

MISSISSIPPI STATE

2012-13 Men's Basketball

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

At A Glance

When:..... Wednesday, February 27, 2013
Where: Lexington, Ky.
Venue: Rupp Arena (23,500)
Time: 7 p.m.
TV: SEC Network
Talent: Dave Neal, Jon Sundvold
Sirius/XM: 106/200
Series: Kentucky leads, 88-20
Last Meeting: 73-64, Kentucky (2-21-12)

2012-13 Schedule/Results

NOVEMBER

| | | |
|----|---|----------|
| 9 | at Troy | L, 56-53 |
| 13 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC | W, 78-58 |
| | <i>Maui Invitational (Maui, Hawaii)</i> | |
| 19 | vs. North Carolina (ESPN2) | L, 95-49 |
| 20 | vs. Marquette (ESPN2) | L, 89-62 |
| 21 | vs. Texas (ESPNU) | L, 69-55 |
| 27 | ALCORN STATE | W, 60-42 |

DECEMBER

SEC/Big East Challenge (Providence, RI)

| | | |
|----|-----------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | at Providence (ESPNU) | L, 73-63 |
| 4 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | W, 53-42 |
| 15 | at Loyola-Chicago | L, 59-51 |
| 22 | vs. Central Arkansas [^] | W, 79-72 |
| 30 | ALABAMA A&M (CSS) | L, 59-57 |

JANUARY

| | | |
|----|----------------------------|-------------|
| 3 | NEW ORLEANS (CSS) | W, 97-46 |
| 9 | SOUTH CAROLINA (ESPN3) | W, 56-54 |
| 12 | at Georgia (SEC Network) | W, 72-61 |
| 16 | ALABAMA (CSS) | L, 75-43 |
| 19 | at Tennessee (SEC Network) | L, 72-57 |
| 23 | at Arkansas (CSS) | L, 96-70 |
| 26 | FLORIDA (ESPN2) | L, 82-47 |
| 30 | TEXAS A&M (CSS) | L, 55-49 OT |

FEBRUARY

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------|----------|
| 2 | LSU (FSN) | L, 69-68 |
| 6 | at Ole Miss (CSS) | L, 93-75 |
| 9 | at Florida (Fox Sports South) | L, 83-58 |
| 13 | MISSOURI (SEC Network) | L, 78-36 |
| 16 | at LSU (ESPNU) | L, 80-68 |
| 20 | at Alabama (SEC Network) | L, 64-56 |
| 23 | VANDERBILT (SEC Network) | L, 72-31 |
| 27 | at Kentucky (SEC Network) | 7 p.m. |

MARCH

| | | |
|-------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| 2 | OLE MISS (FSN) | 4 p.m. |
| 6 | at South Carolina (ESPN3) | 6 p.m. |
| 9 | AUBURN (Fox Sports South) | 4:30 p.m. |
| 13-17 | SEC Tournament (SEC Network/ABC) | TBA |

[^] - Jackson, Miss (Mississippi Coliseum)



MISSISSIPPI STATE BULLDOGS (7-19, 2-12)

Head Coach: Rick Ray (Grand View [IA], 1994)

MSU Record: 7-19, 1st year

Career Record: Same

VS



KENTUCKY WILDCATS (19-8, 10-4)

Head Coach: John Calipari (Clarion, 1982)

Kentucky Record: 121-22, 4th year

Career Record: 524-160, 21st year

WHAT TO NOTE AS MSU PLAYS KENTUCKY . . .

- ✓ Kentucky has won four-straight in this series after Mississippi State won three in a row. The Wildcats have won seven out of the last 10. The last eight outings have been decided by nine points or less, with three of the games going into overtime.
- ✓ The Bulldogs are 1-1 in their last two trips to Rupp Arena.
- ✓ The last five games in this series have been decided by 6.2 points.
- ✓ Saturday's loss to Vanderbilt was the Bulldogs' 12th in a row, the second-longest in school history. In 1955, the Bulldogs dropped 14 straight.
- ✓ The 12-straight SEC losses are the second-longest in school history. Twice, the Bulldogs have dropped 16 conference affairs in a row — Feb. 4, 1981-Jan. 23, 1982 and Feb. 10, 1945-Feb. 15, 1946. This is the first time MSU has lost 12 in a row in the same season.
- ✓ The 31 points against Vanderbilt were the second-fewest in Humphrey Coliseum (20 vs. Georgia on 1-13-82) history.
- ✓ The 17 rebounds against the Commodores were the fewest since hauling in 11 against Ole Miss in 1982.
- ✓ The seven made field goals against Vandy were the fewest in the modern era (since 1950) for the Bulldogs. The previous low of eight came at Ole Miss on 2-28-59.
- ✓ The 41-point loss to Vanderbilt tied for the second-largest in Humphrey Coliseum history.
- ✓ According to kenpom.com, Mississippi State's ranking among the 347 Division I schools in terms of roster experience is 329th.
- ✓ In his last five games, freshman forward **Gavin Ware** is 22-of-35 shooting (.629).
- ✓ The Bulldogs have now gone 2-straight games at Humphrey Coliseum without holding a lead.
- ✓ MSU is 0-16 on the year when trailing at the half and 0-14 when foes shoot 45% or better.
- ✓ Sophomore forward **Roquez Johnson** is suspended indefinitely.
- ✓ Due to injuries, MSU has lost freshmen **Andre Applewhite** (ACL) and **Jacoby Davis** (ACL) for the year. Senior forward **Wendell Lewis** is out indefinitely with a fractured right patella.

MSU'S PROJECTED STARTING 5



G•32•FR

**Craig
Sword**

P: 9.8
R: 2.9
A: 1.9
S: 1.5



G•1•FR

**Fred
Thomas**

P: 9.4
R: 3.4
A: 1.2
S: 1.7



G•4•SO

**Trivante
Bloodman**

P: 6.0
R: 3.0
A: 2.4
S: 1.2



F•20•FR

**Gavin
Ware**

P: 8.8
R: 6.5
B: 0.8
S: 0.6



F•3•JR

**Colin
Borchert**

P: 7.8
R: 4.7
B: 1.3
S: 1.3

2012-13 MISSISSIPPI STATE PLAYER BREAKDOWN

Statistical Comparison

| 2012-13 Stats | MSU | UK |
|---------------------------|------|-------|
| 2012-13 Record..... | 7-19 | 19-8 |
| Conference Record | 2-12 | 10-4 |
| Scoring | 59.3 | 74.9 |
| Scoring Defense | 69.0 | 64.7 |
| Scoring Margin | -9.7 | +10.2 |
| Field Goal Pct. | 39.9 | 48.3 |
| Opp. FG Pct. | 43.9 | 39.3 |
| 3-Point FG Pct. | 27.1 | 36.4 |
| Opp. 3-Point FG Pct. | 34.9 | 32.2 |
| Free Throw Pct. | 66.0 | 64.7 |
| Opp. FT Pct. | 67.8 | 70.1 |
| Rebounding Average | 32.9 | 38.2 |
| Opp. Rebounding Avg. | 37.1 | 33.7 |
| Rebound Margin | -4.2 | +4.4 |
| Assists | 9.5 | 14.3 |
| Turnovers | 17.2 | 13.2 |
| Turnover Margin | -1.7 | -0.9 |
| Steals..... | 7.9 | 6.1 |
| Blocked Shots..... | 3.8 | 7.3 |

Statistical Leaders

Scoring

| MSU | PPG | OPP | PPG |
|--------------|-----|-----------------|------|
| Sword | 9.8 | Goodwin | 13.9 |
| Steele | 9.7 | Poythress | 11.9 |

Rebounding

| MSU | RPG | OPP | RPG |
|---------------|-----|--------------------|-----|
| Ware | 6.5 | Poythress | 6.1 |
| Borchert..... | 4.7 | Cauley-Stein | 5.7 |

Assists

| MSU | APG | OPP | APG |
|----------------|-----|---------------|-----|
| Bloodman | 2.4 | Goodwin | 3.1 |
| Sword | 1.9 | Mays | 3.1 |

Blocks

| MSU | BPG | OPP | BPG |
|---------------|-----|----------------------|-----|
| Borchert..... | 1.3 | Cauley-Stein | 2.0 |
| Ware | 0.8 | Goodwin/Wiltjer..... | 0.5 |

Steals

| MSU | SPG | OPP | SPG |
|-------------|-----|---------------|-----|
| Thomas..... | 1.7 | Goodwin | 1.0 |
| Sword..... | 1.5 | Harrow..... | 0.9 |

Field Goal Percentage (170 minimum)

| MSU | FG% | OPP | FG% |
|-------------|------|--------------------|------|
| Ware | 56.1 | Cauley-Stein | 62.8 |
| Sword | 38.7 | Poythress | 57.9 |

3-Point FG Percentage (65 minimum)

| MSU | 3FG% | OPP | 3FG% |
|---------------|------|---------------|------|
| Steele | 34.3 | Wiltjer | 40.6 |
| Borchert..... | 28.2 | Mays | 38.7 |

Free Throw Percentage (85 minimum)

| MSU | FT% | OPP | FT% |
|----------------|------|-----------------|------|
| Bloodman | 75.3 | Poythress | 70.0 |
| Johnson | 59.8 | Goodwin | 64.7 |

A CLOSER LOOK AT THE KENTUCKY SERIES

Kentucky has a commanding 88-20 series lead, but in the last seven the Wildcats have just a 4-3 advantage. Three of the last seven have gone into overtime.

Here is a look at the last 10 games . . .

| Year | Where | Score |
|------|------------|-----------------|
| 2012 | Starkville | UK, 73-64 |
| 2011 | Lexington | UK, 85-79 |
| 2010 | Nashville | UK, 75-74 (ot) |
| 2010 | Starkville | UK, 81-75 (ot) |
| 2009 | Lexington | MSU, 66-57 |
| 2008 | Starkville | MSU, 69-64 |
| 2007 | Atlanta | MSU, 84-82 (ot) |
| 2007 | Lexington | UK, 64-60 |
| 2006 | Starkville | UK, 81-66 |
| 2005 | Lexington | UK, 94-78 |

FEBRUARY RECORD LAST 25 YEARS

Dating back to the 1987-88 season when Richard Williams was overseeing the program, Mississippi State owns a composite ledger of 93-97 (.489) in February. Last year, MSU was 3-5 in February.

SCOUTING KENTUCKY

Kentucky welcomes Mississippi State to Rupp Arena having won two straight following Saturday's 90-83 overtime win against Missouri.

Down 35-31 at the break, the Wildcats outscored the Tigers 44-40 in the second to force the overtime frame.

On the night, Kentucky was 30-of-59 shooting, 7 of 17 beyond the arc with Julius Mays draining 4 treys.

Defensively, the Cats saw Missouri hit 33 of its 76 shots, including a 5-of-20 mark from long range.

The Wildcats also won the battle of the boards, 41-39.

Mays paced Kentucky with 24 points, while Alex Poythress added 21.

LAST TIME OUT FOR MSU . . .

Vanderbilt led from start to finish en route to a 72-31 win against Mississippi State.

The Bulldogs hit just 7 of their 40 shots, while the Dores were 28-61.

Vanderbilt also dominated the boards, 51-17.

At the break, the Commodores led 37-17.

Jalen Steele paced the Bulldogs with 9 points.

LACK OF INEXPERIENCE SEEN IN MINUTES

Back from last year's squad is a total of four players that combined to average 46.9 minutes. Included in that mix are Jalen Steele (25.5 minutes) and Wendell Lewis (19.4).

Steele missed eight games due to injury and three more due to a suspension, while Lewis is now out indefinitely with a fractured right patella.

A CLOSER LOOK AT THE 12-GAME LOSING STREAK

Mississippi State travels to Kentucky looking to end its season-long, 12 game losing skid.

During that stretch, the Bulldogs are averaging 54.8 points and yielding 76.6 (-21.7). From the floor, MSU is shooting 38.2 percent, while opponents are making 49.0 percent of their shots.

Beyond the arc, Mississippi State is 55-208 (.264), while opponents are 94-259 (.363).

The Dogs are also being out-rebounded, 37.9-28.3 (-9.6), and averaging 17.1 turnovers.

2012-13 MISSISSIPPI STATE PLAYER BREAKDOWN

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JALEN STEELE • Jr • G • 6-3 • 194 • Knoxville, TN

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 26.5 | 9.7 | 2.9 | 1.1 | .338 | .343 | .933 |

Missed eight games with fractured wrist. ... Returned against Alabama A&M and had 10 points. ... Streak of 30-straight made free throws ended at Georgia, where he had career-high 21 points. ... 15 points at Tennessee. ... Had 15 points at Ole Miss. ... After being spend 3 games, had 15 points at Alabama and 9 vs. Vanderbilt.

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FRED THOMAS • Fr • G • 6-5 • 191 • Jackson, MS

| MIN | PTS | RBS | STL | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 28.3 | 9.4 | 3.4 | 1.7 | .327 | .230 | .770 |

Became fourth true freshman since 2005 to start on opening day. ... Scored in double-digits 12 times. ... 8th in SEC with 1.7 steals. ... After scoring 17 points at Arkansas, had career-high 19 vs. Florida to go along with 7 steals, second most in school history in a single game. ... 4-28 shooting last four games, 1-17 beyond the arc.

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COLIN BORCHERT • Jr • F • 6-8 • 231 • Phoenix, AZ

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 26.6 | 7.8 | 4.7 | 1.3 | .385 | .282 | .613 |

Started at Troy and scored game's first five points. ... Suspended for Maui Invitational. ... Had career-high 10 rebounds vs. UTSA. ... Had career-best 17 points vs. UNO while having highs in assists (4) and steals (5). ... Had SEC-best 14 points at Florida. ... Totaled 14 points and 9 boards at Alabama and no points vs. Vandy.

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TRIVANTE BLOODMAN • So • G • 6-0 • 182 • Bronx, NY

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 29.0 | 6.0 | 3.0 | 2.4 | .365 | .265 | .753 |

Had 11 points at Troy in debut. ... Dished out 7 assists vs. FAU. ... Had career-high 8 rebounds at Providence. ... Started all 26 games. ... Has made 21 of last 26 free throws. ... Had SEC high 6 rebounds vs. LSU. ... Scored in double-digits five times. ... Had SEC-best 5 assists at Ole Miss. ... Career-high 13 points vs. Missouri.

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WENDELL LEWIS • Sr • C • 6-9 • 258 • Selma, AL

| MIN | PTS | RBS | BLK | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 21.0 | 8.1 | 4.9 | 0.4 | .568 | .000 | .938 |

First double-double of year at Providence, second of career. ... Had career-high 20 points vs. Texas-San Antonio on 8-of-9 shooting. ... Out indefinitely with fractured patella.

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BAXTER PRICE • Sr • G • 5-10 • 169 • Brandon, MS

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 4.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | .000 | .000 | .000 |

Has appeared in 16 games for the Bulldogs this season, 43 for his career. ... The 2 lone points of his career came his freshman season. ... In the last five games, he has logged 55 minutes. In the 38 games prior to that stretch, he totaled 52 minutes. ... Played career-high 16 minutes at Florida.

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GAVIN WARE • Fr • F • 6-9 • 270 • Starkville, MS

| MIN | PTS | RBS | BLK | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|-------|
| 25.7 | 8.8 | 6.5 | 0.8 | .561 | .000 | .5290 |

First-career start vs. Alcorn State. ... 3rd among SEC freshmen in rebounds, 13th overall. ... Scored in double-digits 12 times. ... Career-high 5 blocks at Loyola. ... Career-high 22 pts and 13 rbs vs. UCA. ... Also had double-double vs. Alabama A&M. ... Made 71 of last 113 FGs (.628). ... SEC-best 16 points at Florida.

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TYSON CUNNINGHAM • Jr • F • 6-3 • 194 • Columbus, MS

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 21.1 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 1.3 | .375 | .421 | .800 |

Drew first start against Alcorn State. ... Scored first-career points against FAU. ... Career game vs. UCA with 10 points. ... Had game-winning block vs. South Carolina. ... Scored first-career SEC points at Georgia and tied career high with 3 assists. ... SEC best 9 points at Arkansas. ... 6 points at LSU and at Alabama.

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ROQUEEZ JOHNSON • So • F • 6-7 • 210 • Montgomery, AL

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 25.5 | 8.8 | 4.5 | 0.4 | .428 | .294 | .598 |

Did not play at Troy due to a concussion. ... Scored career-high 18 points vs. Texas. ... Had six steals vs. Longhorns. ... Scored in double-digits 10 times. ... Had career-high 8 made free throws vs. South Carolina. ... Had SEC high 6 rebounds vs. LSU. ... 3-for-3 shooting at LSU. ... Suspended indefinitely for violation of team rules.

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CRAIG SWORD • Fr • G • 6-3 • 189 • Montgomery, AL

| MIN | PTS | RBS | AST | FG% | 3FG% | FT% |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| 25.9 | 9.8 | 2.9 | 1.9 | .387 | .170 | .560 |

Scored in double-digits 12 times. ... Fouled out a team-high seven times. ... Had game-winning FTs vs. USC. ... After scoring 16 at Georgia, was tabbed SEC Freshman of the Week. ... SEC-best 8 rebounds at Florida. ... Had career-high 25 points at LSU and is MSU's leading scorer.

2012-13 MISSISSIPPI STATE NOTES

INJURY BUG HAS SHOWN NO MERCY, WITH LEWIS BEING THE LATEST VICTIM

■ On Dec. 12, senior forward Wendell Lewis suffered a fractured right patella, an injury that will sideline him indefinitely following surgery back in December.

In his last two games, the Selma, Ala., native was averaging 18 points and had a career-high 20 points against Texas-San Antonio.

It was a continuation of a rash of injuries that started back in July.

Incoming freshmen guards Jacoby Davis and DeAndre Applewhite are out for the entire season after tearing their ACLs.

Applewhite's setback, which also includes a torn meniscus, happened in early November, while Davis' injury occurred back in July.

Davis was Rick Ray's first signee and he came to MSU after averaging 21 points and 5 assists at St. John's Military Academy in Wisconsin. Applewhite came to MSU following a stellar career in Memphis.

The good news is Jalen Steele returned to action against Alabama A&M after fracturing his wrist in the second game against Florida Atlantic and responded with 10 points.

BIG NIGHT ON THE BOARDS VS. ASU

■ Against Alcorn State on Nov. 27, MSU held a plus-30 rebounding margin (50-20).

That was the highest margin since being plus-32 (55-23) against Arkansas-Little Rock on Dec. 11, 2004.

JOHNSON'S DEFENSIVE INTENSITY

■ Sophomore forward Roquez Johnson had one of the best defensive efforts by any MSU player for several years against Texas in the Maui Invitational.

The Montgomery, Ala., native collected a game-high 6 steals and became the first Bulldog player to have that many since Phil Turner had the same against South Carolina on Feb. 18, 2009.

Against Florida, Fred Thomas surpassed that total with 7 steals.

BULLDOGS FINISH 0-3 IN MAUI

■ Thanksgiving week, Mississippi State traveled across the Pacific to play in the prestigious Maui Invitational where it went 0-3 with losses to perennial powers North Carolina, Marquette and Texas.

In the three contests, the Bulldogs were 54-

163 shooting from the floor and 11-40 beyond the arc. In addition, opponents won the battle of the boards, 126-108.

State also had 61 turnovers and forced 48. The Bulldogs were credited with 22 steals.

Roquez Johnson led MSU with 15.3 points while Fred Thomas averaged 11.3.

LEWIS, WARE NEARLY PERFECT

■ Against Texas-San Antonio, Wendell Lewis connected on 8 of his 9 field goals (.889), the best shooting percentage since Rodney Hood was 8 of 9 last year against UT-Martin.

Prior to that, the highest percentage (with 8 minimum attempts) was Jarvis Varnado's 8-of-8 outing in the season opener against Rider on 11-13-09.

Then against Central Arkansas, Gavin Ware matched those numbers with his own 8-9 outing en route to a career-high 22 points.

BULLDOGS OPENED TROY'S NEW ARENA

■ The season opener between Mississippi State and Troy on Nov. 9 marked the grand opening of Trojan Arena, Troy's new \$40 million basketball facility.

Historical matchups such as these are not uncommon for MSU.

While they weren't debuts, MSU has been a part of two games that closed out arenas.

The first came in 1976, when the Bulldogs lost 94-93 in overtime to Kentucky at Memorial Coliseum. Then in 2002, MSU defeated South Carolina 64-57 in the final game at Carolina Coliseum.

FREE THROW STREAK ENDS FOR STEELE

■ After making 30-straight free throws dating back to last season, the streak ended Jan. 12 at Georgia.

After making his first of two free throws with 54 seconds left, he missed his second.

His last miss came with 5:13 to play against Northwestern State on Dec. 22, 2011.

BULLDOGS 2012-13 ROSTER**FEATURES A LOT OF NEW FACES**

■ The Bulldogs opened the regular season at Troy with seven new players.

Only five players return from last year's squad that posted 21 wins, a total that includes walk-ons Baxter Price and Tyson Cunningham. The other three returnees are Wendell Lewis, Roquez Johnson and Jalen Steele.

Of the seven newcomers this season, five are freshmen.

LONG-TIME TEAMMATES

■ Craig Sword and Roquez Johnson are more than just college teammates. The two prepped together at G.W. Carver High School in Montgomery, Ala., as well.

In back-to-back seasons, they advanced to the semifinals and championship games of the state playoffs.

NBA DRAFT TAKES ARNETT MOULTRIE

■ This past June, Arnett Moultrie became the second MSU player to be drafted in the NBA in the last three years.

Moultrie, an All-SEC standout who played at Mississippi State just one season after transferring from UTEP, was the 27th overall pick by the Miami Heat. However, moments after the selection, the Heat traded the Memphis native to Philadelphia.

Moultrie was the first MSU player taken in the first round since 1996, when Erick Dampier (Indiana, 10th) and Dontae' Jones (New York, 21st) were both drafted.

STREAK ENDS AT 262

■ Mississippi State's streak of 262-consecutive games with a made 3-pointer ended on Jan. 9 against South Carolina.

The Bulldogs were 0-10 beyond the arc.

Prior to then, the last time MSU failed to connect from long range was Jan. 18, 2005, at Alabama in a 98-49 setback.

A WIN AT KENTUCKY WOULD . . .

- ✓ Snap a 12-game losing streak.
- ✓ Snap a four-game losing streak to the Wildcats.
- ✓ Give the Bulldogs their third SEC win.
- ✓ Be the second in three visits to Rupp.
- ✓ End the Wildcats two-game winning streak.

THE LOSS TO VANDERBILT . . .

- ✓ Extended MSU's losing streak to 12 games.
- ✓ The 41-point setback tied for the second largest in Humphrey Coliseum history.
- ✓ MSU never had the lead.
- ✓ Saw MSU make just 7 field goals.
- ✓ Saw the Bulldogs out-rebounded by a 51-17 margin.

NEXT TWO UP FOR MSU . . .

OLE MISS

WHEN: Saturday, March 2, 2013
TIME: 4 p.m.
WHERE: Humphrey Coliseum (Starkville)
TV: Fox Sports South
SERIES: MSU leads, 139-107
LAST MEETING: UM, 93-75 (2-6-13)

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

WHEN: Wednesday, March 6, 2013
TIME: 6 p.m.
WHERE: Colonial Life Center (Columbia)
TV: ESPN3
SERIES: MSU leads, 17-8
LAST MEETING: MSU, 56-54 (1-9-13)



2012-13 MISSISSIPPI STATE NOTES

HIGH POINTS OF SEASON VS. MSU LAST NINE YEARS

| Year | Points | Player | School | Date |
|------|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| 2013 | 32 | Kadeem Batts | at Providence | 12-01-12 |
| 2012 | 28 | Chaz Williams | UMass | 03-13-12 |
| 2011 | 40 | Donald Sims | Appalachian State | 11-19-10 |
| 2010 | 35 | Courtney Fortson | at Arkansas | 03-16-10 |
| 2009 | 41 | Tasmin Mitchell | LSU | 02-11-09 |
| 2008 | 42 | Shan Foster | at Vanderbilt | 03-05-08 |
| 2007 | 31 | Isaiah Swann | Florida State | 03-22-07 |
| 2006 | 27 | Kevin Hamilton | vs. Holy Cross | 12-21-05 |
| 2005 | 34 | Earnest Shelton | at Alabama | 01-18-05 |

BULLDOGS IN THE SEC

| Catetory | Ranking |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Scoring Offense..... | 14 |
| Scoring Defense..... | 14 |
| Field Goal %..... | 14 |
| Field Goal % Defense..... | 14 |
| 3-Point Field Goal %..... | 14 |
| 3-Point Field Goal % Defense..... | 13 |
| 3-Pointers Made..... | 14 |
| Free Throw %..... | 11 |
| Rebounding..... | T12 |
| Offensive Rebounds..... | 10 |
| Defensive Rebounds..... | 13 |
| Blocks..... | 8 |
| Assists..... | 14 |
| Steals..... | 5 |
| Turnover Margin..... | 12 |
| Assist/Turnover Ratio..... | 14 |

KENTUCKY SERIES

KENTUCKY

(VU leads, 74-45)
(UK leads, 88-20)
Last MSU win: 66-57 (2008-09)
Last UK win: 73-64 (2011-12)
Current UK win streak: 4
Biggest MSU win: 82-69 (1984-85)
Biggest UK win: 110-66 (1951-52)
Most MSU points: 97 (1989-90)
Most UK points: 118 (1974-75)

at Starkville

(UK leads, 32-12)
Last MSU win: 69-64 (2007-08)
Last UK win: 73-64 (2011-12)
Current UK win streak: 2
Biggest MSU win: 82-69 (1984-85)
Biggest UK win: 118-80 (1974-75)
Most MSU points: 89 (1956-57)
Most UK points: 118 (1974-75)

at Lexington

(UK leads, 44-5)
Last MSU win: 66-57 (2008-09)
Last UK win: 85-79 (2010-11)
Current UK win streak: 1
Biggest MSU win: 66-57 (2008-09)
Biggest UK win: 110-66 (1951-52)
Most MSU points: 97 (1989-90)
Most UK points: 112 (1974-75)

at Neutral Sites

(UK leads, 12-3)
Last MSU win: 84-82 (2006-07)
Last UK win: 75-74 (2009-10)
Current UK win streak: 1
Biggest MSU win: 84-73 (1995-96)
Biggest UK win: 87-55 (1949-50)
Most MSU points: 84 (twice)

VERSUS GEORGIA

| Player | G-GS | Mins | FGM-FGA | Pct | 3GM-3GA | Pct | FTM-FTA | Pct | Rebs | Ast | TO | BS | Stl | Pts |
|------------|------|------|---------|------|---------|------|---------|-------|-------|-----|----|----|-----|---------|
| Cunningham | DNP | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Johnson | DNP | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lewis | 4-0 | 34 | 2-6 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-1.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4-1.0 |
| Price | DNP | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Steele | 2-1 | 60 | 10-17 | .588 | 8-14 | .571 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-0.5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 30-15.0 |

Kentucky 73 • 27-1, 13-0

| # | Player | | Total | | 3-Ptr | | Rebounds | | | PF | TP | A | TO | Blk | Stl | Min |
|----|--------------------|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | FG-FGA | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | FT-FTA | Off | Def | Tot | | | | | | | |
| 03 | Jones, Terrence | f | 5-12 | 0-1 | 1-3 | 1-3 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 33 |
| 14 | Kidd-Gilchrist, M. | f | 7-12 | 0-1 | 4-5 | 4-5 | 1 | 9 | 10 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 36 |
| 23 | Davis, Anthony | f | 4-9 | 0-2 | 5-6 | 5-6 | 3 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 38 |
| 20 | Lamb, Doron | g | 3-9 | 1-3 | 4-4 | 4-4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 33 |
| 25 | Teague, Marquis | g | 3-8 | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 23 |
| 01 | Miller, Darius | | 3-7 | 3-6 | 3-3 | 3-3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 31 |
| 30 | Vargas, Eloy | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 33 | Wiltjer, Kyle | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| | Team | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | | |
| | Totals | | 25-57 | 6-16 | 17-21 | 17-21 | 11 | 25 | 36 | 10 | 73 | 10 | 9 | 5 | 7 | 200 |

FG % 1st Half: 12-31 38.7% 2nd half: 13-26 50.0% Game: 25-57 43.9% Deadball Rebounds 2
3FG % 1st Half: 2-6 33.3% 2nd half: 4-10 40.0% Game: 6-16 37.5%
FT % 1st Half: 2-4 50.0% 2nd half: 15-17 88.2% Game: 17-21 81.0%

Mississippi State 64 • 19-9, 6-7

| # | Player | | Total | | 3-Ptr | | Rebounds | | | PF | TP | A | TO | Blk | Stl | Min |
|----|-----------------|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | FG-FGA | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | FT-FTA | Off | Def | Tot | | | | | | | |
| 01 | Renardo Sidney | f | 1-6 | 1-2 | 0-2 | 0-2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| 23 | Arnett Moultrie | f | 6-10 | 0-1 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 3 | 8 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 39 |
| 03 | Dee Bost | g | 5-15 | 3-6 | 8-8 | 8-8 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 21 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 38 |
| 04 | Rodney Hood | g | 2-6 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| 22 | Brian Bryant | g | 3-6 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 0-2 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 35 |
| 00 | Jalen Steele | | 4-8 | 3-7 | 2-2 | 2-2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 33 |
| 10 | Shaun Smith | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 30 | Wendell Lewis | | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 19 |
| 33 | DeVille Smith | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Team | | | | | | 3 | 3 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| | Totals | | 22-54 | 9-20 | 11-15 | 11-15 | 9 | 23 | 32 | 17 | 64 | 13 | 12 | 4 | 5 | 200 |

FG % 1st Half: 14-29 48.3% 2nd half: 8-25 32.0% Game: 22-54 40.7% Deadball Rebounds 2
3FG % 1st Half: 6-12 50.0% 2nd half: 3-8 37.5% Game: 9-20 45.0%
FT % 1st Half: 7-7 100.0% 2nd half: 4-8 50.0% Game: 11-15 73.3%

Officials: Ted Valentine, Doug Shows, Bert Smith
Technical fouls: Kentucky-Teague, Marquis; Davis, Anthony. Mississippi
State-Arnett Moultrie.
Attendance: 10213

| Score by periods | 1st | 2nd | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Kentucky | 28 | 45 | 73 |
| Mississippi State | 41 | 23 | 64 |

| Points | In Paint | Off T/O | 2nd Chance | Fast Break | Bench |
|--------|----------|---------|------------|------------|-------|
| UK | 34 | 13 | 7 | 10 | 12 |
| MS | 22 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 15 |

Last FG - UK 2nd-01:27, MS 2nd-01:55.
Largest lead - UK by 9 2nd-00:24, MS by 13 1st-04:26.

