MIDDLE TENNESSEE

2006-07 BLUE RAIDER WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

THREE-TIME SUN BELT CHAMPIONS

14 Conference Championships, 10 NCAA Appearances, 2 WNIT Appearances

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2006-07 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Overall Record: 0-2

Date	Opponent	Time/Results
November		
1	Henderson State (Exh.)	W, 102-48
10	(1) Maryland	L, 80-76
13	South Dakota State	L, 72-61
18	vs. Maine%	1 PM
19	vs. Princeton/Minnesota%	1/3 PM
24	Chattanooga	7 PM
26	at Tennessee	3 PM
29	at Tennessee Tech.	5 PM
December		
4	Austin Peay	5 PM
7	at Georgia	6 PM
14	at South Alabama	7 PM
17	Louisiana-Monroe	1:30 PM
19	Old Dominion	7 PM
27	Western Kentucky*	7 PM
January		
2	North Dakota State	7 PM
6	Troy*	7 PM
9	at Florida International*	6 PM
11	at Florida Atlantic*	6 PM
13	at New Orleans*	2 PM
18	Arkansas State*	7 PM
20	at Arkansas-Little Rock*	4:30 PM
24	at North Texas*	7 PM
28	Louisiana-Lafayette*	2 PM
31	Denver*	7 PM
February		
3	South Alabama*	3 PM
7	at Louisiana-Monroe*	7 PM
11	at Western Kentucky*	2 PM
15	Florida International*	5 PM
22	at Troy*	5:15 PM
24	Florida Atlantic*	2 PM
28	1st Round SBC Championships	TBA
March		
3-6	Sun Belt Championships	TBA

% - Subway Classic, Minneapolis, Minn.
* - Sun Belt Conference Game
All Game Times are Central Time

GAME 3

Middle Tennessee (0-2) vs. Maine (1-0)
Saturday, November 18 ● 1 PM CT ● Minneapolis, Minn.
Williams Arena (14,625) ● Blue Raider Network (David Reed)

Middle Tennessee Blue Raiders (0-2)

Probable Starters			Ht.	Cl.-Exp.	PPG	RPG	APG
G	22	Chrissy Givens	5-10	SR-3L	15.5	5.0	5.0
G	1	Amber Holt	6-0	JR-TR	23.5	9.0	1.5
G	12	Starr Orr	5-8	JR-2L	1.0	1.5	0.5
F	2	Johnna Abney	5-4	SO-1L	4.0	0.5	1.5
F	31	Lakira Boyd	6-2	JR-2L	3.0	3.0	1.0

* - Blocks

Off The Bench							
G	14	LaToya Barclay	5-4	JR-2L	1.5	0.0	1.0
G	00	Chelsia Lymon	5-5	FR-HS	11.5	0.5	1.5
F	4	Krystle Horton	6-2	SR-3L	4.5	3.5	1.0
F	21	Brandi Brown	6-3	FR-HS	1.0	2.0	1.0*
G	3	LaCondra Mason	5-9	SO-1L	0.0	1.0	0.5

NEWCOMER HOLT VOTED PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Middle Tennessee junior Amber Holt was voted the Sun Belt Women's Basketball Player of the Week on Tuesday, November 14, after leading the Blue Raiders in contests versus top-ranked Maryland and South Dakota State. Holt averaged 23.5 points and 9.0 rebounds in Middle Tennessee's two contests, versus No. 1 Maryland and South Dakota State. She also added three assists, two blocks and five steals in the two outings. Against the defending national champions, Holt tallied 28 points on 11-of-24 shooting with eight rebounds. Her 15 first-half points kept the Blue Raiders in the contest when the Terrapins threatened to run away with the game. Against SDSU, Holt scored 19 points and added 10 boards for her first career double-double. She averaged 39.0 minutes of action in the two contests and was 14-of-16 at the line as well. The Duluth, Ga., native became the 15th Middle Tennessee player to earn POW honors since joining the Sun Belt and the sixth different Blue Raider to garner the honor.

Tip Time: 1 PM
Television: None
Radio: WMTS 88.3 FM, WZMG 1400 AM and on the internet at GoBlueRaiders.com. Play-by-play by David Reed.

Series Record:
Maine leads 2-0
Last Meeting: L, 92-78 (12/28/98)

Head Coaches:
MT - Rick Insell, 20-13 at MT (2nd season)
Maine - Ann McInerney, 11-19 at UM (2nd Season)

LYMON'S BEEN STEADY: Freshman Chelsia Lymon has gotten off to a strong start in the first two outings of her career, tallying double-digit points in both despite averaging just over 14 minutes per game coming off the bench. Lymon totaled 13 points on 5-for-7 shooting and added a steal in just nine minutes of action against top-ranked Maryland. Eight of her nine minutes of playing time came in the second half when she took all of her shots, including hitting a pair of 3-pointers. Her first trifecta pulled the Blue Raiders within a point four minutes into the second period and Lymon scored six of her team's points during a 10-2 run late in the period that gave the Blue Raiders a five-point lead with five minutes to play in the contest. Included in the run was her second 3-pointer and a 360-spin move that also drew a foul. She was one of the lone bright spots for the Blue Raiders against South Dakota State, netting 10 points with three assists in 20 minutes of action, connecting on 3-of-5 attempts from behind the 3-point arc. In two games this season, Lymon has made 8-of-12 shots, including 5-of-8 from behind the arc. Lymon did not play in the exhibition game versus Henderson State on November 1 because of an ankle sprain.

QUICK FACTS

Location . . . . . Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Enrollment 22,863
Founded 1911
Nickname . . . . . Blue Raiders
Colors . . . . . Royal Blue and White
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Career Record . . . . . Same
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TEAM INFORMATION

2005-06 Record 20-11
2005-06 SBC Rec./Finish. . . . . 10-4/2nd East
2005-06 Postseason. . . . . NCAA/1st Rnd.
Letterwinners Returning/Lost 7/3
Starters Returning/Lost. 4/1

DEPTH NOT AN ISSUE: Middle Tennessee's full-court pressing style of play can sometimes become an issue for many teams. Last season the Blue Raiders played coach Rick Insell's preferred style of play despite using just eight players for most of the season. In both regular season games thus far this season, the Blue Raiders have substituted freely, with a dozen players seeing action in both contests. Five newcomers are included in the 12 and five underclassmen as well. Ten of the 12 players are averaging double-figure minutes, including 14.5 minutes for freshman Chelsia Lymon, the team's third-leading scorer who has come off the bench in both outings.

