



2004-05 OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE MEN'S BASKETBALL REPORT

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OVC STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE (Begins Jan. 4)						OVERALL (Through games of Dec. 5)						
	W	L	PCT.	Home	Away	Streak	W	L	PCT.	Home	Away	Neutral	Streak
Eastern Kentucky	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	5	0	1.000	3-0	2-0	0-0	W5
Morehead State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	4	1	.800	3-0	0-1	1-0	W3
Murray State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	3	2	.600	3-1	0-1	0-0	L1
Jacksonville State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	4	4	.500	3-0	0-2	1-2	L2
Tennessee State	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	4	4	.500	2-0	0-4	2-0	L1
Samford	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	3	3	.500	1-1	1-2	1-0	L2
Eastern Illinois	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	2	2	.500	2-0	0-2	0-0	L1
Southeast Missouri	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	2	3	.400	2-0	0-3	0-0	W1
Tennessee-Martin	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	2	3	.400	2-0	0-3	0-0	L1
Tennessee Tech	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	1	3	.250	1-0	0-3	0-0	L2
Austin Peay	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	--	1	5	.167	0-1	0-2	1-2	L5

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, November 29

@Tennessee-Martin 87, Bethel 46

Tuesday, November 30

IUPUI 60, @Samford 58

@Tennessee State 102, Trevecca 97 (OT)

@Kentucky 92, Tennessee Tech 63

Wednesday, December 1

@Vanderbilt 74, Austin Peay 58

@Eastern Illinois 77, UMKC 69

@Wofford 81, Jacksonville State 76

@Morehead State 54, Asbury 34

@Murray State 69, Texas-San Antonio 58

@Western Kentucky 74, Southeast Missouri 53

@Evansville 81, Tennessee-Martin 74

Thursday, December 2

@Eastern Kentucky 87, Savannah State 59

@Tennessee State 81, Fisk 76

Friday, December 3

@Louisiana-Monroe 63, Samford 56

Saturday, December 4

@Evansville 67, Austin Peay 58

@Indiana State 76, Eastern Illinois 57

Eastern Kentucky 77, @Coastal Carolina 62

@Jackson State 64, Jacksonville State 51

@Morehead State 64, IPFW 52

Western Kentucky 82, @Murray State 72

@Southeast Missouri 59, South Dakota State 58

Sunday, December 5

@Middle Tennessee 96, Tennessee State 94

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Monday, December 6

Tennessee-Martin at Arkansas State - 7:00 p.m.

Asbury College at Tennessee Tech - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 7

Benedictine at Eastern Illinois - 7:05 p.m.

Wednesday, December 8

Morehead State at Kentucky - 6:00 p.m.

Bryan College at Tennessee Tech - 7:00 p.m.

Eastern Kentucky at Western Kentucky - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 9

Tennessee-Wesleyan at Samford - 7:00 p.m.

Montana at Southeast Missouri - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 10

Tennessee Tech at East Tennessee State - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 11

Murray State at Southern Illinois - 2:05 p.m.

Morehead State at Maryland-Eastern Shore - 6:05 p.m.

Eastern Kentucky at Robert Morris - 6:30 p.m.

Tennessee-Martin at IPFW - 7:00 p.m.

Northern Illinois at Eastern Illinois - 7:05 p.m.

Central Methodist at Southeast Missouri - 7:30 p.m.

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OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

PLAYER

BRUCE PRICE • G, SO., 6-3, 205 • MINNEAPOLIS, MN • TENNESSEE STATE

Price averaged 19.7 points per game as he led Tennessee State to a 2-1 effort last week. The sophomore point guard from Minneapolis, Minn., opened with 25 points and five assists versus Trevecca, then followed that with 15 points against Fisk and 19 points at in-state rival Middle Tennessee. For the week, Price drained eight 3-pointers and went 21-of-26 at the free throw line while tallying nine assists and five steals.

NEWCOMER

ROD FLOWERS • C, SR., 6-9, 240 • HUNTSVILLE, AL • TENNESSEE STATE

Flowers picks up his third OVC Newcomer award in as many weeks after posting two double-doubles and just missing a third during Tennessee State's 2-1 effort last week. The senior center averaged 16.7 points and 11.7 rebounds a game while also blocking six shots. A native of Huntsville, Ala., Flowers has four double-dips thus far and leads the OVC in rebounding (9.9 rpg) while ranking ninth in scoring (16.5 ppg).