Score tied - 0 times.
Lead changed - 1 time.

LAST YEAR VS. UK

SIGNING DAY/MSU BY THE NUMBERS

Bulldogs Land Three Standouts In Early Signing Period

STARKVILLE, Miss. – First year Mississippi State coach Rick Ray took advantage of the early signing period and landed three outstanding players who are expected to contribute immediately next season — Imara “I.J.” Ready, Travis Daniels and Fallou Ndoye.

Ready is a 5-foot-11 guard out of Little Rock whose high school coach Al Flanigan is the father of MSU assistant Wes Flanigan, while Daniels is a forward at Shelton State. Ndoye, a native of Senegal, is a 6-11 forward currently at Findley College Prep School in Las Vegas.

“First of all, I want to commend my staff for putting together a terrific recruiting class,” Ray said. “Wes, George (Brooks), and Chris (Hollender) all played significant roles in us recruiting and landing these outstanding student-athletes. It is rare in this business that you identify your top targets and are able to recruit and sign those same top targets, and my staff was successful in getting it done.”

IMARA READY

Ready has led Parkview Magnet High School to back-to-back Arkansas 6A State Championship titles the last two years. In the 2012 title game, he paced Parkview with 21 points, five assists and four steals in a 69-65 double-overtime victory.

As a junior, Ready averaged 20.1 points, 5.2 assists and four steals. A year earlier, Ready registered 17 points, seven assists and five rebounds a contest as a sophomore.

During the summer of 2012, Ready played for coach Billy Ingram’s Arkansas Hawks AAU program. The Hawks claimed runner-up honors at the prestigious Adidas Fab 48 in Las Vegas, while Ready averaged 25 points and seven assists during the summer.

Ready also held offers from Alabama, Nebraska, Oregon, Texas Tech

and Arkansas-Little Rock.

“He’s just a flat out winner,” Ray said. “I.J. has a competitive fire and spirit that will really help our team next year and for years to come. I am excited about the talent and intangibles he will provide for us. Our team will love playing with him because he is a consummate play maker.”

TRAVIS DANIELS

Daniels will add much needed experience to the young Bulldog squad.

During his freshman campaign at Shelton State, Daniels led coach Barry Mohun’s Buccaneers to a 28-4 record and a runner-up finish in the Alabama Community College Conference Tournament.

The 6-8 forward prepped at Russellville High School where he averaged a double-double his senior year. As a junior, he played at Woodrow Wilson High School, leading the team in points per game (18.8) and rebounds per game (3.0).

The Russellville, Ala., native selected the Bulldogs over Southern Miss, Western Kentucky and Wichita State.

“Travis is a young man that can dribble, pass, and shoot,” Ray said. “It seems simple but not many players at his size can do all three equally well. He is a jack of all trades that can play multiple positions and affect the game in many ways.”

FALLOU NDOYE

Ndoye is in his first year at Findley after spending last season at Faith Baptist in Brandon, Fla.

Through the first seven games, he’s averaged 7 points and 7 rebounds for a team that uses an 11-man rotation.

“Fallou was our No. 1 target in filling our frontcourt needs,” Ray said. “He has a long, big, active body that will continue to get better because he plays and works hard”

MSU BY THE NUMBERS

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Craig Sword is 2nd among freshmen in SEC play with 11.1 points.

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MSU is 5th in the SEC in steals at 7.9.

9

Colin Borchert is 9th in the SEC with his 1.3 blocked shots.

13

Gavin Ware is 10th in the SEC with his 6.5 rebounds a game.

MSU COACH RICK RAY

Head Coach Rick Ray

- On April 1, 2012, Rick Ray was named the 19th head coach in Mississippi State history.
- 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.
- While at Purdue, Ray was an assistant with second-year Tennessee coach Cuonzo Martin.
- The 2007 Purdue recruiting class 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).
- Ray's first coaching job was at Nebraska-Omaha.
- Ray and his wife, Breyana, have a son, Deacon and a daughter, Katriece.



First-Year Coaches In The SEC

Here is a look at how first-year SEC coaches opened their respective tenures . . .

| School | Coach | Opponent | Score | Date |
|------------|-----------------|------------------------|---------------|----------|
| Alabama | Anthony Grant | Cornell | L, 71-67 | 11/14/09 |
| Arkansas | Mike Anderson | USC-Upstate | W, 83-63 | 11/11/11 |
| Auburn | Tony Barbee | UNC-Asheville | L, 70-69 (OT) | 11/12/10 |
| Florida | Billy Donovan | UCF | W, 80-63 | 11/22/96 |
| Georgia | Mark Fox | New Orleans | W, 67-59 | 11/17/09 |
| Kentucky | John Calipari | Morehead State | W, 75-59 | 11/13/09 |
| Ole Miss | Andy Kennedy | Mississippi Valley St. | W, 72-49 | 11/10/06 |
| Missouri | Frank Haith | Southeast Missouri St. | W, 83-68 | 11/11/11 |
| Tennessee | Cuonzo Martin | UNC-Greensboro | W, 92-63 | 11/11/11 |
| Texas A&M | Billy Kennedy | Liberty | W, 81-59 | 11/09/11 |
| Vanderbilt | Kevin Stallings | Belmont | W, 72-55 | 11/23/99 |

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How First-Year MSU Coaches In Modern Era Have Fared . . .

| Coach | Opponent | Score | Date |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------|
| Paul Gregory | Vanderbilt | W, 51-45 | 12/5/47 |
| Babe McCarthy | Howard College | W, 108-65 | 12/2/55 |
| Joe Dan Gold | Northeast Louisiana | L, 72-78 (OT) | 12/2/65 |
| Kermit Davis | Louisiana College | W, 73-54 | 12/1/70 |
| Ron Greene | Biscayne | W, 95-78 | 11/26/77 |
| Jim Hatfield | South Alabama | W, 86-78 | 11/30/78 |
| Bob Boyd | Auburn-Montgomery | W, 68-43 | 11/27/81 |
| Richard Williams | Illinois Wesleyan | W, 83-78 | 11/29/86 |
| Rick Stansbury | Ark.-Pine Bluff | W, 105-53 | 11/17/98 |

MISSISSIPPI STATE BASKETBALL

GAME 27: KENTUCKY

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

BASKETBALL HISTORY

First Year of Basketball: _____ 1908-09
Number of Seasons: _____ 101
All-Time Record: _____ 1,317-1,101
All-Time SEC Record: _____ 553-709
Total Number of Head Coaches: _____ 19
Humphrey Coliseum Record: _____ 386-151
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: _____ 27-49
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: _____ 7-19
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: _____ Scotty Johnson
Graduate Manager: _____ Nick Lagroon
Administrative Asst.: _____ Suzanne Cook
Media Relations Contact: _____ Gregg Ellis
Office Phone: _____ 662-325-3595
Cell Phone: _____ 662-322-0145
Fax: _____ 662-325-3654
Email: _____ gellis@athletics.msstate.edu

TEAM INFORMATION

2011-12 Overall Record _____ 21-12
2011-12 SEC Record _____ 8-8
SEC Finish: _____ T6th
National Ranking: _____ n/a
Starters Returning/Lost: _____ 1/5
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: _____ 5/10
Newcomers: _____ 7
Roster (Sr./Jr./So./Fr.): _____ (2/3/2/5)

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 14-4 mark, while it is 5-7 this season.

The Bulldogs have compiled a 36-season composite record of 386-151 (.719) 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 | 5-7 | .417 | 1-6 | .143 | 4-1 | .800 |
| Totals | 5-7 | .417 | 1-6 | .143 | 4-1 | .800 |

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

MISSISSIPPI STATE ROSTER/MEDIA INFORMATION

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 Bart Gregory serving as the color analyst.

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

Rick Ray Show

◆Making its debut this year is "Mississippi State Basketball with Rick Ray" a 30-minute television program featuring MSU's first-year coach Rick Ray and his 2012-13 squad.

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

Under the direction of producer/director Bennie Ashford, 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 Stansbury is scheduled for 11:17 a.m. CT.

Social Networking

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

You can also follow MSU basketball daily on the blog at mstatembk.posterous.com for features, opponent information or game recaps, in addition to other features of interest.

2012-13 MISSISSIPPI STATE ROSTER**Numerical Roster**

| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Exp. | Hometown |
|-----|-------------------|------|------|-----|-----|------|-----------------------------------|
| 0 | Jalen Steele | G | 6-3 | 194 | Jr. | 2L | Knoxville, TN (Fulton HS) |
| 1 | Fred Thomas | G | 6-5 | 191 | Fr. | HS | Jackson, MS (Jim Hill HS) |
| 2 | Andre Applewhite | G | 6-5 | 217 | Fr. | HS | Memphis, TN (Central HS) |
| 3 | Colin Borchert | F | 6-8 | 231 | Jr. | JC | Phoenix, AZ (East Miss CC) |
| 4 | Trivante Bloodman | G | 6-0 | 182 | So. | JC | Bronx, NY (Olney Central College) |
| 5 | Wendell Lewis | C | 6-9 | 258 | Sr. | 3L | Selma, AL (Selma HS) |
| 11 | Jacoby Davis | G | 6-1 | 191 | Fr. | HS | Charlotte, NC (West Charlotte HS) |
| 15 | Baxter Price | G | 5-10 | 169 | Sr. | 3L | Brandon, MS (Northwest Rankin HS) |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | F | 6-9 | 270 | Fr. | HS | Starkville, MS (Starkville HS) |
| 24 | Tyson Cunningham | G | 6-3 | 194 | Jr. | 1L | Columbus, MS (Columbus HS) |
| 25 | Roquez Johnson | F | 6-7 | 210 | So. | 1L | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 32 | Craig Sword | G | 6-3 | 189 | Fr. | HS | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |

Alphabetical Roster

| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Exp. | Hometown |
|-----|-------------------|------|------|-----|-----|------|-----------------------------------|
| 2 | Andre Applewhite | G | 6-5 | 217 | Fr. | HS | Memphis, TN (Central HS) |
| 4 | Trivante Bloodman | G | 6-0 | 182 | So. | JC | Bronx, NY (Olney Central College) |
| 3 | Colin Borchert | F | 6-8 | 231 | Jr. | JC | Phoenix, AZ (East Miss CC) |
| 24 | Tyson Cunningham | G | 6-3 | 194 | Jr. | 1L | Columbus, MS (Columbus HS) |
| 11 | Jacoby Davis | G | 6-1 | 191 | Fr. | HS | Charlotte, NC (West Charlotte HS) |
| 25 | Roquez Johnson | F | 6-7 | 210 | So. | 1L | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 5 | Wendell Lewis | C | 6-9 | 258 | Sr. | 3L | Selma, AL (Selma HS) |
| 15 | Baxter Price | G | 5-10 | 169 | Sr. | 3L | Brandon, MS (Northwest Rankin HS) |
| 0 | Jalen Steele | G | 6-3 | 194 | Jr. | 2L | Knoxville, TN (Fulton HS) |
| 32 | Craig Sword | G | 6-3 | 189 | Fr. | HS | Montgomery, AL (G.W. Carver HS) |
| 1 | Fred Thomas | G | 6-5 | 191 | Fr. | HS | Jackson, MS (Jim Hill HS) |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | F | 6-9 | 270 | Fr. | HS | Starkville, MS (Starkville HS) |

HEAD COACH:

Rick Ray (Grand View College [IA], 1994; 1st year)

ASSISTANTS:

Wes Flanigan (Auburn, 1997; 1st year)

Chris Hollender (Evansville, 1998; 1st year)

George Brooks (Mississippi State, 1997; 3rd year)

OPERATIONS:

Adam Gordon (Tampa, 2006; 1st year)

STRENGTH & CONDITIONG:

Richard Akins

TRAINER:

Scotty Johnson

Pronunciation Guide

TRIVANTE BLOODMAN: TRA-VON-TAY

COLIN BORCHERT: BORE-KURT

WENDELL LEWIS: WIN-DELL

JALEN STEELE: JAY-LEN

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> |
|-------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Troy | 12/27 | 24/14 | 15/18 | 9/8 | 4/2 |
| Florida Atlantic | 40/19 | 48/18 | 31/11 | 10/17 | 8/4 |
| North Carolina | 8/51 | 22/36 | 13/34 | 6/24 | 6/18 |
| Marquette | 11/46 | 28/48 | 11/37 | 18/20 | 9/16 |
| Texas | 13/26 | 24/28 | 20/24 | 9/16 | 6/7 |
| Alcorn State | 20/6 | 22/20 | 18/14 | 8/7 | 8/0 |
| Providence | 34/7 | 38/34 | 11/11 | 18/14 | 10/4 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 24/12 | 32/14 | 18/9 | 4/12 | 8/2 |
| Loyola-Chicago | 10/28 | 24/24 | 12/14 | 8/17 | 5/11 |
| Central Arkansas | 21/24 | 42/28 | 7/19 | 7/11 | 4/4 |
| Alabama A&M | 17/3 | 26/32 | 10/11 | 4/14 | 0/8 |
| New Orleans | 46/24 | 40/26 | 33/20 | 15/8 | 11/10 |
| South Carolina | 22/11 | 34/20 | 28/15 | 6/10 | 14/2 |
| Georgia | 18/18 | 24/30 | 9/11 | 9/14 | 6/6 |
| Alabama | 16/27 | 18/38 | 11/25 | 2/13 | 2/3 |
| Tennessee | 17/23 | 16/42 | 4/18 | 16/14 | 8/11 |
| Arkansas | 35/60 | 24/42 | 8/42 | 11/12 | 2/23 |
| Florida | 19/15 | 26/32 | 16/17 | 2/9 | 12/6 |
| Texas A&M | 3/5 | 14/36 | 25/21 | 7/6 | 0/14 |
| LSU | 18/18 | 32/38 | 21/22 | 11/20 | 17/12 |
| Ole Miss | 24/11 | 40/46 | 8/21 | 14/12 | 8/11 |
| Florida | 3/21 | 30/38 | 14/21 | 6/8 | 12/16 |
| Missouri | 3/19 | 14/40 | 10/28 | 8/5 | 4/10 |
| LSU | 12/32 | 34/24 | 12/17 | 7/11 | 0/0 |
| Alabama | 23/10 | 16/30 | 7/23 | 10/8 | 2/12 |
| Vanderbilt | 9/28 | 10/32 | 7/12 | 0/24 | 2/0 |
| Kentucky | | | | | |
| Ole Miss | | | | | |
| South Carolina | | | | | |
| Auburn | | | | | |
| SEC Tournament | | | | | |

GAME-BY-GAME LEAD/DEFICIT

| <u>Opponent</u> | <u>Largest Lead</u> | <u>Largest Deficit</u> | <u>Final Score</u> |
|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Troy | 5-0 (16:27, 1st) | 14-30 (4:59, 1st) | L/56-53 |
| Florida Atlantic | 73-43 (6:09, 2nd) | 10-11 (13:24, 1st) | W/78-58 |
| North Carolina | Never Led | 42-91 (2:00, 2nd) | L/95-49 |
| Marquette | Never Led | 56-87 (2:05, 2nd) | L/87-62 |
| Texas | 2-0 (19:02, 1st) | 39-64 (7:14, 2nd) | L, 69-55 |
| Alcorn State | 58-32 (7:22, 2nd) | 0-2 (19:54, 1st) | W, 60-42 |
| Providence | Never Led | 33-59 (10:54, 2nd) | L, 73-63 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 47-35 (2:25, 2nd) | 6-11 (13:12, 1st) | W, 53-42 |
| Loyola-Chicago | 6-0 (15:22, 1st) | 38-56 (6:36, 2nd) | L, 59-51 |
| Central Arkansas | 68-52 (4:25, 1st) | Never Trailed | W, 79-72 |
| Alabama A&M | 27-12 (5:58, 1st) | 33-35 (12:57, 2nd) | L, 59-57 |
| New Orleans | 97-45 (:43, 2nd) | Never Trailed | W, 97-46 |
| South Carolina | 4-0 (18:05, 1st) | 4-12 (14:52, 1st) | W, 56-54 |
| Georgia | 72-59 (:10, 2nd) | 23-30 (5:05, 1st) | W, 72-61 |
| Alabama | 10-6 (14:30, 1st) | 36-73 (4:45, 2nd) | L, 75-43 |
| Tennessee | 14-13 (11:38, 1st) | 55-72 (1:19, 2nd) | L, 72-57 |
| Arkansas | 2-0 (19:02, 1st) | 59-89 (3:27, 2nd) | L, 96-70 |
| Florida | 4-3 (18:08, 1st) | 23-49 (14:22, 2nd) | L, 82-47 |
| Texas A&M | 31-17 (18:48, 2nd) | 49-55 (:13, OT) | L, 55-49 |
| LSU | 36-19 (3:20, 1st) | 0-2 (19:38, 1st) | L, 69-68 |
| Ole Miss | 2-0 (19:24, 1st) | 20-42 (:28, 1st) | L, 93-75 |
| Florida | 5-4 (15:09, 1st) | 52-79 (2:42, 2nd) | L, 83-58 |
| Missouri | Never Led | 27-71 (5:23, 2nd) | L, 78-36 |
| LSU | Never Led | 40-60 (11:07, 2nd) | L, 80-68 |
| Alabama | 2-0 (19:19, 1st) | 47-62 (1:09, 2nd) | L, 64-56 |
| Vanderbilt | Never Led | 70-29 (1:57, 2nd) | L, 72-31 |
| Kentucky | | | |
| Ole Miss | | | |
| South Carolina | | | |
| Auburn | | | |
| SEC Tournament | | | |

Mississippi State Scoring By The Half

| <u>Team</u> | <u>1st Half</u> | <u>2nd Half</u> |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Troy | 22 | 31 |
| Florida Atlantic | 43 | 35 |
| North Carolina | 17 | 32 |
| Marquette | 27 | 35 |
| Texas | 20 | 35 |
| Alcorn State | 37 | 23 |
| Providence | 21 | 42 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 23 | 30 |
| Loyola Chicago | 20 | 31 |
| Central Arkansas | 34 | 45 |
| Alabama A&M | 33 | 24 |
| New Orleans | 43 | 54 |
| South Carolina | 26 | 30 |
| Georgia | 36 | 36 |
| Alabama | 22 | 21 |
| Tennessee | 29 | 28 |
| Arkansas | 33 | 37 |
| Florida | 19 | 28 |
| Texas A&M | 29 | 18 |
| LSU | 40 | 28 |
| Ole Miss | 23 | 52 |
| Florida | 26 | 32 |
| Missouri | 10 | 26 |
| LSU | 28 | 40 |
| Alabama | 20 | 31 |
| Vanderbilt | 17 | 14 |

Lowest First Half: 10, Missouri

Highest First Half: 43, Florida Atlantic/New Orleans

Lowest Second Half: 14, Vanderbilt

Highest Second Half: 54, New Orleans

Opponent Scoring By The Half

| <u>Team</u> | <u>1st Half</u> | <u>2nd Half</u> |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Troy | 32 | 24 |
| Florida Atlantic | 26 | 32 |
| North Carolina | 49 | 46 |
| Marquette | 48 | 41 |
| Texas | 38 | 31 |
| Alcorn State | 21 | 21 |
| Providence | 39 | 34 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 17 | 25 |
| Loyola Chicago | 34 | 25 |
| Central Arkansas | 25 | 47 |
| Alabama A&M | 25 | 34 |
| New Orleans | 16 | 30 |
| South Carolina | 26 | 28 |
| Georgia | 35 | 26 |
| Alabama | 30 | 45 |
| Tennessee | 37 | 35 |
| Arkansas | 42 | 54 |
| Florida | 41 | 41 |
| Texas A&M | 17 | 30 |
| LSU | 26 | 43 |
| Ole Miss | 42 | 51 |
| Florida | 42 | 41 |
| Missouri | 34 | 44 |
| LSU | 41 | 39 |
| Alabama | 31 | 33 |
| Vanderbilt | 37 | 35 |

Lowest First Half: 16, New Orleans

Highest First Half: 49, North Carolina

Lowest Second Half: 21, Alcorn State

Highest Second Half: 54, Arkansas

MISSISSIPPI STATE BY THE NUMBERS

MSU'S 2012-13 RECORD WHEN . . .

| | |
|--|------|
| Leads at Halftime | 6-3 |
| Trails at Halftime | 0-16 |
| Is Tied at Halftime | 1-0 |
| Shoots 45% or better from the field | 5-2 |
| Shoots less than 45% from the field | 2-17 |
| Opp. shoots less than 45% from the field | 7-6 |
| Opp. shoots 45% or better from the field | 0-13 |
| Outrebounds (or ties) the opponent | 3-4 |
| Outrebounded by the opponent | 4-15 |
| Fewer (or ties) TOs than opponent | 5-7 |
| More TOs than opponent | 2-12 |
| Holds opponents to 65 points or less | 6-5 |
| In games decided by 10 points or less | 2-7 |

MSU'S 2012-13 RECORD IN . . .

| | |
|----------------------------|------|
| All Games | 7-19 |
| Home Games | 5-7 |
| Road Games | 1-9 |
| Neutral-sites | 1-3 |
| Non-SEC Games | 5-7 |
| Non-SEC Home Games | 4-1 |
| Non-SEC Road Games | 0-3 |
| Non-SEC Neutral-site Games | 1-3 |
| SEC Games | 2-12 |
| SEC Home Games | 1-6 |
| SEC Road Games | 1-6 |
| SEC Tournament | 0-0 |
| November Games | 2-4 |
| December Games | 2-3 |
| January Games | 3-5 |
| February Games | 0-7 |
| March Games | 0-0 |
| Monday Games | 0-1 |
| Tuesday Games | 3-1 |
| Wednesday Games | 1-7 |
| Thursday Games | 1-0 |
| Friday Games | 0-1 |
| Saturday Games | 2-7 |
| Sunday Games | 0-1 |
| Overtime Games | 0-1 |
| Television Games | 3-17 |
| Games vs. Ranked Opponents | 0-4 |

MISC. 2012-13 TEAM STATS

Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss:
17, vs LSU (2-02-13)

Largest Deficit Overcome in Win:
8, vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)

Largest Lead at Anytime:
52, vs. New Orleans (1-3-13)

Largest Deficit Anytime:
49, vs. North Carolina (11-19-12)

MISCELLANEOUS MSU INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

| | |
|--|---|
| Games Scoring in Double Figures: | Thomas 12, Sword 12, Ware 12, Johnson 10, Borchert 8, Steele 7, Bloodman 5, Lewis 3, Cunningham |
| Games Scoring 20-plus Points: | Lewis, Ware, Steele, Sword |
| Games Scoring 30-plus Points: | |
| Games Rebounding in Double Figures: | Ware 3, Lewis, Borchert |
| Games With Double Figures in Assists: | |
| Games With Double-Doubles: | Ware 2, Lewis |
| Games With Triple-Doubles: | |
| Games As Team High Scorer (or co-leader): | Thomas 6, Sword 5, Steele 5, Ware 4, Johnson 3, Lewis 2, Borchert, Bloodman |
| Games As Team High Rebounder (or co-leader): | Ware 16, Borchert 8, Johnson 3, Steele 3, Thomas 2, Bloodman, Lewis, Sword |
| Games As Team Leader in Assists (or co-leader): | Bloodman 13, Sword 12, Thomas 7, Cunningham 5, Borchert 4, Steele 3, Ware |
| Games As Team Leader in Steals (or co-leader): | Thomas 8, Sword 7, Bloodman 6, Borchert 6, Ware 4, Johnson 2, Cunningham 2, Steele |
| Games As Team Leader in Blocks (or co-leader): | Borchert 13, Thomas 8, Ware 8, Johnson 3, Lewis 2, Bloodman, Sword |
| Games As Team Leader in Turnovers (or co-leader): | Sword 16, Bloodman 10, Borchert 5, Johnson 4, Steele 3, Ware 3, Thomas 2, Lewis |

MSU'S RECORD BY STARTING LINEUP

| | |
|---|-----|
| Steele, Bloodman, Thomas, Borchert, Lewis | 1-1 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Thomas, Johnson, Lewis | 0-3 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Cunningham, Johnson, Ware | 1-1 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Thomas, Johnson, Ware | 2-1 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Cunningham, Borchert, Ware | 1-1 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Steele, Borchert, Ware | 2-7 |
| Sword, Bloodman, Thomas, Borchert, Ware | 0-5 |

GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

| Opponent | Date | Guard | Guard | Guard | Forward | Forward | Record |
|-------------------|----------|--------|----------|------------|---------|----------|--------|
| Troy | 11/09/12 | Steele | Bloodman | Thomas | Lewis | Borchert | 0-1 |
| Florida Atlantic | 11/13/12 | Steele | Bloodman | Thomas | Lewis | Borchert | 1-1 |
| North Carolina | 11/19/20 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Lewis | Johnson | 1-2 |
| Marquette | 11/20/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Lewis | Johnson | 1-3 |
| Texas | 11/21/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Lewis | Johnson | 1-4 |
| Alcorn State | 11/27/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Cunningham | Ware | Johnson | 2-4 |
| Providence | 12/01/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Cunningham | Ware | Johnson | 2-5 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 12/04/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Johnson | 3-5 |
| Loyola-Chicago | 12/15/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Johnson | 3-6 |
| Central Arkansas | 12/22/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Johnson | 4-6 |
| Alabama A&M | 12/30/12 | Sword | Bloodman | Cunningham | Ware | Borchert | 4-7 |
| New Orleans | 01/03/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Cunningham | Ware | Borchert | 5-7 |
| South Carolina | 01/09/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 6-7 |
| Georgia | 01/12/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-7 |
| Alabama | 01/16/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-8 |
| Tennessee | 01/19/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-9 |
| Arkansas | 01/23/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-10 |
| Florida | 01/26/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-11 |
| Texas A&M | 01/30/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-12 |
| LSU | 02/02/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-13 |
| Ole Miss | 02/06/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Steele | Ware | Borchert | 7-14 |
| Florida | 02/09/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Borchert | 7-15 |
| Missouri | 02/13/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Borchert | 7-16 |
| LSU | 02/16/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Borchert | 7-17 |
| Alabama | 02/20/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Borchert | 7-18 |
| Vanderbilt | 02/23/13 | Sword | Bloodman | Thomas | Ware | Borchert | 7-19 |
| Kentucky | | | | | | | |
| Ole Miss | | | | | | | |
| South Carolina | | | | | | | |
| Auburn | | | | | | | |
| SEC Tournament | | | | | | | |

2012-13 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 | | | | | 1 | | | | 2 | | | | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| Lost | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | | 8 |

MISSISSIPPI STATE BY THE NUMBERS

MSU Season and Career Totals

| | 2012-13 | Career |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Double-Figure Scoring | | |
| Jalen Steele | 7 (2-5) | 21 (11-10) |
| Gavin Ware | 12 (3-9) | 12 (3-9) |
| Trivante Bloodman | 5 (1-4) | 5 (1-4) |
| Roquez Johnson | 10 (4-6) | 10 (4-6) |
| Craig Sword | 12 (6-6) | 12 (6-6) |
| Fred Thomas | 12 (3-9) | 12 (3-9) |
| Wendell Lewis | 3 (1-2) | 5 (3-2) |
| Colin Borchert | 8 (2-6) | 8 (2-6) |
| Cunningham | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| 20-Plus Point Games | | |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| Gavin Ware | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| Jalen Steele | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| Craig Sword | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| 30-Plus Point Games | | |
| 10-Plus Rebound Games | | |
| Gavin Ware | 3 (2-1) | 3 (2-1) |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 (0-1) | 2 (1-1) |
| Colin Borchert | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| Double-Doubles | | |
| Gavin Ware | 2 (1-1) | 2 (1-1) |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 (0-1) | 2 (1-1) |
| 3-Plus 3-Point Games | | |
| Fred Thomas | 3 (1-2) | 3 (1-2) |
| Jalen Steele | 3 (2-1) | 12 (7-5) |
| Tyson Cunningham | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| Colin Borchert | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| 10-Plus 3-Point Attempt Games | | |
| Thomas | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| 3-Plus Steal Games | | |
| Colin Borchert | 3 (2-1) | 3 (2-1) |
| Fred Thomas | 6 (3-3) | 6 (3-3) |
| Craig Sword | 5 (2-3) | 5 (2-3) |
| Roquez Johnson | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| Jalen Steele | | 2 (1-1) |
| Tyson Cunningham | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |
| Bloodman | 2 (0-2) | 2 (0-2) |
| 5-Plus Block Games | | |
| Wendell Lewis | | 2 (1-1) |
| Ware | 1 (0-1) | 1 (0-1) |
| 5-Plus Made Free Throws | | |
| Trivante Bloodman | 7 (3-4) | 7 (3-4) |
| Roquez Johnson | 6 (3-3) | 6 (3-3) |
| Craig Sword | 4 (2-2) | 4 (2-2) |
| Jalen Steele | | 1 (1-0) |
| Fred Thomas | 2 (0-2) | 2 (0-2) |
| Gavin Ware | 2 (1-1) | 2 (1-1) |
| Colin Borchert | 1 (1-0) | 1 (1-0) |

Note: Record in games in ()

SEC ROAD RECORDS LAST 15 YEARS

| Team | Record | Pct. |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1. Kentucky | 72-46 | .610 |
| 2. Florida | 64-55 | .538 |
| 3. Tennessee | 54-65 | .454 |
| 4. Mississippi State | 41-78 | .345 |
| 5. Vanderbilt | 37-82 | .311 |
| T6. LSU | 36-82 | .305 |
| T6. Alabama | 36-83 | .303 |
| 8. Georgia | 29-90 | .244 |
| T9. Auburn | 28-91 | .235 |
| T9. Ole Miss | 28-91 | .235 |
| 11. South Carolina | 25-93 | .212 |
| 12. Arkansas | 24-95 | .202 |
| 13. Texas A&M | 3-4 | .429 |
| 14. Missouri | 1-6 | .143 |

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WINNING AND LOSING

| Wins | Stat | Losses |
|-------|----------------|--------|
| 70.7 | Points | 55.2 |
| 53.6 | Opp. Points | 74.7 |
| +17.1 | Scoring Margin | -19.5 |
| 47.0 | FG% | 37.3 |
| 33.6 | Opp. FG% | 47.6 |
| 32.4 | 3FG% | 25.5 |
| 26.1 | Opp. 3FG% | 38.2 |
| 39.0 | Rebounds | 30.6 |
| 33.7 | Opp. Rebounds | 38.3 |
| +5.3 | Rebound Margin | -7.7 |
| 12.0 | Assists | 8.6 |
| 13.2 | Turnovers | 17.0 |
| 11.3 | Steals | 6.7 |
| 5.4 | Blocks | 3.2 |

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, Ravern Johnson vs. Troy (11-26-10)

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:

Arnett Moultrie (21 vs. Vanderbilt 1-21-12;
28 vs. LSU 1-25-12)

Scored 20+ points in three-consecutive games:

Arnett Moultrie (20 vs. Troy 12-10-11; 21 vs.
West Va. 12-3-11; 20 vs. N. Texas 11-27-11)

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, Arnett Moultrie vs. LSU (1-25-12)

Made 11 field goals in a game:

11, Dee Bost vs. Auburn (2-13-10)

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, Charles Rhodes vs. Oregon (3-21-08)

Made 15 or more free throws in a game:

18, Rich Knarr vs. Auburn (2-19-73)

Attempted 17 free throws in a game:

17, Jarvis Varnado at Houston (12-19-09)

Attempted 18 free throws in a game:

18, Charles Rhodes vs. Oregon (3-21-08)

Attempted 19 free throws in a game:

19, Carl Nichols vs. SE La. (12-1-88)

Had 16 rebounds in a game:

16, Kodi Augustus at Houston (12-19-09)

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 defensive rebounds in a game:

10, Arnett Moultrie vs. Ole Miss (1-18-12)

Had 11 defensive rebounds in a game:

11, Renardo Sidney (2-11-12)

Had 12 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, Craig Sword vs. Florida (1-26-13)

Had six or more steals in a game:

7, Fred Thomas vs. Florida (1-26-13)

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:

51 at Loyola (12-15-12)

Was held to 50 points:

50 vs. Alabama (2-25-12)

Was held to 49 points or less:

49 vs. Texas A&M (1-30-13)

Was held to 45 points or less:

43 vs. Alabama (1-16-13)

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:

57 vs. No. 15 Arizona (11-18-11)

Held opponent to 56 points or less:

56 at Troy (11-09-12)

Held opponent to 55 points or less:

55 vs. Texas A&M (1-30-13)

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:

.518 [29-56] vs. Arkansas (3-3-12)

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:

.327 [17-52] vs. Florida (1-26-13)

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:

.328 [19-58] vs. Georgia (1-12-13)

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:

.545 [30-55], LSU (2-16-13)

Made 35 or more field goals:

35 vs. New Orleans (1-3-13)

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:

39 vs. Vanderbilt (2-12-05)

Made 10 or more 3-pointers:

11 vs. New Orleans (1-3-13)

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:

[0-10] vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)

Made just one 3-pointer:

vs. Southeastern Louisiana (11-28-05)

Made just two 3-pointers:

vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Attempted only 10 3-pointers:

10 vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)

Attempted six 3-pointers or less:

6 at Ole Miss (1-29-03)

Attempted 25 3-pointers:

25 vs. Ole Miss (2-9-12)

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:

30 vs. Arkansas (1-15-05)

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 Alabama (1-19-08)

Made fewer than four free throws:

3 vs. Baylor (12-28-11)

Made only 1 free throw:

1 at Kentucky (1-13-07)

Attempted 30 or more free throws:

33 vs. Alcorn State (11-27-12)

THE LAST TIME (CONTINUED) . . .

