2016-17 Oklahoma Baptist University Lady Bison Basketball



EXHIBITION

OBU at Arkansas

Thursday, Nov. 3, 7 p.m. Bud Walton Arena Fayetteville, Arkansas

BROADCAST

AUDIO: The game will be carried live and at no cost on OBUBisonLive.com. Todd Miller, the voice of the Bison, will be joined by guest color commentator Casady Fletcher. Pregame starts at 6:45 p.m. The game will not be carried by KGFF, which opted to bring its Shawnee listeners OU football.

COACH COMPARISON





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Casi Bays	Jimmy Dykes
Al	ma Mater
Oklahoma Baptis	t Arkansas
Reco	rd @ School
86-42	30-32
Car	eer Record
86-42	30-32
Record	vs. Opponent
0-0	0-0
Reco	rd vs. Coach
0-0	0-0



Points of Emphasis

I. The Lady Bison have played 24 games against NCAA Division I opponents and have a record of 7-17 in those games. OBU has not played a Division I team since knocking off Oral Roberts, 83-64 in 1993. OBU is 0-1 against current SEC teams, having lost to then-Big 8 Missouri.

II. McKenzie Cooper has 746 career points and Tasha Edge is second among the juniors with 542. Both are on track for 1,000-point careers. Senior Cameerah Graves needs a career-best 336.

III. OBU was picked fourth in the Great American Conference behind Harding, Arkansas Tech and Southwestern Oklahoma State.

2016-17 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
11/3	@Arkansas (Ex.)	7 PM
11/12	@Missouri Southern St.^	5:30 PM
11/13	@Emporia State	4 PM
11/17	@Ouachita Baptist *	5:30 PM
11/19	@Henderson State*	1 PM
11/22	Dallas Christian	5:30 PM
11/26	Rogers State	3 PM
11/28	Manhattan Christian	5:30 PM
12/1	Arkansas Tech*	5:30 PM
12/3	Harding*	1 PM
12/31	Northeastern State	2 PM
1/5	@Southern Arkansas*	5:30 PM
1/7	@Arkansas at Monticello*	1 PM
1/12	Southeastern OSU*	5:30 PM
1/14	East Central*	1 PM
1/16	@Southern Nazarene*	5:30 PM
1/19	@NorthwesternOSU*	5:30 PM
1/21	Southwestern OSU*	1 PM
1/26	Henderson State*	5:30 PM
1/28	Ouachita Baptist*	1 PM
2/2	@Harding*	5:30 PM
2/4	@Arkansas Tech*	1 PM
2/9	@East Central*	5:30 PM
2/11	@Southeastern OSU*	1 PM
2/13	Southern Nazarene*	5:30 PM
2/16	@SouthwesternOSU*	5:30 PM
2/18	Northwestern OSU*	1 PM
2/23	Arkansas at Monticello*	5:30 PM
2/25	Southern Arkansas*	1 PM

^-Neutral court at Emporia State

*-Great American Conference game

LADY BISON NOTEBOOK

SENIOR SET:

The Lady Bison enter their second season in the Great American Conference and third year of transition into the NCAA as a young team. The lone seniors are starting point guard Cameerah Graves and reserve guard (and Lady Bison tennis player) Kathryn Sild.

FRESH FACES:

OBU has six new players - a few of whom might sit this year out as redshirts. To start the season OBU has six freshmen and a transfer on the bench. The transfer is energetic guard Autumn Avina. The freshman half dozen are guards Alexis Mbroh, Raley Farquhar and Kaydee Banks and forwards Carrington Small and Aliyah White.

GUNNERS:

Coach Casi Bays was a three-point marksman in her playing days at OBU and her coaching style leans on a strong perimeter game with mobile post players. Three different Lady Bison attempted 100 or more three-pointers last season, led by returners McKenzie Cooper and Tasha Edge, who knocked down 52 apiece.

BANGERS:

Katy Custer returns from her role as a part-time starter. Custer and Morgan Davenport will try to disrupt the lane defensively and divert defenders' attention from the rest of the offensive attack.

POSSIBILITIES OF THOUSANDS:

McKenzie Cooper has 746 career points and Tasha Edge is second among the juniors with 542. Both are on track for 1,000-point careers. Senior Cameerah Graves needs a career-best 336. With two seasons left, Katy Custer and Lexi Williams are possibilities to join the club as well.