BLUE RAIDERS STRUGGLING FROM THE FIELD ...: Middle Tennessee ranked 23rd in the country and tops in the Sun Belt last season in field goal percentage at .450, but through the first two contests the squad has struggled mightily to put the ball in the basket. The Blue Raiders are hitting just 37 percent of their field goals (50-for-137) combined in losses to No. 1 Maryland and South Dakota State, including a 31 percent outing (20-for-65) versus SDSU on Monday. Junior Amber Holt (16-for-45, .356) and senior Chrissy Givens (13-for-38, .342) have failed to knock down a high percentage of their shot attempts, but the rest of the squad (21-for-54, .389) has not fared all that well either.

BUT NOT AT THE LINE: After the first two contests, the Blue Raiders have kept themselves in games because of their propensity to knock down free throws. Middle Tennessee is shooting an outstanding 86 percent (25-for-29) from the foul line through two games, including 87.5 percent in the second half. Amber Holt leads the way with a percentage of 87.5 (14-for-16) through two outings.

GIVENS FILLS THE STAT SHEET: Senior Chrissy Givens led Middle Tennessee in points, rebounds, assists and steals as a junior and has continued her consistent and all-around play through the first two games this season. In the season opener versus No. 1 Maryland, the Monroe, La., native totaled 14 points, four rebounds, seven assists and three steals, playing all 40 minutes. Givens hit double figures in scoring for the 85th time of her career and played all 40 minutes for the 17th time as a Blue Raider. On Monday against South Dakota State, she netted 17 points with six boards, three assists and three steals, again playing all 40 minutes. Through two games Givens is second on the club in scoring (15.5) and rebounding (5.0) behind junior Amber Holt in both, and Givens has added 10 assists and six steals. Givens was named the Preseason Sun Belt Player of the Year by coaches and the media during the SBC Media Days in Lafayette, La., and was a Preseason Honorable Mention All-America selection by *Street & Smith's* magazine in October.

GIVENS MOVES INTO TOP 10: With three steals against No. 1-ranked Maryland on November 10, senior Chrissy Givens moved into the Top 10 on the all-time steals list at Middle Tennessee. Givens tied Jamie Thomatis (1998-2002) for 10th place with 191 career steals and added three more in the contest versus South Dakota State. Givens needs just one more theft to tie Priscilla Robinson for ninth place.

MORE ON GIVENS: Dating to her last three games of the 2005-06 season, Chrissy Givens has been dishing the rock to her teammates at an astounding rate. With a game-high seven assists against Maryland, Givens has 38 assists in her past five games for an average of 7.6 per game. For her career, Givens has 292 assists and is just 42 away from moving into the Top 10 at Middle Tennessee.

BY THE NUMBERS

MT	Stat	Maine
68.5	Points	66.0
29.0	Rebounds	34.0
12.2	Assists	20.0
7.5	Steals	9.0
2.0	Blocks	4.0
.365	Field Goal Percentage	.431
.324	3-Point Percentage	.353
.862	Free Throw Percentage	.625
11.0	Turnovers	11.0

A QUICK LOOK AT BLUE RAIDER BASKETBALL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/HS/JC/Transfer	Notes
00	Chelsia Lymon	G	5-5	FR	Georgetown, Ky./Scott County HS	Averaging 11.5 points in first two games, both off the bench
1	Amber Holt	G	6-0	JR	Duluth, Ga./Southeastern Illinois	Voted Sun Belt Player of the Week after 28 vs. Maryland, 19 vs. SDSU
2	Johnna Abney	G	5-4	SO	Mt. Vernon, Ky./Rockcastle HS	Led the team in 3-pointers with 66 last season
3	LaCondra Mason	G	5-9	SO	Chattanooga, Tenn./Chattanooga Christian School	3rd in Sun Belt in 3-pt. percentage at .436 in 2005-06
4	Krystle Horton	F	6-2	SR	Murfreesboro, Tenn./Riverdale HS	Preseason Second Team All-Conference
10	Jackie Pickel	G	5-10	FR	Cleveland, Tenn./Bradley Central HS	Miss Basketball Candidate for 2006
11	Whitney Tate	G	5-9	SR	Shelbyville, Tenn./Shelbyville Central HS	Redshirted last season
12	Starr Orr	G	5-8	JR	Danville, Ala./Speake HS	Played in 23 games last season
14	Latoya Barclay	G	5-4	JR	Harvest, Ala./Sparkman HS	Was 18-of-19 from the free throw line
15	Carden Cobb	F	5-10	SR	Pulaski, Tenn./Giles County HS	Redshirted last season
21	Brandi Brown	F	6-2	FR	Jamestown, Tenn./York Institute	Drew start in first career game, vs. Maryland
22	Chrissy Givens	G	5-10	SR	Monroe, La./Ouachita HS	Preseason Sun Belt Player of the Year; All-America candidate
23	Angelique Burtts	F	6-0	FR	Conyers, Ga./Rockdale HS	High School All-American nominee in 2005-06
31	Lakira Boyd	F	6-2	JR	Memphis, Tenn./Kirby HS	Played in 31 games and started 11 last season

Head Coach: Rick Insell Assistant Coaches: Myra Fishback, Allison Clark, Kevin McMillan Director of Basketball Operations: Tom Hodges

TRACKING THE BLUE RAIDERS

Opponent	Largest Lead	Largest Deficit	Best Run	Opp. Run	Record
#1 Maryland	5	15	10-0	12-2	0-1
South Dakota State	5	11	6-0	20-9	0-2

SCOUTING THE BLACKBEARS: Second-year head coach Amy McInerney led Maine to an 10-19 mark last season and the Blackbears are off to a 1-0 start this year after a 66-46 season-opening victory over William & Mary on November 11. Senior Bracey Baker, the team's leading returning scorer, paced Maine in the victory with 16 points and seven rebounds while senior Katie Whittier added 13 points.

