2008-09
ATHLETIC YEARBOOK

MIDDLE TENNESSEE 2008-09 ALL-SPORTS RECORD

MEN'S SPORTS

Sport	W	L	T	HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE 2008-09 SEASON
Football	5	7	0	Blue Raiders upset Maryland at home; have dramatic last-second win on ESPN2
Basketball	18	14	0	Desmond Yates earns first team All-SBC honors
Cross Country	70	13	1	Four athletes participated in the NCAA Regionals
Outdoor Track	-	-	-	Finished second in the SBC ... Carl Morgan was Most Outstanding Field Performer
Indoor Track	-	-	-	Team captures conference championship ... Festus Chemaoi top meet scorer
Baseball	44	18	0	Regular season and Sun Belt Tournament champions ... Most wins in school history
Golf	103	51	0	Won first-ever SBC Championship, advanced to NCAAs
Tennis	16	9	0	Won SBC Championship and advanced to NCAAs
Total Record	**256**	**112**	**1**	

WOMEN'S SPORTS

Sport	W	L	T	HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE 2008-09 SEASON
Volleyball	27	8	0	Advanced to 2nd round of NCAAs ... Asberry, Clark earn HM All-America honors
Soccer	9	8	3	Shan Jones named SBC Freshman of the Year
Basketball	28	6	0	SBC regular season and tournament champs ... Alysha Clark led nation in scoring
Cross Country	71	45	0	Five athletes participated in the NCAA Regionals led by Zamzam Sangau's 16th place finish
Golf	83	66	0	Had the highest finish in the SBC Championships (3rd)
Outdoor Track	-	-	-	Team placed third at SBC meet ... Zamzam Sangau was top meet scorer
Indoor Track	-	-	-	2nd at SBC Championships ... Nambawa named Most Outstanding Female Athlete
Softball	14	34	0	Martha Davis earns all-conference honors ... Blue Raiders upset No. 23 Purdue
Tennis	9	14	0	Finished 3-3 in Sun Belt play
Total Record	**241**	**181**	**3**	

ALL SPORTS RECORD: 497 wins, 293 losses, 4 ties (.628)

NACDA CUP FINISHES

2008-09: 76 (348 points)
2007-08: 128 (138 points)
2006-07: 101 (178 points)
2005-06: Did not score past 100
2004-05: T169 (75 points)
2003-04: T132 (123 points)
2002-03: T162 (83.5 points)
2001-02: 156 (89.5 points)
2000-01: 162 (73.5 points)
1999-00: 105 (149 points)
1998-99: 214 (10 points)
1997-98: 202 (10 points)
1996-97: 196 (32.5 points)
1995-96: 152 (68.5 points)
1994-95: 109 (52.5 points)
1993-94: 123 (91 points)

2008-09 SUN BELT CONFERENCE ALL-SPORTS AWARD STANDINGS

Rk	School	Total Pts	MCC	WCC	SOC	VOL	FB	MSD	WSD	MIT	WIT	MBK	WBK	MTN	WTN	MGO	WGO	SBL	MOT	WOT	BSL
1.	**MT**	**145.5**	8.5	10	9	10	3	-	-	**9**	10	7.5	**13**	**8**	7	**12**	9	1	9	9	**10.5**
2.	WKU	135.5	**11**	**11**	10.5	8	-	5	**7**	8	**11**	**13**	7.5	1	1	2	1	7	**10**	**11**	**10.5**
3.	NT	106.5	8.5	8	10.5	2.5	1	-	5	5	7	11	3	-	10	10	5	5	7	8	-
4.	Troy	95.5	6	4	4	2.5	**8**	-	-	-	6	10	9	2	9	3	6	8	4	5	9
5.	Denver	94	-	-	**12**	12	-	**7**	6	-	-	7.5	10.5	5	12	11	**11**	-	-	-	-
5.	USA	94	7	7	6.5	6.5	-	-	-	4	3	9	10.5	4	11	8	2	4	3	2.5	6
7.	UALR	92	10	9	5	9	-	-	1	2	4	12	12	-	3	7	10	-	6	1	1
8.	FIU	87	4	2	6.5	**13**	3	-	2	1	2	6	2	-	**13**	-	7.5	6	1	10	8
9.	FAU	77	5	6	8	5	5.5	2	4	-	9	1	4	7	2	1	7.5	3	-	2.5	4.5
10.	ASU	75	1	5	2	6.5	5.5	-	-	6	8	2	7.5	-	8	6	4	-	5	6	2.5
11.	ULL	71	2	3	3	4	7	-	-	3	1	5	1	6	5	9	-	**9**	2	4	7
12.	ULM	64	3	1	1	1	3	-	-	7	5	3.5	5	-	6	4	3	2	8	7	4.5
13.	UNO	41	-	-	-	11	-	3	3	-	-	3.5	6	3	4	5	-	-	-	-	2.5

NOTE: VOL, MBK, WBK based on divisional and tournament finish; SOC, SBL, BSL based on regular season finish; ALL OTHERS based on championship tournament finish.

SCORING: Points are awarded based on the number of schools sponsoring the sport. Institutions not sponsoring a sport do not receive points in that sport. Institutions tying for positions split the combined points of their positions.

KEY: MCC - Men's Cross Country; WCC - Women's Cross Country; SOC - Women's Soccer; VOL - Volleyball; FB - Football; SD - Women's Swimming & Diving; MIT - Men's Indoor Track; WIT - Women's Indoor Track; MBK - Men's Basketball; WBK - Women's Basketball; MTN - Men's Tennis; WTN - Women's Tennis; MGO - Men's Golf; WGO - Women's Golf; SBL - Softball; MOT - Men's Outdoor Track; WOT - Women's Outdoor Track; BSL - Baseball.

***NOTE:** To qualify for the Bubas Cup standings, at least four members must sponsor the sport and compete in its championship.

ALL-TIME BUBAS CUP CHAMPIONS

1977	Jacksonville
1978	South Florida
1979	South Florida
1980	South Florida
1981	South Florida
1982	South Florida
1983	Old Dominion
1984	South Florida
1985	South Florida
1986	South Florida
1987	Western Kentucky
1988	South Alabama
1989	South Alabama
1990	South Florida
1991	South Alabama
1992	South Alabama
1993	South Alabama
1994	South Alabama
1995	Arkansas State
1996	South Alabama
1997	South Alabama
1998	Arkansas State
1999	South Alabama
2000	South Alabama
2001	**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**
2002	Western Kentucky
2003	Western Kentucky
2004	**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**
2005	**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**
2006	Western Kentucky
2007	**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**
2008	Western Kentucky
2009	**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**

CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION

144 OVC CHAMPIONSHIPS
Baseball (24) - 1959*, 1968, **1976, 1981, 1982, 1987, 1988, 1990**, 1991^, **1992**, 1993, 1994^, **1995**, 1996*, 1997*, 2000^

Basketball (Men) (10) - **1975**, 1977^, 1978*, 1982^, 1985^, 1986*, **1987**, 1989*

