICIT

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Largest Lead</u>	<u>Largest Deficit</u>	<u>Final Score</u>
Western Carolina	12 (59-47, 2nd)	6 (10-16, 1st)	W, 66-56
Mississippi Valley St.			
Utah State			
Clayton State			
St. Louis			
Bradley/TCU			
Tulane			
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Vanderbilt			
Missouri			

Mississippi State Scoring By The Half

<u>Team</u>	<u>1st Half</u>	<u>2nd Half</u>
Western Carolina	31	35
Mississippi Valley State		
Utah State		
Clayton State		
St. Louis		
TCU/Bradley		
Tulane		
Oregon State		
Arkansas State		
USC Upstate		
Jacksonville		
McNeese State		
Florida State		
Tennessee		
Florida		
Texas A&M		
Vanderbilt		
Auburn		
Georgia		
Ole Miss		
LSU		
Tennessee		
Arkansas		
Alabama		
Missouri		
Ole Miss		
Arkansas		
Kentucky		
South Carolina		
Vanderbilt		
Missouri		

Lowest First Half: 31, Western Carolina
 Highest First Half: 31, Western Carolina
 Lowest Second Half: 35, Western Carolina
 Highest Second Half: 35, Western Carolins

Opponent Scoring By The Half

<u>Team</u>	<u>1st Half</u>	<u>2nd Half</u>
Western Carolina	30	26
Mississippi Valley State		
Utah State		
Clayton State		
St. Louis		
TCU/Bradley		
Tulane		
Oregon State		
Arkansas State		
USC Upstate		
Jacksonville		
McNeese State		
Florida State		
Tennessee		
Florida		
Texas A&M		
Vanderbilt		
Auburn		
Georgia		
Ole Miss		
LSU		
Tennessee		
Arkansas		
Alabama		
Missouri		
Ole Miss		
Arkansas		
Kentucky		
South Carolina		
Vanderbilt		
Missouri		

Lowest First Half: 30, Western Carolina
 Highest First Half: 30, Western Carolina
 Lowest Second Half: 26, Western Carolina
 Highest Second Half: 26, Western Carolins

MISSISSIPPI STATE BY THE NUMBERS

MSU'S 2014-15 RECORD WHEN . . .

Leads at Halftime	1-0
Trails at Halftime	
Is Tied at Halftime	
Shoots 45% or better from the field	1-0
Shoots less than 45% from the field	
Opp. shoots less than 45% from the field	1-0
Opp. shoots 45% or better from the field	
Outrebounds (or ties) the opponent	1-0
Outrebounded by the opponent	
More Assists than the opponent	
Fewer Assists than the opponent	1-0
Fewer (or ties) TOs than opponent	
More TOs than opponent	1-0
Holds opponents to 65 points or less	1-0
In games decided by 10 points or less	1-0

MSU'S 2013-14 RECORD IN . . .

All Games	1-0
Home Games	1-0
Road Games	
Neutral-sites	
Non-SEC Games	1-0
Non-SEC Home Games	1-0
Non-SEC Road Games	
Non-SEC Neutral-site Games	
SEC Games	
SEC Home Games	
SEC Road Games	
SEC Tournament	
November Games	1-0
December Games	
January Games	
February Games	
March Games	
Monday Games	
Tuesday Games	
Wednesday Games	
Thursday Games	
Friday Games	1-0
Saturday Games	
Sunday Games	
Overtime Games	
Television Games	1-0
Games vs. Ranked Opponents	

MISC. 2014-15 TEAM STATS

Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss:

Largest Deficit Overcome in Win:
6, Western Carolina (11-14-14)

Largest Lead at Anytime:

Largest Deficit Anytime:

MISCELLANEOUS MSU INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

- Games Scoring in Double Figures: Gavin Ware, Fred Thomas, Roquez Johnson
- Games Scoring 20-plus Points:
- Games Scoring 30-plus Points:
- Games Rebounding in Double Figures: Ware
- Games With Double Figures in Assists:
- Games With Double-Doubles: Ware
- Games With Triple-Doubles:
- Games As Team High Scorer (or co-leader): Johnson
- Games As Team High Rebounder (or co-leader): Ware
- Games As Team Leader in Assists (or co-leader): Bloodman
- Games As Team Leader in Steals (or co-leader): Ware, Johnson, Bloodman, Ndoye, Black
- Games As Team Leader in Blocks (or co-leader): Ware
- Games As Team Leader in Turnovers (or co-leader): Johnson, Thomas, Bloodman

MSU'S RECORD BY STARTING LINEUP

Bloodman, Thomas, Daniels, Ware, Johnson 1-0

GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Opponent	Date	Guard	Guard	Guard	Forward	Foward	Record
Western Carolina	11-14-14	Bloodman	Thomas	Daniels	Ware	Johnson	1-0
Miss. Valley State	11-17-14						
Utah State	11-22-14						
Clayton State	11-24-14						
St. Louis	11/28/14						
TCU/Bradley	11/29/14						
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Tulane	12-06-14						
Oregon State	12-13-14						
Arkansas State	12-17-14						
USC Upstate	12-20-14						
Jacksonville	12-23-14						
McNeese State	12-30-14						
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Florida State	01-02-15						
Tennessee	01-07-15						
Florida	01-10-15						
Texas A&M	01-13-15						
Vanderbilt	01-17-15						
Auburn	01-21-15						
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Georgia	01-24-15						
Ole Miss	01-28-15						
LSU	01-31-15						
Tennessee	02-03-15						
Arkansas	02-07-15						
Alabama	02-10-15						
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Missouri	02-14-15						
Ole Miss	02-19-15						
Arkansas	02-21-15						
Kentucky	02-25-15						
South Carolina	02-28-15						
Vanderbilt	03-04-15						
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Missouri	03-07-15						

2013-14 Win-Loss Differential

Diff.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25+
Won										1															
Lost																									