SERIES HISTORY WITH MAINE: Middle Tennessee and the Blackbears have played twice before, with the last meeting almost a decade ago. Maine leads the all-time series, 2-0, with victories on December 28, 1986 (75-67, Maine Holiday Classic in Orono, Maine) and December 28, 1998 (92-78, DoubleTree Classic in New Orleans, La.). Jim Davis was the head coach in the first meeting in his only season with the Blue Raiders and the second contest took place during Stephany Smith's second season as head coach.

BLUE RAIDERS SET ATTENDANCE RECORD: Middle Tennessee set a new single-game record with a crowd of 10,010 for the season-opening contest versus defending national champion and No. 1-ranked Maryland at Murphy Center on Friday, November 10. The attendance shattered the old mark of 4,813 set March 7, 2006, versus Western Kentucky in the championship game of the Sun Belt Tournament. Middle Tennessee averaged 2,699 for 16 home dates during the 2005-06 season and led the nation in attendance increase last year with a more than 300 percent increase. The attendance mark of 10,010 is the 15th most to ever see a basketball game in the 11,500-seat Murphy Center and the third most to ever attend a women's basketball contest in Sun Belt Conference history (Western Kentucky holds the record with 12,951 on February 23, 1986, vs. Old Dominion; Arkansas State vs. Arkansas, March 24, 2005, 10,892).

Top 5 Sun Belt Women's Attendance Marks

1. 12, 951 – Western Kentucky vs. Old Dominion February 23, 1986
2. 10,892 – Arkansas State vs. Arkansas March 24, 2005
3. 10,010 – Middle Tennessee vs. Maryland November 10, 2006
4. 8,214 – Western Kentucky vs. Louisiana Tech January 22, 1995
5. 8,100 – Western Kentucky vs. Tennessee February 24, 1989

WOMEN SIGN THREE TO LETTERS-OF-INTENT: Middle Tennessee women's basketball coach Rick Insell announced the signing of T'Qwana Pendergrast, Emily Queen and Anne Marie Lanning to national letters-of-intent on Thursday, November 9, during the fall signing period. Pendergrast (Nashville) and Lanning (Murfreesboro) both hail from the Midstate, while Queen resides in Ashland, Ky. Pendergrast attended Maplewood High School in Nashville and will be a sophomore at Motlow State Community College in Tullahoma, Tenn., this season, where she is a First Team NJCAA Preseason All-American honoree. She averaged 20.1 points, 11.0 rebounds, 2.1 assists and 1.7 steals as a freshman at Motlow in helping the Lady Bucks to a 25-4 overall mark last season. Motlow finished 2005-06 ranked 18th nationally.

Queen has earned Second Team All-State honors as a sophomore and junior at Rose Hill Christian, helping her team to a state runner-up finish in 2006. She garnered Sweet Sixteen All-Tournament and All "A" State Tournament honors last season as well and was voted All-District, All-Region and All-Area each of the last two seasons. The 6-foot-2 all-everything has scored 2,311 points and grabbed 1,194 rebounds in her three seasons, including single-game school records of 46 points, 7-of-11 3-pointers and 26 rebounds. She even posted one game with a quadruple double of 26 points, 11 rebounds, 10 assists and 10 steals. One more accolade for Queen - her team was the first girls small school in history to make the finals of the Kentucky State Tournament, where they lost to Lexington Catholic.

Lanning was named the *Daily News Journal* and District 7-AAA Player of the Year in 2005 at Riverdale High School in Murfreesboro. She was garnered All-District, All-Region and All-State accolades the past two years as well as Honorable Mention All-America from *Street & Smith's*. Lanning averaged 18.5 points, 2.2 assists and 1.9 steals last season, shooting 63.8 percent from the field, 34.4 percent from 3-point range and 84.7 percent from the free throw line.

GIVENS PRESEASON PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Senior Chrissy Givens was voted the Sun Belt Preseason Player of the Year by the league coaches and media at the conference media days at the end of October. The Monroe, La., native was also voted to the Preseason All- Sun Belt First Team. The honor is in conjunction with the 5-11 guard being voted Sun Belt Player of the Year for the 2005-06 season. She was also voted Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Year and Sun Belt Tournament Most Outstanding Player. She is just the second player in Sun Belt Conference history to win all three awards in the same season. Givens' preseason honor is the second time in school history a Blue Raider women's basketball player was awarded the Preseason POY honor. In 2004 former Middle Tennessee standout Patrice Holmes was voted Sun Belt Preseason Player of the Year.

BLUE RAIDERS TOPS IN THE EAST: For the second time since joining the Sun Belt, Middle Tennessee has been tabbed to finish first in the Sun Belt preseason poll in the Eastern Division. The Blue Raiders received 74 points and nine first-place votes to take the top spot in the Eastern Division in a poll of the league's coaches prior to SBC Media Days. Middle Tennessee was also picked to finish first in 2004.

HORTON SECOND TEAM: Krystle Horton was voted to the Preseason All-Sun Belt Second Team in a poll of the league's coaches and media prior to the Sun Belt Media Days in October. It marks the third straight season Horton has been named to a Preseason All-SBC squad. The senior forward was a Third-Team selection to close out the season in 2005-06, averaging 11.9 points per game and ranking second in the Sun Belt in field goal percentage at 51.2 percent.

MEDIA INFORMATION

Blue Raiders on Radio

■ All Blue Raider basketball games can be heard on WMTS FM 88.3 in Rutherford County and 1400 AM WZNG in Shelbyville. David Reed is in his second season as the Blue Raiders' play-by-play announcer.

Interview Protocol

■ After a 10-minute cooling off period, requested players and head coach Rick Insell will be available for members of the media. The Blue Raider locker room is CLOSED both at home and on the road. At home, the interview area is located just off the northeast corner of the playing floor. On the road, requested players and Coach Insell will be brought to an area designated by the home team. Player requests should be directed to assistant media relations director Jo Jo Freeman.

Credentials

■ Arrangement for media credentials for the 2006-07 basketball season should be directed to the Athletic Media Relations Office. Requests by accredited media members should be made in writing and submitted on company letterhead to Jo Jo Freeman. Priority issuance of credentials will be given to daily newspapers and television stations that cover Middle Tennessee basketball on a regular basis. Other credential requests will be fulfilled on a space available basis.

GoBlueRaiders.com

■ Middle Tennessee basketball statistics and notes are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week at GoBlueRaiders.com. Media are invited to use the official web site for Middle Tennessee athletics for information regarding all Blue Raider athletic teams.