Basketball (Women) (18) - 1980, **1983**, **1984, 1985, 1986**, 1987*, **1988**, 1989, 1995*, 1996*, 1998^, 1999*, 2000^

Cross-Country (Men) (1) - 1983

Football (11) - 1956, 1957, 1958*, 1959*, 1962*, 1964, 1965, 1985, 1989, 1990*, 1992

Golf (16) - 1956, 1958, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1966, 1967, 1974, 1978, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1998, 2000

Indoor Track (Men) (9) - 1979, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1985, 1986, 1991, 1993, 2000

Indoor Track (Women) (5) - 1988, 1991, 1994, 1995, 1996

Outdoor Track (Men) (11) - 1977, 1978, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1993, 1994

Outdoor Track (Women) (3) - 1991, 1994, 1996

Softball (1) - 2000

Tennis (Men) (23) - 1976, 1979, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000

Tennis (Women) (11) - 1980, 1982, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1996, 1997, 1998, **2000**

Volleyball (1) - 1995^

*Co-Champions
^Tournament Championship
Bold - Won both regular season and tournament titles

37 SBC CHAMPIONSHIPS
Basketball (Women) (7) - 2004^, 2005^, 2006^, **2007, 2009**

Baseball (3) - 2001*, 2003^, 2004*, **2009**

Football (2) - 2001*, 2006*

Golf (Men) (1) - 2009^

Indoor Track (Men) (6) - 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2009

Indoor Track (Women) (5) - 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005

Outdoor Track (Men) (3) - 2001, 2006, 2007

Outdoor Track (Women) (2) – 2000, 2005

Soccer (1) - 2004*

Tennis (Men) (2) – 2005^, 2009^

Volleyball (3) – **2006*, 2007**
*Co-Champions
^Tournament Championship
Bold - Won both regular season & tournament titles

145 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES
Baseball (14) - 1968, 1976, 1981, 1982, 1987, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1995, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2009

Basketball (Men) (6) - 1975, 1977, 1982, 1985, 1987, 1989

Basketball (Women) (12) - 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1996, 1998, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009

*Cross-Country (Men) (2) - 1966, 1971

Football (I-AA Playoff s) (7) - 1984, 1985, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1994

*Golf (Men) (11) - ^1963, ^1964, 1965, ^1967, ^1968, ^1974, ^1977, 2000 (first as Division I), ^2007, 2008, 2009

^Indoor Track (Men) (28) - 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1991, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006

^Indoor Track (Women) (6) - 1987, 1988, 1994, 1996, 2003, ^2009

^Outdoor Track (Men) (31) - 1968, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009

^Outdoor Track (Women) (4) - 1988, 1994, 2000, 2003, 2009

*Softball (1): 2000

*Tennis (Men) (13) - ^1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, ^1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, ^2003, 2005, 2006, ^2007, 2009

*Tennis (Women) (4) - 2000, ^2002, ^2003, ^2004

Volleyball (4) - 1995, 2006, 2007, 2008

*NCAA appearances for track, golf and tennis are based on individual as well as team performances. Individual appearances are designated by ^.

OVC HALL OF FAME
Dr. Quill E. Cope (1978)
Charles M. Murphy (1982)
Jimmy Earle (1989)
Dr. Sam Ingram (1990)
E. K. Patty (1993)
John Stanford (1997)
Larry Joe Inman (2009)

OVC ALL-SPORTS TROPHIES
Combined - 1977
Women - 1982, 1986, 1988
Men - 1986, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000
(The OVC All-Sports Trophy was a combined award prior to 1981)

SBC ALL-SPORTS TROPHIES (5)
2001-02, 2003-04, 2004-05, 2006-07, 2008-09

OVC ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT BANNER
1996

OVC FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
1987 - Kim Webb, Basketball
1992 - Priscilla Robinson, Basketball
1996 - Nadia Graham, Track

OVC MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
1981 - Greg Artis, Track
1986 - Don Griffin, Football
1990 - Jayhawk Owens, Baseball

SBC ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
2001 - Dewon Brazelton, Baseball
2004 - Mardy Scales, Track
2007 - Chrissy Givens, Basketball (Female)

OVC SCHOLAR ATHLETES
1982-83 - Arlene Hale
1983-84 - Mitzi Grogan
1984-85 - Maria Salas
1988-89 - Lianne Beck
1991-92 - Lea White

SBC COACH OF THE YEAR
2000 – Dean Hayes (Women's Outdoor Track)
2001 – Dean Hayes (Men's Indoor Track)
2001 – Dean Hayes (Women's Indoor Track)
2001 – Dean Hayes (Men's Outdoor Track)
2002 – Dean Hayes (Men's Indoor Track)
2002 – Dean Hayes (Women's Indoor Track)
2003 – Dean Hayes (Men's Indoor Track)
2003 – Kermit Davis (Men's Basketball)
2003 – Aston Rhoden (Women's Soccer)
2004 – Aston Rhoden (Women's Soccer)
2004 – Dean Hayes (Women's Indoor Track)
2004 – Steve Peterson (Baseball)
2005 – Dale Short (Men's Tennis)
2005 – Rachael Short (Women's Golf)
2005 – Dean Hayes (Women's Outdoor Track)
2006 – Dean Hayes (Men's Indoor Track)
2006 – Dean Hayes (Men's Outdoor Track)
2006 – Rick Stockstill (Football)
2007 – Rick Insell (Women's Basketball)
2007 – Johnny Moore (Men's Golf)
2007 – Dean Hayes (Men's Outdoor Track)
2007 - Matt Peck (Volleyball)
2008 - Whit Turnbow (Men's Golf)
2009 - Rick Insell (Women's Basketball)
2009 - Dean Hayes (Men's Indoor Track)
2009 - David McNamara (Men's Tennis)
2009 - Whit Turnbow (Men's Golf)

As of June 8, 2009

12 National Championships

Team Competition
Golf - 1965

Individual Competition
Gary Head - 1963 Golf
Larry Gilbert - 1965 Golf
Barry McClure - 1972 Track
Barry McClure - 1973 Track
Tommy Haynes - 1974 Track
Dionne Rose - 1994 Track
David McNamara and Julius Robberts - 1997 Tennis
Daniel Klemetz - 2002 Tennis
Mardy Scales - 2003 Track
Andreas Siljestrom and Marco Born - 2005 Tennis
Andreas Siljestrom and Marco Born - 2007 Tennis

2008-09 TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

ACADEMICS

Fall 2008

- 195 of 347 (56%) of all student-athletes had a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
- 98 (28%) of all student-athletes made the Dean's List by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.
- 22 (6%) of all student-athletes had a perfect 4.0 grade point average.
- 12 of 17 teams had a semester grade point average of 3.0 or higher
- All 9 women's sports earned a semester team grade point average of 3.0 or higher
- Men's Tennis had the highest men's team grade point average of 3.44
- Women's Golf had the highest women's team grade point average of 3.52
- A total of 15 student-athletes earned their degree following the fall semester.