FRESHMAN

DEREK WRIGHT • G, FR., 5-9, 155 • LOS ANGELES, CA • AUSTIN PEAY

Wright contributed 18 points off the bench in a pair of Austin Peay setbacks last week. The freshman guard's best outing was at Vanderbilt, where he netted 15 points, three steals and two assists in 21 minutes of action while converting 6-of-9 field attempts, including a trio of 3-pointers. A native of Los Angeles, Calif., Wright finished the week shooting 58.3 percent from the floor, including 4-of-6 from beyond the arc.

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WEEKLY NOTES: The OVC will release its weekly men's basketball report each Monday throughout the season by 5 p.m. CT. The report is available by fax and e-mail, and is posted on the league's website in text and PDF versions. Statistics are available by fax and are updated throughout the week on the OVC web site.

2005-06 SIGNEES

AUSTIN PEAY

Drake Reed - F, 6'5, 210 - Clarksville, TN

Landon Shiply - PG, 6'1, 140 - St. Louis, MO

EASTERN ILLINOIS

Billy Parrish - F, 6'4 - Naperville, IL

EASTERN KENTUCKY

Emmanuel Adako - P, 6'8, 215 - Decatur, GA

Tyler Morris - G, 6'1, 175 - Indianapolis, IN

JACKSONVILLE STATE

None

MOREHEAD STATE

Cordaryl Ballard - G, 6'3, 185 - Columbus, OH

Tyke Cockerham - G, 6'2, 175 - Indianapolis, IN

Tristan Rogers - G/F, 6'4, 195 - Kokomo, IN

MURRAY STATE

Tyler Holloway - G, 6'1 - Decatur, AL

SAMFORD

None

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Tyrell Curry - F, 6'7, 215 - Tacoma, WA

TENNESSEE-MARTIN

Vashon Ingram - G, 6'4, 185 - Memphis, TN

McKale Jones - C, 6'8, 255 - Memphis, TN

TENNESSEE STATE

None

TENNESSEE TECH

None

2004-05 OVC MEN'S BASKETBALL PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH (Selected by Head Basketball Coaches and Sports Information Directors)

1.	Murray State (19 first-place votes)	199
2.	Tennessee State (1 first-place vote)	166
3.	Eastern Kentucky (1 first-place vote)	148
4.	Tennessee Tech (1 first-place vote)	137
5.	Austin Peay	123
6.	Tennessee-Martin	116
t7.	Jacksonville State	92
t7.	Southeast Missouri	92
9.	Morehead State	52
10.	Samford	45
11.	Eastern Illinois	40

(*Schools were not allowed to rank their own team.
Ten points awarded for a first-place vote, nine for second, etc.)



2005 O'Reilly Ohio Valley Conference Basketball Tournament

Nashville, Tennessee • March 4-5
Gaylord Entertainment Center

First Round: March 1 (at campus sites), times TBA

Semifinals: March 4 (at Nashville), 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. CT

Championship: March 5 (at Nashville), 3 p.m. CT, ESPN2

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AROUND THE OVC...

AUSTIN PEAY (1-5 overall, 0-0 OVC): Austin Peay is struggling with a five-game skid after losses at Vanderbilt (74-58) and Evansville (67-58) last week...Freshman G **Derek Wright** provided some solid play off the bench at Vandy, canning a trio of 3-pointers while shooting 67% from the field and finishing with 15 points in 21 minutes of action...The Govs have topped the 60-point plateau only once this season, and rank last in the league with a 54.2 scoring average...Senior G **Anthony Davis** contributed 12 assists, 13 rebounds and six steals in the Govs' two outings last week, but continues to struggle with his shooting since returning from a severe ankle sprain. The preseason All-OVC pick is a combined 14-of-37 from the field (37.8%) and has yet to hit a 3-point bucket in 12 tries...After managing just three points at Vandy, junior G **Maurice Hampton** bounced back with a game-high 19 points at Evansville on 8-of-14 shooting. He leads the team with a 14.3 scoring average...One bright spot for the Govs last week was their work on the boards as they outrebounded their opponents, 74-65, despite facing a serious size disadvantage...Turnovers continue to plague the Govs, who are averaging 16 miscues each time out...APSU's lone contest this week is an exhibition game against NAIA opponent Lambuth.