Associated Press Top 25
November 13

Team	Record	Points	PVS
1. Maryland	2-0	1245	1
2. North Carolina	2-0	1171	2
3. Oklahoma	1-0	1155	3
4. Stanford	1-1	1076	4
5. Tennessee	1-0	1065	5
6. Duke	1-0	973	6
7. Ohio St.	1-0	957	7
8. Connecticut	1-0	910	8
9. Georgia	1-0	856	9
10. LSU	2-0	784	10
11. Arizona St.	3-0	706	13
12. Purdue	2-0	669	11
13. Texas A & M	1-0	630	14
14. Rutgers	0-1	526	12
15. Vanderbilt	1-0	517	16
16. Baylor	2-0	400	19
17. Michigan St.	0-0	378	17
18. California	1-0	317	21
19. USC	1-0	304	22
20. UCLA	1-0	211	23
21. Kentucky	1-1	190	15
22. BYU	2-0	187	24
23. DePaul	0-1	183	20
23. New Mexico	1-2	183	18
25. Texas	2-0	125	25

Others Receiving Votes: Washington 89, George Washington 73, Bowling Green 55, Louisville 40, Boston College 35, Virginia 33, TCU 30, St. John's 25, Indiana 19, Texas Tech 17, N.C. State 17, Iowa St. 13, Middle Tennessee 12, Utah 11, Xavier 11, Iowa 9, Old Dominion 8, Western Kentucky 8, South Florida 7, Penn State 7, Louisiana Tech 6, Rice 2, Pittsburgh 1, Northwestern 1, Florida State 1, Wyoming 1, Temple 1.

ESPN/ USA Today Coaches Poll
November 13

Team	Record	Points	PVS
1. Maryland	2-0	770	1
2. North Carolina	2-0	730	2
3. Oklahoma	1-0	714	3
4. Tennessee	1-0	675	5
5. Duke	1-0	633	6
6. Ohio St.	1-0	614	7
7. Connecticut	1-0	576	8
8. Georgia	1-0	558	9
9. LSU	3-0	507	10
10. Stanford	1-1	503	4
11. Arizona St.	3-0	447	12
12. Rutgers	0-1	395	11
13. Purdue	2-0	389	13
14. Texas A & M	1-0	378	14
15. Vanderbilt	1-0	318	15
16. Baylor	2-0	266	18
17. Michigan St.	0-0	235	17
18. BYU	2-0	219	24
19. California	1-0	184	21
20. USC	1-0	182	22
21. UCLA	1-0	130	23
22. DePaul	0-1	89	19
23. Washington	0-1	87	25
24. Kentucky	1-1	68	16
25. Geo. Washington	2-0	65	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Boston College 64, Louisville 39, Texas 37, New Mexico 28, TCU 22, Pittsburgh 22, N.C. State 17, Bowling Green 15, Utah 14, Western Kentucky 12, Texas Tech 8, South Carolina 7, Nebraska 7, Temple 6, Indiana 6, Vriginia 6, Tulsa 5, Florida 5, Florida State 5, Rice 4, Virginia Tech 4, Mississippi 4, South Florida 2, Montana 2, Louisiana Tech 1, Middle Tennessee 1.

GIVENS NAMED PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN: Senior Chrissy Givens was named a Preseason Honorable Mention All-America by Street & Smith's magazine in October after leading Middle Tennessee in points, rebounds, assists and steals in 2005-06. It is the second time in school history a Blue Raider player was named a Preseason All-American, with former standout Jonelda Buck garnering the accolade before the 1998-99 season.

RECEIVING VOTES: The ESPN/USA Today preseason women's college basketball poll was released on October 31 and Middle Tennessee received two votes. The Blue Raiders joined Western Kentucky as the only teams from the Sun Belt Conference to receive votes. In this week's ESPN/USA Today poll, Middle Tennessee received one vote, but picked up 12 votes in this week's AP poll to rank 38th in the nation.

NATIONAL, SUN BELT RANKINGS FROM LAST SEASON: Middle Tennessee finished the 2005-06 season ranked 25th nationally in scoring offense at 72.0 points per game and 23rd in the country in field goal percentage (.450, tops in Sun Belt Conference). The Blue Raiders were also 28th nationally in 3-point FG percentage (.365, tops in Sun Belt Conference), with Maryland tops in the nation last season at .400. Middle Tennessee ended last year sixth in the country in steals per outing with 11.9. Individually Chrissy Givens was eighth nationally in points per game (21.5), 12th in steals per game (3.2) and 46th in assists per game (4.8). Givens led the Sun Belt Conference in both points and steals last season. Johnna Abney ranked 33rd in the country in 3-point FG percentage at .407, while LaCondra Mason ranked first in the Sun Belt in 3-point FG percentage (34-of-78, .436), though she did not qualify nationally with enough attempts.

HORTON FINDS THE BASKET: Senior and three-year starter Krystle Horton ranks fourth in Middle Tennessee history in FG percentage (.532, 505-949). The Murfreesboro, Tenn., native is the one constant on Middle Tennessee's three straight Sun Belt Tournament title teams and three consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances. She has missed out on notoriety because of teammate Patrice Holmes and now Chrissy Givens, but has averaged double-figure points (15.0 as freshman, 11.3 as sophomore, 11.9 as junior, 12.7 for career) and 5.5 rebounds (5.7, 5.4, 5.7, 5.6 for career) in her three seasons.

INSELL'S SUCCESS: Head coach Rick Insell enjoyed unprecedented success at Shelbyville Central High School in Shelbyville, Tenn., before becoming the seventh head coach in Middle Tennessee history before the 2005-06 season. Insell posted a 20-11 mark last year and led the Blue Raiders to their third straight Sun Belt Tournament title and third consecutive NCAA Tournament appearance. The 20 wins in his first campaign mark only the second Blue Raider coach to win 20 contests in his rookie season (Lewis Bivens, 22-8, 1988) and just the 14th 20-win season in Blue Raider history.