Spring 2009

- 159 of 289 (55%) of all student-athletes had a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
- 72 (24%) of all student-athletes made the Dean's List by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.
- 17 (6%) of all student-athletes had a perfect 4.0 grade point average.
- 8 of 17 teams had a semester grade point average of 3.0 or higher
- Men's Tennis had the highest men's team grade point average with a 3.39.
- Women's Golf had the highest women's and overall team grade point average of 3.59.
- A total of 21 student-athletes earned their degree following the spring semester.

FOOTBALL

- As always, Middle Tennessee was faced with a demanding schedule in 2008. The first five weeks of the season saw the Blue Raiders face four bowl teams (Troy, Maryland, Kentucky, and Florida Atlantic) and a fifth (Arkansas State) that was bowl eligible. Despite the challenging schedule, Middle Tennessee picked up two wins over bowl teams with victories over Maryland and Florida Atlantic.
- Middle Tennessee has an overall mark of 31-24 in Sun Belt action all-time, including a 19-9 mark at home and a 12-15 record on the road. Middle Tennessee is 13-8 in league games under Rick Stockstill and 6-5 on the road. The 31 league wins equals the most victories in Sun Belt history with North Texas.
- During Rick Stockstill's helm at Middle Tennessee, Manny Diaz' defense has been one of the most disruptive in Blue Raider history. Nothing changed in 2008 as the unit collected 85 tackles for loss and 25 quarterback sacks. The TFL's ranked second on the single-season list while the sacks came in at fifth best. Over the past three years, Diaz' unit owns three of the top five TFL records and three of the top five sack marks. Linebacker Ivon Hickmon led the way with 13.0 tackles for loss to tie for the 10th most in a season while linebacker Lonnie Clemons paced all Blue Raiders with 4.0 sacks.
- Middle Tennessee finished the regular season with two receivers over the 50-catch mark for the first time since 2004. Patrick Honeycutt had 51 catches and Eldred King added 51. The last two to top the 50 mark was Kerry Wright and Chris Henry in 2004 with Wright reeling in 76 and Henry adding 60 receptions.
- With two touchdowns against Louisiana, Phillip Tanner went over the 100 point mark in single-season scoring to become just the third player in school history to reach triple digits. Tanner joins Dwone Hicks, who did it twice, and Kippy Bayless as the only ones to top the 100-point mark in a single-season. Tanner ended the regular season with 102 points to rank fourth on the single-season list.
- Quarterback Joe Craddock enjoyed a solid senior season throwing the football as he set top five single-season marks in passing yards, touchdowns, completions, and attempts. He threw for 2,677 yards to record the second-best mark in school history and set a new Blue Raider record for a senior. Craddock's 15 touchdown passes tied for the fifth most, his 237 completions ranked third and his 367 attempts also finished third. His best stat, however, was his better than 2:1 touchdown to interception ratio (15 TDs, 7 INTs).
- Junior Phillip Tanner, a native of Dallas, Texas, enjoyed the greatest day of any player in Sun Belt Conference history in Middle Tennessee's 52-13 win against North Texas and was named the Walter Camp National Offensive Player of the Week. Tanner set the Sun Belt Conference single-game record for points and touchdowns with six scores in the win. Tanner rushed for five touchdowns and returned a kickoff 92 yards for another. His six touchdowns set the SBC single-game touchdown record and his 36 points also were a single-game conference record. In the process, Tanner also tied the Middle Tennessee single-game touchdown and scoring records. He finished with a career-best 159 rushing yards on just 14 carries. With Middle Tennessee clinging to a 17-13 lead in the second quarter, Tanner (who had scored one TD in the first quarter) ripped off four touchdowns in the second quarter alone, and he added his sixth score on a 92-yard kickoff return to start the second half. Tanner finished with 301 all-purpose yards, which were the third-most in school history, to lead the Blue Raiders to their third straight win and keep the team's hopes of bowl eligibility alive.
- Over the past seven games of 2008, the Middle Tennessee offense was virtually money in the red zone by scoring on 22 of 25 possessions during that span compared to a 7-for-13 effort in the seasons first five games. The Blue Raiders had scored in 14 straight red zone trips but saw the streak come to an end in the second quarter against WKU. The three miscues over the past seven games was an interception at FIU, an interception at WKU, and a fumble at Louisiana. For the year, Middle Tennessee was 29 for 38 in the red zone.
- Alan Gendreau, who struggled early in his rookie season by making

just two of his first five field goals, tied the school record by connecting on his eighth straight field goal in a win against North Texas. The eight straight three-pointers tied Kelly Potter for the longest in Blue Raider history. Gendreau, the third kicker in the FBS era to hit three field goals in a single game when he accomplished the feat against Mississippi St., also scored a career-best 10 points against the Bulldogs and UNT to better his previous high of seven set against FIU. Gendreau ended the year 10 for 14 in the field goal department and his 10 makes were the most by a freshman since Brian Kelly hit 11 in 2000. He was also a perfect 32 for 32 on extra points.

● Junior Desmond Gee, a two-time all-conference selection as an all-purpose performer, became Middle Tennessee's new all-time leader in kickoff return yards during the 2008 season. Gee took over the top spot from Brigham Lyons when he tallied 59 yards in a win over ULM. Gee ended the year with 1,331 career kickoff return yards. Gee is also the all-time leader in number of returns with 67. The Greenville, Fla., native broke the mark of 53 shared by Orlando Crenshaw and Lyons earlier this season.

● Middle Tennessee completed the 2008 season with three receivers collecting 30 or more receptions for the first time since the 2004 season (Kerry Wright, Chris Henry, Cleannord Saintil). Patrick Honeycutt and Eldred King shared the team lead with 51 receptions each, while freshman Malcolm Beyah had 33 grabs. In all, six receivers had 24 or more receptions and all six return in 2009.

● Middle Tennessee came up a yard short on the final play at Kentucky but things equaled out against FAU. Trailing 13-7, the Blue Raiders started their final drive at their own 35-yard line with 1:15 left to play and no timeouts. QB Joe Craddock and freshman receiver Malcolm Beyah teamed to provide the "Murfreesboro Miracle" on a play called "Hope". Craddock took the Blue Raiders 65 yards in six plays by completing 4 of 6 passes and throwing the game-tying pass to Beyah in the right corner of the endzone with no time left. Freshman Alan Gendreau added the deciding extra point. Beyah had two catches on the drive and totaled 59 of the 65 yards. It marked the first time in school history the Blue Raiders had won a game on the final play of regulation.

● In a survey of all FBS schools it was determined Middle Tennessee and Alabama had the fewest scholarship seniors of anyone in the country. The Blue Raiders and Tide both had just nine seniors on their 2008 rosters followed by Central Michigan and Toledo with 10. Among Sun Belt schools, the closest to the Blue Raiders' total of nine was North Texas with 15.

● Under Rick Stockstill, the Blue Raiders have excelled in the always important turnover margin department. In 37 games of the Stockstill era, MT is +21 in turnover margin and finished +3 in 2008. The Blue Raiders ranked 12th nationally in 2007 with a +11 margin while recording a +7 margin in 2006. Over the last 17 games combined, the Blue Raiders are an impressive +16 in turnover margin.