BAYS CHASING CENTURY MARK:

Coach Casi Bays enters the season with 86 wins over four years and should expect to reach the 100-win mark. She would become just the fourth coach - and first woman - to achieve that mark.

UNIVERSITY / ATHLETICS INFO

Shawnee, Oklahoma
2,073
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Dr. Carol Humphrey
Dr. Norris Russell
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Bison, Lady Bison
Green & Gold
NCAA Division II (provisional)
Great American Conference
www.OBUBison.com

TEAM INFORMATION

2015-16 Record	17-16
2015-16 GAC Record	12-10
Starters Returning	5
Starters Lost	2
Lettermen Returning	6
Lettermen Lost	2
Last Postseason Appearance 2016 (NC)	CAA, 3rd)
First Year of Basketball	1977-78
All-Time Record	778-469

FACILITY INFORMATION

Noble Complex
Mabee Arena
2,400
1982
2016

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2016-17 LADY BISON ROSTER

#	Name	CL.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School
3	Alexis Mbroh	Fr.	G	5-5	Piedmont, Okla.	Putnam City North HS
5	Raley Farquhar	Fr.	G	5-6	Broken Arrow, Okla.	Victory Christian
10	Cameerah Graves	Sr.	G	5-7	Edmond, Okla.	Edmond Santa Fe HS
11	Alexa Richards	So.	G	5-6	Durant, Okla.	Durant HS
12	Carrington Small	Fr.	F	5-10	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Putnam City HS
13	Monae Smith	So.	G	5-6	Round Rock, Texas	Cedar Ridge HS
14	Morgan Davenport	Jr.	F	6-1	Shawnee, Okla.	Bethel HS
15	Kathryn Sild	Sr.	G	5-7	Sherman, Texas	Texoma Christian HS
20	McKenzie Cooper	Jr.	G	5-9	Shawnee, Okla.	Shawnee HS
21	Tasha Edge	Jr.	F	6-0	Aurora, Colo.	Grandview HS
22	Katy Custer	Jr.	F	5-11	Dickson, Oklla.	Dickson HS
23	Autumn Avina	So.	G	5-6	Austin, Texas	Tyler JC
25	Lexi Williams	Jr.	G	5-8	Inola, Okla.	Inola HS
32	Kaydee Banks	Fr.	G	5-9	Bristow, Okla.	Bristow HS
33	Aliyah White	Fr.	F	5-11	Anadarko, Okla.	Anadarko HS

Casi Bays, Head Women's Basketball Coach Lindsey Myers, Assistant Coach Arielle Cooper, Graduate Assistant

2016-17 LADY BISON PRONUNCIATION ROSTER

#	Name	CL.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School
3	Alexis Em-Bro	Fr.	G	5-5	Piedmont, Okla.	Putnam City North HS
5	RAY-Lee Far-Kwar	Fr.	G	5-6	Broken Arrow, Okla.	Victory Christian
10	Kam-EER-Ruh Graves	Sr.	G	5-7	Edmond, Okla.	Edmond Santa Fe HS
11	Alexa Richards	So.	G	5-6	Durant, Okla.	Durant HS
12	Carrington Small	Fr.	F	5-10	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Putnam City HS
13	MO-Nay Smith	So.	G	5-6	Round Rock, Texas	Cedar Ridge HS
14	Morgan Davenport	Jr.	F	6-1	Shawnee, Okla.	Bethel HS
15	Kathryn Sild	Sr.	G	5-7	Sherman, Texas	Texoma Christian HS
20	McKenzie Cooper	Jr.	G	5-9	Shawnee, Okla.	Shawnee HS
21	Taw-shuh Edge	Jr.	F	6-0	Aurora, Colo.	Grandview HS
22	Katy Custer	Jr.	F	5-11	Dickson, Oklla.	Dickson HS
23	Autumn Uh-VEE-Nuh	So.	G	5-6	Austin, Texas	Tyler JC
25	Lexi Williams	Jr.	G	5-8	Inola, Okla.	Inola HS
32	Kaydee Banks	Fr.	G	5-9	Bristow, Okla.	Bristow HS
33	Uh-LEE-Uh White	Fr.	F	5-11	Anadarko, Okla.	Anadarko HS

KAY-Cee Bays, Head Women's Basketball Coach Lindsey Myers, Assistant Coach AIR-Ee-Ell Cooper, Graduate Assistant

HEAD COACH CASI BAYS



Casi Bays has been head coach at OBU since 2012 after two seasons as the assistant coach of the team.