MISSISSIPPI STATE BY THE NUMBERS

Mississippi State In Overtime Games

This Season	0-0
Overall Overtime Record	60-49
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	34-21
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	18-20
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	8-8
Humphrey Coliseum Overtime Record	25-16
SEC Tournament Overtime Record	2-5
Double Overtime Record	6-5
Four Overtime Record	0-2
Postseason Overtime Record	1-0
Last OT Played (10T)	vs. Texas A&M (W, 81-72, 1/18/14)
Last Double OT	vs. UMass (L, 101-96, 3/13/12)
Last Triple OT	vs. Alabama (L, 79-78, 2/27/71)
Last Four OT	vs. Ole Miss (W, 104-102, 1/24/90)

Mississippi State Coaches In Overtime Games

Babe McCarthy	6-5
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	2-2
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	2-2
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	2-1
Joe Dan Gold	5-3
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	3-3
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	1-0
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	1-0
Kermit Davis	8-6
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	5-3
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	3-3
Ron Greene	2-0
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	2-0
Jim Hatfield	3-3
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	3-2
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	0-1
Bob Boyd	3-4
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	2-1
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	1-2
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	0-1
Richard Williams	15-11
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	7-3
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	5-5
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	3-3
Rick Stansbury	15-16
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	7-6
<i>Road Overtime Record</i>	6-7
<i>Neutral Site Overtime Record</i>	2-3
Rick Ray	3-1
<i>Home Overtime Record</i>	3-1

OVERTIME FOES

TEAM	RECORD	TEAM	RECORD
Alabama	6-6	Morehead State	1-0
Alaska-Fairbanks	1-0	Northeastern Louisiana	0-1
Arkansas	2-1	Northwestern State	0-1
Auburn	6-4	Oklahoma	1-0
Baylor	1-0	Ole Miss	6-3
BYU	0-1	Old Dominion	0-1
California	0-1	San Diego	0-1
Drake	1-0	Santa Clara	2-0
Florida	0-3	Southern Mississippi	1-0
Florida State	1-0	Southwestern Louisiana	1-0
Georgia	3-3	South Alabama	1-0
Georgia Tech	1-0	South Carolina	3-0
Houston	0-1	Tennessee	6-2
Idaho	0-1	Texas	1-0
Kentucky	4-5	Texas A&M	1-1
Loyola	1-0	Troy	2-0
LSU	3-4	Tulane	0-1
Memphis State	1-0	UAB	0-1
Missouri-Kansas City	0-1	UMass	0-1
Montana	1-0	Vanderbilt	2-5

MSU Season and Career Totals

	2014-15	Career
Double-Figure Scoring		
Gavin Ware	1 (1-0)	27 (12-15)
Trivante Bloodman		14 (4-10)
Roquez Johnson	1 (1-0)	31 (17-14)
Craig Sword		37 (18-19)
Fred Thomas	1 (1-0)	26 (12-14)
I.J. Ready		6 (3-3)
20-Plus Point Games		
Gavin Ware		4 (4-0)
Craig Sword		6 (3-3)
Colin Borchert		4 (3-1)
Fred Thomas		1 (1-0)
Roquez Johnson		2 (2-0)
30-Plus Point Games		
Craig Sword		1 (0-1)
10-Plus Rebound Games		
Gavin Ware	1 (1-0)	12 (9-3)
Roquez Johnson		1 (1-0)
Double-Doubles		
Gavin Ware	1 (1-0)	10 (7-3)
Roquez Johnson		1 (1-0)
3-Plus 3-Point Games		
Fred Thomas		10 (5-5)
I.J. Ready		2 (0-2)
10-Plus 3-Point Attempt Games		
Thomas		1 (0-1)
3-Plus Steal Games		
I.J. Ready		6 (3-3)
Fred Thomas		11 (7-4)
Craig Sword		14 (6-8)
Roquez Johnson		1 (0-1)
Trivante Bloodman		4 (2-2)
Gavin Ware		1 (1-0)
5-Plus Block Games		
Ware		1 (0-1)
5-Plus Made Free Throws		
Trivante Bloodman	1 (1-0)	13 (8-5)
Roquez Johnson	1 (1-0)	15 (9-6)
Craig Sword		13 (8-5)
Fred Thomas	1 (1-0)	6 (3-3)
Gavin Ware	1 (1-0)	7 (4-3)

Note: Record in games in ()

THE LAST TIME . . .

THE LAST TIME AN MSU PLAYER ...

Scored 30 or more points in a game:
32, Ravern Johnson vs. Tenn. St. (11-12-10)

Scored 33 or more points in a game:
33, Craig Sword at LSU (2-19-14)

Scored 34 or more points in a game:
34, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)

Scored 35 or more points in a game:
36, Jeff Malone at Ole Miss (2-19-83)

Scored 37 or more points in a game:
39, Jeff Malone vs. Alabama (1-31-83)

Scored 40 or more points in a game:
40, Rickey Brown vs. Auburn (3-7-77)

Scored 20+ points in back-to-back games:
Craig Sword (24 vs. Loyola 12-01-13;
24 vs. TCU (12-05-13)

Scored 20+ points in three-consecutive games:
Craig Sword (24 vs. Loyola, 12-01-13; 24 vs.
TCU, 12-05-13; 22 vs. SELA, 12-13-13)

Scored 20+ points in five-consecutive games:
Jeff Malone, 1982-83 (11 consecutive)

Scored 30+ points in back-to-back games:
Jeff Malone (36 at Ole Miss & 30 vs.
Georgia, 1982-83)

Scored 30+ points in three-consecutive games:
Jeff Malone (33 at LSU; 36 at Ole Miss &
30 vs. Georgia, 1982-83)

Made 10 field goals in a game:
10, Gavin Ware vs. Maryland ES (1-2-14)

Made 11 field goals in a game:
11, Craig Sword at LSU (2-19-14)

Made 12 field goals in a game:
12, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)

Made 13 field goals in a game:
13, Horatio Webster vs. SW Missouri St.
(11-23-97)

Made 14 field goals in a game:
14, Cameron Burns at Georgia (1-17-90)

Made 15 or more field goals in a game:
16, Raymond Brown vs. Florida (3-2-85)

Attempted 20 field goals in a game:
20, Ravern Johnson vs. St. Mary's (12-29-10)

Attempted 21 or more field goals in a game:
21, Dee Bost vs. Kentucky (2-16-10)