● Sophomore safety Jeremy Kellem, noted for always being around the football, was up to his usual tricks in 2008. On the season, Kellem registered two interceptions, two fumble recoveries, forced three fumbles, and blocked a punt while ranking third on the team in total tackles. For his career, Kellem has been responsible for 15 turnovers in 24 games played (five interceptions, three fumble recoveries, five forced fumbles, and two blocked punt).

● In 21 Sun Belt Conference games under Rick Stockstill, the Blue Raiders have outscored the opposition in the second half, 243-210. In 2006, MT won the second half battle, 101-38, then were outscored in the last two quarters in 2007, 85-54. The Blue Raiders held a slim 88-87 advantage in 2008. When Middle Tennessee outscores its SBC opponent in the second half it carries a mark of 8-0 and have a record of 3-6 when the opponent puts up more points than the Blue Raiders in the final two periods (the three wins were against FIU, twice, and ULM). On the road in SBC play the Blue Raiders have won the second half scoring, 170-132, in 11 games.

SOCCER

● The Blue Raiders placed three players on the postseason All-Sun Belt squads, their most represented since six earned accolades in 2006. Middle Tennessee has had at least one player on the All-Sun Belt First Team in seven of nine years since joining the conference.

● MT garnered its first victory against Mississippi in the series, a 1-0 home win, Sept. 19. The triumph was one of eight shutouts during the season for the Blue Raiders, six of which came during Sun Belt action. The eight shutouts are second in school history for a single season.

● Although the team did not reach double-digit victories for the first time since 2002, the nine triumphs came in an 11-game span. Middle Tennessee outscored its opponents 16-1 during the nine wins.

● Overall on the campaign, the Blue Raiders only surrendered 21 goals, the least in school history. It eclipsed the previous standard by one, set in 2004.

● Sophomore goalkeeper Kela Casiple registered seven shutouts, tying for first in school history. Her 14 blankings during her two seasons with the Blue Raiders rank second among the all-time leaders.

● Junior Sarah Beth Lee became the first player in program history to receive the Sun Belt's Female Sporting Behavior Award.

● Rookie Shan Jones became the first player in program history to earn a spot on the Soccer Buzz Central Region All-Freshman Team. She also was tabbed the Sun Belt Freshman of the Year and collected All-Sun Belt First Team accolades after leading the squad with 11 goals and 24 points.

● Middle Tennessee, as a team, was presented with the National Soccer Coaches Association of America's Team Academic Award for the seventh-straight season. The Blue Raiders have been recognized each year under head coach Aston Rhoden. MT also received the Sun Belt's Team Academic Award for the first time in program history.

● Kela Casiple and Nenita Burgess became the third and fourth players, respectively, in school history to garner CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV honors. Casiple was named to the second team, while Burgess was placed on the third team.

MEN'S BASKETBALL

● Middle Tennessee turned a seven-game winning streak during 2008-09, which tied for the seventh-longest in program history. It matched the longest win streak at Middle Tennessee since 1990-91. The Blue Raiders also won their first five SBC games to match the best conference start in 20 years. Middle Tennessee's 18 wins also provided the program with its sixth winning season in seven years – the best stretch 1985-92.

● Middle Tennessee played host to Tennessee in Nov. 21, 2008, marking the first time the Vols had played a regular season game at Murphy Center. The game was sold out two days prior to tipoff and drew a sellout crowd of 11,802 – the second-largest in Murphy Center history.

● Middle Tennessee forward Desmond "Boogie" Yates established himself among the top players in Blue Raider history during a stellar 2008-09 campaign when he finished among Sun Belt Conference leaders in three statistical categories. Yates earned first-team All-SBC honors for the second straight season after finishing third in the SBC in scoring (17.2 ppg.), fourth in field goal percentage (.579) and 10th in free-throw percentage (.787). Yates' 550 points in 2008-09 are the eighth most in a single season at Middle Tennessee and his 228 field goals made were sixth most for a single season. The forward enters his senior season 11th on the all-time scoring list at Middle Tennessee with 1,410 points, which is 11th on the Blue Raiders' career scoring list. He also is sixth all-time for field goals made (569), seventh for field goal percentage (56.6), eighth for 3-point percentage (39.3) and is tied for 12th all-time with 44 blocks. Yates was named Most Valuable Player of the Basketball Travelers Tip-Off Tournament in Springfield, Mo.

● Senior guard Kevin Kanaskie capped his collegiate career as one of Middle Tennessee's most productive point guards, completing his career ranked first in assists (485), first in starts (105), first in minutes played (4,078), first in games played (124) and second in 3-point field goals made (207). He also finished among the career Top 10 in free-throw percentage, steals and points. Kanaskie's 1,251 points are 13th on the all-time list.

● Middle Tennessee veteran Head Coach Kermit Davis notched career win No. 250 during the 2008-09 season. He enters the 2009-10 season with 255 victories. Davis currently ranks third on the all-time wins list at Middle Tennessee with 188 and he is sixth on the SBC All-Time Coaching Wins List with 61 (total does not include SBC Tournament wins).

● Middle Tennessee held 17 opponents to 65 points or fewer in 2008-09 and it was 11-6 in those games. The Blue Raiders were 9-0 in 2008-09 when holding opponents to less than 40 percent from the field and 7-0 when scoring 80 or more points.

● Center Theryn Hudson will return for his senior season in 2009-10 after taking a redshirt season in 2008-09 following off-season foot surgery. The Blue Raiders also welcome the return of guard Antwaun Boyd in 2009-10. Boyd suffered a season-ending shoulder injury early in the 2008-09 campaign.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

● Head coach Rick Insell tallied his 100th career victory when the Blue Raiders defeated UALR 74-54 to win the Sun Belt Tournament Championship March 10. He is the fourth head coach in program history to reach the century mark, but did so in the fewest games. He attained the mark in 132 career games on the bench, 15 faster than the 147 previously set by Larry Joe Inman. Insell also registered the most wins in program history for a coach in his or her first 100 games with 73 following the season-opening 85-47 triumph over Lafayette in the Preseason WNIT November 15. Three other coaches, including Inman, Lewis Bivens and Stephany Smith won 61 times in their first 100 contests.

● Middle Tennessee set a Sun Belt Conference record for most regular-season league wins in a four-year span with 59 following its 74-54 win at Florida International February 25. The previous mark stood at 57 by Louisiana Tech (1997-98 to 2000-01), while the mark eclipsed the 53 MT had set from 2004-05 to 2007-08.

● The Blue Raiders extended a couple of streaks to six this season: consecutive years of reaching the postseason and attaining at least 20 wins. Among the six postseason appearances, five feature NCAA Tournament berths. The 20 victories were achieved in the second-fewest games in school history, only taking 24 contests, after the 77-49 triumph at Denver February 4.

● Middle Tennessee became the first school in NCAA women's basketball history to have two different players lead the nation in scoring in back-to-back seasons after Amber Holt did it in 2007-08 and Alysha Clark in 2008-09. The Blue Raiders are just the third program overall, joining men's teams Furman (1953-54 and 1954-55) and Loyola Marymount (1988-89 and 1989-90).