In her second season at the helm, Bays was named Sooner Athletic Conference Coach of the Year after leading the Lady Bison to a 28-6 record, finishing second in the SAC regular season with a 17-3 conference record. The Lady Bison won the conference tournament for the first time in program history and returned to the NAIA National Tournament after a three year absence.

The Lady Bison reached the NAIA Quarterfinals under Coach Bays in 2015, finishing with a record of 27-6 overall and 15-3 in the conference.

Her teams have had victories over the eventual NAIA champions in each of OBU's final two NAIA seasons.

Prior to coming to OBU, she was a two-time Coach of the Year at Newcastle High School. Bays coached the OGBCA All-State and the Jim Thorpe All-Star Games in 2010 and the Little All-City All-Star Game in 2009.

Bays has a 99-28 record coaching high school girls, including a season at Bridge Creek High School and four at Newcastle.

As a player at OBU, she was Sooner Athletic Conference Freshman of the Year and a four-time All-Conference selection. She earned second-team NAIA All-America honors as a senior and NAIA All-America honorable mention her junior year. Bays broke the OBU record for three-pointers in a game (10) in her sophomore season and the SAC career three-point record with 378. She ended her career fifth on the OBU all-time scoring list with 1,879 points.

The Oklahoma Baptist alumna holds her master's degree in Athletic Administration from East Central.

Coach Bays is married to Bryan Bays and they have two daughters, Peyton and Kylie Jo.

Coach Bays at OBU

Year	Wins	Losses
2012-13	14	14
2013-14	28	6
2014-15	27	6
2015-16	17	16
2016-17	0	0
OBU Total	86	42

Lady Bison Head Coaches

Seasons	Years	Wins	Losses	%
1977-79	2	10	37	21.28%
1979-84	5	120	52	69.77%
1984-85	1	14	15	48.28%
1985-87	2	33	26	55.93%
1987-89	2	37	27	57.81%
1989-94	5	69	78	46.94%
1994-2000	6	137	61	69.19%
2000-2012	11	272	131	67.49%
2013-present	5th	86	42	67.18%
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ASSISTANT COACH LINDSEY MYERS



Myers became assistant coach at OBU in 2012 after two years as a graduate assistant.

She played college basketball at Nova Southeastern, where she team captain and was a two-year starter with a career-best 20-point game against Valdosta State and led the team in three-point shooting for the season at 34.4 percent. She made the Sunshine State Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll.

Prior to NSU, Myers played in one game at Florida Gulf Coast. She spent two seasons at Kansas City Kansas Community College where she was twice honorable mention All-Conference and team MVP in 2006. She also played in two state finals at Depew High School, where she was All-Region and All-Conference.

Myers holds an associate in arts degree from Kansas City Community College, a bachelor's degree in elementary education from NSU and a master's degree in Athletic Administration from East Central.

She is married to Thomas Myers. The couple has one daughter, Adley Blake.

GRADUATE ASSISTANT ARIELLE COOPER



Arielle Cooper joined the OBU staff as a graduate assistant for the 2016-17 season after completing a two-year career with the Lady Bison.

Cooper was a Second-Team All-Great American Conference selection her senior season - OBU's first year in the GAC.

Cooper previously played at Redlands Community College and was a two-time State champion at Edmond Santa Fe High School.

STAFF INFORMATION

Head Coach	Casi Bays
Alma Mater	. Oklahoma Baptist (2002)
Bays Career Win-Loss	86-42 (5th year)
Bays at OBU	86-42
Assistant Coach	Lindsey Myers
Graduate Assistant	Arielle Cooper
Athletic Trainer	Rachal Howell

Oklahoma Baptist University Basketball Oklahoma Baptist Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 20, 2016) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	17-16	8-5	6-8	3-3
CONFERENCE	12-10	6-5	6-5	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-6	2-0	0-3	3-3

