

2012-13 Ohio Valley Conference Men's Basketball Report



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OVC STANDINGS

(In Games Through Dec. 22)

	CONFERENCE								OVERALL						
	W	L	Pct.	Home	Away	Streak	vs. East	vs. West	W	L	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	Streak
EAST DIVISION															
Eastern Kentucky	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	10	2	.833	7-0	3-2	0-0	W1
Belmont	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	8	3	.727	4-0	3-2	1-1	W1
Jacksonville State %	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	8	3	.727	4-0	2-3	2-0	L1
Tennessee Tech	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	6	6	.500	4-1	2-5	0-0	L2
Tennessee State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	6	7	.462	4-0	1-6	1-1	W1
Morehead State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	5	7	.417	4-1	1-6	0-0	L2
WEST DIVISION															
Murray State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	9	2	.818	4-0	3-1	2-1	L1
Southeast Missouri	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	8	6	.571	4-1	4-3	0-2	W2
SIUE	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	4	5	.444	4-1	0-4	0-0	W2
Austin Peay	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	4	8	.333	3-2	0-5	1-1	L4
UT Martin	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	3	9	.250	3-2	0-7	0-0	L4
Eastern Illinois	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	3	10	.231	1-5	0-5	2-0	L6

% - Due to a NCAA APR penalty, Jacksonville State is ineligible for the OVC Championship and OVC/NCAA postseason competition

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Friday, December 28

Austin Peay vs. Utah Valley, 3:30 p.m. (Chattanooga, Tenn.)
Southern Miss **at Morehead State**, 6:30 p.m. (OVC Digital Network)
SIUE at Saint Louis, 7:00 p.m. (FOX Sports Midwest)
Belmont vs. Boston University, 8:30 p.m. (Orlando, Fla.)

Saturday, December 29

***UT Martin** at **Southeast Missouri**, 12:00 p.m. (OVC Digital Network)
Valparaiso **at Murray State**, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Austin Peay vs. Chattanooga/High Point, 3:30/6 p.m. (Chattanooga, Tenn.)
Belmont vs. UCF/Howard, 4:00/6:30 p.m. (Orlando, Fla.)
***Tennessee Tech** at **Jacksonville State**, 4:30 p.m. (OVC Digital Network)
***Eastern Illinois** at **Tennessee State**, 7:30 p.m. (OVC Digital Network)

Sunday, December 30

Union (Ky.) **at Morehead State**, 1:00 p.m. (OVC Digital Network)
Eastern Kentucky at West Virginia, 3:00 p.m. (Root Sports/ESPN3)

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, December 17

@**SIUE** 77, **Eureka** 74

Tuesday, December 18

@**Auburn** 81, **Tennessee Tech** 62
@**Middle Tennessee** 77, **Tennessee State** 48
Lipscomb 87, @**Austin Peay** 84
@**Nebraska** 59, **Jacksonville State** 55

Wednesday, December 19

@**North Carolina A&T** 78, **Eastern Kentucky** 67
@**Belmont** 76, **South Dakota State** 49
@**SIUE** 81, **Robert Morris-Springfield** 49
@**South Dakota** 85, **Morehead State** 75
@**Southeast Missouri** 94, **New Orleans** 71
Samford 75, @**UT Martin** 62
@**Saint Louis** 72, **Eastern Illinois** 45
Murray State 61, @**Arkansas State** 54

Friday, December 21

Eastern Kentucky 73, @**High Point** 70
@**North Dakota State** 69, **Morehead State** 49
@**Tennessee State** 67, **USC Upstate** 64

Saturday, December 22

@**Dayton** 77, **Murray State** 68
@**#24 Oklahoma State** 78, **Tennessee Tech** 42
Southeast Missouri 66, @**UMKC** 65
@**Illinois State** 83, **Austin Peay** 57
@**Drake** 74, **Eastern Illinois** 56

* Indicates OVC Contest
ALL TIMES CENTRAL

THIS WEEK'S adidas® OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK



PLAYER

Mike DiNunno, G • Sr., 5-11, 196 • Chicago, Ill. • Eastern Kentucky

In a pair of road games last week, DiNunno averaged 22.0 points, 4.0 assists and 3.0 rebounds/game and hit 44 percent (11-of-25) from the field, 52.9 percent (9-of-17) from 3-point range and 92.9 percent (13-of-14) at the free throw line. The senior scored 22 points in each game, establishing a new season-high for points scored. He started the week hitting 5-of-8 3-pointers in a loss at North Carolina A&T; he also had three assists, a rebound and a steal in the contest. In the week's finale, a win over High Point, DiNunno scored his 22 points on 6-of-12 shooting (4-of-9 3-pointers) while also adding five rebounds and five assists while committing just one turnover in 38 minutes of action. DiNunno was a perfect 6-of-6 at the free throw line against High Point, including 4-of-4 in the final 30 seconds as EKU pulled out the 73-70 victory. DiNunno ranks first in the OVC in assist-to-turnover ratio (2.3), fourth in assists (4.6/game), seventh in steals (1.8/game) and 12th in scoring (14.4 points/game).

Others Nominated: Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay; Trevor Noack, Belmont; Darion Rackley, Jacksonville State; Ed Daniel, Murray State; Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri; Jerome Jones, SIUE; Patrick Miller, Tennessee State; Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech; Mike Liabo, UT Martin.

NEWCOMER

Tim Johnson, G • Jr., 6-4, 200 • Harvey, Ill. • SIUE

Johnson, the transfer from George Washington, averaged 16.5 points, 4.0 rebounds, 1.5 steals, 1.0 blocks and 1.0 assists/game while hitting 58.8 percent (10-of-17) from the field in a pair of SIUE victories last week. Johnson came off the bench in victories over Eureka College and Robert Morris-Springfield as SIUE improved to 4-5 on the season. Against Eureka the junior had his best game in a Cougar uniform, scoring a season-high 17 points and grabbing a season-high five rebounds in 29 minutes of action. He hit 8-of-12 (66.7%) shots, blocked a pair of shots and had two steals. Johnson closed the week with five points, three rebounds, two assists and a steal against Robert Morris.

Others Nominated: Sherman Blanford, Eastern Illinois; Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky.

FRESHMAN

Alex Austin, G • Fr., 6-4, 190 • Chicago, Ill. • Eastern Illinois

Austin earned his second OVC Freshman of the Week honors of the season after averaging 10.5 points, 1.5 steals, 1.0 rebounds and 1.0 assists/game in a pair of road games. Austin hit double figures for the second-straight game to begin the week, tallying 17 points on 6-of-8 shooting at Saint Louis. The freshman was perfect (3-of-3) from 3-point range and added two free throws in 27 minutes of action. In a road game at Drake on Saturday, Austin had four points, three steals, two assists and a rebound in 23 minutes of action. For the week he hit 40 percent (6-of-15) from the field, 42.9 percent (3-of-7) from 3-point range and 66.7 percent (6-of-9) from the free throw line.

Others Nominated: none

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PLAYER

Nov. 12	Kerron Johnson, BEL; Milton Chavis, MOR	Jan. 14
Nov. 19	Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech	Jan. 21
Nov. 26	Ian Clark, Belmont	Jan. 28
Dec. 3	Robert Covington, Tennessee State	Feb. 4
Dec. 10	Ed Daniel, Murray State	Feb. 11
Dec. 17	Isaiah Canaan, MUR; Robert Covington, TSU	Feb. 18
Dec. 23	Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky	Feb. 25
Dec. 31		March 4
Jan. 7		

NEWCOMER

Nov. 12	Travis Betran, Austin Peay	Jan. 14
Nov. 19	Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky	Jan. 21
Nov. 26	Travis Betran, Austin Peay	Jan. 28
Dec. 3	Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky	Feb. 4
Dec. 10	Travis Betran, APSU; Glenn Cosey, EKU	Feb. 11
Dec. 17	Corey Walden, Eastern Kentucky	Feb. 18
Dec. 23	Tim Johnson, SIUE	Feb. 25
Dec. 31		March 4
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SOCIAL MEDIA: Get breaking news about the OVC by following the OVC through Social Media. Check out the OVC sites at <http://www.twitter.com/OVCsports> and <http://www.facebook.com/ovcsports>. Also check out www.YouTube.com/ohiovalleyconference and the league's blog at ovcinsider.blogspot.com.

WEEKLY NOTES: The OVC will release its Players of the Week and weekly notes report each Monday throughout the season by 5 p.m. CT. The report is available via e-mail, and is posted on the league's Web site in text and PDF versions. Statistics are updated after each gameday on the OVC Website.

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NOTES FROM AROUND THE LEAGUE

OVC Overview/This Week's Highlights: After a break for the Christmas holiday, OVC teams will return to action next weekend with games on Friday, Saturday and Sunday...The games will include the last set of non-conference games for most every team; after this week with the exception of the Bracket-Busters event in February, only two other non-conference games remain on the schedule...Besides the nine non-conference games on tap this week are the first three OVC contests of the year; the first OVC games of the year are on Saturday when UT Martin plays at Southeast Missouri, Tennessee Tech is at Jacksonville State and Eastern Illinois is at Tennessee State...This year marks the first the OVC has played in divisions (East/West); the league will play a 16-game schedule of Conference games... As of Sunday (Dec. 23) the OVC ranked 17th as a Conference in the RPI at RPIRatings.com; Belmont was the OVC's highest ranked team (17th) while Murray State was second (20th) and Jacksonville State was third (86th)...Murray State saw the nation's longest road winning streak (16 games) come to an end on Saturday at Dayton; the loss was the first on the road for the Racers since the end of the 2010-11 season (a NIT game at Missouri State).

Murray State Receiving Votes in Top 25: As of last week's poll Murray State continues to receive votes in both national Top 25 polls. The Racers picked up three (3) points in the USA Today Coaches Poll and four (4) points in the Associated Press Top 25. Belmont received votes in the coaches poll on Nov. 19 following its win at Stanford but is no longer receiving votes in that poll. A new poll will be released on Monday.

Murray State, Belmont, Eastern Kentucky Ranked in CollegeInsider.com Mid-Major Poll: In last week's CollegeInsider.com Mid-Major poll (Dec. 17, the new poll has not been released yet), Murray State was No. 4, Belmont was No. 10 and Eastern Kentucky was No. 19 while Jacksonville State was among the other schools receiving votes. Murray State was ranked fourth for the fifth-straight week, Belmont fell two spots following a loss to Kansas while EKU dropped one spot following its loss to Illinois. Jacksonville State doubled its point total (from 12 to 24) and is unofficially 31st in the poll. Creighton was ranked first and received 23 first-place votes while Gonzaga second and picked up seven first-place votes while Murray State picked up the final first-place vote. Murray State finished the 2011-12 season ranked No. 1 in the poll, holding that spot for the final 12 weeks of the season; MSU was the first OVC team to ever be ranked No. 1 in the poll. Now in its 14th season, the Mid-Major poll is made up of team's from the following conferences: America East, Atlantic Sun, Big Sky, Big South, Big West, Colonial, Great West, Horizon, Independents, Ivy, Metro Atlantic, Mid-American, Mid-Eastern, Missouri Valley, Northeast, Ohio Valley, Patriot, Southern, Southland, Southwestern, Summit, Sun Belt, WAC and West Coast. It is voted upon by coaches from those conferences, with one coach per conference casting a vote (Eastern Kentucky's Jeff Neubauer is the OVC representative).

NCAA Statistical Leaders: In the latest set of NCAA statistical leaders released on Dec. 17 (the next set of leaders will not be released until Wednesday, Jan. 2), Eastern Kentucky ranks second nationally in turnover margin (+7.9/game) while Belmont ranks sixth nationally in 3-pointers made/game (9.0). Austin Peay is 11th in fewest personal fouls/game (13.5) and 13th in 3-point percentage (40.3%) while Morehead State is 10th in steals (10.5/game). Murray State is 25th in scoring offense (79.2 points/game) and 21st in field goal percentage (48.2%). Southeast Missouri State ranks 15th in field goal percentage defense (36.2%) and 19th in 3-point percentage defense (25.2%). Jacksonville State ranks 15th in 3-point percentage defense (25.2%). Individually Murray State's **Isaiah Canaan** ranks seventh nationally in scoring (21.3 points/game) and 10th in 3-pointers made/game (3.4). Belmont's **Ian Clark** is fourth nationally in both 3-point percentage (52.0%) and fifth in 3-pointers made/game (3.9). Murray State's **Ed Daniel** is fifth in rebounding (11.7/game) and fifth in double-doubles (6). Austin Peay's **Chris Horton** is 11th in blocks (3.0/game) while Southeast Missouri's **Nino Johnson** is 14th (2.9/game). APSU's **Travis Betran** is eighth in 3-point percentage (50.9%) while Tennessee State's **Patrick Miller** is 14th in assists (6.5/game).

OVC One of Just 9 Conferences (3 Non-BCS) to Win NCAA Tournament Games in Each of Past Four Seasons: The OVC is one of just nine (9) Division I conferences to win a NCAA Tournament game in each of the past four years and one of just three non-BCS conferences to achieve the feat. The other non-BCS leagues to win a game in each of the last three years are the Atlantic 10 and West Coast Conferences. The ACC, Big 12, Big East, Big Ten, Pac-10/12 and SEC are the BCS-level conferences that have won at least one game in each of the past three years.