● Clark ended the year with 935 points, ranking fifth on the all-time Division I single season list and eclipsing the previous school record of 930 set by Amber Holt in 2007-08. Clark was one of only two players nationally, joining Louisville's Angel McCoughtry, to top the 900-point plateau this season, but McCoughtry's 901 came in five more games than Clark after leading the Cardinals to the national championship game.

● Clark also scored a national-best, school record and Sun Belt Conference-record tying 50 points in the 75-60 victory at Troy February 11. The 50 points are just 10 shy of the all-time NCAA Division I mark of 60 set in 1987. The league record, which she matched, was set in 1993 and the half-century total surpassed the previous school standard by six points.

● Clark posted a Murphy Center record 45 points in the regular-season finale, an 87-61 triumph over Western Kentucky March 1. It broke the previous venue mark set three times by two different players.

● Four players ended the season with at least 100 career 3-pointers made with three earning a spot in the program's top-10 career chart. Among those in the century club are Brandi Brown (t-3rd, 182), Jackie Pickel (7th, 165), Chelsia Lymon (10th, 134) and Anne Marie Lanning (106). They helped the Blue Raiders finish with 296 triples on the season, setting a new program record and eclipsing the previous mark of 277 set in 2006-07.

● Middle Tennessee went undefeated at home in Sun Belt action for the fourth time in the last five seasons with a 9-0 mark. The Blue Raid-

ers league record inside the Murphy Center during that five-year span is 43-1.

● MT ended the season with a player among the nation's top-five leading scorers during 25 of the 26 reporting dates. As a whole under Insell, the Blue Raiders have had a player in the top 10 national leaders for points per game for 71 consecutive NCAA reporting periods, dating back to January 18, 2007. Since Insell took the reigns of the program prior to the 2005-06 campaign, a Middle Tennessee player has been in the top 10 for 86 of a possible 93 reporting dates, with 61 of the 86 in the top five.

● The Blue Raiders owned an 18-game winning streak throughout the campaign, which ranked as the fourth longest nationally at the time it was broken February 21 at Florida Atlantic with a 73-71 loss.

● Middle Tennessee participated in the Preseason WNIT, finishing with a 2-1 record with home victories over Lafayette (85-47) in the season opener November 15 and Indiana (65-59) November 22. The lone loss in the event came at No. 2 Oklahoma November 19, 85-65.

● The Blue Raiders were nationally ranked twice during the season, reaching the No. 25 position in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll.

● Middle Tennessee raised a school-record $18,320 for breast cancer research following the sale of its pink jerseys it wore during the February 15 contest against North Texas, which was designated as the WBCA's PinkZone game. Against the Mean Green, the Blue Raiders scored the second-highest points in school history (113), topped the 100-point plateau for the fourth time under Insell and finished with the sixth-largest single-game margin of victory (55, 113-68). It stands as the largest margin of victory against a Sun Belt Conference opponent since MT joined the league in 2000-01.

● The coaching staff assembled a five-player recruiting class, all hailing from the state of Tennessee, which was ranked as high as No. 27 by ESPN HoopGurlz and No. 38 by Blue Star Basketball's Chris Mennig.

CROSS COUNTRY

● Middle Tennessee's women finished second at the Sun Belt Championship with 74 team points. Junior Zamzam Sangau placed second overall earning All-Sun Belt honors for the second-straight season. Senior Ashley Comstock came in ninth earning her second all-conference award.

● The men's team placed third at the Sun Belt Championships finishing with 110 team points. Sophomores Festus Chemaoi and David Emery placed eighth and ninth, respectively, each to earn All-Sun Belt honors.

● The men's and women's teams placed first overall at the season-opening Agnes Scott Invitational. Both the men's and women's teams had the top four finishing spots in their respective races.

● The men's team won the UTC Invitational (5K) with 43 points. Sophomore William Songock was the top Blue Raider, placing fifth overall in 15:20.

● Zamzam Sangau finished first overall at the UTC Invitational (2M) in 11:07. The women's team placed third overall at the meet with 69 points.

● Zamzam Sangau finished 16th in a time of 21:33.69 at the NCAA Regional Meet (6K) in Maryville, Tenn.

INDOOR TRACK

● The women's team finished in a three-way tie for 30th nationally following the NCAA Championships.

● Sarah Nambawa automatically qualified for the NCAA Championships with a school-record tying 44-8.25 mark in the triple jump at the MT Valentine Invitational. The distance was the second longest in the country entering the NCAAs, where she then became the 86th All-American in school history after placing second in the event.

● Nambawa also broke the 15-year old school record for the long jump with a distance of 20-10 at the MT Valentine Invitational to earn her second NCAA automatic qualifying mark.

● Nambawa was featured in an online podcast March 3 on trackshark.com.

● Zamzam Sangau broke the school record for the 800 meters, lowering the time to 2:11.03 at the Rod McCravy Memorial Meet in Lexington, Ky.

● Festus Chemaoi broke the school record for the 800 with a time of 1:50.27 at the Last Chance Meet in Ames, Iowa, eclipsing the previous time set 32 years ago in 1977, and becoming provisionally qualified for the NCAA Championships in the process.

● Carl Morgan provisionally qualified for the NCAA Championships in the long jump after winning the event at the Sun Belt Championships with a distance of 24-11 and a triple jump mark of 51-2.25 at the MT Christmas Invitational.

● DeRay Sloss garnered an NCAA provisional time of 7.36 in the 55-meter hurdles.

OUTDOOR TRACK

● Sarah Nambawa finished second on the NCAA outdoor descending order list in the triple jump with a distance of 45-9 (13.71m) earned at the NCAA Mideast Regional meet in Louisville, Ky.

● Stanley Gbagbeke finished second on the NCAA outdoor descending order list in the long jump with a leap of 26-3 (8.00m) earned at the NCAA Outdoor Championships.

● Stanley Gbagbeke and Sarah Nambawa earned Outdoor All-American honors at the NCAA Outdoor Championships in Fayetteville, Ark., by both the NCAA and USTFCCCA. Gbagbeke finished second in the nation in the long jump giving the Nigerian native his first All-American honor. Nambawa's honor is the third overall of her career and first outdoor.

● Roscoe Payne was tabbed the Sun Belt Conference Freshman of the Year after winning the 400 meter hurdles in 51.41 and placing second in the 110 meter hurdles in 14.09 during the league meet in Murfreesboro.

● The two teams combined for 14 individual NCAA Mideast Regional qualifying times or marks in the 2009 outdoor season.

● Carl Morgan collected Most Outstanding Male Field Performer accolades at the Sun Belt Championships winning the triple jump with a leap of 52-4.5 (15.96m) and placing third in the long jump with a

distance of 25-0.5 (7.63m).

● Brittany Cox earned eight consecutive NCAA Outdoor Regional qualifying marks in the shot put. The Antioch, Tenn., native reached the NCAA Outdoor Championships after placing fourth at the NCAA Mideast Regional meet.