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| Attempted 35 or more free throws: 36 vs. Central Arkansas (12-22-12) | Had Fewer Than 5 Assists: 4, Vanderbilt (2-23-13) | Had 11 blocked shots: 11 at Alabama (2-21-09) |
| Attempted 40 or more free throws: 41 vs. Charlotte (11-29-06) | Had 20 or more turnovers: 20 vs. Washington St. (11-28-08) | Had 12 blocked shots: 12 vs. Troy (11-26-10) |
| Attempted fewer than 10 free throws: 8, vs. Alabama (1-16-13) | Had 21 or more turnovers: 21 vs. Alabama (1-16-13) | Had 13 blocked shots: 13 vs. Arkansas (1-14-10) |
| Had 50 or more rebounds: 50 vs. Alcorn State (11-27-12) | Had 22 or more turnovers: 23 vs. Alabama (2-20-13) | Had 14 blocked shots: 14 vs. Texas-Pan American (11-24-09) |
| Had 55 or more rebounds: 58 vs. Troy (12-10-05) | Had 25 turnovers: 25 vs. UT Martin (11-17-07) | Had 16 blocked shots: 16 vs. Georgia (1-12-08) |
| Had 59 or more rebounds: 59 at Houston (12-19-09) | Had 29 or more turnovers: 29 at Arkansas (1-23-13) | Had 10 steals: 10 vs. Alcorn State (11-27-12) |
| Had fewer than 25 rebounds: 17 vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13) | Had 30 or more turnovers: 31 at Kentucky (1-7-97) | Had 11 steals: 11 vs. LSU (2-2-13) |
| Had 20 or fewer rebounds: 20 vs. Florida (1-26-13) | Had 34 or more turnovers: 34 at Evansville (12-17-75) | Had 12 steals: 12 vs. Florida (1-26-13) |
| Had 20 or more assists: 20 vs. Louisiana-Monroe (11-21-11) | Had fewer than 10 turnovers: 9 vs. LSU (2-16-13) | Had 13 or more steals: 14 vs. South Carolina (1-9-13) |
| Had 21 or more assists: 21 vs. Auburn (2-4-12) | Had five or fewer turnovers: 5 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-30-10) | Had 17 or more steals: 17 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-13-12) |
| Had 25 or more assists: 25 vs. St. Bonaventure (12-05-09) | Forced 25 or more turnovers: 27 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-13-12) | Had 20 or more steals: 20 vs. Nicholls State (11-17-01) |
| Had 30 or more assists: 30 vs. Troy (12-10-11) | Had 10 blocked shots: 10 vs. Tennessee (1-12-12) | Had 1 steal or less: 1 vs. Vanderbilt (3-11-11) |

CHARTING THE BULLDOGS

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Dunks | |
| Gavin Ware | 32 |
| Craig Sword | 11 |
| Fred Thomas | 7 |
| Roquez Johnson | 6 |
| Colin Borchert | 4 |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 |
| Jalen Steele | 1 |
| Charges Drawn | |
| Trivante Bloodman | 12 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 5 |
| Craig Sword | 5 |
| Roquez Johnson | 3 |
| Fred Thomas | 2 |
| Colin Borchert | 1 |
| Jalen Steele | 1 |
| Gavin Ware | 1 |
| Point Distribution (%) | |
| Senior | 65 (4.2) |
| Junior | 390 (25.3) |
| Sophomore | 359 (23.3) |
| Freshman | 729 (47.2) |
| Total | 1,543 |
| First Sub | |
| Fred Thomas | 7 |
| Roquez Johnson | 5 |
| Colin Borchert | 4 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 4 |
| Jalen Steele | 3 |
| Craig Sword | 2 |
| Gavin Ware | 2 |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 |
| Scored First Points | |
| Craig Sword | 8 |
| Colin Borchert | 4 |
| Jalen Steele | 2 |
| Gavin Ware | 5 |
| Wendell Lewis | 1 |
| Roquez Johnson | 4 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 1 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 1 |
| How First Points Were Scored | |
| Jump Shot | 6 |
| 3-Pointer | 5 |
| Free Throws | 4 |
| Layup | 9 |
| Dunk | 1 |
| Putback | 1 |
| Final Three Minutes From FT Line | |
| Jalen Steele | 5-6 |
| Wendell Lewis | 2-2 |
| Gavin Ware | 6-8 |
| Craig Sword | 13-19 |
| Fred Thomas | 3-6 |
| Colin Borchert | 8-12 |
| Roquez Johnson | 6-12 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 11-13 |
| Total | 54-78 (.692) |

0 JALEN STEELE



Junior • Guard



Fulton High School

Things To Note . . .

Streak of 30-straight made free throws ended at Georgia. ... Eight minutes into the game against Florida Atlantic fractured left wrist. ... After missing eight games, returned to action against Alabama A&M and scored 10 points. ... Hit 100th 3-pointer vs. Alabama A&M. ... Tied season-high with four made 3-pointers vs. New Orleans and had career-high 21 points at Georgia to go over 500 points for career. ... Missed Florida, Missouri and LSU games after being suspended indefinitely. ... Returned at Alabama and scored 15 points, while having 9 vs. Vanderbilt.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-------|------|------|-----|------|-----|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 34 | 5-12 | .417 | 2-5 | .400 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 0-7-7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 16 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 8 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| N19 North Carolina | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N20 Marquette | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N21 Texas | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N27 Alcorn State | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D1 Providence | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D22 Central Arkansas | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 27 | 3-9 | .333 | 2-6 | .333 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-0-1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| J3 New Orleans | 20 | 5-12 | .417 | 4-6 | .667 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 16 |
| J9 South Carolina | 20 | 2-8 | .250 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| J12 Georgia | 31 | 7-16 | .438 | 4-8 | .500 | 3-4 | .750 | 1-6-7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| J16 Alabama | 24 | 2-8 | .250 | 1-5 | .200 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| J19 Tennessee | 27 | 6-10 | .600 | 1-3 | .333 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-1-1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 15 |
| J23 Arkansas | 31 | 1-8 | .125 | 1-5 | .200 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-1-2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| J26 Florida | 23 | 0-5 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3-4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 36 | 3-7 | .429 | 2-6 | .333 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1-1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| F2 LSU | 32 | 1-8 | .125 | 1-4 | .250 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 30 | 5-13 | .385 | 1-6 | .167 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 2-1-3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 15 |
| F9 Florida | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F13 Missouri | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F16 LSU | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F20 Alabama | 27 | 4-10 | .400 | 3-6 | .500 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 28 | 2-10 | .200 | 1-4 | .250 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 0-1-1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 21, Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 21, Georgia (1-12-13)

Field Goals Made

Season: 7, Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 7, Georgia (1-12-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 16, Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 16, Georgia (1-12-13)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 4, twice,
last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 5, four times,
last vs. UMass (3-13-12)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 8, Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 9, twice,
last vs. UMass (3-13-12)

Free Throws Made

Season: 4, four times,
last vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)
Career: 7, Florida Atlantic (12-13-11)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 4, five times,
last vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)
Career: 8, Florida Atlantic (12-13-11)

Rebounds

Season: 7, twice,
last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)
Career: 7, three times,
last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)

Assists

Season: 3, Ole Miss (2-6-13)
Career: 5, Louisiana-Monroe (11-21-11)

Blocks

Season: 1, Arkansas (1-23-13)
Career: 1, four times,
last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)

Steals

Season: 2, twice,
last vs. South Carolina (1-9-13)
Career: 3, twice,
last vs. Baylor (12-28-11)

Minutes

Season: 36, Texas A&M (1-30-13)
Career: 38, Florida Atlantic (12-13-11)

CAREER STATS FOR JALEN STEELE

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Asst | TO | Blk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
|---------|-------|-----------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|------|---------|------|------|----|-----|-----|---------|
| 2010-11 | 27-6 | 485/18.0 | 49-137 | .358 | 27-82 | .329 | 29-39 | .744 | 40-1.5 | 22-0 | 25 | 24 | 0 | 10 | 154/5.7 |
| 2011-12 | 33-16 | 783/23.7 | 92-231 | .398 | 70-178 | .393 | 32-35 | .914 | 61-1.8 | 37-0 | 28 | 37 | 3 | 10 | 286/8.7 |
| 2012-13 | 15-11 | 398/26.5 | 47-139 | .338 | 23-67 | .343 | 28-30 | .933 | 43-2.9 | 13-0 | 17 | 27 | 1 | 12 | 145/9.7 |
| TOTALS | 75-33 | 1666/22.2 | 188-507 | .371 | 120-327 | .367 | 89-104 | .856 | 144-1.9 | 72-0 | 70 | 88 | 4 | 32 | 585/7.8 |

1 FRED THOMAS



Freshman • Guard

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JACKSON, MS

Jim Hill High School

Things To Note . . .

Became fourth MSU true freshman since 2005 to start on opening day at Troy and had 4 points. ... Dished out a career-high 4 assists vs. Texas. ... Scored team-high 14 points in win against Alcorn State. ... Scored double-digits 12 times. ... Had career-best 7 rebounds against Central Arkansas. ... Scored career-high 19 points vs. Florida and had career-best 7 steals, second most in school history for a single game. ... Has made 27 out of last 32 free throws. ... 8th in SEC with 1.7 steals.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-----|------|------|------|------|-----|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 27 | 1-8 | .125 | 1-6 | .167 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 30 | 6-12 | .500 | 3-7 | .429 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-4-4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 16 |
| N19 North Carolina | 31 | 2-12 | .167 | 1-10 | .100 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-5-5 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| N20 Marquette | 34 | 6-15 | .400 | 4-8 | .500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 17 |
| N21 Texas | 37 | 2-10 | .200 | 1-5 | .200 | 5-5 | 1.000 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 26 | 5-12 | .417 | 0-4 | .000 | 4-7 | .571 | 0-5-5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 14 |
| D1 Providence | 30 | 5-14 | .357 | 2-10 | .200 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 12 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 32 | 3-10 | .300 | 2-8 | .250 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 9 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 35 | 5-14 | .357 | 3-9 | .333 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-3-3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 14 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 33 | 1-9 | .111 | 1-5 | .200 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-6-7 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 16 | 0-6 | .000 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J3 New Orleans | 28 | 6-13 | .462 | 2-7 | .286 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-3-3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 16 |
| J9 South Carolina | 33 | 4-11 | .364 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 8 |
| J12 Georgia | 21 | 3-8 | .375 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| J16 Alabama | 26 | 4-8 | .500 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-4-5 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| J19 Tennessee | 26 | 4-9 | .444 | 2-3 | .667 | 4-5 | .800 | 2-2-4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| J23 Arkansas | 24 | 6-12 | .500 | 2-5 | .400 | 3-4 | .750 | 0-2-2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 17 |
| J26 Florida | 25 | 5-14 | .357 | 1-5 | .200 | 8-9 | .889 | 1-1-2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 19 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 19 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-3 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-2-2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| F2 LSU | 24 | 3-9 | .333 | 0-3 | .000 | 2-3 | .667 | 1-3-4 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 29 | 4-9 | .444 | 2-6 | .333 | 3-3 | 1.000 | 0-6-6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 13 |
| F9 Florida | 29 | 4-9 | .444 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-4-4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| F13 Missouri | 33 | 1-9 | .111 | 0-4 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-4-4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| F16 LSU | 27 | 2-6 | .333 | 1-4 | .250 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| F20 Alabama | 30 | 0-7 | .000 | 0-6 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-5-5 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 30 | 1-5 | .200 | 0-3 | .000 | 4-5 | .800 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 19, Florida (1-26-13)

Field Goals Made

Season: 6, four times,
last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 15, Marquette (11-20-12)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 4, Marquette (11-20-12)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 10, twice,
last vs. Providence (12-1-12)

Free Throws Made

Season: 8, Florida (1-26-13)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 9, Florida (1-26-13)

Rebounds

Season: 7, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Assists

Season: 4, Texas (11-21-12)

Blocks

Season: 3, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Steals

Season: 7, Florida (1-26-13)

Minutes

Season: 37, Texas (11-21-12)

CAREER STATS For FRED THOMAS

| 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 | 26-13 | 735/28.3 | 83-254 | .327 | 32-139 | .230 | 47-61 | .770 | 89-3.4 | 36-1 | 31 | 41 | 18 | 43 | 245/9.4 |

3 COLIN BORCHERT



Junior • Forward

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Phoenix, AZ

East Mississippi CC

Things To Note . . .

Started and scored first points of the year for MSU at Troy. ... Suspended for Maui Invitational. ... Had a career-high 10 rebounds against Texas-San Antonio. ... Had career-high 17 points against New Orleans to go along with his career-best 5 steals and 4 assists. ... Posted a career-high 4 blocks vs. South Carolina. ... Went over 100 points for his career against Florida. ... 9th in SEC with 1.3 blocks. ... Totaled 11 points at LSU to go along with his 4 steals and 3 blocks. ... Tied SEC best with 14 points at Alabama (Florida) and had SEC-best 9 rebounds. ... 100th-career board came at Alabama.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-------|------|------|-----|-------|-----|-------|--------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 32 | 3-9 | .333 | 1-4 | .250 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-1-3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 23 | 1-4 | .250 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| N19 North Carolina | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N20 Marquette | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N21 Texas | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N27 Alcorn State | 15 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-2 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2-4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| D1 Providence | 20 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 26 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-9-10 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 22 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-4 | .000 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 4-1-5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 27 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 5-8 | .625 | 1-3-4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 29 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2-4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| J3 New Orleans | 26 | 8-10 | .800 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-6-8 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 17 |
| J9 South Carolina | 31 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-4-6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| J12 Georgia | 29 | 3-6 | .500 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-5-5 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| J16 Alabama | 23 | 2-7 | .286 | 1-4 | .250 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 5 |
| J19 Tennessee | 23 | 0-7 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-4-5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| J23 Arkansas | 22 | 2-5 | .400 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| J26 Florida | 26 | 3-10 | .300 | 2-5 | .400 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 35 | 4-9 | .444 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-3-5 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 10 |
| F2 LSU | 29 | 4-9 | .444 | 2-3 | .667 | 0-3 | .000 | 1-5-6 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 10 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 24 | 4-10 | .400 | 0-3 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 3-2-5 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| F9 Florida | 33 | 5-11 | .455 | 3-5 | .600 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-4-5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| F13 Missouri | 23 | 2-8 | .250 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-5-5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| F16 LSU | 30 | 5-12 | .417 | 1-7 | .143 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 11 |
| F20 Alabama | 34 | 5-11 | .455 | 1-3 | .333 | 3-6 | .500 | 2-7-9 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 14 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 30 | 0-6 | .000 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 17, New Orleans (1-3-13)

Field Goals Made

Season: 8, New Orleans (1-3-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 12, LSU (2-16-13)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 3, Florida (2-9-13)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 7, LSU (2-16-13)

Free Throws Made

Season: 5, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 8, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Rebounds

Season: 10, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Assists

Season: 4, New Orleans (1-3-13)

Blocks

Season: 4, South Carolina (1-9-13)

Steals

Season: 5, New Orleans (1-3-13)

Minutes

Season: 35, Texas A&M (1-30-13)

CAREER STATS For COLIN BORCHERT

| 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 | 23-18 | 612/26.6 | 70-182 | .385 | 20-71 | .282 | 19-31 | .613 | 108-4.7 | 63-3 | 30 | 54 | 30 | 31 | 179/7.8 |

4 TRIVANTE BLOODMAN



Sophomore • Guard



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Bronx, NY

Olney Central College

Things To Note . . .

Started first-career game at Troy, while registering 11 points. ... Has started all 26 games for the Bulldogs. ... Keyed MSU against FAU with 9 points, 7 assists and 4 rebounds. ... Had season best two made 3-pointers vs. Texas. ... Had career-high 8 rebounds at Providence. ... Had first-career block at Georgia. ... Scored 100th-career points vs. Texas A&M. ... Had 10 points at Florida. ... Made 21 out of last 26 free throws. ... Had career-high 13 points vs. Missouri.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|-----|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 33 | 4-5 | .800 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-6 | .500 | 1-3-4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 28 | 2-7 | .286 | 0-1 | .000 | 5-6 | .833 | 1-4-5 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| N19 North Carolina | 31 | 2-7 | .286 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-3 | .667 | 2-2-4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| N20 Marquette | 27 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 2-3 | .667 | 1-1-2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| N21 Texas | 36 | 2-6 | .333 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 3-4 | .750 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 26 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 3-4 | .750 | 0-3-3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| D1 Providence | 34 | 1-5 | .200 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 4-4-8 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 30 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 34 | 1-4 | .250 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-1-3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 34 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-2 | .000 | 6-8 | .750 | 0-5-5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 27 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-4-5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| J3 New Orleans | 31 | 3-5 | .600 | 1-2 | .500 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-2-3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| J9 South Carolina | 22 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-0-2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| J12 Georgia | 29 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 6-8 | .750 | 1-2-3 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| J16 Alabama | 23 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-2 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-1-1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| J19 Tennessee | 33 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 5-5 | 1.000 | 2-1-3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 9 |
| J23 Arkansas | 24 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| J26 Florida | 24 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 36 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 5-6 | .833 | 0-3-3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| F2 LSU | 26 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 6-6 | 1.000 | 2-4-6 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 30 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2-4 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| F9 Florida | 23 | 4-7 | .571 | 1-3 | .333 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0-0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| F13 Missouri | 31 | 4-7 | .571 | 1-3 | .333 | 4-6 | .667 | 2-0-2 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 13 |
| F16 LSU | 33 | 0-8 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 5-6 | .833 | 0-3-3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5 |
| F20 Alabama | 27 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2-4 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 23 | 2-4 | .500 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 13, Missouri (2-13-13)

Field Goals Made

Season: 4, three times
last vs. Missouri (2-13-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 8, twice,
last vs. LSU (2-16-13)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 2, Texas (11-21-12)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 3, three times,
last vs. Vanderbilt (2-23-13)

Free Throws Made

Season: 6, three times,
last vs. LSU (2-2-13)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 8, twice,
last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)

Rebounds

Season: 8, Providence (21-1-12)

Assists

Season: 7, Florida Atlantic (11-13-12)

Blocks

Season: 1, Georgia (1-12-13)

Steals

Season: 3, twice,
last vs. Missouri (2-13-13)

Minutes

Season: 36, twice,
last vs. Texas A&M (1-30-13)

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 | 26-26 | 755/29.0 | 42-115 | .365 | 9-34 | .265 | 64-85 | .753 | 79-3.0 | 63-1 | 63 | 75 | 1 | 32 | 157/6.0 |

5 WENDELL LEWIS



Senior • Center



Selma High School

Things To Note . . .

Has 13 career starts. ... Tied career high with 3 assists vs. FAU. ... Attempted career-high 9 field goals vs. North Carolina. ... At one point this year, made 11-straight free throws. ... Scored 300th career point vs. Marquette and grabbed 300th career rebound vs. Texas. ... Did not draw the start versus Alcorn State. ... Came off the bench to score 16 points and tie his career-high of 11 rebounds at Providence to give him his second double-double of his career. ... Had career-high 20 points vs. Texas-San Antonio. ... Is out indefinitely with a fractured right patella he suffered on Dec. 12 at practice.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-------|-----|------|-----|-------|--------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 16 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 1-1-2 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 22 | 4-6 | .667 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2-4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| N19 North Carolina | 26 | 4-9 | .444 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-5-6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 10 |
| N20 Marquette | 20 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 2-2-4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| N21 Texas | 20 | 1-8 | .125 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-1-3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 14 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-4-4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| D1 Providence | 24 | 6-8 | .750 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 4-7-11 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 26 | 8-9 | .889 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-5 | .800 | 2-3-5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 20 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D22 Central Arkansas | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D30 Alabama A&M | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J3 New Orleans | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J9 South Carolina | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J12 Georgia | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J16 Alabama | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J19 Tennessee | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J23 Arkansas | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J26 Florida | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J30 Texas A&M | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F2 LSU | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F6 Ole Miss | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F9 Florida | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F13 Missouri | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F16 LSU | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F20 Alabama | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F23 Vanderbilt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 20, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 20, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Field Goals Made

Season: 8, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 8, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 9, twice,
 last vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 9, twice,
 last vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

3-Point FG Made

Season:
 Career: 0

3-Point FG Attempted

Season:
 Career: 0

Free Throws Made

Season: 4, three times,
 last vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 4, three times,
 last vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 5, Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 6, St. Mary's (12-29-10)

Rebounds

Season: 11, Providence (21-1-12)
 Career: 11, twice,
 last vs. Providence (21-1-12)

Assists

Season: 3, Florida Atlantic (11-13-12)
 Career: 3, twice
 last vs. Florida Atlantic (11-13-12)

Blocks

Season: 2, North Carolina (11-19-12)
 Career: 5, twice,
 last vs. Tennessee (1-12-12)

Steals

Season: 1, three times,
 last vs. Providence (21-1-12)
 Career: 2, five times,
 last vs. Providence (21-1-12)

Minutes

Season: 26, twice,
 last vs. Texas-San Antonio (12-4-12)
 Career: 37, Florida Atlantic (12-13-11)

CAREER STATS FOR WENDELL LEWIS

| Year | GP-GS | Min/Avg | FG-FGA | Pct | 3FM-3GA | Pct | FT-FTA | Pct | Rebs | PF-D | Asst | TO | Blk | Stl | Pts/Avg |
|---------|-------|-----------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|------|---------|-------|------|----|-----|-----|---------|
| 2009-10 | 26-0 | 142/5.5 | 15-31 | .484 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-8 | .500 | 34-1.3 | 17-0 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 0 | 34/1.3 |
| 2010-11 | 31-2 | 466/15.0 | 51-89 | .573 | 0-0 | .000 | 13-32 | .406 | 117-3.8 | 40-0 | 9 | 21 | 30 | 9 | 115/3.7 |
| 2011-12 | 33-6 | 694/21.0 | 55-88 | .625 | 0-0 | .000 | 15-30 | .500 | 132-4.0 | 60-1 | 9 | 23 | 30 | 16 | 125/3.8 |
| 2012-13 | 8-5 | 168/21.0 | 25-44 | .568 | 0-0 | .000 | 15-16 | .938 | 39-4.9 | 18-1 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 65/8.1 |
| TOTALS | 98-13 | 1470/15.0 | 146-252 | .579 | 0-0 | .000 | 47-86 | .547 | 322-3.3 | 135-2 | 24 | 65 | 68 | 28 | 339/3.5 |

20 **GAVIN WARE**

Freshman • Forward

6-9 • 270

Starkville, MS

Starkville High School

Things To Note . . .

Scored 10 points in MSU debut at Troy to go along with his seven rebounds. ... Earned first-career start against Alcorn State and grabbed 12 rebounds. ... Had career-high 5 blocks at Loyola. ... Posted first-career double-double against Central Arkansas with career-highs in points (22) and rebounds (13) en route to earning SEC freshman of the week honors. ... Also had double-double vs. Alabama A&M and recorded 100th point against the Bulldogs. ... Collected 100th rebound vs. Georgia. ... Had SEC best 9 rebounds at Tennessee. ... Had SEC-best 16 points at Florida. ... Started 21 games. ... 13th in SEC in rebounding. ... Scored 200th-career points vs. Missouri.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|------|-----|-------|--------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 24 | 5-6 | .833 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-5-7 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 18 | 4-8 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-4 | .500 | 2-3-5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| N19 North Carolina | 27 | 3-9 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 4-5-9 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| N20 Marquette | 32 | 5-9 | .556 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 2-4-6 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| N21 Texas | 24 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-6 | .333 | 4-3-7 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 26 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 4-8-12 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| D1 Providence | 15 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 14 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-5-5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 31 | 4-5 | .800 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-4-5 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 8 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 31 | 8-9 | .889 | 0-0 | .000 | 6-8 | .750 | 4-9-13 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 22 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 29 | 5-12 | .417 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-3 | .667 | 4-7-11 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 12 |
| J3 New Orleans | 27 | 4-6 | .667 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-3 | .667 | 1-7-8 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 10 |
| J9 South Carolina | 21 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-2-4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| J12 Georgia | 22 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-6-6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| J16 Alabama | 33 | 2-3 | .667 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-4-5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| J19 Tennessee | 19 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 4-5-9 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| J23 Arkansas | 29 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 7-8 | .875 | 3-5-8 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 11 |
| J26 Florida | 26 | 5-7 | .714 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 36 | 6-11 | .545 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-4 | .500 | 2-2-4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| F2 LSU | 29 | 6-8 | .750 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-3 | .667 | 2-5-7 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 17 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-6-7 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| F9 Florida | 28 | 7-11 | .636 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-7 | .286 | 3-3-6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| F13 Missouri | 28 | 3-7 | .429 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3 | .333 | 2-3-5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| F16 LSU | 25 | 5-8 | .625 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 3-4-7 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| F20 Alabama | 28 | 4-5 | .800 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3 | .333 | 5-1-6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 30 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-4 | .750 | 0-1-1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs**Points**

Season: 22, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Field Goals Made

Season: 8, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 12, Alabama A&M (12-30-12)

3-Point FG Made

Season:

3-Point FG Attempted

Season:

Free Throws Made

Season: 7, Arkansas (1-23-13)

Free Throws AttemptedSeason: 8, twice,
last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)**Rebounds**

Season: 13, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Assists

Season: 2, Arkansas (1-23-13)

Blocks

Season: 5, Loyola (12-15-12)

StealsSeason: 2, three times,
last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)**Minutes**

Season: 36, Texas A&M (1-30-13)

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 | 26-21 | 669/25.7 | 96-171 | .561 | 0-0 | .000 | 36-68 | .529 | 168-6.5 | 53-2 | 7 | 35 | 22 | 15 | 228/8.8 |

24 TYSON CUNNINGHAM



Junior • Guard

6-3 • 194

Columbus, MS

Columbus High School

Things To Note . . .