Middle Tennessee 20-win seasons
Pat Jones (20-5, 1977)
Larry Inman (23-10, 1980; 20-5, 1982; 26-5, 1983; 23-7, 1985; 20-10, 1986)
Lewis Bivens (22-8, 1988; 21-6, 1989; 21-7, 1993; 21-7, 1994; 24-6, 1996)
Stephany Smith (24-8, 2004; 24-8, 2005)

2006-07 SUN BELT PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

First Team
Jocelyn Love (Arkansas-Little Rock, Sr., G/F)
Adrianne Davie (Arkansas State, Sr., C)
Chrissy Givens (Middle Tennessee, Sr., G)
Yolanda Jones (Louisiana-Lafayette, Sr., F)
Crystal Kelly (Western Kentucky, Jr., F)

Second Team
Rudy Sims (Arkansas State, Sr., G)
Tyesha Lowery (Denver, Sr., G)
Lasma Jekabsone (Florida International, Sr., C)
Krystle Horton (Middle Tennessee, Sr., F)
Whitney Woodard (South Alabama, Sr., F)

Third Team
Renee Renz (Arkansas-Little Rock, So., F)
Le'Della English (New Orleans, Jr., G)
Talicia Sanders (North Texas, Jr., C)
Laura Lee Holman (Troy, Sr., G)
Tifany Zaragoza (Western Kentucky, Sr., G)

Preseason Player of the Year
Chrissy Givens (Middle Tennessee, Sr., G)

Preseason Coaches Poll
(First place votes in parenthesis)

East Division	Points
1. Middle Tennessee (9)	74
2. Western Kentucky (3)	67
3. Florida International (1)	52
4. South Alabama	38
t5. Florida Atlantic	21
t5. Troy	21

West Division	Points
1. Arkansas State (10)	87
2. North Texas (1)	65
3. Louisiana-Lafayette (2)	64
4. Arkansas-Little Rock	55
5. Denver	48
6. Louisiana-Monroe	31
7. New Orleans	14

LAST TIME OUT FOR MIDDLE TENNESSEE

Lady Raiders shocked by South Dakota State
By MONTE HALE JR.
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There was no sugarcoating MTSU's 72-61 home loss to South Dakota State Monday night at Murphy Center.

"They came out, it was their first game and they stuck it to us," said second-year MTSU coach Rick Insell.

After playing No. 1 ranked Maryland to within four points Friday night and garnering 12 votes in the Top 25 poll Monday, MTSU did indeed get a dose of reality.

"They came in here and kicked our butts," said MTSU senior guard Chrissy Givens. "We took Maryland to four points and maybe we thought we were too good, but they kicked our butts. They did it here two years ago."

MTSU struggled offensively throughout, but tied the score at 52-52 with 6:52 left when Givens scored and converted a 3-point play.

However, MTSU was outscored 20-9 down the stretch as it was unable to run its half-court offense.

"They got in us," said MTSU freshman point guard Chelsia Lymon. "They were overplaying and they did a great job. They just got in us. We struggled running our offense and we didn't rebound."

Game 2 **Murphy Center (2,613)**

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE 72

MIDDLE TENNESSEE 61

Nov. 13, 2006 - Murfreesboro, Tenn.

SDSU (1-0)	*FG*	*3FG*	*FT*	*REB*	*F*	*TP*	*A*	*T*	*B*	*S*	*MIN*
04 Verdegan*	0-2	0-1	11-13	1-6-7	1	11	5	4	0	0	34
32 Vogel*	7-10	2-3	7-7	1-6-7	3	23	2	6	0	1	27
42 Muckenhirn*	2-3	2-2	0-0	1-0-1	2	6	2	2	0	0	22
44 Warkenthien*	2-5	2-3	3-4	1-4-5	4	9	1	3	0	0	20
50 Grimsrud*	4-4	0-0	0-0	2-1-3	4	8	0	2	1	1	29
12 Anderson	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
22 Cornemann	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
24 Meier	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	0	2	0	1	8
30 Oistad	3-5	2-3	2-4	0-4-4	1	10	3	1	0	1	24
34 Kratovil	2-4	0-0	0-0	1-3-4	1	4	0	2	0	1	17
40 Boever	0-2	0-1	1-2	0-0-0	1	1	0	1	0	1	11
TEAM				1-4-5							
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FG	1st (11-24) 45.8	2nd (9-12) 75.0	Game (55.6)
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FT	1st (2-3) 66.7	2nd (22-27) 81.5	Game (80.0)

MT (0-2)	*FG*	*3FG*	*FT*	*REB*	*F*	*TP*	*A*	*T*	*B*	*S*	*MIN*
01 Holt*	5-21	0-2	9-10	6-4-10	4	19	1	1	2	3	39
02 Abney*	1-4	1-4	0-0	0-0-0	1	3	0	1	0	0	10
04 Horton*	3-7	0-0	1-2	4-0-4	3	7	1	1	0	0	25
21 Brown*	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5
22 Givens*	7-20	1-3	2-2	2-4-6	3	17	3	4	0	3	40
00 Lymon	3-5	3-5	1-2	1-0-1	4	10	3	2	0	0	20
03 Mason	0-2	0-2	0-0	1-1-2	1	0	0	0	0	2	14
10 Pickel	1-4	1-4	0-0	1-0-1	2	3	0	0	0	0	8
12 Orr	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-0-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	16
14 Barclay	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	10
15 Cobb	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
31 Boyd	0-0	0-0	2-2	0-1-1	3	2	0	1	0	0	10
TEAM				1-1-2							
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Technical fouls: South Dakota State-None. Middle Tennessee-None.

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
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Middle Tennessee	26	35	61

MTSU shot only 32 percent from the field, while the Jackrabbits shot 56 percent and outrebounded the Blue Raiders 37-29.

"You can't shoot 30 percent and get outrebounded and win," Insell said. "It's a marathon and we've got a lot of work to do. South Dakota State is a good team and they did a great job.

"We didn't have good offensive spacing and I thought that was a problem against Maryland. You get that when you play a lot of people and that's where we're at right now."

MTSU was led by junior Amber Holt's 19 points, while Givens had 17. However, the duo combined to go just 12-of-41 from the field.

"We've got to shoot the ball better," Insell said. "We have two people that go 7-for-20 and 5-for 21. I know we're a much better shooting team."

South Dakota State hit 17-of-20 free throws after getting into the 1-and-1 with 10:39 left in the game. The Jackrabbits also hit 8-of-14 from behind the 3-point arc.

