

NCAA TOURNAMENT RECORD

(includes College World Series)

Year	Won	Lost	Pct.
2014	2	2	.500
2013	4	2	.667
2012	9	3	.750
2011	10	0	1.000
2010	11	1	.917
2009	2	2	.500
2008	2	2	.500
2007	4	2	.667
2006	4	3	.571
2005	3	2	.600
2004	8	2	.800
2003	6	2	.750
2002	9	4	.692
2001	5	3	.625
2000	4	2	.667
1998	2	2	.500
1993	1	2	.333
1992	2	2	.500
1988	3	2	.600
1986	1	2	.333
1985	4	2	.667
1984	2	2	.500
1983	0	2	.000
1982	4	2	.667
1981	5	2	.714
1980	2	2	.500
1977	7	3	.700
1976	1	2	.333
1975	7	2	.778
1974	4	2	.667
Totals	128	64	.667

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES RECORD

Year	Won	Lost	Pct.
2012	4	3	.571
2011	5	0	1.000
2010	6	1	.857
2004	3	2	.600
2003	1	2	.333
2002	4	2	.667
1985	0	2	.000
1982	0	2	.000
1981	2	2	.500
1977	3	2	.600
1975	4	2	.667
Totals	32	20	.615

2014

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)

South Carolina def. Campbell	5-2
Maryland def. South Carolina	4-3
South Carolina def. Campbell	9-0
Maryland def. South Carolina	10-1

2013

NCAA Super Regional at Chapel Hill, N.C.

Won 1, Lost 2

North Carolina def. South Carolina	6-5
South Carolina def. North Carolina	8-0
North Carolina def. South Carolina	5-4

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Saint Louis	7-3
South Carolina def. Liberty	19-3
South Carolina def. Liberty	6-4

2012

College World Series at Omaha, Neb.

Won 4, Lost 3 (Finished 2nd)

South Carolina def. Florida	7-3
Arkansas def. South Carolina	2-1
South Carolina def. Kent State	4-2
South Carolina def. Arkansas	2-0
South Carolina def. Arkansas	3-2

Championship Series

Arizona def. South Carolina	5-1
Arizona def. South Carolina	4-1

NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 0

South Carolina def. Oklahoma	W, 5-0
South Carolina def. Oklahoma	W, 5-1

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Manhattan	7-0
South Carolina def. Clemson	5-4 (12 inn.)
South Carolina def. Clemson	4-3

2011

College World Series at Omaha, Neb.

Won 5, Lost 0

(Won National Championship)

South Carolina def. Texas A&M	5-4
South Carolina def. Virginia	7-1
South Carolina def. Virginia	3-2 (13 inn.)

Championship Series

South Carolina def. Florida	W, 2-1 (11 inn.)
South Carolina def. Florida	W, 5-2

NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 0

South Carolina def. Connecticut	W, 5-1
South Carolina def. Connecticut	W, 8-2

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Georgia Southern	W, 2-1
South Carolina def. Stetson	W, 11-5
South Carolina def. Stetson	W, 8-2

2010

College World Series at Omaha, Neb.

Won 6, Lost 1

(Won National Championship)

Oklahoma def. South Carolina	4-3
South Carolina def. Arizona State	11-4
South Carolina def. Oklahoma	3-2 (12 inn.)
South Carolina def. Clemson	5-1
South Carolina def. Clemson	4-3

Championship Series

South Carolina def. UCLA	7-1
South Carolina def. UCLA	2-1 (11 inn.)

NCAA Super Regional at Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 0

South Carolina def. Coastal Carolina	4-3
South Carolina def. Coastal Carolina	10-9

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Bucknell	9-5
South Carolina def. The Citadel	9-4
South Carolina def. Virginia Tech	10-2



2009

NCAA Regional at Greenville, N.C.

Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)

South Carolina def. George Mason	11-3
South Carolina def. East Carolina	12-2
East Carolina def. South Carolina	8-6
East Carolina def. South Carolina	10-9 (10 inn.)

2008

NCAA Regional at Raleigh, N.C.

Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)

South Carolina def. Charlotte	15-8
NC State def. South Carolina	5-4
South Carolina def. James Madison	7-5
NC State def. South Carolina	2-1

2007

NCAA Super Regional at Chapel Hill, N.C.

Won 1, Lost 2

North Carolina def. South Carolina	9-6
South Carolina def. North Carolina	8-6
North Carolina def. South Carolina	9-4

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Wofford	9-1
South Carolina def. Charlotte	12-8
South Carolina def. Charlotte	11-6

2006

NCAA Super Regional at Athens, Ga.

Won 1, Lost 2

South Carolina def. Georgia	15-6
Georgia def. South Carolina	11-5
Georgia def. South Carolina	11-6

NCAA Regional at Charlottesville, Va.

Won 3, Lost 1 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Evansville	4-2
South Carolina def. Virginia	8-2
Evansville def. South Carolina	15-5
South Carolina def. Evansville	5-1

2005

NCAA Regional at Atlanta, Ga.

Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)

South Carolina def. Michigan	6-5
Georgia Tech def. South Carolina	10-2
South Carolina def. Michigan	4-3
South Carolina def. Georgia Tech	8-3
Georgia Tech def. South Carolina	5-0

2004

College World Series at Omaha, Neb.

Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished T3rd)

Cal State Fullerton def. South Carolina	2-0
South Carolina def. LSU	15-4
South Carolina def. Miami (Fla.)	15-11
South Carolina def. Cal State Fullerton	5-3
Cal State Fullerton def. South Carolina	4-0

NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 0

South Carolina def. East Carolina	4-2
South Carolina def. East Carolina	5-3

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. The Citadel	12-4
South Carolina def. North Carolina	5-2
South Carolina def. North Carolina	7-6

2003

College World Series at Omaha, Neb.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished T5th)

Stanford def. South Carolina	8-0
South Carolina def. LSU	11-10
Stanford def. South Carolina	13-6

NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 0

South Carolina def. North Carolina	5-4
South Carolina def. North Carolina	14-4

NCAA Regional at Atlanta, Ga.

Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. East Carolina	4-0
South Carolina def. Stetson	7-2
South Carolina def. Stetson	9-3

2002

College World Series at Omaha, NE

Won 4, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)

Georgia Tech def. South Carolina	11-0
South Carolina def. Nebraska	10-8
South Carolina def. Georgia Tech	9-5
South Carolina def. Clemson	12-4
South Carolina def. Clemson	10-2
Texas def. South Carolina	12-6

NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 2, Lost 1

South Carolina def. Miami (Fla.)	10-7
Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina	5-2
South Carolina def. Miami (Fla.)	6-4

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.

Won 3, Lost 1 (Finished 1st)

South Carolina def. Va. Commonwealth	6-3
South Carolina def. North Carolina	9-6
North Carolina def. South Carolina	8-4
South Carolina def. North Carolina	3-1

2001
NCAA Super Regional at Palo Alto, Calif.
Won 1, Lost 2
 Stanford def. South Carolina 11-1
 South Carolina def. Stanford 4-3
 Stanford def. South Carolina 3-2

NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C.
Won 4, Lost 1 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. The Citadel 16-0
 Central Florida def. South Carolina 8-6
 South Carolina def. Princeton 11-7
 South Carolina def. Central Florida 9-7
 South Carolina def. Central Florida 5-2

2000
NCAA Super Regional at Columbia, S.C.
Won 1, Lost 2
 South Carolina def. La-Lafayette 6-3
 La.-Lafayette def. South Carolina 7-1
 La.-Lafayette def. South Carolina 3-2
NCAA Regional at Columbia, S.C
Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. Liberty 6-4
 South Carolina def. Wake Forest 6-1
 South Carolina def. Wake Forest 8-4

1998
Atlantic Region Tournament at Coral Gables, Fla.
Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd)
 South Carolina def. Florida International 21-9
 South Carolina def. Texas Tech 9-8
 Miami (Fl.) def. South Carolina 14-2
 North Carolina def. South Carolina 4-2

1993
Atlantic Region Tournament at Atlanta, Ga.
Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished 4th)
 South Carolina def. East Carolina 6-5
 Wichita State def. South Carolina 3-2
 Georgia Tech def. South Carolina 12-0

1992
Atlantic Region Tournament at Coral Gables, Fla.
Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd)
 South Carolina def. Notre Dame 5-1
 South Carolina def. N.C. State 9-6
 Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina 17-2
 Notre Dame def. South Carolina 11-2

1988
Atlantic Region Tournament at Coral Gables, Fla.
Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)
 South Carolina def. James Madison 3-2
 Georgia Tech def. South Carolina 7-6
 South Carolina def. Towson State 5-1
 South Carolina def. Georgia Tech 5-0
 Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina 10-3

1986
Atlantic Region Tournament at Coral Gables, Fla.
Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished 4th)
 South Carolina def. Alabama 5-3
 Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina 7-5
 Alabama def. South Carolina 8-7

1985
College World Series at Omaha, Neb.
Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 8th)
 Arkansas def. South Carolina 1-0 (14)
 Oklahoma State def. South Carolina 16-11
East Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C.
Won 4, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. LaSalle 11-1
 South Carolina def. St. John's 13-6
 South Carolina def. Western Carolina 14-3
 South Carolina def. LaSalle 4-2

1984
South II Region Tournament at Starkville, Miss.
Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd)
 South Carolina def. Mississippi State 4-1
 South Carolina def. North Carolina 5-4
 New Orleans def. South Carolina 6-5
 Mississippi State def. South Carolina 18-9

1983
East Region Tournament at Chapel Hill, N.C.
Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 5th)
 James Madison def. South Carolina 9-4
 Delaware def. South Carolina 12-11

1982
College World Series at Omaha, Neb.
Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 7th)
 Stanford def. South Carolina 15-4
 Oklahoma State def. South Carolina 10-8
East Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C.
Won 4, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. West Virginia 7-0
 South Carolina def. The Citadel 6-4
 South Carolina def. The Citadel 11-2
 South Carolina def. West Virginia 2-1

1981
College World Series at Omaha, Neb.
Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 4th)
 Oklahoma State def. South Carolina 8-5
 South Carolina def. Maine 12-7
 South Carolina def. Mississippi State 6-5
 Arizona State def. South Carolina 10-7
East Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C
Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. Temple 15-6
 South Carolina def. Memphis State 8-5
 South Carolina def. Memphis State 11-5

1980
Atlantic Region Tournament at Clemson, S.C.
Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)
 South Carolina def. Georgia Southern 7-2
 Clemson def. South Carolina 6-2
 South Carolina def. East Tennessee State 8-5
 Clemson def. South Carolina 17-12

1977
College World Series at Omaha, Neb.
Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)
 South Carolina def. Baylor 3-2 (10)
 South Carolina def. Los Angeles State 6-2
 South Carolina def. SIU-Carbondale 5-4
 Arizona State def. South Carolina 6-2
 Arizona State def. South Carolina 2-1
Atlantic Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C.
Won 4, Lost 1 (Finished 1st)
 South Alabama def. South Carolina 7-6
 South Carolina def. East Carolina 4-1
 South Carolina def. South Alabama 11-2
 South Carolina def. Wake Forest 5-2
 South Carolina def. Wake Forest 6-1

1976
Atlantic Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C.
Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd)
 South Carolina def. Virginia Tech 7-6
 Clemson def. South Carolina 7-4
 Furman def. South Carolina 12-1

1975
College World Series at Omaha, Neb.
Won 4, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)
 South Carolina def. Seton Hall 3-1
 South Carolina def. Eastern Michigan 5-1
 South Carolina def. Arizona State 6-3
 Texas def. South Carolina 17-6
 South Carolina def. Arizona State 4-1
 Texas def. South Carolina 5-1
Atlantic Region Tournament at Columbia, S.C.
Won 3, Lost 0 (Finished 1st)
 South Carolina def. The Citadel 11-3
 South Carolina def. Temple 15-0
 South Carolina def. N.C. State 4-3

1974
District III Tournament at Starkville, Miss.
Won 4, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd)
 South Carolina def. N.C. State 9-0
 South Carolina def. East Carolina 5-1
 Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina 5-0
 South Carolina def. Georgia Southern 1-0
 South Carolina def. Miami (Fla.) 3-1
 Miami (Fla.) def. South Carolina 2-1

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES MOST OUTSTANDING PLAYER

2011 — Scott Wingo
2010 — Jackie Bradley Jr.

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

2012 — Evan Marzilli, OF; Michael Roth, P; Christian Walker, 1B;
2011 — Robert Beary, C; Peter Mooney, SS; Matt Price, P; Michael Roth, P; Brady Thomas, DH; Christian Walker, 1B; Scott Wingo, 2B
2010 — Christian Walker, 1B; Evan Marzilli, OF; Brady Thomas, DH; Jackie Bradley Jr. OF
2004 — Steve Pearce, 1B; Landon Powell, C; Bryan Triplett, 3B
2002 — Justin Harris, OF; Landon Powell, C
1981 — Rod Carraway, SS
1977 — Mookie Wilson, OF (unanimous); Randy Martz, P; Chuck McLean, OF
1975 — Earl Bass, P; Mark Van Bever, 2B; Steve Cook, OF

NCAA REGIONAL MVP

2013 Columbia — Kyle Martin, 1B
2012 Columbia — Adam Matthews, OF
2011 Columbia — Robert Beary, C
2010 Columbia — Adrian Morales, 3B
2008 Raleigh — Justin Smoak, 1B
2007 Columbia — Justin Smoak, 1B
2006 Charlottesville — Phil Disher, DH
2004 Columbia — Steve Pearce, 1B
2003 Atlanta — Landon Powell, C
2002 Columbia — Yaron Peters, 1B
2001 Columbia — Kip Bouknight, P
2000 Columbia — Peter Bauer, P
1985 East — Mike Cook, P
1982 East — Greg Morhardt, 1B
1981 East — Jim Curl, 1B