Attempted 23 or more field goals in a game:
23, Arnett Moultrie vs. UMass (3-13-12)

Attempted 25 field goals in a game:
25, Chuck Evans at Alabama (3-6-93)

Attempted 26 field goals in a game:
26, Tony Watts at Ole Miss (2-22-92)

Attempted 27 or more field goals in a game:
28, Jeff Malone vs. Vanderbilt (1-8-83)

Made six 3-pointers in a game:
6, Dee Bost vs. Old Dominion (11-28-09)

Made seven 3-pointers in a game:
7, Dee Bost vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Made eight or more 3-pointers in a game:
8, Winsome Frazier vs. UMKC (11-23-04)

Attempted 11 3-pointers in a game:
11, Dee Bost vs. Detroit (12-17-11)

Attempted 12 3-pointers in a game:
12, Ravern Johnson vs. ETSU (12-11-10)

Attempted 13 or more 3-pointers in a game:
13, Dee Bost vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Attempted 16 or more 3-pointers in a game:
17, Darryl Wilson vs. Alabama (3-4-95)

Made 14 or more free throws in a game:
14, Trivante Bloodman vs. Auuburn (2-15-14)

Made 15 or more free throws in a game:
15, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)

Attempted 17 free throws in a game:
17, Jarvis Varnado at Houston (12-19-09)

Attempted 18 free throws in a game:
18, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)

Attempted 19 free throws in a game:
19, Carl Nichols vs. SE La. (12-1-88)

Had 16 rebounds in a game:
16, Gavin Ware vs. Maryland ES (1-2-14)

Had 17 rebounds in a game:
17, Jarvis Varnado at San Diego (12-31-09)

Had 18 or more rebounds in a game:
21, Wesley Morgan vs. SE La. (11-28-05)

Had 22 or more rebounds in a game:
23, Rickey Brown vs. Vanderbilt (12-6-79)

Had 24 or more rebounds in a game:
24, Wiley Peck vs. Alabama (1-27-79)

Had 10 or more offensive rebounds in a game:
11, Arnett Moultrie vs. Northwestern State
(12-22-11)

Had 10 or more defensive rebounds in a game:
11, Gavin Ware vs. Maryland ES (1-2-14)

Had 13 or more defensive rebounds in a game:
13, Colin Borchert (3-9-13)

Had 15 or more defensive rebounds in a game:
15, Jarvis Varnado at San Diego (12-31-09)

Had 10 assists in a game:
10, Dee Bost vs. LSU (1-25-11)

Had 11 assists in a game:
11, Dee Bost vs. Vanderbilt (3-11-11)

Had 13 assists in a game:
13, Dee Bost vs. Ole Miss (2-9-12)

Had 14 assists in a game:
14, Gary Ervin vs. Florida A&M (12-20-04)

Had 15 or more assists in a game:
16, Chuck Evans at UMKC (2-23-93)

Had 10 or more turnovers in a game:
10, Charles Rhodes vs. Nicholls (11-11-06)

Had five or more blocks in a game:
5, Gavin Ware at Loyola (12-15-12)

Had seven blocks in a game:
7, Jarvis Varnado at LSU (2-20-10)

Had eight blocks in a game:
8, Jarvis Varnado vs. Alabama (2-24-10)

Had nine blocks in a game:
9, Jarvis Varnado at Vanderbilt (2-3-10)

Had 10 blocks in a game:
10, Jarvis Varnado vs. Arkansas (1-14-10)

Had 10+ blocks in two consecutive games:
Jarvis Varnado (10 vs. Georgia & 10 vs.
Kentucky, 2007-08)

Had five steals in a game:
5, I.J. Ready vs. Florida Gulf Coast (12-19-13)

Had six or more steals in a game:
7, Craig Sword vs. Ole Miss (1-11-14)

LAST TIME AN MSU TEAM...

Scored 100 or more points:
106 vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Scored 100 or more points in an SEC game:
105 vs. Auburn (3-2-04)

Allowed 100 or more points in an SEC game:
115 at Arkansas (2-20-93)

Allowed 100 or more points in non-SEC play:
101 vs. UMass (3-13-12)

Was held to 52 points or less:
52 at Texas A&M (2-5-14)

Was held to 50 points:
50 vs. Alabama (2-25-12)

Was held to 49 points or less:
49 vs. Vanderbilt (2-1-14)

Was held to 45 points or less:
45 at Georgia (3-5-14)

Was held to 40 points or less:
36 vs. Missouri (2-13-13)

Was held to 35 points or less:
31 vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Held opponent to 59 points or less:
59 vs. South Carolina - SECT (3-13-13)

Held opponent to 56 points or less:
56 vs. Western Carolina (11-14-14)

Held opponent to 55 points or less:
55 vs. Vanderbilt (2-1-14)

Held opponent to 50 points or less:
46 vs. New Orleans (1-3-13)

Held opponent to 45 points or less:
45 vs. MVSU (12-28-09)

Held opponent to 42 points or less:
42 vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Held opponent to 39 points or less:
39 at LSU (1-9-08)

Shot 50 percent or better from the field:
.500 [26-52] at LSU (2-19-14)

Shot 55 percent or better from the field:
.565 [35-62] vs. New Orleans (1-3-13)

Shot 60 percent or better from the field:
.604 [29-48] vs. Auburn (2-4-12)

Shot 65 percent or better from the field:
.660 [35-53] vs. Western Kentucky (1-5-09)

Was held to less than 35 percent from the field:
.340 [17-50] at Georgia (3-5-14)

Was held to less than 30 percent from the field:
.283 [17-60] vs. North Carolina (11-19-12)

Was held to less than 25 percent from the field:
.175 [7-40] vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Held opp. to 35 percent or less from the field:
.343 [25-73] vs. Florida A&M (12-17-13)

Held opp. to 30 percent or less from the field:
.273 [15-55] vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Opponent shot 50 percent or better:
.623 [33-53] at Missouri (3-1-14)

Made 35 or more field goals:
35 vs. Mississippi Valley State (11-19-13)

Made 40 or more field goals:
40 vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Attempted 70 or more shots from the field:
71 vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Attempted 80 or more shots from the field:
80 at Alabama (2-21-09)