EASTERN ILLINOIS (2-2 overall, 0-0 OVC): Eastern Illinois continues to play .500 ball, posting a 77-69 win over UMKC before dropping a 76-57 road decision to Indiana State...Senior point guard **Emanuel Dildy** (24 pts.) and junior G **Josh Gomes** (23 pts.) accounted for nine of the Panthers' 10 three-pointers against UMKC. The pair also scored in double figures at ISU and are two of three players who sit atop the league's scoring leaders with 19.0 scoring averages, while Dildy leads the OVC with 3.25 treys per game...Gomes has missed just once in 19 trips to the free throw line and tops the team with a 98.7 shooting percentage...Senior F **Andy Gobjczynski** has seen a lot of action in the early going, averaging 34.2 minutes a game. He is pulling down a team-high 6.5 boards each time out...The Panthers (40.4%) outshot ISU (36.8%) from the field, but committed 23 turnovers and two steals, compared to six miscues and 12 thefts for the Sycamores...Free throws played a big role in the loss at ISU as the Sycamores converted 32-of-43 attempts from the charity stripe, while EIU made just 19 trips to the line, hitting 11...The Panthers are 2-0 at home thus far and look to extend that streak as Benedictine and Northern Illinois visit Lantz Arena this week.

EASTERN KENTUCKY (5-0 overall, 0-0 OVC): Eastern Kentucky is off to its first 5-0 start since the 1949-50 season following wins over Savannah State (87-59) and Coastal Carolina (77-62)...Senior F **Michael Haney** sits 45 points shy of 1,000 for his career after recording his first double-double of the season (15 pts./11 rbd.) against SSU. He converted 14-of-21 field goals for the week and leads the OVC with a 77.3 FG percentage (34-of-44) while ranking second in rebounding (8.4 rpg)...Junior F/C **Alonzo Hird** is also shooting at an impressive clip, hitting 19-of-27 FG thus far for a second-ranked effort of 70.4 percent. He had a breakout game at CCU, netting his first double-double (17 pts./11 rbd.) in an ECU uniform while also swatting five shots to give him a league-high 13 rejections...The Colonels' five-game win streak is the longest in head coach **Travis Ford's** tenure...Junior point guard **Matt Witt** dished out 16 assists for the week and currently ranks second in the OVC (7.0 apg)...The Colonels are averaging 88.4 points a game while shooting 52.6 percent from the field and boasting a +22.6 scoring margin, all Conference-highs...EKU wraps up a three-game road swing with dates at Western Kentucky (Dec. 8) and Robert Morris (Dec. 11).

JACKSONVILLE STATE (4-4 overall, 0-0 OVC): Jacksonville State had its four-game win streak snapped with back-to-back losses at Wofford (81-76) and Jackson State (64-51)...The Gamecocks struggled to find their offense in both contests, shooting a combined 39.7 percent from the field while committing 38 turnovers and hitting just nine 3-pointers...Junior G **Anthony Wilson** led the team with 23 points and 12 rebounds in the two contests, shooting 46.7 percent (7-of-15) from the field and 87.5 percent (7-of-8) from the free throw line...Junior point guard **Walker Russell** has averaged 14.2 points a game since joining the JSU squad last season, giving him 497 points in just 35 outings. He currently ranks second on the school's Division I list for career assists (240) and 11th all-time...Junior G **B.J. Spencer** averaged 11.0 points and 4.5 rebounds a game last week, including 15 points in the Gamecocks' meeting with Wofford...JSU takes a 10-day break for final exams before continuing its six-game road swing at Coastal Carolina on Dec. 15.