Logged 12 minutes at Troy after totaling 14 minutes all of last year. ... Scored first-career points against Florida Atlantic. ... Drew first-career start against Alcorn State and had career-high 6 rebounds. ... Also started at Providence and against Alabama A&M and New Orleans. ... Totaled career-best 10 points vs. Central Arkansas. ... Had first-career block against South Carolina and it proved to be the game-winning block. ... Also had career-high 3 steals vs. USC. ... Scored SEC-best 9 points at Arkansas with a career-high three 3-pointers. ... Played SEC-high 26 minutes at Florida. ... Had 6 points at LSU and then responded with 8 at Alabama. ... Played in all 26 games.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-------|-----|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 12 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-0-1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 21 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-4-4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| N19 North Carolina | 25 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2-4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N20 Marquette | 30 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-1-3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| N21 Texas | 30 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2-4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 28 | 1-3 | .333 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-0 | .000 | 5-1-6 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| D1 Providence | 18 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-2-2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 17 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 22 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 29 | 3-6 | .500 | 2-5 | .400 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-1-2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 20 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| J3 New Orleans | 25 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-1 | .000 | 1-1-2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| J9 South Carolina | 19 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2-3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| J12 Georgia | 20 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| J16 Alabama | 19 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| J19 Tennessee | 20 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J23 Arkansas | 19 | 3-5 | .600 | 3-4 | .750 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| J26 Florida | 19 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 17 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-0-1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| F2 LSU | 12 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 17 | 1-4 | .250 | 1-4 | .250 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| F9 Florida | 26 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F13 Missouri | 21 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1-1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F16 LSU | 22 | 2-4 | .500 | 2-3 | .667 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-0-1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| F20 Alabama | 21 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 0-0-0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 19 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 1-0-1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 10, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)
 Career: 10, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Field Goals Made

Season: 3, twice,
 last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)
 Career: 3, twice,
 last vs. Arkansas (1-23-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 6, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)
 Career: 6, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 3, Arkansas (1-23-13)
 Career: 3, Arkansas (1-23-13)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 5, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)
 Career: 5, Central Arkansas (12-22-12)

Free Throws Made

Season: 2, four times,
 last vs. Alabama (2-20-13)
 Career: 2, four times,
 last vs. Alabama (2-20-13)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 2, four times,
 last vs. Alabama (2-20-13)
 Career: 2, four times,
 last vs. Alabama (2-20-13)

Rebounds

Season: 6, Alcorn State (11-27-12)
 Career: 6, Alcorn State (11-27-12)

Assists

Season: 3, three times,
 last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)
 Career: 3, three times,
 last vs. Georgia (1-12-13)

Blocks

Season: 1, twice,
 last vs. LSU (2-2-13)
 Career: 1, twice,
 last vs. LSU (2-2-13)

Steals

Season: 3, South Carolina (1-9-13)
 Career: 3, South Carolina (1-9-13)

Minutes

Season: 30, twice,
 last vs. Texas (11-21-12)
 Career: 30, twice,
 last vs. Texas (11-21-12)

CAREER STATS FOR TYSON CUNNINGHAM

| 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 | 10-0 | 14/1.4 | 0-11 | .000 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-0.1 | 4-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0/0.0 |
| 2012-13 | 26-4 | 548/21.1 | 21-56 | .375 | 16-38 | .421 | 8-10 | .800 | 56-2.2 | 30-0 | 33 | 26 | 2 | 15 | 66/2.5 |
| TOTALS | 36-4 | 562/15.6 | 21-67 | .313 | 16-42 | .381 | 8-10 | .800 | 57-1.6 | 34-0 | 33 | 27 | 2 | 16 | 66/1.8 |

25 ROQUEZ JOHNSON



Sophomore • Forward

6-7 • 210

Montgomery, AL

G.W. Carver High School

Things To Note . . .

Due to a concussion, did not play at Troy. ... Against FAU, responded with 17 points after scoring just 1 point all of last season as a freshman. ... Scored a career-high 18 points against Texas to go along with his career-high 6 steals, third most in a single game in school history. ... Has scored in double-digits in 10 of the 23 games he's played. ... Against Loyola, went over 100 points for his career. ... Career-high made 8 free throws keyed MSU past South Carolina. ... SEC-best 6 boards vs. LSU. ... Grabbed 100th rebound of the year vs. Missouri. ... Scored 200th-career point at LSU. ... Suspended indefinitely.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-------|------|-------|-----|-------|------|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 23 | 7-11 | .636 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-10 | .300 | 2-3-5 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| N19 North Carolina | 31 | 4-13 | .308 | 1-3 | .333 | 3-4 | .750 | 4-3-7 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| N20 Marquette | 26 | 5-9 | .556 | 0-1 | .000 | 6-8 | .750 | 6-2-8 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 16 |
| N21 Texas | 36 | 7-12 | .583 | 0-1 | .000 | 4-9 | .444 | 4-2-6 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 6 | 18 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 30 | 3-7 | .429 | 0-0 | .000 | 7-9 | .778 | 2-5-7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 13 |
| D1 Providence | 27 | 2-7 | .286 | 0-1 | .000 | 6-11 | .545 | 5-1-6 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 25 | 3-9 | .333 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-1 | .000 | 2-1-3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 25 | 3-9 | .333 | 0-1 | .000 | 7-8 | .875 | 0-4-4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 13 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 24 | 3-7 | .429 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-6 | .500 | 3-4-7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 20 | 2-8 | .250 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-2-4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| J3 New Orleans | 27 | 4-8 | .500 | 1-2 | .500 | 5-7 | .714 | 5-0-5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| J9 South Carolina | 26 | 3-3 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 8-10 | .800 | 1-2-3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| J12 Georgia | 18 | 2-5 | .400 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-1-3 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| J16 Alabama | 26 | 0-5 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-4 | .750 | 2-0-2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| J19 Tennessee | 26 | 1-9 | .111 | 0-2 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-2-3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| J23 Arkansas | 28 | 3-5 | .600 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-5 | .600 | 3-2-5 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| J26 Florida | 28 | 0-3 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3-4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 21 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-2-2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| F2 LSU | 22 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-6 | .333 | 3-3-6 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 25 | 4-6 | .667 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-3-4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| F9 Florida | 19 | 1-4 | .250 | 1-2 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| F13 Missouri | 29 | 1-3 | .333 | 0-1 | .000 | 1-5 | .200 | 1-3-4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| F16 LSU | 25 | 3-3 | 1.000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-3-3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| F20 Alabama | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F23 Vanderbilt | -DNP- | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 18, Texas (11-21-12)
 Career: 18, Texas (11-21-12)

Field Goals Made

Season: 7, twice,
 last vs. Texas (11-21-12)
 Career: 7, twice,
 last vs. Texas (11-21-12)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 13, North Carolina (11-19-12)
 Career: 13, North Carolina (11-19-12)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 1, five times,
 last vs. Florida (2-9-13)
 Career: 1, five times,
 last vs. Florida (2-9-13)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 3, North Carolina (11-19-12)
 Career: 3, North Carolina (11-19-12)

Free Throws Made

Season: 8, South Carolina (1-9-13)
 Career: 8, South Carolina (1-9-13)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 11, Providence (2-1-12)
 Career: 11, Providence (2-1-12)

Rebounds

Season: 8, Marquette (11-20-12)
 Career: 8, Marquette (11-20-12)

Assists

Season: 1, nine times,
 last vs. LSU (2-16-13)
 Career: 1, nine times,
 last vs. LSU (2-16-13)

Blocks

Season: 3, Marquette (11-20-12)
 Career: 3, Marquette (11-20-12)

Steals

Season: 6, Texas (11-21-12)
 Career: 6, Texas (11-21-12)

Minutes

Season: 36, Texas (11-21-12)
 Career: 36, Texas (11-21-12)

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 | 23-8 | 587/25.5 | 65-152 | .428 | 5-17 | .294 | 67-112 | .598 | 103-4.5 | 55-2 | 9 | 57 | 12 | 15 | 202/8.8 |
| TOTALS | 36-8 | 632/17.6 | 65-155 | .419 | 5-17 | .294 | 68-118 | .576 | 114-3.2 | 61-2 | 9 | 63 | 15 | 16 | 203/5.6 |

32 CRAIG SWORD



Freshman • Guard

6-3 • 189

Montgomery, AL

G.W. Carver High School

Things To Note . . .

Scored 14 points against Alcorn State. ... Has scored in double-digits 12 times this year. ... Scored 100th-career point against New Orleans. ... Scored what proved to be game-winning free throws vs. South Carolina. ... Named SEC Freshman of the Week Jan. 14. ... Tied career-high with 5 steals vs. Florida. ... Scored 200th-career point at Ole Miss. ... Had career-high 5 assists and 8 rebounds at Florida. ... Had career-high 25 points at LSU, the most by any MSU player this season.

2012-13 Game-By-Game

| Opponent | MIN | FG | Pct. | 3FG | Pct. | FT | Pct. | O-D-R | PF | A | TO | B | S | PTS |
|----------------------|-----|------|------|-----|-------|------|-------|-------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| N9 Troy | 22 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-4-4 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| N13 Florida Atlantic | 21 | 4-8 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-7 | .429 | 1-3-4 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 11 |
| N19 North Carolina | 26 | 2-8 | .250 | 0-2 | .000 | 2-6 | .333 | 0-3-3 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| N20 Marquette | 31 | 2-11 | .182 | 0-2 | .000 | 3-5 | .600 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| N21 Texas | 16 | 1-5 | .200 | 0-2 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-1-2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| N27 Alcorn State | 34 | 4-8 | .500 | 1-3 | .333 | 5-9 | .556 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 14 |
| D1 Providence | 32 | 3-14 | .214 | 0-7 | .000 | 3-4 | .750 | 2-2-4 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 9 |
| D4 Texas-San Antonio | 30 | 5-9 | .556 | 0-2 | .000 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-2-2 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 13 |
| D15 Loyola-Chicago | 30 | 1-6 | .167 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-4 | .250 | 1-3-4 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| D22 Central Arkansas | 22 | 4-9 | .444 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-2-3 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| D30 Alabama A&M | 32 | 5-9 | .556 | 1-1 | 1.000 | 3-6 | .500 | 1-3-4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 14 |
| J3 New Orleans | 13 | 3-6 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 3-3 | 1.000 | 0-2-2 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| J9 South Carolina | 28 | 6-11 | .545 | 0-1 | .000 | 6-8 | .750 | 1-2-3 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 18 |
| J12 Georgia | 30 | 6-10 | .600 | 2-3 | .667 | 2-6 | .333 | 1-3-4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 16 |
| J16 Alabama | 24 | 4-10 | .400 | 0-2 | .000 | 1-2 | .500 | 1-0-1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 9 |
| J19 Tennessee | 26 | 5-11 | .455 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| J23 Arkansas | 21 | 4-13 | .308 | 0-0 | .000 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 1-5-6 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 10 |
| J26 Florida | 26 | 4-11 | .364 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0-0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 8 |
| J30 Texas A&M | 23 | 3-7 | .429 | 2-4 | .500 | 0-0 | .000 | 1-1-2 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| F2 LSU | 26 | 5-9 | .556 | 0-1 | .000 | 1-6 | .167 | 1-1-2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 11 |
| F6 Ole Miss | 27 | 5-13 | .385 | 1-2 | .500 | 6-10 | .600 | 2-3-5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| F9 Florida | 26 | 2-8 | .250 | 1-3 | .333 | 2-2 | 1.000 | 2-6-8 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 7 |
| F13 Missouri | 27 | 0-8 | .000 | 0-4 | .000 | 4-6 | .667 | 0-0-0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| F16 LSU | 26 | 9-14 | .643 | 0-2 | .000 | 7-10 | .700 | 0-0-0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 25 |
| F20 Alabama | 27 | 3-8 | .375 | 0-2 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0-2-2 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| F23 Vanderbilt | 27 | 1-8 | .125 | 0-3 | .000 | 4-4 | 1.000 | 0-2-2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| F27 Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Ole Miss | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M6 South Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M9 Auburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Season & MSU Highs

Points

Season: 25, LSU (2-16-13)

Field Goals Made

Season: 9, LSU (2-16-13)

Field Goals Attempted

Season: 14, twice,
last vs. LSU (2-16-13)

3-Point FG Made

Season: 2, twice,
last vs. Texas A&M (1-30-13)

3-Point FG Attempted

Season: 7, Providence (12-1-12)

Free Throws Made

Season: 7, LSU (2-16-13)

Free Throws Attempted

Season: 10, twice,
last vs. LSU (2-16-13)

Rebounds

Season: 8, Florida (2-9-13)

Assists

Season: 5, Florida (2-9-13)

Blocks

Season: 2, twice,
last vs. LSU (2-16-13)

Steals

Season: 5, twice,
last vs. Florida (1-26-13)

Minutes

Season: 34, Alcorn State (11-27-12)

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 | 26-24 | 673/25.9 | 91-235 | .387 | 9-53 | .170 | 65-116 | .560 | 75-2.9 | 79-7 | 49 | 101 | 9 | 40 | 256/9.8 |

EXHIBITION 1 — Nov. 4, 2012

Mississippi State 80
William Carey 74

Humphrey Coliseum • 2 p.m.
 Starkville, MS

Mississippi State ushered in the Rick Ray era with an 80-74 exhibition win against William Carey Sunday at the Humphrey Coliseum.

The Bulldogs never trailed in the game's final half but were not assured of victory against the NAIA Crusaders until Wendell Lewis sank six free throws in the final 2:05 of regulation time.

MSU placed four players in double figures. Jalen Steele led the way with 17 points, followed by 15 points apiece from Lewis, Fred Thomas and Colin Borchert. MSU played a total of nine players, with each logging a minimum of 11 minutes apiece.

Fresh off a season-opening victory over Blue Mountain College, the Crusaders scored the game's first six points. MSU battled back for a 7-6 lead on a jumper by Colin Borchert. Things stayed nip-and-tuck with Carey eventually sprinting out to an 18-11 advantage.

The Bulldogs would trail by as many as eight before a 14-6 run by MSU tied the game at 32. Fred Thomas scored back-to-back baskets, including a 3-pointer to knot the contest.

MSU shot 43.3 percent from the floor in the first half and eased out to a 41-36 advantage at halftime.

Ray continued to look at different rotations in the game's final half. The Maroon and White scored the second half's first five points to grab a 46-36 lead with 18:11 remaining.

Carey remained patient on offense and eventually fought its way back into the contest. The Crusaders closed within three at 54-51 and later forced a tie at 63. Steele quickly answered with a 3-point basket and the Bulldogs were not headed after that.

William Carey

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Payne | f 4-7 | 0-2 | 1-1 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 23 |
| Reed | g 2-8 | 1-5 | 1-1 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 29 |
| Bell | g 5-11 | 1-5 | 0-2 | 7 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 38 |
| Nixon | g 7-18 | 0-0 | 5-6 | 5 | 3 | 19 | 3 | 31 |
| Dunnings | g 5-13 | 3-9 | 7-10 | 7 | 3 | 20 | 4 | 35 |
| S. Smith | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| D. Smith | 2-9 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 17 |
| McCray | 1-2 | 1-2 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 14 |
| London | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| TOTALS | 26-69 | 6-24 | 16-22 | 40 | 22 | 74 | 14 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Johnson | f 3-6 | 0-0 | 1-5 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 12 |
| Lewis | c 3-7 | 0-0 | 9-11 | 7 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 26 |
| Steele | g 7-13 | 3-6 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 32 |
| Thomas | g 5-14 | 2-8 | 3-3 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 28 |
| Sword | g 1-3 | 0-1 | 2-4 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 18 |
| Borchert | 4-7 | 3-6 | 4-4 | 8 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 29 |
| Bloodman | 2-5 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 31 |
| Ware | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 13 |
| Cunningham | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 |
| TOTALS | 26-48 | 8-23 | 20-30 | 45 | 19 | 80 | 11 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 41, WC 36. FG%: MSU 45.6%, WC 37.7%. 3FG%: MSU 34.8%, WC 25.0%. FT%: MSU 66.7%, WC 72.7%. Turnovers: MSU 16 (Johnson, Bloodman 3), WC 9 (Dunnings 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Lewis 2), WC 0. Steals: MSU 2 (Thomas, Sword 1), WC 10 (Payne 3). Officials: Bruce Benedict, Forrest Sigler, Glenn Tuitt. Attendance: 1,472.

GAME 1 — Nov. 9, 2012

Troy 56
Mississippi State 53

Troy Arena • 7 p.m.
 Troy, AL

A valiant comeback by Mississippi State fell short as the Bulldogs dropped a 56-53 decision at Troy.

The Bulldogs trailed by as many as 16 points in the game's opening half. A gritty defensive effort allowed the short-handed squad to hang tough. MSU forced a tie at 53-all and actually had possession but could not get the go-ahead points in the final minute.

Alas, Emil Jones did convert with his jumper just inside the foul line with 1.6 seconds left in regulation.

The victory snapped MSU's nine-game win streak in the series and also ruined the debut of new MSU head coach Rick Ray.

The Bulldogs built a quick 5-0 lead behind a pair of baskets from Colin Borchert. The Trojans answered for an early 7-6 lead on a 3-point basket by Hunter Williams.

Troy pushed the advantage to 30-14 on another trey by Williams with 4:59 left and at the break lead 33-22.

In the second half, the Bulldogs flipped the script on the defensive end. Given a spark by some turnovers, MSU cashed in on the offensive end. Back-to-back treys by Jalen Steele and Fred Thomas brought the Maroon and White within five at 39-34 with 15:12 left.

Troy again ran the lead to ten at 44-34, but an old-fashioned 3-point play by Wendell Lewis pulled the Bulldogs to 51-49 with 3:55 left.

A dunk by Ware on a nice give-and-go by Trivante Bloodman cut the lead in half. Two free throws by Steele tied the teams for the first time in the second half with 1:08 remaining.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 3-9 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 32 |
| Lewis | c 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 16 |
| Steele | g 5-12 | 2-5 | 4-4 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 34 |
| Thomas | g 1-8 | 1-6 | 1-2 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 27 |
| Bloodman | g 4-5 | 0-0 | 3-6 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 33 |
| Ware | 5-6 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 24 |
| Cunningham | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 12 |
| Sword | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2-4 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 22 |
| TOTALS | 19-43 | 4-16 | 11-18 | 33 | 16 | 53 | 6 | 200 |

Troy

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Chambers | c 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 20 |
| Scott | g 2-6 | 1-4 | 1-2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 24 |
| Myers | g 1-2 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 22 |
| Jones | g 4-10 | 0-3 | 2-2 | 8 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 28 |
| Williams | g 4-11 | 2-4 | 0-1 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 30 |
| Mullahey | 2-3 | 2-2 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 21 |
| Jethrow | 3-9 | 1-7 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 20 |
| Calhoun | 4-11 | 4-9 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 15 |
| Warren | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 12 |
| Dixon | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| TOTALS | 21-58 | 10-29 | 4-7 | 34 | 22 | 56 | 12 | 200 |

Halftime: Troy 32, MSU 22. FG%: MSU 44.2%, Troy 36.2%. 3FG%: MSU 25.0%, Troy 34.5%. FT%: MSU 61.1%, Troy 57.1%. Turnovers: MSU 16 (Lewis, Sword 4), Troy 9 (Jones 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Borchert, Ware), Troy 2 (Chambers, Dixon). Steals: MSU 5 (Steele 2), Troy 4 (Williams 2). Officials: Ron Groover, Chuck Jones, John Heatley. Attendance: 5,120.

GAME 2 — Nov. 13, 2012

Mississippi State 78
Florida Atlantic 58

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
 Starkville, MS

Mississippi State was impressive in its home opener, beating Florida Atlantic, 78-58.

The Bulldogs shot 49 percent from the floor, forced 27 turnovers and led by as many as 30 points. It all led up to a successful home debut for new coach Rick Ray.

MSU actually played most of the contest without junior guard Jalen Steele, who suffered a head injury that required stitches and a fractured wrist.

FAU enjoyed only one lead in the contest. The Bulldogs battled back on top for good at 16-14 on a basket by Wendell Lewis. Steele was injured on the game's next possession.

Still, the Bulldogs energized the home crowd with a 15-2 run, fueled in large part to defensive mastery. Trivante Bloodman hit a layup and Gavin Ware followed with a master dunk. A dunk by Craig Sword preceded two Bloodman free throws, which ran the advantage to 29-16 with 6:56 left before halftime.

MSU shot 53.1 percent from the field in the opening half and led 43-26 at the break.

The Owls closed within 12 points on two different occasions early in the second half. After a 3-point by FAU's Stefan Moody cut the deficit to 50-38, MSU responded with a 12-2 run effectively putting the game out of reach.

Florida Atlantic

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| McCoy | f 1-4 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 22 |
| Sekelja | c 1-7 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 34 |
| Gantt | g 6-16 | 2-10 | 3-3 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 1 | 34 |
| Bertone | g 2-8 | 1-6 | 2-3 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 18 |
| Moody | g 3-7 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 20 |
| Baker | 4-7 | 1-2 | 2-5 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 12 |
| Thornton | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Mattinson | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| Trapp | 2-5 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 30 |
| Morrow | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Bryant | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| Penn | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| TOTALS | 21-63 | 6-24 | 10-15 | 42 | 20 | 58 | 27 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 1-4 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 23 |
| Lewis | c 4-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 22 |
| Steele | g 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| Thomas | g 6-12 | 3-7 | 1-1 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 30 |
| Bloodman | g 2-7 | 0-1 | 5-6 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 28 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Ware | 4-8 | 0-0 | 2-4 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 18 |
| Cunningham | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 21 |
| Johnson | 7-11 | 0-0 | 3-10 | 5 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 23 |
| Sword | 4-8 | 0-0 | 3-7 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 20 |
| TOTALS | 30-61 | 4-10 | 14-28 | 40 | 16 | 78 | 16 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 43, FA 26. FG%: MSU 49.2%, FA 33.3%. 3FG%: MSU 40.0%, FA 25.0%. FT%: MSU 50.0%, FA 66.7%. Turnovers: MSU 16 (Sword 5), FA 27 (Sekelja, Bertone, Trapp 5). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Borchert 3), FA 4 (Four with 1). Steals: MSU 17 (Thomas 5), FA 9 (Sekelja, Baker 2). Officials: Joe Lindsey, Lee Cassell, Tim Gattis. Attendance: 6,140

GAME 3 — Nov. 19, 2012

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| North Carolina | 95 |
| Mississippi State | 49 |

Lahaina Civic Center • 5 p.m.
Maui, HI

Mississippi State could not match the firepower of 11th-ranked North Carolina as the Tar Heels converted 15 3-pointers and led from start to finish in a 95-49 victory in the opening round of the EA Sports Maui Invitational.

North Carolina scored the game's first nine points and was not threatened after that. UNC hit 11 of its first 12 shots from the field and finished the night shooting 47 percent from the field, including 46 percent from 3-point range.

North Carolina enjoyed three different first half runs of 9-0 or greater. A Wendell Lewis jumper brought the Maroon and White within 18-6 midway through the first half. The Tar Heels forced four turnovers during an 11-0 run.

After a dunk by Ware brought the Bulldogs within 43-17, North Carolina scored the first half's final six points. MSU shot 20 percent from the field in the game's opening half.

The Bulldogs did battle hard in the second half. MSU closed within 26 on a couple of occasions thanks to some strong offensive play by Roquez Johnson and Gavin Ware.

North Carolina answered with an 8-0 run to open a 59-25 advantage with 14:37 left.

For the contest, MSU hit 17 of 60 shots from the field, 2 of 17 shots from 3-point range and 13 of 19 shots from the foul line. North Carolina hit 37 of 78 shots from the field, 15 of 32 shots from 3-point range.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Thomas | g 2-12 | 1-10 | 2-2 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 31 |
| Bloodman | g 2-7 | 0-1 | 2-3 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 31 |
| Lewis | c 4-9 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 26 |
| Johnson | f 4-13 | 1-3 | 3-4 | 7 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 31 |
| Sword | g 2-8 | 0-2 | 2-6 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 26 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Ware | 3-9 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 9 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 27 |
| Cunningham | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 25 |
| TOTALS | 17-50 | 2-17 | 13-19 | 43 | 11 | 49 | 6 | 200 |

North Carolina

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Strickland | g 4-10 | 1-4 | 1-2 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 5 | 19 |
| Paige | g 1-7 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 19 |
| Hubert | f 3-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 17 |
| Bullock | g 5-6 | 4-5 | 2-2 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 22 |
| McAdoo | f 4-8 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 23 |
| James | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 19 |
| McDonald | 7-12 | 6-9 | 1-2 | 4 | 2 | 21 | 3 | 19 |
| Moody | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Davis | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 9 |
| Johnson | 1-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 14 |
| Hairston | 7-11 | 4-7 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 15 |
| Simmons | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Tanner | 0-3 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Tokoto | 2-6 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 10 |
| Manor | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Robinson | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| TOTALS | 37-78 | 15-32 | 6-9 | 47 | 16 | 95 | 22 | 200 |

Halftime: UNC 49, MSU 17. FG%: MSU 28.3%, UNC 47.4%. 3FG%: MSU 11.8%, UNC 46.9%. FT%: MSU 68.4%, UNC 66.7%. Turnovers: MSU 21 (Thomas, Bloodman, Sword 5), UNC 12 (McAdoo 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Lewis, Ware 2), UNC 9 (Hairston 3). Steals: MSU 4 (Bloodman 2), UNC 14 (Strickland 6). Officials: Jim Burr, Pat Driscoll, Ryan Wells. Attendance: 2,400.

GAME 4 — Nov. 20, 2012

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| Marquette | 89 |
| Mississippi State | 62 |

Lahaina Civic Center • 1:30 p.m.
Maui, HI

Fred Thomas poured in a career-high 17 points but it was not enough as the Mississippi State dropped an 89-62 decision to Marquette.

The Bulldogs gave up the first eight points of the contest and later fell down 18-4 after a 10-0 run by the Golden Eagles. The Bulldogs allowed 29 first-half points off turnovers and failed to recover.

A true freshman, Thomas connected on 6-of-15 shots from the field, including a 4-of-8 night from 3-point range. Thomas also had only one turnover, three rebounds and a steal in 34 minutes of play.

Fellow freshman Gavin Ware scored a career high 11 points in 32 minutes. Ware has scored nine or more points in all four games as a Bulldog. The former Starkville High standout finished with six rebounds, a blocked shot and a steal as well.

Marquette (3-1) shot 57.6 percent from the field in the first half and led 48-27 at the intermission. In the half, the Bulldogs managed only one assist, compared to the 15 turnovers.

In the second half, the Bulldogs got a spark from Johnson, who finished with 16 points, three blocks, a steal and eight rebounds in 26 minutes of work. The Bulldogs closed within 17 at 57-40 but could not get any closer. Still, the teams battled to almost even terms for most of the final half before a worn down Bulldog squad gave up some easy baskets late.

Marquette

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Anderson | f 1-5 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| Otule | c 3-6 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 18 |
| Cadogan | g 1-5 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 21 |
| Blue | g 8-14 | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 3 | 24 |
| Lockett | g 5-10 | 2-2 | 1-1 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 4 | 23 |
| J. Wilson | 4-5 | 0-1 | 3-3 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 19 |
| Ferguson | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 14 |
| D. Wilson | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 21 |
| Thomas | 3-3 | 3-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 10 |
| Taylor | 2-3 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Flood | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Gardner | 7-14 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 12 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 22 |
| TOTALS | 37-71 | 7-11 | 8-9 | 38 | 20 | 89 | 18 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Johnson | f 5-9 | 0-1 | 6-8 | 8 | 3 | 16 | 1 | 26 |
| Lewis | c 1-3 | 0-0 | 4-4 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 20 |
| Thomas | g 6-15 | 4-8 | 1-1 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 34 |
| Bloodman | g 1-2 | 1-1 | 2-3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 27 |
| Sword | g 2-11 | 0-2 | 3-5 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 31 |
| Ware | 5-9 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 32 |
| Cunningham | 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 30 |
| TOTALS | 20-52 | 5-12 | 17-23 | 33 | 13 | 62 | 22 | 200 |

Halftime: MU 48, MSU 27. FG%: MSU 38.5%, MU 52.1%. 3FG%: MSU 41.7%, MU 63.6%. FT%: MSU 73.9%, MU 88.9%. Turnovers: MSU 22 (Sword 6), MU 14 (Cadogan 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 4 (Johnson 3), MU 8 (J. Wilson 4). Steals: MSU 6 (Six with 1), MU 14 (Cadogan, Ferguson, D. Wilson 2). Officials: Bert Smith, Joe Lindsay, Kevin Ferguson. Attendance: 2,400.

GAME 5 — Nov. 21, 2012

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| Texas | 69 |
| Mississippi State | 55 |

Lahaina Civic Center • 1:30 p.m.
Maui, HI

Mississippi State competed hard but came up short Wednesday.

The Bulldogs forced 22 turnovers and hung tough but could not generate enough offense in the seventh-place game of the EA Sports Maui Invitational, falling 69-55 to Texas.

The Bulldogs scored the game's first basket only to see the Longhorns score the game's next eight points. MSU closed within 11-10 on the second 3-pointer by Trivante Bloodman. The Bulldogs went close to six minutes without another score before Gavin Ware hit a bucket.

After Ware's score, Texas extended the run to 16-2, as Julien Lewis rammed home a 3-point basket with 7:11 remaining in the half, pushing the lead to 27-12.

In the opening half, the Longhorns shot 60 percent from the field. Texas led 38-20 at half-time.

Still, the outmanned Bulldogs hung tough and outscored the Longhorns 35-31 in the game's final half. The Bulldogs finished with 12 steals, including six by Roquez Johnson.

Texas extended the lead to 25 late in the contest before MSU ended the contest with a 16-5 run.

For the contest, the Bulldogs hit 17 of 51 shots from the field (33.3 percent), 4 of 11 shots from 3-point range (36.4 percent) and 17 of 28 shots from the foul line (60.7 percent). The Longhorns hit 26 of 52 shots from the field (50 percent), 10 of 18 shots from 3-point range (55.6 percent) and 7 of 16 shots from 3-point range (43.8 percent).