NCAA REGIONAL ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

2014 Columbia — DC Arendas, 2B; Wil Crowe, P; Tanner English, OF; Kyle Martin, 1B; Max Schrock, DH/UT
2013 Columbia — Tanner English, OF; Grayson Greiner, C; Kyle Martin, 1B; Jordan Montgomery, P; Joey Pankake, SS; Graham Saiko, OF
2012 Columbia — LB Dantzler, 3B; Colby Holmes, P; Adam Matthews, OF; Jordan Montgomery, P; Joey Pankake, SS; Chase Vergason, 2B
2011 Columbia — Robert Beary, C; Evan Marzilli, OF; Adrian Morales, 3B; Michael Roth, P; Christian Walker, 1B; Scott Wingo, 2B
2010 Columbia — Jackie Bradley Jr., OF; Blake Cooper, P; Kyle Enders, C; Evan Marzilli, DH; Adrian Morales, OF; Brady Thomas, DH
2009 Greenville — Jackie Bradley, Jr., OF; Blake Cooper, P; Justin Dalles, C; Bobby Haney, SS
2008 Raleigh — Blake Cooper, P; Reese Havens, SS; DeAngelo Mack, OF; Whit Merrifield, OF; Justin Smoak, 1B
2007 Columbia — Andrew Crisp, OF; James Darnell, 3B; Phil Disher, C; Curtis Johnson, P; Trent Kline, C; Justin Smoak, 1B
2006 Charlottesville — Chris Brown, 2B; Mike Cisco, P; Phil Disher, C; Neil Giesler, 3B; Wynn Pelzer, P
2005 Atlanta — Michael Campbell, OF; Neil Giesler, 3B; Steve Pearce, 1B
2004 Columbia — Matt Campbell, P; Michael Campbell, OF; Kevin Melillo, 2B; Steve Pearce, 1B; Mark Stanley, OF; Bryan Triplett, 3B
2003 Atlanta — Chris Hernandez, P; Kevin Melillo, 2B; Landon Powell, C; Steven Tolleson, OF; Bryan Triplett, 1B
2002 Columbia — Justin Harris, 2B; Drew Meyer, SS; Yaron Peters, 1B; Blake Taylor, P
2001 Columbia — Kip Bouknight, P; Lee Gronkiewicz, P; Marcus McBeth, OF; Michael Floyd, OF; Bryon Jeffcoat, 2B; Tim Whittaker, C; Garriss Gonc, OF
2000 Columbia — Peter Bauer, P; Drew Meyer, SS; John McHenry, IF; Brandon Pack, C; Chris Plummer, 3B
1998 Atlantic — Ryan Bordenick, C; Derick Urquhart, OF; Jay Lambert, 2B
1992 Atlantic — Jerry Shepherd, OF
1988 Atlantic — Skeets Thomas, OF; Brian Williams, P; Adrian Adkins, DH
1986 Atlantic — Dave Hollins, 3B
1985 East — Jeff Barns, SS; Dave Hollins, 3B; Scott Mackie, OF; Rob Rinehart, OF; Charlie Aldrich, DH; Mike Cook, P
1984 South II — Kent Anderson, SS; Greg Morhardt, 1B
1982 East — Joe Kucharski, P; Chris Boyle, C; Greg Morhardt, 1B; John Sullivan, 3B; Kent Anderson, SS; Phillip Wilson, OF
1981 East — Bobby Kish, P; Rob Lowery, C; Jim Curl, 1B; Robby Vollmer, OF
1980 Atlantic — Greg Jonson, SS; Joe McCarthy, OF



The Gamecocks celebrate winning the 2004 SEC Tournament after a 3-2 win vs. Vanderbilt.

SEC TOURNAMENT RECORD

Year	Won	Lost	Pct.
2015	0	1	.000
2014	0	2	.000
2013	0	2	.000
2012	1	2	.333
2011	1	2	.333
2010	0	2	.000
2009	1	2	.333
2008	1	2	.333
2007	2	2	.500
2006	1	2	.333
2005	1	2	.333
2004	4	0	1.000
2003	1	2	.333
2002	4	2	.667
2001	3	2	.600
2000	2	2	.500
1999	0	2	.000
1998	0	2	.000
1997	0	1	.000
1995	0	2	.000
1994	0	2	.000
1993	0	2	.000
1992	3	2	.600
Totals	25	42	.373

METRO TOURNAMENT RECORD

Year	Won	Lost	Pct.
1991	3	2	.600
1990	1	2	.333
1989	0	2	.000
1988	2	2	.500
1987	1	2	.333
1986	3	2	.600
1985	3	2	.600
1984	3	2	.600
Totals	16	16	.500

SEC & METRO
TOURNAMENT TOTALS

Totals	41	58	.414
---------------	-----------	-----------	-------------

2015

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 1 (Tied 9th)

Missouri def. South Carolina	5-1
------------------------------	-----

2014

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 2 (Tied 7th)

Mississippi State def. South Carolina	12-0 (7 inn.)
Florida def. South Carolina	7-2

2013

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 2 (Tied 7th)

Mississippi State def. South Carolina	5-3
Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	4-3 (10 inn.)

2012

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	3-2
South Carolina def. Auburn	5-3
Florida def. South Carolina	7-2

2011

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

South Carolina def. Auburn	7-3
Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	7-2
Georgia def. South Carolina	4-2

2010

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 2 (Tied 7th)

Ole Miss def. South Carolina	3-0
Auburn def. South Carolina	3-1 (12 inn.)

2009

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

South Carolina def. Alabama	9-5
Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	5-4
LSU def. South Carolina	4-1

2008

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

LSU def. South Carolina	5-4 (10 inn.)
South Carolina def. Florida	11-3
Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	7-5

2007

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 2, Lost 2 (Tied 3rd)

South Carolina def. Florida	4-3 (12 inn.)
Arkansas def. South Carolina	6-0
South Carolina def. Florida	5-3
Arkansas def. South Carolina	3-2

2006

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

South Carolina def. Kentucky	4-2
Vanderbilt def. South Carolina	11-1 (7 inn.)
Georgia def. South Carolina	16-10

2005

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

South Carolina def. Tennessee	12-2
Mississippi State def. South Carolina	6-2
Tennessee def. South Carolina	4-1

2004

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 4, Lost 0 (1st)

South Carolina def. Ole Miss	7-6 (10 inn.)
South Carolina def. Tennessee	5-1
South Carolina def. Arkansas	3-2
South Carolina def. Vanderbilt	3-2

2003

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 1, Lost 2 (Tied 5th)

Alabama def. South Carolina	9-7
South Carolina def. Vanderbilt	3-2
Auburn def. South Carolina	5-1

2002

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 4, Lost 2 (2nd)

South Carolina def. Arkansas	10-1
LSU def. South Carolina	8-3
South Carolina def. Arkansas	6-2
South Carolina def. LSU	10-8
South Carolina def. LSU	5-4
Alabama def. South Carolina	6-2

2001

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 3, Lost 2 (Tied 3rd)

Miss. State def. South Carolina	2-1
South Carolina def. Auburn	5-4
South Carolina def. Georgia	10-2
South Carolina def. Miss. State	7-6
Miss. State def. South Carolina	1-0

2000

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 2, Lost 2 (Tied 3rd)

Kentucky def. South Carolina	6-4
South Carolina def. Auburn	11-4
South Carolina def. Kentucky	12-5
Florida def. South Carolina	12-4

1999

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 2 (Tied 7th)

Mississippi St. def. South Carolina	7-5
Louisiana State def. South Carolina	2-0

1998

SEC Tournament at Hoover, Ala.

Won 0, Lost 2 (Tied 7th)

Mississippi St. def. South Carolina	9-8
Louisiana State def. South Carolina	6-0

1997 SEC Tournament at Columbus, Ga. Won 0, Lost 1 (Tied 7th) Mississippi State def. South Carolina 12-9	
1995 SEC East Tournament at Knoxville, Tenn. Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 6th) Kentucky def. South Carolina 6-2 Tennessee def. South Carolina 8-0	
1994 SEC East Tournament at Lexington, Ky. Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 5th) Kentucky def. South Carolina 6-5 Tennessee def. South Carolina 8-1	
1993 SEC East Tournament at Columbia, S.C. Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 5th) Georgia def. South Carolina 3-1 Vanderbilt def. South Carolina 11-7	
1992 SEC Tournament at New Orleans, La. Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd) Arkansas def. South Carolina 8-6 South Carolina def. Vanderbilt 14-1 South Carolina def. Arkansas 9-5 South Carolina def. Florida 14-4 Louisiana State def. South Carolina 6-3	
1991 Metro Conference Tournament at Salem, Va. Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 3rd) South Carolina def. Virginia Tech 17-1 Florida State def. South Carolina 17-0 South Carolina def. Louisville 7-5 South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 10-8 Florida State def. South Carolina 10-9 (10)	
1990 Metro Conference Tournament at Hattiesburg, Miss. Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished 6th) Cincinnati def. South Carolina 6-2 South Carolina def. Louisville 3-2 Virginia Tech def. South Carolina 2-1	
1989 Metro Conference Tournament at Columbia, S.C. Won 0, Lost 2 (Finished 6th) Memphis State def. South Carolina 11-10 Virginia Tech def. South Carolina 8-4	
1988 Metro Conference Tournament at Tallahassee, Fla. Won 2, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd) South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 4-2 Florida State def. South Carolina 9-3 South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 6-2 Florida State def. South Carolina 9-1	
1987 Metro Conference Tournament at Columbia, S.C. Won 1, Lost 2 (Finished 4th) South Carolina def. Memphis State 6-2 Florida State def. South Carolina 9-5 Cincinnati def. South Carolina 19-4	

1986 Metro Conference Tournament at Tallahassee, Fla. Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd) South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 10-1 South Carolina def. Memphis State 4-3 South Carolina def. Florida State 8-5 Florida State def. South Carolina 3-0 Florida State def. South Carolina 7-2	
1985 Metro Conference Tournament at Tallahassee, Fla. Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd) South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 13-1 South Carolina def. Memphis State 19-8 South Carolina def. Virginia Tech 9-6 Florida State def. South Carolina 7-5 Florida State def. South Carolina 11-5	
1984 Metro Conference Tournament at Tallahassee, Fla. Won 3, Lost 2 (Finished 2nd) South Carolina def. Florida State 4-3 South Carolina def. Southern Mississippi 8-5 South Carolina def. Cincinnati 4-3 Virginia Tech def. South Carolina 6-3 Florida State def. South Carolina 11-10	

SEC ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

2011 — Michael Roth, P
2006 — Mike Cisco, P
2005 — Neil Giesler, 3B
2004 — Brendan Winn, OF; (Kevin Melillo/Steven Tolleson - Co-MVP's)
2002 — Gary Bell, P; Drew Meyer, SS; Steve Thomas, OF
2001 — Michael Floyd, OF; Bryon Jeffcoat, 2B
2000 — Drew Meyer, SS
1992 — Jerry Shepherd, OF; Burke Cromer, 3B; Dave Willman, C

METRO ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

1991 — Jeff Parnell, 1B; Burke Cromer, 3B
1990 — Burke Cromer, SS
1988 — Skeets Thomas, OF; Brian Williams, 3B & P
1986 — Jeff Morris, OF; Joe Datin, 1B; Brian Currie, P; Dave Hollins, 3B; Jeff Churchich, DH
1985 — Jeff Barns, SS; Rob Rinehart, OF; Scott Mackie, OF
1984 — Greg Morhardt, 1B; Rob Rinehart, OF; Jim St. Laurent, OF



Kevin Melillo

2004 SEC Tournament Co-MVP



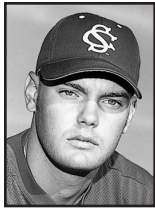
Steven Tolleson

2004 SEC Tournament Co-MVP

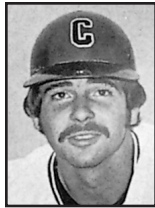
FINAL NATIONAL POLLS

Year	Baseball America	Collegiate Baseball	USA Today
2014	25th	25th	22nd
2013	14th	13th	12th
2012	2nd	2nd	2nd
2011	1st	1st	1st
2010	1st	1st	1st
2009	25th	21st	21st
2008		28th	
2007	10th	11th	10th
2006	13th	12th	15th
2005	25th	26th	23rd
2004	3rd	3rd	3rd
2003	10th	6th	7th
2002	2nd	2nd	2nd
2001	12th	15th	13th
2000	4th	9th	8th
1998	16th	19th	18th
1993	25th	29th	25th
1992	18th	28th	
1988	20th	17th	
1985	13th	8th	
1984		21st	
1983		28th	
1982		7th	
1981		4th	
1980		9th	
1979		21st	
1977		6th	
1976		17th	
1975		4th	
1974		9th	