Attempted just 40 shots from the field:
40 vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Attempted 39 or fewer shots from the field:
37 vs. Western Carolina (11-14-14)

Made 10 or more 3-pointers:
10 at Missouri (3-1-14)

Made 12 3-pointers:
12 vs. Auburn (2-4-12)

Made 15 3-pointers:
15 vs. North Carolina A&T (12-12-10)

Made 16 3-pointers:
16 vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Did not make a 3-pointer:
[0-15] at Georgia (3-5-14)

Made just one 3-pointer:
vs. Kentucky (2-8-14)

Made just two 3-pointers:
vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Attempted 10 3-pointers or less:
9 vs. Western Carolina (11-14-14)

Attempted six 3-pointers or less:
6 at Ole Miss (1-29-03)

Attempted 25 3-pointers:
25 vs. Georgia (2-14-12)

Attempted 26 3-pointers:
26 vs. South Carolina (3-5-11)

Attempted 27 or more 3-pointers:
29 vs. Ole Miss (1-18-12)

Attempted 30 or more 3-pointers:
31 vs. Troy (12-10-11)

Attempted 35 or more 3-pointers:
35 vs. Kentucky (2-16-10)

Made 31 or more free throws:
31 vs. Auburn (1-22-14)

Made 40 or more free throws:
41 vs. LSU (2-11-09)

Made 50 or more free throws:
52 vs. LSU (2-11-09)

Made fewer than five free throws:
4 at Vanderbilt (2-1-14)

Made fewer than four free throws:
3 vs. Baylor (12-28-11)

Made only 1 free throw:
1 vs. Florida (1-30-14)

Attempted 30 or more free throws:
32 vs. Texas A&M (1-18-14)

THE LAST TIME (CONTINUED) . . .

- **Attempted 35 or more free throws:**
37 vs. Western Kentucky (11-14-14)
- **Attempted 40 or more free throws:**
43 vs. Auburn (1-22-14)
- **Attempted 45 or more free throws:**
45 vs. Florida A&M (12-17-13)
- **Attempted fewer than 10 free throws:**
6, vs. Florida (1-30-05)
- **Had 50 or more rebounds:**
51 vs. Prairie View (11-8-13)
- **Had 55 or more rebounds:**
58 vs. Troy (12-10-05)
- **Had 59 or more rebounds:**
59 at Houston (12-19-09)
- **Had fewer than 25 rebounds:**
23 vs. Utah State (11-23-13)
- **Had 20 or fewer rebounds:**
20 vs. Florida (1-26-13)
- **Had 20 or more assists:**
20 vs. Louisiana-Monroe (11-21-11)
- **Had 21 or more assists:**
21 vs. Auburn (2-4-12)
- **Had 25 or more assists:**
25 vs. St. Bonaventure (12-05-09)
- **Had 30 or more assists:**
30 vs. Troy (12-10-11)
- **Had Fewer Than 5 Assists:**
4, Georgia (3-5-14)
- **Had 20 or more turnovers:**
20 vs. South Carolina (3-6-13)
- **Had 21 or more turnovers:**
21 at Auburn (2-15-14)
- **Had 22 or more turnovers:**
23 vs. Alabama (2-20-13)
- **Had 25 turnovers:**
25 vs. UT Martin (11-17-07)
- **Had 29 or more turnovers:**
29 at Arkansas (1-23-13)
- **Had 30 or more turnovers:**
31 at Kentucky (1-7-97)
- **Had 34 or more turnovers:**
34 at Evansville (12-17-75)
- **Had fewer than 10 turnovers:**
9 vs. Auburn (1-22-14)
- **Had five or fewer turnovers:**
5 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-30-10)
- **Forced 25 or more turnovers**
26 vs. Kennesaw State (11-14-13)
- **Had 10 blocked shots:**
10 vs. Tennessee (1-12-12)
- **Had 11 blocked shots:**
11 at Alabama (2-21-09)
- **Had 12 blocked shots:**
12 vs. Troy (11-26-10)
- **Had 13 blocked shots:**
13 vs. Arkansas (1-14-10)
- **Had 14 blocked shots:**
14 vs. Texas-Pan American (11-24-09)
- **Had 16 blocked shots:**
16 vs. Georgia (1-12-08)
- **Had 10 steals:**
10 vs. South Florida (12-22-13)
- **Had 11 steals:**
11 at Auburn (2-15-14)
- **Had 12 steals:**
12 vs. Florida A&M (12-17-13)
- **Had 13 or more steals:**
14 vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)
- **Had 15 or more steals:**
15 vs. Florida Gulf Coast (12-19-13)
- **Had 17 or more steals:**
17 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-13-12)
- **Had 20 or more steals:**
20 vs. Nicholls State (11-17-01)
- **Had 1 steal or less:**
1 vs. Vanderbilt (3-11-11)

CHARTING THE BULLDOGS

<p>Dunks</p> <p>Charges Drawn</p> <p>Point Distribution (%)</p> <p>Senior 23 (34.8 percent)</p> <p>Junior 31 (47 percent)</p> <p>Sophomore</p> <p>Freshman 12 (18.2 percent)</p> <p>TOTAL: 66</p> <p>First Sub</p> <p>Fallou Ndoye 1</p> <p>Oliver Black 1</p> <p>Maurice Dunlap 1</p> <p>Demetrius Houston 1</p> <p>Scored First Points</p> <p>Trivante Bloodman 1</p> <p>How First Points Were Scored</p> <p>3-pointer</p> <p>Jumper</p> <p>Layup 1</p> <p>Dunk</p> <p>Free Throw</p>	<p>Final Three Minutes From FT Line</p> <p>Demetrius Houston 3-5</p> <p>Roquez Johnson 0-2</p> <p>Trivante Bloodman 2-2</p> <p>Fred Thomas 2-2</p> <p>TOTAL 7-11 (.636)</p>
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DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WINNING AND LOSING

Wins	Stat	Losses
66.0	Points	
56.0	Opp. Points	
+10.0	Scoring Margin	
45.9%	FG%	
36.2%	Opp. FG%	
44.4%	3FG%	
37.5%	Opp. 3FG%	
75.7%	FT%	
50.0%	Opp. FT%	
39.0	Rebounds	
27.0	Opp. Rebounds	
+12.0	Rebound Margin	
7.0	Assists	
16.0	Turnovers	
-5.0	Turnover Margin	
5.0	Steals	
5.0	Blocks	

0 MARUICE DUNLAP



Freshman | Guard

6-2 | 175

Greenwood, MS

Amanda Elzy HS

Season Highs

Points: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 4, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGA: 4, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTM: --
FTA: --
Rebounds: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: --
Blocks: --
Steals: --
Minutes: 15, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Dunlap's Notes . . .

