# MEN'S BASKETBALL

11 SEC CHAMPIONSHIPS | 26 ALL-AMERICANS | 13 SEC PLAYERS OF THE YEAR | 49 NBA DRAFT PICKS

**ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS** 

9-1, 1-1 SEC

Head Coach: Eric Musselman (San Diego, 1987)

Record at Arkansas: 29-13 (.690) / 2nd year

Career Record: 139-47 (.747) / 6th year

# THE MATCHUP

**#9/#8 TENNESSEE VOLUNTEERS** 

7-1. 1-1 SEC

Head Coach: Rick Barnes (Lenoir-Rhyne, 1977) Record at Tennessee: 112-65 (.633) / 6th year Career Record: 716-379 (.654) / 34th year vs. Arkansas: 6-6

#### GAME 9 | TENNESSEE vs. ARKANSAS - Jan. 6, 2021 | 7:01 p.m. ET | Thompson-Boling Arena (4,191)



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# **PROBABLE STARTERS**

VS

Ten	nessee	9	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	Other
G	25	Santiago Vescovi	6-3	188	So.	Montevideo, Uruguay	9.5	3.6	.439 3FG%
G	12	Victor Bailey Jr.	6-4	179	RS-Jr.	Austin, Texas	13.0	2.5	.475 FG%
G	5	Josiah-Jordan James	6-6	207	So.	Charleston, S.C.	8.0	6.3	2.8 orpg
F	35	Yves Pons	6-6	215	Sr.	Fuveau, France	8.0	5.5	2.0 bpg
F	10	John Fulkerson	6-9	215	RS-Sr.	Kingsport, Tenn.	11.1	6.1	2.3 orpg
Ark	ansas		Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	Other
G	11	Jalen Tate	6-6	175	Grad.	Pickerington, Ohio	9.9	4.1	4.2 apg
G	3	Desi Sills	6-2	200	Jr.	Jonesboro, Ark.	13.3	4.1	2.0 spg
G	4	Davonte Davis	6-3	180	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla.	3.9	2.6	1.0 apg
G	5	Moses Moody	6-6	205	Fr.	Little Rock, Ark.	16.9	6.1	.420 3FG%
F	23	Connor Vanover	7-3	247	RS-So.	Little Rock, Ark.	9.0	7.3	2.3 bpg

• Freshman guard Jaden Springer-

the team's third-leading scorer

(10.6 ppg)-is day-to-day after

injuring his ankle in the first half

The Vols had shot 50 percent or

better in four straight games

before shooting just .318 (21-65)

Overall this season, Tennessee

leads the SEC in six team

statistical categories, including

scoring defense, scoring margin,

field-goal percentage defense,

turnovers per game, turnover

margin and assist/turnover ratio.

Tennessee has won 78 percent of

its games as a ranked team during

• Tennessee (40.8 rpg) has grabbed

• The Vols shot .797 from the foul

line before league play began but

are shooting .620 from the stripe

through the first two SEC games.

at least 45 rebounds in five of its

the Rick Barnes era (62-18).

eight games this season.

Saturday vs. Alabama.

in their loss to Alabama.

LAYUP LINES

# **IRON SHARPENS IRON**

# THE SERIES

- Tennessee leads its all-time series with Arkansas, 22-21, dating to 1936
- · The teams split last season's two meetings, with each squad winning on its home court.
- · Santiago Vescovi had 20 points and eight assists the last time UT played Arkansas in Knoxville.
- Tennessee holds a 13-4 advantage when the series is contested in Knoxville and has won the last two meetings at home.
- Rick Barnes is 1-1 in head-to-head coaching matchups with Eric Musselman.

# A WIN WOULD...

- Prevent Tennessee's first twogame losing streak of the season.
- · Leave Rick Barnes two wins shy of tying Phog Allen and Don Haskins for 20th on the all-time Division I wins list

# **DEFENSE WINS**

- Tennessee leads the NCAA in scoring defense, allowing just 55.0 points per game.
- · According to KenPom, the Vols also lead the NCAA in adjusted defensive efficiency, allowing only 86.4 points per 100 possessions so far this season. College teams average close to 70 possessions per game.
- The Vols are forcing 17.4 turnovers per game while converting those turnovers into 19.4 points per game. Tennessee's turnover margin stands at +6.9 (ninth nationally).
- Tennessee has yet to allow an opposing player to score 20 points this season.
- Reigning SEC Defensive Player of the Year Yves Pons has 89 blocks in his last 39 games.
- Pons has an incredible nine blocks through UT's first two SEC games. He blocked five shots in a 5:15 span during the second half of Saturday's Alabama game.

# **2020-21 SCHEDULE**

RE	CORD	7-1
SEC		1-1
	-CONFERENCE	6-0
HOM		6-1
AWA		1-0
	TRAL	0-0
DATE		E/RESULT
N25	Charlotte (SEC Network)	Cancelec
N27	VCU (ESPN2)	Cancelec
D2	1-vs. #1 Gonzaga (ESPN)	Cancelec
D4	at Notre Dame (ACC Network)	Cancelec
D8	Colorado (SEC Network+)	W, 56-47
D9	UT Martin (SEC Network+)	Cancelec
D12	Cincinnati (SEC Network Alt)	W, 65-56
D15	Appalachian State (SEC Network)	) W, 79-38
D18	Tennessee Tech (SEC Network+)	W, 103-49
D21	Saint Joseph's (SEC Network)	W, 102-66
D23	USC Upstate (SEC Network)	W, 80-60
D30	at #12 Missouri* (SEC Network)	W, 73-53
J2	Alabama* (ESPN2)	L, 71-63
J6	Arkansas* (ESPN2)	7 p.m
J9	at Texas A&M* (ESPN2)	2 p.m
J12	at South Carolina* (ESPN2)	7 p.m
J16	Vanderbilt* (SEC Network)	6 p.m
J19	at Florida (ESPN/ESPN2/ESPNU	
J23	Missouri* (SEC Network)	8:30 p.m
J26	Mississippi State (SEC Network)	
J30	2-Kansas (ESPN)	6 p.m
F2	at Ole Miss* (ESPN/ESPN2/ESPI	NU) 7 p.m
F6	at Kentucky* (ESPN)	8 p.m
F10	Florida* (ESPN2)	7 p.m
F13	at LSU* (ESPN/ESPN2)	2 p.m
F16	South Carolina* (SEC Network)	8:30 p.m
F20	Kentucky* (CBS)	1 p.m
F24	at Vanderbilt* (SEC Network)	9 p.m
F27	at Auburn* (ESPN/ESPN2)	Noor
M3	Georgia* (ESPN2/ESPNU)	7 p.m
M10-14	SEC Tournament (SEC Network)	)

2-SEC/Big 12 Challenge

#### \*SEC Game

All Times Eastern: Opponent Rankings are AP



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# **DEVELOPMENT U**

Sixth-year head coach Rick Barnes has already recruited and developed four Vols who have progressed to the NBA. That includes one fourstar, one three-star and two unranked prospects (per ESPN). Now, this season's Tennessee roster features three *five*-star prospects.

GAME ᠑

# QUICK FACTS

#### **THE BASICS**

Location: Knoxville, Tenn. Founded: 1794 Conference: Southeastern Enrollment: 30,559 Colors: Orange & White Nickname: Volunteers Mascot: Smokey Band: Pride of the Southland University President: Randy Boyd Knoxville Chancellor: Dr. Donde Plowman Faculty Representative: Dr. Donald Bruce Director of Athletics: Phillip Fulmer Athletic Department Phone: 865-974-1220 Ticket Office Phone: 1-800-332-VOLS (8657)

#### **COURT FACTS**

THOMPSON-BOLING ARENA Normal Capacity: 21,678 2020-21 Capacity: approx. 4,000 Record in Arena: 402-136 (.747), 34th season Record on Current Court: 71-18 (.798), 6th season Largest Crowd: 25,610 vs. Kentucky (1/21/89)

# **MEDIA INFORMATION**

#### CREDENTIALS

Outlets interested in obtaining credentials to cover Tennessee basketball home games must apply for credentials via Sports Systems:

www.sportssystems.com/clients/seccredentials/

All credentials for Tennessee home games this season will be issued on a single-game basis, and media seating is extremely limited.

#### **COVERING PRACTICE**

Due to circumstances related to the current COVID-19 pandemic, Tennessee basketball practices are currently closed to the media. Tennessee's 151 Creative and VFL Films staffs aim to provide photos and video footage for media use throughout the season.

#### WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCES

During SEC play, Rick Barnes conducts weekly media press conferences, via Zoom, from the Ray and Lucy Hand Digital Studio. To request the Zoom link for a particular week, please email Tom Satkowiak (tomsid@tennessee.edu).



# TENNESSEE ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	CI.	Hometown (Previous School)
55	E.J. Anosike	F	6-7	245	Grad.	East Orange, N.J. (Sacred Heart University)
12	Victor Bailey Jr.	G	6-4	179	Jr.	Austin, Texas (University of Oregon)
10	John Fulkerson	F	6-9	215	RS-Sr.	Kingsport, Tenn. (The Christ School [N.C.])
0	Davonte Gaines	G	6-7	181	So.	Buffalo, N.Y. (Hargrave Military Academy [Va.])
21^	Kent Gilbert	G	6-1	164	Fr.	Greenville, N.C. (D.H. Conley HS)
5	Josiah-Jordan James	G	6-6	207	So.	Charleston, S.C. (Porter-Gaud School)
30^	Brock Jancek	F	6-8	222	Jr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Knoxville Catholic HS)
45	Keon Johnson	G	6-5	186	Fr.	Shelbyville, Tenn. (The Webb School)
32^	Cole Morris	F	6-9	192	Fr.	Marietta, Ga. (George Walton Comprehensive HS)
13	Olivier Nkamhoua	F	6-8	223	So.	Helsinki, Finland (Bishop Walsh School [Md.])
3	Drew Pember	F	6-10	190	So.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Bearden HS)
33	Uroš Plavšić	F	7-0	262	RS-So.	Ivanjica, Serbia (Arizona State University)
35	Yves Pons	G/F	6-6	215	Sr.	Fuveau, France (INSEP Academy)
11	Jaden Springer	G	6-4	204	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C. (IMG Academy [Fla.])
24^	Isaiah Sulack	G	6-5	170	RS-So.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Bossier Parish [La.] CC)
25	Santiago Vescovi	G	6-3	188	So.	Montevideo, Uruguay (NBA Global Academy)
15	Corey Walker Jr.	F	6-8	219	Fr.	Hastings, Fla. (Hargrave Military Academy [Va.])
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#### STAFF

#### Head Coach: Rick Barnes

Record at Tennessee: 112-65 (6th Year) Overall Record : 716-379 (34th Year) Associate Head Coach: Michael Schwartz Assistant Coach: Desmond Oliver Assistant Coach: Kim English Sports Performance Coach: Garrett Medenwald Athletic Trainer: Chad Newman Director of Player Development/Video Coord.: Bryan Lentz Director of Basketball Operations: Mary-Carter Eggert Volunteer Analysts: Ken McDonald, Luke Schapker Assistant to the Head Coach: IJ. Poole Graduate Managers: Lucas Campbell, Brad Woodson

#### **PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

E.J. Anosike	ann-uh-SICK-ee
Davonte Gaines	duh-VAHN-tay
Brock Jancek	JAN-sik
Garrett Medenwald	MAY-dihn-wald
Olivier Nkamhoua	OH-liv-ee-AY KAHM-wuh
Uroš Plavšić	Ü-rösh PLÄV-chich
Yves Pons	EEV PAHNS
Santiago Vescovi	sahn-tee-AH-go vess-CO-vee

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# BY THE NUMBERS



There are only six active NCAA head coaches who have more career Division I wins to their credit than **Rick Barnes** (716).



Tennessee's wins this season have come by an average of 22.6 points, giving UT the nation's 10th-best scoring margin.



At least one international player has started for the Vols in 143 of the 177 Tennessee games during the Barnes era.

# NOTEWORTHY

## LEAGUE MEDIA PICKS VOLS TO WIN REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPIONSHIP

- In mid-November, a panel of league media picked Tennessee to win the SEC regular-season title.
- The media tabbed John Fulkerson as a first-team preseason All-SEC selection and placed Yves Pons on the second team. Both seniors were among the select group of players who received preseason votes for SEC Player of the Year.
- The league's 14 head coaches picked both Pons and Fulkerson as preseason All-SEC first-teamers.

## ROCKY TOP IS SOUTHPAW CENTRAL

- The Vols have started five lefties in each of their first eight games.
- A survey of all Division I SIDs yielded no other team that has started five southpaws this year.
- While most studies estimate that 10 percent of the population is left-handed, lefties make up nearly half of this Tennessee basketball team. Seven current Vols are "southpaws."
- Tennessee's left-handers include: Victor Bailey Jr., John Fulkerson, Davonte Gaines, Josiah-Jordan James, Cole Morris, Yves Pons and Santiago Vescovi.
- Tennessee has more left-handed players than any other team in the SEC this season, as no other conference team has more than four.

#### ASTOUNDING OFFENSIVE BALANCE

- Only once this season has a Vol scored 20 or more points in a single game, as freshman Jaden Springer had 21 in the win over Tennessee Tech on Dec. 18.
- Tennessee has had six players score in double figures twice this season. And four different Vols have led the team in scoring.
- Three Vols are averaging 10+ points per game, with leading scorer Victor Bailey Jr. averaging just 13.0 ppg (tied for 20th in the SEC).

#### 20 ELUSIVE FOR OPPOSING SCORERS

- Through 1,600 minutes of basketball this season, no Tennessee opponent has managed to score 20 points.
- Only two opposing scorers have scored more than 15 points—Tommy Bruner (USC Upstate) scored 18, and John Petty Jr. (Alabama) scored 17.
- Tennessee's opponents' top scorer this season averages 13.8 ppg.

#### DOMINANT WIN AT MIZZOU HISTORIC

 Tennessee's 20-point win (73-53) at then-12th-ranked Missouri to open SEC play on Dec. 30 stands as UT's largest margin of victory on the road against a top-25 opponent in program history.

#### SPRINGER EFFICIENT, IN CONTROL

- Eight games into his college career, **Jaden Springer** has displayed remarkable poise and efficiency.
- The 2020 McDonald's All-American is shooting .547 (29-53) from the field and .700 (7-10) from 3-point range.
- The true freshman phenom is the team's third-leading scorer at 10.6 ppg while only attempting 6.6 field goals per game.
- Springer is currently listed as day-to-day after suffering an ankle injury during the first half of Saturday's game vs. Alabama.

#### KEON A DEFENSIVE JUGGERNAUT

- Five-star freshman guard **Keon Johnson** is performing like one of the best defenders in the nation early in his career as a Vol.
- He leads UT in charges drawn (4) and floor burns/ diving efforts (5) while ranking second in total steals (10). He also has four blocks.
- From *The Rebound's* Rob Dauster: At 6-foot-5 and 190 pounds, he can guard anyone from point guards to wings. He's incredible on the ball, having shown the ability to just eat up an opposing team's best player multiple times already despite the season being so young. He can flip his hips and beat a driver to a spot. He can jump passing lanes. He never gets screened. He never seems to get tired."

#### JOSIAH CAN DO IT ALL

- After starting his Tennessee career as a point guard, Josiah-Jordan James has steadily expanded into a versatile, almost positionless, plug-and-play marvel.
- The 6-6 sophomore has been starting on the wing this season, but he also has slid into the post for some minutes at the No. 4 spot. When the Vols "go small," James' all-around game enables him to use his size and strength to play effectively in the frontcourt.

STAT	PER GAME	TEAM RANK
Total Rebounds	6.3	1st
Off. Rebounds	2.8	1st
Steals	1.8	1st
Assists	2.8	2nd
Blocks	1.0	2nd
3-Point FG%	.368	3rd
Points	8.0	7th

#### BAILEY MADE MOST OF YEAR OFF

- After transferring from Oregon in the summer of 2019, guard Victor Bailey Jr. sat out last season and now has two years of eligibility remaining.
- Bailey started each of the Vols' first eight games and is the team's leading scorer with 13.0 points per game. His 80 field-goal attempts are the most on the team.
- Bailey played in 73 games in his two years at Oregon, including eight starts, and averaged 7.0 points in 17.9 minutes per game. As a sophomore in 2018-19, he scored in double figures 13 times and dropped a season-high 20 points on UCLA.
- Residents of Austin, Texas, the Bailey family is very familiar with **Rick Barnes**. Bailey's mother, 1996 Olympic bronze medalist **Tonja Buford-Bailey**, was an assistant track coach at the University of Texas while Barnes was leading the Longhorns' hoops program.
- Bailey Jr.'s father, Victor Bailey Sr., was a second-round NFL Draft pick out of Missouri in 1993 (wide receiver).

#### BAMA GOT HOT FROM 3-POINT RANGE IN TENNESSEE'S LONE LOSS

- Alabama used a scorching 3-point shooting performance to hand Tennessee its lone loss of the season on Jan. 2.
- The Tide were 8-for-11 from 3-point range in the second half of that game. Bama's 40-point second half stands as the highest-scoring half for a Tennessee opponent all season.
- Alabama finished that game 10-for-20 from deep.



# **SPECIALTY STAT TRACKER**

Opponent	Off TOs	Paint	2nd Chanc	e FB	Bench
Charlotte	C	Cancele	d		
VCU	C	ancele	d		
vs. #1 Gonzaga	C	Cancele	d		
at Notre Dame	C	Cancele	d		
UT Martin	0	Cancele	d		
Colorado	16	20	10	11	16
Cincinnati	14	22	8	4	20
App. State	19	46	19	10	31
Tennessee Tech	25	62	18	18	50
Saint Joseph's	27	30	21	7	38
USC Upstate	17	38	5	13	27
<u>at #12 Missouri</u>	24	28	12	18	23
Alabama	11	28	13	0	19
Arkansas					
at Texas A&M					
at S. Carolina					
Vanderbilt					
at Florida					
Missouri					
Mississippi St.					
Kansas					
at Ole Miss					
at Kentucky					
Florida					
at LSU					
South Carolina					
Kentucky					
at Vanderbilt					
<u>at Auburn</u>					
Georgia					
SEC Tournament	:				
Total +/-	+80	+92	+58	+11	+82
Season Highs	25	62	21	18 (2x)	

# **FAST BREAK**

The Volunteers under head coach **Rick Barnes** are 5-1 at home against bitter rival Kentucky, defeating the Wildcats in Thompson-Boling Arena in 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019.

# THE OPPONENT

#### NOTING THE RAZORBACKS



#### STAT LEADERS

G-GS	Pts.	PPG
10-10	169	16.9
10-0	154	15.4
G-GS	Rebs.	RPG
10-9	73	7.3
10-10	61	6.1
G-GS	Asts.	APG
10-10	42	4.2
10-0	25	2.5
G-GS	Blks.	BPG
10-9	23	2.3
10-10	7	0.7
G-GS	Stls.	SPG
10-10	20	2.0
10-10	14	1.4
	IO-10           10-0           G-GS           10-9           10-10           G-GS           10-10           G-GS           10-10           G-GS           10-10           G-GS           10-9           10-10           G-GS           10-9           10-10	IO-IO         IG9           10-0         154           G-GS         Rebs.           10-9         73           10-10         61           G-GS         Asts.           10-10         42           10-0         25           G-GS         Biks.           10-9         23           10-10         7           G-GS         Stis.           10-10         7

#### **ABOUT ARKANSAS**

- Second-year head coach Eric Musselman has just two scholarship players from his first season at Arkansas who returned for this 2020-21 campaign. Despite the high amount of turnover, the Razorbacks are 9-1 overall and 1-1 in SEC play to begin the season. Arkansas most recently fell at home to #12 Missouri on Saturday afternoon (81-68) for its lone loss of the year.
- Arkansas has been prolific on the offensive end, averaging just less than 90 points per game, with six players averaging at least 9.0 points per game.
- On the floor, the do-it-all guy for the Razorbacks has been freshman Moses Moody. He leads the team and ranks sixth in SEC in scoring with 16.9 points per game. He also ranks second on the squad in rebounding (6.1 rpg), blocks (0.7 bpg) and steals (1.4 spg) through 10 games. Moody's 6.1 rebounds per game also ranks in the top 20 in SEC (18th).
- Leading the frontcourt has been sophomore Connor Vanover. Vanover has averaged a productive 9.0 points per game and has been a beast on the glass, averaging a team-best 7.3 boards per contest. His rebounding average ranks ninth in the SEC. On the defensive end, Vanover leads Arkansas and is second in the SEC in blocks, rejecting 2.3 shots per game.
- Off the bench, the Razorbacks have seen consistent production from junior guard, JD Notae. Notae ranks second on the team in both scoring (15.4 ppg, seventh in the SEC) and assists (2.5 apg), while ranking fifth in minutes with 23.3 per contest, despite not recording a single start.
- The University of Arkansas is known for its *Senior Walk*, an area of more than four miles of sidewalk etched with the name of every UA graduate since 1871.

#### LAST MEETING WITH ARKANSAS

- 37 points from Arkansas guard Mason Jones led Arkansas past Tennessee, 86-69, on Feb. 26, 2020, at Bud Walton Arena.
- For the third consecutive game, senior **Jordan Bowden** led UT in scoring, pouring in 19 points on 7-of-16 shooting, while knocking down four 3-point baskets.
- Vols junior Yves Pons finished just short of a doubledouble, posting 12 points and a team-high nine rebounds. He also added a block to extend his streak of consecutive games with at least one block to 28.
- The Razorbacks controlled the game's opening six minutes, running out of the gates to the tune of a 16-3 run, led by 11 points from Jones.
- Just past the midpoint of the opening half, the Vols cut into the Arkansas advantage, using an 8-0 run over a period of 4:25 to bring the deficit to 24-17.
- In the half's final seven minutes, the Razorbacks regained control, increasing their lead to as many as 16 points, taking a 40-27 lead into the halftime break.
- Out of the locker room, Arkansas opened the half with a layup from Adrio Bailey, before UT broke off an 11-0 run and managed to cut its deficit to two points, 45-43.
- The Razorbacks responded to the Vols' run, stretching their lead back to double digits and never leading by fewer than nine points over the contest's final 12 minutes.

#### MEMORABLE VOL PERFORMANCES AGAINST ARKANSAS

- Bristol, Tennessee, native **Bobby Hogsett** scored eight points and added 10 rebounds as Tennessee won its first-ever game against Arkansas, 77-57, on Dec. 27, 1963, in Shreveport, Louisiana.
- In front of 21,237 orange-clad fans, UT knocked off Nolan Richardson's fifth-ranked Razorbacks, 83-81, in Knoxville on Feb. 5, 1992. Lang Wiseman and Allan Houston both scored 26 points.
- The Vols upset No. 13 Arkansas in Fayetteville, 101-91, on Feb. 16, 1993, thanks to a double-double by LaMarcus Golden (22 points, 11 rebounds).
- Cleveland, Tennessee, native **JaJuan Smith** dropped 32 points on the Hogs during a 93-71 win over Arkansas in Knoxville on Feb. 5, 2008.
- Jordan McRae powered Tennessee to an 81-74 win over Arkansas on Jan. 22, 2014, exploding for 34 points—including UT's final 13—at Thompson-Boling Arena.

#### MUSSELMAN'S SEASON AT LSU SAW TIGERS SPLIT WITH THE VOLS

- Arkansas head coach Eric Musselman was an assistant coach on Johnny Jones' staff at LSU during the 2014-15 season.
- The Vols and Tigers met twice that year. LSU defeated UT, 73-55, in Knoxville. Less than three weeks later, Tennessee went to Baton Rouge and managed a 78-63 road win.
- Top performers on that LSU squad were forwards Jarell Martin and Jordan Mickey.
- **Donnie Tyndall** was Tennessee's head coach in 2014-15, and **Rick Barnes** was hired shortly after the conclusion of that season.