MOREHEAD STATE (4-1 overall, 0-0 OVC): Morehead State extended its win streak to three with victories over Asbury (54-34) and IPFW (64-52)...Junior point guard **Quinton Smith** is proving to be a workhorse in the early going, averaging nearly 37 minutes of action (36.6) each time out. He is second on the squad in scoring (9.8 rpg) and rebounding (5.0 rpg) while handing out a team-best 26 assists...Senior F and top scorer **Chad McKnight** (16.8 ppg) ranks among OVC leaders in FG shooting, hitting 62.2 percent of his attempts thus far (28-of-45). Last week, he led the team with 33 points and 12 boards...Freshman C **Jonathan True** (5.6 ppg/4.6 rpg) has started four of five games thus far. Last week, he tallied 16 points and 10 rebounds while upping his team-leading block total to 10 with six rejections...The Eagles' 4-1 start is the team's best since the 1990-91 season...Morehead State recorded its first sub-80% free throw effort in five games, going 20-of-27 versus IPFW (74.1%). The Eagles lead the OVC with an 80.6 conversion rate at the stripe...Eagle head coach and former Kentucky standout **Kyle Macy** returns to his old stomping grounds when Morehead State kicks off a three-game road swing Wednesday in Lexington. The Eagles also visits Maryland-Eastern Shore on Saturday.

MURRAY STATE (3-2 overall, 0-0 OVC): Murray State pushed its home win streak to 12 with a 69-58 triumph over Texas-San Antonio, but saw the run end in an 82-72 setback to Western Kentucky. The loss also snapped the Racers' overall four-game win streak...Sophomore G **Trey Pearson** canned six 3-pointers and paced the team with 36 points in the two games, including 26 against WKU. He also had three steals to put his league-leading average at 3.2 per game...Junior G **Darnell Hopkins** came off the bench in the second half of the UTSA contest to hit back-to-back treys before finishing with a career-high 17 points. For the week, he was 10-of-14 (71.4%) from the field, including 5-of-7 from 3-point range...Freshman reserve **Shane Dansby** added 16 points and six boards in the two outings...The game between the Racers and the Hilltoppers was the 144th meeting in the series. Murray State held a seven-point halftime lead, but a 25-6 run by WKU during the second half put the 'Toppers up for good and gave the Racers their first home loss to WKU since 1987...This week, the Racers interrupt their home schedule for a Dec. 11 trip to long-time rival Southern Illinois.

SAMFORD (3-3 overall, 0-0 OVC): Samford fell to 3-3 on the season, dropping a 60-58 meeting with IUPUI on a last-second 3-pointer and surrendering a 63-56 decision at Louisiana-Monroe. The loss at ULM came just six days after the Bulldogs picked up a 14-point win over the Indians in Birmingham...Brothers **J. Robert Merritt** and **Joe Ross Merritt** combined for six of the Bulldogs' nine 3-pointers at ULM, finishing with a game-high 20 and 11 points, respectively, while sophomore point guard **Randall Gulina** accounted for the remaining

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three treys, scoring all 15 of his career-high points in the first half on 6-of-12 shooting...Sophomore **Jerry Smith** was the only Bulldog to reach double-digits against IUPUI, finishing with 10 points and four assists. ...Samford returns home for a lone outing this week against NAIA opponent Tennessee-Wesleyan.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI (2-3 overall, 0-0 OVC): Southeast Missouri split a pair of outings last week, falling to Western Kentucky (74-53) before rallying for a 59-58 win against South Dakota State...Senior **Mike Nelke's** first basket of the season was a big one as he delivered the buzzer-beating 3-pointer that won the SDSU contest. Nelke, hampered thus far by a bad wrist, was 0-for-8 from the field prior to hitting the game-winning shot...Preseason All-OVC pick **Derek Winans**, previously sidelined with a stress fracture, saw his first action of the season, playing 18 minutes against SDSU...Senior F **Reggie Golson** contributed 20 points and 12 rebounds during the two-game span. He is 7th in the OVC in rebounding (7.4 rpg), averaging a league-high 3.4 boards on the offensive end...Sophomore G/F **Terrick Willoughby** went 5-of-6 from the field against SDSU as he led the team with a career-high 15 points...Junior C **Waylon Francis** tossed in a career-high 10 points and cleared nine boards versus WKU...The Indians continue their four-game homestand with Montana (Dec. 9) and Central Methodist (Dec. 11).

TENNESSEE-MARTIN (2-3 overall, 0-0 OVC): Tennessee-Martin split a pair of decisions for the second straight week, defeating NAIA opponent Bethel (87-46) before losing a road contest at Evansville (81-74)...Junior C **Cleve Woodfork** pumped in a career-high 27 points against Bethel, while junior newcomer **Jason Thompson** hauled in a game-high 11 boards...Bethel's 33 turnovers were a season-high for a UT Martin opponent...At Evansville, junior G/F **Jared Newson** went 8-of-16 from the field and 5-of-7 from the charity stripe for a team-high 22 points while sophomore **Will Lewis** hit 5-of-6 floor shots and all five of his free throws to add 15 points and a game-high 11 rebounds off the bench for his first double-double of the season (second career)...Senior G **Earl Bullock** currently sits in third place on the school's lists for career treys made (125) and attempted (363)...The Skyhawks continue their seven-game road swing with dates at Arkansas State (Dec. 6) and IPFW (Dec. 11).