"There was no pressure for us to win this game," said SDSU coach Aaron Johnston. "We tried a basic offense. We kept it simple and told the kids about being strong and trying to drive.

"We talked about trying to pick up some fouls in the second half. If they are going to put that much pressure on us we've got to turn that pressure on them and get to the free throw line."

MTSU led 12-7 with 14:01 left in the first half but went more than four minutes without a point and found itself trailing 19-12.

The Blue Raiders scored eight unanswered points during one stretch to take a 24-22 lead, but SDSU closed the final four minutes of the half with a 5-2 run to take a 27-26 halftime lead.

MTSU shot just 32 percent in the first half (10-of-31), while the Jackrabbits hit 11-of-24 (46 percent).

SDSU had 13 first-halt turnovers, but MTSU could only turn them into six points.

Foul problems at the post also hurt MTSU as senior Krystle Horton picked up her second personal in less than three minutes, while sophomore Lakira Boyd was whistled for her second with 13:48 remaining before halftime.

MTSU plays Maine Saturday in the first round of the Minnesota tournament.

POSTGAME NOTES

DOUBLE-DOUBLE: For the first time in her young Blue Raider career, junior Amber Holt recorded her first double-double when she notched 19 points and 10 rebounds in a loss to South Dakota State. After two games, Holt is averaging 23.5 points and 9.0 rebounds.

GIVENS TIES ROBINSON: With three steals against South Dakota State, senior Chrissy Givens moved into a tie for ninth place on the all-time list with Priscilla Robinson. Givens, who also had three thefts against Maryland, has 194 career steals and needs just five more to tie Kelly Chastain for eighth place.

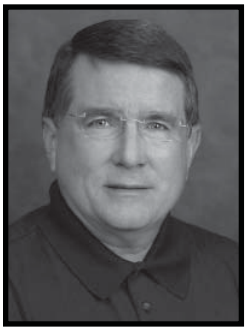
SHOOTING WOES DOOM BLUE RAIDERS: Middle Tennessee's surprising loss to South Dakota State can be traced back to poor shooting. The Blue Raiders shot a dismal 30.8 percent from the field (20-for-65), including just 29.4 percent in the second half. It went down as the worst shooting performance under Head Coach Rick Insell and the worst by the Blue Raiders since hitting just 28.1 percent (18-for-64) against Georgia on Dec. 30, 2002 - a span of 86 games. The 30.8 percent was also the worst shooting effort at the Murphy Center since making just 29.0 percent of its shots against Kansas State on Dec. 17, 2001.

LYMON'S BEEN STEADY: One of the lone bright spots for Middle Tennessee in the loss to South Dakota State was the play of freshman Chelsia Lymon. The Georgetown, Ky., native came off the bench to connect on 3 of 5 shots (all three-pointers) to score 10 points to go along with three assists in a season-high 20 minutes of action. In two games this year, Lymon has made 8 of 12 shots, including 5 of 8 from behind the arc.

STRONG AT THE LINE: After the first two games, Middle Tennessee has done an excellent job at the charity stripe. The Blue Raiders are shooting an impressive 86.2 percent (25-for-29), including 87.5 percent in the second half. Amber Holt leads the way with a percentage of 87.5 (14-for-16).

QUICK HITTERS: The Blue Raiders have forced 47 turnovers in their first two games, while committing just 22 ... Chrissy Givens has played all 80 minutes this season ... Only one player shot better than 45 percent from the field for the Blue Raiders against the Jackrabbits (Lymon) ... The Blue Raiders have owned the offensive glass the first two games combined by a 32 to 16 count ... The Blue Raiders received 12 votes in the Associated Press poll released earlier on Monday.

Head Coach Rick Insell



Rick Insell made a huge splash is first year at the helm of the Middle Tennessee women's basketball program, guiding the Middle Tennessee program to its third consecutive Sun Belt Championship and doing so in front of a record-setting home crowd in the finals of the SBC Tournament.

Insell can now drop the title former high school coach and add his name to the list of Middle Tennessee coaches with conference titles. He directed one of the most thrilling comebacks in Sun Belt Tournament history, leading Middle Tennessee to an 84-73 win over Western Kentucky after being down by as many as 14 points in the first half.

Insell's first season at the helm of his alma mater also included a Top 10 recruiting class for the 2006-07 season and an unprecedented third consecutive trip to the NCAA Tournament.

Insell also developed one of the most prolific scorers for a single-season in school history in Chrissy Givens, who registered 667 points, the second most in a season on the all-time scoring list. It also makes Givens one of just five players to score 600 or more points in a season as a Blue Raider.

The 2005-06 campaign also saw another first in program history as three players - Givens, Tia Stovall and Krystle Horton - all joined the 1,000-point club. This marks the first time in school history three current players all were represented on the prestigious list, and the Blue Raiders were one of only four teams in the 2006 NCAA Tournament to boast such an honor.

Insell's biggest influence may have come at the turnstiles, where the Blue Raiders averaged 2,699 fans per outing in 2005-06, a 300 percent increase over the previous season and the largest increase in the NCAA for 2005-06.

Middle Tennessee notched one of its biggest wins of the season when the Blue Raiders shocked Big 10 powerhouse Penn State, 79-65, in the UAB Blaze Tournament in December.

A 1977 graduate of Middle Tennessee, Insell built a high school girls basketball dynasty at nearby Shelbyville Central High School, where he guided the Golden Eaglettes to a record 10 TSSAA Class AAA state championships and two USA Today national championships (1989, 1991) as he compiled a sparkling 775-148 worksheet during his 28-year tenure. Insell was named USA Today National High School Coach of the Year in 1989 and 1991 and he also was been named Converse National High School Coach of the Year on two occasions (1990, 1992). Insell called the women's basketball position at Middle Tennessee his "dream job".

"Dreams do come true," Insell said after Director of Athletics Chris Massaro announced his hiring on May 18, 2005. "It's something you think about. I'm a coach and it's all I've ever done, from elementary to junior high to junior pro, AAU and high school. To be able to come on board at Middle Tennessee, a Division I school, that's a dream come true, not only for me, but for all of the high school coaches and junior high coaches across the country and it says if you stay in there long enough and dream big enough, one day it will eventually happen."