Texas held a 41-32 rebounding advantage.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Johnson | f 7-12 | 0-1 | 4-9 | 6 | 3 | 18 | 1 | 36 |
| Lewis | c 1-8 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 20 |
| Thomas | g 2-10 | 1-5 | 5-5 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 4 | 37 |
| Bloodman | g 2-6 | 2-2 | 3-4 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 36 |
| Sword | g 1-5 | 0-2 | 1-2 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 16 |
| Price | g 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Ware | 3-8 | 0-0 | 2-6 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 24 |
| Cunningham | 1-2 | 1-1 | 2-2 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 30 |
| TOTALS | 17-51 | 4-11 | 17-28 | 32 | 19 | 55 | 11 | 200 |

Texas

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Holmes | f 2-4 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 21 |
| Papapetrou | f 3-6 | 1-3 | 1-2 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 23 |
| Ridley | c 3-5 | 0-0 | 2-6 | 12 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 19 |
| Felix | g 2-7 | 0-3 | 3-4 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 30 |
| Lewis | g 6-10 | 3-4 | 0-1 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 2 | 28 |
| McClellan | 7-13 | 4-5 | 1-2 | 5 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 25 |
| Holland | 2-4 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 20 |
| Lammert | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 15 |
| Ibeh | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| TOTALS | 26-52 | 10-18 | 7-16 | 41 | 20 | 69 | 15 | 200 |

Halftime: UT 38, Texas 20. FG%: MSU 33.3%, UT 50.0%. 3FG%: MSU 36.4%, UT 55.6%. FT%: MSU 60.7%, UT 43.8%. Turnovers: MSU 22 (Johnson 7), UT 22 (Lewis 8). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Johnson), UT 12 (Ridley 5). Steals: MSU 12 (Johnson 6), UT 9 (Ridley 3). Officials: Patrick Evans, Joe Lindsay, Ryan Wells. Attendance: 2,400.

GAME 6 — Nov. 27, 2012

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| Mississippi State | 60 |
| Alcorn State | 42 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

A strong start carried Mississippi State past Alcorn State 60-42 as the Bulldogs found the win column and improved 2-0 at home.

Fellow freshmen Craig Sword and Fred Thomas each led the Bulldogs with 14 points apiece. Sword became the fourth different Bulldog to lead MSU in scoring this season, while setting a new career high. Sword also added four rebounds, two assists and five steals in 34 minutes of play.

MSU held a 50-20 rebounding advantage. Gavin Ware and Roquez Johnson combined to pull down 19 rebounds, only one less than Alcorn State as a team.

Thanks in part to six points by Roquez Johnson, the Bulldogs immediately built a 13-2 advantage. After Alcorn State battled back within seven, MSU answered with a 10-2 run to open up a 24-9 lead. Sword completed an old-fashioned 3-point play with 7:58 left before halftime to create that lead.

The Bulldogs shot 50 percent from the floor in the opening half and led 37-21 at the intermission.

MSU continued its air-tight defense as Alcorn State did not top the 40-point mark until the final shot of the contest.

The Bulldogs ran the lead to 19 points at 44-25 on a jumper by Colin Borchert with 13:12 remaining. The lead would grow to as many as 26 at 58-32 on two Borchert free throws.

MSU held a 50-20 rebounding advantage.

Alcorn State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Nicholas | f 0-6 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 25 |
| Starks | f 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 16 |
| Evans | g 4-7 | 3-9 | 1-1 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 40 |
| Nieves | g 2-4 | 1-2 | 3-4 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 33 |
| Luckett | g 4-13 | 0-2 | 3-9 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 31 |
| Hunt | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Hampton | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Birdie | 1-4 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| Raquil | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Francis | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 14 |
| Hester | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Myles | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| TOTALS | 15-53 | 4-17 | 8-17 | 20 | 21 | 42 | 4 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Johnson | f 3-7 | 0-0 | 7-9 | 7 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 30 |
| Ware | c 3-6 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 12 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 26 |
| Bloodman | g 0-3 | 0-1 | 3-4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 26 |
| Cunningham | g 1-3 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 28 |
| Sword | g 4-8 | 1-3 | 5-9 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 2 | 34 |
| Thomas | 5-12 | 0-4 | 4-7 | 5 | 3 | 14 | 2 | 26 |
| Borchert | 2-5 | 0-2 | 2-2 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 15 |
| Lewis | 0-0 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| TOTALS | 18-44 | 2-13 | 22-33 | 41 | 17 | 60 | 6 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 37, AS 21. FG%: MSU 40.9%, AS 28.3%. 3FG%: MSU 15.4%, AS 23.5%. FT%: MSU 66.7%, AS 47.1%. Turnovers: MSU 21 (Johnson 6), AS 16 (Nieves 6). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Borchert 1), AS 5 (Nicholas 3). Steals: MSU 10 (Sword 5), AS 7 (Evans 4). Officials: Antinio Petty, Don Daily, Steven Anderson. Attendance: 6,101.

GAME 7 — DEC. 1, 2012

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| Providence | 73 |
| Mississippi State | 63 |

Dunkin' Donuts Center • 11 a.m.
Providence, RI

A valiant comeback fell short as Mississippi State dropped a 73-63 decision to Providence.

The Bulldogs trailed 59-33 with 10:54 left in the contest, but battled back to pull within five points at 68-63 with 46 seconds left in regulation time. Roquez Johnson missed two free throws for MSU as the Maroon and White almost made it a one-possession game.

Providence hit five free throws in the final 34 seconds to seal the victory.

Providence leaped to an 11-1 lead Saturday, as MSU went better than the first five minutes without a made field goal.

In the first half, MSU managed only five field goals and were a 0-of-13 half from 3-point range.

Kadeem Batts and LaDontae Henton got the offense going for the Friars. After the fast start, Providence held a good lead for the rest of the half. After the Bulldogs closed within seven, Providence followed with a 10-1 run for a 26-10 lead with 8:38 left in the half.

Providence forced nine first-half turnovers and led 39-21 at the intermission.

In the second half, the Bulldogs got the ball inside more and Wendell Lewis responded. Posting the team's first double-double of the season, Lewis had 16 points and 11 rebounds, including seven on the defensive end.

The Bulldogs fell down 20 with 18:03 left and stayed in that range until the big comeback began seven minutes later.

Providence went better than five minutes without a point as MSU pieced together a 13-0 run. A basket by Trivante Bloodman brought the Maroon and White within 66-60 with 58 seconds left. A 3-pointer by Fred Thomas brought MSU within five.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Ware | f 3-8 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 15 |
| Johnson | f 2-7 | 0-1 | 6-11 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 27 |
| Bloodman | g 1-5 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 34 |
| Cunningham | g 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 18 |
| Sword | g 3-14 | 0-7 | 3-4 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 32 |
| Thomas | 5-14 | 2-10 | 0-0 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 30 |
| Borchert | 3-8 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 20 |
| Lewis | 6-8 | 0-0 | 4-4 | 11 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 24 |
| TOTALS | 23-64 | 2-22 | 15-22 | 38 | 20 | 63 | 10 | 200 |

Providence

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Batts | f 12-18 | 0-0 | 8-10 | 8 | 3 | 32 | 2 | 37 |
| Goldsbrough | c 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 19 |
| Henton | g 5-8 | 0-1 | 8-8 | 6 | 3 | 18 | 2 | 33 |
| Fortune | g 2-11 | 1-4 | 2-2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 40 |
| Cotton | g 3-6 | 1-3 | 2-3 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 16 |
| Kofane | 1-2 | 0-0 | 1-4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 23 |
| Bancroft | 2-7 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 32 |
| TOTALS | 25-54 | 2-12 | 21-28 | 36 | 17 | 73 | 18 | 200 |

Halftime: PC 39, MSU 21. FG%: MSU 35.9%, PC 46.3%. 3FG%: MSU 9.1%, PC 16.7%. FT%: MSU 68.2%, PC 75.0%. Turnovers: MSU 15 (Goodman, Sword 4), PC 12 (Fortune 5). Blocked Shots: MSU 1 (Lewis), PC 8 (Batts, Kofane 3). Steals: MSU 8 (Sword 3), PC 5 (Fortune 2). Officials: Jim Burr, Lamar Simpson, Doug Shows. Attendance: 6,156.

GAME 8 — DEC. 4, 2012

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| Mississippi State | 53 |
| Texas-San Antonio | 42 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State coach Rick Ray knew his team might have to win some defensive struggles this season, and the Bulldogs did just that in a 53-42 win against Texas-San Antonio.

MSU was incredible on the defensive end, holding UTSA to 27 percent shooting. The Bulldogs recorded a season high seven blocked shots and also had nine steals.

Fresh off a 16-point performance in Saturday's loss at Providence, Wendell Lewis followed that performance up with a career-high 20 pointson 8-of-9 shooting from the floor.

Both teams battled through a nip-and-tuck first half before the Bulldogs put the clamps down on the defensive end.

After Lewis placed the Maroon and White on top 16-14 with a layup, neither team scored over the next 7:33. Lewis broke that drought with another basket, and Fred Thomas followed that with a 3-pointer to cap a 7-0 run.

UTSA went 8:46 without a field goal before a dunk Larry Wilkins ran out the first half for the Roadrunners.

On the way to a 3-0 start at home, MSU led 23-17 at the intermission.

UTSA closed within 26-23 in the early stages of the second half. Over the next six minutes, the Bulldogs used a 13-6 run to build a 39-29 advantage. The lead would grow to as many as 12 on two difference occasions down the stretch.

Texas-San Antonio

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|---------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Wilkins | f 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 27 |
| Hill | f 3-12 | 1-6 | 1-2 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 37 |
| Price | g 1-4 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 31 |
| Burrage | g 4-18 | 3-8 | 4-6 | 5 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 37 |
| Sims | g 0-7 | 0-6 | 0-0 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 31 |
| Thomas | 4-10 | 2-6 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 20 |
| Mayberry | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| McGregor | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 9 |
| Wood | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| TOTALS | 15-55 | 7-29 | 5-9 | 36 | 15 | 42 | 6 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Ware | f 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Johnson | f 3-9 | 1-2 | 0-1 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 25 |
| Thomas | g 3-10 | 2-8 | 1-2 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 30 |
| Bloodman | g 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 32 |
| Sword | g 5-9 | 0-2 | 3-6 | 2 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 30 |
| Borchert | 2-5 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 26 |
| Lewis | 8-9 | 0-0 | 4-5 | 5 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 26 |
| Cunningham | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 17 |
| TOTALS | 21-46 | 3-13 | 8-14 | 34 | 12 | 53 | 11 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 23, UTSA 17. FG%: MSU 45.7%, UTSA 27.3%. 3FG%: MSU 23.1%, UTSA 24.1%. FT%: MSU 57.1%, UTSA 55.6%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Sword 6), UTSA 20 (Burrage 6). Blocked Shots: MSU 7 (Thomas 3), UTSA 2 (Hill, Wood 1). Steals: MSU 9 (Thomas 3), UTSA 6 (Hill, Sims 2). Officials: Ted Valentine, Anthony Jordan, Keith Kimble. Attendance: 6,021.

GAME 9 — DEC. 15, 2012

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| Loyola | 59 |
| Mississippi State | 51 |

Gentile Arena • 7 p.m.
Chicago, IL

A difficult ending to the first half led to Mississippi State losing 59-51 at Loyola.

The Bulldogs went more than five minutes without scoring late in that half, and the Ramblers took advantage with a 20-0 run.

The teams were playing 50 years after a historic meeting between the two universities in the 1963 NCAA Tournament.

Loyola trailed 17-14 before scoring 20 straight points to remove all doubt from the contest. The Ramblers led 34-20 at halftime and did not lead by less than eight points in the game's final half.

MSU scored the game's first six points. Loyola went the first five minutes of the contest without scoring. The Ramblers finally broke the ice and scored four straight points. Thanks to a couple of 3-point baskets by Fred Thomas, the Bulldogs built a 12-7 lead and later held their last lead at 17-14.

The Bulldogs closed within 11 in the early stages of the second half but could not close within single digits until Tyson Cunningham rammed home a 3-point basket in the closing seconds.

Loyola held a 40-28 rebounding advantage. The Bulldogs had seven assists and 15 turnovers, while the Ramblers had 13 assists and 16 turnovers.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Ware | f 4-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 31 |
| Johnson | f 3-9 | 0-1 | 7-8 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 25 |
| Thomas | g 5-14 | 3-9 | 1-2 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 35 |
| Bloodman | g 1-4 | 1-2 | 0-1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 34 |
| Sword | g 1-6 | 0-0 | 1-4 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 30 |
| Borchert | 3-8 | 0-4 | 1-1 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 22 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Cunningham | 1-2 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 22 |
| TOTALS | 18-48 | 5-17 | 10-16 | 28 | 20 | 51 | 7 | 200 |

Loyola

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Averkamp | f 1-9 | 0-1 | 3-4 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 32 |
| Thomas | f 6-8 | 0-0 | 4-5 | 6 | 2 | 16 | 0 | 25 |
| Payne | g 2-4 | 2-3 | 0-1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 29 |
| Hicks | g 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 |
| Crisman | g 2-3 | 0-1 | 5-9 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 17 |
| Turk | 7-12 | 5-7 | 4-7 | 2 | 4 | 21 | 3 | 24 |
| O'Leary | 1-4 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 16 |
| White | 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 26 |
| Osborne | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| TOTALS | 21-51 | 8-18 | 9-14 | 40 | 15 | 59 | 13 | 200 |

Halftime: LU 34, MSU 20. FG%: MSU 37.5, LU 41.2%. 3FG%: MSU 29.4%, LU 44.4%. FT%: MSU 62.5%, LU 64.3%. Turnovers: MSU 15 (Sword 6), LU 16 (Averkamp, White 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 8 (Ware 5), LU 4 (Turk 3). Steals: MSU 6 (Thomas, Borchert 2), LU 7 (Turk, O'Leary 2). Officials: Michael Roberts, John Yorkovich, James Barker. Attendance: 3,321.

GAME 10 — DEC. 22, 2012

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| Mississippi State | 79 |
| Central Arkansas | 72 |

Mississippi Coliseum • 2 p.m.
Jackson, MS

Behind Gavin Ware's double-double, Mississippi State picked up its first win away from Starkville with a 79-72 victory against Central Arkansas.

MSU improved to 15-6 overall in Jackson and won its 12th straight at Mississippi Coliseum.

MSU placed five players in double figures for the first time this season while scoring a season-best 79 points.

Ware had a career-high 22 points and career-high 13 rebounds. Trivante Bloodman added a career-high 12 points, while Colin Borchert had a career-high 11 points and Tyson Cunningham had a career-high 10 points.

Ware shifted to the big man role Saturday and delivered. MSU was playing its first game since center Wendell Lewis suffered a knee injury in practice.

The Bulldogs missed nine 3-point attempts before getting four of their final six to go down. MSU built a comfortable lead midway through the first half and led 34-25 at halftime.

MSU stretched the lead to 15 in the early stages of the second half but the long-range shooting of Central Arkansas allowed the Bears to stay in the contest. UCA drew within six points midway through the second half. Stellar ball control and a strong night at the free throw line allowed the Maroon and White to close out the win.

MSU held a 43-29 rebounding advantage. For the Bulldogs, it was their second largest rebounding effort of the season.

Central Arkansas

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Garner | f 4-14 | 1-7 | 2-2 | 4 | 4 | 11 | 1 | 24 |
| Harks | f 5-6 | 0-0 | 1-3 | 4 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 24 |
| Crawford | g 8-18 | 7-14 | 3-4 | 8 | 1 | 26 | 3 | 38 |
| McClure | g 0-3 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| Wells | g 0-3 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| L. Brown | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Williams | 2-7 | 1-4 | 2-2 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 18 |
| Padgett | 2-6 | 1-5 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 6 |
| Berete | 2-6 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 19 |
| T. Brown | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Borden | 3-4 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 18 |
| TOTALS | 27-68 | 10-35 | 8-11 | 29 | 25 | 72 | 10 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Ware | f 8-9 | 0-0 | 6-8 | 13 | 1 | 22 | 0 | 31 |
| Johnson | f 3-7 | 0-0 | 3-6 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 24 |
| Thomas | g 1-9 | 1-5 | 2-2 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 33 |
| Bloodman | g 3-6 | 0-2 | 6-8 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 34 |
| Sword | g 4-9 | 1-2 | 1-2 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 22 |
| Borchert | 3-6 | 0-1 | 5-8 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 2 | 27 |
| Cunningham | 3-6 | 2-5 | 2-2 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 29 |
| TOTALS | 25-52 | 4-15 | 25-36 | 43 | 14 | 79 | 13 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 34, UCA 25. FG%: MSU 48.1%, UCA 39.7%. 3FG%: MSU 26.7%, UCA 28.6%. FT%: MSU 69.4%, UCA 72.7%. Turnovers: MSU 21 (Johnson 5), UCA 17 (McClure, Borden 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 4 (Ware 1), UCA 3 (Three with 1). Steals: MSU 6 (Ware, Thomas 2), UCA 10 (Three with 2). Officials: James Breeding, Tracy Woodson, Earnie Peal. Attendance: 2,217.

GAME 11 — DEC. 30, 2012

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| Alabama A&M | 59 |
| Mississippi State | 57 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 3 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State surrendered a 15-point lead and lost 59-57 to Alabama A&M.

Jalen Steele played 27 minutes in his first action since fracturing a wrist on Nov. 13 against Florida Atlantic. He hit his first two shots from the field and finished with 10 points.

MSU built the early lead by dominating inside. Reigning SEC Freshman of the Week Gavin Ware went to work early as the Maroon and White built a quick 14-3 advantage.

Steele checked in with 17:09 left in the first half. His back-to-back 3-pointers ran the lead to 20-8. A Ware dunk followed, running the advantage to 14 points.

Another basket by Steele ran the MSU lead to a game-best 15 points – at 27-12 with 5:58 left in the half. Alabama A&M (4-7) took advantage of an MSU letdown late in the half, to close within 33-25 at halftime.

MSU went better than seven minutes without scoring to start the second half. Alabama A&M took advantage and took a 35-33 lead.

The contest remained tight the rest of the way. MSU grabbed a 43-39 lead on a Ware putback with 10:04 left. The lead was again four at 47-43 and later five at 57-52 with 2:18 remaining, after a jumper by Craig Sword.

Alabama A&M forced back-to-back turnovers and scored the game's next six points. An attempt at go-ahead points by Steele was blocked by Demarquelle Tabb with 16 seconds left in regulation.

Alabama A&M

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Banks | c 4-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 21 |
| Crutcher | g 5-10 | 1-1 | 3-4 | 5 | 2 | 14 | 5 | 37 |
| Hill | g 2-6 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 26 |
| Tabb | g 7-16 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 7 | 4 | 14 | 0 | 33 |
| Ellis | g 5-10 | 3-7 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 1 | 34 |
| Capers | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Long | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| Davis | 0-4 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 |
| Houston | 1-3 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 18 |
| West | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| TOTALS | 24-57 | 5-16 | 6-8 | 37 | 16 | 59 | 10 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 3-8 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 29 |
| Ware | f 5-12 | 0-0 | 2-3 | 11 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 29 |
| Bloodman | g 1-2 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 27 |
| Cunningham | g 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 20 |
| Sword | g 5-9 | 1-1 | 3-6 | 4 | 3 | 14 | 2 | 32 |
| Steele | 3-9 | 2-6 | 2-2 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 27 |
| Thomas | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 16 |
| Johnson | 2-8 | 1-1 | 2-2 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 20 |
| TOTALS | 25-52 | 4-15 | 25-36 | 43 | 14 | 57 | 13 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 33, AAM 25. FG%: MSU 35.7%, AAM 42.1%. 3FG%: MSU 26.7%, AAM 31.3%. FT%: MSU 76.5%, AAM 75.0%. Turnovers: MSU 11 (Ware, Bloodman 3), AAM 13 (Hill, Ellis 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 4 (Johnson 2), AAM 8 (Banks 4). Steals: MSU 7 (Cunningham, Sword 2), AAM 7 (Hill 4). Officials: Anthony Jordon, Mike Nance, Forrest Sigler. Attendance: 7,526.

GAME 12 — JAN. 3, 2013

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| Mississippi State | 97 |
| New Orleans | 46 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 6 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State rang in the New Year's with a 97-46 dismantling of New Orleans.

The Bulldogs shot a season-best 56.1 percent from the field, while scoring the most points in a game this season and also winning by the largest margin in a game this season. The Bulldogs scored the game's first 12 points of the contest and were never threatened.

A 3-point basket by Colin Borchert capped the Bulldogs' game-opening 12-0 run. After UNO scored a pair of quick baskets, the Bulldogs range the advantage to 21-4 on a Fred Thomas dunk with 11:05 left in the half.

Thomas worked his way out of his recent shooting slump, by scoring 16 points on 6-of-13 shooting. Thomas also had three rebounds, two blocked shots and a steal in 28 minutes of work. For Thomas, it was his seventh contest in double figures this season.

The Bulldogs had several in the flow as a 6-0 run pushed the advantage to 35-11 with 6:23 left in the half. A layup by Roquez Johnson capped that run. The Bulldogs had 17 first-half field goals and led 43-16 at halftime.

In the Alabama A&M defeat, the Bulldogs saw an eight-point halftime lead slip away. On this night, UNO started the second half on a 5-0 run before a quick MSU timeout.

Following the timeout, MSU responded with an 18-2 run.

New Orleans

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Denard | f 1-5 | 0-0 | 1-4 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 24 |
| Cook | f 3-7 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 18 |
| McPhearson | g 3-7 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 28 |
| Blake | g 0-4 | 0-2 | 2-2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 22 |
| Nelson | g 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 27 |
| Dixon | 1-4 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 17 |
| Hobbs | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Mack | 1-3 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 11 |
| Banchy | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 11 |
| Reese | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Hill | 2-3 | 0-0 | 3-3 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 14 |
| Ganapamo | 2-10 | 1-5 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 14 |
| Parker | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| County | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| James | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Avery | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| TOTALS | 17-51 | 1-8 | 11-21 | 27 | 19 | 46 | 7 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 8-10 | 1-2 | 0-0 | 8 | 3 | 17 | 4 | 26 |
| Ware | f 4-6 | 0-0 | 2-3 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 27 |
| Bloodman | g 3-5 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 31 |
| Cunningham | g 2-2 | 2-2 | 0-1 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 25 |
| Sword | g 3-6 | 0-0 | 3-3 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 13 |
| Steele | 5-12 | 4-6 | 2-2 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 20 |
| Thomas | 6-13 | 2-7 | 2-2 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 28 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Johnson | 4-8 | 1-2 | 5-7 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 27 |
| TOTALS | 35-62 | 11-21 | 16-20 | 40 | 17 | 97 | 17 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 43, NO 16 FG%: MSU 56.5%, NO 33.3%. 3FG%: MSU 52.4%, NO 12.5%. FT%: MSU 80.0%, NO 52.4%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Bloodman 4) NO 23 (Nelson 6). Blocked Shots: MSU 9 (Borchert 3), NO 3 (Three with 1) Steals: MSU 14 (Borchert 5), NO 9 (Cook, Ganapamo 2). Officials: Doug Simmons, Roger Ayers, Joe Lindsey. Attendance: 6,028.

GAME 13 — JAN. 9, 2013

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| Mississippi State | 56 |
| South Carolina | 54 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State saved its best defensive effort for when it needed it the most.

Down six points late in their SEC opener, the Bulldogs turned the tables on South Carolina defensively and posted a 56-54 victory.

MSU won its conference opener for the first time in three seasons. South Carolina held an eight-point lead in the first half and a six-point lead in the second half. However, the Gamecocks could not make either of those advantages stand up.

The Bulldogs trailed 50-44 with 5:14 left in regulation. MSU had erased a 12-4 first-half deficit with a 10-0 run.

Ray needed to remind the youthful Pups time was not on their side. However, the ability to make plays was.

The Bulldogs needed roughly two minutes of playing time to string together eight-straight points. The coliseum was rocking after a steal by Tyson Cunningham led to a game-tying layup by Roquez Johnson. Cunningham also got a pick on the next possession, leading to a go-ahead running jumper in the lane by Fred Thomas with 3:25 left.

South Carolina battled back to tie, only to have MSU score the game's next four points. Sword broke the tie with two free throws with 46 seconds left. A steal and follow-up dunk by Sword moved the Bulldogs advantage to 56-52 with 30 seconds left.

USC got a basket by Michael Carrera. After two missed free throws, Carolina got two more shots off, but a contested 3-pointer by Bruce Ellington was blocked by Cunningham and Brian Richardson missed from 25 feet.

South Carolina

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Kacinas | f 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 30 |
| Jackson | f 2-2 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 26 |
| Richardson | g 7-19 | 5-11 | 1-2 | 8 | 2 | 20 | 1 | 35 |
| Smith | g 4-7 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 35 |
| Ellington | g 4-7 | 3-6 | 0-0 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 23 |
| Williams | 1-4 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Chatkevicius | 1-4 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 18 |
| Carrera | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| Leonard | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Slawson | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 8 |
| TOTALS | 20-51 | 8-21 | 6-11 | 38 | 20 | 54 | 10 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 3-8 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 31 |
| Ware | f 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 21 |
| Steele | g 2-8 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 20 |
| Bloodman | g 0-4 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 22 |
| Sword | g 6-11 | 0-1 | 6-8 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 2 | 28 |
| Thomas | 4-11 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 33 |
| Cunningham | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 19 |
| Johnson | 3-3 | 0-0 | 8-10 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 26 |
| TOTALS | 19-49 | 0-10 | 18-25 | 29 | 15 | 56 | 8 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 26, USC 26. FG%: MSU 38.8%, USC 39.2%. 3FG%: MSU 0.0%, USC 38.1%. FT%: MSU 72.0%, USC 54.5%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Sword 7), USC 24 (Ellington 9). Blocked Shots: MSU 8 (Borchert 4), USC 5 (Jackson 4). Steals: MSU 14 (Thomas 5), USC 7 (Three with 2). Officials: Doug Shows, Rick Hartzell, Patrick Evans. Attendance: 6,034.

GAME 14 — JAN. 12, 2013

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| Mississippi State | 72 |
| Georgia | 61 |

Stageman Coliseum • 12:30 p.m.
Athens, GA

Jalen Steele had a career high 21 points and Mississippi State won its first true road game of the season with a 72-61 win at Georgia.

The win put MSU at 2-0 in SEC play for the first time since starting 3-0 in 2010.

Quickly, Steele made his mark scoring the game's first five points that parlayed the quick start into an early 11-5 advantage.

Georgia closed within 13-12 only to see a Craig Sword 3-point basket go home for MSU. Georgia quickly tied things at 16 and later seized early control of the game with a 9-0 run for a 30-23 lead.

A 3-point play by Fred Thomas helped spark the comeback. The lead changed hands five times in the final 1:53 as MSU grabbed a 36-35 lead at halftime on a Sword putback.

MSU found another gear defensively in the second half, allowing only 26 points.

Things were nip-and-tuck in the second half before back-to-back 3s by Thomas and Steele allowed the Bulldogs to open 50-44 advantage. After not hitting a 3-point basket against South Carolina, the Bulldogs were 9-of-20 at UGA.

Georgia forced one last tie before MSU took control for good with a 12-1 run. That run was capped by back-to-back 3's from Steele, giving MSU a 62-51 advantage with 5:02 left.

MSU hit 25 of 54 shots from the field, 9 of 20 shots from 3-point range and 13 of 23 shots from the foul line. Georgia hit 19 of 58 shots from the field, 4 of 19 shots from 3-point range and 19 of 32 shots from the foul line.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Steele | g 7-16 | 4-8 | 3-4 | 7 | 1 | 21 | 2 | 31 |
| Borchert | f 3-6 | 1-3 | 0-1 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 29 |
| Bloodman | g 0-2 | 0-1 | 6-8 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 29 |
| Ware | f 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 22 |
| Sword | g 6-10 | 2-3 | 2-6 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 0 | 30 |
| Thomas | 3-8 | 2-5 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 21 |
| Cunningham | 2-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 20 |
| Johnson | 2-5 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 18 |
| TOTALS | 25-54 | 9-20 | 13-23 | 37 | 22 | 72 | 13 | 200 |

Georgia

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| C.-Pope | g 5-14 | 4-9 | 2-4 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 1 | 35 |
| Mann | g 2-7 | 0-0 | 10-13 | 2 | 5 | 14 | 4 | 29 |
| Dixon | f 3-4 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 22 |
| Morris | f 1-3 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 12 |
| Florus | f 1-4 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 15 |
| V. Williams | 1-4 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 11 |
| Gaines | 2-7 | 0-3 | 1-2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| D. Williams | 1-3 | 0-0 | 3-9 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 25 |
| Brantley | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 25 |
| Djurisic | 3-7 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 16 |
| TOTALS | 19-58 | 4-19 | 19-32 | 44 | 19 | 61 | 10 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 36, UG 35. FG%: MSU 46.3%, UG 32.8%. 3FG%: MSU 45.0%, UG 21.1%. FT%: MSU 56.5%, UG 59.4%. Turnovers: MSU 14 (Three with 3), UG 15 (Mann 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 4 (Four with 1), UG 3 (Caldwell-Pope 2). Steals: MSU 9 (Three with 2), UG 10 (Caldwell-Pope 4). Officials: Antinio Petty, Pat Adams, Terry Moore. Attendance: 5,891.

GAME 15 — JAN. 16, 2013

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| Alabama | 75 |
| Mississippi State | 43 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 8 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State's three-game winning streak ended with Alabama's 75-43 win.

For MSU, it was their worst home loss to Alabama and second-worst loss ever at home. The Maroon and White had won 12 of the previous 15 meetings between the longtime rivals in this facility.

The Bulldogs grabbed their longest lead of the game at 10-6 on a Fred Thomas 3-pointer with 14:30 left before halftime. The contest was nip-and-tuck and intensely physical early. MSU held tough through 3-point shooting. Alabama was making the most of second-chance shot opportunities.

Alabama took the lead for good on a Levi Randolph jumper with 7:02 left before halftime. That basket gave the Crimson Tide a 20-19 advantage. From there, UA closed the half on a 10-3 run to grab a 30-22 halftime advantage.