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10	Cameerah Graves	33-31	1119		89-227	.392	29-93		105-144	.729	36	117	153	4.6	108	6	152	87	14	65	312	9.5
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11	Rachel Shadid	18-0	117	6.5	11-33	.333		.231	5-8	.625	1		15	0.8		0	5	6	0	5		
12	Raquel Dudzevich	31-2		13.7		.440	6-17	.353	13-20	.650	45	95	140	4.5	35	0	27	30	10	10	159	5.1
13	Monae Smith	30-0		10.3	27-68	.397	3-9	.333	29-48	.604	21	30	51	1.7	38	0	8	26	3	13	86	2.9
14	Morgan Davenport	7-0	15	2.1	2-6	.333	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	0.7	5	0	1	3	0	0	5	0.7
15	Kathryn Sild	5-0	9	1.8	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
20	McKenzie Cooper	23-21	827		102-280	.364		.339	50-67	.746	14	56	70	3.0	49	0	46	46	3	26	310	13.5
21	Tasha Edge	33-28	972	29.5	113-297	.380	56-160	.350	67-80	.838	67	178	245	7.4	71	1	31	43	11	23	349	10.6
22	Katy Custer	33-5	539	16.3	104-222	.468	22-52	.423	47-65	.723	33	65	98	3.0	67	2	15	45	5	14	277	8.4
25	Lexi Williams	33-11	749	22.7	82-213	.385	18-64	.281	53-61	.869	39	49	88	2.7	81	2	48	45	10	42	235	7.1
32	Vanessa Matlock	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
44	Arielle Cooper	33-31	756	22.9	140-351	.399	10-40	.250	64-107	.598	64	95	159	4.8	119	10	27	44	27	34	354	10.7
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^{* -} Conference game

OBU SINGLE GAME RECORDS

TEAM RECORDS

Most Points Scored 159 vs. Southwest Adventist TX (17) 1995-96 134 vs. Manhattan Christian KS (13) 1996-97 132 vs. Paul Quinn TX (41) 1997-98 125 vs. Dallas Christian (53) 2013-14 vs. Calvary Bible MO (37) 123 1994-95 121 vs. Texas College (32) 1998-99 vs. Dallas Christian (36) 114 2012-13 113 vs. Texas College (46) 1998-99 111 vs. Texas College (37) 1997-98 110 vs. Rhema Bible (36) 1998-99 110 vs. Arkansas Baptist (38) 1999-00 109 vs. Messenger MO (47) 2002-03 108 vs. Phillips (95) 1997-98 108 vs. St. Gregory's (92) 1998-99 vs. Northwood (68) 108 2013-14 107 vs. Oral Roberts (73) 1989-90 107 vs. Calvary Bible MO (39) 1995-96 vs. Bible Baptist MO (33) 106 2010-11 104 vs. North Georgia (78) 1996-97 104 vs. Friends KS (54) 1997-98 104 vs. Trevecca Nazarene TN (72) 1998-99 104 vs. Arkansas Baptist (38) 2001-02 vs. Knoxville TN (42) 104 2003-04 Most Field Goals Made vs. Manhattan Christian KS Nov. 9, 1996 64 Most Field Goals Attempted vs. Southwest Adventist TX (made 64) Nov. 4, 1995 Most Three-Pointers Made vs. Rhema Bible (attempted 35) Dec. 7, 1998 Most Three-Pointers Attempted vs. Northwestern (made 7) Jan. 19, 2012 Most Free Throws Made vs. Phillips (attempted 47) Jan. 17, 1998 Most Free Throws Attempted vs. Langston (made 36) Nov. 10, 1990 Most Rebounds Nov. 10, 1980 66 vs. Science & Arts OK 66 vs. Hillsdale Free Will Baptist Dec. 30, 2004 Most Points Allowed Univ. of Southern California (46) Jan. 7, 1983 Most Points Scored, Both Teams 203 OBU (108) vs. Phillips (95) Jan. 17, 1998 **Most Assists** 35 vs. Manhattan Christian KS Nov. 9, 1996 35 Nov. 3, 2001 vs. Arkansas Baptist Most Steals vs. Manhattan Christian KS Nov. 9, 1996