✓ Scored 6 points and grabbed a rebound vs. Western Carolina in his Bulldog debut.

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	15	2-4	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-1-1	3	0	0	0	0	6
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

CAREER STATS FOR MAURICE DUNLAP

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2014-15	1-0	15/15.0	2-4	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	1-1.0	3-0	0	0	0	0	6/6.0

1 FRED THOMAS



Junior | Guard

6-5 | 206

Jackson, MS

Jim Hill HS

Season Highs

Points: 15, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 4, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 7, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGA: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTM: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTA: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Rebounds: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: --
Blocks: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Steals: --
Minutes: 32, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Career Highs

Points: 21, South Carolina, 3-13-13
FGM: 7, twice, last vs. Missouri, 3-1-14
FGA: 15, Marquette, 11-20-12
3FGM: 4, six times, last vs. Missouri, 3-1-14
3FGA: 10, twice, last vs. Providence, 12-1-12
FTM: 8, Florida, 1-26-13
FTA: 9, Florida, 1-26-13
Rebounds: 7, Central Arkansas, 12-22-12
Assists: 4, twice, last vs. USC, 3-6-13
Blocks: 3, four times, last vs. Auburn, 1-22-14
Steals: 7, Florida, 1-26-13
Minutes: 41, Texas A&M, 1-18-14

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	32	4-10	.400	2-5	.400	5-5	1.000	1-5-6	2	0	3	1	0	15
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Thomas' Notes . . .

✓ Tallied 15 points and six rebounds in season opener vs. Western Carolina.

CAREER STATS FOR FRED THOMAS

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2012-13	32-19	917/28.7	103-314	.328	41-172	.238	62-78	.195	112-3.5	45-1	43	49	27	56	309/9.7
2013-14	31-23	927/29.9	99-259	.382	46-144	.319	45-72	.625	91-2.9	56-0	44	40	23	31	289/9.3
2014-15	1-1	32/32.0	4-10	.400	2-5	.400	5-5	1.000	6-6.0	2-0	0	3	1	0	15/15.0
TOTAL	64-43	1876/29.3	206-583	.353	89-321	.277	112-155	.723	209-3.3	103-1	87	92	51	87	613/9.6

2 DEMETRIUS HOUSTON



Freshman | Guard

6-7 | 210

Montgomery, AL

G.W. Carver HS

Season Highs

Points: 3, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 FGM: --
 FGA: 4, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 3FGM: --
 3FGA: --
 FTM: 3, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 FTA: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 Rebounds: 7, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 Assists: --
 Blocks: --
 Steals: --
 Minutes: 22, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Houston's Notes . . .

✓ Scored 3 points and grabbed 7 rebounds vs. Western Carolina in his Bulldog debut.

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	22	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2-5-7	3	0	1	0	0	3
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

CAREER STATS FOR DEMETRIUS HOUSTON

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2014-15	1-0	22/22.0	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	7-7.0	3-0	0	1	0	0	3/3.0

3 TRIVANTE BLOODMAN



Senior | Guard
6-0 | 190
The Bronx, NY
Olney Central College

Season Highs

Points: 7, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTA: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Rebounds: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Blocks: --
Steals: --
Minutes: 32, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Career Highs

Points: 18, Auburn, 2-15-14
FGM: 5, Kentucky, 1-8-14
FGA: 9, Missouri, 3-1-14
3FGM: 2, Texas, 11-21-12
3FGA: 4, Missouri, 3-1-14
FTM: 14, Auburn, 2-15-14
FTA: 15, Auburn, 2-15-14
Rebounds: 8, Providence, 12-1-12
Assists: 9, Auburn, 2-15-14
Blocks: 1, Georgia, 1-12-13
Steals: 4, MVSU, 11-19-13
Minutes: 39, twice, last vs. Loyola-Chi, 12-1-13

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	32	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	0-2-2	2	6	3	0	0	7
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Bloodman's Notes . . .

✓ Had game-high 6 assists in opener versus Western Carolina.

CAREER STATS FOR TRIVANTE BLOODMAN

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2012-13	32-32	931/29.1	51-145	.352	12-43	.279	82-113	.726	104-3.3	82-2	75	88	1	37	196/6.1
2013-14	33-17	816/24.7	63-132	.477	9-32	.281	81-111	.730	65-2.0	55-0	82	58	0	30	216/6.5
2014-15	1-1	32/32.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	2-2.0	2-0	6	3	0	0	7/7.0
TOTALS	66-50	1779/27.0	115-279	.412	21-75	.280	168-230	.730	171-2.6	137-2	163	149	1	67	419/6.3

15 I.J. READY



Sophomore | Guard

5-11 | 170

North Little Rock, AR

Parkview Magnet HS

Season Highs

Points: --
 FGM: --
 FGA: --
 3FGM: --
 3FGA: --
 FTM: --
 FTA: --
 Rebounds: --
 Assists: --
 Blocks: --
 Steals: --
 Minutes: --

Career Highs

Points: 14, Prairie View, 11-8-13
 FGM: 56, Prairie View, 11-8-13
 FGA: 11, twice, last vs. Arkansas, 2-22-14
 3FGM: 3, twice, last vs. Ole Miss, 1-25-14
 3FGA: 7, TCU, 12-5-13
 FTM: 4, Florida Gulf Coast, 12-19-13
 FTA: 4, Florida Gulf Coast, 12-19-13
 Rebounds: 6, twice, last vs. So. Fla., 12-22-13
 Assists: 7, South Florida, 12-22-13
 Blocks: --
 Steals: 5, Florida Gulf Coast, 12-19-13
 Minutes: 35, Arkansas, 2-22-14

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	-DNP-													
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Ready's Notes . . .