More on NCAA Success: The four-year winning streak in NCAA Tournament play is unprecedented in OVC history. After winning NCAA Tournament games in each 1987, 1988 and 1989, the OVC went 20 years without a NCAA victory. That changed in 2009 when Morehead State topped Alabama State 58-43 in front of a record crowd at the Opening Round game in Dayton, Ohio. A year later it was No. 13 seed Murray State who won, topping No. 4 seed Vanderbilt 66-65 when Danero Thomas nailed a buzzer-beater in San Jose. In 2011 it was Morehead State's turn again, as the Eagles were seeded 13th and sent to Denver to battle No. 4-seed Louisville. MSU got off to a 15-2 lead nearly eight minutes into the game but trailed 61-59 with 31 seconds to play. On its final possession senior Demonte Harper nailed a 3-pointer from the top of the key with 4.3 seconds remaining to give Morehead State the lead and Kenneth Faried blocked Louisville's last shot attempt to seal the victory. Last season it was Murray State who once again won, knocking off Colorado State 58-41 in the second round in a game played in Louisville. The Racers earned a No. 6 seed in that event, the highest seed ever for an OVC team since the tournament seeding began in 1979.

Belmont's Johnson, Murray State's Canaan Named to Cousy Award Watch List: Belmont senior **Kerron Johnson** and Murray State senior **Isaiah Canaan** have been named to the watch list for the 2013 Bob Cousy Collegiate Point Guard of the Year Award, which is presented by the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame. The annual honor, named for Hall of Famer and former Boston Celtic Bob Cousy, recognizes the top point guards in men's college basketball. This watch list of candidates will be narrowed down to a final 20 around January 1st, final 10 near February 1st, and final five by approximately March 1st. A premier Selection Committee has been appointed by the Hall of Fame to

COACHES TELECONFERENCE

During the regular season a monthly teleconference featuring the league's 10 head coaches will be held on Tuesday mornings at 10 a.m. Central Time. The initial teleconference will take place Jan. 8 with the next call following on Feb. 5 (women's coaches calls will be held on Wednesday's - Jan. 16 and Feb. 13). On Monday, March 4 a call featuring the men's & women's coaches who make the 8-team OVC Tournament field will be held at 9 a.m. (schedule to be announced). A schedule of what times coaches will appear is below. For information on how to access the call, please contact Kyle Schwartz in the OVC Office (615-371-1698 or kschwartz@ovc.org). Following each teleconference, the audio will be cut-up and posted at OVCSports.com. Any media members who would like .mp3 files of a particular coach should also contact Schwartz.

9:55 - Call Opens/Announcements
10:00 - Jay Spoonhour, Eastern Illinois
10:05 - Lennox Forrester, SIUE
10:10 - Jason James, UT Martin
10:15 - Sean Woods, Morehead State
10:20 - Dickey Nutt, Southeast Missouri
10:25 - James Green, Jacksonville State
10:30 - Steve Payne, Tennessee Tech
10:35 - Dave Loos, Austin Peay
10:40 - Rick Byrd, Belmont
10:45 - Travis Williams, Tennessee State
10:50 - Steve Prohm, Murray State
10:55 - Jeff Neubauer, Eastern Kentucky

2013 OVC TOURNAMENT

The 2013 Ohio Valley Conference Men's & Women's Tournaments will be held March 6-9 at Municipal Auditorium in Nashville, Tenn. The tournament features eight men's and eight women's teams in a merit-based format with the No. 1 and 2 seeds getting double byes into the semifinals and the No. 3 and 4 seeds getting a bye into the quarterfinals.

The first round and quarterfinal games (which start at 12 and 2 p.m. for the women, and 6 and 8 p.m. for the men) can be seen on the OVC Digital Network. The men's semifinals will be held on Friday, March 8 at 6 and 8 p.m. and televised on ESPN and ESPN3. The championship game on Saturday, March 9 is at 6 p.m. and televised live on ESPN2. The women's semifinals are set for 12 and 2 p.m. on March 8 (TV TBA) and the women's championship game is on March 9 at a TBD time.

This marks the 19th time in 20 years that the tournament has been held in Nashville.

CREDENTIALS. For the fourth year in a row, credentials will be requested through an online system. That information will be available in January. **The deadline to request credentials is MONDAY, MARCH 6 at 1 p.m.** No credentials will be mailed; they can be picked up at Media Will-Call, located at the back entrance of the arena (at the intersection of 5th Ave. North and Gay Street).



review the final five candidates in contention for the nation's top collegiate point guard award. These Hall of Fame committees are made up of top college basketball personnel including media members, head coaches, Sports Information Directors and Hall of Famers. The winner of the 2013 Bob Cousy Award will be presented at the Hall of Fame's Class Announcement on Championship Monday in Atlanta as part of NCAA Final Four weekend.

Canaan Named Preseason All-American by Associated Press: Murray State senior guard **Isaiah Canaan** was one of six players named to the Associated Press Preseason All-American team this season. Canaan was joined on the team by Indiana sophomore Cody Zeller, Creighton junior Doug McDermott, Lehigh senior C.J. McCollum, Ohio State junior Deshaun Thomas and Michigan sophomore Trey Burke. Canaan was named on 43 of the 65 media ballots, second only to McDermott (who was named on 62 ballots).

Canaan Named to Wooden Award Preseason Watch List: Murray State senior guard **Isaiah Canaan** is one of 50 players named to the John Wooden Award Preseason Watch List. Canaan and Creighton's Doug McDermott are the only two players who made the 10-player Wooden All-American Team last year to return to the preseason list this season. Transfers, freshmen and medical redshirts are not eligible for the Preseason Top 50. The players on the list are considered strong candidates for the midseason list and the official voting ballot, both of which are open to freshman and transfer students. The National Ballot consists of approximately 20 top players who have proven to their universities that they are also making progress toward graduation and maintaining at least a cumulative 2.0 GPA. The Wooden Award All American Team, consisting of the nation's top 10 players, will be announced the week of the "Elite Eight" round of the NCAA Tournament. The 37th annual Wooden Award ceremony will honor the Men's and Women's Wooden Award winners, and will include the presentation of the Wooden Award All American Teams and the Legends of Coaching Award. The event will take place the weekend of April 12-13, 2013.

Canaan Named to Naismith Award Early Season Watch List: Murray State senior guard **Isaiah Canaan** is one of 50 players nationally named to the Naismith Award early season watch list and announced by the Atlanta Tipoff Club. The 50-player watch list was compiled by the Atlanta Tipoff Club's Board of Selectors, which based its criteria on player performances from the previous year and expectations for the 2012-13 college basketball season. The Naismith Men's College Player of the Year presented by AT&T will be awarded on April 7, 2013 in Atlanta. In late February, the Atlanta Tipoff Club's Board of Selectors will compile a mid-season team of the top 30 players in the nation. Then in March, the Naismith Trophy voting academy will narrow the list to the four finalists.

Canaan is Candidate for Senior CLASS Award: Murray State senior guard **Isaiah Canaan** is one of 30 men's basketball student-athletes who are candidates for the Senior CLASS Award. To be eligible for the award, a student-athlete must be classified as an NCAA Division I senior and have notable achievements in four areas of excellence – community, classroom, character and competition. The complete list of candidates follows this release. An acronym for Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School®, the Senior CLASS Award focuses on the total student-athlete and encourages students to use their platform in athletics to make a positive impact as leaders in their communities. The candidate classes will be narrowed to 10 men's and 10 women's finalists midway through the regular season, and those names will be placed on the official ballot. Ballots will be distributed through a nationwide voting system to media, coaches and fans, who will select one men's finalist and one women's finalist who best exemplifies excellence in the four Cs of community, classroom, character and competition.

No Freshmen: The SIUE men's basketball team is one of six Division I teams this season to not feature a freshman (either true or redshirt) on its roster. The other teams without a freshman include Ohio, Portland State, Savannah State, UAB and Valparaiso.

Canaan Named to All-Tournament Team at Charleston Classic: Murray State senior **Isaiah Canaan** was named to the Charleston Classic All-Tournament team after leading his team to a runner-up finish at the event. Canaan averaged 20.7 points, 3.7 assists and 3.0 rebounds/game as the Racers topped Auburn and St. John's before falling to Colorado.

Belmont's Clark and Noack Named to All-Tournament Team at Great Alaska Shootout: Belmont senior guard **Ian Clark** and senior forward **Trevor Noack** were named to the Great Alaska Shootout All-Tournament Team after leading his team to a third-place finish in the event. In the three games Clark averaged 16.3 points, 3.7 assists, 3.0 rebounds and 1.3 steals/game while hitting 51.6 percent (16-of-31) from the field and 59.1 percent (13-of-22) from 3-point range. In the Bruins win over host Alaska Anchorage he scored 14 points, dished out five assists and held UAA's leading scorer to just two field goals in 40 minutes. In the semifinal loss to Northeastern, Clark set a record in the 35-year old history of the Great Alaska Shootout by connecting on 9-of-11 (81.8) 3-pointers on his way to a game-high 29 points. In a third-place victory over Oral Roberts, Clark struggled offensively but limited ORU's top player (who entered the game averaged 24.0 points/game) to a season-low three points in 30 minutes of play. Noack averaged 13.7 points and 5.3 rebounds/game in scoring double figures in each game. He had 15 against each Alaska Anchorage and Oral Roberts and 11 against Northeastern. It marks the second-straight year an OVC player has been named to the event's All-Tournament Team (Murray State's Isaiah Canaan earned the honors last year).

OVC Tournament Once Again at Municipal Auditorium: The 2013 OVC Tournament will once again be played at Municipal Auditorium in Nashville, Tenn. (March 6-9). It marks the third-straight year the tournament has been at the venue and the eighth time the combined men's and women's tournaments have been held at the venue (1994, 1995, 1996, 2004, 2008, 2011, 2012); the men's tournament was also held there in 1967. Beginning in 2011 the Championship switched to a format where the top eight men's and women's teams play in the merit-based format. The No. 1 and 2 seeds received two byes to the semifinals while the No. 3 and 4 seeds received one bye into the quarterfinals.

OVC CAREER RECORD BOOK WATCH

CAREER 2,000-POINT SCORERS

1. Henry Domercant, EIU (1999-03)	2,602
2. Joe Jakubick, AKR (1980-84)	2,583
3. Jeff Martin, MUR (1985-89)	2,484
4. Ricky Minard, MOR (2000-04)	2,381
5. Bubba Wells, APSU (1993-97)	2,267
6. Isaac Spencer, MUR (1997-01)	2,248
7. Jim McDaniels, WKU (1968-71)	2,238
8. Marcus Brown, MUR (1992-96)	2,236
9. Earl Wise, TTU (1986-90)	2,196
10. Ralph Crosthwaite, WKU (1954-55, 56-59)	2,076
11. Nick Stapleton, APSU (1998-02)	2,073
12. Herbie Stamper, MOR (1975-79)	2,072
13. Popeye Jones, MUR (1988-92)	2,057
14. Kevin Murphy, TTU (2008-12)	2,019
Howie Crittenden, MUR (1952-56)	2,019
16. Kenneth Faried, MOR (2007-11)	2,009
- Isaiah Canaan, MUR (2009-present)	1,604
- Robert Covington, TSU (2009-present)	1,565

CAREER 3-POINTERS MADE

1. Joe Sibbitt, APSU (1994-98)	319
2. DeWayne Powell, UTM (1992-96)	302
3. Henry Domercant, EIU (2000-03)	285
4. Maze Stallworth, MOR (2006-10)	283
5. Mike Rose, ECU (2005-09)	271
6. Matt Witt, ECU (2002-06)	267
7. J. Robert Merritt, SAM (2003-06)	263
8. Todd Babington, APSU (2004-08)	254
9. Frank Davis, TTU (2006-10)	251
Frank Allen, MUR (1989-93)	251
- Isaiah Canaan, MUR (2009-present)	246

CAREER 3-POINTERS ATTEMPTED

1. Joe Sibbitt, APSU (1994-98)	830
2. Matt Witt, ECU (2002-06)	775
3. DeWayne Powell, UTM (1992-96)	763
4. Maze Stallworth, MOR (2006-10)	736
5. Henry Domercant, EIU (2000-03)	704
Marquis Weddle, UTM (2007-10)	704
7. Mike Rose, ECU (2005-09)	683
8. Todd Babington, APSU (2004-08)	675
9. Nick Stapleton, APSU (1998-02)	662
10. Jamie Roberts, TSU (1997-00)	658
- Marland Smith, SEMO (2009-present)	599
- Isaiah Canaan, MUR (2009-present)	556

The first round included the No. 5 seed against the No. 8 seed and the No. 6 seed against the No. 7 seed. As part of the deal to host the tournament at Municipal Auditorium, the Nashville City Council and Municipal Auditorium committed \$200,000 to improvements at the venue, which opened in 1962. Among the major improvements included upgrades to the dressing rooms, two new scoreboards and the new OVC-branded playing surface. The floor was built by Horner Sports Flooring, whose corporate headquarters are in Dollar Bay, Mich. The company has made floors for many collegiate and National Basketball Association (NBA) teams, including building the floor for the 2010 NBA All-Star Game which was held at Texas Stadium. Last year's event (2012) saw the largest neutral site crowds ever in Nashville and the second-largest championship game attendance ever at a neutral site. For the semifinal games last year 5,142 fans attended the Murray State/Tennessee Tech and Tennessee State/Morehead State games. A day later 6,454 fans attended the Murray State/Tennessee State Championship game. That crowd was the largest ever for a neutral site OVC Tournament game in Nashville and the second-largest neutral site championship crowd ever (trailing only the 8,145 fans who saw the 1993 Championship in Rupp Arena in Lexington, Ky.).

OVC Teams to Compete Once Again in ESPN Sears BracketBusters Series: OVC teams will once again compete in the Sears BracketBusters series this season. This marks the eighth-straight season the every OVC teams has competed in the event. Now it's 11th year, BracketBusters is an ESPN television property that has been tremendously successful with its nine events. The event has allowed Division I conferences to participate in a cutting-edge format that involves "wild card" pairings from the pool of participating teams, with half of the ESPN BracketBusters teams pre-designated as "home" and the remaining half as "road" teams. This year there are 122 teams from 15 conferences in the pool of teams that will be selected for one of 13 nationally-televised games (5 on ESPN2, 4 on ESPNU and 4 on ESPN3).