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Most Points		
Summer Terry vs. Manhattan Christian KS	51	Nov. 9, 1996
Most Field Goals Made		
Summer Terry vs. Manhatton Christian KS	24	Nov. 9, 1996
Most Field Goals Attempted		
Rachel Stark vs. Wayland Baptist	32	Jan. 13, 2001
Most Three-Pointers Made		
Casi Cox vs. Arkansas Baptist	10	Nov. 6, 1999
Most Three-Pointers Attempted		
Casi Cox vs. Arkansas Baptist	22	Nov. 6, 1999
Most Free Throws Made		
Tabetha Eaton vs. Texas Wesleyan	18	Dec. 29, 2005
Most Free Throws Attempted		
Bobbie Mahan vs. Northeastern State	23	Jan. 12, 1989
Most Rebounds		
Janett Vasquez vs. Claflin	21	March 18, 1998
Most Assists		
Carrie Moss vs. St. Gregory's	16	Jan. 14, 1999

#3 ALEXIS MBROH



Height: 5-5 Class: Freshman

Hometown: Piedmont, Okla. High School: Putnam City North Parents: Lino and Dorothy Mbroh

Brothers and Sisters: Keyoni, Alazsa, and

Xzavier

Major: Business Management

Prep Honors: All-State Honorable Mention

Also Recruited By: Henderson State,

Jacksonville State, Colorado State-Pueblo and Mary Hardin-Baylor Why did you select OBU? OBU was the best fit for me I like the small campus setting and I felt like I connected well with the coaches

Volunteerism: Oklahoma Food Bank, YMCA, Make a Wish Foun-

dation, Big Brother Big Sister

#5 RALEY FARQUHAR



Height: 5-6 Class: Freshman

Hometown: Broken Arrow, Okla. High School: Victory Christian School Parents: Jeff & Aimee Farguhar

Brothers and Sisters: Kassidy Farguhar, Caleb Farguhar, Canadee Farguhar

Major: Education

Prep Honors: 2015-16 Pre-Season Vype, 4A All-Vype Team, 2016 Pinnacle Con-

ference First Team All-Conference, 2016 Second Team All-Vype (Small School), 2016 OK Coaches Association 4A All-Star (Large School), 2013 ORU Team Camp 3-PT Champion, 2014 15U All-Star USJN Gateway Challenge (STL), 2014 15U All-Star USJN Premier Invitational (CIN), 2015 17U All-Star USJN Sooner State (OK), 2015 17U All-Star USJN BlueStar Nationals (GA)

Also Recruited By: Maryville, Southwest Baptist, Southwestern College

Why did you select OBU? I have dreamed of going to OBU and playing basketball for the Lady Bison for most of my life. Having parents that attended OBU (and being named after Raley Chapel) I was introduced to the campus and its tradition at a very young age - being here really does feel like home. Getting to know Coach Bays, Coach Myers and the team over the past several months and being able to see the family-atmosphere assured me that OBU was the perfect place for me.

Volunteerism: Victory Kids, Dream Center, Food Bank, John 3:16, Church: First Baptist Hicks Addition North Tulsa Ministry

#10 CAMEERAH GRAVES



Height: 5-7 Class: Senior

Hometown: Edmond, Okla.

Previous School: Edmond Santa Fe HS Names of Parents: Chad and Camilla

Graves

Brothers and Sisters: Camden and Cam-

eron Graves Major: Kinesiology

#11 ALEXA RICHARDS



Height: 5-6 Class: Sophomore Hometown: Durant, Okla.

Previous School: Durant HS Names of Parents: Ray and Rhonda

Richards

Brothers and Sisters: Two sisters: Taylor Richards and Riley Richards

Major: Biology

Prep Honors: Champions of Character, Lion Heart, Honor

Graduate, All-State Alternate

Why did you select OBU? Great basketball program and school that I can grow academically and spiritually. Felt like the perfect school for me.

#12 CARRINGTON SMALL



Height: 5-10 Class: Freshman

Hometown: Oklahoma City, Okla. High School: Putnam City High School Parents: Tiffany Finley and Craig Finley Brothers and Sisters: Courtney Small,

Ouinton Finley, Alecia Finley Major: Athletic training

Also Recruited By: Oklahoma City University, University of Central Oklahoma, South-

ern Arkansas University, University of North Dakota, UT. Arlington, Why did you select OBU? I feel like this is the right place for me to be.