TENNESSEE STATE (4-4 overall, 0-0 OVC): Tennessee State extended its win streak to four games with triumphs over Trevecca (102-97 OT) and Fisk (81-76) before having the run end in a tough 96-94 loss at in-state rival Middle Tennessee...The Tigers earned their overtime win against Trevecca at the free throw line, converting 22-of-23 attempts, including all 12 in the extra period...Senior C **Rod Flowers** leads the OVC with four double-doubles after registering back-to-back efforts (12 pts./13 rlds. vs. Trevecca, 18 pts./14 rlds. vs. Fisk). For the week, he averaged 16.7 ppg and 11.7 rpg...Sophomore G **Bruce Price** canned eight 3-pointers and led the team with a 19.7 scoring average through the three contests...Freshman G **Reiley Ervin** drained five treys on 5-of-8 shooting from behind the arc as he pumped in a season-high 17 points at MTSU...The Tigers placed at least four players in double-digit scoring in all three contests...TSU is off until a Dec. 14 meeting at home with Alabama A&M.

TENNESSEE TECH (1-3 overall, 0-0 OVC): Tennessee Tech dropped a 92-63 decision at Kentucky in its lone outing of the week...Senior F **Willie Jenkins** has collected at least 18 points and six rebounds in three straight outings to sit tied atop the OVC scoring chart (19.0 ppg) while tying for 12th in rebounding (6.0 rpg)...Junior G **Milone Clark** hit 5-of-7 floor attempts and followed with 12 points at UK...The Golden Eagles boast eight blocked shots compared to four by their opponents...Tech went 21-of-51 (41.2%) from the field against the Wildcats, marking the first time this season the Golden Eagles failed to top the 50% mark...The Golden Eagles have a trio of contests scheduled for this week with home dates against NAIA opponent Asbury College (Dec. 6) and Division II foe Bryan College (Dec. 8) preceding a road trip to East Tennessee State (Dec. 10).

BY THE NUMBERS...

SAMUELS NOTCHES NO. 350: Eastern Illinois head coach **Rick Samuels** picked up his 350th career victory in the Panthers' win over UMKC. Samuels is in his 25th season at the helm of the EIU program and currently ranks second among active men's coaches who have spent their entire career at one institution, trailing only Syracuse's Jim Boeheim (29 yrs.).

OFF TO A SOLID START: Eastern Kentucky has won its first five outings of the 2004-05 season, among which was an impressive road win at Dayton, to give the Colonels their first 5-0 start in over 50 years...Not surprisingly, the Colonels lead the league in several statistical categories, including scoring (88.4 ppg), scoring margin (+26.6), FG percentage (52.6%) and FG defense (37.5%).

CHARITY WORK: Two weeks into the season, three players boast a perfect effort from the free throw line. Murray State's **Trey Pearson** and Tennessee Tech's **Willie Jenkins** are both 19-of-19 from the charity stripe, while Morehead State's **Ramon Kelly** is 18-of-18. Overall, 11 OVC players are converting at least 82.4 percent of their foul attempts.

POLL WATCH: Eastern Kentucky's 5-0 start has the Colonels ranked No. 25 in the latest *CollegeInsider.com* poll, which was released on Monday.