OVC at 12 Schools for First Time With Addition of Belmont; League Begins First Year of Divisional Play: The addition of Belmont University on July 1, 2012 gave the OVC 12 member institutions, the largest the Conference has been since it was formed in 1948 (the OVC is currently the nation's eighth-oldest Division I conference). The 2012-13 also marks the first year that SIUE, who finished its reclassification process to Division I in August, is eligible for the postseason. The East Division includes Belmont, Eastern Kentucky, Jacksonville State, Morehead State, Tennessee State and Tennessee Tech. The West Division includes Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Murray State, Southeast Missouri State, SIUE and UT Martin. The team who finishes first in each division will be guaranteed either the No. 1 or No. 2 seed for the OVC Tournament (and get a double bye into the semifinals); Seeds 3-8 in the tournament will be based on best Conference record, regardless of which division the team is from.

Loos is All-Time Winningest Coach in OVC History: With a 68-66 victory at Ohio on Dec. 9, 2009, Austin Peay head coach **Dave Loos** recorded his 320th career victory while in the OVC, a mark that ranks first all-time. Loos passed Cal Luther (319 wins at Murray State and UT Martin) for the all-time mark. Loos, the Dean of OVC coaches, is now in his 23rd year at Austin Peay where he also serves as the Athletics Director, making him the only Division I head men's basketball coach to hold that distinction. Loos is one of just 11 active Division I coaches to have coached at the same school for 20 or more years. Loos now has 367 victories in his tenure at Austin Peay and 449 for his career (which ranks him 27th among Division I head coaches). Although he is in his first year in the OVC, Belmont head coach **Rick Byrd** has 645 career victories, which ranks seventh among active Division I head coaches.

The OVC Welcomes Four New Head Coaches: The OVC has four new head coaches this season. Tennessee State promoted head coach **Travis Williams** to its top spot after former coach John Cooper left for Miami (Ohio). Eastern Illinois is under the direction of **Jay Spoonhour** while Morehead State hired former Mississippi Valley State head coach **Sean Woods**. Although not new to his team, Belmont's **Rick Byrd** is new to the league as the Bruins are playing its first year in the league in 2012-13.

Former OVC Players in the NBA: Entering the 2012-13 season there are two former OVC players on NBA rosters. Former Morehead State All-American **Kenneth Faried** was the No. 22 overall pick in the 2011 NBA Draft and is in his second season with the Denver Nuggets. Faried was a two-time OVC Player of the Year, three-time OVC Defensive Player of the Year and set the NCAA Modern Era (since 1973) Rebounding record during his career. Faried was named to the NBA All-Rookie Team in 2012 after averaging 10.2 points and 7.7 rebounds/game in 46 contests. Former Tennessee Tech star **Kevin Murphy**, who scored 50 points in a game last season, was picked by the Utah Jazz with the 47th overall pick in the 2012 NBA Draft and begins his rookie season with the team. Murphy is currently playing with the Jazz's NBDL affiliate, the Reno BigHorns. Several other former NBA players are in the NBDL including Morehead State's **Demonte Harper** (Erie BayHawks), Tennessee Tech's **Liam McMorrow** (Iowa Energy), Jacksonville State's **Nick Murphy** (Iowa Energy) and Jacksonville State's **Walker Russell** (Fort Wayne Mad Ants).

The 2012-13 Season: The 2012-13 season marks the 65th of competition in the OVC. Over the previous 64 years, 12 different teams have claimed an OVC regular season championship.

Murray State's Canaan Tabbed as Preseason Player of the Year: The 2012-13 All-OVC Preseason Men's Basketball team was headlined by Murray State senior **Isaiah Canaan** who is the defending OVC Player of the Year and a preseason All-American selection. Overall six different schools were represented on the team with Belmont, Murray State, Southeast Missouri and Tennessee State having two selections apiece while SIUE and Tennessee Tech each had one selection to round out the team. The squad features three players who were All-OVC first-team selections last season, two players who were second-team selections and one player who was selected to the All-Newcomer squad. The team is comprised of eight seniors and two juniors. Last season Canaan was named the 2012 OVC Player of the Year and 2011-12 OVC Male Athlete of the Year after ranking 24th nationally in scoring (19.0), sixth in 3-point percentage (45.6%) and 13th in 3-pointers made/game (2.97).

OVC ACTIVE CAREER LEADERS

POINTS SCORED

1604	Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
1565	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
1509	Ian Clark, Belmont
1399	Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
1247	Mark Yelovich, SIUE
1203	Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
1077	Kerron Johnson, Belmont
1090	Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay
994	Mike Liabo, UT Martin
837	Patrick Miller, Tennessee State
699	Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri
690	Brian Williams, Jacksonville State

REBOUNDS

785	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
678	Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
474	Mark Yelovich, SIUE
445	Terrell Barnes, Tennessee Tech
442	Ed Daniel, Murray State
374	Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay
369	Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
347	Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri
332	Will Triggs, Austin Peay
305	Ian Clark, Belmont
297	Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
293	Drew Kelly, Morehead State

ASSISTS

410	Kerron Johnson, Belmont
304	Lucas Nutt, Southeast Missouri
295	Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
283	Patrick Miller, Tennessee State
236	Ian Clark, Belmont
201	Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
185	Brian Williams, Jacksonville State
160	Mike Liabo, UT Martin
144	Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky
131	Omari Minor, UT Martin
129	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
121	J.J. Mann, Belmont
117	Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay
115	Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
111	Austin Akers, Eastern Illinois
109	Terence Smith, UT Martin

STEALS

166	Kerron Johnson, Belmont
154	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
121	Patrick Miller, Tennessee State
120	Ian Clark, Belmont
119	Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
97	Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
96	Mark Yelovich, SIUE
96	Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
87	J.J. Mann, Belmont
81	Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay
78	Brian Williams, Jacksonville State
70	Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky
68	Ed Daniel, Murray State
63	Brandon Baker, Belmont
63	Ronnie Boggs, Jacksonville State

BLOCKED SHOTS

123	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
104	Ed Daniel, Murray State
78	Michael Green, Tennessee State
78	Nick Cook, Jacksonville State
54	Mark Yelovich, SIUE
54	Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri
47	Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri
45	Will Triggs, Austin Peay
36	Chris Horton, Austin Peay
32	Tarvin Gaines, Jacksonville State
29	Myles Taylor, UT Martin
28	Brandon Baker, Belmont
27	Brandon Garrett, Murray State
27	MJ Rhett, Tennessee State
26	Terrell Barnes, Tennessee Tech

3-POINTERS MADE

278	Ian Clark, Belmont
246	Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
204	Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
161	Robert Covington, Tennessee State
148	Mike Liabo, UT Martin
144	Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay
101	Mark Yelovich, SIUE
97	J.J. Mann, Belmont
88	Brian Williams, Jacksonville State
87	Lucas Nutt, Southeast Missouri
73	Nick Niemczyk, Southeast Missouri
69	Kris Davis, SIUE

In addition to Canaan, Tennessee State senior forward **Robert Covington** and Tennessee Tech senior guard **Jud Dillard** were each first-team selections last year and are on the preseason team this year. The second-team selections from last year appearing on the preseason team this year are Southeast Missouri junior forward **Tyler Stone** and SIUE senior forward **Mark Yelovich**. The Preseason All-OVC team was rounded out by the Belmont senior backcourt duo of **Kerron Johnson** and **Ian Clark**, Murray State senior forward **Ed Daniel**, Tennessee State junior guard **Patrick Miller** and Southeast Missouri senior guard **Marland Smith**.

Murray State, Belmont Picked as OVC Preseason Favorites: In a vote of Ohio Valley Conference head men's basketball coaches and sports information directors defending champion Murray State was picked the favorite in the West Division while newcomer Belmont was picked as the East Division favorite in the OVC for 2012-13. This year marks the first for divisional play in the OVC, which now includes 12 teams for the first time in Conference history. Murray State led the West Division voting, picking up 22 of a possible 24 first-place votes (schools were not allowed to vote for themselves) and 132 total points. Southeast Missouri State was tabbed second and picked up the remaining two first-place votes and 108 points. The West was rounded out by Austin Peay (92), SIUE (73), Eastern Illinois (49) and UT Martin (38). Belmont picked up 21 of the 24 first-place votes and 131 points to be picked the East Division favorites. Tennessee State was tabbed second and received the other three first-place votes and 109 points. The East was rounded out by Tennessee Tech (87), Morehead State (77) and Eastern Kentucky (56). Due to a NCAA APR penalty, Jacksonville State is ineligible for the OVC and NCAA Tournaments this season and was not included in the preseason voting.

Westwood One to Broadcast OVC Championship Game: For the fourth consecutive season, the 2013 Men's Basketball Championship game will be broadcast by the Westwood One radio network, the largest provider of audio content in America. Westwood One is one of the nation's largest providers of network radio programming and one of the largest domestic providers of traffic information in the U.S. Westwood One serves more than 5,000 radio and 170 TV stations in the U.S. Westwood One provides over 150 news, sports, music, talk and entertainment programs, features and live events to numerous media partners. Westwood One is home of the most prestigious sports broadcasts on radio. Westwood One's lineup includes regular season NFL football, the Playoffs and the Super Bowl; NCAA Football and Basketball including the Final Four; College World Series; Frozen Four; the Olympics; the Masters and more. Through its Metro Traffic division, Westwood One provides traffic reporting and local news, sports and weather to approximately 2,300 radio and TV stations. Westwood One also provides digital and other cross-platform delivery of its network and Metro content.

Replay Systems for OVC Basketball Venues Enter Year six: On Dec. 21, 2007, the Ohio Valley Conference mandated the use of courtside replay systems at all OVC basketball venues. The systems were put into place in January 2008 and have been used since. The systems are used in situations that are outlined by NCAA rules.

OVC Digital Network: The OVC launched the OVC Digital Network (OVCDN) in August 2012. The OVCDN is the exclusive home for live web streamed athletic contests involving OVC schools. This marks the seventh year the OVC has streamed live events, but first time the events will be offered free of charge and in an HD format and will feature improved quality thanks to an investment in new equipment conference-wide. Fans will also find it easier to log onto OVCDigitalNetwork.com and access the streams and can do so without any registration. The events will be available on any computer, tablet or smart phone without needing any special downloads or apps thanks new streaming technology.

NATIONAL POLLS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (Dec. 17)

No.	Team	Record	Pts.
1.	Duke (62)	9-0	1,622
2.	Michigan (3)	11-0	1,543
3.	Syracuse	9-0	1,465
4.	Arizona	8-0	1,371
5.	Louisville	9-1	1,362
6.	Indiana	9-1	1,321
7.	Ohio State	8-1	1,249
8.	Florida	7-1	1,163
9.	Kansas	8-1	1,110
10.	Illinois	12-0	1,044
11.	Cincinnati	10-0	967
12.	Missouri	8-1	886
13.	Minnesota	11-1	730
14.	Gonzaga	10-1	710
15.	Georgetown	9-1	579
16.	New Mexico	11-0	548
17.	Creighton	10-1	530
18.	San Diego State	8-1	493
19.	Butler	8-2	361
20.	Michigan State	9-2	343
21.	UNLV	8-1	315
22.	Notre Dame	9-1	291
23.	North Carolina	8-2	256
24.	Oklahoma State	8-1	244
25.	North Carolina State	7-2	198

Others: Oregon (176), Pitt (158), Kentucky (41), Wyoming (14), Marquette (8), VCU (7), Wichita State (6), UConn (4), **Murray State (4)**, Miami FL (3), Maryland (2), Bucknell (1).

USA TODAY COACHES POLL (Dec. 17)

No.	Team	Record	Pts.
1.	Duke (30)	9-0	774
2.	Michigan (1)	11-0	743
3.	Syracuse	9-0	695
4.	Louisville	9-1	640
5.	Arizona	8-0	632
6.	Indiana	9-1	627
7.	Ohio State	8-1	595
8.	Kansas	8-1	552
9.	Florida	7-1	532
10.	Illinois	12-0	482
11.	Cincinnati	10-0	460
12.	Missouri	8-1	451
13.	Creighton	10-1	351
14.	Gonzaga	10-1	339
15.	San Diego State	8-1	296
16.	Minnesota	11-1	273
17.	New Mexico	11-0	219
18.	UNLV	8-1	216
19.	North Carolina	8-2	187
	Michigan State	9-2	187
21.	Georgetown	9-1	180
22.	Notre Dame	9-1	125
23.	Kentucky	7-3	98
24.	Oklahoma State	8-1	94
25.	Butler	8-2	89

Others: NC State (84), Pitt (74), Oregon (45), VCU (11), Wyoming (8), UConn (6), Wichita State (5), **Murray State (3)**, Oklahoma (2).