Insell said Middle Tennessee will be a pressing basketball team on defense and force the issue, and he added that the Blue Raiders would back down from no one on the recruiting trail.

"We are going after the best players in the state of Tennessee every year," Insell said. "If Tennessee or Vanderbilt is after them, then Middle Tennessee is going to be after them, too. We will recruit alongside of them. We are not going to be intimidated, nor will we back down because they are in the Southeastern Conference. We are Division I and they are Division I. We are going to use all of our contacts."

A name synonymous with high school girls basketball in Tennessee, Insell's teams hold the Tennessee state records for consecutive wins with 110, consecutive state titles with four (1989-1992), most state championships for a coach with 10 (1986, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 2000, 2001, 2003 and 2004), and his 1990 Golden Eaglette squad was named the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame Team of the Year, the first high school team so honored.

Under Insell's guidance, Shelbyville Central High School won 23 district championships, 16 regional championships and appeared in the Class AAA state championship game a remarkable 15 times, winning 10. Insell developed six Tennessee Class AAA Miss Basketball Award recipients, 15 high school All-Americans and 57 of his players received either athletic or academic scholarships to continue their careers at the collegiate level.

While Insell built a basketball dynasty at Shelbyville during his time there, he also made sure his players got the job done in the classroom, as evidenced by his teams receiving the TSSAA Distinguished Award for Academic Success from 1989-2000, an award based on team GPA. The lowest cumulative GPA at Shelbyville from 1989-00 was 3.4 and the highest was 3.98.

Additionally, Insell's Shelbyville team received a special invitation to the Oval Office by President George Bush for academic and athletic achievement and his teams also have been honored in the United States Senate and House of Representatives, the Tennessee State House and Senate and by two Tennessee Governors.

Insell is married to Debbie and the couple have three sons, Tom, Kyle and Matt.

INSELL'S INS AND OUTS

- Appeared on *Dateline* on December 26, 2004. The program produced a one-hour segment on Insell, focusing on him and his Shelbyville Eaglettes. The program was shown internationally.
- March 22, 2003 - Rick Insell was inducted into the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Hall of Fame.
- Insell and the Eaglettes received a special invitation to the Oval Office by President George H. Bush for academic and athletic achievement.
- In 1989, ESPN did a feature story on the Shelbyville Eaglettes that aired nationally several times. The story won the National Television Journalism Award later that year. It was the first of several stories ESPN did on Insell and his team.
- In 1992, Rick Insell was named Head Coach of the Girls High School All-American Game and from 1992-96 was a member of the All-American Selection Committee. He became the chairman of the All-American Selection Committee in 1996 and began serving as an advisor in 1999.
- Insell was named to the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) Board of Directors as High School Representative in 2001.

Game 1 **Murphy Center (10,010)**

#1 MARYLAND 80
MIDDLE TENNESSEE 76

Nov. 10, 2006 - Murfreesboro, Tenn.

UMD (1-0)	*FG*	*3FG*	*FT*	*REB*	*F*	*TP*	*A*	*T*	*B*	*S*	*MIN*
01 Langhorne*	7-9	0-0	2-3	5-6-11	1	16	0	1	0	2	37
15 Harper*	4-7	0-0	3-4	1-5-6	3	11	0	1	0	1	20
20 Toliver*	3-3	1-1	2-3	0-0-0	2	9	4	4	1	1	25
22 Doron*	4-11	0-3	8-9	0-2-2	2	16	1	5	0	1	35
25 Coleman*	8-12	2-3	1-3	1-14-15	2	19	4	5	3	1	38
11 Marrone	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	2	1	3	0	0	8
21 Newman	2-3	1-1	0-0	0-0-0	2	5	1	2	0	0	20
44 Noirez	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
55 Perry	1-3	0-0	0-0	1-2-3	3	2	0	1	0	0	16
TEAM				2				1			
Totals.....	30-49	4-8	16-22	8-29-37	15	80	11	23	4	6	200

FG	1st (16-23) 69.6	2nd (14-26) 53.8	Game (61.2)
3FG	1st (1-3) 33.3	2nd (3-5) 60.0	Game (50.0)
FT	1st (5-6) 83.3	2nd (11-16) 68.8	Game (72.7)

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31 Boyd	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-4-5	2	4	0	0	0	0	13
TEAM				3-0-3				1			
Totals.....	30-72	6-16	10-11	14-15-29	19	76	16	11	2	7	200

FG	1st (12-33) 36.4	2nd (18-39) 46.2	Game (41.7)
3FG	1st (2-6) 33.3	2nd (4-10) 40.0	Game (37.5)
FT	1st (7-8) 87.5	2nd (3-3) 100	Game (90.9)

Officials: Gator Parrish, Doug Williams, Felicia Grinter

Technical fouls: Maryland-TEAM. Middle Tennessee-None.

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Maryland	38	42	80
Middle Tennessee	33	43	76

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THE STAT CREW SYSTEM
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All games

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

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##	Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
01	Holt, Amber.....	2-2	78 39.0	16-45	.356	1-5	.200	14-16	.875	12	6	18	9.0	8	0	3	3	2	5	47	23.5
22	Givens, Chrissy....	2-2	80 40.0	13-38	.342	1-4	.250	4-4	1.000	4	6	10	5.0	7	0	10	6	0	6	31	15.5
00	Lymon, Chelsia.....	2-0	29 14.5	8-12	.667	5-8	.625	2-3	.667	1	0	1	0.5	5	0	3	2	0	1	23	11.5
04	Horton, Krystle....	2-2	50 25.0	4-14	.286	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	4	3	7	3.5	6	0	2	3	0	0	9	4.5
02	Abney, Johnna.....	2-2	34 17.0	2-5	.400	2-5	.400	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	0.5	2	0	3	2	0	1	8	4.0
10	Pickel, Jackie.....	2-0	11 5.5	2-6	.333	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.0
31	Boyd, Lakira.....	2-0	23 11.5	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	3.0	5	0	0	1	0	0	6	3.0
14	Barclay, Latoya....	2-0	21 10.5	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	1	0	0	3	1.5
21	Brown, Brandi.....	2-2	26 13.0	1-8	.125	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	2.0	2	0	0	3	2	0	2	1.0
12	Orr, Starr.....	2-0	23 11.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	0	3	1.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1.0
03	Mason, LaCondra....	2-0	21 10.5	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1.0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0.0
15	Cobb, Carden.....	2-0	4 2.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
	TEAM.....									4	1	5	2.5	0			1				
	Total.....	2	400	50-137	.365	12-37	.324	25-29	.862	32	26	58	29.0	43	0	25	22	4	15	137	68.5
	Opponents.....	2	400	50-85	.588	12-22	.545	40-52	.769	16	58	74	37.0	33	-	24	47	5	12	152	76.0