# 2020-21 HONORS



#### John Fulkerson

Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame • Karl Malone Award Watch List

- John R. Wooden Award
- Wooden Award Preseason Top 50 Watch List SEC Preseason Voting
- First-team All-SEC (coaches)
- First-team All-SEC (media)
- CBSsports.com Top 100 Players in College Basketball
- No. 28 Player in the Country



#### Yves Pons

- Atlanta Tipoff Club • Naismith Trophy College Player of the Year Watch List
- John R. Wooden Award • Wooden Award Preseason Top 50 Watch List
- Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame
   Julius Erving Award Watch List
- SEC Preseason Voting
- First-team All-SEC (coaches)
- Second-team All-SEC (media)
- CBSsports.com Top 100 Players in College Basketball
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#### Jaden Springer

• SEC Freshman of the Week (Dec. 21)

# Jobo averages a teambest 2.75 offensive rebounds per game.

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#### 263 WEEKS IN THE TOP 25 RANKINGS

• During his 34 seasons as a head coach, **Rick Barnes** has guided his teams to a total of 263 weeks in the Associated Press Top 25 rankings. That includes 122 total weeks in the top 10.

SCHOOL	WEEKS IN TOP 25	WEEKS IN TOP 10
George Mason	0	0
Providence	2	0
Clemson	34	14
Texas	180	84
Tennessee	47	24
TOTAL	263	122

#### TENNESSEE HAS BEEN A MAINSTAY IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

- Tennessee has made 47 appearances in the Associated Press Top 25 Poll during the Rick Barnes era. The Vols are listed at No. 9 this week.
- In 2018-19, for the first time in program history, the Volunteers spent the entire season—20 polls—in the AP top 10. Tennessee spent four straight weeks at No. 1.

#### BARNES CARRYING TOP-10 TORCH

 Four Tennessee head coaches have led the Volunteers to 20 or more appearances in the Associated Press top 10. Rick Barnes has already led the program to more top-10 appearances than all but two of them.

HEAD COACH	WEEKS IN AP TOP 10	YEARS AT UT
Ray Mears	35	15
Bruce Pearl	28	6
Rick Barnes	24	5+
Jerry Green	20	4

# NATIONAL POLLS

# **ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL**

#### Updated: Jan. 4

Rank	School	Record	Points
1	Gonzaga (63)	10-0	1599
2	Baylor (1)	9-0	1537
3	Villanova	8-1	1453
4	Texas	8-1	1415
4 5 6	lowa	9-2	1298
6	Kansas	8-2	1224
7	Creighton	8-2	1140
8	Wisconsin	9-2	1085
9	Tennessee	7-1	1076
10	Michigan	9-0	1039
11	Houston	8-1	977
12	Illinois	8-3	878
13	Missouri	7-1	747
14	West Virginia	8-3	706
15	Rutgers	7-2	703
16	Minnesota	10-2	559
17	Oregon	8-1	545
18	Texas Tech	8-3	445
T-19	Virginia Tech	8-1	411
T-19	Clemson	8-1	411
21	Duke	3-2	280
22	Virginia	5-2	258
T-23	Saint Louis	7-1	133
T-23	Michigan State	7-3	133
25	Florida State	5-2	120

Receiving Votes: Florida 110, Louisville 103, Ohio State 96, Northwestern 86, Oklahoma State 68, Arizona 25, Colorado 19, BYU 18, Drake 17, NC State 16, Oklahoma 15, Arkansas 14, Seton Hall 11, UCLA 6, Xavier 5, San Diego State 4, UConn 4, LSU 3, Boise State 3, Indiana 2, Alabama 2, Syracuse 1.

Dropped from Rankings: Northwestern 19, Ohio State 25

#### ELITE REBOUNDER ANOSIKE BOLSTERS VOLS' FRONTCOURT

- Graduate transfer E.J. Anosike enrolled at UT this summer after scoring 1,098 points in his three previous years at Sacred Heart University.
- The younger brother of former Lady Vols national champion forward/center and 2008 NCAA Woman of the Year Nicky Anosike, E.J. started 65 straight games the last two seasons.
- Last season at Sacred Heart, Anosike ranked among the top 20 in all of Division I in offensive rebounds per game (4.18, fourth), total rebounds per game (11.6 rpg, sixth), double-doubles (18, seventh) and defensive rebounds per game (7.42, 19th).
- Anosike is 219 rebounds shy of 1,000 for his career.

# BACK IN URUGUAY, THE PANDEMIC DIDN'T SLOW VESCOVI

- Santiago Vescovi flew home to Uruguay immediately after last season was halted and remained there until returning to Tennessee at the end of July.
- While his UT teammates who returned to campus in June were limited to physically distanced shooting drills, he was able to play high-level 5-on-5 games in his hometown of Montevideo, where the pandemic's impact was minimal.
- **Rick Barnes** has stated multiple times that Vescovi is now in the best shape of his collegiate career.

## VESCOVI CLUTCH AT THE

#### FREE-THROW LINE IN CRUNCH TIME

- Sophomore guard Santiago Vescovi has proven to deliver at the free-throw line in crunch time for the Vols.
- For his career, Vescovi is 23 of 24 from the foul line in the final four minutes of regulation and all of overtime. That's a near-automatic percentage of .958.
- Vescovi has yet to miss at the stripe this season, with four of his 10 attempts coming in the final four minutes of regulation.

#### TENNESSEE ADDS NATION'S FOURTH-RANKED SIGNING CLASS

- Tennessee's crop of newcomers is arguably the most prolific in program history.
- UT's Class of 2020 was rated No. 4 nationally by Rivals and No. 5 nationally by 247sports and ESPN.
- The class is highlighted by guards Keon Johnson (Rivals No. 16, 247Sports No. 22, ESPN No. 26) and Jaden Springer (Rivals No. 15, 247Sports No. 16, ESPN No. 16) and forward Corey Walker Jr. (Rivals No. 57, 247Sports No. 57, ESPN No. 73).
- The incoming crop was bolstered last summer, when veteran forward E.J. Anosike—a 1,000-point scorer and one of the top rebounders in Division I—joined the Vols as a grad transfer from Sacred Heart University.

#### WALKER WORKING BACK FROM INJURY

- True freshman forward Corey Walker Jr.—a top-100, four-star prospect—suffered a toe injury in November and was cleared to return to full activity days before the Vols opened SEC play.
- Walker has yet to see action this season.

# **USA TODAY COACHES' POLL**

Updat	ted: Jan. 4		
Rank	School	Record	Points
1	Gonzaga (29)	10-0	797
2 3 4	Baylor (3)	9-0	771
3	Villanova	8-1	726
4	Texas	8-1	694
5 6 7	Creighton	8-2	587
6	Kansas	8-2	583
	lowa	9-2	575
8	Tennessee	7-1	541
9	Michigan	9-0	529
10	Wisconsin	9-2	524
11	Houston	8-1	464
12	Illinois	8-3	435
13	Missouri	7-1	387
14	Rutgers	7-2	351
15	Oregon	8-1	320
16	West Virginia	8-3	314
17	Minnesota	10-2	289
18	Clemson	8-1	235
19	Texas Tech	8-3	197
20	Virginia Tech	8-1	151
21	Virginia	5-2	108
22	Florida State	5-2	104
23	Saint Louis	7-1	87
24	Duke	3-2	85
25	Louisville	7-1	69

Receiving Votes: Northwestern 64, Florida 62, Michigan State 59, Ohio State 58, Oklahoma State 50, UCLA 42, Drake 30, San Diego State 22, Arkansas 13, NC State 11, Boise State 11, Colorado 11, Xavier 10, UConn 10, Seton Hall 6, Saint Mary's 5, Oklahoma 3, Alabama 2, Tulsa 2, Colorado State 2, USC 2, SMU 1, Loyola Chicago 1 Dropped from Rankings: Michigan State 18, Ohio State 20, Xavier 20, Northwestern 22, San Diego State 23

# **TRACKING TENNESSEE**

	AP	Coaches
Pre	12	14
11/30	13	N/A
12/7	12	16
12/14	10	10
12/21	8	8
12/28	7	6
1/4	9	8
1/11	-	-
1/18	-	-
1/25	-	-
2/1	-	-
2/8	-	-
2/15	-	-
2/22	-	-
3/1	-	-
3/8 Final	-	-
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# Ratings Tracker(through Jan. 3)ESPN.com BPI5KenPom.com8

NCAA NET Rankings	3
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Tennessee's "Best" NET Wins: 10 Missouri, 14 Colorado

# 2020=21 SEC STANDINGS (through Jan. 4)

	SEC	Pct.	н	Α	ALL	Pct.	н	Α	Ν	Postseason
Alabama	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	7-3	.700	4-1	1-0	2-2	W3
Florida	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	5-1	.833	2-0	1-1	2-0	W2
Kentucky	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	2-6	.250	1-2	1-1	0-3	W1
Arkansas	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	9-1	.900	8-1	1-0	0-0	L1
LSU	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1	6-2	.750	4-0	0-2	1-0	L1
Mississippi State	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	6-4	.600	5-1	1-0	0-3	L1
Missouri	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	7-1	.875	4-1	2-0	1-0	W1
Tennessee	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	7-1	.875	6-1	1-0	0-0	L1
South Carolina	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-2	.500	1-0	0-1	1-1	W1
Auburn	0-2	.000	0-1	0-1	6-4	.600	4-1	0-2	2-1	L2
Georgia	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	7-1	.875	7-1	0-0	0-0	L1
Ole Miss	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	5-3	.625	4-1	1-2	0-0	L2
Texas A&M	1-1	.000	1-0	0-1	6-2	.750	6-0	0-1	0-1	W1
Vanderbilt	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	4-3	.571	4-2	0-1	0-0	L1

# Barnes' Vols have 13 wins over ranked opponents.

# **TEAM NOTES**

#### DIPLOMA CULTURE

- · John Fulkerson is playing his entire senior season as a college graduate, as he earned his degree in Recreation and Sport Management in May of 2020.
- While Tennessee's basketball skill development has made headlines nationally since Rick Barnes took over as the Vols' head coach prior to the 2015-16 season, early graduation has been equally as impressive during that span.
- During the Barnes era, the following Vols completed their degree requirements before the end of their senior season: Fulkerson, Kyle Alexander (now in the NBA), Jacob Fleschman, Jalen Johnson, Lamonté Turner and Grant Williams (now in the NBA).

#### EIGHT EARN VOLSCHOLAR STATUS

- Eight members of Tennessee's roster are wearing the VOLScholar patch on their jersey this semester: Victor Bailey Jr., John Fulkerson, Davonte Gaines, Brock Jancek, Drew Pember, Yves Pons, Uroš Plavšic and Santiago Vescovi.
- To be eligible for the patch. Tennessee student-athletes must achieve a 3.0 GPA in either of the two previous semesters, or they must own a cumulative 3.0 GPA.

#### **WIN**DICATORS

- Tennessee under **Rick Barnes** is 55-6 when holding its opponent below a .390 field-goal percentage.
- Tennessee under Rick Barnes is 49-3 when it takes a double-digit lead into halftime.
- The Vols are 8-2 during Josiah-Jordan James career when he records five or more assists.

# **GREAT GENES**

- · Several current Vols are blessed with athletic genes from their parents.
- Victor Bailev Jr.'s father was an NFL wide receiver, and his mother, Tonja Buford-Bailey, is an Olympic-medalwinning hurdler
- · Josiah-Jordan James' father, Kurt James, was a college teammate of Magic Johnson at Michigan State.
- · Keon Johnson's mother. Conswella Johnson (then Conswella Sparrow) was a two-time All-SEC basketball player at Auburn.
- · Jaden Springer's father, Gary Springer, starred at Iona before he was selected by the 76ers in the 1984 NBA Draft
- · Drew Pember's parents both were student-athletes at nearby Carson-Newman University. His mother, Allison, played volleyball for the Eagles, while his father, Donny Pember, played basketball.

### SEASONS OF LIFE

· Wouldn't it be kinda dope if Jaden Springer married a girl named Summer?

# **ESP** 2020 Basketball Recruiting Class Rankings

- 1. Kentucky
- 2. Duke
- 3. North Carolina
- 4. TENNESSEE



## COMMENTS THAT TELL A STORY

"This is the most versatile team we've had since I've been here. A lot of that is because of our depth. If guys don't do that part of their job, they won't be on the court."

- Head coach Rick Barnes

"We don't shy away from telling our players we want to play for championships. This is what we want to do. We want to be in the fight every year." - Head coach Rick Barnes

"I've seen what I could call two great defensive teams in my career. The Texas Tech team that made national championship game two years ago, and potentially this (Tennessee) team."

- Cincinnati head coach John Brannen

"He has a knack to rebound the basketball, and on the defensive side where that can really help us is if he rebounds the ball, he can lead the break, because Santiago or any one of our guards can run the wings. Whether he's at the two, the three, the four, or the point guard spot, if he rebounds and he can lead the break, that puts us in a really good position with our transition offense."

#### - Associate head coach Mike Schwartz (on Josiah-Jordan James)

"He's got that 'it' factor talent-wise. He's much more skilled than a lot of people realize. He's way more than just an athlete.'

#### - Associate head coach Mike Schwartz (on Keon Johnson)

"Pons is the best all-around defensive player in all of college basketball, and I don't say that lightly. I know the weight behind it, and I fully believe that statement. I think that people drastically overuse the phrase 'he can guard all five positions,' but Yves Pons can quite literally guard all five positions, especially at the college level. Combine that with the fact that he can make a face-up three and that he is just a great kid with an impressive work ethic, and that's why I thought he should have been a top-40 pick in this year's draft.

- Rob Dauster, The Rebound

#### ROSTER BREAKDOWN

- The Vols' 2020-21 roster features 17 players (13 scholarship student-athletes) representing eight states as well as Finland, France, Serbia and Uruguay.
- There are five Vols who hail from the state of Tennessee, two from North Carolina and one each from Florida, Georgia, New Jersey, New York, South Carolina and Texas.
- UT has three seniors, two juniors, seven sophomores and five freshmen.
- Six Vols stand 6-5 or shorter, and 11 players are 6-6 or taller.

#### THREE WE'LL MISS

- Last season was a farewell tour for three Vols who were <u>key</u> to establishing the culture of the Tennessee basketball program under **Rick Barnes**.
- Guards Lamonté Turner and Jordan Bowden both were 1,000-point scorers and impactful two-way players. Bowden has been invited to attend training camp with the NBA's Brooklyn Nets.
- Veteran wing **Jalen Johnson** provided important depth for three seasons before earning his degree and transitioning to Wake Forest as a grad transfer.

#### VOLS' DEPTH A WEAPON

- The stars have aligned for the Vols, as **Rick Barnes'** boasts the deepest roster of his Tennessee tenure during a pandemic year in which COVID-19 could sideline players at any time.
- Eight Vols average at least 13 minutes per game, and no player averages more than 27.5 minutes.
- At least eight different Vols have scored in every game this season, and 11 scored against App State (Dec. 15).
- Sophomore point guard **Santiago Vescovi** on Dec. 8: "It feels really different with the depth we have in the team right now (compared to last year), knowing that you can go 100 percent every possession on offense or defense and know that the guy coming in will give their all and play at a high level."

#### VOLS COLLECTING

#### "OF THE YEAR" HARDWARE

- Over the last three seasons, the Tennessee basketball program has collected six major "of the year" awards at the national or SEC level.
- Head coach Rick Barnes was the 2018 SEC Coach of the Year and the 2018 Naismith National Coach of the Year.
- Consensus All-American forward **Grant Williams** won back-to-back SEC Player of the Year awards in 2018 and 2019.
- Guard Lamonté Turner was named SEC Co-Sixth Man of the Year as a sophomore in 2018.
- And most recently, Yves Pons earned the SEC Defensive Player of the Year award in 2020.
- Pons and John Fulkerson were both among players who received preseason media votes for 2021 SEC Player of the Year.

#### WILLIAMS' WORDS PROPHETIC

- Before he developed from a three-star prospect to a two-time SEC Player of the Year, consensus first-team All-American and first-round NBA Draft pick after just three seasons at Tennessee—and don't forget, he also graduated—Grant Williams had this to say while he was still a high school senior...
- "We're not coming in just to be that foundation. We're coming in to start something and create something that's going to last forever... We want to be that huge burst that comes to Tennessee. I think we're national championship contenders in a few years."
- As a rookie with the Boston Celtics last season, Williams played meaningful playoff minutes into the Eastern Conference finals.

# CHANDLER, MASHACK

#### SET TO JOIN VOLS NEXT SEASON

- Five-star point guard Kennedy Chandler and top-50 wing Jahmai Mashack signed with Tennessee in November and will join the Vols as freshmen next year.
- The top-ranked point guard in the Class of 2021 and the No. 12-rated player in the nation according to ESPN, Chandler is on the Atlanta Tipoff Club's watch list for the Naismith Trophy national high school player of the year.
- Mashack is a 6-5 wing from Fontana, California. Basketball recruiting analysts have described him as a physical wing with ideal toughness and physicality and one of the top defenders in his class.

#### **RIVALRY RECHARGED**

- Since Rick Barnes' arrival on Rocky Top, the border rivalry with the Kentucky Wildcats has been recharged in a major way.
- Barnes has led the Volunteers to a 7-5 overall record against the Wildcats, including at least one win in each of the last five seasons.
- Since current UK head coach John Calipari has led the program in Lexington, Tennessee is the only program to have logged wins over Kentucky for five consecutive seasons. Tennessee is the first program to defeat Kentucky at least once for five straight seasons since Florida and North Carolina both did so from 2005-09.
- Spanning the first five years of the Barnes era at UT, the Vols are 4-1 against Kentucky in Knoxville, 2-3 vs. the Cats in Lexington and 1-1 against UK in neutral-site clashes at the SEC Tournament.

# VOLS' ROSTER BOASTS

INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR

- Tennessee head coach Rick Barnes has vastly expanded the program's recruiting pipelines since arriving on Rocky Top, including internationally. The 2020-21 roster includes four international student-athletes and five total nationalities.
- Reigning SEC Defensive Player of the Year Yves Pons, from Fuveau, France, returns this year after exploring a potential jump to the NBA.
- Pons—who was born in Port-au-Prince, Haiti—attended the INSEP (National Institute of Sport and Physical Education) Academy in Paris. Other notable INSEP basketball alums include Boris Diaw, Tony Parker and Ronny Turiaf.
- The Vols' other international team members this season are sophomores Olivier Nkamhoua, from Helsinki, Finland, Uroš Plavšic, from Ivanjica, Serbia, and Santiago Vescovi, from Montevideo, Uruguay.
- Nkamhoua—whose mother is Scottish/Finnish and whose father hails from Cameroon—was the first Vol off the bench a team-high 17 times last year and shot an efficient .722 from the field during SEC play.
- Plavšic, now a redshirt sophomore, shot .421 from the field in 16 appearances last year after midseason approval of his NCAA appeal for eligibility relief.
- Vescovi started all 19 contests following his midseason arrival in January of 2020 and averaged 10.7 points, 3.7 assists and 3.3 rebounds in a starring role.
- Since his hiring in 2015, Barnes has signed six international players for the Vols, including two from Canada. The Tennessee roster has included at least one international student-athlete every year since Barnes took over as head coach.

# TEAM STAT RANKINGS (SEC & NCAA)

Cata manual Stat			656*
Category   Stat	SEC	NCAA	SEC*
Scoring Offense   77.6	5	89	-   -
Scoring Defense   55.0	1	1	-   -
Scoring Margin   +22.6	1	10	-   -
FG Pct.   .455	3	120	-   -
FG Pct. Defense   .370	1	11	-   -
3FG Pct.   .353	3	120	-   -
3FG Pct. Defense   .297	3	69	-   -
Free Throw Pct.   .747	2	56	-   -
Rebounds Per Game   40.8	6	49	-   -
Rebound Defense   30.8	-	-	-   -
Rebound Margin   +10.0	2	15	-   -
Off. Rebs Per Game   13.3	8	38	-   -
Def. Rebs Per Game   27.5	7	97	-   -
Assists Per Game   15.1	2	91	-   -
Assist/Turnover   1.4	1	27	-   -
Turnovers Per Game   10.5	1	15	-   -
Turnover Margin   +6.9	1	9	-   -
Blocks Per Game   5.3	3	20	-   -
Steals Per Game   8.0	2	63	-   -
Fouls Per Game   15.6	1	37	-   -
SEC thru Jan. 4   NCAA thru Jan. 3		* Conferen	ce games <u>only</u>

# **GAMES STARTED**

	Streak	2020-21	Career	SEC
E.J. Anosike	-	-	65	
Victor Bailey Jr.	8	8	16	2
John Fulkerson	39	8	46	20
Davonte Gaines	-	-	1	-
Josiah-Jordan James	14	8	34	15
Keon Johnson	-	-	-	-
Olivier Nkamhoua	-	-	-	-
Drew Pember	-	-	-	-
Uroš Plavšić	-	-	3	3
Yves Pons	39	8	52	26
Jaden Springer	-	-	-	-
Santiago Vescovi	27	8	27	20
Corey Walker Jr.	-	-	-	-

# **NON-CONFERENCE BREAKDOWN**

Team	Record	Result
Charlotte	5-4	Canceled
VCU	8-2	Canceled
Gonzaga	10-0	Canceled
Notre Dame	3-6	Canceled
UT Martin	3-4	Canceled
Colorado	6-2	W, 56-47
Cincinnati	2-6	W, 65-56
Appalachian State	7-4	W, 79-38
Tennessee Tech	1-10	W, 103-49
Saint Joseph's	0-7	W, 102-66
USC Upstate	1-9	W, 80-60
Kansas	8-2	Jan. 30



# THOMPSON-BOLING ARENA



CAPACITY: 21,678 | 2020-21 CAPACITY: 4,191 | OVERALL RECORD IN 34 SEASONS AT THOMPSON-BOLING ARENA: 402-136

# **FACILITIES NOTES**

#### ELITE ATTENDANCE

- For the second consecutive year, Tennessee finished fourth nationally in average home attendance last year. The Vols drew an average of 18,990 fans to 17 games at Thompson-Boling Arena.
- Tennessee's average home attendance in 2018-19 and 2019-20 ranked seventh and eighth, respectively, in program history.
- The Vols have ranked among the top 20 in men's college basketball attendance for 16 consecutive years, including nine seasons ranked in the top five nationally.
- Tennessee's total number of season tickets *sold* last year (15,500) exceeded the average home *attendance* of all but 11 Division I programs. In other words, before selling any single-game tickets, the Vols were already assured of finishing at least 12th in average home attendance for 2019-20 (they finished fourth).

#### 2019-20 AVERAGE HOME ATTENDANCE LEADERS

1. Syracuse	21,704	6. Wisconsin	16,912
2. Kentucky	21,160	7. Louisville	16,658
3. North Carolina	20,103	8. Kansas	16,388
4. Tennessee	18,990	9. Memphis	16,312
5. Creighton	17,314	10. Indiana	16,300

#### VOLS, LADY VOLS BOASTED NCAA'S HIGHEST **COMBINED** ATTENDANCE

• The Vols and Lady Vols combined for a total attendance of 461,146 last season—the most of any school in the country.