POLLS WEEK-BY-WEEK (AP/USA TODAY)

	MUR	BEL
Preseason	RV/RV	-
Nov. 12	RV/RV	-
Nov. 19	RV/RV	-/RV
Nov. 26	RV/RV	-
Dec. 3	RV/RV	-
Dec. 10	RV/RV	-
Dec. 17	RV/RV	-

2012-13 SUPERLATIVES

Double-Doubles

Ed Daniel, Murray State (7)

15 points, 11 rebounds vs. St. John's (Nov. 16)
20 points, 10 rebounds vs. Colorado (Nov. 18)
15 points, 15 rebounds vs. Old Dominion (Nov. 24)
20 points, 18 rebounds at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
23 points, 14 rebounds vs. Bethel (Dec. 4)
21 points, 15 rebounds at Evansville (Dec. 8)
17 points, 13 rebounds at Dayton (Dec. 22)

Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri (5)

14 points, 15 rebounds vs. Lyon College (Nov. 12)
10 points, 10 rebounds vs. Louisiana Tech (Nov. 19)
11 points, 11 rebounds at New Orleans (Nov. 28)
10 points, 16 rebounds at Southeastern Louisiana (Dec. 1)
21 points, 16 rebounds vs. Central Arkansas (Dec. 8)

Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech (4)

34 points, 12 rebounds vs. Coastal Carolina (Nov. 15)
25 points, 10 rebounds at East Tennessee State (Nov. 17)
13 points, 10 rebounds at Lipscomb (Nov. 30)
17 points, 11 rebounds at Milwaukee (Dec. 15)

Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri (4)

16 points, 11 rebounds at Chattanooga (Nov. 18)
17 points, 14 rebounds vs. Louisiana Tech (Nov. 19)
11 points, 13 rebounds vs. Troy (Nov. 20)
23 points, 14 rebounds at New Orleans (Nov. 29)

Robert Covington, Tennessee State (3)

23 points, 11 rebounds at South Dakota State (Nov. 13)
29 points, 14 rebounds vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
31 points, 11 rebounds vs. LeMoyne-Owen (Dec. 16)

Chris Horton, Austin Peay (3)

12 points, 10 rebounds at Western Kentucky (Nov. 13)
21 points, 11 rebounds vs. Oakland City (Dec. 5)
10 points, 13 rebounds at Arkansas State (Dec. 16)

Chris Freeman, Austin Peay (2)

11 points, 12 rebounds vs. Samford (Nov. 9)
11 points, 10 rebounds vs. Western Carolina (Nov. 20)

Myles Taylor, UT Martin (2)

17 points, 11 rebounds vs. Fontbonne (Nov. 14)
18 points, 11 rebounds vs. Arkansas State (Nov. 16)

Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State (2)

11 points, 13 rebounds at Minnesota (Nov. 15)
27 points, 16 rebounds vs. Monmouth (Nov. 21)

Milton Chavis, Morehead State (1)

19 points, 10 rebounds vs. Norfolk State (Nov. 26)

Tobias Dowdell, UT Martin (1)

13 points, 13 rebounds at Central Arkansas (Dec. 5)

Blake Jenkins, Belmont (1)

10 points, 10 rebounds vs. South Dakota State (Dec. 19)

A.J. Jones, Southeast Missouri (1)

13 points, 10 rebounds vs. Lyon College (Nov. 12)

Maurice Lewis-Briggs, Morehead State (1)

24 points, 13 rebounds at South Dakota (Dec. 19)

Javon McKay, Tennessee Tech (1)

13 points, 11 rebounds vs. Crowley's Ridge (Nov. 10)

Kahlil Owens, Morehead State (1)

12 points, 12 rebounds at LIU Brooklyn (Nov. 9)

Josh Piper, Eastern Illinois (1)

16 points, 11 rebounds vs. Houston Baptist (Nov. 24)

Derian Shaffer, SIUE (1)

17 points, 10 rebounds vs. Southern Illinois (Nov. 20)

Stacy Wilson, Murray State (1)

12 points, 13 rebounds at Arkansas State (Dec. 19)

30-Plus Point Games

34.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech vs. Coastal Carolina (Nov. 15)
32.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
32.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri vs. Central Arkansas (Dec. 8)
31.....Robert Covington, Tennessee State vs. LeMoyne-Owen (Dec. 16)
30.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State vs. Old Dominion (Nov. 24)
30.....Ian Clark, Belmont vs. Lipscomb (Dec. 4)

20-Plus Point Games

29.....Ian Clark, Belmont vs. Northeastern (Nov. 23)
29.....Robert Covington, Tennessee State vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
28.....Josh Piper, Eastern Illinois vs. Texas-Pan American (Nov. 17)
28.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri at UMKC (Dec. 22)
27.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State vs. Monmouth (Nov. 21)
27.....Robert Covington at Alabama A&M (Dec. 1)
27.....Travis Betran, Austin Peay at Memphis (Dec. 8)
27.....Darion Rackley, Jacksonville State vs. Martin Methodist (Dec. 11)
26.....Bobby Jones, UT Martin vs. Fontbonne (Nov. 14)
26.....Jerome Jones, SIUE vs. Western Illinois (Nov. 14)
26.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State vs. Auburn (Nov. 15)
25.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech vs. Crowley's Ridge (Nov. 10)
25.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri vs. Lyon College (Nov. 12)
25.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech at East Tennessee State (Nov. 17)
25.....Mike Liabo, UT Martin vs. Lyon College (Nov. 20)
25.....Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay vs. Lipscomb (Dec. 18)
24.....Milton Chavis, Morehead State at LIU Brooklyn (Nov. 9)
24.....Myles Taylor, UT Martin at Arkansas-Little Rock (Nov. 9)
24.....Kris Davis, SIUE at Texas-Pan American (Nov. 24)
24.....A.J. Jones, Southeast Missouri vs. Hannibal-LaGrange (Nov. 26)
24.....Ian Clark, Belmont at VCU (Dec. 1)
24.....Brian Williams, Jacksonville State at Presbyterian (Dec. 15)
24.....Trevor Noack, Belmont vs. South Dakota State (Dec. 19)
24.....Maurice Lewis-Briggs, Morehead State at South Dakota (Dec. 19)

OVC VS. OTHER CONFERENCES

America East	0-1
ACC	0-1
Atlantic Sun	7-3
Atlantic 10	0-4
Big East	1-2
Big Sky	1-0
Big South	4-2
Big Ten	0-4
Big 12	0-2
Big West	0-0
Colonial	3-2
Conference USA	0-3
Great West	3-1
Horizon	2-4
Independents	2-0
Ivy	0-0
Metro Atlantic Athletic	0-1
Mid-American	1-3
MEAC	5-1
Missouri Valley	2-6
Mountain West	0-1
Non-Division I Teams	20-1
Northeast	1-1
Pac-12	1-2
Patriot	1-0
SEC	1-5
Southern	5-1
Southland	3-3
SWAC	3-0
Summit	4-6
Sun Belt	4-6
West Coast	0-1
Western Athletic	0-1
TOTAL NON-CONFERENCE RECORD	74-68

MID-MAJOR TOP 25

Now in its 13th season, CollegeInsider.com produces a weekly Mid-Major Top 25 poll. The poll includes teams from the following conferences: America East, Atlantic Sun, Big Sky, Big South, Big West, CAA, Great West, Horizon, Independents, Ivy, Metro Atlantic, MAC, MEAC, Missouri Valley, NEC, OVC, Patriot, Southern, Southland, SWAC, Summit, Sun Belt and West Coast. The poll is voted on by coaches from the above-mentioned conferences.

COLLEGEINSIDER.COM MID-MAJOR TOP 25 (Dec. 17)

No.	Team	Record	Pts.
1.	Creighton (23)	10-1	764
2.	Gonzaga (7)	10-1	730
3.	Wichita State	9-1	721
4.	Murray State	8-1	682
5.	Bucknell	9-1	644
6.	Lehigh	8-2	586
7.	Saint Mary's	7-2	549
8.	Illinois State	7-3	494
9.	BYU	7-3	487
10.	Belmont	7-3	486
11.	Ohio	7-3	431
12.	Middle Tennessee	7-3	423
13.	South Dakota State	9-3	253
14.	Utah State	6-1	350
15.	UIC	9-1	348
16.	Northern Iowa	6-4	302
17.	Davidson	6-4	274
18.	Valparaiso	7-3	230
19.	Eastern Kentucky	9-1	209
20.	Albany	9-2	192
21.	Loyola (Md.)	9-3	115
22.	Santa Clara	8-2	98
23.	Akron	4-4	97
24.	Western Kentucky	8-3	24
25.	North Dakota State	9-3	69

Others (OVC Only): Jacksonville State (24).

MID-MAJOR POLL WEEK-BY-WEEK

	BEL	MUR	TSU	TTU	EKU	JSU
Preseason	9	3	RV	-	-	-
Nov. 12	9	3	RV	-	-	-
Nov. 19	5	4	-	RV	RV	-
Nov. 26	5	4	-	-	RV	-
Dec. 3	9	4	-	-	23	RV
Dec. 10	8	4	-	-	18	RV
Dec. 17	10	4	-	-	19	RV

2012-13 SUPERLATIVES

23.....Robert Covington, Tennessee State at South Dakota State (Nov. 13)
23.....Stacy Wilson, Murray State vs. St. John's (Nov. 16)
23.....Milton Chavis, Morehead State at #7 Kentucky (Nov. 21)
23.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri at New Orleans (Nov. 29)
23.....Ed Daniel, Murray State vs. Bethel (Dec. 4)
23.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech vs. Green Bay (Dec. 6)
23.....Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky at Chattanooga (Dec. 8)
23.....Jerome Jones, SIUE vs. Eureka College (Dec. 17)
23.....Mike Liabo, UT Martin vs. Samford (Dec. 19)
22.....Kerron Johnson, Belmont at Lipscomb (Nov. 9)
22.....Travis Betran, Austin Peay vs. Western Carolina (Nov. 20)
22.....Blake Jenkins, Belmont vs. Oral Roberts (Nov. 24)
22.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
22.....Lanerryl Johnson, Tennessee Tech vs. Green Bay (Dec. 6)
22.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech at Auburn (Dec. 18)
22.....Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky at North Carolina A&T (Dec. 19)
22.....Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky at High Point (Dec. 21)
22.....Jordan Cyphers, Tennessee State vs. USC Upstate (Dec. 21)
21.....Stacy Wilson, Murray State vs. Brescia (Nov. 9)
21.....Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky vs. Kennesaw State (Nov. 16)
21.....Justin Childs, UT Martin vs. Arkansas State (Nov. 16)
21.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State vs. Colorado (Nov. 18)
21.....Corey Wilford, Southeast Missouri at Chattanooga (Nov. 18)
21.....Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay vs. Western Carolina (Nov. 20)
21.....Stacy Wilson, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
21.....Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky vs. Delaware State (Nov. 28)
21.....Matt Marseille, Tennessee Tech at Loyola (Chicago) (Nov. 28)
21.....Mike Liabo, UT Martin at Memphis (Nov. 29)
21.....Mike DiNunno, Eastern Kentucky at North Carolina Central (Dec. 4)
21.....Chris Horton, Austin Peay vs. Oakland City (Dec. 5)
21.....Alex Austin, Eastern Illinois vs. Toledo (Dec. 8)
21.....Ed Daniel, Murray State at Evansville (Dec. 8)
21.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State at Evansville (Dec. 8)
21.....Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. Central Arkansas (Dec. 8)
21.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State vs. Western Kentucky (Dec. 16)
21.....Travis Betran, Austin Peay at Arkansas State (Dec. 16)
21.....Corey Walden, Eastern Kentucky at #10 Illinois (Dec. 16)
20.....Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky vs. Cincinnati Christian (Nov. 9)
20.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State at BYU (Nov. 9)
20.....Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. McNeese State (Nov. 15)
20.....Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky vs. Radford (Nov. 18)
20.....Ed Daniel, Murray State vs. Colorado (Nov. 18)
20.....Corey Wilford, Southeast Missouri vs. Troy (Nov. 20)
20.....Kerron Johnson, Belmont vs. Oral Roberts (Nov. 24)
20.....Ed Daniel, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
20.....Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay vs. Berea (Nov. 28)
20.....Corey Arentsen, Austin Peay vs. Berea (Nov. 28)
20.....Jeremiah Samarrippas, Tennessee Tech at Lipscomb (Nov. 30)
20.....Myles Taylor, UT Martin vs. Kennesaw State (Dec. 1)
20.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech vs. Berea College (Dec. 3)
20.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State vs. Drexel (Dec. 4)
20.....Ronnie Boggs, Jacksonville State vs. Martin Methodist (Dec. 11)
20.....Myles Taylor, UT Martin at Saint Louis (Dec. 15)
20.....Anthony Campbell, Austin Peay at Illinois State (Dec. 22)
20.....Isaiah Canaan, Murray State at Dayton (Dec. 22)

12-Plus Rebound Games

18.....Ed Daniel, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
16.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State vs. Monmouth (Nov. 21)
16.....Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri at Southeastern Louisiana (Dec. 1)
16.....Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. Central Arkansas (Dec. 8)
15.....Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. Lyon College (Nov. 12)
15.....Ed Daniel, Murray State vs. Old Dominion (Nov. 24)
15.....Ed Daniel, Murray State at Evansville (Dec. 8)
14.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri vs. Louisiana Tech (Nov. 19)
14.....Robert Covington, Tennessee State vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
14.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri at New Orleans (Nov. 29)
14.....Ed Daniel, Murray State vs. Bethel (Dec. 4)
13.....Kellen Thornton, Tennessee State at Minnesota (Nov. 15)
13.....Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri vs. Troy (Nov. 20)
13.....Tobias Dowdell, UT Martin at Central Arkansas (Dec. 5)
13.....Chris Horton, Austin Peay at Arkansas State (Dec. 16)
13.....Maurice Lewis-Briggs, Morehead State at South Dakota (Dec. 19)
13.....Stacy Wilson, Murray State at Arkansas State (Dec. 19)
13.....Ed Daniel, Murray State at Dayton (Dec. 22)
12.....Kahlil Owens, Morehead State at LIU Brooklyn (Nov. 9)
12.....Chris Freeman, Austin Peay vs. Samford (Nov. 9)
12.....Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech vs. Coastal Carolina (Nov. 15)

8-Plus Assist Games

11.....Devon Atkinson, Morehead State at South Dakota (Dec. 19)
10.....Patrick Miller, Tennessee State at South Dakota State (Nov. 13)
10.....Devon Atkinson, Morehead State vs. Lafayette (Nov. 18)
10.....Khristian Taylor, UT Martin vs. Kennesaw State (Dec. 1)
10.....Lucas Nutt, Southeast Missouri vs. New Orleans (Dec. 19)
9.....Patrick Miller, Tennessee State at BYU (Nov. 9)
9.....AJ Lynch, Austin Peay vs. Berea (Nov. 28)
9.....Brian Williams, Jacksonville State vs. Martin Methodist (Dec. 11)
8.....Justin Childs, UT Martin vs. Fontbonne (Nov. 14)
8.....Angelo Warner, Morehead State vs. Alice Lloyd (Nov. 15)
8.....Angelo Warner, Morehead State vs. Lafayette (Nov. 18)
8.....Patrick Miller, Tennessee State vs. South Alabama (Nov. 18)
8.....Dee Oldham, UT Martin vs. Lyon College (Nov. 20)
8.....Lucas Nutt, Southeast Missouri vs. Hannibal-LaGrange (Nov. 26)
8.....Patrick Miller, Tennessee State vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
8.....Patrick Miller, Tennessee State vs. LeMoyné-Owen (Dec. 16)

2013-14 OVC SIGNEES

Below are lists of players who have signed National Letters of Intent at OVC schools during the early signing period.