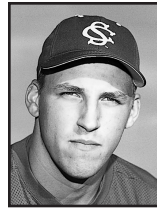
CAROLINA GAMECOCKS



Scott Barber
2000



Earl Bass
1974, 1975



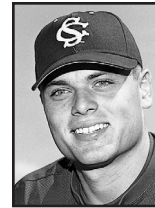
Peter Bauer
1998, 2000



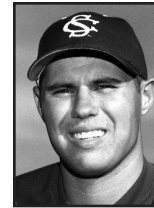
Joe Biernat
1993



Chad Blackwell
2004



Ryan Bordenick
1997, 1998



Kip Bouknight
1998, 2000

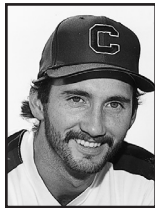


Brian Buscher
2003

STAFF



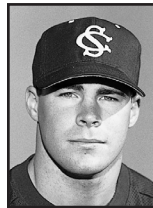
Matt Campbell
2004



Mike Cook
1985



Blake Cooper
2010



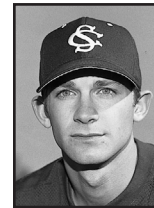
Mike Curry
1998



LB Dantzler
2013



Phil Disher
2007



Adam Everrett
1998



Grayson Greiner
2014

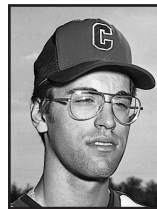
PLAYER PROFILES



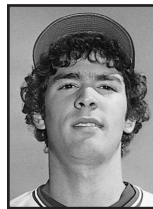
Lee Gronkiewicz
2001



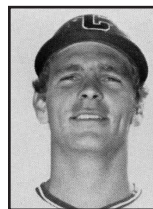
Reese Havens
2008



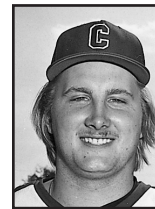
Paul Hollins
1981



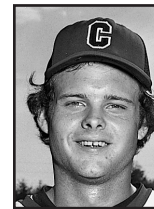
Greg Jonson
1980



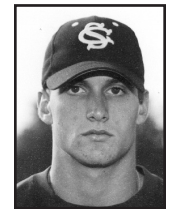
Greg Keatley
1976



Joe Kucharski
1982

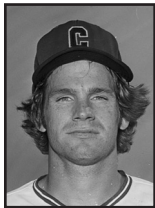


Rob Lowery
1981



David Marchbanks
2003

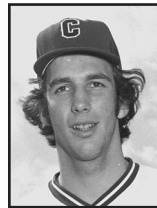
OPPONENTS



John Marquardt
1978



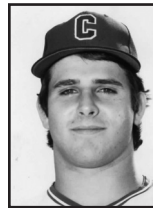
Kyle Martin
2015



Randy Martz
1977



Drew Meyer
2002



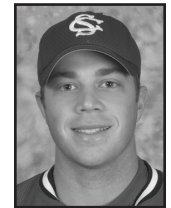
Jim Pankovits
1976



Steve Pearce
2005



Yaron Peters
2002



Landon Powell
2004

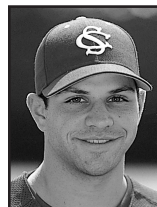
SEASON IN REVIEW



Matt Price
2011



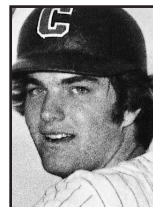
Aaron Rawl
2004



Brian Roberts
1999



Michael Roth
2011



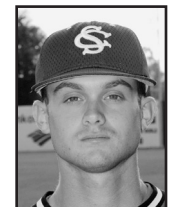
Hank Small
1974, 1975



Joel Seddon
2014



Justin Smoak
2007, 2008



Blake Taylor
2002

HISTORY & RECORDS



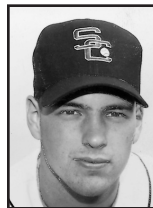
John Taylor
2011



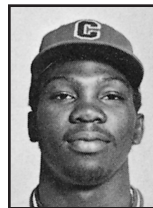
Christian Walker
2011, 2012



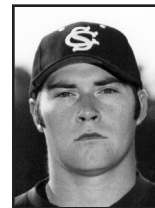
Tyler Webb
2013



Mac White
1994



Mookie Wilson
1977



Tim Whittaker
2001

First-Team All-Americans		CAROLINA GAMECOCKS
Year - Player, Pos. (Publication)	Statistics	STAFF
2015 - Kyle Martin, 1B (Baseball America)	.350 AVG (71-for-203), 50 R, 12 2B, 2 3B, 14 HR, 56 RBI, .635 SLG, .455 OBP, 39 BB, 27 SO	
2011 - Matt Price, RP (CollegeBaseballInsider.com, Perfect Game USA)	7-3, 1.83 ERA, 20 SV, 59.0 IP, 20 BB, 75 SO	PLAYER PROFILES
2011 - Michael Roth, SP (CollegeBaseballInsider.com, Baseball America, Perfect Game USA)	14-3, 1.06 ERA, 145.0 IP, 41 BB, 112 SO	
2008 - Justin Smoak, 1B (ABCA, Baseball America, Collegiate Baseball, NCBWA)	.383 AVG (90-for-235), 63 R, 19 2B, 0 3B, 23 HR, 72 RBI, .757 SLG, .505 OBP, 57 BB, 28 SO	OPPONENTS
2004 - Landon Powell, C (NCBWA, Sports Weekly)	.330 AVG (89-for-270); 66 R, 17 2B, 1 3B, 19 HR, 66 RBI, .611 GLG, .427 OBP, 47 BB, 42 SO	
2003 - David Marchbanks, SP (Baseball America, Collegiate Baseball, NCBWA)	15-3, 2.73 ERA, 135.1 IP, 25 BB, 97 SO	SEASON IN REVIEW
2002 - Yaron Peters, 1B (ABCA, Baseball America, Baseball Weekly)	.377 AVG (106-for-281), 81 R, 22 2B, 0 3B, 29 HR, 95 RBI, .765 SLG, .472 OBP, 46 BB, 37 SO	
2002 - Blake Taylor, RP (ABCA, Baseball Weekly, NCBWA)	6-1, 2.63 ERA, 21 SV, 85.2 IP, 44 BB, 79 SO	HISTORY & RECORDS
2001 - Lee Gronkiewicz, RP (ABCA, Collegiate Baseball, NCBWA)	2-1, 1.31 ERA, 19 SV, 61.2 IP, 23 BB, 77 SO	
2000 - Kip Bouknight, SP (ABCA, Baseball America, Collegiate Baseball)	17-1, 2.81 ERA, 144.0 IP, 34 BB, 143 SO	
1998 - Adam Everett, SS (Baseball America)	.375 AVG (100-for-267), 71 R, 21 2B, 4 3B, 13 HR, 63 RBI, .629 SLG, .436 OBP, 21 BB, 30 SO	
1997 - Ryan Bordenick, DH (ABCA)	.419 AVG (96-for-229), 81 R, 18 2B, 2 3B, 13 HR, 87 RBI, .686 SLG, .509 OBP, 38 BB, 43 SO	
1993 - Joe Biernat, SS (NCBWA)	.403 AVG (94-for-233), 46 R, 16 2B, 2 3B, 5 HR, 52 RBI, .554 SLG, .457 OBP, 23 BB, 24 SS	
1985 - Mike Cook, SP (ABCA, Baseball America)	16-2, 1.91 ERA, 141.0 IP, 60 BB, 168 SO	
1982 - Joe Kucharski, SP (ABCA)	11-3, 2.97 ERA, 112.0 IP, 22 BB, 93 SO	
1981 - Rob Lowery, C (Baseball Bulletin)	.404 AVG (82-for-203), 38 R, 20 2B, 0 3B, 13 HR, 61 RBI, .695 SLG, .536 OBP, 41 BB, 7 SO	
1980 - Greg Jonson, SS (Baseball Bulletin)	.367 AVG (65-for-177), 42 R, 9 2B, 0 3B, 2 HR, 34 RBI, .452 SLG, .507 OBP, 28 BB, 9 SO	
1978 - John Marquardt, 3B (ABCA)	.381 AVG (67-for-176), 44 R, 10 2B, 5 3B, 16 HR, 61 RBI, .767 SLG, .468 OBP, 29 BB, 15 SO	
1977 - Randy Martz, SP (ABCA, Sporting News)	14-0, 1.98 ERA, 131.2 IP, 36 BB, 106 SO	
1976 - Jim Pankovits, 3B (Sporting News)	.294 AVG (60-for-204), 46 R, 8 2B 0 3B, 12 HR, 49 RBI .510 SLG, .339 OBP, 14 BB, 27 SO	
1975 - Hank Small, 1B (ABCA)	.390 AVG (78-for-200), 50 R, 13 2B, 1 3B, 19 HR, 66 RBI, .750 SLG, .455 OBP, 24 BB, 14 SO	
1975 - Earl Bass, SP (ABCA)	17-1, 1.40 ERA, 148.0 IP, 34 BB, 168 SO	
1974 - Earl Bass, SP (ABCA)	12-1, 1.10 ERA, 106.0 IP, 23 BB, 129 SO	
All-Americans		
Year - Player, Pos. (Publication)		
2015 - Kyle Martin, 1B (Baseball America/1st team, Collegiate Baseball/2nd team, D1Baseball/3rd team)		
2014 - Grayson Greiner, C (Baseball America/2nd team, Perfect Game USA/2nd team)		
2014 - Joel Seddon, RP (NCBWA/2nd team)		
2013 - LB Dantzler, DH (Baseball America/3rd team)		
2013 - Tyler Webb, RP (Collegiate Baseball/3rd team, NCBWA/3rd team)		
2012 - Christian Walker, 1B (ABCA/2nd team)		
2011 - Matt Price, RP (Baseball America/2nd team, CollegeBaseballInsider.com/1st team, NCBWA/2nd team, Perfect Game USA/1st team)		
2011 - Michael Roth, SP (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball America/1st team, CollegeBaseballInsider.com/1st team, Collegiate Baseball, NCBWA/2nd team, Perfect Game USA/1st team)		
2011 - John Taylor, RP (CollegeBaseballInsider.com/2nd team)		
2011 - Christian Walker, 1B (Baseball America/3rd team)		
2010 - Blake Cooper, SP (ABCA/2nd team, Collegiate Baseball/3rd team)		
2008 - Reese Havens, SS (Baseball America/2nd team, Collegiate Baseball/3rd team, NCBWA/2nd team)		
2008 - Justin Smoak, 1B (ABCA/1st team, Baseball America/1st team, Collegiate Baseball/1st team, NCBWA/1st team)		
2007 - Phil Disher, DH (NCBWA/3rd team)		
2007 - Justin Smoak, 1B (Baseball America/3rd team)		
2005 - Steve Pearce, 1B (Baseball America/2nd team)		
2004 - Chad Blackwell, RP (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball America/3rd team, Collegiate Baseball/3rd team, NCBWA/2nd team)		
2004 - Matt Campbell, SP (Baseball America/3rd team)		
2004 - Landon Powell, C (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball America/, Collegiate Baseball/2nd team, NCBWA/1st team, Sports Weekly/1st team)		
2004 - Aaron Rawl, SP (NCBWA/3rd team)		
2003 - Brian Buscher, 3B (Collegiate Baseball/3rd team)		
2003 - David Marchbanks, SP (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball America/1st team, Collegiate Baseball/1st team, NCBWA/1st team)		
2002 - Drew Meyer, SS (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball America/3rd team, Collegiate Baseball/2nd team)		
2002 - Yaron Peters 1B (ABCA/1st team, Baseball America/1st team, Baseball Weekly/1st team, Collegiate Baseball/2nd team, NCBWA/3rd team)		
2002 - Blake Taylor, RP (ABCA/1st team, Baseball America/2nd team, Baseball Weekly/1st team Collegiate Baseball/2nd team, NCBWA/1st team)		
2001 - Lee Gronkiewicz, RP (ABCA/1st team, Collegiate Baseball/1st team, Baseball Weekly/1st team, Baseball America/3rd team)		
2001 - Tim Whittaker, C (Baseball America/3rd team)		
2000 - Scott Barber, RP (ABCA/3rd team)		
2000 - Peter Bauer, SP (ABCA/3rd team)		
2000 - Kip Bouknight, SP (ABCA/1st team, Baseball America/1st team, Baseball Weekly, 1st team, Collegiate Baseball/1st team, NCBWA/1st team)		
1999 - Brian Roberts, SS (Baseball America/2nd team, Collegiate Baseball/3rd team)		
1998 - Adam Everett, SS (Baseball America/1st team, ABCA/2nd team, NCBWA/2nd team, Collegiate Baseball/3rd Team)		
1998 - Mike Curry, OF (Baseball America/2nd team, Collegiate Baseball/2nd team, NCBWA/3rd team)		
1998 - Ryan Bordenick, UT (NCBWA/2nd team)		
1998 - Kip Bouknight, SP (NCBWA/3rd team)		
1997 - Ryan Bordenick, DH (ABCA/1st team, NCBWA/3rd team)		
1994 - Mac White, CF (NCBWA/3rd team)		
1993 - Joe Biernat, SS (NCBWA/1st team)		
1985 - Mike Cook, P (ABCA/1st team, Baseball America/1st team)		
1982 - Joe Kucharski, P (ABCA/1st team)		
1981 - Rob Lowery, C (Baseball Bulletin/1st team)		
1981 - Paul Hollins, OF (ABCA/2nd team, Baseball Bulletin/2nd team)		
1980 - Greg Jonson, SS (Baseball Bulletin/1st team)		
1978 - John Marquardt, 3B (ABCA/1st team)		
1977 - Randy Martz, P (ABCA/1st team, Sporting News/1st team)		
1977 - Mookie Wilson, OF (Sporting News/2nd team)		
1976 - Greg Keatley, C (ABCA/2nd team)		
1976 - Jim Pankovits, 3B (Sporting News/1st team)		
1975 - Earl Bass, P (ABCA/1st team)		
1975 - Hank Small, 1B (ABCA/1st team)		
1974 - Earl Bass, P (ABCA/1st team)		
1974 - Hank Small, 1B (ABCA /2nd team)		

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS	STAFF	PLAYER PROFILES	OPPONENTS	SEASON IN REVIEW	HISTORY & RECORDS
--------------------	-------	-----------------	-----------	------------------	-------------------

FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICANS
 2014 - Wil Crowe, SP (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2013 - Max Schrock, 2B (*Baseball America*, *NCBWA*, *Perfect Game*); Jack Wynkoop, SP (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2012 - Grayson Greiner, C (*Collegiate Baseball*); Jordan Montgomery, P (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2010 - Matt Price, RP (*Baseball America*, *Collegiate Baseball*); Christian Walker, 1B, *Baseball America*)
 2009 - Jackie Bradley Jr., OF (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2008 - Sam Dyson, SP (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2007 - Blake Cooper, SP (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2006 - Andrew Crisp, OF (*Collegiate Baseball*); Justin Smoak, 1B (*Collegiate Baseball*)
 2000 - Drew Meyer, SS (*TPX*; *Baseball America*; *Baseball Weekly*)
 1998 - Kip Bouknight, SP (*TPX*); Peter Bauer, SP (*TPX*)
 1996 - Mike Curry, OF (*Mizuno*)
 1993 - Jason Haynie, P (*Mizuno*)
 1991 - Mac White, OF (*Baseball America*)

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS (Selected by CoSIDA)
 2014 - Grayson Greiner, C (2nd team)
 2013 - LB Dantzler, 1B (1st team)
 2012 - Michael Roth, P (1st team)
 2011 - Michael Roth, P (1st team)
 1985 - Rob Rinehart, OF (2nd team)
 1981 - Jim Curl, 1B; Paul Hollins, OF (2nd team)
 1980 - Jim Curl, 1B; Paul Hollins, OF (3rd team)
 1977 - Randy Martz, P; Mark Van Bever, 2B
 1974 - John Gambrell, OF

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN OF THE YEAR (Awarded to top student-athlete by CoSIDA)
 2013 - LB Dantzler, 1B

NCAA ELITE AWARD (Awarded to top GPA student-athlete at the CWS)
 2012 - Erik Payne, INF
 2011 - Michael Roth, P

GOLDEN SPIKES AWARD (Awarded to the Outstanding College Player in the United States by USA Baseball)
 2000 - Kip Bouknight, P

ROTARY SMITH AWARD (Awarded to the Outstanding College Player in the United States by the Rotary Club of Houston, TX)
 2000 - Kip Bouknight, P

LEFTY GOMEZ PLATE (Awarded 1974-77 to the Outstanding Amateur Player in the United States)
 1977 - Randy Martz, P

COLLEGEBASEBALLINSIDER.COM PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 2011 - Michael Roth, P

PRESIDENT'S AWARD (Awarded to top male or female student-athlete at University of South Carolina)
 2012 - Michael Roth
 2010 - Jay Brown

USC MALE STUDENT-ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (Presented at USC Awards Day)
 1998 - Ryan Bordenick

NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR
 2011 - Ray Tanner (*ABCA*, *Collegiate Baseball*)
 2010 - Ray Tanner (*Baseball America*, *Collegiate Baseball*)
 2000 - Ray Tanner (*Baseball America*)

NATIONAL ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR
 2011 - Chad Holbrook (*Baseball America*, *ABCA*)
 2002 - Jim Toman (*Baseball America*, *ABCA*)

ABCA SOUTH REGION COACH OF THE YEAR
 2011 - Ray Tanner
 2010 - Ray Tanner
 2002 - Ray Tanner

ABCA ATLANTIC REGION COACH OF THE YEAR
 1977 - June Raines
 1975 - Bobby Richardson