#### 2019-20 COMBINED BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE

Rank	School	Total Attendance
1.	Tennessee	461,146
2.	Kentucky	443,725
3.	Louisville	428,069
4.	Iowa State	401,953
5.	South Carolina	390,340

# **LARGEST VENUES & LEGENDS IN THE RAFTERS**

#### LARGEST COLLEGE ARENAS

1. The Carrier Dome (Syracuse)	35,446	
2. Rupp Arena (Kentucky)	23,500	
<ol><li>KFC Yum! Center (Louisville)</li></ol>	22,090	
4. Dean Smith Center (North Carolina)	21,750	
5. Thompson Boling Arena (Tennessee)	21,678	
6. Bud Walton Arena (Arkansas)	19,368	
7. Marriott Center (BYU)	19,000	
8. Value City Arena (Ohio State)	18,809	
T9. Thomas and Mack Center (UNLV)	18,000	
T9. Colonial Life Arena (South Carolina)	18,000	

#### HOME HOOPS DURING THE BARNES ERA

- The Volunteers own a 71-18 record at Thompson-Boling Arena under the direction of head coach **Rick Barnes**.
- With Barnes on the bench, Tennessee is 32-14 at home against SEC opposition.
- The Vols' recent 31-game home win streak was longest of the Barnes era and also was the third-longest home win streak in program history (it ended Dec. 14, 2019).
- Barnes has led the Vols to a 4-6 home record against AP top-25 opponents.

#### AVERAGE HOME ATTENDANCE DURING THE BARNES ERA

Season	Average	NCAA Rank
2015-16	14,233	17th
2016-17	13,637	20th
2017-18	16,210	8th
2018-19	19,034	4th
2019-20	18,990	4th

## PANDEMIC PROTOCOLS LEAD TO ADJUSTED SEATING PLAN

- To comply with health and safety recommendations from the CDC, local officials and the Southeastern Conference, Tennessee has implemented an adjusted-seating ticket plan at Thompson-Boling Arena this season.
- Gameday capacity will be close to 4,000—or about 18 percent of the venue's normal capacity (21,678).
- To allow for a mandatory 12-foot buffer between the general public and essential personnel on and around the court, the first five rows of the arena's lower bowl will remain vacant.
- SEC guidelines for indoor events explicitly state that all references to "physically distanced" means a minimum of six feet. Thus, seating pods will be spaced at least six feet apart throughout the arena.
- All available ticket inventory sold out in November.

# **LEGENDS IN THE RAFTERS**

RETIRED NUMBERS								
Name	No.	Retired on						
Ray Mears (coach)	*	March 1, 2006						
John Ward (broadcaster)	*	March 1, 2006						
Bernard King	53	Feb. 13, 2007						
Ernie Grunfeld	22	March 2, 2008						
Allan Houston	20	March 6, 2011						
RETIRED JERSEYS								
Dale Ellis	14	March 1, 2014						
* Honored with a personalized banner bearing the "Power T" logo								

# COMMITMENT TO BASKETBALL

- Prior to the 2007-08 season, UT added a basketball-only practice facility, Pratt Pavilion, which houses two full-size gyms as well as an athletic training room, weight room and film-study room.
- Construction of Pratt Pavilion also marked the beginning of the "first phase" of renovations to Thompson-Boling Arena. This \$19 million phase included the addition of 32 luxury suites located in the north balcony, a loge area just below the suites that includes 166 side court seats, new seats for the entire arena, a \$3 million center-hung scoreboard and concourse refurbishments, such as graphics and other amenities.
- In the "second phase" of Thompson-Boling Arena renovations, the athletics department overhauled the men's and women's basketball offices during the 2010-11 campaign, creating a new and impressive "front door" for both programs.
- New to Thompson-Boling Arena for the 2013-14 season was a 360-degree LED ribbon board that runs along the bottom of the upper deck.
- In March of 2014, Thompson-Boling Arena became the third college basketball arena to install an LED lighting system, which features fixtures that are smaller, brighter, and up to 85 percent more efficient than conventional arena metal halide lights.
- The weight room in Pratt Pavilion was renovated and expanded to 4,350 square feet in the summer of 2016. Additions include a full-court-length stretch of synthetic turf, a custom rubber floor, a 40-foot, steel-reinforced throwing wall, six Keiser Functional Trainers, four TRUEStretch Cages, three custom, 10foot Power Lift pulley units (ideal for taller student-athletes), seven sets of 90-pound PowerBlocks and a zoned, high-powered stereo system.
- In September 2018, work concluded on a \$5 million locker-room renovation at Thompson-Boling Arena. In addition to the beautifully revamped spaces for the men's and women's teams, the Larry Pratt Basketball Locker Room Complex also includes an athletic training facility featuring world-class hydrotherapy systems.

# **MISC NOTES**

#### IZZO AN ALLY AS BARNES BATTLED COVID IN NOVEMBER

- Vols head coach **Rick Barnes** learned on Nov. 23 that his Nov. 22 COVID-19 test was positive. He was among multiple positives within the UT program, which led to a two-week shutdown.
- During his isolation, Barnes communicated almost daily with Michigan State head coach **Tom Izzo**, who had previously experienced the virus. The two discussed various symptoms and methods to counter them.
- Barnes' wife, Candy, had flown to Texas on Nov. 21 to spend time with their grandchildren (great timing for her). So Barnes passed the time by watching far too many episodes of Gunsmoke and SVU.

#### BENCH WEARING "INAM" MASKS

- Since Rick Barnes was hired at Tennessee in March of 2015, the program's mantra has been INAM (pronounced EE-nahm)—short for it's not about me.
- The mask worn by the team on the bench during games this season bears the INAM mark, as the acronym is now well known among Vol basketball fans.

#### UNITY MARK: "GIVE LIGHT"

- For 50 years, the Volunteer statue, best known by its nickname, the Torchbearer, has been the proud embodiment of a Tennessee Volunteer, a combination of leadership and service that improves the world around us.
- The torch is a symbol of knowledge, enlightenment, truth and intellectual optimism—the belief that the light of truth and reason overcomes the darkness of ignorance.
- A torch is prominently featured in this year's Tennessee Athletics unity patch, held aloft by two Volunteers of different races, joining forces to champion UT's Torchbearer Creed: "One who beareth the torch shadoweth oneself to give light to others."
- The basketball Vols are wearing the unity patch on the right side of their jerseys, just above the Nike swoosh.

#### VOLS WELL REPRESENTED IN THE NBA

- Six Tennessee alums will be active in the NBA in 2020-21, including four who were recruited and coached by **Rick Barnes**.
- Forward **Tobias Harris** (2010-11) is a regular starter for the Philadelphia 76ers. He averaged 19.6 points and 6.9 rebounds in 2019-20.
- Guard Josh Richardson (2011-15) is with a new team this season, after a draft-night trade in November sent him from Philadelphia to the Dallas Mavericks. For his career, Richardson averages 12.4 points and shoots .363 from 3-point range.
- As a rookie last season, forward Grant Williams (2016-19) made a deep playoff run, as his Boston Celtics advanced to the Eastern Conference Finals. Williams earned meaningful minutes throughout the playoffs.
- Admiral Schofield (2015-19) appeared in 33 games during his rookie season with the Washington Wizards and averaged 3.0 points and 1.4 rebounds. Following the 2020 draft in November, he was traded to the Oklahoma City Thunder. He is currently a free agent.
- Point guard **Jordan Bone** (2016-19), saw action in 10 games as a rookie with the Detroit Pistons last season. Bone signed with the Orlando Magic in November.
- New York Knicks Assistant GM **Allan Houston** (1989-93) continues to play a key insider's role with the franchise he once starred for. He also serves as GM of the NBA G-League's Westchester Knicks.

#### MULTIPLE VOLS ON 2021 NBA MOCK DRAFT BOARDS

- Multiple Vols are projected as potential selections in the 2021 NBA Draft.
- In *The Athletic's* mock draft, Keon Johnson is listed as the No. 5 overall pick, Jaden Springer is projected at No. 38, and Yves Pons is listed as the No. 48 pick.
- And in ESPN.com's latest mock draft, Johnson lands at No. 7, while Springer is listed at No. 31.
- Gary Parrish of CBSsports.com and **Eric Bossi** of 247sports.com both also project Johnson as a lottery pick this summer.
- Tennessee had three upperclassmen selected in the 2019 NBA Draft, with Grant Williams going in the first round and Admiral Schofield and Jordan Bone taken in the second round.
- With Johnson projected as a possible top-10 pick, it's worth noting that Tennessee has previously produced four top-10 draft picks in **Tom Boerwinkle** (4th in 1968), **Bernard King** (7th in 1977), **Ernie Grunfeld** (11th in 1977) and **Dale Ellis** (9th in 1983).



# **NBA**

# LAST THREE GAMES

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##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf	dq	а	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
12	Victor Bailey Jr.	3-3	84	28.0	16-32	.500	3-11	.273	8-9	.889	6	5	11	3.7	6	0	4	4	1	2	43	14.3
25	Santiago Vescovi	3-3	87	29.0	13-28	.464	9-18	.500	2-2	1.000	1	6	7	2.3	7	0	10	6	0	0	37	12.3
10	John Fulkerson	3-3	83	27.7	8-18	.444	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	9	8	17	5.7	6	0	4	4	0	2	28	9.3
11	Jaden Springer	3-0	50	16.7	8-18	.444	1-3	.333	8-11	.727	2	7	9	3.0	2	0	4	4	2	3	25	8.3
35	Yves Pons	3-3	73	24.3	8-20	.400	1-3	.333	7-10	.700	1	9	10	3.3	6	0	1	1	11	3	24	8.0
45	Keon Johnson	3-0	64	21.3	9-21	.429	0-4	.000	4-6	.667	4	10	14	4.7	5	0	3	9	0	1	22	7.3
05	Josiah-Jordan James	3-3	83	27.7	5-14	.357	0-5	.000	5-6	.833	7	12	19	6.3	7	0	10	5	4	8	15	5.0
13	Olivier Nkamhoua	3-0	21	7.0	5-6	.833	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	1	3	4	1.3	5	0	1	0	1	1	11	3.7
55	E.J. Anosike	3-0	37	12.3	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	3	5	8	2.7	7	0	0	1	0	0	7	2.3
00	Davonte Gaines	3-0	5	1.7	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	1	0	1	0.3	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.0
33	Uros Plavsic	2-0	7	3.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5
03	Drew Pember	2-0	6	3.0	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
	Team										2	10	12									
	Total	3	600		76-170	.447	14-44	.318	50-73	.685	38	76	114	38.0	52	0	37	35	19	20	216	72.0
	Opponents	3	600		66-159	.415	22-54	.407	30-51	.588	26	68	94	31.3	61	-	28	48	10	17	184	61.3



## **CAREER RECORDS**

Overall Record: 716-379 Conference Games (regular season): 321-230 Non-Conference Games (regular season): 328-89 Conference Tournament: 37-31 NCAA Tournament: 24-24 Overtime Games: 32-39 One-Point Games: 19-24 vs. AP Top 25: 106-178

## **VS. CURRENT SEC HEAD COACHES**

COACH	All	Tenn	Тех	Clem	Prov	GMU
Calipari, John	9-7	7-5	2-2	-	-	-
Crean, Tom	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-
Davis, Kermit	2-0	2-0	-	-	-	-
Howland, Ben	9-3	6-2	3-1	-	-	-
Martin, Cuonzo	5-1	4-1	1-0	-	-	-
Martin, Frank	9-8	6-4	3-4	-	-	-
Musselman, Eric	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-
Oats, Nate	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-
Pearl, Bruce	4-8	3-6	1-2	-	-	-
Stackhouse, Jerry	/ 2-0	2-0	-	-	-	-
Wade, Will	1-2	1-2	-	-	-	-
White, Mike	5-1	5-1	-	-	-	-
Williams, Buzz	0-1	0-1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	49-34	39-25	10-9			

#### vs. BARNES...

Calipari, John	was 1-2 at Memphis; 5-7 at Kentucky
Crean, Tom	is 1-1 at Georgia
Davis, Kermit	is 0-2 at Ole Miss
Howland, Ben	was 1-3 at UCLA; 2-5 at Miss. State
Martin, Cuonzo	is 1-4 at Missouri; was 0-1 at Cal
Martin, Frank	was 4-3 at K-State; 4-6 at SC
Musselman, Eric	is 1-1 at Arkansas
Oats, Nate	is 1-1 at Alabama
Pearl, Bruce	was 2-1 at Tennessee, 6-3 at Auburn
Stackhouse, Jerry	is 0-2 at Vanderbilt
Wade, Will	is 2-1 at LSU
White, Mike	is 1-5 at Florida
Williams, Buzz	is 1-0 at Texas A&M

# ► COACH BARNES: CAREER BREAKDOWN

Year	School	Ove	erall	Confe	rence	Finish	Postseason	Ranking	RPI/NET
1987-88	George Mason	20-10	.667	9-5	.643	T-2nd		-/-	103
Totals	One Season	20-10	.667	9-5	.643				
1988-89	Providence	18-11	.621	7-9	.438	T-6th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	29
1989-90	Providence	17-12	.586	8-8	.500	T-6th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	36
1990-91	Providence	19-13	.594	7-9	.438	T-7th	NIT Quarterfinals	-/-	53
1991-92	Providence	14-17	.452	6-12	.333	9th		-/-	119
1992-93	Providence	20-13	.606	9-9	.500	T-4th	NIT Semifinals	-/-	41
1993-94	Providence	20-10	.667	10-8	.556	T-4th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	23
Totals	Six Seasons	108-76	.587	47-55	.461				50.2
1994-95	Clemson	15-13	.536	5-11	.313	T-6th	NIT First Round	-/-	33
1995-96	Clemson	18-11	.621	7-9	.438	6th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	44
1996-97	Clemson	23-10	.697	9-7	.563	4th	NCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen	14/8	39
1997-98	Clemson	18-14	.563	7-9	.438	T-4th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	25
Totals	Four Seasons	74-48	.607	28-36	.438				35.3
1998-99	Texas	19-13	.594	13-3	.813	1st	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	45
1999-00	Texas	24-9	.727	13-3	.813	2nd	NCAA Tournament Second Round	15/21	8
2000-01	Texas	25-9	.735	12-4	.750	T-2nd	NCAA Tournament First Round	18/-	13
2001-02	Texas	22-12	.647	10-6	.625	T-3rd	NCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen	-/T18	15
2002-03	Texas	26-7	.788	13-3	.813	2nd	NCAA Tournament Final Four	5/3	5
2003-04	Texas	25-8	.758	12-4	.750	T-2nd	NCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen	12/10	9
2004-05	Texas	20-11	.645	9-7	.563	T-5th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	38
2005-06	Texas	30-7	.811	13-3	.813	T-1st	NCAA Tournament Elite Eight	9/9	10
2006-07	Texas	25-10	.714	12-4	.750	3rd	NCAA Tournament Second Round	11/16	26
2007-08	Texas	31-7	.816	13-3	.813	T-1st	NCAA Tournament Elite Eight	7/5	6
2008-09	Texas	23-12	.657	9-7	.563	T-4th	NCAA Tournament Second Round	-/23	38
2009-10	Texas	24-10	.706	9-7	.563	T-6th	NCAA Tournament First Round	-/-	35
2010-11	Texas	28-8	.778	13-3	.813	2nd	NCAA Tournament Third Round	8/16	11
2011-12	Texas	20-14	.588	9-9	.500	6th	NCAA Tournament Second Round	-/-	57
2012-13	Texas	16-18	.471	7-11	.389	7th	CBI Opening Round	-/-	121
2013-14	Texas	24-11	.686	11-7	.611	T-3rd	NCAA Tournament Third Round	-/-	41
2014-15	Texas	20-14	.588	8-10	.444	T-6th	NCAA Tournament Second Round	-/-	51
Totals	17 Seasons	402-180	.691	186-94	.664				31.1
2015-16	Tennessee	15-19	.441	6-12	.333	12th		-/-	142
2016-17	Tennessee	16-16	.500	8-10	.444	9th		-/-	80
2017-18	Tennessee	26-9	.743	13-5	.722	T-1st	NCAA Tournament Second Round	13/16	10
2018-19	Tennessee	31-6	.838	15-3	.833	T-2nd	NCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen	6/5	9
2019-20	Tennessee	17-14	.548	9-9	.500	8th	Postseason cancelled due to COVID-1	,	63
2020-21	Tennessee	7-1	.875	1-1	.500				
Totals	6 Seasons	112-65	.633	52-40	.565				60.3
OVERALL	34 Seasons	716-379	.654	321-229	.584				41.1

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#### 20-WIN SEASONS - ACTIVE HEAD COACHES

RANK	COACH	20-WIN SEASONS	
1	Mike Krzyzewski	36	
2	Jim Boeheim	34	
3	Roy Williams	29	
4	Bob Huggins	28	
5	John Calipari	25	
6	Bill Self	23	
7	Rick Barnes	21	
8	Tubby Smith	20	

Division I only; through 2019-20 season

#### DIVISION I WINS - ACTIVE HEAD COACHES

COACH	SCHOOL	WINS
Mike Krzyzewski	Duke	1,160
Jim Boeheim	Syracuse	970
Roy Williams	North Carolina	891
Bob Huggins	West Virginia	818
Cliff Ellis	Coastal Carolina	787
John Calipari	Kentucky	735
Bill Self	Kansas	716
Rick Barnes	Tennessee	716
Dana Altman	Oregon	677
Lon Kruger	Oklahoma	664
Rick Pitino	lona	652
Jim Larrañaga	Miami (Fla.)	636
Tom Izzo	Michigan State	635
Tubby Smith	High Point	625
Mark Few	Gonzaga	605
	Mike Krzyzewski Jim Boeheim Roy Williams Bob Huggins Cliff Ellis John Calipari Bill Self <b>Rick Barnes</b> Dana Altman Lon Kruger Rick Pitino Jim Larrañaga Tom Izzo Tubby Smith	Mike Krzyzewski     Duke       Jim Boeheim     Syracuse       Roy Williams     North Carolina       Bob Huggins     West Virginia       Cliff Ellis     Coastal Carolina       John Calipari     Kentucky       Bill Self     Kansas       Rick Barnes     Tennessee       Dana Altman     Oregon       Lon Kruger     Oklahoma       Rick Pitino     Iona       Jim Larrañaga     Miami (Fla.)       Tom Izzo     Michigan State       Tubby Smith     High Point

#### through Jan. 3

#### ■ NCAA TOURNAMENTS - ACTIVE SEC COACHES

RANK	COACH	SCHOOL	BERTHS
1	Rick Barnes	Tennessee	24
2	John Calipari	Kentucky	18
3	Ben Howland	Mississippi St.	11
4	Bruce Pearl	Auburn	10
5	Tom Crean	Georgia	9
6	Buzz Williams	Texas A&M	8
7	Kermit Davis	Ole Miss	6
8	Frank Martin	South Carolina	5
T-9	Eric Musselman	Arkansas	3
T-9	Cuonzo Martin	Missouri	3
T-9	Will Wade	LSU	3
T-9	Michael White	Florida	3
T-9	Nate Oats	Alabama	3
14	Jerry Stackhouse	Vanderbilt	0
through	2019-20 season		

#### NCAA TOURNAMENT WINS - ACTIVE SEC COACHES

RANK	СОАСН	SCHOOL	WINS
1	John Calipari	Kentucky	46
2	Rick Barnes	Tennessee	24
3	Ben Howland	Mississippi State	19
4	Bruce Pearl	Auburn	15
5	Tom Crean	Georgia	11
T-6	Frank Martin	South Carolina	10
T-6	Buzz Williams	Texas A&M	10
8	Michael White	Florida	5
9	Cuonzo Martin	Missouri	3
T-10	Kermit Davis	Ole Miss	2
T-10	Eric Musselman	Arkansas	2
T-10	Nate Oats	Alabama	2
13	Will Wade	LSU	1
14	Jerry Stackhouse	Vanderbilt	0

through 2019-20 season

#### BARNES 22<sup>nd</sup> ON DIVISION I WINS LIST

- When the Vols defeated Jacksonville State on Dec. 21, 2019, Rick Barnes became the seventh active head coach (and the 22nd all-time) to log 700 Division I victories
- Barnes currently ranks 22nd on the all-time Division I list with 716 wins.
- He is now chasing Phog Allen and Don Haskins, each of whom totaled 719 career wins and are tied for 20th.

#### UNDER BARNES, VOLS ARE 62-18 AS AN AP-RANKED TEAM

- Tennessee has played 80 games as a ranked team (AP
- poll) under head coach **Rick Barnes**, and the Vols are 62-18 (.775) in those contests.

#### TOP SPOT: BARNES IS ONE OF SIX

- **Rick Barnes** led Texas to the No. 1 ranking for two weeks in January 2010. He most recently guided Tennessee to four straight weeks at No. 1 last year.
- He is one of six coaches ever to lead multiple schools to a No. 1 ranking: John Calipari, Frank McGuire, Rick Pitino, Eddie Sutton and Roy Williams.

#### TENNESSEE'S 2019 SWEET SIXTEEN PUT RICK BARNES IN RARE COMPANY

- Rick Barnes in 2019 became one of only a dozen head coaches ever to lead at least three different schools to an NCAA Tournament Round of 16 appearance (Clemson, Texas, Tennessee).
- The 12 coaches who have led at least three different schools to the Round of 16 are: Lon Kruger (has done it with four schools), Barnes, Gene Bartow, John Calipari, Frank McGuire, Ralph Miller, Rick Pitino, Bruce Pearl, Bill Self, Eddie Sutton, Tubby Smith and Bruce Weber.

#### BARNES CLAIMED TWO 2019 NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

- Rick Barnes in 2019 earned his first two career National Coach of the Year awards, as he received the Werner Ladder Naismith Trophy for Men's College Coach of the Year Award and the USBWA's Henry Iba National Coach of the Year Award.
- One year after leading Tennessee to the 2018 SEC Championship and a 26-9 overall record, Barnes guided the 2018-19 Volunteers to a 31-5 mark. That impressive record included a school-record 19-game winning streak and three victories over top-five opponents.
- The 2018-19 Vols spent four weeks atop the Associated Press Top 25 rankings. And for the first time in program history, Tennessee spent the entire season ranked among the top 10.

# FOLLOW THE TEAM

#### Keep up with the Vols on Twitter:

@eanosike55 - E.J. Anosike, Forward
@vbailey\_ballisl - Victor Bailey Jr., Guard
@fulkerson\_john - John Fulkerson, Forward
@therealticket0 - Davonte Gaines, Guard
@kgilbert799 - Kent Gilbert, Guard
@jijjames30 - Josiah-Jordan James, Guard
@brockjancek - Brock Jancek, Forward
@iamkeonjohnson - Keon Johnson, Guard
@olivier\_rn - Olivier Nkamhoua, Forward
@drewpember7 - Drew Pember, Forward
@urosp34 - Uroš Plavšic, Forward
@airpons - Yves Pons, Guard/Forward
@jadenspringer11 - Jaden Springer, Guard
@isaiahsulack - Isaiah Sulack, Guard

See player bio pages for Instagram handles.