AUSTIN PEAY

none reported yet

BELMONT

Evan Bradds, F - 6'7 - Jamestown, Ohio (Greeneview)
Tyler Hadden, C - 6'10 - Cincinnati, Ohio (St. Xavier)
Austin Luke, G - 6'3 - Rowlett, Texas (Rowlett)
Nick Smith, F - 6'8 - Bentonville, Ark. (Bentonville)

EASTERN ILLINOIS

Jake Verhagen, F - 6'6 - Appleton, Wis. (Appleton West)

EASTERN KENTUCKY

Isaac McGlone, G - 6'2 - Lancaster, Ohio

JACKSONVILLE STATE

none reported yet

MOREHEAD STATE

Luka Pajkovic, G - 6'3 - Belgrade, Serbia (Brevard CC)

MURRAY STATE

Cameron Payne, G - 6'2 - Memphis, Tenn. (Lausanne Col School)
Jarvis Williams, F - 6'8 - Barnesville, Ga. (Gordon State College)

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Darrian Gray, G - 6'5, 185 - Memphis, Tenn. (Lake Land College)
Martavian Payne, G - 6'2, 180 - St. Louis, Mo. (Imagine Col. Prep)

SIUE

Deangelo Stewart, F - 6'6 - Detroit, Mich. (Cass Technical)

TENNESSEE STATE

Jamontae Davis, F - 6'8, 200 - Nashville, Tenn. (Hillsboro)
Jamonte Graham, G - 6'1, 195 - Nashville, Tenn. (Father Ryan)
Rhyann Townes, G - 6'5, 192 - Memphis, Tenn. (Arlington)

TENNESSEE TECH

Shaquille Calhoun, G - 6'3 - Rome, Ga. (Action Sports Acad.)
LaDon Carter, F - 6'7 - Monroe, La. (Howard JC)

UT MARTIN

none reported yet

5-Plus Steal Games

5..... Bobby Jones, UT Martin vs. Fontbonne (Nov. 14)
5..... Milton Chavis, Morehead State vs. Lafayette (Nov. 18)
5..... Angelo Warner, Morehead State vs. Lafayette (Nov. 18)
5..... JJ Mann, Belmont at Alaska Anchorage (Nov. 21)
5..... Robert Covington, Tennessee State vs. Fisk (Nov. 26)
5..... Jerome Jones, SIUE vs. Eureka College (Dec. 17)

5-Plus Block Games

6..... Chris Horton, Austin Peay vs. Lipscomb (Dec. 18)
5..... Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. Louisiana Tech (Nov. 19)
5..... Ed Daniel, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
5..... Chris Horton, Austin Peay vs. Oakland City (Dec. 5)
5..... Nino Johnson, Southeast Missouri vs. Central Arkansas (Dec. 8)
5..... Blake Jenkins, Belmont vs. Middle Tennessee (Dec. 13)

6-Plus 3-Pointers Made

9..... Ian Clark, Belmont vs. Northeastern (Nov. 23)
7..... Ian Clark, Belmont vs. Lipscomb (Dec. 4)
6..... Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky vs. Cincinnati Christian (Nov. 9)
6..... Isaiah Canaan, Murray State vs. Old Dominion (Nov. 24)
6..... A.J. Jones, Southeast Missouri vs. Hannibal-LaGrange (Nov. 26)
6..... Isaiah Canaan, Murray State at Lipscomb (Nov. 26)
6..... Corey Arentsen, Austin Peay vs. Berea (Nov. 28)
6..... Glenn Cosey, Eastern Kentucky at Chattanooga (Dec. 8)
6..... Darion Rackley, Jacksonville State vs. Martin Methodist (Dec. 11)
6..... Brian Williams, Jacksonville State at Presbyterian (Dec. 15)

OVC PLAYERS AMONG NCAA STATISTICAL LEADERS

The below list contains any Ohio Valley Conference players ranked in the Top 100 of the NCAA Division I national leaders. **Rankings are through games on Dec. 16. The next set of statistical leaders will be released on Wednesday, Jan. 2.**

TEAM LEADERS		ASSIST-TO-TURNOVER RATIO		STEALS/GAME	
SCORING OFFENSE		27. Eastern Kentucky	1.32	52. Patrick Miller, TSU	2.3
25. Murray State	79.2	94. Belmont	1.07	86. Milton Chavis, MOR	2.1
64. Belmont	75.1	95. Murray State	1.07	86. Glenn Cosey, ECU	2.1
85. Eastern Kentucky	73.1			96. Justin Childs, UTM	2.0
SCORING DEFENSE		BLOCKED SHOTS/GAME		96. Robert Covington, TSU	2.0
57. Jacksonville State	59.5	22. Austin Peay	5.5	96. Mike DiNunno, ECU	2.0
81. Eastern Kentucky	61.1	56. Southeast Missouri	4.8		
92. Eastern Illinois	61.5	STEALS/GAME		ASSIST-TO-TURNOVER RATIO	
97. Tennessee Tech	61.8	10. Morehead State	10.5	52. Austin Akers, EIU	2.59
SCORING MARGIN		42. Belmont	9.2	53. Glenn Cosey, ECU	2.58
40. Murray State	+13.1	49. Eastern Kentucky	9.0	68. Mike DiNunno, ECU	2.35
45. Eastern Kentucky	+12.0	53. UT Martin	8.9	88. Patrick Miller, TSU	2.18
64. Belmont	+10.0	TURNOVERS/GAME		DOUBLE-DOUBLES	
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE		33. Eastern Kentucky	11.5	5. Ed Daniel, MUR	6
21. Murray State	48.2%	TURNOVER MARGIN		12. Nino Johnson, SEMO	5
23. Eastern Kentucky	48.1%	2. Eastern Kentucky	+7.9	23. Jud Dillard, TTU	4
44. Belmont	46.9%	47. Belmont	+3.3	23. Tyler Stone, SEMO	4
56. Tennessee Tech	46.5%	79. Jacksonville State	+2.4	52. Robert Covington, TSU	3
60. Austin Peay	46.4%	79. Morehead State	+2.4	52. Chris Horton, APSU	3
88. Southeast Missouri	45.5%	PERSONAL FOULS/GAME		INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME HIGHS	
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE DEFENSE		11. Austin Peay	13.5	POINTS	
15. Southeast Missouri	36.2%	73. Southeast Missouri	16.1	17. Jud Dillard, TTU	34
71. Tennessee Tech	39.2%	99. Jacksonville State	16.6	FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	
78. Belmont	39.4%	INDIVIDUAL LEADERS		1. Ian Clark, BEL	100% (10-10)
97. Murray State	39.9%	POINTS/GAME		11. Kellen Thornton, TSU	84.6% (11-13)
3-POINT FIELD GOALS PER GAME		7. Isaiah Canaan, MUR	21.3	14. Chris Horton, APSU	83.3% (10-12)
6. Belmont	9.0	48. Jud Dillard, TTU	18.7	3-POINTERS MADE	
18. Murray State	8.7	75. Ian Clark, BEL	17.5	1. Ian Clark, BEL	9
21. Eastern Kentucky	8.5	79. Robert Covington, TSU	17.5	12. Ian Clark, BEL	7
80. Austin Peay	7.3	FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE		3-POINT PERCENTAGE	
80. Tennessee Tech	7.3	23. Ed Daniel, MUR	59.5%	6. Ian Clark, BEL	81.8% (9-11)
86. SIUE	7.1	73. Ian Clark, BEL	54.5%	REBOUNDS	
3-POINT PERCENTAGE		3-POINTERS MADE/GAME		15. Ed Daniel, MUR	18
13. Austin Peay	40.3%	5. Ian Clark, BEL	3.9	TEAM SINGLE-GAME HIGHS	
36. Belmont	38.6%	10. Isaiah Canaan, MUR	3.4	POINTS	
45. SIUE	38.2%	25. Glenn Cosey, ECU	3.0	16. Austin Peay	108
50. Murray State	38.0%	25. Jerome Jones, SIUE	3.0	20. Tennessee Tech	107
51. Southeast Missouri	37.8%	34. Travis Betran, APSU	2.9	FIELD PERCENTAGE	
3-POINT PERCENTAGE DEFENSE		3-POINT PERCENTAGE		20. Southeast Missouri	64.3% (36-56)
15. Jacksonville State	25.2%	4. Ian Clark, BEL	52.0%	3-POINT PERCENTAGE	
19. Southeast Missouri	26.6%	8. Travis Betran, APSU	50.9%	4. Belmont	70.0% (14-20)
21. Murray State	27.1%	19. Glenn Cosey, ECU	46.2%	6. Southeast Missouri	68.8% (11-16)
53. Morehead State	28.8%	25. Jerome Jones, SIUE	45.0%	3-POINTERS MADE	
54. Eastern Kentucky	28.8%	31. Isaiah Canaan, MUR	43.7%	7. Belmont	15
55. Austin Peay	28.9%	FREE THROW PERCENTAGE		19. Belmont	14
61. Tennessee Tech	29.1%	85. Jordan Cyphers, TSU	86.5%	19. Eastern Kentucky	14
73. Tennessee State	29.7%	REBOUNDS/GAME		FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE		5. Ed Daniel, MUR	11.7	9. UT Martin	94.7% (18-19)
43. UT Martin	74.6%	22. Nino Johnson, SEMO	10.1		
REBOUND MARGIN		50. Tyler Stone, SEMO	8.9		
none		ASSISTS/GAME			
ASSISTS/GAME		14. Patrick Miller, TSU	6.5		
57. Belmont	15.2	83. Mike DiNunno, ECU	4.7		
57. Eastern Kentucky	15.2	83. Kerron Johnson, BEL	4.7		
99. Austin Peay	14.2	BLOCKED SHOTS/GAME			
		11. Chris Horton, APSU	3.0		
		14. Nino Johnson, SEMO	2.9		
		57. Ed Daniel, MUR	2.1		
		82. Blake Jenkins, BEL	1.8		

OVC COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	OVC-Only Games				All Games*				Overall Career Record			
	Yrs.	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		Yrs.	W	L	Pct.
Dave Loos, Austin Peay	23	231	141	.621	367	319	.535		27	449	372	.547
Rick Byrd, Belmont	1	0	0	.000	8	3	.727		32	645	342	.653
Jay Spoonhour, Eastern Illinois	1	0	0	.000	3	10	.231		5	109	43	.717
Jeff Neubauer, Eastern Kentucky	8	71	59	.546	128	104	.552		8	128	104	.552
James Green, Jacksonville State	5	23	47	.329	50	82	.379		16	217	242	.473
Sean Woods, Morehead State	1	0	0	.000	5	7	.417		5	55	87	.387
Steve Prohm, Murray State	2	15	1	.938	40	4	.909		2	40	4	.909
Dickey Nutt, Southeast Missouri	4	18	34	.346	40	67	.374		17	229	254	.474
Lennox Forrester, SIUE**	2	6	10	.375	14	22	.389		6	54	96	.360
Travis Williams, Tennessee State	1	0	0	.000	6	7	.462		4	48	52	.480
Steve Payne, Tennessee Tech	2	9	7	.563	25	20	.556		2	25	20	.556
Jason James, UT Martin	4	7	45	.135	23	82	.219		4	23	82	.219

*Indicates overall record while at current OVC school in years school has been a member of the OVC.