Things unraveled quickly for the Maroon and White to start the game's final half. Alabama hit five consecutive 3-point shots to open the half. That 15-0 run completed the game-changing 27-3 run and placed the Crimson Tide on top 45-22 with 17:04 left in regulation.

From there, the Crimson Tide's full-court pressure and continued strong shooting snuffed any hopes of a rally.

The lead grew to 30 at 59:29 on a 6-0 run, capped by a Retin Obasohan layup with 10:46 remaining. Alabama would lead by as many as 37 in the game's final half.

| Alabama | | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
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| Player | | | | | | | | | |
| Gueye | c | 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Lacey | g | 4-8 | 3-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 29 |
| Randolph | g | 7-9 | 2-2 | 2-2 | 8 | 0 | 18 | 2 | 33 |
| Cooper | g | 7-14 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 26 |
| Steele | g | 1-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 21 |
| Goode | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Jacobs | | 8-10 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 11 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 27 |
| Pollard | | 3-6 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 27 |
| Blackledge | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Obasohan | | 1-2 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 19 |
| Wilson | | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Slaughter | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| TOTALS | | 31-58 | 8-13 | 5-8 | 35 | 12 | 75 | 12 | 200 |

| Mississippi State | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|---|-------|------|-----|----|----|----|---|-----|
| Player | | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Borchert | f | 2-7 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 23 |
| Ware | f | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 33 |
| Steele | g | 2-8 | 1-5 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 24 |
| Bloodman | g | 1-3 | 0-2 | 2-2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 23 |
| Sword | g | 4-10 | 0-2 | 1-2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 24 |
| Thomas | | 4-8 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 26 |
| Price | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cunningham | | 1-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 19 |
| Johnson | | 0-5 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 26 |
| TOTALS | | 16-45 | 5-18 | 6-8 | 23 | 8 | 43 | 6 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 22, UA 30. FG%: MSU 35.6%, UA 53.4%. 3FG%: MSU 27.8%, UA 61.5%. FT%: MSU 75.5%, UA 62.5%. Turnovers: MSU 21 (Four with 4), UA 12 (Lacey 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 5 (Borchert 3), UA 5 (Jacobs 2). Steals: MSU 7 (Ware 2), UA 12 (Steele 5). Officials: Joe Lindsey, Ted Valentine, Don Dailey. Attendance: 7,182

GAME 16 — JAN. 19, 2013

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| Tennessee | 72 |
| Mississippi State | 57 |

Thompson-Boling Arena • 3 p.m.
Knoxville, TN

Mississippi State couldn't overcome Tennessee's inside presence and the Volunteers took advantage as it claimed a 72-57 win.

The Vols scored 42 points in the paint area, compared to 16 for the Bulldogs. Tennessee shot 51.7 percent from the field in the opening half, based largely on numerous second shot attempts. The fast start allowed the hosts to build a 37-29 halftime lead, which was never relinquished.

Tennessee sprinted to an early 8-2 lead less than four minutes into the contest. A Jalen Steele 3-point basket capped five straight points for the Bulldogs to tie the contest at 11. MSU would take its only lead at 14-13 on a Gavin Ware dunk with 11:38 left in the half.

Ware held his own against Tennessee's ferocious inside game, as he pulled down nine rebounds – his most in a SEC game.

MSU's lead was short lived as Tennessee rolled out to 25-18 advantage on a Jordan McRae layup with 7:32 left in the half.

The Bulldogs did close back within four before trailing 37-29 at the intermission.

The Bulldogs were back with in four at 39:35 on a Craig Sword jumper with 17:29 left. The Volunteers scored the game's next seven points. Still, MSU hung tough and was still within single digits as late as the 4:14 mark in the contest.

Tennessee held a 37-32 rebounding advantage.

Steele paced the Bulldogs with 15 points, including 13 points in the first half. Fred Thomas added 14 points, while Sword added 10 points. Jaylen Boyd led Tennessee with 18 points.

| Tennessee | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Player | | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Borchert | f | 0-7 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 19 |
| Ware | f | 3-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 23 |
| Steele | g | 6-10 | 1-3 | 2-2 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 27 |
| Bloodman | g | 2-4 | 0-1 | 5-5 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 33 |
| Sword | g | 5-11 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 26 |
| Thomas | | 4-9 | 2-3 | 4-5 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 2 | 26 |
| Cunningham | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 20 |
| Johnson | | 1-9 | 0-2 | 1-2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 26 |
| TOTALS | | 21-56 | 3-12 | 12-14 | 32 | 17 | 57 | 11 | 260 |

| Tennessee | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Player | | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
| Stokes | f | 7-13 | 0-0 | 4-7 | 11 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 28 |
| Hall | f | 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| Richardson | g | 6-9 | 1-2 | 3-3 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 29 |
| McBee | g | 1-3 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 27 |
| McRae | g | 5-12 | 2-5 | 0-0 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 3 | 33 |
| Makanjuola | | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Reese | | 3-5 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 12 |
| Moore | | 2-6 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 25 |
| Golden | | 4-8 | 0-1 | 2-3 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 9 | 26 |
| TOTALS | | 28-60 | 7-17 | 9-13 | 37 | 15 | 72 | 19 | 200 |

Halftime: UT 37, MSU 29. FG%: MSU 37.5%, UT 46.7%. 3FG%: MSU 25.0%, UT 41.2%. FT%: MSU 85.7%, UT 69.2%. Turnovers: MSU 13 (Borchert, Sword 3), UT 11 (McRae 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Borchert 2), UT 5 (Stokes 2). Steals: MSU 3 (Bloodman 2), UT 5 (Moore 3). Officials: Mike Thibodeauz, John Heatly and Tracy Woodson. Attendance: 17,584.

GAME 17 — JAN. 23, 2013

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| Arkansas | 96 |
| Mississippi State | 70 |

Bud Walton Arena • 8 p.m.
Fayetteville, AR

Mississippi State committed a season-high 29 turnovers, and Arkansas took advantage en route to a 96-70 win.

MSU gave up a season-high 96 points and could not overcome major issues caused by the Razorbacks full-court pressure.

The Bulldogs fell down 14-3. However, MSU rallied with an 8-0 run. MSU would later close within two at 23-21 on another 8-0 run.

A Colin Borchert 3-point basket brought MSU within 28-24. However, Arkansas quickly extended the lead back out to 14 points. MSU scored the final five points of the half and trailed 42-33 at the intermission.

A pair of turnovers led to two fast-break baskets for Arkansas to start the second half. Feeding off the home crowd, the Razorbacks quickly built the lead back to 14. Two free throws by Gavin Ware brought MSU within 52-42 with 15:05 left in regulation.

From there, turnovers and mounting foul trouble consumed the Bulldogs. Ahead by 12 with 12:00 left, Arkansas ripped off 16 straight points to remove all doubt from the contest.

Arkansas placed four in double figures. Mar-shawn Powell had a team-high 17 points, while Coty Clarke and B.J. Young each added 13 points. Jacorey Williams scored 10 points.

| Mississippi State | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|------|-------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| Player | F | 3F | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | M | Min |
| Borchert | f 2-5 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 22 | 29 |
| Ware | f 2-4 | 0-0 | 7-8 | 8 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 29 | 22 |
| Steele | g 1-8 | 1-5 | 2-2 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 31 | 24 |
| Bloodman | g 1-2 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 24 | 24 |
| Sword | g 4-13 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 21 | 24 |
| Thomas | 6-12 | 2-5 | 3-4 | 2 | 0 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 24 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 24 |
| Cunningham | 3-5 | 3-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 19 | 24 |
| Johnson | 3-5 | 0-0 | 3-5 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 28 | 24 |
| TOTALS | 22-54 | 9-19 | 17-21 | 36 | 21 | 70 | 11 | 200 | 288 |

| Arkansas | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|--|
| Player | | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min | |
| Mickelson | f | 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 17 | |
| Powell | f | 6-12 | 1-4 | 4-4 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 19 | |
| Madden | g | 1-3 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 21 | |
| Scott | g | 2-5 | 1-4 | 1-2 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 15 | |
| Gulley | g | 2-2 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 19 | |
| Wade | | 1-5 | 1-3 | 2-2 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 17 | |
| Clarke | | 5-5 | 1-1 | 2-2 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 0 | 19 | |
| Bell | | 3-5 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 8 | |
| Young | | 4-10 | 0-2 | 5-8 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 3 | 17 | |
| Henderson | | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | |
| Spivey | | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | |
| Haydar | | 0-0 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 16 | |
| Williams | | 1-4 | 0-1 | 2-2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 11 | |
| Wagner | | 4-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | |
| Qualls | | 1-5 | 0-1 | 3-4 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 13 | |
| TOTALS | | 33-67 | 9-27 | 21-26 | 34 | 17 | 96 | 27 | 200 | |

Halftime: MSU 33, UA 42. FG%: MSU 40.7%, UA 49.3%. 3FG%: MSU 47.4%, UA 33.3%. FT%: MSU 81.0%, UA 80.8%. Turnovers: MSU 29 (Sword 9), UA 13 (Qualis 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 3 (Thomas 2), UA 11 (Mickelson 3). Steals: MSU 5 (Ware, Sword 2), UA 14 (Wade 5). Officials: Antinio Petty, Rick Hartzell, Tracy Woodson. Attendance: 12,806.

GAME 18 — JAN. 26, 2013

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| No. 7 Florida | 82 |
| Mississippi State | 47 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Seventh-ranked Florida proved too much for Mississippi State as the Gators built an early lead and posted an 82-47 win.

Florida improved to 16-2 overall and 6-0 in league play, while winning this arena for the first time since 2007. MSU dropped its fourth straight, while falling to 7-11 and 2-4.

The Gators opened a double-digit lead with a 10-0 run in the early stages of the first half. Back-to-back 3-point baskets by Kenny Boynton and Michael Frazier allowed the Gators to open a 20-6 advantage.

A follow-up 11-0 run allowed Florida to build a 31-8 advantage with 8:31 left in the half. A steal by Will Yeguete led to a layup by Scottie Wilbekin.

The Bulldogs closed within 31-15 when Fred Thomas was fouled on a 3-point shot attempt. Thomas hit all three free throws.

Florida shot 48.4 percent from the field in the opening half and led 41-19 at halftime. It marked the fourth time this season MSU allowed 40 or more points in the first half of a game.

After a layup by MSU's Gavin Ware opened the second half scoring, Florida answered with the game's next 15 points. The lead would grow to as many as 36.

Thomas led the Bulldogs with a career-high 19 points. Colin Borchert and Ware each added 10 points. Thomas also had seven steals, which is the second most in a game in MSU history.

Florida

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Murphy | f 6-8 | 4-6 | 2-2 | 6 | 2 | 18 | 2 | 23 |
| Young | c 6-6 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 1 | 27 |
| Boynton | g 7-11 | 4-8 | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 18 | 2 | 28 |
| Rosario | g 1-8 | 1-5 | 2-2 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 27 |
| Wilbekin | g 5-9 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 9 | 32 |
| Kurtz | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Ogbueze | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| Graham | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Yeguete | 2-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 8 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 21 |
| Frazier | 2-5 | 2-5 | 0-0 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 24 |
| Walker | 0-3 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| TOTALS | 31-56 | 14-31 | 6-9 | 44 | 12 | 82 | 14 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 3-10 | 2-5 | 2-2 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 26 |
| Ware | f 5-7 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 26 |
| Steele | g 0-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 23 |
| Bloodman | g 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 24 |
| Sword | g 4-11 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 26 |
| Thomas | 5-14 | 1-5 | 8-9 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 0 | 25 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Cunningham | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| Johnson | 0-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| TOTALS | 17-52 | 3-15 | 10-15 | 20 | 12 | 47 | 8 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 19, UF 41. FG%: MSU 32.7%, UF 55.4%. 3FG%: MSU 20.0%, UF 45.2%. FT%: MSU 66.7%, UF 66.7%. Turnovers: MSU 10 (Borchert 3), UF 14 (Rosario, Wilbekin 3). Blocked Shots: MSU 1 (Thomas 1), UF 4 (Young 2). Steals: MSU 12 (Thomas 7), UF 6 (Boynton, Yeguete). Officials: Mike Thibodeaux, James Baker, John Heatly. Attendance: 7,696.

GAME 19 — JAN. 30, 2013

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| Texas A&M | 55 |
| Mississippi State | 49 OT |

Humphrey Coliseum • 8 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Mississippi State surrendered a 14-point second half lead, dropping a 55-49 overtime decision to Texas A&M.

The Bulldogs shot 66.7 percent in the game's opening half and stretched the advantage to as many as 14 in the early stages of the second half, but he Aggies responded with a 16-2 run to keep the game tight.

MSU dropped its fifth straight in league play. Craig Sword tied the contest with an off-balanced 3-point basket with 5.9 seconds left in regulation. After MSU's Colin Borchert scored on the opening possession of overtime, the Bulldogs did not score again.

In the early stages of the first half, the Bulldogs pulled away from a 10-10 tie by scoring 10 straight points. MSU was sharp on both ends, with Jalen Steele being a catalyst offensive and defensively. Steele hit a 3-point basket and a free throw, while Gavin Ware broke loose inside for six points, including two dunks.

The Aggies chipped away with the game's next five points, before MSU rolled out to a 27-15 advantage behind another trey by Steele and a jumper in the lane by Ware.

MSU led 29-17 at the break.

Texas A&M forced some turnovers of its own on the game-tying 16-2 run. A 3-point play by Alex Caruso and follow-up basket by Elston Turner tied the contest at 33. Turner was held scoreless in the game's first half but finished with 11 points.

Neither team led by more than one possession over the final 13-plus minutes.

Texas A&M

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Roberson | f 4-7 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 12 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 33 |
| R. Turner | f 2-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 20 |
| Reese | g 4-9 | 0-3 | 2-2 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 36 |
| E. Harris | g 8-13 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 17 | 1 | 39 |
| Turner | g 5-13 | 1-7 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 43 |
| Young | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Green | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Caruso | 2-4 | 0-1 | 1-1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 29 |
| Jahns | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| TOTALS | 25-53 | 2-16 | 3-3 | 31 | 16 | 55 | 9 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 4-9 | 2-5 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 35 |
| Ware | f 6-11 | 0-0 | 2-4 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 1 | 36 |
| Steele | g 3-7 | 2-6 | 1-2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 36 |
| Bloodman | g 0-1 | 0-0 | 5-6 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 36 |
| Sword | g 3-7 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 23 |
| Thomas | 0-3 | 0-3 | 2-2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 19 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cunningham | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Johnson | 0-2 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 21 |
| TOTALS | 16-40 | 6-18 | 11-16 | 24 | 12 | 49 | 9 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 29, TAM 17. FG%: MSU 40.0%, TAM 47.2%. 3FG%: MSU 33.3%, TAM 12.5%. FT%: MSU 68.8%, TAM 100%. Turnovers: MSU 24 (Sword 6), TAM 22 (Turner 7). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Borchert, Ware 1), TAM 2 (Roberson, Turner 1). Steals: MSU 6 (Borchert 2), TAM 14 (Roberson 6). Officials: Ted Valentine, Mike Kitts, Anthony Jordan. Attendance: 6,858.

GAME 20 — FEB. 2, 2013

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| LSU | 69 |
| Mississippi State | 68 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 4:30 p.m.
Starkville, MS

For a second-straight contest, Mississippi State couldn't build on a near-flawless first half. MSU saw a 17-point lead slip away as LSU rallied to win on a last-second shot, 69-68.

LSU secured the victory when Anthony Hickey hit a running jumper in the lane with 1.4 seconds left.

LSU only held four leads in the contest. The Tigers had initial leads of 2-0 and 5-4 but would not lead again until Hickey's first shot late.

The Bulldogs quickly sprinted to a 22-8 advantage with 11 straight points. Gavin Ware scored a pair of baskets during the run, including a monster dunk for the 14-point advantage.

Minutes later, the Maroon and White ran the advantage to 13 on a Jalen Steele 3-point shot. The lead would stretch to as many as 17 on a Roquez Johnson dunk at 36-19 with 3:20 left.

MSU shot 57.1 percent from the floor in the opening half and led 40-26 at the intermission. In the second half, the Bulldogs struggled against LSU full-court pressure and hit only 8-of-20 free throw attempts.

Texas A&M rallied in the early stages of the second half Wednesday night. LSU needed much more time to pull even.

LSU was within single digits less than five minutes into the game's final half. It would later close within seven before MSU ran the lead back out to 12 at 55-43 on a 3-point play by Ware and follow-up basket by Craig Sword.

The lead remained 10 with 8:50 left in regulation. A 3-pointer by Hickey brought LSU within 60-56 with 5:43 left. That shot would start a 7-0 run which tied the game at 60-60.

LSU

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| O'Bryant | f 4-9 | 0-0 | 4-4 | 12 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 32 |
| Coleman | f 3-9 | 0-1 | 5-7 | 7 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 32 |
| Hickey | g 5-14 | 2-9 | 0-1 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 4 | 29 |
| Stringer | g 2-8 | 1-5 | 4-4 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 33 |
| Morgan | g 3-8 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 23 |
| Carmouche | 4-8 | 0-4 | 2-2 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 26 |
| Courtney | 2-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 9 |
| Collins | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Hammink | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| Del Piero | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| TOTALS | 25-63 | 4-25 | 15-18 | 39 | 21 | 69 | 15 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 4-9 | 2-3 | 0-3 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 2 | 29 |
| Ware | f 6-8 | 0-0 | 2-3 | 7 | 2 | 14 | 1 | 29 |
| Steele | g 1-8 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 32 |
| Bloodman | g 3-6 | 0-1 | 6-6 | 6 | 2 | 12 | 3 | 26 |
| Sword | g 5-9 | 0-1 | 1-6 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 26 |
| Thomas | 3-9 | 0-3 | 2-3 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 24 |
| Cunningham | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| Johnson | 4-4 | 0-0 | 2-6 | 6 | 4 | 10 | 1 | 22 |
| TOTALS | 26-54 | 3-12 | 13-27 | 37 | 17 | 68 | 13 | 200 |

Halftime: MSU 40, LSU 26. FG%: MSU 48.1%, LSU 39.7%. 3FG%: MSU 25.0%, LSU 16.0%. FT%: MSU 48.1%, LSU 83.3%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Borchert 5), LSU 17 (Stringer 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 6 (Borchert, Thomas 2), LSU 3 (O'Bryant 2). Steals: MSU 11 (Thomas 3), LSU 11 (Carmouche 3). Officials: Mike Thibodeaux, Bruce Benedict, Chuck Jones. Attendance: 7,667.

GAME 21 — FEB. 6, 2013

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|-------------------|----|
| Ole Miss | 93 |
| Mississippi State | 75 |

Tad Smith Coliseum • 8 p.m.
Oxford, MS

Mississippi State competed but the Ole Miss front line and foul trouble proved too much to overcome.

The Bulldogs fell down 17 early but continued to battle before falling 93-75 to the arch-rival Rebels.

The duo of Marshall Henderson and Murphy Holloway proved too much for the Bulldogs defense, as Henderson scored 31 points and Holloway added a season-high 24 points.

The Rebels created separation early in the contest. After Gavin Ware scored on MSU's first possession, Ole Miss scored the game's next 19 points. The Bulldogs struggled on offense and did not reach double figures for the first 10 minutes of the contest.

Still, the Bulldogs righted the ship and remained competitive. The Maroon and White pulled within 28-18 with slightly less than five minutes left in the first half. However, the fouls were mounting.

The Bulldogs did not play Ware or Roquez Johnson in the final four minutes of the half thanks to three fouls on each player. Ole Miss took advantage with a 12-2 run and grabbed a 42-23 lead at halftime.

In the second half, the Bulldogs hit 18-of-32 shots from the field and closed within 10 midway through the second half. However, Henderson rammed home a couple of critical 3-point baskets to keep MSU in a double-digit deficit.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 4-10 | 0-3 | 1-2 | 5 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 24 |
| Ware | f 2-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 17 |
| Steele | g 5-13 | 1-6 | 4-4 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 3 | 30 |
| Bloodman | g 3-8 | 0-2 | 0-1 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 30 |
| Sword | g 5-13 | 1-2 | 6-10 | 5 | 4 | 17 | 3 | 27 |
| Thomas | 4-9 | 2-6 | 3-3 | 6 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 29 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Cunningham | 1-4 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 17 |
| Johnson | 4-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 25 |
| TOTALS | 28-65 | 5-23 | 14-20 | 38 | 27 | 75 | 14 | 200 |

Ole Miss

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Buckner | f 4-9 | 0-0 | 4-5 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 36 |
| Holloway | f 9-12 | 0-0 | 6-9 | 8 | 1 | 24 | 1 | 36 |
| White | g 2-6 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 33 |
| Henderson | g 8-18 | 6-14 | 9-10 | 3 | 3 | 31 | 4 | 37 |
| Summers | g 3-8 | 0-0 | 5-7 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 29 |
| Millinghaus | 2-3 | 0-0 | 2-3 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 14 |
| Perez | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 |
| Brutus | 1-1 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| TOTALS | 30-59 | 6-16 | 27-36 | 35 | 17 | 93 | 18 | 200 |

Halftime: UM 42, MSU 23. FG%: MSU 43.1%, UM 50.8%. 3FG%: MSU 21.7%, UM 37.5%. FT%: MSU 70.0%, UM 75.0%. Turnovers: MSU 17 (Bloodman, Sword 4), UM 10 (Summers 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 1 (Thomas 1), UM 8 (Buckner 5). Steals: MSU 6 (Bloodman 3), UM 8 (Holloway 3). Officials: Joe Lindsay, Mark Whitehead, Steven Anderson. Attendance: 8,299.

GAME 22 — FEB. 9, 2013

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| Florida | 83 |
| Mississippi State | 58 |

O'Connell Center • 4 p.m.
Gainesville, FL

Mississippi State knew the challenge at hand prior to a second meeting with No. 2 Florida.

The Bulldogs came ready to battle, competed hard, but did not have enough answers on either end of the floor as Florida made it a regular season sweep with an 83-58 victory.

In similar fashion to the Gators' 82-47 win last month in Starkville, Florida established its dominance early. The Gators built an early 15-10 lead and that stretched that advantage with an 11-0 run.

The Bulldogs answered with back-to-back 3-point baskets from Colin Borchert and Trivante Bloodman to climb back within 10 at 26-16.

The Gators forced a couple of turnovers and strung together the game's next seven points. MSU struggled on the defensive end, as the hosts hit 16-of-29 first-half shots.

MSU closed back within 13 before going into the break, down 42-26.

Gavin Ware finished with a team-high 16 points on 7-of-11 shooting from the field. Borchert followed with 14 points, while Bloodman added 10 points. Craig Sword led the team with eight rebounds. The Bulldogs only allowed five points off turnovers in the game's final half.

MSU also got a season-high 16 minutes from Baxter Price. The Bulldogs dressed eight players with an indefinite suspension of junior guard Jalen Steele being announced earlier in the day.

Florida scored the first 10 points of the second half to remove all doubt from the contest.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 5-11 | 3-5 | 1-2 | 5 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 33 |
| Ware | f 7-11 | 0-0 | 2-7 | 6 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 28 |
| Thomas | g 4-9 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 29 |
| Bloodman | g 4-7 | 1-3 | 1-1 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 23 |
| Sword | g 2-8 | 1-3 | 2-2 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 26 |
| Price | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 16 |
| Cunningham | 0-3 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 26 |
| Johnson | 1-4 | 1-2 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 19 |
| TOTALS | 23-54 | 6-16 | 6-12 | 31 | 18 | 58 | 13 | 200 |

Florida

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Murphy | f 7-10 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 26 |
| Young | c 1-5 | 0-0 | 4-6 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 25 |
| Boynnton | g 3-9 | 0-5 | 4-5 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 30 |
| Rosario | g 7-11 | 2-5 | 2-2 | 4 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 24 |
| Frazier | g 4-7 | 3-5 | 0-0 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 24 |
| Kurtz | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Wilbekin | 2-4 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 33 |
| Ogbueze | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Graham | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Prather | 5-9 | 0-1 | 2-5 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 22 |
| Walker | 1-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| TOTALS | 31-59 | 9-26 | 12-18 | 36 | 12 | 83 | 21 | 200 |

Halftime: UF 42, MSU 26. FG%: MSU 42.6%, UF 52.5%. 3FG%: MSU 37.5%, UF 34.6%. FT%: MSU 50.0%, UF 66.7%. Turnovers: MSU 16 (Sword 6), UF 8 (Boynnton, Wilbekin 2). Blocked Shots: MSU 1 (Thomas 1), UF 2 (Prather, Walker 1). Steals: MSU 4 (Sword 2), UF 6 (Walker 2). Officials: Doug Shows, Pat Adams, Tim Gattis. Attendance: 12,444.

GAME 23 — FEB. 13, 2013

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|-------------------|----|
| Missouri | 78 |
| Mississippi State | 36 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Early offensive struggles led to a long night for the Mississippi State in a 78-36 setback to Missouri.

It was the lowest point total since scoring 36 points against George Washington in 1996.

The Bulldogs missed their first 11 shots and quickly fell behind 14-0. The offensive struggles continued through a first half where MSU only managed 10 points.

A layup by Trivante Bloodman brought MSU within 23-8 with 5:00 left in the opening frame. The Bulldogs trailed 34-10 at the intermission.

MSU closed within 19 on a free throw by Roquez Johnson with 15:03 left in the half. Missouri scored the game's next 12 points to breeze to the victory.

For the contest, the Bulldogs hit 11 of 46 shots from the field (23.9 percent), 3 of 19 shots from 3-point range (15.8 percent) and 11 of 22 shots from the foul line (50.0 percent). The Tigers hit 31 of 58 shots from the field (53.4 percent), 9 of 20 shots from 3-point range (45.0 percent) and 7 of 10 shots from the foul line (70.0 percent).

Missouri held a 46-25 rebounding advantage. The Bulldogs had three assists and 15 turnovers, while the Tigers had 21 assists and 14 turnovers.

Keion Bell paced Missouri with 24 points. Jabari Brown added 20 points, while Laurence Bowers added 11 points.

Missouri

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Bowers | f 5-9 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 20 |
| Oriakhi | f 1-4 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 22 |
| Pressey | g 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 24 |
| Bell | g 10-16 | 2-4 | 2-3 | 5 | 4 | 24 | 2 | 32 |
| Brown | g 7-11 | 3-6 | 3-4 | 3 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 29 |
| Criswell | 1-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| Haith | 1-2 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Bull | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Webster-Chan | 0-2 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Feldmann | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Ross | 2-5 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 16 |
| Jankovic | 2-3 | 2-3 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 7 |
| Rosburg | 1-3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 11 |
| TOTALS | 31-58 | 9-20 | 7-10 | 46 | 18 | 78 | 21 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 2-8 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 23 |
| Ware | f 3-7 | 0-0 | 1-3 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 28 |
| Thomas | g 1-9 | 0-4 | 1-2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 33 |
| Bloodman | g 4-7 | 1-3 | 4-6 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 0 | 31 |
| Sword | g 0-8 | 0-4 | 4-6 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 27 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Cunningham | 0-4 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| Johnson | 1-3 | 0-1 | 1-5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 29 |
| TOTALS | 11-46 | 3-19 | 11-22 | 25 | 13 | 36 | 3 | 200 |

Halftime: MU 34, MSU 10. FG%: MSU 23.9%, MU 53.4%. 3FG%: MSU 15.8%, MU 45.0%. FT%: MSU 50.0%, MU 70.0%. Turnovers: MSU 15 (Bloodman, Johnson 4), MU 14 (Pressey 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 3 (Ware 2), MU 4 (Oriakhi 3). Steals: MSU 4 (Bloodman 3), MU 8 (Pressey, Brown 3). Officials: Ted Valentine, Lee Cassell, Steven Anderson. Attendance: 6,007.

GAME 24 — FEB. 16, 2013

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| LSU | 80 |
| Mississippi State | 68 |

Maravich Assembly Coliseum • 4 p.m.
Baton Rouge, LA

Mississippi State fought valiantly but it was LSU that prevailed, 80-68, as the Bulldogs have now dropped 10-straight games.

Despite committing a season-low nine turnovers, the Bulldogs were done in by an incredible shooting display by the Tigers. LSU shot 54.5 percent from the floor – its second-best percentage of the season and best in league play. The Tigers also made a season-high 12 3-point baskets, again shooting 54.5 percent from long range.

An early 6-0 run allowed LSU to build a 14-7 advantage. After MSU cut into the lead, the Tigers ran the advantage back out to 19-12.

The Bulldogs erased that lead and tied the game at 23 on a layup by Roquez Johnson, 3-point basket by Fred Thomas and basket by Gavin Ware.

LSU quickly answered. The Tigers shot 58.6 percent from the field in the opening half and built a 41-28 halftime lead.

Back-to-back 3-point baskets allowed the hosts to run the lead to 16. LSU would eventually lead by 20 on a couple of occasions.

For the contest, the Bulldogs hit 26 of 56 shots from the field (46.4 percent), 4 of 17 shots from 3-point range (23.5 percent) and 12 of 19 shots from the foul line (63.2 percent). The Tigers hit 30 of 55 shots from the field (54.5 percent), 12 of 22 shots from 3-point range (54.5 percent) and 8 of 12 shots from the foul line (66.7 percent).

LSU held a 36-24 rebounding advantage.