Here is a list of reporters who regularly cover the Tennessee basketball beat and tweet about the Vols:

@vincesports - Vince Ferrara, The Sports Animal @louiswbir - Louis Fernandez, WBIR-TV @benmckee14 - Ben McKee, RockyTopInsider.com @volquest\_rob - Rob Lewis, VolQuest.com @jimmyhyams - Jimmy Hyams, Sports Animal WNML @teresamwalker - Teresa Walker, Associated Press @troy\_provost - Troy Provost-Heron, Maryville Daily Times @grantramey - Grant Ramey, GoVols247.com @wesrucker247 - Wes Rucker, GoVols247.com @jordancrammer - Jordan Crammer, WATE-TV @wvltrick - Rick Russo, WVLT-TV @rschump00 - Ryan Schumpert, The Daily Beacon @bynoahtaylor - Noah Taylor, LaFollette Press @treywallace - Trey Wallace, FOX Sports Knoxville @josh\_ward - Josh Ward, Sports Animal WNML @bymikewilson - Mike Wilson, Knoxville News Sentinel



# BARNES vs. THE SEC

#### vs. Southeastern Conference: 111-69

OPPONENT	All	Tenn	Тех	Clem	Prov	GMU
Alabama	3-4	3-3	-	-	0-1	-
Arkansas	6-6	3-5	3-1	-	-	-
Auburn	3-6	3-6	-	-	-	-
Florida	5-1	5-1	-	-	-	-
Georgia	3-7	2-5	1-1	0-1	-	-
Kentucky	8-7	7-5	0-1	1-1	-	-
LSU	3-7	2-4	1-3	-	-	-
Ole Miss	5-2	4-2	-	-	-	-
Mississippi State	9-2	6-2	3-0	-	-	-
Missouri	16-9	5-2	10-7	1-0	-	-
South Carolina	11-4	6-4	-	4-0	1-0	-
Tennessee	2-2	-	2-2	-	-	-
Texas A&M	28-9	3-2	23-7	2-0	-	-
Vanderbilt	9-3	8-3	1-0	-	-	-

# **ON THE BENCH**



# MICHAEL SCHWARTZ

Associate Head Coach • Texas, 1999 • Fifth season at Tennessee; played two years under Barnes at Texas and was a member of the 1999 Big 12 Championship team (then became a GA on Texas' staff). • In 2019, Schwartz earned feature placement on The Athletic's list of the nation's top 25 up-and-coming college basketball coaches.

- Since the 2017-18 campaign, Schwartz has served as Tennessee's "defensive coordinator
- No stranger to the Southeast and East Coast, Schwartz spent six years on staff at Miami (Fla.) in the ACC.



# DESMOND OLIVER

# Assistant Coach • Dominican College, 1992

- Sixth season at Tennessee; before joining the Vols, he spent five seasons as an assistant coach at Charlotte.
- This is his 25th season in the Division I coaching ranks; he has experience in the Atlantic 10, Big 12, Ivy League and Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference. • In August of 2020, Oliver was named one of the top six assistant coaches in the SEC, according to Stadium basketball insider Jeff Goodman.
- · A native of Buffalo, New York.



## KIM ENGLISH

- Assistant Coach Missouri, 2012
- · Second season at Tennessee; was previously an assistant coach under Tad Boyle at Colorado for two years and was an assistant at Tulsa for one season. • In May of 2020, English was listed on ESPN's "40 Under 40" listing of rising stars in college basketball coaching.
- The Pistons selected English with the 44th overall pick in the 2012 NBA Draft, and he appeared in 41 games during the 2012-13 season.
- Was a four-year letterman at Missouri (2008-12), earning All-Big 12 honors; Mizzou won 107 games durng his career (winningest player in program history).



# **GARRETT MEDENWALD**

# Director of Sports Performance • Wisconsin-Whitewater, 2013

Director of Plaver Development/ Video Coordinator • Lenoir-Rhyne, 2000

- Sixth season at Tennessee; he had three previous years of experience working alongside head coach Rick Barnes at Texas from 2012-15.
- As a football running back at UW-Whitewater, he helped lead the Warhawks to back-to-back national championships in 2010 and 2011.
- An elite powerlifter, Medenwald was a national qualifier in Olympic weightlifting and was a coach and co-founder of the UW-Whitewater Olympic Lifting Club.
- Native of Green Bay, Wisconsin (lifelong Green Bay Packers fan).



# CHAD NEWMAN

- · 25th season with the Tennessee basketball program.
- Under his care, the Vols have advanced to postseason play 15 times, including 11 NCAA Tournament berths and six Sweet Sixteen appearances.
- 2009 Tennessee Athletic Trainer's Society (TATS) Athletic Trainer of the Year.
- Native of Chattanooga, Tennessee



# BRYAN LENTZ

- Third season at Tennessee: is a North Carolina native.
- · Had four previous years of experience as a member of Rick Barnes' basketball staff at Texas.
- His father, John Lentz, was a legendary head coach at Lenoir-Rhyne and was Barnes' roommate during college.
- Spent the 2014-18 seasons as an assistant coach at Appalachian State University in Boone, N.C.



# **MARY-CARTER EGGERT**

# Director of Basketball Operations • Tennessee, 2011

- A two-time Tennessee graduate, Eggert is in her sixth season working in a basketball operations role.
- One of only two women currently holding the role of director of basketball operations with a men's program at a major-conference school.
- Spent three years on UT's media relations staff, working closely with the Tennessee football program from 2012 to 2014.
- · Native of Richmond, Virginia



# I.J. POOLE

# Assistant to the Head Coach • Texas, 2015

Athletic Trainer • Tennessee, 1994

- In April 2019, Poole returned for his second stint on Rick Barnes' Tennessee staff. • He previously was a graduate manager at Tennessee from 2015-17; this is his sixth overall year working with Barnes, as he was a two-year student manager at Texas. Prior to returning to Tennessee, Poole worked for two seasons on the full-time staff at Appalachian State.
- In 2017-18, he served as App State's director of basketball operations. He then was promoted to assistant coach for the 2018-19 campaign.



# **55 E.J. ANOSIKE**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 9 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 27 vs. St. Francis Brooklyn (2/2/19)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 6 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 22 at LIU (2/15/20)

#### ASSISTS

Season 1(4x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 6 (2x), last vs. LIU (2/29/20)

#### BLOCKS

Season 1 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) Career 2 (8x), last at Merrimack (2/21/20)

#### STEALS

Season 2 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 3 (4x), last vs. St. Francis Brooklyn (2/27/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 17:19 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 38:00 at Bryant (2/23/20)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 2 (4x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 12 vs. Pine Manor (12/1/19)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED Season 6 vs. Colorado (12/8/20)

Career 17 (2x), last at LIU (2/15/20)

# **3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season · Career 4 (2x), last at Wagner (1/4/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season -Career 8 at Wagner (1/4/20)

#### FREE THROWS MADE Season 5 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 12 vs. St. Francis Penn. (3/2/19)

#### **FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED** Season 6 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 14 vs. St. Francis Penn. (3/2/19)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts
2017-18	29-0	403	13.9	41-108	.380	0-5	.000	41-58	.707	40-73-113	3.9	50-1	12	33	14	6	123
2018-19	32-32	928	29.0	156-301	.518	19-53	.358	126-166	.759	105-153-258	8.1	79-0	29	48	15	19	457
2019-20	33-33	1094	33.2	182-376	.484	20-80	.250	134-184	.728	138-245-383	11.6	71-1	57	69	9	32	518
2020-21	8-0	108	13.5	10-26	.385	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	17-13-30	3.8	13-0	4	3	1	3	32
TOTAL	102-65	2533	24.8	389-811	.479	39-138	.283	313-426	.735	300-484-784	7.7	213-2	102	153	39	60	1130

**GRAD** Forward | 6-7 | 245 | Agricultural Economics (Graduate Level) East Orange, New Jersey | Sacred Heart University

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- Graduate transfer earned his degree in Finance and Business Economics from Sacred Heart in May of 2020.
- More than half of his rebounds this season (17 of 30) have come on the offensive glass.
- Scored a season-high nine points, pulled in five rebounds (four on the offensive glass) and nabbed a pair of steals in the victory over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20).
- Totaled six points, six boards and an assist in a season-high 17 minutes of action in UT's 79-38 thumping of Appalachian State (12/15/20).
- Pulled in four offensive rebounds, scored four points and tallied an assist and a block in 14 minutes of action in UT's season-opening victory over Colorado (12/8/20).
- Ranked sixth in Division I in total rebounds (11.6 rpg) and fourth in offensive rebounds (4.18 orpg) last season.
- His 18 double-doubles last season ranked seventh in Division I (had seven in a row at one point).
- His career-high for offensive rebounds is 10 (three times).
- His older sister, Nicky Anosike, was a two-time national champion with Pat Summitt's Lady Vols basketball program from 2004-08 and twice was named to the NCAA All-Final Four Team.

## 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	-	14	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	4	0	4	2	1	0	1	0	4
Cincinnati	12/12/20	-	12	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	2
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	17	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2	4	6	1	1	1	0	0	6
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	14	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0	1	1	0	1	4
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	14	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	4	1	5	0	1	0	0	2	9
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	13	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	5
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	14	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	1/2/21	-	10	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	2
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

# **PRODUCTION TRACKER**

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	30	-	59
Scored 20+ Points	8	-	12
Had 10+ Rebounds	21	-	31
Led the Vols in Rebounding	N/A	-	-
Had 4+ Offensive Rebounds	20	2	40
Had a Double-Double	18	-	25
Had Multiple Assists	15	-	25
Had Multiple Steals	7	1	13
Had Multiple Blocks	2	-	8
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	12	2	25
Drew Multiple Charges	N/A	-	N/A



Avg

4.2

14.3

15.7

4.0

11.1

Last name pronounced: ann-uh-SICK-ee

# **12 VICTOR BAILEY JR.**



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

#### POINTS

Season 18 (2x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 23 vs. Rider (3/13/18)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 7 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

#### **ASSISTS**

Season 3 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 4 vs. Cal (2/6/19)

#### BLOCKS

Season 1 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 2 vs. Ball State (11/19/17)

#### STEALS

Season 3 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) Career 3 (3x), last vs. Colorado (12/8/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 34:50 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) Career Same

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 8 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 8 (2x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 14 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 18 vs. UCLA (1/10/19)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season 2 (4x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 7 vs. Rider (3/13/18)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 7 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 10 vs. UCLA (1/10/19)

#### **FREE THROWS MADE** Season 8 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season 9 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

# **CAREER STATS**

JR Guard   6-4   179   Political Scien	ce
Austin, Texas   University of Oregon	

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- Leads the team and ranks 20th in the SEC in scoring (13.0 ppg), while being Tennessee's top scorer four times this season.
- Scored 16 points and brought down a career-high seven rebounds against Alabama (1/2/21).
- Scored nine points on an efficient 4-of-6 shooting in the Vols' road victory over 12th-ranked Missouri (12/30/20).
  Scored a game-high 18 points and knocked down a career-high-tying eight field goals (8-of-12) in the win over USC Upstate (12/23/20).
- Scored a game-high 18 points and dished off a season-high three assists in the win over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20).
  Poured in an efficient 15 points on 5-of-8 shooting, knocking down all three attempts from the foul line and both
- of his attempts from 3-point range in the Vols' 103-49 dismantling of Tennessee Tech (12/18/20). • After sitting out last season as a transfer, Bailey was touted this summer by Josiah-Jordan James as "the bestkept secret in all of college basketball."
- His mother, Tonja, was a track athlete at Illinois and was the bronze medalist in the 400 meter hurdles at the 1996 Summer Olympics in Atlanta.

## 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/0	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	g	35	3-7	.429	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	0	3	3	2	2	0	0	3	8
Cincinnati	12/12/20	g	26	3-9	.333	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	7
Appalachian State	12/15/20	g	19	<mark>6</mark> -14	.429	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	13
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	g	20	5-8	.625	2-2	1.000	3-3	1.000	0	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	15
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	g	25	5-10	.500	2-7	.286	6-7	.857	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	18
USC Upstate	12/23/20	g	28	<mark>8</mark> -12	.667	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	1	2	3	2	1	0	1	2	18
at Missouri	12/30/20	g	22	4-6	.667	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	1	3	0	0	9
Alabama	1/2/21	g	34	4-14	.286	0-5	.000	8-9	.889	5	2	7	2	2	1	0	0	16
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	2018-19	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	13	5	29
Scored 20+ Points	1	-	2
Led the Vols in Scoring	N/A	4	4
Had 5+ Assists	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Assists	N/A	1	1
Had Multiple Steals	4	2	11
Had 3+ Steals	2	1	4
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	12	4	25
Made 4+ 3-Pointers	3	-	4
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	13	5	27



	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2017-18	36-0	597	16.6	81-194	.418	32-88	.364	47-54	.870	21-41-62	1.7	42-1	31	29	4	15	241	6.7
2018-19	37-8	708	19.1	92-223	.413	47-118	.398	41-45	.911	16-58-74	2.0	41-0	34	31	0	24	272	7.4
2019-20								REDSHIR	TED									
2020-21	8-8	209	26.1	38-80	.475	11-35	.314	17-19	.895	8-12-20	2.5	10-0	11	5	1	7	104	13.0
TOTAL	81-16	1514	18.7	211-497	.424	90-241	.373	105-118	.890	45-111-156	1.9	93-1	76	65	5	46	617	7.6

# **10 JOHN FULKERSON**



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

#### POINTS

Season 15 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career 27 at Kentucky (3/3/20)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 12 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career 12 (2x), last vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)

#### **ASSISTS**

Season 5 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 5(2x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

#### BLOCKS

Season 2 vs. Appalachian st. (12/15/20) Career 5 vs. Oregon (11/22/16)

#### STEALS

Season 3 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 4 at Cincinnati (12/18/19)

#### MINUTES

Season 34:04 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career 39 at Kentucky (3/3/20)

#### **FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season 6 (2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 10 (2x), last at Kentucky (3/3/20)

# FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 11 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career 15 (2x), last at Kentucky (3/3/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season -Career 1 vs. Florida (2/29/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 1 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) Career 1 (3x), last vs. Colorado (12/8/20)

#### **FREE THROWS MADE** Season 7 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)

Career 10 vs Kentucky (2/8/20)

# FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season 8 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 14 at South Carolina (2/15/20)

# **CAREER STATS**

<b>SR</b> Forward   6-9   215	Agricultural Leadership, Education & Communication
Kingsport, Tennessee   The	e Christ School (N.C.)

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- Completed his degree in Recreation & Sport Management in May and now wears the "SEC Graduate" patch.
- Has nine offensive rebounds through UT's last three games.
- Ranks second on the team in both scoring (11.1 ppg) and rebounding (6.1 rpg).
- Ranks 17th in the SEC in rebounding with 6.1 rebounds per contest through eight games.
- Boasts the team's best plus/minus at +135, for an average of +16.88 per game.
- Scored 11 points and reeled in a game-high-tying six rebounds in UT's victory over #12 Missouri (12/30/20).
- Tallied a career-high-tying five assists, six rebounds and 10 points in the win over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20).
  Recorded his fourth career double-double against Cincinnati (12/12/20), pouring in 15 points, and bringing down a career-high-tying 12 rebounds, with four coming on the offensive glass.
- Named to the Wooden Award preseason top-50 watch list, along with fellow Vols senior Yves Pons.
- This is his second year serving on the SEC Men's Basketball Leadership Council.
- Also serves on UT's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC), along with Josiah-Jordan James.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	т/о	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	f	23	4-10	.400	0-1	.000	3-4	.750	1	2	3	3	0	2	0	1	11
Cincinnati	12/12/20	f	34	4-11	.364	0-0	.000	7-8	.875	4	8	12	0	1	1	0	0	15
Appalachian State	12/15/20	f	25	6-9	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	1	1	0	2	3	12
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	f	21	6-10	.600	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	2	4	6	1	2	0	1	0	13
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	f	28	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	1	5	6	1	5	1	0	0	10
USC Upstate	12/23/20	f	28	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	6-6	1.000	4	2	6	1	2	2	0	2	10
at Missouri	12/30/20	f	29	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	3	3	6	4	1	1	0	0	11
Alabama	1/2/21	f	26	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	3-8	.375	2	3	5	1	1	1	0	0	7
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	23	7	34
Led the Vols in Scoring	13	2	15
Had 5+ Rebounds	20	7	37
Had 10+ Rebounds	3	1	5
Led the Vols in Rebounds	12	3	18
Had a Double-Double	2	1	4
Had Multiple Assists	11	3	28
Had Multiple Steals	9	2	23
Had Multiple Blocks	4	1	14
Led the Vols in Blocks	6	1	19
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	8	3	30



	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2016-17	10-6	160	16.0	17-30	.567	0-0	.000	13-20	.650	14-32-46	4.6	23-0	10	8	9	11	47	4.7
2017-18	30-1	279	9.3	18-42	.429	0-0	.000	16-22	.727	18-31-49	1.6	36-0	16	22	9	16	52	1.7
2018-19	36-0	434	12.1	42-72	.583	0-0	.000	29-45	.644	39-56-95	2.6	67-0	24	21	25	18	113	3.1
2019-20	31-31	936	30.2	156-255	.612	1-2	.500	113-151	.748	64-119-183	5.9	94-2	39	57	27	33	426	13.7
2020-21	8-8	214	26.8	31-63	.492	0-1	.000	27-35	.771	18-31-49	6.1	12-0	13	8	3	6	89	11.1
TOTAL	115-46	2023	17.6	264-462	.571	1-3	.333	198-273	.725	153-269-422	3.7	232-2	102	116	73	84	727	6.3

# **O DAVONTE GAINES**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 3 at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 9 vs. UNC Asheville (11/5/19)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 1 (3x), last at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 7 vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

#### ASSISTS Season -

Career 3 vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)

#### **BLOCKS**

Season 1 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 1(7x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

#### **STEALS**

Season -Career 3 (2x) vs. Arkansas (2/21/20)

#### **MINUTES**

 Season
 8:29 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20)

 Career
 25:58 vs. Wisconsin (12/28/19)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 1 at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 4 vs. UNC Asheville (11/5/19)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 2 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 8 vs. Wisconsin (12/28/19)

#### 3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE

Season -Career 1(3x), last vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season	1 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)
Career	3 vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)

# FREE THROWS MADE

Season 2 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 4 (5x), last vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

# FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season 4 at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 6 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	29-1	303	10.4	19-57	.333	3-19	.158	31-43	.721	15-41-56	1.9	34-0	14	12	6	23	72	2.5
2020-21	6-0	23	3.8	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	3-6	.500	1-2-3	0.5	3-0	0	0	1	0	5	0.8
TOTAL	35-1	326	9.3	20-61	.328	3-20	.150	34-49	.694	16-43-59	1.7	37-0	14	12	7	23	77	2.2

**SO** Guard | 6-7 | 181 | Recreation and Sport Management Buffalo, New York | Hargrave Military Academy (Va.)

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#### First name pronounced: duh-VAHN-tay

- Has seen limited action off the bench in six games so far this season, including both SEC games.
- Has zero turnovers during his 23 minutes played this year.
- Scored three points in three minutes of action in UT's road victory over #12 Missouri (12/30/20).
- Saw his first action of the season during Tennessee's 79-38 rout of Appalachian State (12/15/20).
- Much more comfortable and confident with a year of experience under his belt.
- As a true freshman last season, he developed a reputation for grit, hustle and defensive intensity.
- Was second on the team last year with 17 "floor burns" (diving efforts).
- Averaged 10+ minutes off the bench last season.
- His 23 total steals last season tied for third-most on the team.
- Was the first Vol off the bench seven times as a true freshman.
- Pulled down eight rebounds during an intrasquad scrimmage on Nov. 14.
- Shares a hometown with assistant coach Desmond Oliver.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20							DNP										
Cincinnati	12/12/20							DNP										
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	8	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	7	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	3	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-4	.000	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
Alabama	1/2/21	-	1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
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Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 5+ Points	5	-	5
Scored 10+ Points	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Scoring	-	-	-
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	-	-	-
Had 5+ Rebounds	4	-	4
Had 3+ Assists	1	-	1
Had Multiple Steals	5	-	5
Led the Vols in Steals	4	-	4
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	5	-	5
Played 10+ Minutes	14	-	14
Had Multiple Dunks	-	-	-



# **21 KENT GILBERT**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

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REBOUNDS Season -Career -

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Season -Career -

BLOCKS

Season -Career -

STEALS

Season -

Career -

MINUTES

Season 3 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### FIELD GOALS MADE Season -

Career -

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season -Career -

# 3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE

Season -

Career -

#### 3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED Season -

Career -

FREE THROWS MADE Season -

Career -

# FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season -Career -

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CAREER	STATS															
	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl
2020-21	1-0	3	3.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1-0	3	3.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0

**FR** Guard | 6-1 | 164 | Recreation and Sport Management Greenville, North Carolina | D.H. Conley High School

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- Saw the first playing time of his career in UT's 103-49 victory over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20), logging three minutes of action.
- True freshman walk-on is no stranger to the UT basketball program.
- His father, current East Carolina AD Jon Gilbert, was the executive senior associate AD and the men's basketball administrator at Tennessee when Rick Barnes was hired.
- Completed a fall semester practicum with local non-profit Emerald Youth Foundation.
- Graduated from D.H. Conley High School in Greenville, North Carolina.
- Attended Christian Academy of Knoxville (CAK) as a high school freshman before moving to Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20							DNP										
Cincinnati	12/12/20							DNP										
Appalachian State	12/15/20							DNP										
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	3	0-0	.000.	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20							DNP										
USC Upstate	12/23/20	)						DNP										
at Missouri	12/30/20	)						DNP										
Alabama	1/2/21							DNP										
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
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# **5** Josiah-Jordan James



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

#### POINTS

Season 15 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 16 at Kentucky (3/3/20)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 8 (3x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 13 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

#### **ASSISTS**

Season 5 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 6 (3x), last vs. Florida (2/29/20)

#### BLOCKS

Season 2 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 3 at Vanderbilt (1/18/20)

#### **STEALS**

Season 3 (4x), last at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 3 (5x), last at Missouri (12/30/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 32:16 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 39:53 vs. Florida (2/29/20)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 6 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 9 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 11 (2x), last vs. LSU (1/4/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season3 (2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)Career3 (5x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

## **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 5 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 6 (3x), last at Georgia (1/15/20)

# FREE THROWS MADE

Season 6 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career Same

#### FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season 6 (2x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career Same

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	27-26	806	29.9	68-184	.370	29-79	.367	35-45	.778	28-121-149	5.5	68-3	79	68	23	23	200	7.4
2020-21	8-8	201	25.1	21-49	.429	7-19	.368	15-16	.938	22-28-50	6.3	14-0	22	11	8	14	64	8.0
TOTAL	35-34	1007	28.8	89-233	.382	36-98	.367	50-61	.820	50-149-199	5.7	82-3	101	79	31	37	264	7.5

**SO** Guard | 6-6 | 207 | Communication Studies Charleston, South Carolina | Porter-Gaud School

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- Has totaled three steals in four of Tennessee's eight games.
- Leads the team and ranks sixth in the SEC with 22 offensive rebounds through eight games (2.8 orpg).
- Leads the team and ranks 15th in the SEC in total rebounding (6.3 rpg).
- Leads the team and ranks eighth in the SEC in steals with 1.8 steals per contest (14 total).
- Reeled in a season-high-tying eight rebounds, rejected two shots and tallied a pair of steals against Alabama (1/2/21).
   Was all over the stat sheet in UT's win at #12 Missouri (12/30/20)--despite scoring just two points--tallying three
- offensive boards, four assists, a career-high tying three steals and a plus/minus of +25. • Scored 15 points, while knocking down a career-high six field goals and three 3-pointers in the win over
- Tennessee Tech (12/18/20). He also finished the night with six rebounds and three assists.
  Scored 11 points, knocking down all three of his attempts from 3-point range, and brought down a game- and
- season-high eight rebounds, with five coming on the offensive glass.
- Took up yoga during the pandemic shutdown in the spring, describing it as "life-changing.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	g	30	2-6	.333	0-3	.000	4-4	1.000	2	4	6	0	3	1	0	3	8
Cincinnati	12/12/20	g	21	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	6-6	1.000	2	2	4	1	3	3	0	3	8
Appalachian State	12/15/20	g	22	4-9	.444	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	5	3	8	2	2	1	1	0	11
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	g	26	6-8	.750	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	3	3	6	0	3	0	2	0	15
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	g	19	3-7	.429	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	3	4	7	4	1	1	1	0	7
USC Upstate	12/23/20	g	28	3-5	.600	0-2	.000	5-6	.833	2	6	8	0	5	1	1	3	11
at Missouri	12/30/20	g	23	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	0	3	4	4	2	1	3	2
Alabama	1/2/21	g	32	1-6	.167	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2	6	8	3	1	2	2	2	2
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
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	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	10	3	13
Scored 15+ Points	2	1	3
Led the Vols in Scoring	1	-	1
Had 10+ Assists	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Assists	10	1	11
Had a Double-Double	-	-	-
Had 3+ Steals	1	4	5
Led the Vols in Steals	6	4	10
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	8	2	10
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	) 13	5	18
Had Multiple Dunks	-	-	-