✓ Did not play against Western Carolina due to surgery to repair a bulging disk.

CAREER STATS FOR I.J. READY

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Asst	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2013-14	26-21	626/24.1	59-159	.371	17-48	.354	18-21	.857	55-2.1	31-1	69	41	0	32	153/5.9
2014-15															
Totals															

20 GAVIN WARE



Junior | Forward

6-9 | 260

Starkville, MS

Starkville HS

Season Highs

Points: 14, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 4, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 7, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTA: 8, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Rebounds: 10, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: --
Steals: 3, Western Carolina 11-14-14
Minutes: 32, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Career Highs

Points: 23, MVSU, 11-19-13
FGM: 10, Maryland Eastern Shore, 1-2-14
FGA: 14, Maryland Eastern Shore, 1-2-14
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: 8, Kentucky, 2-8-14
FTA: 11, MVSU, 11-19-13
Rebounds: 16, Maryland E. Shore, 1-2-14
Assists: 2, Arkansas, 1-23-13
Blocks: 5, Loyola, 12-15-12
Steals: 3, Kennesaw State, 11-14-13
Minutes: 36, Texas A&M, 1-30-13

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	32	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	6-8	.750	3-7-10	3	0	2	3	1	14
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Ware's Notes . . .

✓ Had 10th-career double-double against Western Carolina with 14 points and 10 boards.

CAREER STATS FOR GAVIN WARE

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2012-13	32-27	824/25.8	110-203	.542	0-0	.000	50-89	.562	206-6.4	65-2	9	40	24	15	270/8.4
2013-14	33-33	858/26.0	129-222	.581	0-0	.000	72-111	.649	236-7.2	82-1	7	45	12	29	330/10.0
2014-15	1-1	32/32.0	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	6-8	.750	10-10.0	3-0	0	2	3	1	14/14.0
TOTALS	66-61	1714/26.0	243-432	.562	0-0	.000	128-208	.615	452-6.8	150-3	16	87	39	45	614/9.3

22 FALLOU NDOYE



Freshman | Forward

6-11 | 222

Taif, Senegal

Findley Prep

Season Highs

Points: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 FGM: --
 FGA: --
 3FGM: --
 3FGA: --
 FTM: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 FTA: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 Rebounds: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 Assists: --
 Blocks: --
 Steals: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
 Minutes: 8, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Ndoye's Notes . . .

✓ Scored 2 points and grabbed 3 rebounds vs. Western Carolina in his Bulldog debut.

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	8	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1-2-3	0	0	1	0	1	2
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

CAREER STATS FOR FALLOU NDOYE

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Asst	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2014-15	1-0	8/8.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	3-3.0	0-0	0	1	0	1	2/2.0

23 TRAVIS DANIELS



Junior | Guard
6-8 | 219
Tuscaloosa, AL
Shelton State CC

Season Highs

Points: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 3, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: --
FTA: --
Rebounds: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: --
Blocks: --
Steals: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Minutes: 18, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Daniels' Notes . . .

✓ Scored 2 points and grabbed 1 rebound against Western Carolina in Bulldog debut.

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	18	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1-1	2	0	2	0	1	2
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

CAREER STATS FOR TRAVIS DANIELS

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2014-15	1-1	18/18.0	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-1.0	2-0	0	2	0	1	2/2.0

25 ROQUEZ JOHNSON



Junior | Forward

6-7 | 210

Montgomery, AL

G.W. Carver HS

Season Highs

Points: 16, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGA: 7, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: 6, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTA: 9, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Rebounds: 5, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: 1, Western Carolina 11-14-14
Blocks: --
Steals: 1, Western Carolina 11-14-14
Minutes: 24, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Career Highs

Points: 20, twice, last vs. Ole Miss, 1-11-14
FGM: 8, twice, last vs. Vanderbilt, 3-12-14
FGA: 13, 3 times, last vs. Tennessee, 2-26-14
3FGM: 1, six times, last vs. Florida, 2-9-13
3FGA: 3, North Carolina, 11-19-12
FTM: 10, Auburn, 1-22-14
FTA: 16, Auburn, 1-22-14
Rebounds: 11, Loyola-Chicago, 12-1-13
Assists: 2, five times, last vs. Vanderbilt, 2-1-14
Blocks: 3, twice, last vs. Auburn, 3-9-13
Steals: 6, Texas, 11-21-12
Minutes: 37, Loyola-Chicago, 12-1-13

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	24	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	6-9	.667	1-4-5	3	1	3	0	1	16
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Johnson's Notes . . .

✓ Scored a team-high 16 points versus Western Carolina to go along with his 5 rebounds.

CAREER STATS FOR ROQUEZ JOHNSON

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2011-12	13-0	45/3.5	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1-6	.167	11-0.8	6-0	0	6	3	1	1/0.1
2012-13	28-8	730/26.1	77-181	.425	5-18	.278	87-146	.596	127-4.5	69-2	12	70	15	22	246/8.8
2013-14	33-8	781/23.7	114-239	.477	0-6	.000	91-147	.619	152-4.6	72-2	17	47	4	18	319/9.7
2014-15	1-1	24/24.0	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	6-9	.667	5-5.0	3-0	1	3	0	1	16/16.0
TOTALS	75-17	1580/21.1	196-430	.456	5-24	.208	185-308	.601	295-3.9	150-4	30	126	22	42	582/7.8

32 CRAIG SWORD



Sophomore | Guard

6-3 | 196

Montgomery, AL

G.W. Carver HS

Season Highs

Points: --
 FGM: --
 FGA: --
 3FGM: --
 3FGA: --
 FTM: --
 FTA: --
 Rebounds: --
 Assists: --
 Blocks: --
 Steals: --
 Minutes: --