OVC IN 2004-05 NCAA RANKINGS

(Begins Dec. 7)

**The first set of
NCAA statistical rankings
will be available on
Tuesday, Dec. 7**

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OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

PLAYER:

N 22 - Walker Russell, Jacksonville State
 N 29 - J. Robert Merritt, Samford
 D 6 - Bruce Price, Tennessee State
 D 13 -
 D 20 -
 J 3 -
 J 10 -
 J 17 -
 J 24 -
 J 31 -
 F 7 -
 F 14 -
 F 21 -
 F 28 -

NEWCOMER:

N 22 - Rod Flowers, Tennessee State
 N 29 - Rod Flowers, Tennessee State
 D 6 - Rod Flowers, Tennessee State
 D 13 -
 D 20 -
 J 3 -
 J 10 -
 J 17 -
 J 24 -
 J 31 -
 F 7 -
 F 14 -
 F 21 -
 F 28 -

ROOKIE:

N 22 - Anthony Fisher, Tennessee Tech
 N 29 - Paul Paradoski, Southeast Missouri
 D 6 - Derek Wright, Austin Peay
 D 13 -
 D 20 -
 J 3 -
 J 10 -
 J 17 -
 J 24 -
 J 31 -
 F 7 -
 F 14 -
 F 21 -
 F 28 -

OVC ACTIVE CAREER LEADERS

(Through games of Dec. 5)

SCORING

Derek Winans, Southeast Missouri	1,256
Roshaun Bowens, Tennessee State	1,250
Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	1,239
Michael Haney, Eastern Kentucky	955
Jeremy Kelly, Tennessee-Martin	745
J. Robert Merritt, Samford	682
Willie Jenkins, Tennessee Tech	622
Chad McKnight, Morehead State	609
Bruce Price, Tennessee State	591
Earl Bullock, Tennessee-Martin	550

PTS

STEALS

Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	150
Derek Winans, Southeast Missouri	124
Michael Haney, Eastern Kentucky	118
Jeremy Kelly, Tennessee-Martin	116
Keyon Boyd, Tennessee Tech	70
Walker Russell, Jacksonville State	69
Bruce Price, Tennessee State	60
J. Robert Merritt, Samford	59
Ramon Kelly, Morehead State	47
Josh Hare, Samford	47

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REBOUNDS

Michael Haney, Eastern Kentucky	568
Roshaun Bowens, Tennessee State	504
Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	409
Chad McKnight, Morehead State	302
Jeremy Kelly, Tennessee-Martin	283
J. Robert Merritt, Samford	249
Andrew Gobczynski, Eastern Illinois	230
Willie Jenkins, Tennessee Tech	225
Derek Winans, Southeast Missouri	223
Milone Clark, Tennessee Tech	223

REB

BLOCKED SHOTS

Michael Haney, Eastern Kentucky	109
Roshaun Bowens, Tennessee State	32
Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	27
Abdou Diame, Jacksonville State	26
Reggie Golson, Southeast Missouri	22
Will Lewis, Tennessee-Martin	22
Zac Schlader, Austin Peay	20
Jared Newson, Tennessee-Martin	19
Milone Clark, Tennessee Tech	18
Chad McKnight, Morehead State	17

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ASSISTS

Matt Witt, Eastern Kentucky	243
Walker Russell, Jacksonville State	240
Jeremy Kelly, Tennessee-Martin	234
Derek Winans, Southeast Missouri	230
Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	219
Keyon Boyd, Tennessee Tech	159
Tyler George, Tennessee-Martin	156
Jason Wright, Eastern Illinois	149
J. Robert Merritt, Samford	141
Levi Carmichael, Austin Peay	118

AST

3-POINTERS MADE

Derek Winans, Southeast Missouri	188
Ben Rushing, Eastern Kentucky	176
Earl Bullock, Tennessee-Martin	125
J. Robert Merritt, Samford	124
Anthony Davis, Austin Peay	108
Bruce Price, Tennessee State	87
Jeremy Kelly, Tennessee-Martin	75
Jon Mills, Samford	68
Maurice Hampton, Austin Peay	67
Keyon Boyd, Tennessee Tech	59

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OVC STATISTICS RANKINGS - THROUGH DEC. 5

TEAM	SCORING OFFENSE	SCORING DEFENSE	FREE THROW %	FIELD GOAL %	THREE- POINT %	REBOUND MARGIN
Austin Peay	11	5	11	11	10	9
Eastern Illinois	8	7	5	8	3	4
Eastern Kentucky	1	3	7	1	5	1
Jacksonville State	4	9	2	5	8	6
Morehead State	7	2	1	7	11	2
Murray State	5	4	9	9	7	3
Samford	10	1	3	3	1	11
Southeast Missouri	9	6	10	4	2	10
Tennessee-Martin	6	8	8	10	9	8
Tennessee State	3	10	4	6	6	5
Tennessee Tech	2	11	6	2	4	7