# **30 BROCK JANCEK**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### **POINTS** Season -

Career -

# REBOUNDS

Season -Career 1 (3x), last vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

#### ASSISTS

Season -

Career -

# BLOCKS

Season -Career 1 vs. Georgia (1/5/19)

STEALS

Season -Career -

#### MINUTES Season 2:32 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

Career Same

#### FIELD GOALS MADE Season -

Career -

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED Season -Career 1 (4x), last vs. Ole Miss (1/21/20)

**3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE** Season -Career -

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED** Season -Career -

FREE THROWS MADE Season -Career -

#### FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED Season -Career -

# **CAREER STATS**

JR Forward   6-8   222   Civil Engineering
Knoxville, Tennessee   Knoxville Catholic High School

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- Walk-on forward has seen action in 12 games during his career, including one game this season.
- Saw his first action of 2020-21 in the Vols' home victory over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20).
- Earned the VOLScholar patch on his jersey after posting a GPA of 3.0 or higher for the Fall semester.
  - Graduated from Knoxville Catholic High School, where he earned TSWA All-State honors as a senior after averaging 21.0 points and eight rebounds per game.
  - His father, John Jancek, was the Tennessee football program's defensive coordinator from 2013-15 and held that same title at Colorado State in 2018 and 2019; he is now a football quality control analyst at Georgia.
  - His *younger* brother, Jack, is a former high school quarterback who is now a freshman receiver on the Volunteers football team.
  - His older brother, Zac, was a quarterback on the Tennessee football team and completed his eligibility in 2018.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	т/о	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20							DNP										
Cincinnati	12/12/20							DNP										
Appalachian State	2 12/15/20							DNP										
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20							DNP										
USC Upstate	12/23/20							DNP										
at Missouri	12/30/20							DNP										
Alabama	1/2/21							DNP										
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
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Georgia	3/3/21																	



	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2018-19	6-0	9	1.5	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2-2	0.3	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0.0
2019-20	5-0	7	1.4	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-0-1	0.2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2020-21	1-0	3	3.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL	12-0	19	1.6	0-5	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2-3	0.3	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0.0

# **45 KEON JOHNSON**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 13 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### REBOUNDS

Season 8 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

#### **ASSISTS**

Season 5 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

#### BLOCKS

Season 2 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

#### STEALS

Season 4 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career Same

MINUTES Season 30:25 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

FIELD GOALS MADE Season 5 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

**FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED** Season 12 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career Same

**3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE** Season 2 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

# **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 3 (2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

FREE THROWS MADE Season 4 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

#### **FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED** Season 8 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

# **CAREER STATS**

FR Guard	6-5	186	Forestry Wildlife/Fisheries
Shelbyville,	Tennes	ssee	The Webb School

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- Leads the team in charges drawn (4) and floor burns/diving efforts (5).
- Tallied 12 points and a season-high eight rebounds in a season-high 30 minutes of action against Alabama (1/2/21).
  Scored 12 points, dished off a season-high five assists, recorded three steals blocked two shots in the win over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20).
- Scored in double figures for the first time in the victory over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20), notching 13 points on 5-of-8 shooting while also dishing off three assists.
- Was extemely active on the defensive end against Appalachian State (12/15/20), finishing the night with a season-high four steals in 23 minutes. He also scored six points and tallied three assists.
- Scored seven points and was big on the glass with six rebounds in the home win over Cincinnati (12/12/20).
- Scored four points in 13 minutes in his collegiate debut against Colorado (12/8/20) and provided a key spark
  midway through the second half in the Vols' season-opening triumph.
- Projected as a Lottery Pick in the 2021 NBA Draft according to multiple outlets (ESPN, CBS Sports, 247sports and The Athletic).

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	РСТ	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	-	13	2-3	.667	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2	1	5	0	1	4
Cincinnati	12/12/20	-	20	2-6	.333	0-3	.000	3-6	.500	1	5	6	1	1	2	1	0	7
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	23	2-7	.286	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	2	2	4	1	3	0	0	4	6
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	17	5-8	.625	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	0	4	4	2	3	1	1	1	13
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	21	4-10	.400	0-1	.000	4-8	.500	0	1	1	2	5	1	2	3	12
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	16	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	3	0	4	0	0	4
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	18	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	3	3	2	1	3	0	0	6
Alabama	1/2/21	-	30	5-12	.417	0-3	.000	2-3	.667	3	5	8	0	2	2	0	1	12
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
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South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	This Season
Scored 10+ Points	3
Scored 20+ Points	-
Led the Vols in Scoring	-
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	1
Had 5+ Rebounds	2
Had 10+ Rebounds	-
Had a Double-Double	-
Had Multiple Steals	2
Had Multiple Blocks	1
Had Multiple Dunks	-
Had a Positive A/T Ratio	3



	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2020-21	8-0	158	19.8	24-55	.436	2-14	.143	14-24	.583	7-22-29	3.6	13-0	16	18	4	10	64	8.0
TOTAL	8-0	158	19.8	24-55	.436	2-14	.143	14-24	.583	7-22-29	3.6	13-0	16	18	4	10	64	8.0

# **32 COLE MORRIS**



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

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Career -	Vanderb
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STEALS	Missouri
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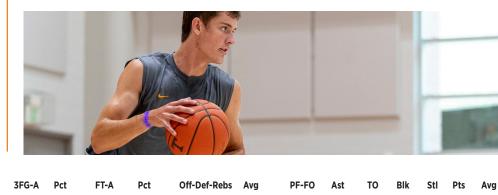
**FR** Forward | 6-9 | 192 | Aerospace Engineering Marietta, Georgia | George Walton Comprehensive High School

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- True freshman walk-on has a family connection to the Tennessee program.
- His grandfather, Marty Morris, was an assistant coach for the Vols under head coach Ray Mears from 1971-74.
- Morris enjoyed a successful head coaching career at Ferrum Junior College in Virginia, before he was hired on Mears' staff; one of Morris's top players at Ferrum, Larry Robinson, accompanied his coach to Tennessee and became the first Black player ever to suit up for the Vols.
- Aims to pursue a degree in Aerospace Engineering.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

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Appalachian State	12/15/20							DNP									
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20							DNP									
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20							DNP									
USC Upstate	12/23/20							DNP									
at Missouri	12/30/20	)						DNP									
Alabama	1/2/21							DNP									
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Georgia	3/3/21																



**CAREER STATS** 

2020-21 **TOTAL**  GP-GS

Min

Avg

FG-A

Pct

# **13 OLIVIER NKAMHOUA**



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

#### POINTS

Season 9 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 11 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

#### REBOUNDS

 Season
 2 (2x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

 Career
 13 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

#### ASSISTS

Season 1(2x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 2 vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

#### BLOCKS

Season 1 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 3 vs. Texas A&M (1/28/20)

#### **STEALS**

Season 3 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### MINUTES

Season 12:43 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 23:12 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 4 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 5 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

 Season
 5 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

 Career
 9 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

# 3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE

Season -Career 1 vs. Chattanooga (11/25/19)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season -Career 2 vs. Chattanooga (11/25/19)

#### FREE THROWS MADE Season 2 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 6 vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

FREE THROWS ATTEMPTEDSeason4 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)Career8 vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

# **CAREER STATS**

	SO FOrward   6-8   223   Business Management
Helsinki, Finland   Bishop Walsh School	Helsinki, Finland   Bishop Walsh School

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#### Name pronounced: OH-liv-ee-AY KAHM-wuh

- Has appeared in every game for the Vols thus far, scoring 31 total points and shooting 14-of-21 from the field.
- Was a perfect 4-of-4 from the field, scoring nine points in 13 productive minutes off the bench in UT's dominant 80-60 victory over USC Upstate (12/23/20).
- Scored eight points and nabbed a career-high three steals in 10 minutes off the bench in the Vols' 103-49 victory over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20).
- Made 30 appearances off the bench as a true freshman last season.
- Made strides during the offseason with his ability to learn to play in tight spaces down low.
  The coaching staff would like to see him become more of a shot-blocking presence in preparation for the departures
- of current seniors Yves Pons and John Fulkerson.
- Totaled 12 points, seven rebounds and three blocks in UT's intrasquad scrimmage on Nov. 14.
- Posted an 11-point, 13-rebound double-double last season vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19).
  - Pulled down 10 rebounds against Wisconsin (12/28/19) last season.
  - His mother is Scottish/Finnish, and his father hails from Cameroon.

## 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

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Cincinnati	12/12/20	-	5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	8	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	10	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	3	8
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	9	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	6
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	13	4-4	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	1	1	3	1	0	1	1	9
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	4	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	1/2/21	-	4	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
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Last Season	This Season	Career
8	3	11
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-	-	-
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-	1	1
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	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	30-0	343	11.4	39-70	.557	1-5	.200	19-31	.613	33-58-91	3.0	47-0	10	31	15	4	98	3.3
2020-21	8-0	62	7.8	14-21	.667	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2-6-8	1.0	11-0	2	4	1	4	31	3.9
TOTAL	38-0	405	10.7	53-91	.582	1-5	.200	22-36	.611	35-64-99	2.6	58-0	12	35	16	8	129	3.4

SO Forward | 6-10 | 190 | Business Management

# **3 DREW PEMBER**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

## POINTS

Season -Career 8 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 2 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 5 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

#### ASSISTS

Season 3 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### BLOCKS

Season 1 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 2 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

#### STEALS

Season 1 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 1(2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 6:01 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 15:13 vs. Florida A&M (12/4/19)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season -Career 1 (8x), last at Alabama (2/4/20)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 2 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 4 (2x) at Alabama (2/4/20)

# 3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE

Season -Career 1 (3x), last at Georgia (1/15/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 1(2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 3 at Alabama (2/4/20)

#### FREE THROWS MADE Season -Career 6 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED Season -Career 10 vs. Alabama State (11/20/19)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	22-0	121	5.5	8-24	.333	3-15	.200	10-14	.714	10-12-22	1.0	14-0	5	5	2	1	29	1.3
2020-21	4-0	16	4.0	0-5	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-2-3	0.8	2-0	3	2	1	1	0	0.0
TOTAL	26-0	137	5.3	8-29	.276	3-17	.176	10-14	.714	11-14-25	1.0	16-0	8	7	3	2	29	1.1

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Knoxville, Tennessee | Bearden High School

- Has appeared in four games off the bench for the Vols this season, including both SEC games.
- Dished off a career-high three assists and tallied a steal and a block in UT's win over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20).
- Saw his first action of the season in the Vols' victory over Appalachian State (12/15/20).
- Possesses a great feel for the game and has post size with guard skills.
- Working hard to improve as a defender and play with more physicality.
- Had a tough luck offseason from a development standpoint, as he spent 52 days in quarantine due to multiple contact-tracing hits.
- Earned the VOLScholar patch on his jersey after posting a GPA of 3.0 or higher during the Fall semester.
- Local product from Knoxville's Bearden High School made 22 appearances as a true freshman last season.
  As a high school senior in 2018-19, he helped lead Bearden to the Tennessee Class AAA Championship, defeating Memphis East in the final.

# 2019-20 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20							DNP										
Cincinnati	12/12/20							DNP										
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	4	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	6	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	3	1	1	1	0
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20							DNP										
USC Upstate	12/23/20							DNP										
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	3	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	1/2/21	-	3	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 5+ Points	2	-	2
Scored 10+ Points	-	-	-
Had 3+ Assists	-	1	1
Had 5+ Rebounds	1	-	1
Had Multiple Steals	-	-	-
Had 3+ Steals	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Steals	-	-	-
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	-	-	-
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	5	1	6



# **33 uroš plavšić**



# SEASON/CAREER BESTS

#### POINTS

Season 4 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 16 at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 2 vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 3 (3x), last at Alabama (2/4/20)

#### **ASSISTS**

Season 2 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 2 (2x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

#### **BLOCKS**

Season 1 (2x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

#### STEALS

Season -Career 1 (3x), last at Arkansas (2/26/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 6:01 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 26:37 at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 2 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 6 at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

**FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED** Season 4 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 12 at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

**3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE** Season -

Career -

# 3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season -Career -

#### **FREE THROWS MADE** Season 1 (3x), last at Missouri (12/30/20)

Career 4 (2x), last at Arkansas (2/26/20)

#### **FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED** Season 2 (3x), last at Missouri (12/30/20)

Career 6 at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	16-3	117	7.3	16-38	.421	0-0	.000	10-15	.667	8-7-15	0.9	25-0	3	9	0	3	42	2.6
2020-21	6-0	23	3.8	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	2-3-5	0.8	0-0	2	1	2	0	7	1.2
TOTAL	22-3	140	6.4	18-45	.400	0-0	.000	13-21	.619	10-10-20	0.9	25-0	5	10	2	3	49	2.2

**SO** Forward | 7-0 | 262 | Recreation and Sport Management Ivanjica, Serbia | Arizona State University

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- Scored four points in six minutes off the bench in the win over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20).
- Recorded his first career block and brought down a pair of offensive boards against App State (12/15/20).
  Returned home to Serbia immediately after last season was halted and returned to Tennessee in mid-July.
- Spent part of the summer quarantine helping with his family's raspberry growing/selling business.
- Is a gifted passer who enjoys setting up his teammates.
- Arizona State transfer was inactive for UT's first 15 games last season before he was finally ruled eligible by the NCAA's Committee for Legislative Relief on Jan. 14, 2020, and went on to appear in 16 games.
- In his first career start, he scored a career-high 16 points last season at Mississippi State (2/1/20).
- Graduated from Hamilton Heights Christian Academy in Chattanooga in 2018.
- Just the sixth 7-footer in program history and the first since Steve Hamer (1992-96).
- Earned the VOLScholar patch on his jersey after posting a GPA of 3.0 or higher during the Fall semester.
  Has competed against fellow Serbian and NBA All-Star Nikola Jokić, as well as Croatian NBA center Ivica Zubac.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	-	1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cincinnati	12/12/20								DNP									
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	6	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	4
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	3	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Alabama	1/2/21								DNP									
Arkansas	1/6/21																	-
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	-
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

# **PRODUCTION TRACKER**

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 5+ Points	3	-	3
Scored 10+ Points	1	-	1
Led the Vols in Scoring	1	-	1
Had 10+ Rebounds	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Rebounding	-	-	-
Had a Double-Double	-	-	-
Had 3+ Blocks	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Blocks	-	-	-
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	-	-	-
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	1	1	2
Had Multiple Dunks	-	-	-



#### Name pronounced: Ü-rōsh PLÄV-shich

# **35 YVES PONS**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 13 (2x), last at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 24 at Kansas (1/25/20)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 10 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) Career 14 at Alabama (2/4/20)

#### ASSISTS

Season 4 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career 4 (2x), last vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)

BLOCKS Season 5 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 6 vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)

STEALS

 Season
 2 (2x), last at Missouri (12/30/20)

 Career
 2 (6x), last at Missouri (12/30/20)

 MINUTES

 Season
 33:15 vs. Colorado (12/8/20)

 Career
 40 vs. VCU (11/30/19)

FIELD GOALS MADE Season 5 (3x), last at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 8 (2x), last at Kansas (1/25/20)

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED Season 9 (4x), last at Missouri (12/30/20) Career 14 at Kansas (1/25/20)

**3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE** Season 1 (3x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 3 (3x), last at Kentucky (3/3/20)

# **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season 3 (2x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 6 vs. Florida State (11/29/19)

#### **FREE THROWS MADE** Season 3 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21)

Career 6 (2x), last at Kansas (1/25/20)

# FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Season 4 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 8 (2x), last at Arkansas (2/26/20)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2017-18	24-0	124	5.2	7-14	.500	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	4-11-15	0.6	17-0	5	5	2	3	17	0.7
2018-19	35-13	411	11.7	32-62	.516	7-25	.280	6-15	.400	17-45-62	1.8	42-0	17	22	15	9	77	2.2
2019-20	31-31	1052	33.9	131-268	.489	30-86	.349	44-69	.638	55-111-166	5.4	81-1	33	50	73	13	336	10.8
2020-21	8-8	209	26.1	26-63	.413	3-13	.231	9-12	.750	11-33-44	5.5	11-0	6	9	16	7	64	8.0
TOTAL	98-52	1796	18.3	196-407	.482	42-127	.331	60-98	.612	87-200-287	2.9	151-1	61	86	106	32	494	5.0

**SR** Guard/Forward | 6-6 | 215 | Recreation and Sport Management Fuveau, France | INSEP Academy

# O O O YVES\_AIRPONS 1 2020 SEC Defensive Player of the Year

#### Name Pronounced: EEV PAHNS

- Named to the preseason watch lists for both the Wooden Award and the Naismith Trophy.
- Also projects to be a top candidate for National Defensive Player of the Year.
- Has rejected 11 shots in the Vols' last three games for an average of 3.67 blocks per game.
- Has 89 blocks in his last 39 games, an average of 2.3 per game (dating to the start of last season).
- Ranks third among SEC players in blocked shots, averaging 2.0 per game (16 total).
- Averaging 7.9 FG attempts per game and has shot 50 percent or better three times this season.
- Played through foul trouble, recording six points and five second-half blocks against Alabama (1/2/21).
- Recorded 13 points, six rebounds, a season-high four blocks and two steals at #12 Missouri (12/30/20).
- Pulled in a game-high nine rebounds and scored 13 points in the win over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20).
- The reigning SEC Defensive Player of the Year, eclipsed 100 career blocks in the win at #12 Missour (12/30/20).
  Has blocked three or more shots on 16 different occasions and has blocked four or more shots six times.
- His talents extend far beyond basketball, as he is a talented photographer (@pons\_cam on Instagram), saxophone player and chef.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/0	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	f	33	1-9	.111	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	4	6	10	2	0	1	0	1	2
Cincinnati	12/12/20	f	29	4-9	.444	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	2	4	0	0	1	2	0	8
Appalachian State	12/15/20	f	22	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1	5	6	1	1	2	1	2	7
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	f	24	5-9	.556	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	3	2	5	0	4	1	2	1	10
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	f	28	5-8	.625	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	0	9	9	2	0	3	0	0	13
USC Upstate	12/23/20	f	22	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0	1	1	2	1	5
at Missouri	12/30/20	f	30	5-9	.556	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	1	5	6	2	0	0	4	2	13
Alabama	1/2/21	f	21	1-6	.167	1-2	.500	3-4	.750	0	2	2	4	0	0	5	0	6
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
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Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21										-							
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	18	3	22
Scored 15+ Points	6	-	6
Had 5+ Rebounds	15	5	25
Had Multiple Blocks	19	5	27
Led the Vols in Blocks	23	5	30
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	7	-	8
Had Multiple Steals	3	2	6
Led the Vols in Steals	3	-	6
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	8	1	18
Had Multiple Dunks	7	2	14
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# **11 JADEN SPRINGER**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 21 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### REBOUNDS

Season 6 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### ASSISTS

Season 6 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

#### **BLOCKS**

Season 2 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career Same

**STEALS** 

Season 3 at Missouri (12/30/20) Career Same

MINUTES Season 24:49 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career Same

FIELD GOALS MADE Season 8 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED Season 10 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

**3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE** Season 2 (3x), last vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career Same

# 3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 3 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) Career Same

**FREE THROWS MADE** Season 5 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career Same

**FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED** Season 6 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career Same

# CAREER STATS

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2020-21	8-0	149	18.6	29-53	.547	7-10	.700	20-27	.741	5-20-25	3.1	13-1	12	10	3	7	85	10.6
TOTAL	8-0	149	18.6	29-53	.547	7-10	.700	20-27	.741	5-20-25	3.1	13-1	12	10	3	7	85	10.6

**FR** Guard | 6-4 | 204 | University Exploratory Charlotte, North Carolina | IMG Academy (Fla.)

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- Is day-to-day after suffering a sprained ankle against Alabama (1/2/21).
- Team's third-leading scorer (11.1 ppg) despite averaging only 6.6 FG attempts per game.
- Scored 13 points, hauled in four rebounds and recorded a season-high three steals at #12 Missouri (12/30/20).
  Garnered his first weekly honor when he was named SEC Freshman of the Week (12/22/20) following Tennessee's
- victories over Appalachian State (12/15/20) and Tennessee Tech (12/18/20).
  Put in an electrifying performance against Tennessee Tech (12/18/20), scoring 21 points on an efficient 8-of-10 shooting, pulling in six rebounds and dishing off six assists with *no* turnovers.
- Finished with 12 points on an efficient 6-of-8 shooting in UT's win over App State (12/15/20).
- Recorded his first career double-digit scoring output, with 11 points in UT's victory over Cincinnati (12/12/20).
- Knocked down two crucial second-half 3-pointers to help push the Vols past Colorado (12/8/20).
- The 2020 McDonald's All-American is projected by multiple outlets as a first-round pick in the 2021 NBA Draft.
- Was rated as a consensus top-20 prospect nationally (Rivals No. 15, 247Sports No. 16, ESPN No. 16).
- Helped lead IMG Academy to the 2019 Geico High School National Championship as a junior (18.6 ppg).

## 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/0	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	-	9	2-3	.667	2-2	1.000	0-1	.000	0	2	2	1	0	2	0	1	6
Cincinnati	12/12/20	-	25	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	1	3	4	1	1	1	0	1	11
Appalachian State	12/15/20	-	22	6-8	.750	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	1	12
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	-	22	8-10	.800	2-3	.667	3-4	.750	1	5	6	0	6	0	0	1	21
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	-	21	2-6	.333	2-2	1.000	4-4	1.000	1	2	3	5	1	3	1	0	10
USC Upstate	12/23/20	-	20	3-8	.375	0-2	.000	3-4	.750	2	2	4	0	3	1	2	0	9
at Missouri	12/30/20	-	25	4-7	.571	1-1	1.000	4-5	.800	0	4	4	1	1	2	0	3	13
Alabama	1/2/21	-	5	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	3
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
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at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

	This Season
Scored 10+ Points	5
Scored 20+ Points	1
Led the Vols in Scoring	1
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	3
Had 5+ Rebounds	1
Had 10+ Rebounds	-
Had a Double-Double	-
Had Multiple Steals	1
Had Multiple Blocks	1
Had Multiple Dunks	-
Had a Positive A/T Ratio	2



# **24** ISAIAH SULACK



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SEASON/CAREER BESTS	2020-21
POINTS	OPPONENT
Season - Career -	Colorado
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Appalachian Sta	te 12/15/20	DNP
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	DNP
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	DNP
USC Upstate	12/23/20	DNP
at Missouri	12/30/20	DNP
Alabama	1/2/21	DNP
Arkansas	1/6/21	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21	
at South Carolir	na 1/12/21	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21	
at Florida	1/19/21	
Missouri	1/23/21	
Mississippi State	e 1/26/21	
Kansas	1/30/21	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21	
at Kentucky	2/6/21	
Florida	2/10/21	
at LSU	2/13/21	
South Carolina	2/16/21	
Kentucky	2/20/21	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21	
at Auburn	2/27/21	
Georgia	3/3/21	

# REBOUNDS

Season -

Career -

ASSISTS

Season -Career -

**BLOCKS** Season -

Career -

**STEALS** Season -

Career -**MINUTES** Season -

Career -

#### FIELD GOALS MADE Season -

Career -

# **FIELD GOALS ATTEM**

Season -Career -

## **3-PT. FIELD GOALS M**

Season -Career -

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS A** Season -

Career -

**FREE THROWS MADE** Season -Career -

# **FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED**

Season -Career -



#### **CAREER STATS** 3FG-A Pts GP-GS Min Pct FT-A Pct Off-Def-Rebs Avg PF-FO Stl FG-A Pct то Blk Avg Ast Avg 2020-21 TOTAL

SO Guard | 6-5 | 170 | Business Management Knoxville, Tennessee | Bossier Parish (La.) Community College

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- This is the walk-on guard's first year at Tennessee after transferring from junior college.
- Earned his associate's degree from Bossier Parish Community College in Louisiana in the spring of 2020.