Career Highs

Points: 33, LSU, 2-19-14
 FGM: 11, LSU, 2-19-14
 FGA: 17, twice, last vs. Tennessee, 3-14-13
 3FGM: 3, Ole Miss, 3-13-14
 3FGA: 7, Providence, 12-1-12
 FTM: 15, Ole Miss, 1-11-14
 FTA: 18, Ole Miss, 1-11-14
 RBs: 8, three times, last vs. Ole Miss, 3-13-14
 Assists: 9, Ole Miss, 1-11-14
 Blocks: 2, seven times, last vs. TAMU, 1-18-14
 Steals: 7, Ole Miss, 1-11-14
 Minutes: 39, Texas A&M, 1-18-14

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	-DNP-													
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
D30 McNeese State														
J2 Florida State														
J7 Tennessee														
J10 Florida														
J13 Texas A&M														
J17 Vanderbilt														
J21 Auburn														
J24 Georgia														
J28 Ole Miss														
J31 LSU														
F3 Tennessee														
F7 Arkansas														
F10 Alabama														
F14 Missouri														
F19 Ole Miss														
F21 Arkansas														
F25 Kentucky														
F28 South Carolina														
M4 Vanderbilt														
M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

Sword's Notes . . .

✓ Did not play against Western Carolina due to surgery to repair a bulging disk.

CAREER STATS FOR CRAIG SWORD

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Asst	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2012-13	32-30	854/26.7	120-296	.405	13-67	.194	82-148	.554	92-2.9	92-8	75	127	14	55	335/10.5
2013-14	32-32	900/28.1	157-324	.485	12-44	.273	111-179	.620	120-3.8	93-4	88	96	15	60	437/13.7
2014-15															
TOTALS	64-62	1754/27.4	277-620	.447	25-111	.225	193-327	.590	212-3.3	185-12	163	223	29	115	772/12.1

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Wingfield HS

Season Highs

Points: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FGM: --
FGA: --
3FGM: --
3FGA: --
FTM: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
FTA: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Rebounds: 2, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Assists: --
Blocks: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Steals: 1, Western Carolina, 11-14-14
Minutes: 17, Western Carolina 11-14-14

Black's Notes . . .

✓ Scored 1 point and grabbed 2 rebounds against Western Carolina his Bulldog debut.

2013-14 Game-By-Game

Opponent	MIN	FG	Pct.	3FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	O-D-R	PF	A	TO	B	S	PTS
N14 Western Carolina	17	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-1-2	0	0	1	1	1	1
N17 Mississippi Valley State														
N22 Utah State														
N24 Clayton State														
N28 St. Louis														
N29 TCU/Bradley														
D6 Tulane														
D13 Oregon State														
D17 Arkansas State														
D20 USC Upstate														
D23 Jacksonville														
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F28 South Carolina														
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M7 Missouri														
M11 SEC Tournament														

CAREER STATS FOR OLIVER BLACK

Year	GP-GS	Min/Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FM-3GA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Rebs	PF-D	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts/Avg
2014-15	1-0	17/17.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2-2.0	0	0	1	1	1	1/1.0

EXHIBITION 1 — Nov. 6, 2014

Mississippi State 72
Delta State 51

Humphrey Coliseum • 6 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State's fast start carried the Bulldogs to a 72-51 exhibition victory against Delta State.

Gavin Ware led MSU with 19 points on a 9 of 13 night from the field. Demetrius Houston added 12 points in his Maroon and White debut, while Fallou Ndoeye added 11 points in his first live action.

MSU held its Division II opponent to one field goal the first eight minutes. During that stretch, Ware was already establishing his presence inside and the Bulldogs were quickly building an 18-2 advantage.

MSU shot 48.1 percent from the floor and led 37-16 at the intermission.

For the contest, MSU hit 26 of 59 shots from the field (44.1 percent), 2 of 8 shots from 3-point range (25.0 percent) and 18 of 24 shots from the foul line (75.0 percent). Delta State hit 17 of 46 shots from the field (37.0 percent), 7 of 17 shots from 3-point range (41.2 percent) and 10 of 18 shots from the foul line (55.6 percent).

MSU held a 38-34 rebounding advantage. The Bulldogs had 15 assists and 12 turnovers, while the Statesmen had nine assists and 25 turnovers.

Delta State received 25 points from Devin Schmidt and 11 points from Jack Magden.

Delta State

Player	FG	3FG	FT	RB	P	PT	A	Min
Smith	f 1-5	0-1	2-2	5	2	4	1	17
Harrick	g 1-3	0-0	1-2	3	3	3	0	18
Madgen	g 3-8	3-6	2-2	2	0	11	5	38
Chisholm	g 1-4	0-0	0-0	3	1	2	0	28
Schmidt	g 9-21	4-9	3-5	5	1	25	2	37
Denney	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
Davis	1-3	0-0	0-3	6	4	2	0	22
Gillis	0-0	0-0	1-2	4	4	1	0	7
Rowe	0-1	0-1	1-2	1	1	1	1	18
Hester	1-1	0-0	0-0	2	5	2	0	14
TOTALS	17-46	7-17	10-18	34	21	51	9	200

Mississippi State

Player	FG	3FG	FT	RB	PF	PT	A	Min
Ware	f 9-13	0-0	1-2	6	4	19	0	19
Thomas	g 2-6	0-1	0-0	12	3	4	2	25
Bloodman	g 1-2	0-0	4-4	3	1	6	5	26
Daniels	g 0-3	0-2	5-6	0	1	5	1	22
Johnson	f 3-5	0-0	1-3	2	2	7	1	18
Dunlap	0-4	0-3	2-2	4	1	2	1	17
Houston	5-8	2-2	0-0	5	2	12	2	20
Butler	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	4
Johnson	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	6
Ndoeye	3-10	0-0	5-7	6	4	11	1	21
Black	3-6	0-0	0-0	5	1	6	2	22
TOTALS	26-59	2-8	18-24	38	20	72	15	200

Halftime: MSU 37, DSU 16. FG%: MSU 44.1%, DSU 34.7%. 3FG%: MSU 25.0%, DSU 41.2%. FT%: MSU 75.0%, DSU 55.6%. Turnovers: MSU 12 (Ware 5), DSU 25 (Schmidt 5). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Ndoeye 3), DSU 6 (Davis 3). Steals: MSU 8 (Houston 2), DSU 3 (Three players with 1). Officials: Joe Lindsey, Sean Casey, Wil Howard. Attendance: N/A.