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 5-12 | 1-7 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 30 |
| Ware | f 5-8 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 7 | 4 | 10 | 1 | 25 |
| Thomas | g 2-6 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 27 |
| Bloodman | g 0-8 | 0-1 | 5-6 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 33 |
| Sword | g 9-14 | 0-2 | 7-10 | 0 | 2 | 25 | 4 | 26 |
| Price | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 12 |
| Cunningham | 2-4 | 2-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 22 |
| Johnson | 3-3 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 25 |
| TOTALS | 26-56 | 4-17 | 12-19 | 24 | 14 | 68 | 9 | 200 |

LSU

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| O'Bryant | f 5-7 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 11 | 2 | 10 | 8 | 36 |
| Del Piero | f 5-6 | 0-0 | 3-5 | 4 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 25 |
| Hickey | g 3-8 | 3-6 | 1-2 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 33 |
| Stringer | g 4-9 | 2-4 | 0-0 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 34 |
| Morgan | g 2-5 | 1-2 | 0-0 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 20 |
| Carmouche | 8-11 | 5-8 | 0-0 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 1 | 23 |
| Courtney | 1-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Collins | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Coleman | 2-7 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 13 |
| Hammink | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Williams | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Badeaux | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| TOTALS | 30-55 | 12-22 | 8-12 | 36 | 15 | 80 | 24 | 200 |

Halftime: LSU 41, MSU 28. FG%: MSU 46.4%, LSU 54.5%. 3FG%: MSU 23.5%, LSU 54.5%. FT%: MSU 63.2%, LSU 66.7%. Turnovers: MSU 9 (Four with 2), LSU 10 (Three with 2). Blocked Shots: MSU 7 (Borchert 3), LSU 5 (Del Piero 3). Steals: MSU 6 (Borchert 4), LSU 5 (Hickey 2). Officials: Mike Thibodeaux, John Heatly, James Barker. Attendance: 9,720.

GAME 25 — FEB. 20, 2013

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| Alabama | 64 |
| Mississippi State | 56 |

Coleman Coliseum • 7 p.m.
Tuscaloosa, AL

Mississippi State mustered another strong effort, but still fell 64-56 at Alabama.

While Alabama had MSU outmanned, the Bulldogs still competed and played hard.

MSU struggled on the offensive early as Alabama built an early 10-4 lead. The Bulldogs closed within 14-11 on a Jalen Steele 3-point basket. Still, the Crimson Tide was causing The Bulldogs were down 19-15 after a tip-in from Gavin Ware. Alabama responded with a 12-3 run. MSU managed one field goal over the final 5:34 of the opening half.

Alabama forced 11 first-half turnovers, scored 11 points off the turnovers, and led 31-20 at the intermission. The Maroon and White were on the way to a 23-turnover night.

The Bulldogs fell down by 13 early in the second half but would not go away. The lead hovered in and out of double digits as the Bulldogs continued to dominate in their half-court defense.

Alabama went better than three minutes without a score and suddenly MSU drew within 47-43 on another Steele trey with 5:20 left in the contest.

The Crimson Tide responded with a 15-4 run to put the contest away.

For the contest, the Bulldogs hit 20 of 48 shots from the field (41.7 percent), 6 of 20 shots from 3-point range (30.0 percent) and 10 of 15 shots from the foul line (66.7 percent). The Crimson Tide hit 20 of 51 shots from the field (39.2 percent), 3 of 15 shots from 3-point range (20.0 percent) and 21 of 27 shots from the foul line (77.8 percent).

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 5-11 | 1-3 | 3-6 | 9 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 34 |
| Ware | f 4-5 | 0-0 | 1-3 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 28 |
| Thomas | g 0-7 | 0-6 | 0-0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 30 |
| Bloodman | g 2-5 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 27 |
| Sword | g 3-8 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 27 |
| Steele | 4-10 | 3-6 | 4-4 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 27 |
| Price | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Cunningham | 2-2 | 2-2 | 2-2 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 21 |
| TOTALS | 20-48 | 6-20 | 10-15 | 33 | 19 | 56 | 7 | 200 |

Alabama

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Gueye | c 0-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 25 |
| Lacey | g 5-12 | 1-5 | 0-0 | 3 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 34 |
| Releford | g 5-10 | 0-2 | 7-9 | 5 | 2 | 17 | 5 | 38 |
| Randolph | g 2-11 | 0-4 | 2-4 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 29 |
| Cooper | g 7-10 | 2-3 | 4-4 | 10 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 32 |
| Jacobs | 1-3 | 0-0 | 1-2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 15 |
| Pollard | 0-1 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 13 |
| Obasohan | 0-2 | 0-1 | 4-4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 14 |
| TOTALS | 20-51 | 3-15 | 21-27 | 31 | 16 | 64 | 10 | 200 |

Halftime: UA 31, MSU 20. FG%: MSU 41.7%, UA 39.2%. 3FG%: MSU 30.0%, UA 20.0%. FT%: MSU 66.7%, UA 77.8%. Turnovers: MSU 23 (Three with 5), UA 14 (Obasohan 4). Blocked Shots: MSU 1 (Borchert 1), UA 1 (Lacey 1). Steals: MSU 9 (Thomas 3), UA 18 (Releford, Obasohan 5). Officials: Doug Shows, Ron Groover, Leslie Jones. Attendance: 10,682.

GAME 26 — FEB. 23, 2013

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| Vanderbilt | 72 |
| Mississippi State | 31 |

Humphrey Coliseum • 12:30 p.m.
Starkville, MS

Offensive struggles returned for Mississippi State as it shot 17.5 percent from the field and went close to 11 minutes without its first field goal Saturday in a 72-31 loss to Vanderbilt.

The Bulldogs saw their losing streak reach to 12 games. MSU is now 7-19 overall and 2-2 in league play, while Vanderbilt improves to 11-15, 5-9.

MSU managed only six free throws until a layup by Trivante Bloodman with 9:05 left in the opening half. Vanderbilt stretched an early 5-2 lead with 10 straight points. The Commodores led 23-8 after Bloodman's driving dash to the goal.

The Bulldogs made only 4-of-22 first-half field goal attempts and were 0-of-11 from 3-point range in the opening half. MSU compounded its problems by having a serious struggle on the defensive glass.

Vanderbilt finished the contest with a 51-17 rebounding advantage. The Commodores had 20 offensive rebounds, including five from Sheldon Jeter. VU also got 13 total rebounds from Dai-Jon Parker.

Vanderbilt rode the momentum of the fast start into a 37-17 halftime lead.

The Commodores kept plowing away in the second half as a 3-pointer by Kevin Bright capped a 10-0 run and pushed his team to a 51-20 advantage with 14:38 left in the contest.

While MSU only managed seven field goals in the contest, Vanderbilt finished with 11 3-point baskets.

Vanderbilt

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Odum | f 4-7 | 2-5 | 3-5 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 2 | 22 |
| Henderson | f 4-5 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 13 |
| Johnson | g 1-5 | 1-2 | 0-0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 26 |
| Bright | g 5-6 | 5-6 | 0-0 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 21 |
| Parker | g 2-7 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 13 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 34 |
| Gendelman | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Watkins | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Fuller | 1-6 | 0-4 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 17 |
| Josephs | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Astroth | 0-2 | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Jeter | 4-8 | 1-2 | 2-2 | 9 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 22 |
| Kehris | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Moats | 3-6 | 1-4 | 0-0 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 17 |
| Siakam | 3-6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 13 |
| TOTALS | 28-61 | 11-31 | 5-7 | 51 | 18 | 72 | 19 | 200 |

Mississippi State

| Player | FG | 3FG | FT | RB | PF | PT | A | Min |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Borchert | f 0-6 | 0-3 | 0-0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| Ware | f 1-2 | 0-0 | 3-4 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 30 |
| Thomas | g 1-5 | 0-3 | 4-5 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 30 |
| Bloodman | g 2-4 | 1-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| Sword | g 1-8 | 0-3 | 4-4 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 27 |
| Steele | 2-10 | 1-4 | 4-4 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 28 |
| Price | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Cunningham | 0-3 | 0-2 | 0-1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| TOTALS | 7-40 | 2-19 | 15-18 | 17 | 10 | 31 | 4 | 200 |

Halftime: VU 37, MSU 17. FG%: MSU 17.5%, VU 45.9%. 3FG%: MSU 10.5%, VU 35.5%. FT%: MSU 83.3%, VU 71.4%. Turnovers: MSU 11 (Three with 3), VU 13 (Johnson 5). Blocked Shots: MSU 2 (Ware 2), VU 3 (Bright 2). Steals: MSU 6 (Thomas, Borchert 2), VU 1 (Watkins). Officials: Mike Nance, Chuck Jones, Steven Anderson. Attendance: 6,442.

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Mississippi State Combined Team Statistics (as of Feb 23, 2013)
All games

| RECORD: | OVERALL | HOME | AWAY | NEUTRAL |
|----------------|---------|------|------|---------|
| ALL GAMES | 7-19 | 5-7 | 1-9 | 1-3 |
| CONFERENCE | 2-12 | 1-6 | 1-6 | 0-0 |
| NON-CONFERENCE | 5-7 | 4-1 | 0-3 | 1-3 |

| # | 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-fta | ft% | off | def | tot | avg | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | Craig Sword | 26-24 | 673 | 25.9 | 91-235 | .387 | 9-53 | .170 | 65-116 | .560 | 19 | 56 | 75 | 2.9 | 79 | 7 | 49 | 101 | 9 | 40 | 256 | 9.8 |
| 00 | Jalen Steele | 15-11 | 398 | 26.5 | 47-139 | .338 | 23-67 | .343 | 28-30 | .933 | 9 | 34 | 43 | 2.9 | 13 | 0 | 17 | 27 | 1 | 12 | 145 | 9.7 |
| 01 | Fred Thomas | 26-13 | 735 | 28.3 | 83-254 | .327 | 32-139 | .230 | 47-61 | .770 | 7 | 82 | 89 | 3.4 | 36 | 1 | 31 | 41 | 18 | 43 | 245 | 9.4 |
| 25 | Roquez Johnson | 23-8 | 587 | 25.5 | 65-152 | .428 | 5-17 | .294 | 67-112 | .598 | 51 | 52 | 103 | 4.5 | 55 | 2 | 9 | 57 | 12 | 15 | 202 | 8.8 |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | 26-21 | 669 | 25.7 | 96-171 | .561 | 0-0 | .000 | 36-68 | .529 | 57 | 111 | 168 | 6.5 | 53 | 2 | 7 | 35 | 22 | 15 | 228 | 8.8 |
| 05 | Wendell Lewis | 8-5 | 168 | 21.0 | 25-44 | .568 | 0-0 | .000 | 15-16 | .938 | 14 | 25 | 39 | 4.9 | 18 | 1 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 65 | 8.1 |
| 03 | Colin Borchert | 23-18 | 612 | 26.6 | 70-182 | .385 | 20-71 | .282 | 19-31 | .613 | 30 | 78 | 108 | 4.7 | 63 | 3 | 30 | 54 | 30 | 31 | 179 | 7.8 |
| 04 | Trivante Bloodman | 26-26 | 755 | 29.0 | 42-115 | .365 | 9-34 | .265 | 64-85 | .753 | 27 | 52 | 79 | 3.0 | 63 | 1 | 63 | 75 | 1 | 32 | 157 | 6.0 |
| 24 | Tyson Cunningham | 26-4 | 548 | 21.1 | 21-56 | .375 | 16-38 | .421 | 8-10 | .800 | 21 | 35 | 56 | 2.2 | 30 | 0 | 33 | 26 | 2 | 15 | 66 | 2.5 |
| 15 | Baxter Price | 16-0 | 78 | 4.9 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0.3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Team | | | | | | | | | | | 47 | 43 | 90 | | | | | 15 | | | | |
| Total..... | | 26 | 5223 | | 540-1352 | .399 | 114-420 | .271 | 349-529 | .660 | 282 | 573 | 855 | 32.9 | 415 | 17 | 247 | 446 | 98 | 206 | 1543 | 59.3 |
| Opponents..... | | 26 | 5225 | | 668-1520 | .439 | 191-548 | .349 | 267-394 | .678 | 340 | 624 | 964 | 37.1 | 454 | - | 383 | 401 | 129 | 226 | 1794 | 69.0 |

| TEAM STATISTICS | MS | OPP | Date | Opponent | Score | Att. |
|------------------------|----------|----------|------------|-----------------------|-----------|-------|
| SCORING | 1543 | 1794 | 11-09-12 | at Troy | L 53-56 | 5120 |
| Points per game | 59.3 | 69.0 | 11-13-12 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC | w 78-58 | 6140 |
| Scoring margin | -9.7 | - | 11-19-12 | vs North Carolina | L 49-95 | 2400 |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT | 540-1352 | 668-1520 | 11-20-12 | vs Marquette | L 62-89 | 2400 |
| Field goal pct | .399 | .439 | 11-21-12 | vs Texas | L 55-69 | 2400 |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT | 114-420 | 191-548 | 11-27-12 | ALCORN STATE | w 60-42 | 6101 |
| 3-point FG pct | .271 | .349 | 12-01-12 | at Providence College | L 63-73 | 6156 |
| 3-pt FG made per game | 4.4 | 7.3 | 12-04-12 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | w 53-42 | 6021 |
| FREE THROWS-ATT | 349-529 | 267-394 | 12-15-22 | at Loyola Chicago | L 51-59 | 3321 |
| Free throw pct | .660 | .678 | 12-22-12 | vs Central Arkansas | w 79-72 | 2217 |
| F-Throws made per game | 13.4 | 10.3 | 12-30-12 | ALABAMA A&M | L 57-59 | 7526 |
| REBOUNDS | 855 | 964 | 01-03-13 | NEW ORLEANS | w 97-46 | 6028 |
| Rebounds per game | 32.9 | 37.1 | * 01-09-13 | SOUTH CAROLINA | w 56-54 | 6034 |
| Rebounding margin | -4.2 | - | * 01-12-13 | at Georgia | w 72-61 | 5891 |
| ASSISTS | 247 | 383 | * 01-16-13 | ALABAMA | L 43-75 | 7182 |
| Assists per game | 9.5 | 14.7 | * 01-19-13 | at Tennessee | L 57-72 | 17584 |
| TURNOVERS | 446 | 401 | * 01-23-13 | at Arkansas | L 70-96 | 12806 |
| Turnovers per game | 17.2 | 15.4 | * 01-26-13 | FLORIDA | L 47-82 | 7696 |
| Turnover margin | -1.7 | - | * 01-30-13 | TEXAS A&M | Lot 49-55 | 6858 |
| Assist/turnover ratio | 0.6 | 1.0 | * 02-02-13 | LSU | L 68-69 | 7667 |
| STEALS | 206 | 226 | * 02-06-13 | at Ole Miss | L 75-93 | 8299 |
| Steals per game | 7.9 | 8.7 | * 02-09-13 | at Florida | L 58-83 | 12444 |
| BLOCKS | 98 | 129 | * 02-13-13 | MISSOURI | L 36-78 | 6007 |
| Blocks per game | 3.8 | 5.0 | * 02-16-13 | at LSU | L 68-80 | 9720 |
| ATTENDANCE | 79702 | 101440 | * 02-20-13 | at Alabama | L 56-64 | 10682 |
| Home games-Avg/Game | 12-6642 | 10-9202 | * 02-23-13 | VANDERBILT | L 31-72 | 6442 |
| Neutral site-Avg/Game | - | 4-2354 | | | | |

* - Conference game

| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | OT | Totals |
|-------------------|-----|-----|----|--------|
| Mississippi State | 698 | 843 | 2 | 1543 |
| Opponents | 851 | 935 | 8 | 1794 |

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Conference games

| RECORD: | OVERALL | HOME | AWAY | NEUTRAL |
|----------------|---------|------|------|---------|
| ALL GAMES | 2-12 | 1-6 | 1-6 | 0-0 |
| CONFERENCE | 2-12 | 1-6 | 1-6 | 0-0 |
| NON-CONFERENCE | 0-0 | 0-0 | 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-fa | ft% | off | def | tot | avg | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | Craig Sword | 14-14 | 364 | 26.0 | 57-141 | .404 | 6-32 | .188 | 35-58 | .603 | 10 | 27 | 37 | 2.6 | 34 | 2 | 27 | 53 | 4 | 16 | 155 | 11.1 |
| 00 | Jalen Steele | 11-9 | 309 | 28.1 | 33-103 | .320 | 15-50 | .300 | 20-22 | .909 | 7 | 24 | 31 | 2.8 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 21 | 1 | 8 | 101 | 9.2 |
| 01 | Fred Thomas | 14-5 | 376 | 26.9 | 41-119 | .345 | 12-56 | .214 | 27-35 | .771 | 5 | 42 | 47 | 3.4 | 18 | 1 | 14 | 23 | 10 | 24 | 121 | 8.6 |
| 20 | Gavin Ware | 14-14 | 371 | 26.5 | 49-82 | .598 | 0-0 | .000 | 18-37 | .486 | 29 | 49 | 78 | 5.6 | 40 | 2 | 6 | 13 | 9 | 7 | 116 | 8.3 |
| 03 | Colin Borchert | 14-14 | 392 | 28.0 | 42-119 | .353 | 17-52 | .327 | 9-18 | .500 | 15 | 51 | 66 | 4.7 | 36 | 2 | 17 | 41 | 17 | 18 | 110 | 7.9 |
| 04 | Trivante Bloodman | 14-14 | 384 | 27.4 | 22-62 | .355 | 4-20 | .200 | 36-45 | .800 | 13 | 20 | 33 | 2.4 | 37 | 1 | 30 | 40 | 1 | 18 | 84 | 6.0 |
| 25 | Roquez Johnson | 12-0 | 293 | 24.4 | 22-52 | .423 | 1-5 | .200 | 21-37 | .568 | 16 | 25 | 41 | 3.4 | 32 | 2 | 5 | 25 | 2 | 3 | 66 | 5.5 |
| 24 | Tyson Cunningham | 14-0 | 271 | 19.4 | 11-31 | .355 | 9-22 | .409 | 2-3 | .667 | 5 | 14 | 19 | 1.4 | 16 | 0 | 15 | 12 | 2 | 8 | 33 | 2.4 |
| 15 | Baxter Price | 10-0 | 65 | 6.5 | 0-4 | .000 | 0-1 | .000 | 0-0 | .000 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0.5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Team | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 23 | 49 | | | | 5 | | | | | |
| Total..... | | 14 | 2825 | | 277-713 | .389 | 64-238 | .269 | 168-255 | .659 | 126 | 280 | 406 | 29.0 | 225 | 10 | 129 | 236 | 46 | 102 | 786 | 56.1 |
| Opponents..... | | 14 | 2825 | | 382-809 | .472 | 106-299 | .355 | 164-230 | .713 | 180 | 357 | 537 | 38.4 | 228 | - | 238 | 197 | 61 | 125 | 1034 | 73.9 |

| TEAM STATISTICS | MS | OPP | Date | Opponent | Score | Att. |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|
| SCORING | 786 | 1034 | * | 01-09-13 | SOUTH CAROLINA | w 56-54 6034 |
| Points per game | 56.1 | 73.9 | * | 01-12-13 | at Georgia | w 72-61 5891 |
| Scoring margin | -17.7 | - | * | 01-16-13 | ALABAMA | L 43-75 7182 |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT | 277-713 | 382-809 | * | 01-19-13 | at Tennessee | L 57-72 17584 |
| Field goal pct | .389 | .472 | * | 01-23-13 | at Arkansas | L 70-96 12806 |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT | 64-238 | 106-299 | * | 01-26-13 | FLORIDA | L 47-82 7696 |
| 3-point FG pct | .269 | .355 | * | 01-30-13 | TEXAS A&M | Lot 49-55 6858 |
| 3-pt FG made per game | 4.6 | 7.6 | * | 02-02-13 | LSU | L 68-69 7667 |
| FREE THROWS-ATT | 168-255 | 164-230 | * | 02-06-13 | at Ole Miss | L 75-93 8299 |
| Free throw pct | .659 | .713 | * | 02-09-13 | at Florida | L 58-83 12444 |
| F-Throws made per game | 12.0 | 11.7 | * | 02-13-13 | MISSOURI | L 36-78 6007 |
| REBOUNDS | 406 | 537 | * | 02-16-13 | at LSU | L 68-80 9720 |
| Rebounds per game | 29.0 | 38.4 | * | 02-20-13 | at Alabama | L 56-64 10682 |
| Rebounding margin | -9.4 | - | * | 02-23-13 | VANDERBILT | L 31-72 6442 |
| ASSISTS | 129 | 238 | * - Conference game | | | |
| Assists per game | 9.2 | 17.0 | | | | |
| TURNOVERS | 236 | 197 | | | | |
| Turnovers per game | 16.9 | 14.1 | | | | |
| Turnover margin | -2.8 | - | | | | |
| Assist/turnover ratio | 0.5 | 1.2 | | | | |
| STEALS | 102 | 125 | | | | |
| Steals per game | 7.3 | 8.9 | | | | |
| BLOCKS | 46 | 61 | | | | |
| Blocks per game | 3.3 | 4.4 | | | | |
| ATTENDANCE | 47886 | 77426 | | | | |
| Home games-Avg/Game | 7-6841 | 7-11061 | | | | |
| Neutral site-Avg/Game | - | 0-0 | | | | |

| Score by Periods | 1st | 2nd | OT | Totals |
|-------------------|-----|-----|----|--------|
| Mississippi State | 358 | 426 | 2 | 786 |
| Opponents | 481 | 545 | 8 | 1034 |

2012-13 Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Season Schedule/Results & Leaders (as of Feb 23, 2013)
All games

| RECORD: | OVERALL | HOME | AWAY | NEUTRAL |
|----------------|---------|------|------|---------|
| ALL GAMES | 7-19 | 5-7 | 1-9 | 1-3 |
| CONFERENCE | 2-12 | 1-6 | 1-6 | 0-0 |
| NON-CONFERENCE | 5-7 | 4-1 | 0-3 | 1-3 |

| Date | Opponent | Score | Att. | High Points | High Rebounds |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------|-------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 11-09-12 | at Troy | 53-56 L | 5120 | (16)Jalen Steele | (7)Gavin Ware |
| | | | | | (7)Jalen Steele |
| 11-13-12 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC | W 78-58 | 6140 | (17)Roquez Johnson | (5)Roquez Johnson |
| | | | | | (5)Trivante Bloodman |
| | | | | | (5)Gavin Ware |
| 11-19-12 | vs North Carolina | 49-95 L | 2400 | (12)Roquez Johnson | (9)Gavin Ware |
| 11-20-12 | vs Marquette | 62-89 L | 2400 | (17)Fred Thomas | (8)Roquez Johnson |
| 11-21-12 | vs Texas | 55-69 L | 2400 | (18)Roquez Johnson | (7)Gavin Ware |
| 11-27-12 | ALCORN STATE | W 60-42 | 6101 | (14)Craig Sword | (12)Gavin Ware |
| | | | | (14)Fred Thomas | |
| 12-01-12 | at Providence College | 63-73 L | 6156 | (16)Wendell Lewis | (11)Wendell Lewis |
| 12-04-12 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | W 53-42 | 6021 | (20)Wendell Lewis | (10)Colin Borchert |
| 12-15-12 | at Loyola Chicago | 51-59 L | 3321 | (14)Fred Thomas | (5)Colin Borchert |
| | | | | | (5)Gavin Ware |
| 12-22-12 | vs Central Arkansas | W 79-72 | 2217 | (22)Gavin Ware | (13)Gavin Ware |
| 12-30-12 | ALABAMA A&M | 57-59 L | 7526 | (14)Craig Sword | (11)Gavin Ware |
| 01-03-13 | NEW ORLEANS | W 97-46 | 6028 | (17)Colin Borchert | (8)Colin Borchert |
| | | | | | (8)Gavin Ware |
| 01-09-13 | *SOUTH CAROLINA | W 56-54 | 6034 | (18)Craig Sword | (6)Colin Borchert |
| 01-12-13 | *at Georgia | W 72-61 | 5891 | (21)Jalen Steele | (7)Jalen Steele |
| 01-16-13 | *ALABAMA | 43-75 L | 7182 | (10)Fred Thomas | (5)Fred Thomas |
| | | | | | (5)Gavin Ware |
| 01-19-13 | *at Tennessee | 57-72 L | 17584 | (15)Jalen Steele | (9)Gavin Ware |
| 01-23-13 | *at Arkansas | 70-96 L | 12806 | (17)Fred Thomas | (8)Gavin Ware |
| 01-26-13 | *FLORIDA | 47-82 L | 7696 | (19)Fred Thomas | (4)Roquez Johnson |
| | | | | | (4)Jalen Steele |
| 01-30-13 | *TEXAS A&M | 49-55 Lot | 6858 | (14)Gavin Ware | (5)Colin Borchert |
| 02-02-13 | *LSU | 68-69 L | 7667 | (14)Gavin Ware | (7)Gavin Ware |
| 02-06-13 | *at Ole Miss | 75-93 L | 8299 | (17)Craig Sword | (7)Gavin Ware |
| 02-09-13 | *at Florida | 58-83 L | 12444 | (16)Gavin Ware | (8)Craig Sword |
| 02-13-13 | *MISSOURI | 36-78 L | 6007 | (13)Trivante Bloodman | (5)Colin Borchert |
| | | | | | (5)Gavin Ware |
| 02-16-13 | *at LSU | 68-80 L | 9720 | (25)Craig Sword | (7)Gavin Ware |
| 02-20-13 | *at Alabama | 56-64 L | 10682 | (15)Jalen Steele | (9)Colin Borchert |
| 02-23-13 | *VANDERBILT | 31-72 L | 6442 | (9)Jalen Steele | (3)Colin Borchert |
| | | | | | (3)Fred Thomas |

* - Conference game

| Attendance Summary | Games | Attend | Avg/Game |
|--------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| Home | 12 | 79702 | 6642 |
| Away | 10 | 92023 | 9202 |
| Neutral | 4 | 9417 | 2354 |
| Total | 26 | 181142 | 6967 |

2012-13 Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Points-Rebounds-Assists (as of Feb 23, 2013)
All games

| Opponent | Date | Score | | 00 | 01 | 03 | 04 | 05 | 15 | 20 |
|-----------------------|----------|-------|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | | | | STEELE,JAL | THOMAS,FRE | BORCHERT,C | BLOODMAN,T | LEWIS,WEND | PRICE,BAXT | WARE,GAVIN |
| at Troy | 11-09-12 | 53-56 | L | 16-7-1 | 4-3-1 | 7-3-1 | 11-4-1 | 3-2-0 | DNP | 10-7-0 |
| FLORIDA ATLANTIC | 11-13-12 | 78-58 | w | 2-0-0 | 16-4-1 | 3-4-2 | 9-5-7 | 8-4-3 | 0-0-0 | 10-5-0 |
| vs North Carolina | 11-19-12 | 49-95 | L | DNP | 7-5-0 | DNP | 6-4-3 | 10-6-2 | 0-0-0 | 8-9-0 |
| vs Marquette | 11-20-12 | 62-89 | L | DNP | 17-3-0 | DNP | 5-2-1 | 6-4-1 | DNP | 11-6-0 |
| vs Texas | 11-21-12 | 55-69 | L | DNP | 10-2-4 | DNP | 9-4-1 | 2-3-0 | 0-0-0 | 8-7-1 |
| ALCORN STATE | 11-27-12 | 60-42 | w | DNP | 14-5-2 | 6-4-0 | 3-3-2 | 0-4-0 | 0-0-0 | 7-12-0 |
| at Providence College | 12-01-12 | 63-73 | L | DNP | 12-3-1 | 6-0-2 | 2-8-4 | 16-11-0 | DNP | 6-2-0 |
| TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | 12-04-12 | 53-42 | w | DNP | 9-3-0 | 4-10-1 | 0-0-5 | 20-5-0 | DNP | 0-5-0 |
| at Loyola Chicago | 12-15-22 | 51-59 | L | DNP | 14-3-1 | 7-5-1 | 3-3-1 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 8-5-0 |
| vs Central Arkansas | 12-22-12 | 79-72 | w | DNP | 5-7-3 | 11-4-2 | 12-5-2 | DNP | DNP | 22-13-0 |
| ALABAMA A&M | 12-30-12 | 57-59 | L | 10-1-1 | 0-1-3 | 8-4-0 | 4-5-1 | DNP | DNP | 12-11-0 |
| NEW ORLEANS | 01-03-13 | 97-46 | w | 16-4-1 | 16-3-1 | 17-8-4 | 9-3-5 | DNP | 0-0-1 | 10-8-0 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 01-09-13 | 56-54 | w | 4-3-1 | 8-2-1 | 8-6-1 | 2-2-2 | DNP | DNP | 2-4-0 |
| at Georgia | 01-12-13 | 72-61 | w | 21-7-2 | 8-3-0 | 7-5-2 | 6-3-5 | DNP | DNP | 4-6-0 |
| ALABAMA | 01-16-13 | 43-75 | L | 5-3-2 | 10-5-0 | 5-3-0 | 4-1-2 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 4-5-0 |
| at Tennessee | 01-19-13 | 57-72 | L | 15-1-0 | 14-4-2 | 0-5-3 | 9-3-2 | DNP | DNP | 6-9-0 |
| at Arkansas | 01-23-13 | 70-96 | L | 5-2-0 | 17-2-1 | 6-3-2 | 3-1-2 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 11-8-2 |
| FLORIDA | 01-26-13 | 47-82 | L | 0-4-1 | 19-2-0 | 10-2-1 | 0-0-2 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 10-3-0 |
| TEXAS A&M | 01-30-13 | 49-55 | L | 9-1-2 | 2-2-1 | 10-5-2 | 5-3-2 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 14-4-1 |
| LSU | 02-02-13 | 68-69 | L | 3-2-2 | 8-4-1 | 10-6-2 | 12-6-3 | DNP | DNP | 14-7-1 |
| at Ole Miss | 02-06-13 | 75-93 | L | 15-3-3 | 13-6-0 | 9-5-1 | 6-4-5 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 4-7-0 |
| at Florida | 02-09-13 | 58-83 | L | DNP | 8-4-3 | 14-5-1 | 10-0-3 | DNP | 0-1-0 | 16-6-0 |
| MISSOURI | 02-13-13 | 36-78 | L | DNP | 3-4-2 | 6-5-0 | 13-2-0 | DNP | 0-0-0 | 7-5-0 |
| at LSU | 02-16-13 | 68-80 | L | DNP | 5-1-0 | 11-4-2 | 5-3-0 | DNP | 0-1-1 | 10-7-1 |
| at Alabama | 02-20-13 | 56-64 | L | 15-4-1 | 0-5-2 | 14-9-0 | 4-4-1 | DNP | 0-2-0 | 9-6-1 |
| VANDERBILT | 02-23-13 | 31-72 | L | 9-1-0 | 6-3-1 | 0-3-0 | 5-1-1 | DNP | 0-1-0 | 5-1-0 |

| Opponent | Date | Score | | 24 | 25 | 32 |
|-----------------------|----------|-------|---|------------|------------|------------|
| | | | | CUNNINGHAM | JOHNSON,RO | SWORD,CRAI |
| at Troy | 11-09-12 | 53-56 | L | 0-1-1 | DNP | 2-4-1 |
| FLORIDA ATLANTIC | 11-13-12 | 78-58 | w | 2-4-3 | 17-5-0 | 11-4-0 |
| vs North Carolina | 11-19-12 | 49-95 | L | 0-4-1 | 12-7-0 | 6-3-0 |
| vs Marquette | 11-20-12 | 62-89 | L | 0-3-2 | 16-8-1 | 7-2-2 |
| vs Texas | 11-21-12 | 55-69 | L | 5-4-2 | 18-6-1 | 3-2-2 |
| ALCORN STATE | 11-27-12 | 60-42 | w | 3-6-0 | 13-7-0 | 14-4-2 |
| at Providence College | 12-01-12 | 63-73 | L | 2-2-0 | 10-6-0 | 9-4-3 |
| TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | 12-04-12 | 53-42 | w | 0-3-2 | 7-3-0 | 13-2-3 |
| at Loyola Chicago | 12-15-22 | 51-59 | L | 3-3-1 | 13-4-1 | 3-4-2 |
| vs Central Arkansas | 12-22-12 | 79-72 | w | 10-2-3 | 9-7-0 | 10-3-3 |
| ALABAMA A&M | 12-30-12 | 57-59 | L | 2-3-1 | 7-4-0 | 14-4-2 |
| NEW ORLEANS | 01-03-13 | 97-46 | w | 6-2-2 | 14-5-1 | 9-2-2 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 01-09-13 | 56-54 | w | 0-3-1 | 14-3-0 | 18-3-2 |
| at Georgia | 01-12-13 | 72-61 | w | 4-2-3 | 6-3-1 | 16-4-0 |
| ALABAMA | 01-16-13 | 43-75 | L | 3-0-1 | 3-2-0 | 9-1-1 |
| at Tennessee | 01-19-13 | 57-72 | L | 0-2-0 | 3-3-1 | 10-2-3 |
| at Arkansas | 01-23-13 | 70-96 | L | 9-3-2 | 9-5-0 | 10-6-2 |
| FLORIDA | 01-26-13 | 47-82 | L | 0-2-0 | 0-4-1 | 8-0-3 |
| TEXAS A&M | 01-30-13 | 49-55 | L | 0-1-0 | 1-2-0 | 8-2-1 |
| LSU | 02-02-13 | 68-69 | L | 0-2-2 | 10-6-1 | 11-2-1 |
| at Ole Miss | 02-06-13 | 75-93 | L | 3-0-2 | 8-4-0 | 17-5-3 |
| at Florida | 02-09-13 | 58-83 | L | 0-1-1 | 3-2-0 | 7-8-5 |
| MISSOURI | 02-13-13 | 36-78 | L | 0-1-1 | 3-4-0 | 4-0-0 |
| at LSU | 02-16-13 | 68-80 | L | 6-1-0 | 6-3-1 | 25-0-4 |
| at Alabama | 02-20-13 | 56-64 | L | 8-0-2 | DNP | 6-2-0 |
| VANDERBILT | 02-23-13 | 31-72 | L | 0-1-0 | DNP | 6-2-2 |