FRED BRINKMAN INSPIRATIONAL AWARD
 2012 - Matt Price, P
 2011 - Adrian Morales, INF
 2010 - Brady Thomas, C
 2009 - Jay Brown, P
 2008 - Reese Havens, SS
 2007 - Arik Hempy, P
 2006 - Phil Disher, C/Wynn Pelzer, P
 2005 - Mark Stanley, OF
 2004 - Kevin Melillo, INF
 2003 - Steven Bondurant, P
 2002 - Trey Dyson, DH
 2001 - Brennan Dees, OF
 2000 - Brennan Dees, OF
 1999 - Jamie Poston, P
 1998 - Derick Urquhart, OF

IRBY RAINES COACHES' AWARD (Named for the late father of Coach June Raines.)
 2012 - Dante Rosenberg, C
 2011 - Robert Beary, C
 2010 - Whit Merrifield, OF
 2009 - Whit Merrifield, OF
 2008 - Whit Merrifield, OF
 2007 - Phil Disher, C
 2006 - Chris Brown, INF
 2005 - Brendan Winn, OF
 2004 - Steven Tolleson, INF
 2003 - Steven Tolleson, OF/INF
 2002 - Steven Bondurant, P; Kevin Melillo, INF
 2001 - David Marchbanks, P
 2000 - Brandon Pack, C
 1999 - Scott Barber, P
 1998 - Ryan Bordenick, C
 1997 - Derick Urquhart, OF
 1996 - Brian Hucks, C
 1995 - Mark Mapes, OF
 1994 - Mark Gugino, LF
 1993 - Stacy Stokes, 2B
 1992 - Brian Lawler, OF
 1991 - Burke Cromer, 3B
 1990 - Brian Beatson, P
 1989 - Mike McGee, OF
 1988 - Garrett Carter, OF
 1987 - Dave Smyth, OF
 1986 - Riley Polk, 2B
 1985 - Rob Rinehart, OF
 1984 - John Sullivan, 3B
 1983 - Art Finley, 2B
 1982 - Don Gordon, P
 1981 - Tom Williams, 2B

TAYLOR MCENTIRE MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD
 2012 - Christian Walker, 1B
 2011 - Matt Price, P; Christian Walker, 1B
 2010 - Jackie Bradley Jr., OF
 2009 - DeAngelo Mack, OF
 2008 - Reese Havens, SS
 2007 - Travis Jones, INF
 2006 - Michael Campbell, OF
 2005 - Steve Pearce, 1B
 2004 - Landon Powell, C
 2003 - Brian Buscher, 3B
 2002 - Yaron Peters, 1B
 2001 - Tim Whittaker, C
 2000 - Kip Bouknight, P
 1999 - Brian Roberts, SS
 1998 - Adam Everett, SS
 1997 - Rob Streicher, C
 1996 - Jason Haynie, P
 1995 - Mark Mapes, OF
 1994 - Mac White, CF
 1993 - Joe Biernat, SS; Rich Pratt, P
 1992 - Dave Willman, C
 1991 - Dave Willman, C
 1990 - Skeets Thomas, OF
 1989 - Tripp Cromer, SS
 1988 - Garrett Carter, OF; Mark Nelson, C
 1987 - Dave Smyth, OF
 1986 - Jeff Morris, OF
 1985 - Mike Cook, P; Joe Datin, OF
 1984 - Greg Morhardt, 1B; Kent Anderson, SS
 1983 - Mike Werner, P
 1982 - Joe Kucharski, P
 1981 - Paul Hollins, OF



SEC PLAYER OF THE YEAR

2002 - Yaron Peters
2000 - Kip Bouknight

SEC PITCHER OF THE YEAR

2003 - David Marchbanks

SEC MALE BOYD MCWHORTER SCHOLAR-ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

2012 - Michael Roth
2002 - Trey Dyson

SEC COACH OF THE YEAR

2011 - Ray Tanner
2000 - Ray Tanner
1998 - Ray Tanner

ALL-SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE

2015 - **Kyle Martin, 1B**; Max Schrock, 2B (2nd)
2014 - Joel Seddon, RP (2nd)
2013 - Grayson Greiner, C (2nd); Tyler Webb, RP (2nd)
2012 - **Christian Walker, 1B**; Matt Price, RP (2nd)
2011 - **Matt Price, RP; Michael Roth, P; Scott Wingo, 2B**; Christian Walker, 1B (2nd)
2010 - **Blake Cooper, P**; Jackie Bradley Jr., OF (2nd); Matt Price, RP (2nd)
2009 - Justin Dalles, C (2nd); Nick Ebert, 1B (2nd); Bobby Haney, SS (2nd); DeAngelo Mack, OF (2nd)
2008 - **Justin Smoak, 1B**; James Darnell, 3B (2nd); Phil Disher, DH (2nd); Reese Havens, SS (2nd)
2007 - **Phil Disher, DH; Travis Jones, 2B**; James Darnell, 3B (2nd); Justin Smoak, 1B (2nd)
2006 - **Michael Campbell, OF**; Robbie Grinestaff, DH (2nd); Reese Havens, SS (2nd); Wynn Pelzer, RP (2nd)
2005 - **Steven Tolleson, SS**; Steve Pearce 1B; (2nd)
2004 - **Chad Blackwell, RP; Landon Powell, C**; Brendan Winn, OF (2nd)
2003 - **Brian Buscher, 3B; David Marchbanks, P; Landon Powell, C**
2002 - **Yaron Peters, 1B; Drew Meyer, SS; Blake Taylor, RP; Trey Dyson, DH**
2001 - **Garris Gonce, OF; Lee Gronkiewicz, RP**; Marcus McBeth, CF (2nd)
2000 - **Kip Bouknight, P; Scott Barber, RP**; Peter Bauer, P (2nd); Drew Meyer, SS (2nd); Nate Janowicz, OF (2nd).
1999 - **Tim Angiolini, DH**; Brian Roberts, SS, (2nd)
1998 - **Adam Everett, SS; Mike Curry, OF; Kip Bouknight, P**
1997 - **Ryan Bordenick, DH; Brett Jodie, P**
1996 - Jason Haynie, P (2nd)
1995 - Mark Mapes, OF (2nd)
1994 - **Mac White, OF**; Mark Gugino, OF (2nd); Rob DeBoer, C (2nd)
1993 - **Joe Biernat, SS; Rich Pratt, P; Mac White, CF**; Jason Haynie, P (2nd)
1992 - **D.T. Cromer, DH; Jerry Shepherd, OF; Dave Willman, C**
bold indicates first-team honors

ALL-FRESHMAN

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE

2013 - Jack Wynkoop, P
2012 - Tanner English, OF; Grayson Greiner, C; Joey Pankake, SS
2011 - Forrest Koumas, P
2010 - Evan Marzilli, OF; Matt Price, RP; Christian Walker, 1B
2009 - Nolan Belcher, SP; Jackie Bradley, Jr., OF
2008 - Whit Merrifield, OF
2006 - Mike Cisco, SP; Andrew Crisp, OF; Justin Smoak, 1B
2004 - David Cash, SS; Arik Hempy, RP

ALL-DEFENSIVE

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE

2014 - Tanner English, OF; Grayson Greiner, C; Joey Pankake, 3B
2012 - Evan Marzilli, OF; Michael Roth, P
2011 - Jackie Bradley Jr., OF; Christian Walker, 1B; Scott Wingo, 2B
2010 - Jackie Bradley Jr., OF; Scott Wingo, 2B
2009 - Bobby Haney, SS; Whit Merrifield, OF
2008 - Reese Havens, SS

ALL-METRO CONFERENCE

1991 - **Jared Baker, P; Jerry Shepherd, OF**
1990 - **Skeets Thomas, OF; Brian Williams, UTIL**; Burke Cromer, SS (2nd)
1989 - **Tripp Cromer, SS**; Skeets Thomas, OF (2nd); Mike McGee, OF (2nd)
1988 - **Mark Nelson, C; Garrett Carter, OF; Brian Williams, SS; Adrian Adkins, DH; Joe Cardwell, P; Brian Beatson, P**
1987 - **Lee Whatley, P; Jeff Barns, SS; Dave Smyth, OF; Charlie Aldrich, DH**
1986 - **Jeff Barns, SS; Jeff Morris, OF; Dave Menhart, P**
1985 - **Jeff Barns, SS; Joe Datin, 1B; Rob Rinehart, OF; Mike Cook, P**
1984 - **Greg Morhardt, 1B; Kent Anderson, SS**
bold indicates first-team honors

TEAM USA

2013 - Grayson Greiner, C
2010 - Jackie Bradley Jr., OF
2007 - Justin Smoak, 1B
2003 - Matt Campbell, P, Ray Tanner (Head Coach)
2002 - Landon Powell, C
1997 - Adam Everett, SS
1994 - Jason Haynie, P
1993 - Jason Haynie, P
1991 - Jared Baker, P
1989 - Brian Williams, P-OF
1986 - Dave Hollins, 3B
Please note, Christian Walker was selected to 2011 team but could not participate due to injury. Grayson Greiner was selected to 2012 team but could not participate due to injury.

ALL-ATLANTIC COAST CONFERENCE

1971 - Buddy Caldwell, 1B (2nd); Butch Anderson, SS (2nd)
1970 - Buddy Caldwell, 1B (2nd)
1969 - **Wallie Jones, 2B**
1968 - **Toy McCord, SS; Wallie Jones, 2B; Bill Cash, 1B**
1967 - **Dan Scarpa, C; Mike Fair, OF; Frank Partyka, 3B**; Bobby Bryant, P (2nd)
1966 - **Bobby Bryant, P; Dan Scarpa, C**; Frank Partyka, 3B (2nd); Al Mirando, OF (2nd)
1965 - **Dan Scarpa, C**, Ronnie Lamb, 1B (2nd); Joe Tonelli, 2B (2nd)
1964 - **Hoke Greiner, 2B; Jack McCathern, 1B**; Joe Tonelli, 3B (2nd); Dick Moseley, C (2nd)
1962 - **Jack McCathern, OF**
1961 - Charlie Williams, UT (2nd)
1959 - **Ken Rosefield, 1B**
1958 - Ken Rosefield, UT (2nd), Buddy Nidiffer, UT (2nd)
1957 - Larry Jewell, SS (2nd)
1956 - Larry Jewell, 3B (2nd); Frank Ellerbee, SS (2nd); Jim Jarrett, UT (2nd), John Cooley, P (2nd)
1955 - Jim Jarrett, OF (2nd); Carl Brazell, UT (2nd); Heyward Tunstall, P (2nd)
1954 - Ed Rast, OF (2nd); Heyward Tunstall, P (2nd)
bold indicates first-team honors

U.S. OLYMPIC TEAM

2000 - Adam Everett, SS, Ray Tanner (Auxiliary Coach)
1996 - Ray Tanner (Assistant Coach)

U.S. OLYMPIC TRIALS

2006 - Lee Gronkiewicz, P
1997 - Adam Poe, OF
1996 - Mike Curry, OF; Adam Everett, SS
1991 - Jeff Parnell, 1B
1984 - Greg Morhardt, 1B



Adam Everett and Ray Tanner were members of the 2000 U.S. Olympic Team that won a gold medal.

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

SEC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL ALL-TIME MEMBERS

Name	Year
Brian Adams.....	1995
DC Arendas.....	2014-15
Austin Ashmore.....	2010
Will Atwood.....	2007
James Badolato.....	1994
Parker Bangs.....	2008-09-10
Jesse Barbaro.....	2009
Nolan Belcher.....	2010-11-12-13
Forrest Beverly.....	2005-06
Joe Biernat.....	1993
Chad Blackwell.....	2004
Steven Bondurant.....	2000-01-02-03
Ryan Bordenick.....	1996-97-98
Kip Bouknight.....	2000-01
Jackie Bradley Jr.....	2011
Rico Bravo.....	2000-01-02-03
Connor Bright.....	2014-15
Chris Brown.....	2006
Jay Brown.....	2007-08-09-10
Billy Buckner.....	2004
Alex Burrell.....	2009-10-11
Elliott Caldwell.....	2015
Will Casey.....	2009-10-11
Mike Cisco.....	2007-08
Blake Cooper.....	2010
Jordan Costner.....	2007-08-09
Graham Couch.....	2009
Wil Crowe.....	2015
Andrew Cruse.....	2005-06
LB Dantzler.....	2012-13
James Darnell.....	2007-08
Brennan Dees.....	2001-02
Phil Disher.....	2005
Craig Dour.....	1996-97
Sam Dyson.....	2008
Trey Dyson.....	2000-01-03
Jeff Easterling.....	1993
Kyle Enders.....	2007-08-09-10
Tanner English.....	2013-14
Vince Fiori.....	2013-14-15
Neil Giesler.....	2006
Davy Gregg.....	2004-05
John Gregory.....	2004-05
Grayson Greiner.....	2013-14
Nick Godwin.....	2007
Jordan Gore.....	2015
Garris Gonce.....	2003
Lee Gronkiewicz.....	2001-02
Bryan Harper.....	2011
Patrick Harrington.....	2012-15
Oliver Harwas.....	1996
Reese Havens.....	2008
Colby Holmes.....	2012
Harris Honeycutt.....	2006
Brian Hucks.....	1995-96
Cheyne Hurst.....	2006-07
Nate Janowicz.....	2000
Brett Jodie.....	1997-98
Preston Johnson.....	2015
Jeffery Jones.....	2010
Tripp Kelly.....	1999-2000
Brian Kirby.....	1998
Trent Kline.....	2006-07
Josh Knab.....	2013
Forrest Koumas.....	2012
Harley Lail.....	2008
Conor Lalor.....	2004-05-06-07
Dan Luczak.....	2005-06
DeAngelo Mack.....	2007
Brent Marsh.....	2005
Drew Martin.....	2007
Kyle Martin.....	2013-14

Name	Year
Evan Marzilli.....	2011-12
Jose Mata.....	2010-11
Adam Matthews.....	2011-12
Wally Maynard.....	1993-94-95
Tim McCarty.....	2004
Trey McNickle.....	2014
Kevin Melillo.....	2003-04
Whit Merrifield.....	2009-10
Brandon Miller.....	2009
Jordan Montgomery.....	2013-14
Marcus Mooney.....	2014
Brent Moore.....	1996
Tyler Musselwhite.....	2008
Steven Neff.....	2009
Shane Nelson.....	2000
Scott Pace.....	1994
Hank Parks.....	2004
Ian Paxton.....	2005-06
Erik Payne.....	2012-13
Yaron Peters.....	2003
Weber Pike.....	2014-15
Jeremy Plexico.....	2000-01-02
Chris Plummer.....	2001-02
Jamie Poston.....	2000
Landon Powell.....	2003-04
Jordan Propst.....	2009-10
Jonathan Ratledge.....	2007
Aaron Rawl.....	2004-05
Josh Reagan.....	2015
Steven Reinhold.....	2005-06-07
Jimmy Revan.....	2010
Matt Riddle.....	2000-01-03
Casey Rihn.....	2009
Dante Rosenberg.....	2013
Michael Roth.....	2010-11-12
Richard Royal.....	2009-10
Graham Saiko.....	2013
Alex Satterfield.....	2013
Max Schrock.....	2014-15
Reed Scott.....	2015
Stacy Stokes.....	1993-94
Rob Streicher.....	1996-97
Patrick Sullivan.....	2010-11-12-13
Sean Sullivan.....	2012-13
Ryan Szjwebka.....	1996-97
Brady Thomas.....	2009-10-11
Craig Thomas.....	2006-07-08-09
Steve Thomas.....	2000-01-02
Drake Thomason.....	2012
Brandon Todd.....	2006-08
Steven Tolleson.....	2004-05
Bryan Triplett.....	2004
Chase Vergason.....	2012-13
Matthew Vogel.....	2015
Rob Watson.....	1995-96-97
Tyler Webb.....	2012-13
Mac White.....	1993-94
Sean Wideberg.....	2007-08
Jake Williams.....	2010-11
Matt Wilson.....	1999-2000-01-02
Scott Wingo.....	2009-10
Jack Wynkoop.....	2014-15