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FT-FTA PCT OFF DEF TOT PF A T/O BLK STL PTS

• Knoxville native graduated from Christian Academy of Knoxville (CAK) in 2017.

St MIN FG-FGA PCT 3FG-FGA PCT

• Former Vol and current basketball graduate assistant Lucas Campbell (2015-19) also is a CAK alum.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS DATE

12/8/20

12/12/20

Cincinnati

# 25 SANTIAGO VESCOVI



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

#### POINTS

Season 16 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 20 vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

#### REBOUNDS

Season 7 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 8 at Alabama (2/4/20)

#### ASSISTS

Season 8 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) Career 8 (2x), last vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20)

#### BLOCKS

Season 1 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) Career 1 (4x), last vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)

#### STEALS

Season 2 (2x), last vs. Appalachian St. (12/15/20) Career 3 (2x), last at South Carolina (2/15/20)

#### MINUTES

Season 33:37 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 38:26 vs Kentucky (2/8/20)

#### FIELD GOALS MADE

Season 5 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 6 (3x), last vs. Arkansas (2/11/20)

#### FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

Season 15 vs. Alabama (1/2/21) Career 15 at Alabama (2/4/20)

# **3-PT. FIELD GOALS MADE**

Season 4 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) Career 6 vs. LSU (1/4/20)

#### **3-PT. FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**

Season	8 (2x), last vs. Alabama (1/2/21)
Career	9 (2x), last at Mississippi State (2/1/20)

#### FREE THROWS MADE Season 4 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

Career 7 vs. South Carolina (1/11/20)

#### **FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED** Season 4 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

Career 8 vs. South Carolina (1/11/20)

# **CAREER STATS**

	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	19-19	575	30.3	63-169	.373	36-100	.360	42-51	.824	10-52-62	3.3	61-2	70	67	3	23	204	10.7
2020-21	8-8	222	27.8	24-57	.421	18-41	.439	10-10	1.000	3-26-29	3.6	23-0	30	13	1	5	76	9.5
TOTAL	27-27	797	29.5	87-226	.385	54-141	.383	52-61	.852	13-78-91	3.4	84-2	100	80	4	28	280	10.4

**SO** Guard | 6-3 | 188 | Business Management Montevideo, Uruguay | NBA Global Academy (Canberra, Australia)

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- Leads the team and ranks second in the SEC with a 2.3 assist/turnover ratio (30 total assists).
- Leads the Vols and ranks ninth in the SEC in assists, with 3.8 per game.
- Has made at least one 3-pointer in all but three games in his career (24 of 27 games). Scored a game-high 15 points on an efficient 5-of-7 shooting and 3-of-4 from 3-point range in UT's road victory
- over 12th-ranked Missouri (12/30/20).
- Dished off a career-high-tying eight assists and scored nine points in the win over USC Upstate (12/23/20).
- Scored 16 points and tallied season-highs in rebounds (seven) and assists (five) in the win over St. Joe's (12/21/20). • Led the Vols in points (11) and assists (5) in the season-opening win over Colordao (12/8/20).
- Has converted on 18 straight attempts from the foul line dating to last season's victory over Florida (2/29/20).
- Traveled home to Uruguay immediately after last season was halted and returned to Tennessee in late July.
- When his teammates who returned to campus in June were limited to physically distanced shooting drills, he was able to play high-level 5-on-5 games in his hometown of Montevideo, where the pandemic's impact was minimal (also spent some time there surfing).

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	РСТ	3FG-FGA	РСТ	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	тот	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20	g	33	3-5	.600	3-4	.750	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	2	5	3	0	2	11
Cincinnati	12/12/20	g	28	2-6	.333	1-4	.250	2-2	1.000	0	5	5	3	3	1	1	0	7
Appalachian State	12/15/20	g	25	2-5	.400	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	1	3	4	4	4	1	0	2	5
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20	g	21	0-4	.000.	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	4	3	1	0	0	0
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20	g	28	4-9	.444	4-8	.500	4-4	1.000	1	6	7	3	5	1	0	1	16
USC Upstate	12/23/20	g	27	3-6	.500	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	8	2	0	0	9
at Missouri	12/30/20	g	26	<b>5</b> -7	.714	3-4	.750	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	2	1	3	0	0	15
Alabama	1/2/21	g	34	5-15	.333	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	1	3	4	4	1	1	0	0	13
Arkansas	1/6/21																	
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																	
at South Carolina	1/12/21																	
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																	
at Florida	1/19/21																	
Missouri	1/23/21																	
Mississippi State	1/26/21																	
Kansas	1/30/21																	
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																	
at Kentucky	2/6/21																	
Florida	2/10/21																	
at LSU	2/13/21																	
South Carolina	2/16/21																	
Kentucky	2/20/21																	
at Vanderbilt	2/24/21																	
at Auburn	2/27/21																	
Georgia	3/3/21																	

# **PRODUCTION TRACKER**

	Last Season	This Season	Career
Scored 10+ Points	11	4	15
Scored 20+ Points	1	-	1
Led the Vols in Scoring	4	2	6
Made Multiple 3-Pointers	9	5	14
Had 5+ Rebounds	3	2	5
Had 5+ Assists	6	3	9
Had 10+ Assists	-	-	-
Led the Vols in Assists	7	5	12
Had Multiple Steals	6	2	9
Led the Vols in Steals	6	-	6
Had a Positive Assist/TO Ratio	o 11	6	17



Name pronounced: sahn-tee-AH-go vess-CO-vee

# **15 COREY WALKER JR.**



# **SEASON/CAREER BESTS**

POINTS Season -

Career -

Career -	Cincinna
REBOUNDS	Appalach
Season -	Tennesse
Career -	Saint Jos
	USC Ups
ASSISTS	at Missou
Season -	Alabama
Career -	
	Arkansas
BLOCKS	at Texas
Season -	at South
Career -	Vanderb
	at Florida
STEALS	Missouri
Season -	Mississip
Career -	Kansas
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MINUTES	at Kentu
Season -	Florida
Career -	at LSU
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CAREER STATS	

FR Forward | 6-8 | 219 | Recreation and Sport Management Hastings, Florida | Hargrave Military Academy (Va.)

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- Working his way back from a toe injury suffered in November.
- True freshman forward was rated as a top-75 prospect nationally (Rivals No. 57, 247Sports No. 57, ESPN No. 73). • Improved conditioning was an area of focus for the Florida native during the preseason.
- Had helped lead Hargrave to a 36-4 record before the pandemic interrupted the 2019-20 season; he was averaging 15.2 points, 8.0 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.5 blocks per game.
- Is the fifth basketball Vol to enroll at Tennessee after attending Hargrave Military Academy, joining current teammate Davonte Gaines, Stanley Asumnu (2002-06), Jabari McGhee (2014-16) and Tyler Smith (2007-10).
- Is roommates with fellow freshmen Keon Johnson and Jaden Springer.

# 2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OPPONENT	DATE	St	MIN	FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF DE	f tot	PF	Α	T/O	BLK	STL	PTS
Colorado	12/8/20							INJ									
Cincinnati	12/12/20							INJ									
Appalachian State	12/15/20							INJ									
Tennessee Tech	12/18/20							INJ									
Saint Joseph's	12/21/20							INJ									
USC Upstate	12/23/20							INJ									
at Missouri	12/30/20	)						DNP									
Alabama	1/2/21							DNP									
Arkansas	1/6/21																
at Texas A&M	1/9/21																
at South Carolina	1/12/21																
Vanderbilt	1/16/21																
at Florida	1/19/21																
Missouri	1/23/21																
Mississippi State	1/26/21																
Kansas	1/30/21																
at Ole Miss	2/2/21																
at Kentucky	2/6/21																
Florida	2/10/21																
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South Carolina	2/16/21																
Kentucky	2/20/21																
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Georgia	3/3/21																

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	GP-GS	Min	Avg	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Off-Def-Rebs	Avg	PF-FO	Ast	то	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2020-21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL																		

# THE LAST TIME...

## LAST TIME A TENNESSEE PLAYER...

- Scored 40 Points: 43 by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Scored 35 Points: 43 by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Scored 30 Points: 43 by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)

Scored 25 Points: 27 by John Fulkerson at Kentucky (3/3/20)

Scored 30 Or More Points In Back-To-Back Games: Chris Lofton with 34 vs. Memphis (12/6/06) and 32 vs. Western Kentucky (12/16/06)

Scored 25 or More Points in Back-To-Back Games: Admiral Schofield with 30 vs. #1 Gonzaga (12/9/18) and 29 at Memphis (12/15/18)

- Scored 20 or More Points in Five Consecutive Games: Seven Games: Kevin Punter Jr. with 24 vs. Gardner-Webb (11/22/15), 26 vs. Army West Point (11/24/15), 24 vs. George Washington (12/27/15), 23 vs. Nebraska (11/28/15), 27 at Butler (12/12/15), 24 vs. Florida Atlantic (12/16/15) and 23 vs. Gonzaga (12/19/15)
- Grabbed 20 Rebounds: 20 by Jeronne Maymon vs. Memphis (11/22/11)
- Grabbed 15 Rebounds: 17 by Kyle Alexander at Missouri (1/8/19)
- Grabbed 10 Offensive Rebounds: 10 by Jeronne Maymon vs. NC State (12/18/13)
- Made 15 Field Goals: 15 (15-19) by Dyron Nix vs. Tennessee Tech (11/25/88)
- Made 10 Field Goals: 10 (10-15) by John Fulkerson at Kentucky (3/3/20)
- Attempted 25 Field Goals: 27 (14-27) by Allan Houston vs. LSU (2/10/90)
- Attempted 20 Field Goals: 22 (11-22) by Admiral Schofield at LSU (2/23/19)
- Made 8 3-pointers: 8 (8-11) by Jordan McRae at Georgia (3/2/13)
- Made 7 3-pointers: 7 (7-11) by Lamonté Turner vs. Presbyterian (12/6/16)
- **Made 6 3-pointers:** 6 (6-9) by Santiago Vescovi vs. LSU (1/4/20)
- Attempted 15 3-pointers: 15 (6-15) by Chris Lofton at Vanderbilt (2/26/08)
- Attempted 10 3-pointers: 10 (4-10) by Jordan Bowden at Arkansas (2/26/20)
- Made 15 Free Throws: 23 (23-23) by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Made 10 Free Throws: 10 (10-12) by John Fulkerson vs. Kentucky (2/8/20)
- Attempted 20 Free Throws: 23 (23-23) by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Attempted 15 Free Throws: 23 (23-23) by Grant Williams at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Had 15 Assists: 15 by Fred Jenkins vs. Georgia (2/28/87) Had 10 Assists: 11 by Lamonté Turner vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)
- Had 6 Steals: 6 by Jordan Bowden at Alabama (2/4/20) Had 5 Steals: 6 by Jordan Bowden at Alabama (2/4/20)
- Had 5 Blocks: 5 by Yves Pons vs. Alabama (1/2/21)
- Played Every Minute Of A Game: 40 minutes by Jordan Bowden at Missouri (1/7/20)
   Converted A 4-Point Play: Yves Pons vs. Arkansas
- (2/11/20)

- **Hit A Shot At The Buzzer To Send A Game To Overtime:** Robert Hubbs III hit a driving layup as time expired to tie the game 67-67. Tennessee won 76-73 in overtime at Vanderbilt (2/11/15).
- Hit A Shot In The Closing Seconds To Send A Game To Overtime: Grant Williams made a driving layup with 33 seconds left in regulation, tying the game at 71. Tennessee went on to lose, 82-80, in overtime (2/23/19)
- Hit A Shot At The Buzzer To Win A Game: With 1.7 seconds to play, Josiah-Jordan James inbounded the ball to Lamonté Turner, who hit a game-winning 3-pointer from the corner after coming off a John Fulkerson screen; the Vols beat VCU, 72-69 at the Emerald Coast Classic (11/30/19)
- Hit A Closing-Seconds Shot To Win A Game: Grant Williams made a go-ahead driving layup with 3 seconds left to play in UT's 73-71 victory at Ole Miss (2/27/19)
- Scored 20 or more points in a first half: Jordan McRae (20 of his 24) vs. South Carolina (2/8/14)
- Scored 20 or more points in a second half: Grant Williams (25 of his 43) at Vanderbilt (1/23/19)
- Had A Triple-Double: Tyler Smith (12 points, 10 rebounds, 10 assists) vs. UNC Asheville (12/3/08) The only triple-double in Tennessee basketball history

# LAST TIME TENNESSEE...

Scored 110 Points: 124 vs. UNC Asheville (11/17/09) Scored 105 Points: 106 vs. Arkansas (1/15/19) Scored 100 Points: 102 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

Allowed 100 Points: 105 vs. Texas (12/23/06, OT)

- Scored 60 Points in a Half: 62 (2nd half) vs. East Carolina (11/20/09)
- Did Not Score 20+ Points in a Half: 18 (1st half) vs. Vanderbilt (2/22/17)
- Grabbed 55 Rebounds: 58 vs. UT Martin (11/18/08) Grabbed 50 Rebounds: 50 vs. Eastern Kentucky (11/28/18)
- Made 40 Field Goals: 42 (42-72) vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)
- Attempted 90 Field Goals: 91 (38-91) vs. LSU (2/10/90) Attempted 80 Field Goals: 80 (29-80) vs. Purdue (11/22/17) Attempted 70 Field Goals: 72 (42-72) vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)
- Made 15 3-pointers: 16 (16-33) vs. Presbyterian (12/6/16) Made 10 3-pointers: 10 (10-24) vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)
- Attempted **35 3-pointers:** 39 (13-39) vs. Chattanooga (1/2/12) Attempted **30 3-pointers:** 31 (6-31) vs. South Carolina (1/11/20)
- Made 45 Free Throws: 45 (45-60) vs. George Washington (12/28/00)
- Made 40 Free Throws: 45 (45-60) vs. George Washington (12/28/00)
- Did Not Miss a Free Throw: 6-6 vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19)
- Attempted 55 Free Throws: 60 (45-60) vs. George Washington (12/28/00)
- Had 30 Assists: 30 vs. Tusculum (1/4/14) Had 25 Assists: 25 vs. Jacksonville State (12/21/19) Had 20 Steals: 21 vs. North Carolina A&T (12/23/09) Had 15 Steals: 15 at Vanderbilt (2/22/11) Had 12 Blocks: 12 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/29/18)

#### Never trailed in a game: at Missouri (12/30/20)

- Faced a 25-Point Deficit: Trailed 80-54 in second half at Georgia (1/15/20); lost 80-63
- **Faced a 20-Point Deficit:** Trailed 85-63 in second half vs. Auburn (3/7/20); lost 85-63
- Faced a 15-Point Deficit: Trailed 85-63 in second half vs. Auburn (3/7/20); lost 85-63
- Overcame a 20-Point Deficit To Win: Trailed 13-34 in first half, won 84-77 vs. Kentucky (2/2/16)
- Overcame a 15-Point Deficit To Win: Trailed 48-31 in second half at Kentucky (2/3/20); won 81-73
- Overcame a 10-Point Deficit To Win: Trailed 48-31 in second half at Kentucky (2/3/20); won 81-73
- Overcame a 15-Point Halftime Deficit To Win: Trailed 35-50 at halftime, won 111-105 in overtime vs. Texas (12/23/06)
- Overcame a 10-Point Halftime Deficit To Win: Trailed 42-31 at halftime, won 81-73 at Kentucky (3/3/20)
- Did Not Make A 3-Pointer: 0 (0-8) vs. Duke (11/21/11) Active 3-point streak: 311 games
- Played a Half Without a Committing a Turnover: Second half vs. George Washington (11/27/15)
- Had Six Players Score In Double Figures in Same Game: Victor Bailey Jr. (18), Santiago Vescovi (16), Yves Pons (13), Keon Johnson (12), John Fulkerson (10) and Jaden Springer (10) vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)
- Had Seven Players Score In Double Figures in Same Game: Vincent Yarbrough (18), Charles Hathaway (12), Harris Walker (12), Marcus Haislip (12), Isiah Victor (11), Tony Harris (11), Terrence Woods (11) vs. East Tennessee State (11/19/00)
- Had Two Players Record Double-Doubles in Same Game: Jordan Bowden (13 pts, 12 rebs) and Lamonté Turner (17 pts, 12 assts) vs. Chattanooga (11/25/19)
- Tennessee Did Not Have A Player Score in Double Figures: vs. Wisconsin (12/28/19)
- **Opponent Did Not Have A Player Score in Double Figures:** vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)
- Had Three Players Score 20+ Points in Same Game: Jordan McRae (21), Josh Richardson (20) and Jarnell Stokes (20) vs. Virginia (12/30/13)
- Had Two Players Score 25+ Points in Same Game: Armani Moore (29) and Kevin Punter Jr. (26) vs. Army West Point (11/24/15)
- Tennessee Player Made SportCenter's Top 10 Plays: Admiral Schofield vs. Mississippi State (3/15/19). Vicious, driving, one-handed jam over a defender with no regard for the defender or his family (No. 1 play)
- Tennessee Player was Called for a Technical Foul: Uros Plavsic at Alabama (2/4/20) Tennessee Player was Ejected: Yemi Makanjuola (type-2
- flagrant foul) at Vanderbilt (1/24/12)
- Tennessee Head Coach was Called for a Technical Foul: Rick Barnes vs. Alabama (1/2/21)
- Tennessee Head Coach was Ejected: Bruce Pearl vs. College of Charleston (12/31/10)
- Opposing Player was Ejected: Trayvon Reed of Auburn (technical foul and a type-1 flagrant foul, 1/31/15) Opposing Head Coach was Ejected: Mark Fox of Georgia (2/4/12)

# **RECORD & RESULTS**

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	7-1	6-1	1-0	0-0
Conference	1-1	0-1	1-0	0-0
Non-Conference	6-0	6-0	0-0	0-0

Date	Time	Opponent	Score	Attendance	<b>High Points</b>	High Rebounds	High Assists
Nov. 25	8 p.m.	Charlotte (SEC Network+)	Canceled				
Nov. 27	6:30 p.m.	VCU (ESPN2)	Canceled				
Dec. 2	7 p.m.	1-vs. #1 Gonzaga (ESPN)	Canceled				
Dec. 4	8 p.m.	at Notre Dame (ACC Network)	Canceled				
Dec. 8	6 p.m.	Colorado (SEC Network+)	W, 56-47	4,191	11 John Fulkerson	10 Yves Pons	5 Santiago Vescovi
					11 Santiago Vescovi		
Dec. 9	7 p.m.	UT Martin (SEC Network+)	Canceled				
Dec. 12	12:30 p.m.	Cincinnati (SEC Network Alternate)	W, 65-56	4,191	15 John Fulkerson	12 John Fulkerson	3 Josiah-Jordan James
							3 Santiago Vescovi
Dec. 15	7 p.m.	Appalachian State (SEC Network)	W, 79-38	4,191	13 Victor Bailey Jr.	8 Josiah-Jordan James	4 Santiago Vescovi
Dec. 18	7 p.m.	Tennessee Tech (SEC Network+)	W, 103-49	9 4,191	21 Jaden Springer	6 John Fulkerson	6 Jaden Springer
						6 Josiah-Jordan James	
						6 Jaden Springer	
Dec. 21	6 p.m.	Saint Joesph's (SEC Network)	W, 102-66	6 4,191	18 Victor Bailey Jr.	9 Yves Pons	5 John Fulkerson
							5 Keon Johnson
							5 Santiago Vescovi
Dec. 23	5 p.m.	USC Upstate (SEC Network)	W, 80-60	4,191	18 Victor Bailey Jr.	8 Josiah-Jordan James	8 Santiago Vescovi
Dec. 30	9 p.m.	at #12 Missouri <sup>*</sup> (SEC Network)	W, 73-53	3,164	15 Santiago Vescovi	6 John Fulkerson	4 Josiah-Jordan James
						6 Yves Pons	
Jan. 2	6 p.m.	Alabama* (ESPN2)	L, 71-63	4,191	16 Victor Bailey Jr.	8 Josiah-Jordan James	2 Victor Bailey Jr.
						8 Keon Johnson	2 Keon Johnson
Jan. 6	7 p.m.	Arkansas* (ESPN2)					
Jan. 9	2 p.m.	at Texas A&M* (ESPN2)					
Jan. 12	7 p.m.	at South Carolina* (ESPN2)					
Jan. 16	6 p.m.	Vanderbilt* (SEC Network)					
Jan. 19	7 p.m.	at Florida* (ESPN/ESPN2/ESPNU)					
Jan. 23	8:30 p.m.	Missouri <sup>*</sup> (SEC Network)					
Jan. 26	7 p.m.	Mississippi State* (SEC Network)					
Jan. 30	6 p.m.	2-Kansas (ESPN)					
Feb. 2	7 p.m.	at Ole Miss* (ESPN/ESPN2/ESPNU)					
Feb. 6	8 p.m.	at Kentucky <sup>*</sup> (ESPN)					
Feb. 10	7 p.m.	Florida* (ESPN2)					
Feb. 13	2 p.m.	at LSU* (ESPN/ESPN2)					
Feb. 16	8:30 p.m.	South Carolina* (SEC Network)					
Feb. 20	1 p.m.	Kentucky* (CBS)					
Feb. 24	9 p.m.	at Vanderbilt* (SEC Network)					
Feb. 27	Noon	at Auburn* (ESPN/ESPN2)					
March 3	7 p.m.	Georgia* (ESPN2/ESPNU)					

1-Jimmy V Classic (Indianapolis, Ind., Bankers Life Fieldhouse) 2-SEC/Big 12Challenge 3-SEC Tournament (Nashville, Tenn., Bridgestone Arena) \*-Southeastern Conference Game

Rankings listed are Associated Press All Times Eastern

# **GAME-BY-GAME COMPARISON**

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	Date	Result	FG-A	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Rebounds O-D-Total	PF	Pts	Α	то	Blk	Stl	Min	Half
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at #12 Tennessee	Nov. 25	Canceled															
VCU																	
at #12 Tennessee	Nov. 27	Canceled															
vs. #1 Gonzaga																	
#13 Tennessee	Dec. 2	Canceled															
at Notre Dame																	
#13 Tennessee	Dec. 4	Canceled															
Colorado			16-48	.333	5-22	.227	10-12	.833	12-26-38	17	47	10	23	0	5	200	24
at #12 Tennessee	Dec. 8	W, 56-47	19-53	.358	7-19	.368	11-15	.733	11-21-32	15	56	12	15	1	12	200	31
UT Martin																	
at #12 Tennessee	Dec. 9	Canceled															
Cincinnati			22-58		8-28	.286	4-7	.571	6-28-34	26	56	11	17	4	7	200	24
at #12 Tennessee	Dec. 12	W, 65-56	19-59	.322	2-12	.167	25-30	.833	14-31-45	10	65	9	11	4	4	200	30
Appalachian State			12-43	.279	5-21	.238	9-15	.600	9-18-27	14	38	4	18	3	2	200	13
at #10 Tennessee	Dec. 15	W, 79-38	33-67		6-18	.333	7-9	.778	18-27-45	16	79	12	6	5	13	200	36
Tennessee Tech			18-58	.310	7-26	.269	6-9	.667	6-20-26	17	49	9	15	2	3	200	22
at #10 Tennessee	Dec. 18	W, 103-49	42-72		9-19	.474	10-14	.714	12-33-45	10	103	28	7	8	8	200	49
Saint Joseph's	D 01	100.00	23-58		5-24	.208	15-21	.714	6-21-27	30	66	12	18	0	6	200	33
at #8 Tennessee	Dec. 21	W, 102-66	31-62		10-24	.417	30-37		13-32-45	22	102	23	10	5	7	200	56
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#7 Tennessee	Dec. 30	W, 73-53	27-54		5-7	.100	14-24	.583	10-26-36	24	73	9	14	5	8	200	38
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at Tennessee	March 3																