**SIUE joined the OVC in 2008, but did not start playing an OVC schedule until 2011-12.

2012-13 PRESEASON HONORS/AWARDS

OVC PRESEASON HONORS (COACHES/SID'S)

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

- | | |
|------------------------|-----|
| 1. Belmont (21) | 131 |
| 2. Tennessee State (3) | 109 |
| 3. Tennessee Tech | 87 |
| 4. Morehead State | 77 |
| 5. Eastern Kentucky | 56 |
| - Jacksonville State | n/a |

WEST

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----|
| 1. Murray State (22) | 132 |
| 2. Southeast Missouri (2) | 108 |
| 3. Austin Peay | 92 |
| 4. SIUE | 73 |
| 5. Eastern Illinois | 49 |
| 6. UT Martin | 38 |

Preseason Player of the Year

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State

Preseason All-OVC Team

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
Ian Clark, Belmont
Robert Covington, Tennessee State
Ed Daniel, Murray State
Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
Kerron Johnson, Belmont
Patrick Miller, Tennessee State
Marland Smith, Southeast Missouri
Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri
Mark Yelovich, SIUE

ATHLON

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

1. Belmont
2. Tennessee State
3. Tennessee Tech
4. Eastern Kentucky
5. Morehead State
6. Jacksonville State

WEST

1. Murray State
2. Southeast Missouri
3. Austin Peay
4. SIUE
5. Eastern Illinois
6. UT Martin

Preseason Player of the Year

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State

Preseason All-OVC Team

G - Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
G - Kerron Johnson, Belmont
G - Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
F - Robert Covington, Tennessee State
F - Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri

LINDY'S

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

1. Belmont
2. Tennessee State
3. Jacksonville State
4. Tennessee Tech
5. Morehead State
6. Eastern Kentucky

WEST

1. Murray State
2. Southeast Missouri
3. SIUE
4. Austin Peay
5. Eastern Illinois
6. UT Martin

Preseason Player of the Year

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State

Newcomer of the Year

Dexter Fields, Murray State

Preseason All-OVC First Team

G - Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
G - Kerron Johnson, Belmont
G - Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
F - Robert Covington, Tennessee State
F - Ed Daniel, Murray State

Preseason All-OVC Second Team

G - Ian Clark, Belmont
G - Brian Williams, Jacksonville State
F - Mark Yelovich, SIUE
F - Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri
F - Myles Taylor, UT Martin

YAHOO

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

1. Belmont
2. Tennessee State
3. Tennessee Tech
4. Jacksonville State
5. Eastern Kentucky
6. Morehead State

WEST

1. Murray State
2. Southeast Missouri
3. SIUE
4. Austin Peay
5. UT Martin
6. Eastern Illinois

Preseason All-OVC Team

G - Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
G - Kerron Johnson, Belmont
G - Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
F - Robert Covington, Tennessee State
F - Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri

Preseason Player of the Year

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State

BLUE RIBBON

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

1. Tennessee State
2. Belmont
3. Tennessee Tech
4. Jacksonville State
5. Morehead State
6. Eastern Kentucky

WEST

1. Murray State
2. Southeast Missouri
3. SIUE
4. Austin Peay
5. Eastern Illinois
6. UT Martin

Preseason Player of the Year

Isaiah Canaan, Murray State

Preseason Newcomer of the Year

Maurice Lewis-Briggs, Morehead State

Preseason All-OVC Team

G - Isaiah Canaan, Murray State
G - Jud Dillard, Tennessee Tech
F - Mark Yelovich, SIUE
F - Robert Covington, Tennessee State
F - Tyler Stone, Southeast Missouri

BASKETBALL TIMES

Predicted Order of Finish

EAST

1. Belmont
2. Tennessee State
3. Jacksonville State
4. Tennessee Tech
5. Eastern Kentucky
6. Morehead State

WEST

1. Murray State
2. Southeast Missouri
3. SIUE
4. Austin Peay
5. Eastern Illinois
6. UT Martin

**2012-13 Ohio Valley Conference
CONFERENCE BASKETBALL STATISTICS
Through games of Dec 22, 2012 (All games)**

SCORING OFFENSE	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1. Murray State	11	9-2	842	76.5
2. Belmont	11	8-3	827	75.2
3. Eastern Kentucky	12	10-2	871	72.6
4. Southeast Missouri	14	8-6	999	71.4
5. Austin Peay	12	4-8	844	70.3
6. Morehead State	12	5-7	830	69.2
7. UT Martin	12	3-9	822	68.5
8. Tennessee State	13	6-7	858	66.0
Tennessee Tech	12	6-6	792	66.0
10. SIUE	9	4-5	573	63.7
11. Jacksonville State	11	8-3	696	63.3
12. Eastern Illinois	13	3-10	729	56.1

SCORING DEFENSE	G	Pts	Avg/G
1. Jacksonville State	11	654	59.5
2. Eastern Illinois	13	822	63.2
3. Eastern Kentucky	12	759	63.2
4. Belmont	11	700	63.6
5. SIUE	9	581	64.6
6. Tennessee Tech	12	777	64.8
7. Southeast Missouri	14	920	65.7
8. Murray State	11	726	66.0
9. Tennessee State	13	867	66.7
10. Morehead State	12	835	69.6
11. Austin Peay	12	891	74.2
12. UT Martin	12	914	76.2

SCORING MARGIN	G	Offense	Defense	Margin
1. Belmont	11	75.2	63.6	+11.5
2. Murray State	11	76.5	66.0	+10.5
3. Eastern Kentucky	12	72.6	63.2	+9.3
4. Southeast Missouri	14	71.4	65.7	+5.6
5. Jacksonville State	11	63.3	59.5	+3.8
6. Tennessee Tech	12	66.0	64.8	+1.2
7. Morehead State	12	69.2	69.6	-0.4
8. Tennessee State	13	66.0	66.7	-0.7
9. SIUE	9	63.7	64.6	-0.9
10. Austin Peay	12	70.3	74.2	-3.9
11. Eastern Illinois	13	56.1	63.2	-7.2
12. UT Martin	12	68.5	76.2	-7.7

FREE THROW PCT	G	FTM	FTA	Pct.
1. UT Martin	12	169	226	.748
2. Eastern Kentucky	12	148	205	.722
3. Southeast Missouri	14	175	247	.709
4. Belmont	11	134	190	.705
5. Tennessee State	13	189	268	.705
6. Murray State	11	149	217	.687
7. SIUE	9	116	169	.686
8. Jacksonville State	11	168	245	.686
9. Austin Peay	12	149	221	.674
10. Tennessee Tech	12	122	184	.663
11. Morehead State	12	144	220	.655
12. Eastern Illinois	13	112	188	.596

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	G	FGM	FGA	Pct.
1. Belmont	11	298	625	.477
2. Eastern Kentucky	12	310	658	.471
3. Murray State	11	300	639	.469
4. Southeast Missouri	14	366	791	.463
5. Austin Peay	12	301	657	.458
6. Tennessee Tech	12	296	657	.451
7. Morehead State	12	306	735	.416
8. Eastern Illinois	13	268	648	.414
9. SIUE	9	198	479	.413
10. Jacksonville State	11	237	577	.411
11. Tennessee State	13	298	746	.399
12. UT Martin	12	289	727	.398

FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE	G	FGM	FGA	Pct.
1. Southeast Missouri	14	327	888	.368
2. Belmont	11	234	614	.381
3. Murray State	11	260	651	.399
4. Tennessee Tech	12	252	623	.404
5. Jacksonville State	11	240	571	.420
6. Tennessee State	13	304	723	.420
7. Morehead State	12	259	598	.433
8. UT Martin	12	308	710	.434
9. SIUE	9	215	482	.446
10. Austin Peay	12	356	798	.446
11. Eastern Kentucky	12	261	583	.448
12. Eastern Illinois	13	275	583	.472

3-POINT FG PCT	G	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.
1. Austin Peay	12	93	225	.413
2. Belmont	11	97	248	.391
3. SIUE	9	61	162	.377
4. Southeast Missouri	14	92	245	.376
5. Murray State	11	93	253	.368
6. Eastern Kentucky	12	103	288	.358
7. Eastern Illinois	13	81	236	.343
8. UT Martin	12	75	225	.333
9. Tennessee Tech	12	78	238	.328
10. Morehead State	12	74	228	.325
11. Jacksonville State	11	54	171	.316
12. Tennessee State	13	73	251	.291

3-POINT FG PCT DEFENSE	G	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.
1. Jacksonville State	11	37	152	.243
2. Southeast Missouri	14	79	284	.278
3. Murray State	11	53	189	.280
4. Eastern Kentucky	12	52	183	.284
5. Morehead State	12	61	209	.292
6. Austin Peay	12	69	235	.294
7. Belmont	11	62	208	.298
8. Tennessee State	13	70	232	.302
9. Tennessee Tech	12	71	227	.313
10. UT Martin	12	79	239	.331
11. SIUE	9	56	167	.335
12. Eastern Illinois	13	85	230	.370

**2012-13 Ohio Valley Conference
CONFERENCE BASKETBALL STATISTICS
Through games of Dec 22, 2012 (All games)**

REBOUNDING OFFENSE	G	Rebounds	Avg/G
1. Southeast Missouri	14	548	39.1
2. Murray State	11	419	38.1
3. UT Martin	12	454	37.8
4. Tennessee State	13	478	36.8
5. Morehead State	12	441	36.8
6. Austin Peay	12	423	35.2
7. Belmont	11	378	34.4
8. Tennessee Tech	12	401	33.4
9. SIUE	9	293	32.6
10. Jacksonville State	11	348	31.6
11. Eastern Illinois	13	367	28.2
12. Eastern Kentucky	12	326	27.2

REBOUNDING DEFENSE	G	Rebounds	Avg/G
1. Eastern Illinois	13	402	30.9
2. Tennessee Tech	12	388	32.3
3. Jacksonville State	11	369	33.5
4. Eastern Kentucky	12	406	33.8
5. SIUE	9	312	34.7
6. Morehead State	12	418	34.8
7. Murray State	11	390	35.5
8. Tennessee State	13	463	35.6
9. Belmont	11	395	35.9
10. Southeast Missouri	14	518	37.0
11. Austin Peay	12	450	37.5
12. UT Martin	12	470	39.2

REBOUNDING MARGIN		G	Team	Avg.	Opp.	Avg. Margin	
1.	Murray State	11	419	38.1	390	35.5	+2.6
2.	Southeast Missouri	14	548	39.1	518	37.0	+2.1
3.	Morehead State	12	441	36.8	418	34.8	+1.9
4.	Tennessee State	13	478	36.8	463	35.6	+1.2
5.	Tennessee Tech	12	401	33.4	388	32.3	+1.1
6.	UT Martin	12	454	37.8	470	39.2	-1.3
7.	Belmont	11	378	34.4	395	35.9	-1.5
8.	Jacksonville State	11	348	31.6	369	33.5	-1.9
9.	SIUE	9	293	32.6	312	34.7	-2.1
10.	Austin Peay	12	423	35.2	450	37.5	-2.2
11.	Eastern Illinois	13	367	28.2	402	30.9	-2.7
12.	Eastern Kentucky	12	326	27.2	406	33.8	-6.7

BLOCKED SHOTS	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Austin Peay	12	67	5.6
2. Southeast Missouri	14	68	4.9
3. Tennessee State	13	55	4.2
4. Belmont	11	45	4.1
5. Jacksonville State	11	42	3.8
6. Murray State	11	40	3.6
7. Tennessee Tech	12	40	3.3
8. Morehead State	12	34	2.8
9. UT Martin	12	29	2.4
10. SIUE	9	18	2.0
11. Eastern Illinois	13	21	1.6
12. Eastern Kentucky	12	19	1.6

ASSISTS	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Belmont	11	168	15.3
2. Eastern Kentucky	12	182	15.2
3. Austin Peay	12	175	14.6
4. Southeast Missouri	14	195	13.9
5. UT Martin	12	167	13.9
6. Morehead State	12	166	13.8
7. Murray State	11	145	13.2
8. Tennessee State	13	170	13.1
9. Eastern Illinois	13	165	12.7
10. Tennessee Tech	12	151	12.6
11. Jacksonville State	11	130	11.8
12. SIUE	9	105	11.7

STEALS	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Morehead State	12	119	9.9
2. Belmont	11	97	8.8
3. Eastern Kentucky	12	104	8.7
UT Martin	12	104	8.7
5. Tennessee State	13	101	7.8
6. Jacksonville State	11	85	7.7
7. Eastern Illinois	13	96	7.4
8. Murray State	11	77	7.0
9. SIUE	9	62	6.9
10. Tennessee Tech	12	80	6.7
11. Austin Peay	12	77	6.4
12. Southeast Missouri	14	69	4.9

TURNOVER MARGIN	G	Team	Avg.	Opp.	Avg. Margin	
1. Eastern Kentucky	12	146	12.2	228	19.0	+6.8
2. Jacksonville State	11	158	14.4	186	16.9	+2.5
3. Belmont	11	155	14.1	182	16.5	+2.5
4. Morehead State	12	192	16.0	220	18.3	+2.3
5. SIUE	9	131	14.6	147	16.3	+1.8
6. Eastern Illinois	13	185	14.2	188	14.5	+0.2
7. Murray State	11	151	13.7	152	13.8	+0.1
8. Tennessee State	13	206	15.8	203	15.6	-0.2
9. Tennessee Tech	12	190	15.8	187	15.6	-0.2
10. UT Martin	12	194	16.2	190	15.8	-0.3
11. Southeast Missouri	14	179	12.8	137	9.8	-3.0
12. Austin Peay	12	225	18.8	165	13.8	-5.0

ASSIST/TURNOVER RATIO	G	Ast.	Avg.	T/O	Avg.	Ratio
1. Eastern Kentucky	12	182	15.2	146	12.2	1.2
2. Southeast Missouri	14	195	13.9	179	12.8	1.1
3. Belmont	11	168	15.3	155	14.1	1.1
4. Murray State	11	145	13.2	151	13.7	1.0
5. Eastern Illinois	13	165	12.7	185	14.2	0.9
6. Morehead State	12	166	13.8	192	16.0	0.9
7. UT Martin	12	167	13.9	194	16.2	0.9
8. Tennessee State	13	170	13.1	206	15.8	0.8
9. Jacksonville State	11	130	11.8	158	14.4	0.8
10. SIUE	9	105	11.7	131	14.6	0.8
11. Tennessee Tech	12	151	12.6	190	15.8	0.8
12. Austin Peay	12	175	14.6	225	18.8	0.8

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OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Morehead State	12	168	14.0
2. UT Martin	12	155	12.9
3. Tennessee State	13	167	12.8
4. Tennessee Tech	12	147	12.3
5. Murray State	11	130	11.8
6. Jacksonville State	11	129	11.7
7. SIUE	9	94	10.4
8. Austin Peay	12	123	10.3
9. Belmont	11	109	9.9
10. Eastern Kentucky	12	115	9.6
11. Eastern Illinois	13	116	8.9
12. Southeast Missouri	14	123	8.8

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Southeast Missouri	14	425	30.4
2. Murray State	11	289	26.3
3. Austin Peay	12	300	25.0
4. UT Martin	12	299	24.9
5. Belmont	11	269	24.5
6. Tennessee State	13	311	23.9
7. Morehead State	12	273	22.8
8. SIUE	9	199	22.1
9. Tennessee Tech	12	254	21.2
10. Jacksonville State	11	219	19.9
11. Eastern Illinois	13	251	19.3
12. Eastern Kentucky	12	211	17.6