#13 MONAE SMITH



Height: 5-6 Class: Sophomore

Hometown: Round Rock, Texas Previous School: Cedar Ridge HS Names of Parents: Breyana Clay, Louis

Ennis

Prep Honors: Defensive MVP (for team) sophomore, and senior year, Defensive MVP of District senior year, First-Team All District junior and senior year, First-Team All

Academic SO year

Why did you select OBU? OBU felt very "homey" to me. The atmosphere was very inviting. The coaches, and few players I met on my visit also made me feel welcomed. Last but not least, my mom and step-dad fell in love with the school!

#14 MORGAN DAVENPORT



Height: 6-1 Class: Junior

Hometown: Shawnee, Okla. Previous School: Bethel HS

Names of Parents: Robert and LeAnna

Davenport

Brothers and Sisters: Reid Major: News and Information Prep Honors: All Region

Also recruited by: Seminole State

Why did you select OBU? Green and gold go great with my eyes.

#15 KATHRYN SILD



Height: 5-7 Class: Senior

Hometown: Sherman, Texas

Previous School: Texoma Christian HS Names of Parents: John and Renea Brothers and Sisters: Caroline

Major: Exercise Science

Prep Honors: State Champion 2010, 2011, & 2013...TAPPS State Semi-Finalist 2012...
TAPPS Academic All - State 2012 & 2013
Why did you soloct ORU2 I wanted to be

Why did you select OBU? I wanted to be

challenged academically and spiritually. OBU also gave me the opportunity to play sports at a high level.

#20 McKENZIE COOPER



Height: 5-9 Class: Junior

Hometown: Shawnee, Okla. Previous School: Shawnee HS

Names of Parents: Jeff & Leslie Cooper Brothers and Sisters: Sister: Taylor Cooper -played basketball at Texas A&M University. Brother: Austin Cooper plays for the OBU

baseball team.

Major: Pre Allied Health

Sophomore Year: Honorable Mention All-

GAC

Freshman Year: NAIA All-American Honorable Mention, NAIA All-OklahomaSportsNet 1st Team, SAC Freshman of the Year, All-

SAC 2nd Team, SAC Player of the Week

Prep Honors: National Honor Society, FCA and TriHi-Y; Daily Oklahoman Scholar Athlete. McDonald's All American Nominee, Gatorade Player of the Year Finalist, VYPE Magazine Miss Basketball, VYPE Magazine Large East Player of the Year, VYPE Magazine Top 50, Daily Oklahoman Super 5 Second Team, Suburban Conference Player of the Year, OCA All State, OGBCA All State, 2014 & 2013 Daily Oklahoman All State, 2014 & 2013 Tulsa World All State, Daily Oklahoman Player of the Week, 2014 & 2013 Big All City First Team, 2013 Bertha Frank Teague Mid-America Classic MVP, 2012 Class 5A State Champion and All Tournament Team, 2011 Class 3A State Champion and All Tournament Team. Softball Offensive MVP, broke the Shawnee High School batting average record with a (.543) and broke the triples record with(8); Daily Oklahoman Big All City First Team, Player of the Year Runner-Up. Defensive MVP, All District 2nd Team, led team in doubles (13) and RBI's(40), 2011-2012: Class 5A State Golf Qualifier. Also recruited by: Texas Tech, Texas A&M Corpus Christi, UT-Arlington, North Texas, Mercer, Utah State, Missouri State, Harding, & **UCO**

Why did you select OBU? I loved the campus, the coaching staff, and I wanted to stay close to home. I wanted to go somewhere where I felt like I could make an immediate impact on the school, the women's basketball program, and the community.

#21 TASHA EDGE



Height: 6-0 Class: Junior

Hometown: Aurora, Colo.

Previous School: Grandview HS Names of Parents: Mike and Amy Edge Brothers and Sisters: Carlee Edge, Nate

Edge

Major: Elementary Education

Sophomore Year: Great American Confer-

ence Player of the Week, Jan. 11 Freshman Year: J.W. Taylor Award

Prep Honors: All conference all four years, 4 year letterman, All

State, Academic All State

Also recruited by: Westmont, Colorado State, New Mexico, Boston University, Mercer, Black Hills State, Azusa Pacific, Biola,

Colorado Christian, Princeton

Why did you select OBU? OBU is like a home away from home for me. Both my parents went here, I have family near by, and I knew this was the place God was calling me to be at. Not only

that, but the people at OBU are just amazing!

#22 KATY CUSTER



Height: 5-11 Class: Junior

Hometown: Dickson, Okla.