GAME 1 — Nov. 14, 2014

Mississippi State 66
Western Carolina 56

Humphrey Coliseum • 5:30 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State ushered in its 103th season of basketball Friday by knocking off Western Carolina, 66-56. And in the process, the Bulldogs collected their 400th win at Humphrey Coliseum.

Roquez Johnson paced MSU with 16 points, while Fred Thomas added 15. Gavin Ware recorded his 10th-career double-double with 14 points and 10 rebounds.

Five players made their MSU debut, including Maurice Dunlap and Demetrius Houston, who totaled 6 points and 7 rebounds, respectively.

Mississippi State went into the break up 31-30 on a putback by Ware at the buzzer.

The Bulldogs jumped out to the quick 4-0 lead, but the Catamounts hit a couple of 3-pointers to take an 18-15 advantage.

MSU responded, however, when Dunlap drained back-to-back treys to put his team up. At the half, the Bulldogs led by nine, 35-26.

Mississippi State opened up the second half with an 8-2 run to extend its lead to 39-32. The Catamounts would cut the Bulldogs lead to five, but a pair of free throws by Thomas and a jumper by Travis Daniels put the Bulldogs up seven at the halfway mark.

MSU pushed its lead to double digits for the first time at 57-47 thanks to a pair of free throws from Johnson. WCU would cut it as close as six in the final moments of the game, but clutch free throw shooting by the Bulldogs would seal the contest.

Western Carolina

Player	FG	3FG	FT	RB	P	PT	A	Min
Brummitt	f 3-9	0-0	0-0	2	5	6	1	25
Thompson	f 0-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	2	11
Brown	g 4-15	2-8	1-3	4	2	11	3	38
Harrelson	g 5-12	3-9	1-2	1	0	14	3	37
Sinclair	g 7-14	3-6	3-5	3	2	20	1	36
Hall	0-2	0-0	0-0	5	5	0	1	16
Peterson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	7
Browning	2-4	1-1	0-0	5	5	5	0	26
Williams	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
Brooks	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	21-58	9-24	5-10	27	22	56	12	200

Mississippi State

Player	FG	3FG	FT	RB	PF	PT	A	Min
Ware	f 4-7	0-0	6-8	10	3	14	0	32
Johnson	f 5-7	0-0	6-9	5	3	16	1	24
Thomas	g 4-10	2-5	5-5	6	2	15	0	32
Bloodman	g 1-2	0-0	5-6	2	2	7	6	32
Daniels	g 1-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	2	0	18
Dunlap	2-4	2-4	0-0	1	3	6	0	15
Houston	0-4	0-0	3-5	7	3	3	0	22
Ndoeye	0-0	0-0	2-2	3	0	2	0	8
Black	0-0	0-0	1-2	2	0	1	0	17
TOTALS	17-37	4-9	28-37	39	18	66	7	200

MSU 31, WCU 30. FG%: MSU 45.9%, WCU 36.2%. 3FG%: MSU 44.4%, WCU 37.5%. FT%: MSU 75.7%, WCU 50%. Turnovers: MSU 16 (Johnson, Thomas, Bloodman 3), WCU 11 (Harrelson 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Ware 3), WCU 4 (Browning, 2). Steals: MSU 5 (Ware, Johnson, Daniels, Ndoeye, Black 1), WCU 10 (Browning, 4). Officials: Jim Burr, John Heatly, Kevin Fehr. Attendance: 6,261.

GAME 2 — Nov. 17, 2014

Mississippi State
Mississippi Valley State

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

2014-15 Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 14, 2014)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0

##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fga	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
00	Maurice Dunlap	1-0	15	15.0	2-4	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	6.0
01	Fred Thomas	1-1	32	32.0	4-10	.400	2-5	.400	5-5	1.000	1	5	6	6.0	2	0	0	3	1	0	15	15.0
02	Demetrius Houston	1-0	22	22.0	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2	5	7	7.0	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	3.0
03	Trivante Bloodman	1-1	32	32.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	0	2	2	2.0	2	0	6	3	0	0	7	7.0
20	Gavin Ware	1-1	32	32.0	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	6-8	.750	3	7	10	10.0	3	0	0	2	3	1	14	14.0
22	Fallou Ndoye	1-0	8	8.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	3.0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2.0
23	Travis Daniels	1-1	18	18.0	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	2	0	0	2	0	1	2	2.0
25	Roquez Johnson	1-1	24	24.0	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	6-9	.667	1	4	5	5.0	3	0	1	3	0	1	16	16.0
33	Oliver Black	1-0	17	17.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1.0
Team											1	1	2									
Total.....		1	200		17-37	.459	4-9	.444	28-37	.757	10	29	39	39.0	18	0	7	16	5	5	66	66.0
Opponents.....		1	200		21-58	.362	9-24	.375	5-10	.500	13	14	27	27.0	22	-	12	11	4	10	56	56.0

TEAM STATISTICS	MS	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	66	56	11-14-14	WESTERN CAROLINA	w 66-56	6261
Points per game	66.0	56.0	* - Conference game			
Scoring margin	+10.0	-				
FIELD GOALS-ATT	17-37	21-58				
Field goal pct	.459	.362				
3 POINT FG-ATT	4-9	9-24				
3-point FG pct	.444	.375				
3-pt FG made per game	4.0	9.0				
FREE THROWS-ATT	28-37	5-10				
Free throw pct	.757	.500				
F-Throws made per game	28.0	5.0				
REBOUNDS	39	27				
Rebounds per game	39.0	27.0				
Rebounding margin	+12.0	-				
ASSISTS	7	12				
Assists per game	7.0	12.0				
TURNOVERS	16	11				
Turnovers per game	16.0	11.0				
Turnover margin	-5.0	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.4	1.1				
STEALS	5	10				
Steals per game	5.0	10.0				
BLOCKS	5	4				
Blocks per game	5.0	4.0				
ATTENDANCE	6261	0				
Home games-Avg/Game	1-6261	0-0				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Mississippi State	31	35	66
Opponents	30	26	56