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# GAME-BY-GAME POINTS, REBOUNDS & ASSISTS

	E.J. Anosike	Victor Bailey Jr.	John Fulkerson	Davonte Gaines	Josiah-J. James	Brock Jancek	Keon Johnson	Olivier Nkamhoua	Drew Pember	Uroš Plavšić	Yves Pons	Jaden Springer	Santiago Vescovi	Corey Walker Jr.
<b>Charlotte</b>														
<del>VCU</del>														
<del>vs. #1 Gonzaga</del>														
<del>at Notre Dame</del>														
Colorado	4-4-1	8-3-2	11-3-0	DNP	8-6-3	DNP	4-0-1	2-0-0	INACTIVE	0-0-0	2-10-0	6-2-0	11-2-5	INACTIVE
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Appalachian State	6-6-1	13-3-0	12-5-1	2-1-0	11-8-2	DNP	6-4-3	4-0-0	0-0-0	1-2-0	7-6-1	12-1-0	5-4-4	INJ
Tennessee Tech	0-4-1	15-2-2	13-6-2	0-0-0	15-6-3	0-0-0	13-4-3	8-2-1	0-2-3	4-1-0	10-5-4	21-6-6	0-4-3	INJ
Saint Joseph's	9-5-1	18-0-3	10-6-5	0-1-0	7-7-1	DNP	12-1-5	6-2-0	DNP	1-1-2	13-9-0	10-3-1	16-7-5	INJ
USC Upstate	5-2-0	18-3-1	10-6-2	0-0-0	11-8-5	DNP	4-3-0	9-1-1	DNP	0-1-0	5-2-1	9-4-3	9-0-8	INJ
at #12 Missouri	0-3-0	9-1-1	11-6-1	2-1-0	2-3-4	DNP	6-3-1	0-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	13-6-0	13-4-1	15-3-1	DNP
Alabama	2-3-0	16-7-2	7-5-1	0-0-0	2-8-1	DNP	12-8-2	2-2-0	0-1-0	DNP	6-2-0	3-1-0	13-4-1	DNP
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# **GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS**

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# **HIGHS & LOWS**

Individual Category	Tennessee	Opponent
Points	21 by Jaden Springer vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	18 by Tommy Bruner, USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Points (Half)	17 (1st Half) by Jaden Springer, vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	10 2x, last by John Petty Jr. (2nd Half), Alabama (1/2/21)
Field Goals Made	8 by Springer vs. Tenn. Tech (12/18/20) and Bailey vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20)	) 7 by Tommy Bruner, USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Field Goals Attempted	15 by Santiago Vescovi vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	14 2x, last by Jahvon Quinerly, Alabama (1/2/21)
Field Goal Percentage (min. 5 made)	.800 (8-10) by Jaden Springer vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	.857 (6-7) by John Petty Jr., Alabama (1/2/21)
3-Pointers Made	4 by Santiago Vescovi vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	4 2x, last by John Petty Jr., Alabama (1/2/21)
3-Pointers Attempted	8 by Santiago Vescovi vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) and vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	
3-Point Percentage (min. 2 made)	1.000 (3-3) by James vs. ASU (12/15/20) and Bailey vs. TTU (12/18/20)	
Free Throws Made	8 by Victor Bailey Jr. vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	6 by Xavier Pinson, Missouri (12/3020)
Free Throws Attempted	9 by Victor Bailey Jr. vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	9 by Xavier Pinson, Missouri (12/30/20)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 3 made)	1.000 (6-6) by James vs. Cincy (12/12/20) and Fulkerson vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20)	
Offensive Rebounds	5 by J. James vs. App State (12/15/20) and VJ Bailey vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	
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Defensive Rebounds	9 by Yves Pons vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	9 by Jeriah Horne, Colorado (12/8/20)
Total Rebounds	12 by John Fulkerson vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)	11 by Jeriah Horne, Colorado (12/8/20)
Assists	8 by Santiago Vescovi vs USC Upstate (12/23/20)	6 by Tommy Bruner, USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Blocks	5 by Yves Pons vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	3 by Jordan Bruner, Alabama (1/2/21)
Steals	4 by Keon Johnson vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)	3 multiple times, last by Dru Smith, Missouri (12/30/20)
Minutes Played	34:50 by Victor Bailey Jr. vs. Colorado (12/8/20)	40:00 by McKinley Wright IV, Colorado (12/8/20)
Team Category	Tennessee	Opponent
Points	103 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	71 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	56 vs. Colorado (12/8/20)	38 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Points (Half)	56 (1st Half) vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	40 (2nd Half) by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	25 (2nd) Half vs. Colorado (12/12/20)	13 (1st Half) by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Field Goals Made	42 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	26 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	19 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) and vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)	12 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Field Goals Attempted	72 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	62 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	50 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20)	43 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Field Goal Percentage	.583 (42-72) vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	.453 (24-53) by USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Low	.318 (21-66) vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	.279 (12-43) by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
3-Pointers Made	10 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	10 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low 3-Pointers Attempted	2 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20) 24 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	3 by Missouri (12/30/20) 28 by Cincinnati (12/12/20)
Low	7 at Missouri (12/30/20)	16 by Missouri (12/30/20)
3-Point Percentage	.714 (5-7) at Missouri (12/30/20)	.500 (10-20) by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	.167 (2-12) vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)	.188 (3-16) by Missouri (12/30/20)
Free Throws Made	30 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	18 by Missouri (12/30/20)
Low	7 vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)	3 by USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Free Throws Attempted	37 vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)	30 by Missouri (12/30/20)
Low	9 vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)	4 by USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Free Throw Percentage	.833 (25-30) vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)	.833 ( 10-12) by Colorado (12/8/20)
Low	.583 (14-24) at Missouri (12/30/20)	.529 (9-17) by Alabama (1/2/21)
Personal Fouls	24 at Missouri (12/30/20)	30 by Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)
Low	10 vs. Cincinnati (12/12/20)	14 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Total Rebounds	46 vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	43 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	32 vs. Colorado (12/8/20) and USC Upstate (12/23/20)	18 by USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Offensive Rebounds	18 vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20) and vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	13 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	10 vs. USC Upstate (12/23/20) and at Missouri (12/30/20)	5 by USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Assists	28 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/21/20) 7 vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	12 by Saint Joseph's (12/21/20) and USC Upstate (12/23/20 4 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
Low Turnovers	15 vs. Colorado (12/8/20)	23 by Colorado (12/8/20)
Low	6 vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)	12 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Blocks	8 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	5 by Alabama (1/2/21)
Low	1 vs. Colorado (12/8/20)	0 twice, last by Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)
Steals	13 vs. Appalachian State (12/15/20)	7 by Cincinnati (12/12/20) and USC Upstate (12/23/20)
Low	3 vs. Alabama (1/2/21)	2 by Appalachian State (12/15/20)
	8 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)	N/A

# SUPERLATIVES

TENNESSEE	BASKETBALL

ATTENDANCE	SUMMARY		
	Games	Totals	Average
Home	7	29,337	4,191
Away	1	3,164	3,164
Neutral	-	-	-
Total	8	32,501	4,063

# TENNESSEE'S RECORD WHEN...

Leading at halftime Trailing at halftime Tied at halftime	0-1
Leading with 10:00 remaining Trailing with 10:00 remaining Tied with 10:00 remaining	0-1
Leading with 5:00 remaining Trailing with 5:00 remaining Tied with 5:00 remaining	0-1
In Overtime	0-0
Tennessee out-rebounds opponent Tennessee is out-rebounded Same amount of rebounds	1-0
Tennessee commits more turnovers Opponent commits more turnovers Same amount of turnovers	7-1
Tennessee shoots 50 percent or better Opponent shoots 50 percent or better	
Tennessee shoots less than 50 percent Opponent shoots less than 50 percent	3-1 7-1
Tennessee shoots better than opponent Opponent shoots better than Tennessee Same shooting percentage	1-1
Tennessee has more free-throw attempts Opponent has more free-throw attempts Same amount of free-throw attempts	2-0
Tennessee bench outscores opponent bench Opponent bench outscores Tennessee bench Benches score the same	1-0
Tennessee scores less than 50 Tennessee scores between 50-59 Tennessee scores between 60-69 Tennessee scores between 70-79 Tennessee scores between 80-89 Tennessee scores between 90-99 Tennessee scores 100 or more	1-0 2-0 1-1 2-0 
Opponent scores less than 50 Opponent scores between 50-59 Opponent scores between 60-69 Opponent scores between 70-79 Opponent scores between 80-89 Opponent scores between 90-99 Opponent scores 100 or more	2-0 2-0 0-1 0-0 0-0
In November In December In January In February In March	7-0 0-1 0-0
On Monday On Tuesday On Wednesday On Thursday On Friday On Saturday On Sunday	2-0 2-0 0-0 1-0 1-1 0-0

#### Starting Lineups (listed in order of positions, 1-5)

W-L	
7-1	Vescovi, Bailey Jr., James, Pons, Fulkerson
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0-0	

### Margin of Victory/Defeat

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11-15	16-19	20-24	25+
Wins	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	3
Losses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### **Most First Half Points**

Tennessee	56	vs. Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)
Opponents	33	Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)

#### **Fewest First Half Points**

Tennessee	29	vs. Alabama (1/2/21)
Opponents	13	Appalachian State (12/15/20)

#### Largest Halftime Lead

**Jump Balls Controlled** 

**How Scored First Points** 

**Scored UT's First Points** 

John Fulkerson

Victor Bailey Jr.

Josiah James

Keon Johnson

Jaden Springer

E.J. Anosike

Dunks

Yves Pons

Uros Plavsic

Josiah James

Davonte Gaines

Santiago Vescovi

First Off UT Bench<sup>^</sup>

^ includes multiple subs

John Fulkerson 7 56

Keon Johnson 4 4

Olivier Nkamhoua 3 11

Victor Bailey Jr. 2

Jaden Springer 1

Hook/Over Shoulder

Tennessee

Opponents

Lay-up

3-Pointer

Free Throw

Jump Shot

Tip-in

Dunk

Tennessee 27 vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20) 2 Alabama (1/2/21) Opponents

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Assists Leader* 3 Santiago Vescovi Josiah James Keon Johnson Victor Bailey Jr. John Fulkerson Jaden Springer Yves Pons		Car 13 12 2 1 6 1 1
Steals Leader* Josiah James Keon Johnson Victor Bailey Jr. Olivier Nkamhou Jaden Springer John Fulkerson Davonte Gaines Yves Pons Santiago Vescov Drew Pember Uros Plavsic	1 - -	Car 13 2 1 1 1 22 5 8 5 1 1

#### **Most Second Half Points**

Tennessee	54	vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)
Opponents	40	Alabama (1/2/21)

#### **Fewest Second Half Points**

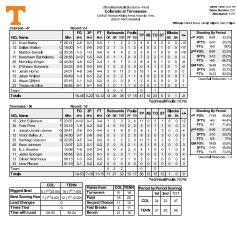
Tennessee	25	vs. Colorado (12/8/20)
Opponents	23	Colorado (12/8/20)

#### Largest Margin of Victory

Tennessee	54	vs. Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)
Opponents	8	Alabama (1/2/21)

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		^ also includes <u>all</u> of	OT

# **BOX SCORES**



In its first game in 276 days, the 12th-ranked Tennessee basketball team took down Colorado in a tight defensive affair, 56-47, on Dec. 8, 2020.

 Colorado in a digit derenave anal, 50-47, 61 Dec. 5, 2020.
 Tennessee saw a balanced effort across the board with hine of 10 Vols who saw action
 getting on the score sheet, while Jeriah Horne led Colorado with 15 points and 11 rebounds.
 John Fulkerson and Santiago Vescovi led the Big Orange in scoring with 11 points apiece, while Yves Pons was a beast on the boards, pulling in a team-high 10 rebounds Vescovi also added a game-high five assists.
 Sophomore Josiah-Jordan James had the most balanced game for the Vols, tallying

eight points-knocking down all four of his attempts from the charity stripe-six rebounds, three assists and three steals.

Interesting and three seens.
Redshirt junior Victor Bailey Jr., who made his debut with Tennessee after sitting out last season as a transfer, earned the start and was explosive in the early going, draining his first three shot attempts to score eight first-half points

Tennessee's freshman due of Keon Johnson and Jaden Springer combined for 10 second-half points and was key to the Vols pulling away late.
 The Vols came roaring out of quarantine, opening the night on a 12-2 run through the

game's first four minutes. James and Fulkerson led the way with five and four points, The Buffaloes responded to UT's initial punch, coming within as few as four points with

less than a minute to play in the half. However, Tennessee's stifling defense and a timely 3-pointer from Vescovi took the Vols into the locker room with a 31-24 lead.

Fornesse's starting lineup featured five left-handers in Bailey Jr., Fulkerson, James, Pons and Vescovi featured five left-handers.



Four double-digit scorers and a suffocating defensive effort led the 10th-ranked Tennessee basketball team to a dominant, 79-38, victory over Appalachian State on Dec.

15, 2020, inside Thompson-Boling Arena.
5. The Mountaineers' 38 points were the fewest points a Tennessee team has allowed during the tenure of sixth-year head coach **Rick Barnes**.

· On the boards, the Vols were dominant for the second consecutive game, winning the Bunior guard Victor Bailey Jr. led the Vols in scoring with 13 points in just 19 minutes

of action. Sophomore Josiah-Jordan James posted season-highs in both points (11) and rebounds

(8), with five of his boards coming on the offensive glass. He also knocked down all three of his attempts from 3-point range.
 Freshman Jaden Springer came off the bench to score 12 points on a highly efficient

initial for the field, knocking down six of his eight attempts.
 Senior John Fulkerson was the most complete Vol on the night, tallying 12 points on 6-of-9 shooting, with five rebounds, three steals and a pair of blocks.

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to just four made field goals also while spreading the wealth on offense. Eight of nine Vols who saw first-half action penned their names on the score sheet as UT took a 36-13 lead into the halftime break. • Appalachian State's 13 first-half points were the fewest given up in a half by the Vols

since Nov. 6, 2018. On that date, UT held Division II Lenoir-Rhyne to 11 points in the second half and walked away with an 86-41 victory. • Tennessee maintained control throughout the second half, shooting .464 from the field as a team and maintaining its stifling effort on the defensive side of the floor to walk away with the 41-point win

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Game Time: 1231 PM Game Duration: 211 Attendiance: 4 101 cks BA +/-1 -10 0 5 ng By Period 9-26 5-14 1-3 13-32 3-14 3-4 22-58 8-28 4-7 34.6% 35.7% 33.3% 40.6% 21.4% 75% 37.9% 28.6% P<sup>44</sup> FG% 3PT% FT% 2<sup>rd</sup> FG% 3PT% FT% 3M FG% 3PT% FT% Keith W Mika Ad 2-5 3-6 0-4 1-4 1-2 22-58 8-28 4-7 6 17 7 1 4 -9 Shoot 1<sup>st</sup> FG% 3PT% FT% 2<sup>rd</sup> FG% 3PT% FT% GM FG% 3PT% FT% Dead ing By ⊭ 10-33 2-7 8-10 9-26 0-5 17-20 19-59 2-12 25-30 30.3% 28.6% 80% NO. Name 10 John Ful 4-9 1-5 3-9 2-6 3-8 2-6 0-4 34.6% 0.0% 85% 32.2% 16.7% Tean 19-59 2-12 25-30 4 1 9 CINCY TENN 6 (1<sup>st</sup> 13:11) 9 (2<sup>nd</sup> 0:10) 8 (2<sup>nd</sup> 6:14) 8 (2<sup>nd</sup> 11:35 1st 2nd TOT CINCY 24 32 56 Lead Changes Times Tied Time with Lead Fast B 4

 A double-double from senior John Fulkerson and a second consecutive dominant
defensive effort pushed the Tennessee basketball team past Cincinnati, 65-56, on Dec. 12, 2020, inside Thompson-Boling Arena.

Tennessee out-rebounded Cincinnati (2-2) 45-34 overall and 14-6 on the offensive side of the court.

On defense, the 12th-ranked Vols forced 17 turnovers, blocked four shots, held Cincinnati to a .379 shooting percentage and kept the Bearcats off the foul line, as UC only attempted Fulkerson's game-high marks of 15 points and 12 rebounds marked his fourth career

double-double, and his rebounding total marked a career-high.

Freshman Jaden Springer poured in his first career double-digit scoring output, with 11 points, while also recording a team-best plus/minus of +10 in 25 minutes of action.
Sophomore Josiah-Jordan James had another consistent performance, scoring eight

points, pulling down four rebounds, dishing off three assists and a grabbing a career high-tying three steals. James was also big from the charity stripe, knocking down all six of his attempts.

A slow-paced opening nine minutes saw Cincinnati holding the early advantage at 15-11

 Over the final 11 minutes of the half, the Vols took control on the defensive end and were more efficient on the offensive side, outscoring the Bearcats 19-9 to take a 30-24 advantage into the break. Cincinnati came out of halftime with a head of steam, erasing the Vols' advantage and

ventually taking a 40-37 lead with 13:16 remaining. Tennessee remained undaunted, locking the Bearcats down on defense, knocked down

all eight of its attempts from the foul line and hit multiple timely baskets to take a 51-45

Lad with us 10 minutes left in the second half.
 The Vols withstood each late Cincinnati punch while continuing to deliver from the free-throw line to walk away with the nine-point victory.
 Jereniah Davenport led Cincinnati with 14 points. David DeJulius added 11 points and

seven assists.

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 2<sup>nd</sup> F0%
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 The 54-point win was Tennessee's eighth-largest margin of victory in program history. The Volunteers finished the night shooting. S83 from the field (42-72), along with a highly efficient .474 (9-19) mark from 3-point range. Tennessee also tallied a 4.0 assist/ turnover ratio on the night (28 assists, seven turnovers).

Freshman Jaden Springer was UT's leading scorer, dropping a season-high 21 points on 8-of-10 shooting from the field while pulling in six rebounds and dishing off a season-high six assists. Springer did all of this in just 22 minutes of action, logging nearly one point per minute.

Sophomore Josiah-Jordan James and senior John Fulkerson also enjoyed impactful outings, with James tallying 15 points and six rebounds and Fulkerson totaling 13 points and six boards

· Victor Bailey Jr. was the third Vol to pour in at least 15 points, scoring his 15 on 5-of-8 shooting and draining both of his attempts from beyond the 3-point arc.
Freshman Keon Johnson and senior Yves Pons were the fifth and sixth Vols to reach

double-digit points, scoring 13 and 10, respectively.

buole-rough Lonits, South 2 and the respectively. > Pons-the reigning SEC Defensive Player of the Year-also recorded two thunderous blocks in the first half to bring his season total to five. After a fairly even start in the game's opening minutes, the Orange & White busted things open with a 15-3 run spanning a stretch of four minutes to take a 23-9 lead at the

 under-12 media timeout, with Springer scoring 11 during the run.
 As the half wore on, the Vols continued to assert themselves on the offensive end, finishing the half with a .583 shooting percentage (21-36) and taking a 49-22 advantage into the break.

Tennessee extended its lead to as many as 58 in the second half.



Six double-figure scorers for the second straight game and a dominant performance on the glass pushed the eighth-ranked Tennessee basketball team past Saint Joseph's, 102-66, on Dec. 21, 2020, at Thompson-Boling Arena. • Tennessee scored 100-plus points for the second consecutive game, marking the fourth

time the Vols have eclipsed the century mark in back-to-back games in program history

The last time occurred in November of 2009, when Tennessee took down UNC Asheville, 124-49, and East Carolina, 105-66. • The Vols also led the Hawks for all but 55 seconds of game action, leading for the contest's final 37:35.

• On the boards, the Orange & White were relentless, posting a 45-27 edge in total rebounds and a 13-6 advantage on the offensive glass.
 • Victor Bailey Jr. led the Vols in scoring with a game-high 18 points on 5-of-10 shooting

 and a 6-of-7 mark from the foul line.
 Sophomore Santiago Vescovi put together his most complete performance of the season, tallying 16 points on 4-of-9 shooting, a perfect 4-of-4 from both 3-point distance and the foul line, while also pulling in a season-high seven rebounds and dishing off five assists.

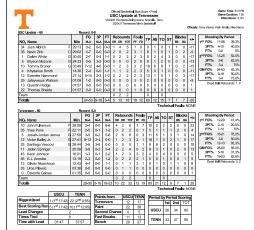
Senior John Fulkerson also enjoyed another productive performance, scoring 10 points, grabbing six rebounds and recording a career-high-tying five assists.

Fellow senior Yves Pons was huge on the boards, ripping down a game-high nine rebounds and scoring 13 points. • The UT freshman duo of **Keon Johnson** and **Jaden Springer** rounded out the Vols

double-digit scorers, pouring in 12 and 10 points, respectively.

 Johnson once again made a significant impact on the defensive end, blocking two shot attempts and nabbing three steals.
 With the score tied at 4-4 just more than two minutes into the game, the Vols busted things open with a 16-0 run that covered nearly four minutes of action to take a 20-4 lead

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 The sides played an evenly paced remainder of the half, as the Vols withstood a number of punches from Saint Joseph's before taking a 56-33 lead into the halffilme break.



Another balanced offensive effort and timely stops on the defensive end pushed the eighth-ranked Tennessee basketball team past USC Upstate, 80-60, on Dec. 23, 2020, at Thompson-Boling Arena. • The Vols—off to their best start since the 2010-11 squad opened the year 7-0—were

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 Junior Victor Bailey Jr. [ed Tennessee in scoring for the second consecutive grane, pouring in 18 points, while knocking down a career-high-tying eight field goals.

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John Fulkerson was the third Vol to reach double-figures, scoring 10 points and

Aroching down all six of his attempts from the foul line. • Sophomore Olivier Nkamhoua was a perfect 4-of-4 from the field while recording nine points, an assist, one steal and a block in 13 minutes of action of fit he bench. • The contest's opening 12 minutes were defined by both squads holding firm on the

defensive end. But the Vols shot a stellar .714 from the field while assisting on 9-of-10 field goals to take a 23-15 lead and the under-reight media break of the first half.
 The programs exchanged punches over the final eight minutes of the period, with UT

holding on to its advantage, edging the Spartans, 33-26, at the halftime horn The start of the second half saw much of the same action, with the sides trading blows and the Vols maintaining a 10-point lead at the under-12 media timeout.
 Through the game's final stages, Tennessee clamped down on defense and took

advantage of a number of transition buckets, stretching its lead to as many as 22 before

 Many Bruner led the Spartans with 18 points and was the first player all season to make more than five field-goal attempts against the Vols

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A dominant defensive effort and an efficient shooting mark of .500 (27-54) from the field pushed the seventh-ranked Tennessee basketball team past 12th-ranked Missouri, 73-53, to open SEC play Dec. 30, 2020, at Mizzou Arena.
 The Vols held Missouri to just .364 shooting from the field and forced 21 turnovers on the defensive end.