SEC FIRST-YEAR ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL ALL-TIME MEMBERS

Name	Year
DC Arendas.....	2013
Austin Ashmore.....	2009
Will Atwood.....	2006
Parker Bangs.....	2007
Nolan Belcher.....	2009
Connor Bright.....	2012
Greg Brodzinski.....	2011
Alex Burrell.....	2008
Will Casey.....	2008
Mike Cisco.....	2006
Thatcher Coleman.....	2015
Gene Cone.....	2014
Seth Constable.....	2012
Banks Cromer.....	2015
Canaan Cropper.....	2014
Wil Crowe.....	2014
Andrew Cruse.....	2004
James Darnell.....	2006
Trey Delk.....	2005
Alex Destino.....	2015
Sam Dyson.....	2007
Tanner English.....	2012
Vince Fiori.....	2012
Grayson Greiner.....	2012
Evan Goldberg.....	2007
Patrick Harrington.....	2011
Greg Harrison.....	2010
Reese Havens.....	2006
Anthony Iacomini.....	2010
George Iskenderian.....	2013
Tyler Jackson.....	2013
Tyler Johnson.....	2015
Tommy King.....	2004
Logan Koch.....	2014
Conor Lalor.....	2003
Keegan Linza.....	2008
Chris Love.....	2007
Dan Luczak.....	2004
DeAngelo Mack.....	2006
Zack Madden.....	2014
Jared Martin.....	2015
Evan Marzilli.....	2010
Josh McDonald.....	2004
Whit Merrifield.....	2008
Jordan Montgomery.....	2012
John Parke.....	2014
Erik Payne.....	2011
Jonathan Ratledge.....	2006
James Rawls.....	2009
Steven Reinhold.....	2004
Jose Rodriguez.....	2008
Michael Roth.....	2009
Richard Royal.....	2008
Clarke Schmidt.....	2015
Max Schrock.....	2013
Clark Scolamiero.....	2015
Reed Scott.....	2014
Joel Seddon.....	2012
Jackson Smith.....	2014
Madison Stokes.....	2015
Craig Thomas.....	2005
Drake Thomason.....	2011
Steven Tolleson.....	2003
Brandon White.....	2005
Walker Whitley.....	2003
Jared Williams.....	2015
Jack Wynkoop.....	2013
Scott Wingo.....	2008

All-Time First Round/Supplemental MLB Draft Selections			
Year	Player	Overall	Team
2011	Jackie Bradley Jr. (OF)	Sup.No. 40	Red Sox
2008	Justin Smoak (1B)	No. 11	Rangers
2008	Reese Havens (SS)	No. 22	Mets
2004	Landon Powell (C)	No. 24	Athletics
2004	Matt Campbell (LHP)	No. 29	Royals
2002	Drew Meyer (SS)	No. 10	Rangers
1999	Brian Roberts (SS)	Sup.No. 50	Orioles
1998	Adam Everett (SS)	No. 12	Red Sox
1990	Brian Williams (RHP)	Sup.No. 31	Astros
1985	Mike Cook (RHP)	No. 19	Angels
1982	Joe Kucharski (RHP)	No. 24	Orioles
1977	Randy Martz (RHP)	No. 12	Cubs
1974	Eddie Ford (SS)	No. 20	Red Sox
<i>Earl Bass, Garry Hancock and Joe McCarthy all were first round picks in Secondary Phase drafts.</i>			

Year	Player	Round	Team
2015	Kyle Martin (1B)	4th	Phillies
	Jack Wynkoop (SP)	6th	Rockies
	Max Schrock (2B)	13th	Nationals
2014	Grayson Greiner (C)	3rd	Tigers
	Jordan Montgomery (P)	4th	Yankees
	Joey Pankake (3B)	7th	Tigers
	Tanner English (OF)	11th	Twins
	Joel Seddon (P)	11th	Athletics
2013	Evan Beal (P)	21st	Royals
	Tyler Webb (P)	10th	Yankees
	LB Dantzler (1B)	14th	Blue Jays
	Adam Westmoreland (P)	26th	Marlins
	Colby Holmes (P)	FA	Braves
2012	Dante Rosenberg (C)	FA	Cardinals
	Christian Walker (1B)	4th	Orioles
	Matt Price (P)	7th	Orioles
	Evan Marzilli (OF)	8th	Diamondbacks
	Michael Roth (P)	9th	Angels
2011	Adam Matthews (OF)	29th	Reds
	Jackie Bradley Jr. (OF)	1st-sup	Red Sox
	Scott Wingo (2B)	11th	Dodgers
	Peter Mooney (SS)	21st	Blue Jays
	John Taylor (P)	22nd	Mariners
2010	Bryan Harper (P)	30th	Nationals
	Steven Neff (P)	41st	Giants
	Adrian Morales (2B/3B)	49th	Royals
	Sam Dyson (P)	4th	Blue Jays
	Whit Merrifield (OF)	9th	Royals
2009	Blake Cooper (P)	12th	Diamondbacks
	Bobby Haney (SS)	21st	Giants
	Parker Bangs (P)	31st	Royals
	Jordan Propst (P)	49th	Royals
	Justin Dalles (C)	6th	Orioles
	DeAngelo Mack (OF)	13th	Yankees
	Alex Farotto (P)	34th	White Sox

Year	Player	Round	Team
2008	Justin Smoak (1B)	1st	Rangers
	Reese Havens (SS)	1st	Mets
	James Darnell (3B)	2nd	Padres
	Will Atwood (P)	12th	Nationals
	Phil Disher (C)	15th	Astros
2007	Brandon Todd (P)	36th	Marlins
	Mike Cisco (P)	36th	Phillies
	Travis Jones (2B)	7th	Braves
	Wynn Pelzer (P)	9th	Padres
	Harris Honeycutt (P)	10th	Reds
2006	Arik Hempy (P)	17th	Cubs
	Jeff Jeffords (P)	19th	Reds
	Trent Kline (C)	49th	Giants
	Andrew Cruse (P)	9th	Phillies
	Michael Campbell (OF)	20th	Padres
2005	Ian Paxton (C)	FA	Devil Rays
	Steven Tolleson (SS)	5th	Twins
	Steve Pearce (1B)	8th	Pirates
	Zac McCamie (P)	16th	Marlins
	Aaron Rawl (P)	17th	Phillies
2004	Davy Gregg (OF)	20th	Cubs
	Landon Powell (C)	1st	Athletics
	Matt Campbell (P)	1st	Royals
	Billy Buckner (P)	2nd	Royals
	Kevin Melillo (2B)	5th	Athletics
2003	Chad Blackwell (P)	6th	Royals
	Bryan Triplett (3B)	12th	Astros
	Brian Buscher (3B)	3rd	Giants
	David Marchbanks (P)	7th	Marlins
	Steven Bondurant (P)	15th	Athletics
2002	Justin Harris (SS)	16th	Pirates
	Jon Coutlangus (OF)	19th	Giants
	Chris Hernandez (P)	22nd	Pirates
	Drew Meyer (SS)	1st	Rangers
	Yaron Peters (1B)	10th	Braves
2001	Gary Bell (P)	10th	Yankees
	Garris Gonce (OF)	31st	Cardinals
	Blake Taylor (P)	39th	Indians
	Trey Dyson (1B)	FA	Royals
	John Wesley (P)	FA	Blue Jays
2000	Steven Whetstone (P)	FA	White Sox
	Marcus McBeth (OF)	4th	Athletics
	Kip Bouknicht (P)	13th	Rockies
	Bryon Jeffcoat (2B)	13th	Braves
	Brett Price (P)	14th	Athletics
1999	Michael Floyd (OF)	22nd	Phillies
	Tim Whittaker (C)	38th	Blue Jays
	Lee Gronkiewicz (P)	FA	Indians
	Tripp Kelly (1B)	FA	Athletics
	Peter Bauer (P)	2nd	Blue Jays
1998	Scott Barber (P)	6th	Diamondbacks
	Brandon Pack (C)	12th	Rangers
	Nate Janowicz (OF)	15th	Indians
	Clint Collins (P)	22nd	Reds
	Brian Roberts (2B)	1st-sup	Orioles
1997	Jason Pomar (P)	13th	Athletics
	Randy Hadden (P)	14th	Dodgers
	Adam Poe (OF)	42nd	Rangers
	Adam Everett (SS)	1st	Red Sox
	Mike Curry (OF)	6th	Royals
1996	Brett Jodie (P)	6th	Yankees
	Ryan Bordenick (C)	9th	Brewers
	Derick Urquhart (OF)	16th	Nationals
	Eric Stanton (3B)	43rd	Pirates
	Rob Streicher (C)	FA	Expos
1995	Jason Haynie (P)	11th	Pirates
	Brian Hucks (C)	31st	Reds
	J.J. Pearsall (P)	15th	Dodgers
	Jim Stoops (P)	FA	Giants
	Rob DeBoer (C)	8th	Athletics
1994	Mark Gugino (OF)	20th	Marlins
	Mac White (OF)	20th	Tigers
	Scott Pace	FA	Marlins

Year	Player	Round	Team
1993	Rich Pratt (P)	9th	White Sox
	Joe Biernat (SS)	60th	Cubs
	Jared Baker (P)	3rd	Padres
	D.T. Cromer (OF)	11th	Athletics
	Burke Cromer	FA	Braves
1992	Dave Willman	FA	Brewers
	Brian Lawler	FA	Phillies
	Sean Evans (P)	23rd	Pirates
	Brian Williams (P)	1st	Astros
	Skeets Thomas (OF)	25th	Cardinals
1991	Tripp Cromer (SS)	3rd	Cardinals
	Brian Rountree (P)	41st	Tigers
	Kenny Welch	FA	Indians
	Adrian Adkins	FA	Pirates
	Bobby Underwood	17th	Pirates
1990	Garrett Carter (3B)	FA	Braves
	Mike Songini	FA	Reds
	Dave Hollins (3B)	6th	Padres
	Jeff Barns (SS)	15th	Angels
	Rodney Richey (P)	28th	Blue Jays
1989	Brian Currie (P)	35th	Dodgers
	Lee Whatley	FA	Dodgers
	Riley Polk (2B)	28th	Indians
	Joe Datin (1B)	37th	Braves
	Mike Cook (P)	1st	Angels
1988	Rob Rinehart	FA	Mets
	Greg Morhardt (1B)	2nd	Twins
	Kent Anderson (SS)	4th	Angels
	Jim St. Laurent (OF)	18th	Rangers
	Phillip Wilson	FA	Twins
1987	Gary Parmenter	6th	Cubs
	Mark Calvert (P)	14th	Reds
	Mike Werner (P)	21st	Blue Jays
	Joe Kucharski (P)	1st	Orioles
	Dennis Lubert (P)	11th	Braves
1986	Robbie Vollmer (OF)	18th	Mariners
	Don Gordon (P)	31st	Tigers
	Kurt Korinek	FA	Royals
	Joe McCarthy (OF)	1st	Tigers
	Bobby Kish (P)	11th	Cardinals
1985	Rob Carraway	FA	Indians
	Rob Lowery	FA	Phillies
	Paul Hollins	FA	Mets
	Greg Jonson	FA	Royals
	Bill Landrum (P)	FA	Cubs
1984	Jeff Twitty (P)	25th	Royals
	Randy Martz (P)	1st	Cubs
	Mookie Wilson (OF)	2nd	Mets
	Mark Van Bever (2B)	7th	Orioles
	Ed Lynch (P)	22nd	Rangers
1983	Johnny Hinkel	FA	White Sox
	Mike Lebo	FA	Blue Jays
	Jim Lewis (P)	FA	Mariners
	Garry Hancock (OF)	1st	Indians
	Jim Pankovits (3B)	4th	Astros
1982	Greg Keatley (C)	5th	Cubs
	Tim Lewis (P)	8th	Yankees
	Steve Cook	FA	Orioles
	Earl Bass (P)	1st	Cardinals
	Hank Small (OF)	4th	Braves
1981	Greg Ward (P)	13th	Orioles
	Eddie Ford (SS)	1st	Red Sox
	John Gambrell (OF)	17th	Phillies
	Allen Johnson (P)	25th	Tigers
	Pete Carpenter	FA	Cardinals
1980	Billy Petoskey	FA	Phillies
	Buddy Caldwell	FA	Red Sox
	Butch Bolton	FA	Braves
	Gary Lance (P)	FA	Royals
	Toy McCord (SS)	9th	Angels
1979	Dan Scarpa	FA	Mets
	Larry Womack	FA	Yankees
	bold indicates played in Major League Baseball		

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

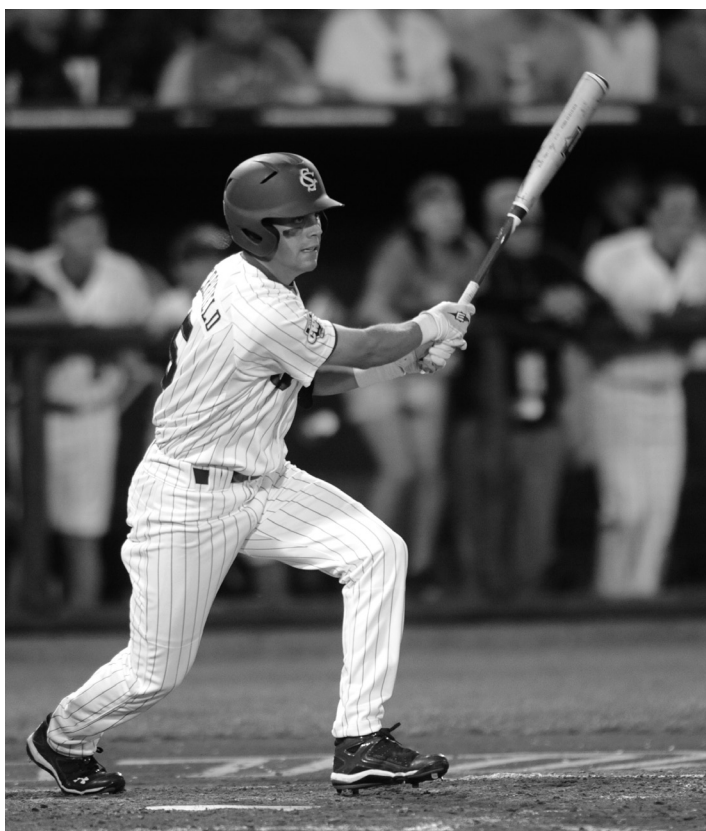
PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

Dreams do come true! For every Gamecock fan that believed, every Gamecock fan that cheered, the 2010 baseball season brought elation as South Carolina claimed the national championship after a 2-1 victory in 11 innings over UCLA. Whit Merrifield's one-out single to right field scored Scott Wingo with the winning run sending shockwaves from Omaha all the way back to Columbia.