DEFENSIVE REB PCT.	G	D-Reb	Opp. OR	D-Reb%
1. Eastern Illinois	13	251	97	.721
2. Southeast Missouri	14	425	172	.712
3. Morehead State	12	273	121	.693
4. Tennessee State	13	311	146	.681
5. Murray State	11	289	139	.675
6. SIUE	9	199	97	.672
7. UT Martin	12	299	162	.649
8. Tennessee Tech	12	254	142	.641
9. Belmont	11	269	155	.634
10. Austin Peay	12	300	176	.630
11. Jacksonville State	11	219	132	.624
12. Eastern Kentucky	12	211	148	.588

OFFENSIVE REB PCT.	G	O-Reb	Opp. DR	O-Reb%
1. Tennessee Tech	12	147	246	.374
2. Morehead State	12	168	297	.361
3. Jacksonville State	11	129	237	.352
4. Tennessee State	13	167	317	.345
5. Murray State	11	130	251	.341
6. UT Martin	12	155	308	.335
7. Belmont	11	109	240	.312
8. Austin Peay	12	123	274	.310
9. Eastern Kentucky	12	115	258	.308
10. SIUE	9	94	215	.304
11. Eastern Illinois	13	116	305	.276
12. Southeast Missouri	14	123	346	.262

3-POINT FG MADE	G	No.	Avg/G
1. Belmont	11	97	8.8
2. Eastern Kentucky	12	103	8.6
3. Murray State	11	93	8.5
4. Austin Peay	12	93	7.8
5. SIUE	9	61	6.8
6. Southeast Missouri	14	92	6.6
7. Tennessee Tech	12	78	6.5
8. UT Martin	12	75	6.3
9. Eastern Illinois	13	81	6.2
10. Morehead State	12	74	6.2
11. Tennessee State	13	73	5.6
12. Jacksonville State	11	54	4.9

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East

Team	Conference	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA
Eastern Kentucky	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	10-2	.833	72.6	63.2
Belmont	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	8-3	.727	75.2	63.6
Jacksonville State	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	8-3	.727	63.3	59.5
Tennessee Tech	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	6-6	.500	66.0	64.8
Tennessee State	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	6-7	.462	66.0	66.7
Morehead State	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	5-7	.417	69.2	69.6

Current unbeaten streak

Southeast Missouri -- 2
SIUE -- 2
Tennessee State -- 1
Belmont -- 1
Eastern Kentucky -- 1

West

Team	Conference	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA
Murray State	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	9-2	.818	76.5	66.0
Southeast Missouri	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	8-6	.571	71.4	65.7
SIUE	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	4-5	.444	63.7	64.6
Austin Peay	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	4-8	.333	70.3	74.2
UT Martin	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	3-9	.250	68.5	76.2
Eastern Illinois	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	3-10	.231	56.1	63.2

TEAM SUMMARIES	G	PF-PA	Avg score	Margin	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	RebF	RebA	Margin
Austin Peay	12	844-891	70.3-74.2	-3.9	301-657	.458	93-225	.413	149-221	.674	423	450	-2.2
Belmont	11	827-700	75.2-63.6	+11.5	298-625	.477	97-248	.391	134-190	.705	378	395	-1.5
Eastern Illinois	13	729-822	56.1-63.2	-7.2	268-648	.414	81-236	.343	112-188	.596	367	402	-2.7
Eastern Kentucky	12	871-759	72.6-63.2	+9.3	310-658	.471	103-288	.358	148-205	.722	326	406	-6.7
Jacksonville State	11	696-654	63.3-59.5	+3.8	237-577	.411	54-171	.316	168-245	.686	348	369	-1.9
Morehead State	12	830-835	69.2-69.6	-0.4	306-735	.416	74-228	.325	144-220	.655	441	418	+1.9
Murray State	11	842-726	76.5-66.0	+10.5	300-639	.469	93-253	.368	149-217	.687	419	390	+2.6
SIUE	9	573-581	63.7-64.6	-0.9	198-479	.413	61-162	.377	116-169	.686	293	312	-2.1
Southeast Missouri	14	999-920	71.4-65.7	+5.6	366-791	.463	92-245	.376	175-247	.709	548	518	+2.1
Tennessee State	13	858-867	66.0-66.7	-0.7	298-746	.399	73-251	.291	189-268	.705	478	463	+1.2
Tennessee Tech	12	792-777	66.0-64.8	+1.3	296-657	.451	78-238	.328	122-184	.663	401	388	+1.1
UT Martin	12	822-914	68.5-76.2	-7.7	289-727	.398	75-225	.333	169-226	.748	454	470	-1.3

ATTENDANCE	Home	Average	Away	Average	Neutral	Average	Total	Average
Austin Peay	5-11056	2211	5-34578	6916	2-1804	902	12-47438	3953
Belmont	4-9529	2382	5-37461	7492	2-9151	4576	11-56141	5104
Eastern Illinois	6-4304	717	5-16579	3316	2-447	224	13-21330	1641
Eastern Kentucky	7-10700	1529	5-20390	4078	0-0	0	12-31090	2591
Jacksonville State	4-7339	1835	5-29386	5877	2-30684	15342	11-67409	6128
Morehead State	5-9514	1903	7-60829	8690	0-0	0	12-70343	5862
Murray State	4-19233	4808	4-24759	6190	3-12787	4262	11-56779	5162
SIUE	5-8848	1770	4-14895	3724	0-0	0	9-23743	2638
Southeast Missouri	5-9952	1990	7-31442	4492	2-4852	2426	14-46246	3303
Tennessee State	4-3622	906	7-45801	6543	2-708	354	13-50131	3856
Tennessee Tech	5-7555	1511	7-23923	3418	0-0	0	12-31478	2623
UT Martin	5-6645	1329	7-41385	5912	0-0	0	12-48030	4002
Totals	59-108297	1836	68-381428	5609	15-60433	4029	142-550158	3874

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SCORING							REBOUNDING						
	Cl	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts Avg/G		Cl	G	Off	Def	Total	Avg/G
1. CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	76	36	42	230 20.9	1. DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	44	76	120	10.9
2. DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	85	14	43	227 18.9	2. JOHNSON, Nino-SEMO	So	14	24	113	137	9.8
3. COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	69	19	52	209 17.4	3. STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	28	92	120	8.6
4. STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	99	6	39	243 17.4	4. COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	33	59	92	7.7
5. CLARK, Ian-BEL	Sr	11	69	40	12	190 17.3	5. DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	28	60	88	7.3
6. TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	70	6	51	197 16.4	6. TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	25	60	85	7.1
7. JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	46	23	16	131 16.4	7. HORTON, Chris-APSU	Fr	12	30	53	83	6.9
8. DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	60	0	58	178 16.2	8. BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	28	44	72	6.5
9. COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	65	33	30	193 16.1	9. THORNTON, Kellen-TSU	Sr	13	33	52	85	6.5
10. BETRAN, Travis-APSU	Jr	12	66	32	21	185 15.4	10. SHAFFER, Derian-SIUE	Sr	9	26	30	56	6.2
11. WILSON, Stacy-MUR	Sr	11	60	22	21	163 14.8	11. JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	8	40	48	6.0
12. DINUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	55	32	31	173 14.4	12. FREEMAN, Chris-APSU	So	12	18	53	71	5.9
13. WILFORD, Corey-SEMO	Sr	12	58	30	26	172 14.3	13. NOACK, Trevor-BEL	Sr	11	21	43	64	5.8
14. THORNTON, Kellen-TSU	Sr	13	77	4	25	183 14.1	14. OWENS, Kahlil-MOR	Sr	9	23	29	52	5.8
15. LIABO, Mike-UTM	Jr	12	59	28	22	168 14.0	15. BLANFORD, Sherman-EIU	Jr	13	29	42	71	5.5
16. CAMPBELL, Anthony-APSU	Sr	12	59	27	21	166 13.8	16. JENKINS, Blake-BEL	Jr	11	21	39	60	5.5
17. RACKLEY, Darion-JSU	So	10	35	17	50	137 13.7	GARRETT, Brandon-MUR	Sr	11	21	39	60	5.5
18. JOHNSON, Kerron-BEL	Sr	11	50	7	43	150 13.6	18. POSTHUMUS, Chad-MOR	Jr	12	30	35	65	5.4
19. CHAVIS, Milton-MOR	Sr	11	56	17	16	145 13.2	19. RHETT, M.J.-TSU	So	13	25	43	68	5.2
20. NOACK, Trevor-BEL	Sr	11	56	12	17	141 12.8	20. LEWIS-BRIGGS, M.-MOR	Jr	11	16	37	53	4.8
21. GAINES, Tarvin-JSU	Sr	10	36	9	42	123 12.3	TRIGGS, Will-APSU	Jr	11	21	32	53	4.8
22. JOHNSON, Nino-SEMO	So	14	64	1	38	167 11.9	COOK, Nick-JSU	Jr	11	20	33	53	4.8
23. PIPER, Josh-EIU	So	13	49	25	23	146 11.2							
24. BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	54	8	5	121 11.0							
25. CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	42	11	22	117 10.6							
26. MILLER, Patrick-TSU	Jr	13	44	12	37	137 10.5							
27. CYPHERS, Jordan-TSU	Sr	12	35	20	36	126 10.5							
28. WILLIAMS, Brian-JSU	Jr	11	41	14	19	115 10.5							
29. DAVIS, Kris-SIUE	So	9	34	11	14	93 10.3							
30. TRIGGS, Will-APSU	Jr	11	35	0	41	111 10.1							

FIELD GOAL PCT						ASSISTS			
	Cl	G	FGM	FGA	Pct.		Cl	G	No. Avg/G
1. GARRETT, Brandon-MUR	Sr	11	33	47	.702	1. MILLER, Patrick-TSU	Jr	13	76 5.8
2. OGBE, Dennis-TTU	Jr	12	39	62	.629	2. JOHNSON, Kerron-BEL	Sr	11	53 4.8
3. JENKINS, Blake-BEL	Jr	11	39	63	.619	3. ATKINSON, Devon-MOR	Sr	12	57 4.8
4. HORTON, Chris-APSU	Fr	12	47	79	.595	4. DINUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	55 4.6
5. DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	60	102	.588	5. NUTT, Lucas-SEMO	Jr	14	63 4.5
6. JOHNSON, Nino-SEMO	So	14	64	113	.566	6. SAMARRIPPAS, Jeremia-TTU	Jr	12	49 4.1
7. CLARK, Ian-BEL	Sr	11	69	127	.543	7. CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	43 3.9
8. NOACK, Trevor-BEL	Sr	11	56	111	.505	8. AKERS, Austin-EIU	Sr	13	48 3.7
CHAVIS, Milton-MOR	Sr	11	56	111	.505	9. REED, Reggie-SIUE	Sr	9	32 3.6
10. THORNTON, Kellen-TSU	Sr	13	77	156	.494	10. WILSON, Stacy-MUR	Sr	11	38 3.5
11. DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	85	173	.491	11. WILLIAMS, Brian-JSU	Jr	11	37 3.4
12. STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	99	203	.488	12. COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	38 3.2
13. BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	54	111	.486	13. CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	32 2.9
14. BETRAN, Travis-APSU	Jr	12	66	138	.478	14. LYNCH, AJ-APSU	Fr	12	33 2.8
15. TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	70	147	.476	15. WILFORD, Corey-SEMO	Sr	12	30 2.5
						WARNER, Angelo-MOR	So	10	25 2.5

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FREE THROW PCT		CI	G	FTM	FTA	Pct.
1.	CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	22	25	.880
2.	STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	39	45	.867
3.	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	31	36	.861
4.	TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	51	60	.850
5.	MESSER, Michael-SIUE	So	9	27	32	.844
6.	GAINES, Tarvin-JSU	Sr	10	42	50	.840
	CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	42	50	.840
8.	COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	52	63	.825
9.	CYPHERS, Jordan-TSU	Sr	12	36	44	.818
10.	DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	43	56	.768
11.	RACKLEY, Darion-JSU	So	10	50	68	.735
12.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	30	41	.732
13.	FREEMAN, Chris-APSU	So	12	27	38	.711
14.	JOHNSON, Kerron-BEL	Sr	11	43	61	.705
15.	JENKINS, Blake-BEL	Jr	11	27	39	.692

STEALS		CI	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	MILLER, Patrick-TSU	Jr	13	29	2.2
2.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	24	2.0
	CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	22	2.0
4.	COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	23	1.9
5.	CHAVIS, Milton-MOR	Sr	11	21	1.9
6.	BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	20	1.8
7.	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	21	1.8
	JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	14	1.8
9.	MANN, JJ-BEL	Jr	11	19	1.7
10.	DAVIS, Kris-SIUE	So	9	15	1.7
11.	FIELDS, Dexter-MUR	Jr	11	18	1.6
12.	SAMARRIPPAS, Jeremia-TTU	Jr	12	19	1.6
	LEWIS, Marcus-EKU	Jr	12	19	1.6
14.	DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	17	1.5
	JOHNSON, Kerron-BEL	Sr	11	17	1.5

3-POINT FG PCT		CI	G	3FG	FGA	Pct.
1.	CLARK, Ian-BEL	Sr	11	40	79	.506
2.	ARENTSEN, Cory-APSU	Fr	12	19	38	.500
	CHAVIS, Milton-MOR	Sr	11	17	34	.500
	JONES, A.J.-SEMO	Jr	14	14	28	.500
5.	BETRAN, Travis-APSU	Jr	12	32	66	.485
6.	NOACK, Trevor-BEL	Sr	11	12	26	.462
7.	WILFORD, Corey-SEMO	Sr	12	30	66	.455
	PIPER, Josh-EIU	So	13	25	55	.455
9.	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	32	73	.438
10.	JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	23	53	.434
11.	CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	36	85	.424
12.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	33	78	.423
13.	CAMPBELL, Anthony-APSU	Sr	12	27	65	.415
14.	WARNER, Angelo-MOR	So	10	12	30	.400
15.	SAMARRIPPAS, Jeremia-TTU	Jr	12	23	58	.397