Previous School: Dickson HS

Names of Parents: Aaron and Debby

Custer

Brothers and Sisters: Melissa Custer

Stewart, Jacob Custer

Major: Psychology Pre-Counseling

Prep honors: All-State

Also recruited by: Central Oklahoma,

Southeastern Oklahoma State, Murray State College Why did you select OBU? I felt like this is where God was leading me. The coaching staff and team was very welcoming and I loved the campus.

#23 AUTUMN AVINA



Height: 5-6
Class: Sophomore
Hometown: Austin, Texas
Previous School: Tyler JC
High School: Stony Point

Names of Parents: Cicley Wright Prep honors: Three-time All-District, Dis-

trict assists leader

Why did you select OBU? Great environment and people and because it felt like

home.

#25 LEXI WILLIAMS



Height: 5-8 Class: Junior

Hometown: Inola, Okla. Previous School: Inola HS

Parents: Mark Williams, Lori and Donnie

Martin

Brothers and Sisters: Madison, Chloe,

Maggie, and Bo

Major: Secondary Education

Why did you select OBU? I chose OBU because I felt like it is where God wanted

me and where I would have the best family in my teammates,

coaches, and fellow students.

#32 KAYDEE BANKS



Height: 5-9 Class: Freshman

Hometown: Bristow, Okla. Previous School: Bristow HS

Major: Undecided

Prep Honors: Basketball All-State, Wendy's High School Heisman, Channel 8 Elite Eight nominee, Three-time All-Conference, Conference MVP, Tulsa World 2016 Ms. Outside contest winner, BHS career points record holder at 1,464, Oklahoma Army

National Guard Student-Athlete of the Week.

Recruited by: Several Division II and junior colleges.

Why did you select OBU? "OBU is a great school and not too far

from home. It's perfect for me."

Parents: Dee and Kendra Banks

Church: First Baptist

Volunteerism: Bristow Elementary and Middle School Basketball,

Bristow High School Leadership.

#33 ALIYAH WHITE



Height: 5-11 Class: Freshman

Hometown: Anadarko, Okla.

High School: Anadarko High School **Parents**: Alicia White, Susan Arellano,

Oscar Arellano

Brothers and Sisters: Alyssa White, Kyle White, Aubrey White, Daniel White, Arellana White, Ivyanna Barton, Anyah Barton

Major: Business

Prep Honors: Class 4A state runner up in

basketball for two years, All-Conference Western Region, Warrior classic champions three consecutive years and MVP, Invited to go play in Austria by Down Under Sports , All-Tournament team for class 4A State Tournament, Purcell Tournament champions two years in a row, MVP (career high 46 points), VYPE top 100, VYPE's Academic Athlete of the Month, Led AHS in the most rebounds, steals, blocks, and averaged 18 points a game, Superintendent Honor Roll, member of the State and National Honor Society, Distinguished Scholar, member of Fish Club, Key Club, StuCo, Art Club, Black Heritage, drama and speech, FCA, FCCLA Also Recruited By: Numerous D2 in Oklahoma, Alabama A&M, ORU, and SFA

Why did you select OBU? I selected OBU because it was the best college in Oklahoma to receive the best education and become closer to God, and to continue to play basketball.

POPULAR OPINIONS

Massey Power Rating

- 1. Alaska-Anchorage
- 2. Lubbock Christian
- 3. Emporia State
- 4. Pittsburg State
- 5. Drury
- 6. Missouri Western
- 7. Winona State
- 8. California Baptist
- 9. Ashland
- 10. Fort Hays State
- 11. Grand Valley State
- 12. Lewis
- 13. Michigan Tech
- 14. Sioux Falls
- 15. California-San Diego
- 16. Azusa Pacific
- 17. Arkansas Tech
- 18. West Texas A&M
- 19. Northern State
- 20. Moorhead State

Massey GAC Rating

- 1. Arkansas Tech
- 2. Harding
- 3. Southwestern Oklahoma State
- 4. Southern Arkansas
- 5. Southeastern Oklahoma State
- 6. Oklahoma Baptist
- 7. Henderson State
- 8. East Central
- 9. Arkansas-Monticello
- 10. Ouachita Baptist
- 11. Southern Nazarene
- 12. Northwestern Oklahoma State