JACKIE BRADLEY JR.
2010 College World Series
Most Outstanding Player



South Carolina became the first team in College World Series history to win six consecutive games on the way to a national title and closed out Rosenblatt Stadium in historic fashion.

With the game tied at 1-1 in the bottom of the 11th inning, Scott Wingo battled to a full count vs. UCLA reliever Dan Klein before drawing a leadoff walk. After a passed ball advanced Wingo to second base, the Gamecocks would bring the winning run 90 feet closer with Evan Marzilli setting down a sacrifice bunt that moved Wingo to third with one out and setting the stage for Merrifield.

After taking two pitches for balls, Merrifield came up with the game-winner as he roped a base hit down the right field line to score Wingo and clinch the national title for the Gamecocks.



An inspiration for the Gamecock baseball team was the courageous battle of Bayler Teal. Diagnosed in 2008 with neuroblastoma, Bayler went through intensive treatment and fought cancer every single day. In March of 2010, he was invited to throw out a ceremonial first pitch at Carolina Stadium. He never gave up and fought it every step up to his death on June 20, 2010 when he passed away just as the Gamecocks took the field vs. Oklahoma at the College World Series. Though his fight ended, Bayler's spirit lives on. It lived on every step of the way as the Gamecocks earned a spot in the National Championship Series. Following Bayler's death, the Teal Family was able to make it to Omaha for the National Championship Series against UCLA. Pictured above is his mother Risha Teal, his brother, Bridges and father Rob Teal. An angel in the outfield, Bayler was with the Gamecocks every step as Carolina brought home a national championship. We Miss You Bayler!

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS		2010 RESULTS	
STAFF	FEBRUARY		
	19	Duquesne	W, 10-3
	20	Duquesne	W, 13-3
	21	Duquesne	W, 5-3
	26	at East Carolina	W, 6-2
PLAYER PROFILES	27	at East Carolina	L, 4-3
	28	at East Carolina	L, 4-2
	MARCH		
	3	Presbyterian	W, 15-0
	5	at Clemson	L, 4-3
	6	vs. Clemson (Fluor Field)	W, 7-5
	7	Clemson	L, 19-6
	9	Valparaiso	W, 12-4
	10	Valparaiso	W, 7-3
	13	Brown	W, 8-4
	13	Brown (DH)	W, 10-7
	14	Brown	W, 6-5 (10)
	16	at Furman (Fluor Field)	W, 15-0
	17	Davidson	W, 8-3
	19	Tennessee	W, 4-2
OPPONENTS	20	Tennessee	W, 10-7
	21	Tennessee	W, 4-0
	23	at Georgia Southern	W, 8-5 (13)
	26	at Auburn	W, 11-5
	27	at Auburn	W, 2-0
	28	at Auburn	L, 10-6
	30	The Citadel	W, 10-1
	APRIL		
	2	Mississippi State	W, 10-2
	3	Mississippi State	L, 8-7
	4	Mississippi State	W, 14-2
	7	College of Charleston	W, 6-3
	9	at Vanderbilt	W, 3-2
	10	at Vanderbilt	L, 8-2
	11	at Vanderbilt	W, 2-0
14	at The Citadel	W, 10-4	
16	Ole Miss	W, 5-0	
17	Ole Miss	W, 9-5	
18	Ole Miss	L, 5-4	
SEASON IN REVIEW	20	USC Upstate	W, 4-2
	23	at Georgia	W, 11-4
	25	at Georgia	W, 5-0 (7)
	25	at Georgia	W, 8-7 (7)
	30	Alabama	W, 9-7 (11)
	MAY		
	1	Alabama	L, 6-4
	2	Alabama	W, 20-15
	5	Winthrop	W, 14-6
	7	at Kentucky	W, 13-9
	8	at Kentucky	L, 2-1
	9	at Kentucky	L, 9-3
	11	Wofford	W, 17-4
	12	Charleston Southern	W, 10-2
	14	at Arkansas	W, 3-2
15	at Arkansas	W, 5-0	
16	at Arkansas	W, 5-3	
HISTORY & RECORDS	18	Furman	W, 11-6
	20	Florida	L, 3-2
	21	Florida	L, 5-2
	22	Florida	W, 11-6
	SEC Tournament (Hoover, Ala.)		
	26	vs. Ole Miss	L, 3-0
	27	vs. Auburn	L, 3-1 (12)
	JUNE		
	NCAA Regional (Columbia, S.C.)		
	4	Bucknell	W, 9-5
	5	The Citadel	W, 9-4
	6	Virginia Tech	W, 10-2
	NCAA Super Regional (Myrtle Beach, S.C.)		
	12	at Coastal Carolina	W, 4-3
	13	at Coastal Carolina	W, 10-9
NCAA College World Series (Omaha, Neb.)			
20	vs. Oklahoma	L, 4-3	
22	vs. Arizona State	W, 11-4	
24	vs. Oklahoma	W, 3-2 (12)	
25	vs. Clemson	W, 5-1	
26	vs. Clemson	W, 4-3	
28	vs. UCLA	W, 7-1	
29	vs. UCLA	W, 2-1 (11)	

144

Omaha – that one name on the minds of 300-plus Division I schools, with dreams of a national championship. The opportunity to dog pile and be the last team standing after months of competition. Each season – teams fight, claw and battle to reach the pinnacle of college baseball. In this – the last season at Rosenblatt Stadium – South Carolina stood alone. With the index finger pointing No. 1, South Carolina's dream of a national title came true.

The 2010 South Carolina Gamecocks entered the year with a veteran corps returning both in the field and on the mound. Senior right-hander Blake Cooper and junior right-hander Sam Dyson anchored a pitching staff that returned 34 wins from the previous season. Add to that senior right-hander and captain Jay Brown, along with a solid group of newcomers in junior college transfers and freshmen and the Gamecocks looked to have one of the deepest pitching staffs in all of college baseball. Carolina's lineup also had a veteran presence with junior outfielder Whit Merrifield at the top of the order along with sophomore standout Jackie Bradley Jr. Up the middle defensively, the Gamecocks featured senior catcher and captain Kyle Enders along with senior shortstop Bobby Haney and junior second baseman Scott Wingo. A pair of newcomers, Adrian Morales at third base and Christian Walker at first base also figured in the mix, and there was reason of optimism in the locker room at Carolina Stadium.

Carolina opened the season with a series sweep of Duquesne. The Gamecocks earned victories of 10-3, 13-3 and 5-3 to start the season off with a 3-0 record. South Carolina was stellar on the mound as the pitching staff finished the opening weekend with a 3.00 ERA as well as 39 strikeouts in 27 innings pitched. Opening day starter Blake Cooper earned a win after five innings allowing two runs on three hits with seven strikeouts in the 10-3 victory.

The Gamecocks would go through a bit of adversity in the next couple of weekends though as the Gamecocks had losing weekends against ECU and Clemson. Despite the setbacks, the Gamecocks entered the middle of March focused on putting the series losses in the rearview mirror and looked forward knowing that the season is a marathon and not a sprint. In the middle of a two-game series with Valparaiso, Carolina junior right fielder Whit Merrifield set a school record, hitting safely in 26 consecutive games besting the previous record of 25 set by Greg Keatley.

The SEC season began at home for Carolina with the Gamecocks hosting SEC East rival Tennessee. In a sign of things to come, the Gamecocks battled and fought their way to three straight victories to sweep the Volunteers at Carolina Stadium. Carolina had wins of 4-2, 10-7 and 4-0, with game three highlighted by the pitching of Tyler Webb as he limited the Volunteers to one hit, a bunt single in the sixth inning by P.J. Polk, and tied a season-high with 5.2 innings pitched. Webb struck out six batters and walked three as well. Matt Price closed the game out with two perfect innings and three strikeouts to earn his first career save. For Webb's efforts, the Gamecock left-hander would earn SEC Freshman of the Week honors.

Riding high on an 11-game winning streak, the Gamecocks turned their attention to the road and took the weekend series against Auburn. Carolina returned home and took two of three games against Mississippi State. A 10-2 win over the Bulldogs saw Brady Thomas shine as the Gamecock designated hitter tallied a pair of two-run homers to back Blake Cooper, who pitched a season-high 8.1 innings in the win. Carolina would take the series in a 14-2 win over the Bulldogs on Easter Sunday. All nine starters reached base with eight of nine tallying at least one hit. Adrian Morales was 2-for-4 with a homer. Kyle Enders, Bobby Haney and Scott Wingo each had two hits. It was enough support for Matt Price, who entered the game in the fourth inning and shut down MSU until the ninth inning. Price allowed just two hits and struck out six batters to improve to 3-0 on the year.

Three up and three down, the Gamecock baseball team would take its show back on the road with a weekend tilt in Music City against Vanderbilt. Friday night Blake Cooper showed why he was the ace and among the top pitchers in the country as he bested Vandy right-hander Sonny Gray in a showdown of two of the top conference arms as the Gamecocks upended the Commodores 3-2. Following an 8-2 loss in game two, the Gamecocks looked to take the rubber game of the series as Jay Brown, Michael Roth and Matt Price combined to face the minimum on Sunday afternoon and recorded a two-hit shutout as the Gamecocks defeated Vanderbilt 2-0. With the victory, head coach Ray Tanner tallied 1,000 career victories.

Having won four consecutive series – the Gamecocks returned home for another weekend set in conference play – this time against the Ole Miss Rebels. The pitching matchup between Blake Cooper and Ole Miss starting pitcher Drew Pomeranz was everything as advertised as both staff aces put up zero after zero on the scoreboard through the night on a warm evening in Columbia, S.C. Pomeranz did not allow a hit until the sixth and Cooper retired 11 in a row at one point. Pomeranz left after seven innings allowing no runs on two hits with 10 strikeouts and four walks. It would be the eighth inning against the Rebels bullpen that would be when the Gamecocks made their move. Scott Wingo opened the frame with a leadoff walk against Ole Miss reliever Trent Rothlin. With reliever Brett Huber into the game, Whit Merrifield also walked to give the Gamecocks a pair of runners. Carolina then caught a break as Jackie Bradley Jr. laid down a sacrifice bunt with an errant throw by third baseman Zach Miller going past first baseman Miles Hamblin and allowing Wingo to score from second base. With Bradley on second and Merrifield on third with one out, the Rebels intentionally walked Nick Ebert to load the bases. Still with one out, Huber got the second out of the inning with a strikeout against Adam Matthews. However, it would be Adrian Morales that would strike with the key hit in the inning as he roped a double to right center clearing the bases and putting the Gamecocks ahead by four runs. Kyle Enders kept the momentum going as he tripled to right center then scoring Morales and giving the Gamecocks a 5-0 lead. That was enough for Cooper – who hurled a four-hit complete game shutout in the 5-0 victory. Cooper struck out a career-high 10 batters in the victory, his fifth complete game of his career but his first career complete game shutout. He allowed just four hits and one walk in the victory. He would pick up SEC Pitcher of the Week honors for his performance – the second straight week a Gamecock pitcher had earned the award.

Carolina followed up Cooper's masterpiece with a win on the next day to clinch the series vs. Ole Miss. Christian Walker's grand slam highlighted a seven-run second inning and starting pitcher Sam Dyson did not allow an earned run in 6.1 innings of work as South Carolina defeated Ole Miss 9-5.

The Gamecocks found success on the road in the next weekend with a series sweep of Georgia in Athens. Cooper improved to 8-0 on the year with a victory in the 11-4 win over Georgia on Friday night. Sophomore outfielder Jackie Bradley Jr. got it rolling this weekend vs. Georgia batting .538 (7-for-13) in the series with a homer, three RBI and five runs scored vs. the Bulldogs. Bradley reached base five times with four hits including a homer and a game-winning RBI single in the top of the seventh inning as South Carolina held on for an 8-7 victory over Georgia in game two of the doubleheader. His four hits was a season-high as well. For the third straight week – a Gamecock pitcher earned conference pitcher of the week honors. In a 5-0 complete game shutout, Dyson finished with 69 strikes out of 96 pitches and allowed just one runner from Georgia to get in scoring position in the seven-inning shutout. All 21 putouts by the Gamecock came from the diamond, as Dyson struck out five batters and recorded 14 ground ball outs. The win was the first complete game shutout of Dyson's career.

Things would get crazy the next week as Carolina hosted Alabama at Carolina Stadium. Brady Thomas connected with a two-out, two-run homer in the bottom of the 11th inning lifting South Carolina to a 9-7 victory over Alabama on Friday night. After falling on Saturday to the Crimson Tide, the Gamecocks won the rubber game over Alabama as South Carolina pounded out a season-high 25 hits setting a Carolina Stadium record for hits in a game with Kyle Enders driving in a career-high five runs on five hits and Brady Thomas batting 3-for-3 with four RBI as well as the Gamecocks defeated Alabama 20-15. Eight Gamecock players tallied multi-hit games. Enders became the first Gamecock player for the season to tally five hits in a game, a career-high for the senior catcher. He also hit his first home run of the season. Thomas' 3-for-3 day at the plate saw him tally his sixth home run of the year and second of the series. He also scored four runs on the afternoon. Whit Merrifield finished 3-for-4 with two runs scored and a RBI. Adam Matthews was 2-for-3 with two RBI with Evan Marzilli tallying two RBI with his first career home run. Jackie Bradley Jr. was 2-for-3 with a homer, three RBI and three runs scored.