UT is also off to its best start since 2010-11, when that season's squad also began the

ver 7-0.
Sophomore Santiago Vescovi led UT in scoring, pouring in a game-high 15 points on 5-of-6 shooting and a 3-of-4 mark from 3-point range
National Defensive Player of the Year candidate Yves Pons put on an impressive,

versatile performance, totaling 13 points, six rebounds, a season-high four blocks and

two steals. Freshman Jaden Springer also scored 13 points while grabbing four rebounds and

 Senior John Fulkerson was the fourth Vol to reach double-figures, scoring 11 points and pulling down six rebounds. Sophomore Josiah-Jordan James—despite scoring just two points—was all over the stat

schert, grabbing three offensive rebounds, dishing off a game-high four assists, tallying a career-high-tying three steals and recording a blocked shot. James posted a game-high-tying plus/minus rating of +25. The Vols came roaring out of the gates, knocking down their first seven shot attempts

The Vois came roaring out or the gates, knocking down their first seven shot attempts en route to a commanding 21-4 lead at the under-12 media timeout.
 Tennessee withstood each counter punch from the Tigers, extending its first-half lead to as many as 19, heading into the halfitme break with a 38-25 advantage.
 UT came out of the break with much of the same energy, continuing its stifling defensive effort and efficient night from the field on offense throughout the second half to walk away with the 20-point victory.

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 Pons weren't enough for the seventh-ranked Tennessee basketball team, which fell at home to Alabama, 71-63, on Jan. 2, 2021, at Thompson-Boling Arena.
 Alabama used an efficient .500 (10-20) shooting mark from 3-point range to break

Victor Bailey Jr. led the Vols in scoring for the fourth time this season, dropping in 16 points while pulling in a career-high seven rebounds.

· Santiago Vescovi added 13 points and four rebounds on the defensive end for UT. Freshman Keon Johnson added 12 points, a season-high eight rebounds and a pair of

steals. • Pons scored six points to go along with his five blocks—all of which came in the second

half.

half. • Josiah-Jordan James was all over the stat sheet for the second consecutive game, grabbing eight rebounds, blocking two shots and nabbing a pair of steals. • The teams traded blows on both ends of the floor through the opening 12 minutes, combining to shoot 11-of-40 from the field amidst intense defense on both ends, with the Vols holding a sim, 16-14 advantage. • The remainder of the half provided much of the same energy, but the Tide ended up bline the divide 13 0 advanta the half carson.

taking the slight 31-29 edge into the locker room. • Alabama took it to the Vols following the break, knocking down five consecutive attempts from 3-point range to extend its lead to 48-36 at the under-16 media timeout. • Bama withstood a number of late Tennessee runs to cement the 71-63 result, as the Vols

were unable to trim their deficit below six points in the closing mutes.
 John Petty Jr. was a perfect 4-for-4 from 3-point range and led the Crimson Tide with a game-high 17 points.



# 2020-21 Tennessee Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

Game Records					Score by Periods							
Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral	Team	1st	2nd	ОТ	тот			
ALL GAMES	7-1	6-1	1-0	0-0		302	319	0	621			
CONFERENCE	1-1	0-1	1-0	0-0	Tennessee			U				
NON-CONFERENCE	6-0	6-0	0-0	0-0	Opponents	198	242	0	440			

#### Team Box Score

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NO.	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	тот	AVG	PF	DQ	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
12	BAILEY JR., Victor	8-8	208:35	26.1	38-80	.475	11-35	.314	17-19	.895	8	12	20	2.5	10	0	11	5	1	7	104	13.0
10	FULKERSON, John	8-8	215:00	26.9	31-63	.492	0-1	.000	27-35	.771	18	31	49	6.1	12	0	13	8	3	6	89	11.1
11	SPRINGER, Jaden	8-0	148:34	18.6	29-53	.547	7-10	.700	20-27	.741	5	20	25	3.1	13	1	12	10	3	7	85	10.6
25	VESCOVI, Santiago	8-8	220:20	27.5	24-57	.421	18-41	.439	10-10	1.000	3	26	29	3.6	23	0	30	13	1	5	76	9.5
35	PONS, Yves	8-8	209:31	26.2	26-63	.413	3-13	.231	9-12	.750	11	33	44	5.5	11	0	6	9	16	7	64	8.0
45	JOHNSON, Keon	8-0	160:50	20.1	24-55	.436	2-14	.143	14-24	.583	7	22	29	3.6	13	0	16	18	4	10	64	8.0
5	JAMES, Josiah-Jordan	8-8	202:20	25.3	21-49	.429	7-19	.368	15-16	.938	22	28	50	6.3	14	0	22	11	8	14	64	8.0
55	ANOSIKE, E.J.	8-0	107:27	13.4	10-26	.385	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	17	13	30	3.8	13	0	4	3	1	3	32	4.0
13	NKAMHOUA, Olivier	8-0	60:47	7.6	14-21	.667	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2	6	8	1.0	11	0	2	4	1	4	31	3.9
33	PLAVSIC, Uros	6-0	22:08	3.7	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	2	3	5	0.8	0	0	2	1	2	0	7	1.2
00	GAINES, Davonte	6-0	23:38	3.9	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	3-6	.500	1	2	3	0.5	3	0	0	0	1	0	5	0.8
3	PEMBER, Drew	4-0	15:46	3.9	0-5	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0.8	2	0	3	2	1	1	0	0.0
30	JANCEK, Brock	1-0	02:32	2.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
21	GILBERT, Kent	1-0	02:32	2.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Теа	im										9	22	31									
Tot	al	8	1600		220-483	.455	48-136	.353	133-178	.747	106	220	326	40.8	125	1	121	84	42	64	621	77.6
Op	ponents	8	1600		157-424	.370	52-175	.297	74-115	.643	65	181	246	30.8	165	4	74	139	16	40	440	55.0

# **Team Statistics**

	UT	OPP
Scoring	621	440
Points per game	77.6	55.0
Scoring margin	+22.6	-
Field goals-att	220-483	157-424
Field goal pct	.455	.370
3 point fg-att	48-136	52-175
3-point FG pct	.353	.297
3-pt FG made per game	6.0	6.5
Free throws-att	133-178	74-115
Free throw pct	.747	.643
F-Throws made per game	16.6	9.3
Rebounds	326	246
Rebounds per game	40.8	30.8
Rebounding margin	+10.0	-
Assists	121	74
Assists per game	15.1	9.3
Turnovers	84	139
Turnovers per game	10.5	17.4
Turnover margin	+6.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	0.5
Steals	64	40
Steals per game	8.0	5.0
Blocks	42	16
Blocks per game	5.3	2.0
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	29337	3164
Home games-Avg/Game	7-4191	1-3164
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

# **Team Results**

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.								
12/08/2020	Colorado	W	56-47	4191							
12/12/2020	Cincinnati	W	65-56	4191							
12/15/2020	Appalachian St.	W	79-38	4191							
12/18/2020	Tennessee Tech	W	103-49	4191							
12/21/2020	Saint Joseph's	W	102-66	4191							
12/23/2020	USC Upstate	W	80-60	4191							
12/30/2020	at Missouri	W	73-53	3164							
01/02/2021	Alabama	L	63-71	4191							





# 2020-21 Tennessee Men's Basketball Combined Team Statistics In Conference games

Game Records					Score by Periods						
Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral	Team	1st	2nd	ОТ	тот		
ALL GAMES	1-1	0-1	1-0	0-0		67	69	0	136		
CONFERENCE	1-1	0-1	1-0	0-0	Tennessee	-		0			
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	Opponents	56	68	0	124		

#### Team Box Score

No	Player				Tota	al	3-Poi	int	F-Th	row		Rebo	ound	s								
NO.	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	тот	AVG	PF	DQ	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
25	VESCOVI, Santiago	2-2	59:55	30.0	10-22	.455	6-12	.500	2-2	1.000	1	6	7	3.5	6	0	2	4	0	0	28	14.0
12	BAILEY JR., Victor	2-2	55:14	27.6	8-20	.400	1-7	.143	8-9	.889	5	3	8	4.0	4	0	3	4	0	0	25	12.5
35	PONS, Yves	2-2	50:36	25.3	6-15	.400	1-2	.500	6-8	.750	1	7	8	4.0	6	0	0	0	9	2	19	9.5
10	FULKERSON, John	2-2	54:50	27.4	6-14	.429	0-0	.000	6-12	.500	5	6	11	5.5	5	0	2	2	0	0	18	9.0
45	JOHNSON, Keon	2-0	49:36	24.8	8-18	.444	0-3	.000	2-4	.500	3	8	11	5.5	2	0	3	5	0	1	18	9.0
11	SPRINGER, Jaden	2-0	29:51	14.9	5-10	.500	1-1	1.000	5-7	.714	0	5	5	2.5	2	0	1	3	0	3	16	8.0
5	JAMES, Josiah-Jordan	2-2	55:46	27.9	2-9	.222	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	5	6	11	5.5	7	0	5	4	3	5	4	2.0
00	GAINES, Davonte	2-0	03:55	2.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	1	0	1	0.5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.5
55	ANOSIKE, E.J.	2-0	23:42	11.9	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	3	3	6	3.0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
33	PLAVSIC, Uros	1-0	02:50	2.8	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1.0
13	NKAMHOUA, Olivier	2-0	07:46	3.9	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.5	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
3	PEMBER, Drew	2-0	05:59	3.0	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
Tea	im										2	8	10									
Tot	al	2	400		48-120	.400	9-28	.321	31-50	.620	28	54	82	41.0	40	0	16	23	12	11	136	68.0
Op	ponents	2	400		42-106	.396	13-36	.361	27-47	.574	21	55	76	38.0	42	0	16	33	9	10	124	62.0

	UT	OPP
Scoring	136	124
Points per game	68.0	62.0
Scoring margin	+6.0	-
Field goals-att	48-120	42-106
Field goal pct	.400	.396
3 point fg-att	9-28	13-36
3-point FG pct	.321	.361
3-pt FG made per game	4.5	6.5
Free throws-att	31-50	27-47
Free throw pct	.620	.574
F-Throws made per game	15.5	13.5
Rebounds	82	76
Rebounds per game	41.0	38.0
Rebounding margin	+3.0	-
Assists	16	16
Assists per game	8.0	8.0
Turnovers	23	33
Turnovers per game	11.5	16.5
Turnover margin	+5.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.7	0.5
Steals	11	10
Steals per game	5.5	5.0
Blocks	12	9
Blocks per game	6.0	4.5
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	4191	3164
Home games-Avg/Game	1-4191	1-3164
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

## Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	
12/30/2020	at Missouri	W	73-53	3164
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# BROADCAST MEDIA CHEAT SHEET | Probable starters noted with orange numbers

Ο	duh-VON-tay           Guh-Galines         duh-VON-tay           Su 6 - 6 - 7 - 181 - Buffalo, NY./Hargrave Military Academy (Va.)           GP/GS         PG         APG         FG%         FG%           20-21         6/0         0.8         0.0         0.5         2.50         0.00         0.500           Career         35/1         2.2         0.4         1.7         .328         .150         .694           Career Highs         Pts: 9         Reb: 7         Ast: 3         Stl: 3         Min: 26	<ul> <li>Everyone in the program calls him by his nickname, "Ticket"</li> <li>Has seen action off the bench in six of eight games this season and has yet to commit a turnover</li> <li>The coaching staff loves his effort and intensity level, particularly on the defensive end of the floor</li> <li>Was second on the team last year with 17 "floor burns" (diving efforts)</li> <li>His 23 total steals last season tied for third-most on the team</li> <li>Was the first Vol off the bench seven times as a true freshman last year</li> </ul>		
3	DREW PEMBER           So. • F · 6-10 • 190 • Knoxville, Tenn./Bearden High School           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         FG%         FF%           20-21         4/0         0.0         0.8         0.8         0.00         0.00         0.00           Career         26/0         1.1         1.0         0.3         .276         .176         .714           Career Highs Pts: 8         Reb: 5         Ast: 3         Stl: 1         Min: 15	<ul> <li>Had a career-high three assists, one steal and a block in the win over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)</li> <li>Has appeared in four games this season, including both SEC games</li> <li>Possesses a great feel for the game and has post size with guard skills</li> <li>Was hit by contact tracing multiple times in the offseason—spending a total of 52 days in quarantine</li> <li>Local product from Knoxville's Bearden High School made 22 appearances as a true freshman last year</li> <li>As a high school senior in 2019, he led Bearden to the Tennessee Class AAA state championship</li> </ul>		
5	JOSIAH-JORDAN JAMES           So. • 6 • 6 • 207 • Charleston, S.C./Porter-Gaud School           GP/GS PPG RPG APG FG% 3FG% FT%           20-21         8/8         8.0         6.3         2.8         429         .368         938           Career 35/34         7.5         5.7         2.9         .382         .367         .820           Career Highs Pts: 16         Reb: 13         Ast: 6         StI: 3         Min: 40	<ul> <li>Leads the team and ranks eighth in the SEC in steals (1.8 spg)</li> <li>Leads the team and ranks 15th in the SEC in rebounding, averaging 6.3 boards per contest</li> <li>Leads Vols and ranks sixth in the SEC with 22 offensive rebounds through eight games (2.8 orpg)</li> <li>Was all over the stat sheet in UT's win at #12 Missouri (12/30/20), totaling three offensive boards, four assists, a career-high tying three steals and a plus/minus of +25</li> <li>Took up yoga during the pandemic shutdown in the spring, describing it as "life-changing"</li> </ul>		
<b>10 ■</b>	JOHN FULKERSON           BS-St. +F • 6.9 • 215 • Kingsport, Tenn./The Christ School (N.C.)           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         SPG         FG%         FT%           20-21         8/8         11.1         6.1         1.6         0.8         .492         .771           Career 115/46         6.3         3.7         0.9         0.7         .571         .725           Career Highs         Pts: 27         Reb: 12         Asst: 5         Stl 4         Min: 39	<ul> <li>An All-SEC performer last season, he is on the Wooden Award and Karl Malone Award watch lists</li> <li>Ranks second on the team and 17th in the SEC in rebounding with 6.1 boards per game</li> <li>Boasts the team's best plus/minus at +135, with an average of +16.88 per game</li> <li>Recorded his fourth career double-double against Cincinnati (12/12/20), pouring in 15 points and grabbing a career-high-tying 12 rebounds, with four coming on the offensive glass</li> <li>Graduated in May with a degree in Recreation &amp; Sport Management</li> </ul>		
11	JADEN SPRINGER           Fr. · G · 6-4 · 204 · Charlotte, N.C./IMG Academy (Fla.)           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         APG         FG%         3FG%         FT%           20-21         8/0         10.6         3.1         1.5         .547         .700         .741           Career Highs         Pts: 21         Reb: 6         Asst: 6         Stl: 3         Min: 25	<ul> <li>Is day-to-day after suffering a lower leg injury against Alabama (1/2/21)</li> <li>Scored 13 points, hauled in four rebounds and recorded a season-high three steals in Tennessee's dominant road win at #12 Missouri (12/30/20) to open SEC play</li> <li>Was the SEC Freshman of the Week (12/21/20) following wins over App State and Tennessee Tech</li> <li>Put in an electrifying performance against Tennessee Tech (12/18/20), scoring 21 points on an efficient 8-of-10 shooting, pulling in six rebounds and dishing off six assists with <i>no</i> turnovers</li> </ul>		
<b>12</b>	VICTOR BAILEY JR.           RS-Jr 6 - 6 - 4 - 179 - Austin, Texas/University of Oregon           GP/GS         PG         RPG         FG%         SFG%         FT%           20-21         8/8         13.0         2.5         1.4         .475         .314         .895           Career         81/16         7.6         1.9         0.9         .424         .373         .890           Career Highs         Pts: 23         Reb:         7         Ast:         Stl:         3         Min:         35 <th><ul> <li>Leads the Vols and ranks 20th in the SEC in scoring (13.0 ppg); has led Vols in scoring four times</li> <li>Scored 13 points and brought in a career-high seven rebounds against Alabama (1/2/21)</li> <li>Scored 18 points while knocking down a career-high-tying eight field goals in UT's 80-60 victory over USC Upstate (12/23/20)</li> <li>Tallied a game-high 18 points and a season-high three assists in the win over Saint Joe's (12/21/20)</li> <li>His mother is Olympic-medal-winning hurdler, and his father was an NFL wide receiver</li> </ul></th>	<ul> <li>Leads the Vols and ranks 20th in the SEC in scoring (13.0 ppg); has led Vols in scoring four times</li> <li>Scored 13 points and brought in a career-high seven rebounds against Alabama (1/2/21)</li> <li>Scored 18 points while knocking down a career-high-tying eight field goals in UT's 80-60 victory over USC Upstate (12/23/20)</li> <li>Tallied a game-high 18 points and a season-high three assists in the win over Saint Joe's (12/21/20)</li> <li>His mother is Olympic-medal-winning hurdler, and his father was an NFL wide receiver</li> </ul>		
<b>13</b>	OLIVIER NKAMHOUA         OH-liv-ee-AY KAHM-wuh           So. • F • 6-8 · 223 • Helsinki, Finland/ishop Walsh School (Md.)         GP/GS           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         FG%         3FG%         FT%           20-21         8/0         3.4         2.6         0.3         .582         .200         .611           Career Highs         Pts: 11         Reb: 13         Blk: 3         Stl: 3         Min: 23	<ul> <li>Has seen limited action off the bench in all eight games this season</li> <li>Has scored 31 total points through seven games while shooting 14-of-21 (.667) from the field</li> <li>Scored nine points and was a perfect 4-of-4 from the field against USC Upstate (12/23/20)</li> <li>Scored eight points and nabbed a career-high three steals in 10 minutes off the bench in the Vols' 103-49 victory over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)</li> <li>His mother is Scottish/Finnish, and his father hails from Cameroon</li> </ul>		
25	sahn-tee-AH-go vess-CO-vee           Sahn-tee-AH-go vess-CO-vee           So. • 6 • 6 • 3 • 188 • Montevideo, Uruguay/NBA Global Academy           GP/GS         PG         APG         FG%         FG%           GP/GS         PG         APG         FG%         FG%           GP/GS         PG         APG         FG%         FG%           20-21         8/8         9.5         3.6         3.8         .421         .439         1.000           Career 27/27         10.4         3.4         3.7         .385         .882           Career Highs         Pts: 20         Reb: 8         Ast: 8         Stil: 3         Min: 39	<ul> <li>Leads the Vols and ranks ninth in the SEC in assists, with 3.8 per game (30 total)</li> <li>Ranks second in the SEC and holds the team lead with an assist/turnover ratio of 2.3</li> <li>Dished off a career-high-tying eight assists and scored nine points against USC Upstate (12/23/20)</li> <li>Recorded season-highs in points (16), rebounds (7) and assists (5) in the win over Saint Joe's (12/21/20)</li> <li>Has drained 18 straight attempts from the foul line dating to last year's victory over Florida (2/29/20)</li> <li>Traveled home to Uruguay in mid-March and didn't return to Knoxville until the end of July</li> </ul>		
33	ÜRÖŠ PLAVŠIĆ         Ü-rösh PLÄV-chich           RS-So. • F • 7-0 • 240 • Ivanjica, Serbia/Arizona State University           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         BPG         FG%         FT%           20-21         6/0         1.2         0.8         0.3         .286         -         .500           Career         22/3         2.2         0.9         0.1         .400         -         .619           Career Highs         Pts: 16         Reb: 3         Blk: 1         Stl: 1         Min: 26	<ul> <li>Scored four points in six minutes of action off the bench in the win over Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)</li> <li>Recorded his first career block and brought down a pair of offensive boards against App State (12/15/20)</li> <li>Granted eligibility midseason last year and saw action in 16 games</li> <li>Flew home to Serbia during the first pandemic spike in mid-March and returned to Knoxville in mid-July</li> <li>Totaled 11 points and nine rebounds in 28 minutes during Tennessee's intrasquad scrimmage Nov. 14</li> <li>Just the sixth 7-footer in program history and the first since Steve Hamer (1992-96)</li> </ul>		
<b>35</b>	EEV PAHNS           ST.*G/F + 6-6 + 209 + Fuveau, France/INSEP Academy           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         FG%         FT%           20-21         8/8         8.0.         5.5         2.0         .413         .231         .750           Career         98/52         5.0         2.9         1.1         .482         .331         .612           Career Highs Pts: 24         Reb: 14         Blk: 6         St1: 2         Min: 40	<ul> <li>Naismith and Wooden candidate will also be in the discussion for National <i>Defensive</i> Player of the Year</li> <li>Received an invite to the 2020 NBA Draft Combine but opted to return to UT for his senior season</li> <li>Ranks third in the SEC in blocks (2.0 bpg); has blocked 11 shots in UT's last three games (3.67 bpg)</li> <li>Scored 13 points, blocked a season-high four shot attempts, pulled in six rebounds and recorded a pair of steals in UT's road victory over #12 Missouri (12/30/20)</li> <li>Can legitimately guard all five positions, making the Vols almost "matchup proof" when he's in the game</li> </ul>		
<b>45</b>	FF. • G • G • 5 • 186 • Shelbyville, Tenn./The Webb School           GP/GS PPG RPG APG FG% 3FG% FT%           20-21         8/0         8.0         3.6         2.0         .436         .143         .583           Career Highs Pts: 13 Reb: 8 Asst: 5 Stl: 4 Min: 23	<ul> <li>Fearless—has drawn a team-high four charges through his first eight games</li> <li>Scored 12 points and brought down a season-high eight rebounds against Alabama (1/2/21)</li> <li>Tallied 12 points, a season-high five assists, three steals and two blocks against Saint Joe's (12/21/20)</li> <li>Notched season-highs in points (13) and assists (3) against Tennessee Tech (12/18/20)</li> <li>Recorded a game-high four steals against App State (12/15/20) and added six points and four rebounds</li> <li>True freshman is projected as a 2021 NBA Draft lottery pick according to multiple outlets</li> </ul>		
<b>55</b>	ann-uh-SICK-ee           Grad. • F • 6-7 • 245 • East Orange, NJ/Sacred Heart University           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         FG%         FG%         FG%           GP/GS         PPG         RPG         FG%         FG% <th colspan="2" f<="" th=""><th><ul> <li>Grad transfer earned his Finance &amp; Business Economics degree from Sacred Heart in May</li> <li>17 of his 30 total rebounds have come on the offensive glass this season</li> <li>Scored a season-high nine points, pulled in five rebounds (four on the offensive glass) and nabbed a pair of steals in the victory over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)</li> <li>Totaled six points, six boards and an assist in a season-high 17 minutes of action against App St. (12/15/20)</li> <li>His older sister, Nicky, won two national championship with Pat Summitt's Lady Vols (2007 and 2008)</li> </ul></th></th>	<th><ul> <li>Grad transfer earned his Finance &amp; Business Economics degree from Sacred Heart in May</li> <li>17 of his 30 total rebounds have come on the offensive glass this season</li> <li>Scored a season-high nine points, pulled in five rebounds (four on the offensive glass) and nabbed a pair of steals in the victory over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)</li> <li>Totaled six points, six boards and an assist in a season-high 17 minutes of action against App St. (12/15/20)</li> <li>His older sister, Nicky, won two national championship with Pat Summitt's Lady Vols (2007 and 2008)</li> </ul></th>		<ul> <li>Grad transfer earned his Finance &amp; Business Economics degree from Sacred Heart in May</li> <li>17 of his 30 total rebounds have come on the offensive glass this season</li> <li>Scored a season-high nine points, pulled in five rebounds (four on the offensive glass) and nabbed a pair of steals in the victory over Saint Joseph's (12/21/20)</li> <li>Totaled six points, six boards and an assist in a season-high 17 minutes of action against App St. (12/15/20)</li> <li>His older sister, Nicky, won two national championship with Pat Summitt's Lady Vols (2007 and 2008)</li> </ul>