3-POINT FG MADE		CI	G	3FG	Avg/G
1.	CLARK, Ian-BEL	Sr	11	40	3.6
2.	CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	36	3.3
3.	JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	23	2.9
4.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	33	2.8
5.	BETRAN, Travis-APSU	Jr	12	32	2.7
	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	32	2.7
7.	WILFORD, Corey-SEMO	Sr	12	30	2.5
8.	LIABO, Mike-UTM	Jr	12	28	2.3
9.	CAMPBELL, Anthony-APSU	Sr	12	27	2.3
10.	FIELDS, Dexter-MUR	Jr	11	24	2.2
11.	WILSON, Stacy-MUR	Sr	11	22	2.0
12.	PIPER, Josh-EIU	So	13	25	1.9
13.	SAMARRIPPAS, Jeremia-TTU	Jr	12	23	1.9
14.	RACKLEY, Darion-JSU	So	10	17	1.7
15.	CYPHERS, Jordan-TSU	Sr	12	20	1.7

BLOCKED SHOTS		CI	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	HORTON, Chris-APSU	Fr	12	36	3.0
2.	JOHNSON, Nino-SEMO	So	14	39	2.8
3.	DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	21	1.9
	JENKINS, Blake-BEL	Jr	11	21	1.9
5.	COOK, Nick-JSU	Jr	11	18	1.6
6.	STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	20	1.4
7.	MORSE, Anthony-TTU	Fr	12	15	1.3
8.	FREEMAN, Chris-APSU	So	12	13	1.1
9.	RHETT, M.J.-TSU	So	13	13	1.0
	COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	12	1.0
	GREEN, Michael-TSU	Jr	12	12	1.0
12.	OWENS, Kahlil-MOR	Sr	9	7	0.8
13.	TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	8	0.7
14.	MAFRA, Rinaldo-JSU	Sr	11	7	0.6
	REED, Bruce-MOR	Jr	11	7	0.6

ASSIST/TURNOVER RATIO		CI	G	Ast.	T/O	Ratio
1.	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	55	24	2.3
2.	AKERS, Austin-EIU	Sr	13	48	21	2.3
3.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	38	17	2.2
4.	NUTT, Lucas-SEMO	Jr	14	63	29	2.2
5.	ATKINSON, Devon-MOR	Sr	12	57	28	2.0
6.	MILLER, Patrick-TSU	Jr	13	76	41	1.9
7.	REED, Reggie-SIUE	Sr	9	32	18	1.8
8.	WILLIAMS, Brian-JSU	Jr	11	37	22	1.7
9.	CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	43	30	1.4
10.	JOHNSON, Kerron-BEL	Sr	11	53	38	1.4
11.	WILSON, Stacy-MUR	Sr	11	38	31	1.2
12.	SAMARRIPPAS, Jeremia-TTU	Jr	12	49	42	1.2

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OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS					CI	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	44	4.0			
2.	SHAFFER, Derian-SIUE	Sr	9	26	2.9			
3.	COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	33	2.8			
4.	OWENS, Kahlil-MOR	Sr	9	23	2.6			
5.	BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	28	2.5			
6.	THORNTON, Kellen-TSU	Sr	13	33	2.5			
7.	HORTON, Chris-APSU	Fr	12	30	2.5			
	POSTHUMUS, Chad-MOR	Jr	12	30	2.5			
9.	DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	28	2.3			
10.	BLANFORD, Sherman-EIU	Jr	13	29	2.2			
11.	OGBE, Dennis-TTU	Jr	12	26	2.2			
12.	DOWDELL, Tobias-UTM	So	12	25	2.1			
	TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	25	2.1			
	JOHNSON, Tarius-EKU	Jr	12	25	2.1			
15.	STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	28	2.0			

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS					CI	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	JOHNSON, Nino-SEMO	So	14	113	8.1			
2.	DANIEL, Ed-MUR	Sr	11	76	6.9			
3.	STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	92	6.6			
4.	TAYLOR, Myles-UTM	So	12	60	5.0			
	DILLARD, Jud-TTU	Sr	12	60	5.0			
	JONES, Jerome-SIUE	Sr	8	40	5.0			
7.	COVINGTON, Robert-TSU	Sr	12	59	4.9			
8.	HORTON, Chris-APSU	Fr	12	53	4.4			
	FREEMAN, Chris-APSU	So	12	53	4.4			
10.	THORNTON, Kellen-TSU	Sr	13	52	4.0			
	BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	44	4.0			
12.	NOACK, Trevor-BEL	Sr	11	43	3.9			
13.	WILSON, Stacy-MUR	Sr	11	41	3.7			
14.	MANN, JJ-BEL	Jr	11	39	3.5			
	GARRETT, Brandon-MUR	Sr	11	39	3.5			
	CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	39	3.5			
	JENKINS, Blake-BEL	Jr	11	39	3.5			

MINUTES PLAYED					CI	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	COSEY, Glenn-EKU	Jr	12	438	36.5			
2.	STONE, Tyler-SEMO	Jr	14	493	35.2			
3.	CANAAN, Isaiah-MUR	Sr	11	381	34.6			
4.	AKERS, Austin-EIU	Sr	13	450	34.6			
5.	DiNUNNO, Mike-EKU	Sr	12	414	34.5			
6.	MILLER, Patrick-TSU	Jr	13	448	34.5			
7.	BOGGS, Ronnie-JSU	Sr	11	377	34.3			
8.	DAVIS, Kris-SIUE	So	9	307	34.1			
9.	CLARK, Ian-BEL	Sr	11	357	32.5			
10.	WILLIAMS, Brian-JSU	Jr	11	356	32.4			
	CHILDS, Justin-UTM	Jr	11	356	32.4			

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TEAM HIGHS (highest totals made by)

Points	108	Austin Peay vs Berea (11/28/12)
	107	Tennessee Tech vs Crowley's Ridge (11/10/12)
Margin	75 (107-32)	Tennessee Tech vs Crowley's Ridge (11/10/12)
	55 (108-53)	Austin Peay vs Berea (11/28/12)
Field goals made	41	Morehead State vs Alice Lloyd (11/15/12)
	40	Tennessee Tech vs Crowley's Ridge (11/10/12)
Field goal attempts	81	Morehead State vs Alice Lloyd (11/15/12)
	74	Morehead State at South Dakota (12/19/12)
Field goal percentage	.643 (36-56)	Southeast Missouri vs Hannibal-LaGrange (11/26/12)
	.615 (40-65)	Tennessee Tech vs Crowley's Ridge (11/10/12)
3-Pt FG made	15	Belmont vs Lipscomb (12/04/12)
	14	Eastern Kentucky vs Cincinnati Christian (11/09/12)
	14	Belmont vs Maryville (Mo.) (11/13/12)
3-Pt FG attempts	38	Belmont at Kansas (12/15/12)
	35	Belmont vs Lipscomb (12/04/12)
3-Pt percentage	.818 (9-11)	Southeast Missouri at Southeastern La. (12/01/12)
	.750 (6-8)	Austin Peay at Memphis (12/08/12)
Free throws made	26	Tennessee State at Alabama A&M (12/01/12)
	25	Jacksonville State vs Reinhardt (11/09/12)
	25	Belmont vs Lipscomb (12/04/12)
	25	Southeast Missouri vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
	25	SIUE vs Robert Morris (III.) (12/19/12)
Free throw attempts	40	Belmont vs Lipscomb (12/04/12)
	37	Southeast Missouri vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
Free throw percentage	1.000 (11-11)	Belmont vs South Dakota State (12/19/12)
	.947 (18-19)	UT Martin vs Arkansas State (11/16/12)
Rebounds	58	UT Martin vs Arkansas State (11/16/12)
	57	Morehead State vs Alice Lloyd (11/15/12)
Assists	28	Morehead State vs Alice Lloyd (11/15/12)
	26	UT Martin vs Lyon College (11/20/12)
	26	Eastern Kentucky vs Delaware State (11/28/12)
Steals	19	Morehead State vs Lafayette (11/18/12)
	17	Belmont vs Maryville (Mo.) (11/13/12)
	17	UT Martin vs Lyon College (11/20/12)
Blocked shots	10	Austin Peay vs Oakland City (12/05/12)
	10	Austin Peay vs Lipscomb (12/18/12)
Turnovers	28	Austin Peay at Memphis (12/08/12)
	28	Austin Peay at Arkansas State (12/16/12)
Fouls	32	Morehead State at Kentucky (11/21/12)
	32	Morehead State at Marshall (11/28/12)
	32	Morehead State at South Dakota (12/19/12)

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INDIVIDUAL PLAYER GAME HIGHS

Points	34		DILLARD, Jud (Tennessee Tech) vs Coastal Carolina (11/15/12)
	32		CANAAN, Isaiah (Murray State) at Lipscomb (11/26/12)
	32		STONE, Tyler (Southeast Missouri) vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
Field goals made	14		STONE, Tyler (Southeast Missouri) vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
	13		DILLARD, Jud (Tennessee Tech) vs Coastal Carolina (11/15/12)
Field goal attempts	22		DILLARD, Jud (Tennessee Tech) vs Coastal Carolina (11/15/12)
	21		TAYLOR, Myles (UT Martin) at Memphis (11/29/12)
	21		STONE, Tyler (Southeast Missouri) vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
Field goal percentage	1.000	(10-10)	CLARK, Ian (Belmont) at VCU (12/01/12)
	.889	(8-9)	JENKINS, Blake (Belmont) vs Oral Roberts (11/24/12)
3-Pt FG made	9		CLARK, Ian (Belmont) vs Northeastern (11/23/12)
	7		CLARK, Ian (Belmont) vs Lipscomb (12/04/12)
3-Pt FG attempts	12		CLARK, Ian (Belmont) at Lipscomb (11/09/12)
	12		WILSON, Stacy (Murray State) vs St. John's (11/16/12)
	12		COSEY, Glenn (Eastern Kentucky) at Chattanooga (12/08/12)
	12		LIABO, Mike (UT Martin) vs Samford (12/19/12)
3-Pt percentage	1.000	(5-5)	WILFORD, Corey (Southeast Missouri) at Southeastern La. (12/01/12)
	.857	(6-7)	COSEY, Glenn (Eastern Kentucky) vs Cincinnati Christian (11/09/12)
Free throws made	12		DANIEL, Ed (Murray State) at Lipscomb (11/26/12)
	11		JOHNSON, Kerron (Belmont) at Lipscomb (11/09/12)
	11		COVINGTON, Robert (Tennessee State) at Alabama A&M (12/01/12)
Free throw attempts	17		RACKLEY, Darion (Jacksonville State) vs Northern Arizona (11/23/12)
	17		DANIEL, Ed (Murray State) at Lipscomb (11/26/12)
Free throw percentage	1.000	(9-9)	CANAAN, Isaiah (Murray State) at Dayton (12/22/12)
	1.000	(8-8)	MESSER, Michael (SIUE) at Missouri (11/10/12)
	1.000	(8-8)	TRIGGS, Will (Austin Peay) at DePaul (11/17/12)
	1.000	(8-8)	STOKES, Jarrett (Morehead State) vs Norfolk State (11/26/12)
	1.000	(8-8)	DILLARD, Jud (Tennessee Tech) vs Green Bay (12/06/12)
	1.000	(8-8)	STONE, Tyler (Southeast Missouri) at UMKC (12/22/12)
Rebounds	18		DANIEL, Ed (Murray State) at Lipscomb (11/26/12)
	16		THORNTON, Kellen (Tennessee State) vs Monmouth (11/21/12)
	16		JOHNSON, Nino (Southeast Missouri) at Southeastern La. (12/01/12)
	16		JOHNSON, Nino (Southeast Missouri) vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
Assists	11		ATKINSON, Devon (Morehead State) at South Dakota (12/19/12)
	10		MILLER, Patrick (Tennessee State) at South Dakota State (11/13/12)
	10		ATKINSON, Devon (Morehead State) vs Lafayette (11/18/12)
	10		TAYLOR, Khristian (UT Martin) vs Kennesaw State (12/01/12)
	10		NUTT, Lucas (Southeast Missouri) vs New Orleans (12/19/12)
Steals	5		JONES, Bobby (UT Martin) vs Fontbonne (11/14/12)
	5		CHAVIS, Milton (Morehead State) vs Lafayette (11/18/12)
	5		WARNER, Angelo (Morehead State) vs Lafayette (11/18/12)
	5		MANN, JJ (Belmont) at Alaska Anchorage (11/21/12)
	5		COVINGTON, Robert (Tennessee State) vs Fisk (11/26/12)
	5		JONES, Jerome (SIUE) vs Eureka College (12/17/12)
Blocked shots	6		HORTON, Chris (Austin Peay) vs Lipscomb (12/18/12)
	5		MORSE, Anthony (Tennessee Tech) vs Crowley's Ridge (11/10/12)
	5		JOHNSON, Nino (Southeast Missouri) vs Louisiana Tech (11/19/12)
	5		GREEN, Michael (Tennessee State) vs Fisk (11/26/12)
	5		DANIEL, Ed (Murray State) at Lipscomb (11/26/12)
	5		HORTON, Chris (Austin Peay) vs Oakland City (12/05/12)
	5		JOHNSON, Nino (Southeast Missouri) vs Central Arkansas (12/08/12)
	5		JENKINS, Blake (Belmont) vs Middle Tennessee (12/13/12)
Turnovers	7		COOK, Nick (Jacksonville State) at Oregon (11/19/12)
	7		CHILDS, Justin (UT Martin) at Bradley (11/24/12)
	7		CHILDS, Justin (UT Martin) at Memphis (11/29/12)

7	CANAAN, Isaiah (Murray State) at Evansville (12/08/12)
7	LAWRENCE, Herdie (Austin Peay) at Memphis (12/08/12)