With a 16-8 record in SEC play, the Gamecocks had two conference series left and headed to Fayetteville, Ark., with a three-game series against SEC-West leading Arkansas. The series proved to be one of the top weekends for the season as the Gamecocks swept the Razorbacks on their home turf at Baum Stadium. Jackie Bradley Jr.'s one-out double in the top of the seventh inning broke a 2-2 tie and Gamecock starting pitcher Blake Cooper allowed just two runs on three hits in seven innings of work to improve to 10-0 on the year as South Carolina defeated Arkansas 3-2 in the first game. After Cooper's outing, the Gamecocks got another solid start – this from Sam Dyson, who pitched a complete game shutout with the offense backed by a two-run homer by Brady Thomas as the Gamecocks defeated Arkansas 5-0 on Saturday afternoon to clinch the weekend series vs. the Razorbacks. Dyson had a tremendous outing as he limited the Razorbacks to just six hits and walked only two on the afternoon. He struck out eight batters and went to only three three-ball counts in the game. With two victories in the book, Carolina went for the sweep. Trailing 3-2, the Gamecocks made their move in the top of the eighth inning. With reliever Jordan Pratt into the game for Arkansas, leadoff hitter Scott Wingo drew a walk on four pitches. With a full count, Whit Merrifield drove a two-run homer to left center for his second homer of the game and 12th of the season giving the Gamecocks a one-run lead. The Gamecocks added some key insurance as Adrian Morales drove a solo homer to left center, his fifth of the season to give South Carolina a 5-3 lead. That was enough for freshman Matt Price, who handcuffed the Razorbacks in 1.1 innings of relief to pick up a save, his seventh of the season and second of the series. The series sweep set the stage for a weekend series vs. Florida with the winner claiming the SEC championship.

8,188 fans came out for game one at Carolina Stadium as Florida scored three runs in the third and fourth innings and three Gator relievers combined to limit the Gamecocks to just one run in the final 5.2 innings as Florida defeated South Carolina 3-2 in the series opener.

The buzz was still going strong in Columbia for game two as the Gamecocks honored the 2010 Senior Class before the contest. In addition, the Gamecocks saw one of their own perform at the highest level – not with a baseball – but with an electric guitar – as freshman outfielder Evan Marzilli showed his musical chops with a strong ballad of the National Anthem before the game. In front of a sellout crowd of 8,242 fans, the largest in Carolina Stadium history, Carolina and Florida stood at 2-2 entering the top of the seventh. The Gators made their move in the top of the seventh as Brian Johnson led off with a single. With pinch runner Bryson Smith into the game, Florida's Daniel Pigott set a down a sacrifice bunt. On the play, South Carolina starting pitcher Sam Dyson threw to second base but Smith beat the throw to the bag giving the Gators a pair of runners. After a sacrifice bunt by Ben McMahan, Dyson battled for Carolina as he struck out Tyler Thompson to get the second out of the inning. With runners still in scoring position and two outs, Adams connected on a 1-1 pitch with a double to the gap in right center scoring both runners and giving the Gators a two-run cushion. That lead was extended to 5-2 in the ninth inning as Adams again delivered with two outs with a RBI single to right field scoring McMahan, who reached base earlier on a Gamecock error. Florida would then claim the championship for the Southeastern Conference as Kevin Chapman worked the final 1.2 innings and closed out the Gators 5-2 win.

Although Carolina did not win the SEC championship, the squad bounced back in the final regular season game of the year with an 11-6 win over Florida in the series finale. Jackie Bradley Jr. hit a grand slam home run and Adam Matthews tallied three hits and homered for the second straight day. The win showed tremendous resolve for Carolina, as the Gamecocks and Florida showed why they were the top two teams in the conference. With the SEC title in the background, Carolina set its attention toward the ultimate goal – a trip to Omaha and a chance to play for a national championship.

NCAA REGIONAL RECAP

Following a disappointing 0-2 finish at the SEC Tournament, the Gamecocks went back to work in Columbia. Going back to the basics, Carolina worked on fundamentals and reestablishing what helped bring the team one game within an SEC championship in the regular season. With a renewed set of confidence and excitement in the air, the Gamecock baseball program hosted one of the 16-team NCAA regionals that featured No. 2 seed Virginia Tech, No. 3 seed The Citadel and No. 4 seed Bucknell.

In game one, Bucknell got off to a fast start and broke out to a 5-1 lead heading into the bottom of the sixth inning. The Gamecocks would cut the Bison lead in half with a two-out rally in the sixth. A one-out double from Adrian Morales set the table, for Evan Marzilli to hit a HR over the right-field wall to bring in two runs and reduce the deficit to 5-3. The Carolina offense finally exploded in the eighth inning. Bradley put South Carolina on top for the first time all night with one swing of the bat, launching a home run just over the left-field wall to score Merrifield in the bottom of the eighth, giving the Gamecocks a 6-5 lead. Morales blasted a three-run homer to left to give the Gamecocks a 9-5 lead they would not relinquish as Michael Roth would retire the side in order in the ninth.

In the winner's bracket, it would be an All-Palmetto State affair in game two with the Gamecocks meeting The Citadel on a hot Saturday evening at Carolina Stadium. The contest featured two of the top pitchers in the country with Blake Cooper on the mound for Carolina and The Citadel going with junior right-hander Asher Wojciechowski. The Bulldogs held a 4-2 advantage but South Carolina finally got to Wojciechowski in the seventh inning. With one out, head coach Ray Tanner elected to go with left-handed pinch-hitter Evan Marzilli and the freshman came through in a big way, lacing a base hit to right field to plate Haney and Wingo, tying the game at 4-4. Then, with two outs, Thomas singled up the middle, moving Marzilli to third. Thomas would then try to force a balk by taking off early from first, but Wojciechowski never flinched as the Carolina catcher took second without a throw. Clearly rattled at that point, a subsequent Wojciechowski pitch slipped out of his hand and sailed to the backstop, allowing Marzilli to score from third to give Carolina a 5-4 lead.

Overall:	54-16
Non-Conference Record:.....	33-7
SEC Record: (denotes conf. games only)	21-9
At Home:	30-6
On Road:	17-7
Neutral:.....	7-3
At Home (SEC):	10-5
On Road (SEC):.....	11-4
At Home (Non-Conference):	20-1
On Road (Non-Conference):	6-3
Neutral Site (Non-Conference):	7-3
In Extra Inning Games:	5-1
Vs. Top 25 Teams:	20-10
In February:	4-2
In March:	16-3
In April:	13-3
In May:	10-7
In June:	11-1
Playing a day game:	25-12
Playing a night game:	29-4
In one-run game:	9-7
In two-run game:	8-3
In games decided by three runs or less:	21-12
In five + run game:	26-3
When Scoring First:	36-6
When Opponent Scores First:	18-10
When Leading Entering the 7th Inn.:	41-1
When Trailing Entering the 7th Inn.:	6-12
When Tied Entering the 7th Inn.:	7-3
When Scoring 10+ Runs:	23-0
When Allowing 10+ Runs:	1-2
When Scoring 5 runs or less:	17-13
When Allowing 5 runs or less:	44-10
When out-hitting opponent:	45-5
When matching opponent with hits:	5-3
When out-hit by opponent:	4-8
When hitting at least one home run:	40-9
vs. Starting LHP:	20-7
vs. Starting RHP:	34-9
On Monday:	1-0
On Tuesday:	9-0
On Wednesday:	7-1
On Thursday:	1-2
On Friday:	13-2
On Saturday:	12-5
On Sunday:	11-6
Wearing white uniforms/black trim:	2-3
Wearing white pinstripes/garnet trim:	16-0
Wearing white uniforms/garnet trim:	6-2
Wearing black jersey/white:	2-0
Wearing black jersey/grey:	1-1
Wearing garnet jersey/white:	8-2
Wearing garnet jersey/grey:	8-3
Wearing grey uniforms/black trim:	9-2
Wearing grey pinstripes/garnet trim:	3-2

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

Morales delivered an RBI double into the right-field corner, scoring Thomas to make it 6-4 Gamecocks and chasing the Citadel ace from the game. Christian Walker then ripped another double into the gap in left center to bring home Morales, making it 7-4 Gamecocks. Cooper struck out a career-high 12 batters, and South Carolina defeated The Citadel 9-4 to advance to the regional championship.

One win away from a trip to the NCAA super regionals, the Gamecocks had one team left to defeat – Virginia Tech, who staved off elimination against The Citadel. Virginia Tech struck first. A walk to Michael Seaborn brought up Steve Domecus, who launched his 13th home run of the season to give the Hokies an early 2-0 lead.

The Gamecocks got on the board in the fourth when Brady Thomas and Christian Walker both laced doubles, with the latter scoring the former to cut the deficit to 2-1. An inning later, the Gamecocks would add another to tie the score on Jackie Bradley Jr.'s RBI sacrifice fly.

As had been their custom during this regional, South Carolina broke it open in the late innings. For it was the sixth inning this time, after first baseman Christian Walker and Kyle Enders delivered back-to-back singles, a Bobby Haney fly ball advanced Walker to third and brought up second baseman Scott Wingo with two outs. The junior delivered his first RBI in a month as he drove a 2-2 pitch into right field, scoring Walker to give the Gamecocks a 3-2 lead. But they were not done. Marzilli ripped his third hit of the night (a career high) to score Enders, and Wingo came across after Whit Merrifield delivered an RBI single of his own to make it 5-2 and end Virginia Tech starter Matthew Price's night on the mound.

But a new pitcher for the Hokies would receive a rude welcome from Bradley as he roped the third pitch he saw over the right-field wall to blow the game wide open, scoring Marzilli and Merrifield to make it 8-2 and energize the Carolina Stadium crowd of 6,233. While Jose Mata kept Virginia Tech at bay, the Gamecocks would tack on two more runs in the seventh and eighth innings. Mata would then work a scoreless eighth, while Michael Roth shut the door with a perfect ninth to clinch the regional championship for Carolina.

Six Gamecocks were named to the All-Tournament team for the 2010 NCAA Regional - C Kyle Enders, 3B Adrian Morales, OF Jackie Bradley Jr., OF Evan Marzilli, DH Brady Thomas and P Blake Cooper.

Adrian Morales was the NCAA Regional MVP along with earning All-Tournament team honors. Morales hit a homer in all three games of the Regional and finished the weekend batting .500 (7-for-14) with five runs scored, and seven RBI as well.

NCAA SUPER REGIONAL RECAP

Down to the final 16 teams in the country, the Gamecocks headed east for a NCAA Super Regional showdown with the No. 4 national seed, Coastal Carolina. It was hot and humid as BB&T Coastal Field filled up with both Gamecock and Chanticleer fans in the stands to see both teams battle with a trip to Omaha on the line.

Carolina sent ace Blake Cooper to the mound with Coastal going with left-hander Matt Rein. South Carolina jumped on Coastal early with three runs in the top of the first inning. Whit Merrifield reached base with one out on a throwing error by Rein. Rein then struggled with control as he walked Jackie Bradley Jr. and hit Adrian Morales to load the bases with one out. Christian Walker delivered for South Carolina as he smacked a two-run single to left field giving the Gamecocks the lead. After a walk to Adam Matthews loaded the bases a second time, Kyle Enders drove in Morales with a RBI sacrifice fly to right field to put South Carolina ahead 3-0. South Carolina extended the lead to 4-0 in the top of the second inning, with one out and the bags full, Jackie Bradley Jr. walked to score Haney.

Coastal cut that lead in half in the bottom of the second inning on a two-run homer from Daniel Bowman. The Chanticleers crept to within a run in the bottom of the fourth on the back of three consecutive hits from Tommy LaStella, Jose Iglesias and Chance Gilmore. Gilmore's RBI bloop single to left field would score La Stella.

With South Carolina leading 4-3 heading into the fifth inning, the game became an intense, emotional affair as both teams pitchers battled to keep each other's offense in check. Coastal loaded the bases with one out in the sixth inning only to see Cooper get out of the jam on a double play ball that deflected off his glove and back to second baseman Scott Wingo who tagged the base at second and threw to first just nabbing Daniel Bowman and keeping the Gamecocks ahead by a run. The next moment of truth came in the eighth inning as Coastal had loaded the bases with no outs. Enter, Gamecock closer Matt Price, who battled, as he struck out Chance Gilmore swinging, got Taylor Motter on a called third strike and ended the frame with getting Bowman to ground out back to him to keep the Chanticleers from tying up the game. Coastal looked to make a score in the ninth inning off of reliever Matt Price. With one out, Adam Rice worked Price to a full count and drew a walk to give CCU a base runner. With two outs and Rice still on first base, Rico Noel just got a handle of a Price pitch and beat out an infield single that was down the third base line to put a pair of runners on base for Coastal. Price kept battling though and preserved the Gamecock victory as Tommy La Stella flew out to center field giving the Gamecocks a 4-3 victory.

With temperatures in the 90's and the heat index in triple digits, the Gamecocks and Chanticleers faced off again in game two of the super regional. Unlike the previous game, both squads would show off the offense in a back and forth affair that kept the fans on the edge of their seats.

Rico Noel gave Coastal Carolina a 1-0 lead in the top of the first inning with a solo home run off of starter Sam Dyson. South Carolina answered though in the bottom half and scored twice to take a 2-1 lead. Evan Marzilli led off with a double to left center. With Merrifield on second base, the Gamecocks scored their second run as Jackie Bradley Jr. extended his hitting streak to 16 games with a double over left fielder Chance Gilmore.

CCU regained the lead in the top of the second inning batting around to score four runs and take a 5-2 lead. Taylor Motter tied the game as he stroked a one-out solo homer to left field, his 12th home run of the year.

South Carolina fought back and tied the game at 5-5 in the bottom of the third with three runs and took advantage of a pair of Chanticleer errors in the process. All the scoring came with two outs as Morales drew a walk and Christian Walker reached base on third baseman Scott Woodward's fielding error. Adam Matthews delivered for the Gamecocks as he roped a RBI double down the left field line that plated home Morales with Walker also scoring. Carolina then tied it on Kyle Enders' RBI single up the middle.

Coastal regained the lead in the top of the fourth with a single run. With two outs and Rich Witten on second base, the Chanticleers caught their own breaks with a hit by pitch to Rico Noel followed by consecutive walks to Tommy La Stella as well as Jose Iglesias that plated home Witten. That lead was extended in the top of the sixth to 7-5 as Adam Rice led off with a single and with two outs scored on Tommy La Stella's RBI single to right field.

South Carolina answered in the bottom half of the sixth to tie the game at 7-7. Bobby Haney drew a leadoff walk and after Scott Wingo's sacrifice bunt would score on pinch hitter Nick Ebert's RBI base hit to right center. With two outs and runners on the corners, pinch-runner Robert Beary scored as a throwing error by third baseman Scott Woodward allowed the Gamecocks to even the game.

CCU struck again in the top of the seventh inning as Bowman launched a two-out solo home run to left field that gave Coastal an 8-7 lead. They would increase the advantage to 9-7 in the top of the eighth as Scott Woodward reached base with one out, and later score on Jose Iglesias' RBI base hit to left field. With the Gamecocks trailing by a pair of runs in the eighth, South Carolina mounted a two-out rally against Coastal closer Austin Fleet with a walk to Jackie Bradley Jr. and a double by Adrian Morales. That set the stage for Christian Walker, who after taking a pair of strikes and a ball, launched his seventh home run of the season giving the Gamecocks a one-run lead. With Gamecock reliever Matt Price on the mound, Carolina closed the game, as Price retired all three batters he faced including a ground out by Rich Witten to end the game and setting off a dog pile on the mound by the Gamecock players.