● Carl Morgan finished first in the triple jump in the Men's Collegiate Division at the Penn Relays with a leap of 50-6.75 (15.41m).

● Festus Chemaoi set Middle Tennessee records in the men's 800 and 5,000 meters with respective times of 1:49.48 and 14:17.79. Chemaoi's 800 time eclipsed Jerry Singleton's 1969 school standard, while his 14:17.79 in the 5,000 topped Ross Dowland's 1981 record.

● William Songock set the Middle Tennessee record in the men's 10,000 meters winning the event in 30:43.11 at the Sun Belt Championships with former record holder Robert Willis on-hand to witness the event. Willis' Blue Raider standard had stood since 1983.

● Zamzam Sangau set Middle Tennessee records in the women's 800, 1,500 and 5,000. Sangau entered the 2009 season holding the both the 1,500 and 5,000 meter records. She broke Rosemary Okafor's 2004 standard in the 800 at the War Eagle Invitational in Auburn, Ala., and lowered her time in the other two events.

● Sarah Nambawa finished sixth at the World University Games in the triple jump and also competed in the long jump.

BASEBALL

● Middle Tennessee won the Sun Belt regular season and tournament titles on its way to posting the best record in school history . . . The Blue Raiders broke the wins record with their victory over ULM in the SBC tournament championship game to earn a spot in the NCAA tournament . . . Middle Tennessee ended the 2009 season 44-18 and 21-8 in Sun Belt play and entered the NCAA Tournament with a No. 25 national ranking.

● The Blue Raiders won both league titles for the first time since joining the Sun Belt in 2001.

● Middle Tennessee earned an automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament after rallying from the loser's bracket to win the SBC tournament and make its first NCAA appearance since 2004. The Blue Raiders were awarded the No. 2 seed in the Louisville Regional - the highest seed in program history.

● Middle Tennessee ended the 2009 season ranked in the Top-25 in 13 NCAA statistical categories ... The Blue Raiders were ranked first in doubles with 164 ... Sophomore Bryce Brentz ranked in the Top-25 in eight categories and was first in batting average, home runs, slugging percentage and total bases ... Seniors Rawley Bishop, Nathan Hines and juniors Kenneth Roberts, Drew Robertson and Coty Woods also made the Top-25 in eight different statistical categories.

● In addition to winning two championships the Blue Raiders rewrote the record books setting a number of team records including at bats, hits, batting average, runs, doubles, home runs, RBI, wins and double plays.

● Senior Rawley Bishop ended his stellar career with six career records to his name . . . Bishop set the career mark in runs, home runs, RBI, total bases, walks, hit by pitch and putouts during his senior campaign . . . Bishop ranks in the Top-10 in seven other career categories.

● Sophomore Bryce Brentz had an unbelievable season batting .465 with 28 home runs and 73 RBI . . . Brentz set six single-season records including batting average, hits, runs, home runs, total bases and slugging percentage on his way to being named Sun Belt Player of the Year . . . Brentz was also named Louisville Slugger First Team All-America and a semifinalist for the Golden Spikes award . . . The Knoxville, Tenn., native also made the 2009 USA Baseball National Team.

● Senior Nathan Hines and junior Coty Woods also made their marks during the 2009 season . . . Hines set the single-season and career mark for doubles and ranks Top-10 in nine categories on his way to second team All-Sun Belt and All-Tournament honors . . . Woods set the single-season record for saves with 15 and tied for first in appearances with 32 as he was named first team All-Sun Belt.

● The Blue Raiders opened their renovated stadium in 2009 and performed very well on the home front posting a 27-4 record which included a shutout win over Vanderbilt, a sweep of 2008 champion ULM and a sweep over 2009 Missouri Valley Champion Missouri State.

● Rawley Bishop, Nathan Hines, and Coty Woods were each selected in the Major League Baseball first-year entry draft. Bishop was taken by the Detroit Tigers in the 19th round while Woods and Hines were selected by the Colorado Rockies in the 33rd and 50th rounds, respectively.

WOMEN'S GOLF

● The Middle Tennessee women's golf team equaled the program's highest finish in the SBC Championships with a third-place showing in the 2009 event. Murfreesboro native Leigh Wilkins tied for ninth individually. Wilkins capped her best season in memorable fashion when she eagled the par-4 No. 18 from 130 yards out for her last college shot. Wilkins shot 3-under 69 in the final round.

● The Blue Raiders had three top 3 finishes and eight in the top 10 during the 2008-09 season.

MEN'S GOLF

● Middle Tennessee earned the Sun Belt Conference's automatic berth into the NCAA Regionals when it won the league championship for the first time, April 22, at the Tradition Course at Cypresswood in Houston, Texas. The Blue Raiders shot 284 in the final round to win the championship by six shots after trailing by 12 shots following the first of three rounds. Four Blue Raiders finished among the Top 12 individually, led by Chas Narramore's fifth-place finish.

● Senior Chas Narramore and sophomore Jason Millard were named All-SBC in 2009. Narramore earned the honor for the third consecutive year to become the only Blue Raider to earn three All-SBC honors. He joins former Blue Raiders Brett Alexander and J.R. Wade as the only three-time all-conference players in program history. Millard earned All-SBC honors for the first time. Second-year Head Coach Whit Turnbow

was named SBC Coach of the Year for the second time in as many years.
● The Middle Tennessee men's golf team earned a berth in the NCAA Central Regional at The Club at Olde Stone (Alvaton, Ky.) in 2009. It marked the first time the Blue Raiders had made back-to-back appearances in a NCAA Division I Men's Golf Regional after playing in the NCAA East Regional in Chattanooga in 2008.
● Senior Chas Narramore completed his career as the only Blue Raider golfer to play in three NCAA Men's Golf Regionals. He became the first Middle Tennessee individual to earn an al-large invite as a sophomore in 2007. He also participated in the East Regional in 2008 and the Central Regional in 2009.
● Middle Tennessee defeated the top three seeds to win the Callaway Match Play Championship in March, 2009. The Blue Raiders earned a spot in the national event based on their finish at the 2008 NCAA National Championship. They topped second-seeded and No. 30-ranked San Diego State in the quarterfinals, beat second-seeded and No. 22-ranked Florida State in the semifinals, and turned back top-seeded and No. 6-ranked Indiana in the championship round. Kent Bulle, Chas Narramore and Craig Smith were undefeated in their three matches. The field included 14 of the nation's Top 50 teams, including four Top 10s.
● Chas Narramore was named Golfweek's National Player of the Week (3/30/09) after helping Middle Tennessee capture the Callaway Collegiate Match Play Championship. Narramore went 3-0, including defeating Indiana's Alex Martin in the championship round to cap his perfect week.

WOMEN'S TENNIS

● Team finished 9-14 and were 6-6 in home matches
● MT posted a 3-3 record in Sun Belt Conference action.
● Freshman Taylor Coffey guided the team throughout the season posting a 12-9 record in dual matches.
● Junior Natalie Araya added assistance as she went 12-9 in dual matches . . . Was 9-3 at the No. 1 position . . . Went 4-2 against Sun Belt opponents.
● In doubles action, senior Marlene Chemin and freshman Taylor Coffey were 8-5 going 5-1 in tournament play.