2012-13 Mississippi State Basketball
Mississippi State Team Game-by-Game Comparison (as of Feb 23, 2013)
All games

| Opponent | 1st | 2nd | Score | Mar | Total FG | FG Pct | 3-Pointers | 3FG Pct | Free Throws | FT Pct | Rebounds | Assist | T/Over | Block | Steal | Fouls |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Troy | 22/32 | 31/24 | 53-56 | (3) | 19-43/21-58 | .442/.362 | 4-16/10-29 | .250/.345 | 11-18/4-7 | .611/.571 | 33/34 (1) | 6/12 | 16/12 | 2/2 | 5/4 | 16/22 |
| FLORIDA ATLANTIC | 43/26 | 35/32 | 78-58 | +20 | 30-61/21-63 | .492/.333 | 4-10/6-24 | .400/.250 | 14-28/10-15 | .500/.667 | 40/42 (2) | 16/10 | 16/27 | 5/4 | 17/9 | 16/20 |
| North Carolina | 17/49 | 32/46 | 49-95 | (46) | 17-60/37-78 | .283/.474 | 2-17/15-32 | .118/.469 | 13-19/6-9 | .684/.667 | 43/47 (4) | 6/22 | 21/12 | 5/9 | 4/14 | 11/16 |
| Marquette | 27/48 | 35/41 | 62-89 | (27) | 20-52/37-71 | .385/.521 | 5-12/7-11 | .417/.636 | 17-23/8-9 | .739/.889 | 33/38 (5) | 7/18 | 22/14 | 4/8 | 6/14 | 13/20 |
| Texas | 20/38 | 35/31 | 55-69 | (14) | 17-51/26-52 | .333/.500 | 4-11/10-18 | .364/.556 | 17-28/7-16 | .607/.438 | 32/41 (9) | 11/15 | 18/22 | 2/12 | 12/9 | 19/20 |
| ALCORN STATE | 37/21 | 23/21 | 60-42 | +18 | 18-44/15-53 | .409/.283 | 2-13/4-17 | .154/.235 | 22-33/8-17 | .667/.471 | 50/20 +30 | 6/4 | 21/16 | 1/5 | 10/7 | 17/21 |
| Providence College | 21/39 | 42/34 | 63-73 | (10) | 23-64/25-54 | .359/.463 | 2-22/2-12 | .091/.167 | 15-22/21-28 | .682/.750 | 38/36 +2 | 10/18 | 15/12 | 1/8 | 8/5 | 20/17 |
| TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO | 23/17 | 30/25 | 53-42 | +11 | 21-46/15-55 | .457/.273 | 3-13/7-29 | .231/.241 | 8-14/5-9 | .571/.556 | 34/36 (2) | 11/6 | 17/20 | 7/2 | 9/6 | 12/15 |
| Loyola Chicago | 20/34 | 31/25 | 51-59 | (8) | 18-48/21-51 | .375/.412 | 5-17/8-18 | .294/.444 | 10-16/9-14 | .625/.643 | 28/40 (12) | 7/13 | 15/16 | 8/4 | 6/7 | 20/15 |
| Central Arkansas | 34/25 | 45/47 | 79-72 | +7 | 25-52/27-68 | .481/.397 | 4-15/10-35 | .267/.286 | 25-36/8-11 | .694/.727 | 43/29 +14 | 13/10 | 21/17 | 4/3 | 6/10 | 14/25 |
| ALABAMA A&M | 33/25 | 24/34 | 57-59 | (2) | 20-56/24-57 | .357/.421 | 4-15/5-16 | .267/.313 | 13-17/6-8 | .765/.750 | 35/37 (2) | 8/10 | 11/13 | 4/8 | 7/7 | 15/16 |
| NEW ORLEANS | 43/16 | 54/30 | 97-46 | +51 | 35-62/17-51 | .565/.333 | 11-21/1-8 | .524/.125 | 16-20/11-21 | .800/.524 | 40/27 +13 | 17/7 | 17/23 | 9/3 | 14/9 | 17/19 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 26/26 | 30/28 | 56-54 | +2 | 19-49/20-51 | .388/.392 | 0-10/8-21 | .000/.381 | 18-25/6-11 | .720/.545 | 29/38 (9) | 8/10 | 17/24 | 8/5 | 14/7 | 15/20 |
| Georgia | 36/35 | 36/26 | 72-61 | +11 | 25-54/19-58 | .463/.328 | 9-20/4-19 | .450/.211 | 13-23/19-32 | .565/.594 | 37/44 (7) | 13/10 | 14/15 | 4/3 | 9/10 | 22/19 |
| ALABAMA | 22/30 | 21/45 | 43-75 | (32) | 16-45/31-58 | .356/.534 | 5-18/8-13 | .278/.615 | 6-8/5-8 | .750/.625 | 23/35 (12) | 6/12 | 21/12 | 5/5 | 7/12 | 8/12 |
| Tennessee | 29/37 | 28/35 | 57-72 | (15) | 21-56/28-60 | .375/.467 | 3-12/7-17 | .250/.412 | 12-14/9-13 | .857/.692 | 32/37 (5) | 11/19 | 13/11 | 2/5 | 3/5 | 17/15 |
| Arkansas | 33/42 | 37/54 | 70-96 | (26) | 22-54/33-67 | .407/.493 | 9-19/9-27 | .474/.333 | 17-21/21-26 | .810/.808 | 36/34 +2 | 11/27 | 29/13 | 3/11 | 5/14 | 21/17 |
| FLORIDA | 19/41 | 28/41 | 47-82 | (35) | 17-52/31-56 | .327/.554 | 3-15/14-31 | .200/.452 | 10-15/6-9 | .667/.667 | 20/44 (24) | 8/23 | 10/14 | 1/4 | 12/6 | 12/12 |
| TEXAS A&M | 29/17 | 18/30 | 49-55 | (6) | 16-40/25-53 | .400/.472 | 6-18/2-16 | .333/.125 | 11-16/3-3 | .688/1000 | 24/31 (7) | 9/9 | 24/22 | 2/2 | 6/14 | 12/16 |
| LSU | 40/26 | 28/43 | 68-69 | (1) | 26-54/25-63 | .481/.397 | 3-12/4-25 | .250/.160 | 13-27/15-18 | .481/.833 | 37/39 (2) | 13/15 | 17/17 | 6/3 | 11/11 | 17/21 |
| Ole Miss | 23/42 | 52/51 | 75-93 | (18) | 28-65/30-59 | .431/.508 | 5-23/6-16 | .217/.375 | 14-20/27-36 | .700/.750 | 38/35 +3 | 14/18 | 17/10 | 1/8 | 6/8 | 27/17 |
| Florida | 26/42 | 32/41 | 58-83 | (25) | 23-54/31-59 | .426/.525 | 6-16/9-26 | .375/.346 | 6-12/12-18 | .500/.667 | 31/36 (5) | 13/21 | 16/8 | 1/2 | 4/6 | 18/12 |
| MISSOURI | 10/34 | 26/44 | 36-78 | (42) | 11-46/31-58 | .239/.534 | 3-19/9-20 | .158/.450 | 11-22/7-10 | .500/.700 | 25/46 (21) | 3/21 | 15/14 | 3/4 | 4/8 | 13/18 |
| LSU | 28/41 | 40/39 | 68-80 | (12) | 26-56/30-55 | .464/.545 | 4-17/12-22 | .235/.545 | 12-19/8-12 | .632/.667 | 24/36 (12) | 9/24 | 9/10 | 7/5 | 6/5 | 14/15 |
| Alabama | 20/31 | 36/33 | 56-64 | (8) | 20-48/20-51 | .417/.392 | 6-20/3-15 | .300/.200 | 10-15/21-27 | .667/.778 | 33/31 +2 | 7/10 | 23/14 | 1/1 | 9/18 | 19/16 |
| VANDERBILT | 17/37 | 14/35 | 31-72 | (41) | 7-40/28-61 | .175/.459 | 2-19/11-31 | .105/.355 | 15-18/5-7 | .833/.714 | 17/51 (34) | 4/19 | 11/13 | 2/3 | 6/1 | 10/18 |

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

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All games

| Points | G | Pts | Pts/G |
|-------------------|----|-----|-------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 256 | 9.8 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 245 | 9.4 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 228 | 8.8 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 202 | 8.8 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 179 | 7.8 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 157 | 6.0 |
| Jalen Steele | 15 | 145 | 9.7 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 66 | 2.5 |
| Wendell Lewis | 8 | 65 | 8.1 |

| FG Percentage | FG | Att | Pct |
|-------------------|----|-----|------|
| Wendell Lewis | 25 | 44 | .568 |
| Gavin Ware | 96 | 171 | .561 |
| Roquez Johnson | 65 | 152 | .428 |
| Craig Sword | 91 | 235 | .387 |
| Colin Borchert | 70 | 182 | .385 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 21 | 56 | .375 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 42 | 115 | .365 |
| Jalen Steele | 47 | 139 | .338 |
| Fred Thomas | 83 | 254 | .327 |
| Baxter Price | 0 | 4 | .000 |

| 3-Point Percentage | 3FG | Att | Pct |
|--------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Tyson Cunningham | 16 | 38 | .421 |
| Jalen Steele | 23 | 67 | .343 |
| Roquez Johnson | 5 | 17 | .294 |
| Colin Borchert | 20 | 71 | .282 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 9 | 34 | .265 |
| Fred Thomas | 32 | 139 | .230 |
| Craig Sword | 9 | 53 | .170 |
| Baxter Price | 0 | 1 | .000 |

| Free Throw Percent | FG | Att | Pct |
|--------------------|----|-----|------|
| Wendell Lewis | 15 | 16 | .938 |
| Jalen Steele | 28 | 30 | .933 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 8 | 10 | .800 |
| Fred Thomas | 47 | 61 | .770 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 64 | 85 | .753 |
| Colin Borchert | 19 | 31 | .613 |
| Roquez Johnson | 67 | 112 | .598 |
| Craig Sword | 65 | 116 | .560 |
| Gavin Ware | 36 | 68 | .529 |

| Scoring Average | G | Pts | Avg/G |
|-------------------|----|-----|-------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 256 | 9.8 |
| Jalen Steele | 15 | 145 | 9.7 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 245 | 9.4 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 202 | 8.8 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 228 | 8.8 |
| Wendell Lewis | 8 | 65 | 8.1 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 179 | 7.8 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 157 | 6.0 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 66 | 2.5 |
| Baxter Price | 16 | 0 | 0.0 |

| Field Goal Attempts | G | Att | Att/G |
|---------------------|----|-----|-------|
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 254 | 9.8 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 235 | 9.0 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 182 | 7.9 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 171 | 6.6 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 152 | 6.6 |

| Field Goals Made | G | Made | Made/G |
|------------------|----|------|--------|
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 96 | 3.7 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 91 | 3.5 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 83 | 3.2 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 70 | 3.0 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 65 | 2.8 |

| 3-Point FG Attempts | G | Att | Att/G |
|---------------------|----|-----|-------|
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 139 | 5.3 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 71 | 3.1 |
| Jalen Steele | 15 | 67 | 4.5 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 53 | 2.0 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 38 | 1.5 |

| 3-Point FG Made | G | Made | Made/G |
|-------------------|----|------|--------|
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 32 | 1.2 |
| Jalen Steele | 15 | 23 | 1.5 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 20 | 0.9 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 16 | 0.6 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 9 | 0.3 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 9 | 0.3 |

| Free Throw Attempts | G | Att | Att/G |
|---------------------|----|-----|-------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 116 | 4.5 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 112 | 4.9 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 85 | 3.3 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 68 | 2.6 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 61 | 2.3 |

| Free Throws Made | G | Made | Made/G |
|-------------------|----|------|--------|
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 67 | 2.9 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 65 | 2.5 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 64 | 2.5 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 47 | 1.8 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 36 | 1.4 |

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| <u>Rebounds</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>Reb</u> | <u>Reb/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 168 | 6.5 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 108 | 4.7 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 103 | 4.5 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 89 | 3.4 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 79 | 3.0 |

| <u>Rebound Average</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>Reb</u> | <u>Avg/G</u> |
|------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 168 | 6.5 |
| Wendell Lewis | 8 | 39 | 4.9 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 108 | 4.7 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 103 | 4.5 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 89 | 3.4 |

| <u>Offensive Rebounds</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Avg/G</u> |
|---------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 57 | 2.2 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 51 | 2.2 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 30 | 1.3 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 27 | 1.0 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 21 | 0.8 |

| <u>Defensive Rebounds</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Avg/G</u> |
|---------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 111 | 4.3 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 82 | 3.2 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 78 | 3.4 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 56 | 2.2 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 52 | 2.0 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 52 | 2.3 |

| <u>Fouls</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Per/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 79 | 3.0 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 63 | 2.7 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 63 | 2.4 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 55 | 2.4 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 53 | 2.0 |

| <u>Foulsouts</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 7 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 3 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 2 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 2 |
| Wendell Lewis | 8 | 1 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 1 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 1 |

| <u>Assists</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Ast/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 63 | 2.4 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 49 | 1.9 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 33 | 1.3 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 31 | 1.2 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 30 | 1.3 |

| <u>Steals</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Stl/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 43 | 1.7 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 40 | 1.5 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 32 | 1.2 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 31 | 1.3 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 15 | 0.7 |
| Tyson Cunningham | 26 | 15 | 0.6 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 15 | 0.6 |

| <u>Blocked Shots</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Blk/G</u> |
|----------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 30 | 1.3 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 22 | 0.8 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 18 | 0.7 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 12 | 0.5 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 9 | 0.3 |

| <u>Minutes</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>Min/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 755 | 29.0 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 735 | 28.3 |
| Craig Sword | 26 | 673 | 25.9 |
| Gavin Ware | 26 | 669 | 25.7 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 612 | 26.6 |

| <u>Turnovers</u> | <u>G</u> | <u>No.</u> | <u>TO/G</u> |
|-------------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| Craig Sword | 26 | 101 | 3.9 |
| Trivante Bloodman | 26 | 75 | 2.9 |
| Roquez Johnson | 23 | 57 | 2.5 |
| Colin Borchert | 23 | 54 | 2.3 |
| Fred Thomas | 26 | 41 | 1.6 |

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All games

Mississippi State - TEAM GAME HIGHS

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| POINTS | 97 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 79 | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 78 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| | 75 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 72 | at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| FIELD GOALS MADE | 35 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 30 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS | 65 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 64 | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE | .565 (35-62) | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | .492 (30-61) | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| 3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE | 11 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 9 | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 9 | at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| 3 PT FG ATTEMPTS | 23 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 22 | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| 3 PT FG PERCENTAGE | .524 (11-21) | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | .474 (9-19) | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| FREE THROWS MADE | 25 | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 22 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| FREE THROW ATTEMPTS | 36 | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 33 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| FREE THROW PERCENTAGE | .857 (12-14) | at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | .833 (15-18) | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| REBOUNDS | 50 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 43 | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 43 | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| ASSISTS | 17 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 16 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| STEALS | 17 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| | 14 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | 14 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| BLOCKED SHOTS | 9 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 8 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | 8 | at Loyola Chicago (12-15-22) |
| TURNOVERS | 29 | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 24 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| FOULS | 27 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 22 | at Georgia (01-12-13) |

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Mississippi State High/Low Analysis (as of Feb 23, 2013)
All games

Opponent - GAME HIGHS

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-------|---------|----------------------------------|
| POINTS | 96 | | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 95 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 93 | | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 89 | | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 83 | | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| FIELD GOALS MADE | 37 | | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 37 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS | 78 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 71 | | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE | .554 | (31-56) | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| | .545 | (30-55) | at LSU (02-16-13) |
| 3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE | 15 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 14 | | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| 3 PT FG ATTEMPTS | 35 | | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 32 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| 3 PT FG PERCENTAGE | .636 | (7-11) | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | .615 | (8-13) | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| FREE THROWS MADE | 27 | | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 21 | | at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 21 | | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 21 | | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| FREE THROW ATTEMPTS | 36 | | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 32 | | at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| FREE THROW PERCENTAGE | 1.000 | (3-3) | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | .889 | (8-9) | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| REBOUNDS | 51 | | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | 47 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| ASSISTS | 27 | | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 24 | | at LSU (02-16-13) |
| STEALS | 18 | | at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 14 | | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 14 | | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 14 | | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 14 | | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| BLOCKED SHOTS | 12 | | vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| | 11 | | at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| TURNOVERS | 27 | | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| | 24 | | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| FOULS | 25 | | vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 22 | | at Troy (11-09-12) |

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Mississippi State - GAME LOWS

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| POINTS | 31 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | 36 | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| | 43 | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| | 47 | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| | 49 | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 49 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| FIELD GOALS MADE | 7 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | 11 | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS | 40 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 40 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE | .175 (7-40) | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | .239 (11-46) | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| 3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE | 0 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | 2 | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 2 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 2 | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 2 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| 3 PT FG ATTEMPTS | 10 | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| | 10 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| 3 PT FG PERCENTAGE | .000 (0-10) | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | .091 (2-22) | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| FREE THROWS MADE | 6 | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| | 6 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| FREE THROW ATTEMPTS | 8 | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| | 12 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| FREE THROW PERCENTAGE | .481 (13-27) | LSU (02-02-13) |
| | .500 (6-12) | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| | .500 (11-22) | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| | .500 (14-28) | FLORIDA ATLANTIC (11-13-12) |
| REBOUNDS | 17 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | 20 | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| ASSISTS | 3 | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| | 4 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| STEALS | 3 | at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | 4 | vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| | 4 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| | 4 | MISSOURI (02-13-13) |
| BLOCKED SHOTS | 1 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 1 | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 1 | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| | 1 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 1 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| | 1 | at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| TURNOVERS | 9 | at LSU (02-16-13) |
| | 10 | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| FOULS | 8 | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| | 10 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |

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Opponent - GAME LOWS

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| POINTS | 42 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 42 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (12-04-12) |
| | 46 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 54 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | 55 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| FIELD GOALS MADE | 15 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 15 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (12-04-12) |
| FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS | 51 | at Loyola Chicago (12-15-22) |
| | 51 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 51 | SOUTH CAROLINA (01-09-13) |
| | 51 | at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE | .273 (15-55) | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (12-04-12) |
| | .283 (15-53) | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| 3 PT FIELD GOALS MADE | 1 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 2 | at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 2 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| 3 PT FG ATTEMPTS | 8 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | 11 | vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| 3 PT FG PERCENTAGE | .125 (1-8) | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| | .125 (2-16) | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| FREE THROWS MADE | 3 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 4 | at Troy (11-09-12) |
| FREE THROW ATTEMPTS | 3 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 7 | at Troy (11-09-12) |
| | 7 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| FREE THROW PERCENTAGE | .438 (7-16) | vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| | .471 (8-17) | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| REBOUNDS | 20 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 27 | NEW ORLEANS (01-03-13) |
| ASSISTS | 4 | ALCORN STATE (11-27-12) |
| | 6 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (12-04-12) |
| STEALS | 1 | VANDERBILT (02-23-13) |
| | 4 | at Troy (11-09-12) |
| BLOCKED SHOTS | 1 | at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 2 | at Troy (11-09-12) |
| | 2 | TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (12-04-12) |
| | 2 | TEXAS A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 2 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| TURNOVERS | 8 | at Florida (02-09-13) |
| | 10 | at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 10 | at LSU (02-16-13) |
| FOULS | 12 | ALABAMA (01-16-13) |
| | 12 | FLORIDA (01-26-13) |
| | 12 | at Florida (02-09-13) |

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Mississippi State - INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|---|
| Points | 25 | | Craig Sword at LSU (02-16-13) |
| | 22 | | Gavin Ware vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 21 | | Jalen Steele at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 20 | | Wendell Lewis vs Texas-San Antonio (12-04-12) |
| | 19 | | Fred Thomas vs Florida (01-26-13) |
| Field Goals Made | 9 | | Craig Sword at LSU (02-16-13) |
| | 8 | | Colin Borchert vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 8 | | Gavin Ware vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 8 | | Wendell Lewis vs Texas-San Antonio (12-04-12) |
| Field Goal Att. | 16 | | Jalen Steele at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 15 | | Fred Thomas vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| FG Pct (min 5 made) | .889 | (8-9) | Gavin Ware vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | .889 | (8-9) | Wendell Lewis vs Texas-San Antonio (12-04-12) |
| 3-Point FG Made | 4 | | Jalen Steele at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 4 | | Jalen Steele vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 4 | | Fred Thomas vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| 3-Point FG Att. | 10 | | Fred Thomas at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 10 | | Fred Thomas vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| 3-Pt FG Pct (min 2 made) | 1.000 | (2-2) | Tyson Cunningham at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 1.000 | (2-2) | Tyson Cunningham vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 1.000 | (2-2) | Trivante Bloodman vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| Free Throws Made | 8 | | Fred Thomas vs Florida (01-26-13) |
| | 8 | | Roquez Johnson vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| Free Throw Att. | 11 | | Roquez Johnson at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 10 | | Craig Sword at LSU (02-16-13) |
| | 10 | | Craig Sword at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 10 | | Roquez Johnson vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| | 10 | | Roquez Johnson vs Florida Atlantic (11-13-12) |
| FT Pct (min 3 made) | 1.000 | (6-6) | Trivante Bloodman vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| | 1.000 | (5-5) | Trivante Bloodman at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | 1.000 | (5-5) | Fred Thomas vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Jalen Steele vs Vanderbilt (02-23-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Craig Sword vs Vanderbilt (02-23-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Jalen Steele at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Jalen Steele at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Wendell Lewis at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Wendell Lewis vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Jalen Steele at Troy (11-09-12) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | Fred Thomas at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | Craig Sword vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| Rebounds | 13 | | Gavin Ware vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 12 | | Gavin Ware vs Alcorn State (11-27-12) |
| Assists | 7 | | Trivante Bloodman vs Florida Atlantic (11-13-12) |
| | 5 | | Craig Sword at Florida (02-09-13) |
| | 5 | | Trivante Bloodman at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 5 | | Trivante Bloodman at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 5 | | Trivante Bloodman vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 5 | | Trivante Bloodman vs Texas-San Antonio (12-04-12) |
| Steals | 7 | | Fred Thomas vs Florida (01-26-13) |
| | 6 | | Roquez Johnson vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| Blocked Shots | 5 | | Gavin Ware at Loyola Chicago (12-15-22) |
| | 4 | | Colin Borchert vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| Turnovers | 9 | | Craig Sword at Arkansas (01-23-13) |

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| | 7 | Craig Sword vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| | 7 | Roquez Johnson vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| Fouls | 5 | Trivante Bloodman at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 5 | Roquez Johnson at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 5 | Colin Borchert at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 5 | Gavin Ware at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 5 | Fred Thomas vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| | 5 | Colin Borchert at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | 5 | Gavin Ware at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | 5 | Roquez Johnson at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword at Loyola Chicago (12-15-22) |
| | 5 | Colin Borchert vs Alcorn State (11-27-12) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| | 5 | Craig Sword at Troy (11-09-12) |
| | 5 | Wendell Lewis at Troy (11-09-12) |

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

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| Points | 32 | | BATTS, Kadeem at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 31 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 26 | | Crawford, Robert vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 24 | | Keion Bell vs Missouri (02-13-13) |
| | 24 | | Holloway, Murphy at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| Field Goals Made | 12 | | BATTS, Kadeem at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 10 | | Keion Bell vs Missouri (02-13-13) |
| Field Goal Att. | 19 | | RICHARDSON, Brian vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| | 18 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 18 | | Crawford, Robert vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 18 | | Burrage, Kannon vs Texas-San Antonio (12-04-12) |
| | 18 | | BATTS, Kadeem at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| FG Pct (min 5 made) | 1.000 | (6-6) | Patric Young vs Florida (01-26-13) |
| | 1.000 | (5-5) | CLARKE, Coty at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| 3-Point FG Made | 7 | | Crawford, Robert vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| | 6 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 6 | | McDonald, Leslie vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| 3-Point FG Att. | 14 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 14 | | Crawford, Robert vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| 3-Pt FG Pct (min 2 made) | 1.000 | (3-3) | Thomas, Jake vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 1.000 | (2-2) | Randolph, Levi vs Alabama (01-16-13) |
| | 1.000 | (2-2) | Lockett, Trent vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 1.000 | (2-2) | Jeff Mullahey at Troy (11-09-12) |
| Free Throws Made | 10 | | Mann, Charles at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 9 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| Free Throw Att. | 13 | | Mann, Charles at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| | 10 | | Henderson, Marshall at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 10 | | BATTS, Kadeem at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| FT Pct (min 3 made) | 1.000 | (8-8) | HENTON, LaDontae at Providence College (12-01-12) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Cooper, Rodney at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | Obasohan, Retin at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | STRINGER, Andre vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | O'BRYANT III, Johnny vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| | 1.000 | (4-4) | POWELL, Marshawn at Arkansas (01-23-13) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | McClellan, Sheldon at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | HILL, Kevin vs New Orleans (01-03-13) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | Wilson, Jamil vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| | 1.000 | (3-3) | Gantt, Greg vs Florida Atlantic (11-13-12) |
| Rebounds | 13 | | Dai-Jon PARKER vs Vanderbilt (02-23-13) |
| | 12 | | O'BRYANT III, Johnny vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| | 12 | | Kourtney Roberson vs Texas A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 12 | | Ridley, Cameron vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| | 12 | | Gardner, Davante vs Marquette (11-20-12) |
| Assists | 9 | | Scottie Wilbekin vs Florida (01-26-13) |
| | 9 | | Golden, Trae at Tennessee (01-19-13) |
| Steals | 6 | | Kourtney Roberson vs Texas A&M (01-30-13) |
| | 6 | | Strickland, Dexter vs North Carolina (11-19-12) |
| Blocked Shots | 5 | | Buckner, Reginald at Ole Miss (02-06-13) |
| | 5 | | Ridley, Cameron vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| Turnovers | 9 | | ELLINGTON, Bruce vs South Carolina (01-09-13) |
| | 8 | | Lewis, Julien vs Texas (11-21-12) |
| Fouls | 5 | | Lacey, Trevor at Alabama (02-20-13) |
| | 5 | | COLEMAN, Shavon vs LSU (02-02-13) |

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| 5 | O'BRYANT III, Johnny vs LSU (02-02-13) |
| 5 | Gaines, Kenny at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| 5 | Mann, Charles at Georgia (01-12-13) |
| 5 | Harks, Jordan vs Central Arkansas (12-22-12) |
| 5 | Hampton, Devonte vs Alcorn State (11-27-12) |
| 5 | Josh Warren at Troy (11-09-12) |
| 5 | Ray Chambers at Troy (11-09-12) |