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd		Total
Middle Tennessee.....	59	78	-	137
Opponents.....	65	87	-	152

DEADBALL REBOUNDS:	OFF	DEF	TOTAL
Middle Tennessee.....	1	0	1
Opponents.....	5	0	5

THE STAT CREW SYSTEM
Middle Tennessee Season Schedule/Results & Leaders (as of Nov 16, 2006)
All games

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

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	SCORE		ATTEND	HIGH POINTS	HIGH REBOUNDS
11/10/06	7 PM	MARYLAND	76-80	L	10010	(28)Holt, Amber	(8)Holt, Amber
11/13/06	5 PM	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	61-72	L	2613	(19)Holt, Amber	(10)Holt, Amber

* - Conference game

ATTENDANCE SUMMARY	GAMES	TOTALS	AVG/GAME
HOME.....	2	12623	6312
AWAY.....	0	0	0
NEUTRAL.....	0	0	0
TOTAL.....	2	12623	6312

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Middle Tennessee Team Game-by-Game (as of Nov 16, 2006)
All games

TEAM STATISTICS

					---TOTAL---			--3-PTRS--				----REBOUNDS----								
Opponent	Date	Score	W/L	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
MARYLAND	11/10/06	76-80	L	30-72	.417	6-16	.375	10-11	.909	14	15	29	29.0	19	16	11	2	7	76	76.0
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	11/13/06	61-72	L	20-65	.308	6-21	.286	15-18	.833	18	11	29	29.0	24	9	11	2	8	61	68.5
Middle Tennessee		137		50-137	.365	12-37	.324	25-29	.862	32	26	58	29.0	43	25	22	4	15	137	68.5
Opponents		152		50-85	.588	12-22	.545	40-52	.769	16	58	74	37.0	33	24	47	5	12	152	76.0

Games played: 2
Points/game: 68.5
FG Pct: 36.5
3FG Pct: 32.4
FT Pct: 86.2

Rebounds/game: 29.0
Assists/game: 12.5
Turnovers/game: 11.0
Assist/turnover ratio: 1.1
Steals/game: 7.5
Blocks/game: 2.0

THE STAT CREW SYSTEM
Middle Tennessee Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 16, 2006)
All games

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

				---TOTAL---|	|---3-PTS---|				|----REBOUNDS----|											
##	Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
01	Holt, Amber.....	2-2	78 39.0	16-45	.356	1-5	.200	14-16	.875	12	6	18	9.0	8	0	3	3	2	5	47	23.5
22	Givens, Chrissy....	2-2	80 40.0	13-38	.342	1-4	.250	4-4	1.000	4	6	10	5.0	7	0	10	6	0	6	31	15.5
00	Lymon, Chelsia.....	2-0	29 14.5	8-12	.667	5-8	.625	2-3	.667	1	0	1	0.5	5	0	3	2	0	1	23	11.5
04	Horton, Krystle....	2-2	50 25.0	4-14	.286	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	4	3	7	3.5	6	0	2	3	0	0	9	4.5
02	Abney, Johnna.....	2-2	34 17.0	2-5	.400	2-5	.400	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	0.5	2	0	3	2	0	1	8	4.0
10	Pickel, Jackie.....	2-0	11 5.5	2-6	.333	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.0
31	Boyd, Lakira.....	2-0	23 11.5	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	3.0	5	0	0	1	0	0	6	3.0
14	Barclay, Latoya....	2-0	21 10.5	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	2	1	0	0	3	1.5
21	Brown, Brandi.....	2-2	26 13.0	1-8	.125	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	2.0	2	0	0	3	2	0	2	1.0
12	Orr, Starr.....	2-0	23 11.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	0	3	1.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1.0
03	Mason, LaCondra....	2-0	21 10.5	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1.0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0.0
15	Cobb, Carden.....	2-0	4 2.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
	TEAM.....									4	1	5	2.5	0			1				
	Total.....	2	400	50-137	.365	12-37	.324	25-29	.862	32	26	58	29.0	43	0	25	22	4	15	137	68.5
	Opponents.....	2	400	50-85	.588	12-22	.545	40-52	.769	16	58	74	37.0	33	-	24	47	5	12	152	76.0

TEAM STATISTICS	MT	OPP
SCORING.....	137	152
Points per game.....	68.5	76.0
Scoring margin.....	-7.5	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	50-137	50-85
Field goal pct.....	.365	.588
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	12-37	12-22
3-point FG pct.....	.324	.545
3-pt FG made per game..	6.0	6.0
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	25-29	40-52
Free throw pct.....	.862	.769
REBOUNDS.....	58	74
Rebounds per game.....	29.0	37.0
Rebounding margin.....	-8.0	-
ASSISTS.....	25	24
Assists per game.....	12.5	12.0
TURNOVERS.....	22	47
Turnovers per game.....	11.0	23.5
Turnover margin.....	+12.5	-
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.1	0.5
STEALS.....	15	12
Steals per game.....	7.5	6.0
BLOCKS.....	4	5
Blocks per game.....	2.0	2.5
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-
Home win streak.....	0	-
ATTENDANCE.....	12623	0
Home games-Avg/Game....	2-6312	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	0-0

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
11/10/06	MARYLAND	L	76-80	10010
11/13/06	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	L	61-72	2613

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd		Total
Middle Tennessee.....	59	78	-	137
Opponents.....	65	87	-	152

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Opponent	Date	Score	WL	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKED SHOTS
MARYLAND	11/10/06	76-80	L	28-Holt, Amber	8-Holt, Amber	7-Givens, Chris	3-Givens, Chris	2-Brown, Brandi
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	11/13/06	61-72	L	19-Holt, Amber	10-Holt, Amber	3-Lymon, Chelsi Givens, Chris	3-Holt, Amber Givens, Chris	2-Holt, Amber