MEN'S TENNIS

● Team finished 9-16 and winning the Sun Belt Conference Tournament to earn an automatic bid to the NCAA tournament.
● MT defeated nationally ranked teams Denver (66), Minnesota (40), South Alabama (61) and Western Michigan (71).
● Senior Robert McKenzie and sophomore John Peers were named All-Conference by the Sun Belt Conference . . . Also earned the honor as a pair in doubles.
● The Blue Raiders went to the NCAA tournament as a team for the first time since 2006; lost to No. 25 Boise State in the first round.
● Robert McKenzie was invited to the NCAA Individual Championships in singles and doubles with John Peers . . . McKenzie lost to New Mexico's Johnny Parkes in the first round . . . In doubles, McKenzie and Peers defeated Louisville's Austen and Simon Childs in the first round but fell to Austin Krajicek and Connor Pollock of Texas A&M in the round of 16.
● McKenzie and Peers ended the season 10-2 as a pair.
● McKenzie posted a 21-2 record in singles.
● John Peers competed at the World University Games and made the quarterfinals in doubles play.

SOFTBALL

● Senior Martha Davis earned All-Sun Belt Conference Second Team honors, the second of her career, after leading the team in batting average (.296), hits (45), home runs (six), runs batted in (30) and slugging percentage (.467).
● Davis finished her career as the school's all-time leader in runs batted in, second in home runs, third in walks, fourth in extra-base hits and is listed in the top 10 in seven other statistical categories.
● Davis also was recognized as the Female Student-Athlete of the Year by the Student-Athlete Enhancement Center on campus.
● The Blue Raiders defeated No. 23 Purdue, 11-4, February 21 at the War Eagle Classic in Auburn, Ala. MT captured three wins in four games at the tournament, also picking up victories over Winthrop and Austin Peay.
● Middle Tennessee swept a Saturday doubleheader against North Texas April 4 to claim its first Sun Belt series of the campaign. The Blue Raiders also took two of three from Florida Atlantic, winning the bookend games, during the final weekend of April.
● One-half of the team's losses came by three runs or less, including eight one-run defeats. Included in the one-run losses was a game at No. 6 Tennessee March 18.
● Junior Lindsey Vander Lugt led the team in every major pitching category and has a chance to break several school records in 2010. She needs only three appearances to tie the school standard, while also within reach of the career innings pitched mark.
● Vander Lugt completed 21 of the 28 contests in which she started, also recording 75.0 percent of the team's complete games.
Middle Tennessee was recognized for the second-straight season by the Sun Belt for achieving the highest team grade-point average of any school in the conference. The team has now won the award four of the last five seasons.

VOLLEYBALL

● Middle Tennessee ended the 2008 season with a 27-8 record and finished second in the Sun Belt with a 14-3 record. The Blue Raiders earned their first at-large bid to the NCAA Tournament making their third consecutive appearance.
● Two Blue Raiders received AVCA South All-Region honors as senior Ashley Asberry and junior Leslie Clark received the award after leading the team throughout the season. The duo along with sophomore Izabela Kozon also received Sun Belt All-Conference while Asberry was also named to the SBC Championships tournament team.

- Clark and Asberry climbed up the record books in 2008.Clark moved into first on the all-time career assists list after recording 43 assists against Troy. The Olathe, Kan., native now has 4,354 assists and is just the second Blue Raider in history to reach 4,000 assists in a career.
- Asberry recorded seven block assists against South Alabama on Nov. 1 to reach 500 block assists in her career. The Murfreesboro, Tenn., native now has 556 block assists and 599 total blocks which puts her first on the career list for block assists.
- Middle Tennessee had a record six SBC Player of the Week nods this season with junior Ashley Waugh receiving the defensive honor three times. Asberry was awarded the honor in consecutive weeks, once for offense and defense, while Kozon received the offensive honor.
- Middle Tennessee ended the 2008 season playing four straight five set matches. The Blue Raiders posted a 2-2 record during the streak with both losses coming against top-25 opponents. The Blue Raiders were 8-1 in four set matches and 5-5 in five set matches this season.
- The Blue Raiders lost in the second round of the SBC Championships to rival Western Kentucky, who went on to earn the league's automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament. For the first time three schools from the Sun Belt received bids to the tournament but Middle Tennessee was the only one to advance to the second round.
- Asberry and Clark were each named Honorable Mention All-America by the American Volleyball Coaches Association. Just three other Sun Belt players received All-America honors by the organization.

2008-09 INDIVIDUAL HONORS

FOOTBALL

MALCOLM BEYAH: Named to CBSsportsline.com Freshman Watch list on Oct. 6, Named Third Team All-SBC by Phil Steele, Voted to the Rivals.com Sun Belt All-Freshman Team, Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

COLIN BOSS: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

DANNY CARMICHAEL: SBC Defensive Player of the Week on Nov. 10, Named Third Team All-SBC by Phil Steele

JOE CRADDOCK: Named Honorable Mention All-SBC by the coaches and media, SBC Offensive Player of the Week on Sept. 8, Sept. 15, Named a finalist for the ARA Sportsmanship Award, Earned an ESPN Helmet Sticker Award following win over Maryland

DERRICK CRUMPTON: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

DAVID DEFATTA: SBC Special Teams Player of the Week on Sept. 8, Nov. 17

MARK FISHER: Named Third Team All-SBC by Phil Steele

DESMOND GEE: Named Preseason First Team All-SBC,

ALAN GENDREAU: Voted to the Rivals.com Sun Belt All-Freshman Team, Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

IVON HICKMON: Named Second Team All-SBC by Phil Steele, Named Honorable Mention All-SBC by the coaches and media

TREVOR JENKINS: Named Second Team All-SBC by the coaches and media

JEREMY KELLEM: Named Second Team All-SBC by the coaches and media, SBC Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 6

ELDRED KING: Named Second Team All-SBC by Phil Steele

JAMAL LEWIS: Named Second Team All-SBC by Phil Steele

SANCHO MCDONALD: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

BRANDON MCLEROY: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

ALEX SUBER: Named Preseason First Team All-SBC, SBC Defensive Player of the Week on Sept. 8

PHILLIP TANNER: Voted the Walter Camp National Offensive Player of the Week on Nov. 23, Named SBC Offensive Player of the Week on Nov. 14, Voted SBC Special Teams Player of the Week on Nov. 24, Named CoSida/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District

MIKE WILLIAMS: Voted to the Rivals.com Sun Belt All-Freshman Team, Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team

MEN'S GOLF

KENT BULLE: Named SBC Golfer of the Month for February, Named a Cleveland Golf/Srixon All-America Scholar by the GCAA.

JASON MILLARD: Voted First Team All-SBC

CHASE NARRAMORE: Voted First Team All-SBC, Named Golfweek's National Player of the Week on March 30

WHIT TURNBOW: Named SBC Co-Coach of the Year

CROSS-COUNTRY

ZAMZAM SANGAU: Named SBC Runner of the Week on Oct. 7, Oct. 21

SOCCER

FRAN HOWELLS: Named Second Team All-SBC

SHAN JONES: Named SBC Freshman of the Year, Named First Team All-SBC, Voted to Central Region All-Freshman Team by Soccer Buzz

SARAH BETH LEE: Named the Female Sporting Behavior Award winner for the Sun Belt Conference

VANESSA MUEGGLER: Named Second Team All-SBC

JEN THRELKELD: Named Preseason All-SBC

VOLLEYBALL

ASHLEY ASBERRY: Voted First Team All-SBC, Voted AVCA All-South Region, Named to SBC All-Tournament team, Voted Honorable Mention AVCA All-American, Named Preseason First Team All-SBC, SBC Player of the Week on Oct. 27, Nov. 10, Named Honorable Mention Blocker of the Year by College Volleyball Update, Named Second Team CVU Stellar Spiker

LESLIE CLARK: Voted First Team All-SBC, Voted AVCA All-South Region, Named Preseason First Team All-SBC, Voted Honorable Mention AVCA All-American

IZABELA KOZON: Voted Second Team All-SBC, SBC Player of the Week on Oct. 6

ASHLEY WAUGH: SBC Defensive Player of the Week on Sept. 8, Oct. 13, Nov. 17

MEN'S BASKETBALL

DESMOND YATES: Voted First Team All-Sun Belt Conference, SBC Preseason Player of the Year, Named First Team Preseason All-SBC, Named SBC Player of the Week on Dec. 16, Named NABC Division I All-District

KEVIN KANASKIE: Named Second Team Preseason All-SBC

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

BRANDI BROWN: Voted Third Team All-Sun Belt Conference, Named Cosida/ESPN The Magazine Second Team Academic All-District IV, Named the recipient of the SBC Female Postgraduate Scholarship

ALYSHA CLARK: Named CBSsports.com Second Team All-American, Voted Third Team Associated Press All-American, Voted the SBC Player of the Year and Newcomer of the Year, Voted First Team All-Sun Belt Conference, Voted to John R. Wooden Award Midseason Top 20 List, Named Sun Belt Conference Player of the Week on Nov. 25, Dec. 2, Jan. 19, Feb. 2, Feb. 16, March 2, Made Sports Illustrated's Faces in the Crowd in the February 9 issue, Featured in a Feb. 12 ESPN.com national story, Mid-Season Candidate for the 2009 Naismith Trophy, Named a regional finalist for the WBCA State Farm Coaches All-America Team, Voted the

ESPN Player of the Game against Michigan State in the NCAA Tournament, Voted the TSWA Tennessee State Player of the Year
RICK INSELL: Voted the Sun Belt Conference Coach of the Year
CHELSIA LYMON: Voted the Sun Belt Conference Defensive Player of the Year, Voted Third Team All-Sun Belt Conference, Named Second Team Preseason All-SBC

INDOOR TRACK
FESTUS CHEMAOI: Voted the Most Outstanding Male Track Athlete at the SBC Championships, Named the men's Top Meet Scorer at the SBC Championships, Named SBC Track Performer of the Week on Feb. 17
DEAN HAYES: Voted the SBC Indoor Men's Coach of the Year
CARL MORGAN: Voted the Most Outstanding Male Field Athlete at the SBC Championships
SARAH NAMBAWA: Earned All-American honors in the triple jump, Voted the Most Outstanding Female Field Athlete at the SBC Championships, Named SBC Field Performer of the Week on Jan. 13, Feb. 3, Feb. 17
ZAMZAM SANGAU: Named SBC Field Performer of the Week on Feb. 3
DERAY SLOSS: Named SBC Track Performer of the Week on Feb. 3
NYEISHA WRIGHT: Named SBC Track Performer of the Week on Jan. 27

OUTDOOR TRACK
FESTUS CHEMAOI: Named SBC Track Performer of the Week on April 29
STANLEY GBAGBEKE: Earned All-American honors in the long jump after finishing second at the national championships, Named United States Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association All-American
CARL MORGAN: Named the Co-Most Outstanding Men's Field Performer at the SBC Championships, Named SBC Track Field Performer of the Week on April 29
SARAH NAMBAWA: Earned All-American honors in the triple jump after finishing third at the national championships, Named United States Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association All-American, Named the Most Outstanding Women's Field Performer at the SBC Championships
ROSCOE PAYNE: Named the Co-Most Outstanding Men's Freshman at the SBC Championships
ZAMZAM SANGAU: Named the Most Outstanding Women's Track Performer at the SBC Championships, Named the Co-Women's Top Meet Scorer at the SBC Championships, Named SBC Track Performer of the Week on April 7

BASEBALL
BRYCE BRENTZ: (Consensus All-American) ... Named First Team Louisville Slugger All-American, Named First Team Pro-line/NCBWA All-American, Named First Team All-American by the American Baseball Coaches Association, Named First Team All-American by Rivals.com, Voted First Team All Ping! by Ping!baseball.com, Voted the SBC Player of the Year, Named First Team All-SBC by the league coaches, Voted to SBC All-Tournament team, Named to 2009 Brooks Wallace Preseason Player of the Year List, Named a semifinalist for the 2009 Golden Spikes Award, Named the SBC Player of the Week on March 30, April 20, April 27, Selected to 2009 USA National Baseball Team
RAWLEY BISHOP: Named Second Team All-SBC by the league coaches , Voted to SBC All-Tournament team, Named to 2009 Brooks Wallace Preseason Player of the Year List, Named SBC Player of the Week on May 18
CHAD EDWARDS: Named the SBC Player of the Week on April 13
JUSTIN GUIDRY: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman team
NATHAN HINES: Named Second Team All-SBC by the league coaches, Voted to SBC All-Tournament team, Named the SBC Player of the Week on March 16,
KENNETH ROBERTS: Named First Team All-American by the American Baseball Coaches Association, Named First Team All-SBC by the league coaches, Voted the SBC Tournament Most Outstanding Player, Voted to SBC All-Tournament team, Named SBC Pitcher of the Week on May 4, May 18
DREW ROBERTSON: Named Second Team All-SBC by the league coaches
BRETT WILSON: Named to the Daily News Journal All-Sun Belt Freshman honorable mention team
COTY WOODS: Named First Team All-SBC by the league coaches

MEN'S TENNIS
ROBERT MCKENZIE: Voted First Team All-SBC in singles and doubles, Named SBC Player of the Week on April 8
DAVID MCNAMARA: Named SBC Coach of the Year
VICTOR MELO: Named SBC Player of the Week on Feb. 25
JOHN PEERS: Named Most Outstanding Performer at the SBC Championships, Voted First Team All-SBC in singles and doubles, Named SBC Player of the Week on April 1

SOFTBALL
MARTHA DAVIS: Voted Second Team All-SBC, Named to the 2009 War Eagle Classic All-Tournament team,