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES RECAP

South Carolina headed to the College World Series for the ninth time in school history. After arriving in Omaha, the Gamecocks immediately made a special trip to Rosenblatt Stadium before heading to the team hotel, just to get a glimpse at the setting where college baseball's national championship would be crowned.

Eight teams with four on each side of the bracket would do battle with one emerging as champion. Carolina's bracket featured Big 12 contender Oklahoma, No. 1 national seed Arizona State and Palmetto State rival Clemson.

OKLAHOMA (4), SOUTH CAROLINA (3)

The Gamecocks would open up CWS play vs. the Sooners. It was a wild day at Rosenblatt Stadium as the start time was delayed four hours and 15 minutes by rain with an additional two hour and one minute delay just before the start of the bottom of the sixth inning as well. Oklahoma broke ahead 1-0 in the bottom of the first inning. Chris Ellison led off with a single and was sacrificed over to second base. With two outs and Ellison still on second, the Sooners grabbed the lead on a RBI single to right center by Tyler Ogle. Carolina struck back quickly to tie it at 1-1 in the top of the second inning as Christian Walker led off with a solo home run to left center, his eighth homer of the year. Walker crushed a 1-0 pitch from Rocha for his second consecutive home run in as many at bats. The Sooners reclaimed the lead in the bottom of the second with Caleb Bushyhead delivering a solo home run to right field, his sixth round tripper of the year as Oklahoma went back ahead 2-1 on the Gamecocks. Carolina again answered with a home run as Jackie Bradley Jr. tagged his 12th homer of the season to right field knotting the game at two apiece in the top of the fourth. Oklahoma would again reclaim the lead with a single run in the bottom of the fourth inning. Cody Reine opened the frame with a single and was sacrificed over. With two outs and Reine on second base, Bushyhead drove in his second run of the game with a RBI single down the right field line. Trailing 3-2 in the top of the eighth inning, South Carolina looked to tie the game up loading the bases with a one-out single by Whit Merrifield and a pair of two-out walks to Adrian Morales and Christian Walker. Oklahoma reliever Jeremy Erben was able to get out of the jam though as Brady Thomas lined a hard shot into right field that was corralled by Cody Reine. Oklahoma got some important insurance in the bottom of the eighth on Bucechele's solo home run to take a two-run lead. Carolina again battled in the top of the ninth as Kyle Enders singled to left field followed by a base hit to right field by pinch hitter Robert Beary. With one out, the Gamecocks then loaded the bases on a walk to Evan Marzilli. Oklahoma

reliever Ryan Duke got the second out of the inning with Whit Merrifield popping up to Buechele in follow territory right near third base. Down to its final out, Carolina's Jackie Bradley Jr. walked on four pitches scoring Enders and cutting the Sooners lead to just one run. Duke however stayed composed and was able to get Adrian Morales to fly out to center field ending the game and giving Oklahoma the victory.

SOUTH CAROLINA (11), ARIZONA STATE (4)

With their backs against the wall, the Gamecocks returned to the field in an elimination game against No. 1 national seed Arizona State. South Carolina pounded out eight runs on eight hits in the bottom of the second inning and starting pitcher Sam Dyson had a quality start with 7.1 innings of work as the Gamecocks defeated Arizona State 11-4.

The big frame for South Carolina was the second inning as the Gamecock bats struck for eight hits, the most hits in an inning for Carolina this year as South Carolina broke ahead 8-0 on Arizona State. Adrian Morales and Kyle Enders each singled to start things off for Carolina. With both runners on first and second base and one out, Scott Wingo drove a RBI double down the left field line scoring both Morales and Enders. It marked Wingo's first multi-RBI game since April 30 vs. Alabama. After an Evan Marzilli single, Whit Merrifield knocked a RBI single over the first baseman's head allowing Wingo to score and increasing Carolina's lead to 3-0. Jackie Bradley Jr. had the big hit in the inning then as he drove a three-run homer to left center for his team-leading 13th round tripper of the year and his second of the College World Series. That wouldn't be the only home run of the inning though as Morales connected with a two-run blast to left field off the foul pole giving Carolina the eight-run cushion. That home run was also Morales' second hit of the inning and his ninth home run of the year.

Carolina increased the advantage to 10-0 in the third inning. Bobby Haney led off with a double followed by a walk to Wingo and Marzilli reaching on a hit by pitch. With one out, the Gamecocks scored as Bradley also reached base on a hit by pitch that scored Wingo. That was followed up by a walk to Christian Walker scoring Marzilli.

All nine position starters reached base at least once with eight of nine tallying at least one hit.

SOUTH CAROLINA (3), OKLAHOMA (2) (12 innings)

Having survived one elimination contest, the Gamecocks earned the right to face Oklahoma for a second time in another match-up that would send the loser home with the winner surviving another day. Just like the previous game, both South Carolina and Oklahoma battled each other to the fullest with neither team being able to muster much offense.

Both Gamecock starting pitcher Blake Cooper and Oklahoma starter Zach Neal had quality starts and kept each of their respective teams in position to win the game. Cooper worked 5.2 innings allowing just one run on four hits with six strikeouts and two walks. Neal lasted seven-plus inning and yielded one run on five hits with seven strikeouts and a walk.

It was a dramatic night at Rosenblatt Stadium with both teams battling back and forth with the result in question until the final play. After Oklahoma took a 2-1 lead in the top of the 12th on a solo home run by Tyler Ogle, the Gamecocks made their move as Robert Beary singled to open the frame and give the Gamecocks the tying run on the base paths. With two outs and Beary on second base in scoring position, Jackie Bradley Jr. battled Oklahoma closer Ryan Duke to a full count before lacing a RBI single past Oklahoma's diving first baseman Cameron Seitzer to score Beary and tie the game. Jeffery Jones then walked moving Bradley into scoring position setting the stage for Brady Thomas, who roped the first pitch he saw from Duke up the middle for a RBI single to win the game and setting off a celebration among the Gamecock players on the field.

Down to the final strike and possibly the end of the season, the Gamecocks earned a 3-2 win over Oklahoma to advance to the final four teams at the 2010 College World Series. Carolina's next opponent – a team from right down the road in the state – Clemson.

SOUTH CAROLINA (5), CLEMSON (1)

South Carolina – Clemson – One of college baseball's greatest rivalries on the national stage with the winner getting a shot at a national championship. The path for Carolina was simple – win two or go home with the Tigers just needing one game to advance to play for the title.

With starting pitchers Blake Cooper and Sam Dyson both unavailable, Carolina turned to an unlikely pitcher to face Clemson. Left-handed reliever Michael Roth received the ball for the next game against the Tigers – his first start of the season.

In what could only be described as "the game of his life", Roth controlled Clemson from the get go and kept them off base for pretty much the entire contest as he hurled a three-hit complete game and was backed by an offense that included a home run by Kyle Enders and two RBI by Jackie Bradley Jr. as South Carolina defeated Clemson 5-1 to force one more game between the two schools. Roth was masterful throughout the evening as he limited the Tigers to just one double and a pair of singles. Roth, making only his third start of his career, went the distance and allowed just one

run while striking out four batters and walking just one. Along with the four strikeouts, he had 16 ground ball outs and six fly outs. He is now 2-1 on the year.

The Gamecocks broke ahead 1-0 in the top of the first inning. Evan Marzilli led off with a double down the left field line and with one out scored on Jackie Bradley Jr.'s RBI groundout to the shortstop. That lead increased to 2-0 in the second inning as Brady Thomas led off with a double of his own and scored on Adrian Morales' RBI single to right field. It was pushed to 3-0 in the top of the third as Marzilli drew a walk and after stealing second base, scored on Bradley's RBI double to the gap in left center.

Clemson got on the scoreboard in the bottom of the third inning to cut Carolina's lead to 3-1 as Richie Shaffer doubled to open the frame and with one out scored on a passed ball issued by catcher Kyle Enders. South Carolina reclaimed a three-run cushion in the top of the fourth inning as Enders launched a two-out solo homer to left field, his third round tripper of the year giving Carolina a 4-1 advantage. After a scoreless fifth inning, Enders drove in his second run of the game with a two-out RBI base hit in the top of the sixth to score Thomas and extend the lead to 5-1 against the Tigers. Clemson's looked to rally in the eighth inning but could not get on the scoreboard again vs. Roth. With two runners on and one out, Roth induced a fielder's choice and then a fly out to hold the Tigers at bay.

The Gamecocks played with heavy hearts that evening as one of the team's biggest fans – seven-year old Bayler Teal – had lost his battle with cancer the night before. Many players, including Roth, sported the letters BT – in honor of Bayler – on their ball cap.

SOUTH CAROLINA (4) CLEMSON (3)

Drama – suspense – just a couple of ways to describe the College World Series for the Gamecocks. It would be more the same in the next contest, as South Carolina and Clemson fought toe to toe to earn the right to face UCLA in the CWS championship finals. South Carolina broke ahead 1-0 in the bottom of the first inning. Three consecutive singles by Evan Marzilli, Whit Merrifield and Jackie Bradley Jr. put the Gamecocks in position to score. Harman limited the damage though as he induced Christian Walker into a 4-6-3 double play that scored Marzilli.

Clemson would tie the game 1-1 in the top of the third inning. Will Lamb reached base on a hit by pitch and advanced to third on Mike Freeman's single to right center. Lamb scored on a RBI fielder's choice off the bat of Schaus. Dyson would limit the damage for Carolina as well though as he struck out John Hinson swinging with two runners on to maintain the tie. Carolina regained the lead at 2-1 in the bottom of the fourth inning on a solo home run from Walker, his ninth of the season and third of the NCAA Tournament. Walker crushed a 2-2 pitch from Harman over the wall in left center to give the Gamecocks a one-run lead. Clemson tied it at 2-2 in the seventh inning as the Tigers scored after a fielder's choice on a throwing error by second baseman Scott Wingo.

A see-saw affair saw the Gamecocks and Tigers knotted at two apiece heading into the bottom of the seventh inning. That's when Carolina made its final move as Evan Marzilli reached base with one out on a hit by pitch against Clemson starter Casey Harman. With Alex Frederick in relief for Clemson, Whit Merrifield struck out swinging. However, on the play, Marzilli stole second base and advanced on a throwing error by Clemson catcher Spencer Kieboom. With Marzilli in scoring position, Clemson elected to intentionally walk Jackie Bradley Jr. that brought Christina Walker up to the plate. On Frederick's 3-1 pitch, Walker roped a RBI single to left center scoring Marzilli and giving the Gamecocks a one-run lead. That was followed up by a RBI base hit by Adrian Morales scoring Bradley and putting the Gamecocks ahead 4-2. With Carolina ahead by two runs, the Tigers mounted a rally as John Hinson reached base on a triple to right after both Merrifield and Wingo collided going for the ball. Hinson would then score on Brad Miller's RBI ground out to bring the Tigers back within a run. Clemson mounted one final rally in the top of the ninth as Mike Freeman reached base with two outs on a single up the middle. But Matt Price kept the game in check and was able to get Jeff Schaus to ground out on a sharp ground ball to first baseman Christian Walker preserving a victory for the Gamecocks.

Just a few months before this game – Clemson had edged out the Gamecocks 2-1 in a weekend series. With a pair of victories in Omaha, the Gamecocks came out on top in 2010 with a 3-2 edge in wins over the Tigers. Most important – the Gamecocks survived and advanced to face UCLA in the championship series.

SOUTH CAROLINA (7) UCLA (1)

Heading into the championship series, South Carolina and UCLA had only one previous meeting in each school's history, when the Bruins defeated the Gamecocks on March 23, 1972, 10-4 in a tournament in Riverside, Calif.

The scenario was a little bit different now though – as a champion would be crowned – in this the final series to be played at historic Rosenblatt Stadium.

For game one, South Carolina would send senior right-hander Blake Cooper to the hill. Cooper is 12-2 on the year with a 2.86 ERA with a team-high 129.0 innings pitched. He has 116 strikeouts to just 38 walks. In the postseason, Cooper owns a 2-1 record with a 2.52 ERA in 25 innings pitched. He faces off against UCLA sophomore right-hander Gerrit Cole (11-3, 3.26 ERA).

As he did all season, Cooper showcased why he was one of the top pitchers in the country. On three days rest, Cooper had a strong game as he worked in and out and kept the UCLA batters in check for most the evening allowing just one hit in his first eight innings of work.

While Cooper masterfully set down the UCLA offense, the Gamecocks started strong out of the gates with the bats breaking out to a 2-0 lead in the top of the first inning. Jackie Bradley Jr. bunted for a base hit with two outs followed by a single to left center by Christian Walker. Bradley scored Carolina's first run as Brady Thomas hit a check swing base hit down the left field line. The Gamecocks were then able to take advantage of a UCLA miscue as a ground ball off the bat of Adrian Morales went through the legs of second baseman Cody Regis allowing Walker to score. Carolina increased the lead to 3-0 in the top of the second as Scott Wingo tripled down the left field line with one out and scored on Evan Marzilli's RBI base hit to right field. It would then be extended to 5-0 in the top of the third as Haney delivered with a two-out RBI single that scored both Morales and Thomas.

Carolina added single runs in the fifth and eighth innings. Haney drove in his third run with a sacrifice fly RBI to score Morales and Merrifield collected a two-out RBI single in the eighth that plated home Wingo. UCLA completed the scoring in the ninth inning with a run as they loaded the bases with no outs and scored on a double play ball off the bat of Trevor Brown.

Cooper handed the ball off to John Taylor in the ninth inning, who got the final three outs of the game to preserve the win. Final score – South Carolina 7, UCLA 1. Cooper improved to 13-2 on the year and earned his 34th career victory at South Carolina, tying him for fourth all-time in school history. Most important – he had brought his team one step closer to a national title!

SOUTH CAROLINA (2) UCLA (1) (11 INN.)

The dream began in August – fall workouts – skill work – offseason strength and conditioning – all the blood, sweat and tears – all the hard work – for this one chance – to be crowned – NATIONAL CHAMPION. With that dream so close – but yet so far – head coach Ray Tanner and the Gamecocks rolled the dice again – sending left-hander Michael Roth out to start his second game of the College World Series.

Roth and UCLA's Rob Rasmussen locked up in tight duel as neither offense could muster much against the pair of left-handers. It would be UCLA that would break a scoreless tie with a run in the fifth inning. Trevor Brown led off with an infield single, moved to second on a sacrifice bunt and scored on Niko Gallego's RBI single to left.

Still trailing by a run, the Gamecocks finally tied the score in the bottom of eighth. Pinch-hitter Brady Thomas led off the frame with a solid single to center. Pinch-runner Robert Beary went to second on a ground out and scored when Bobby Haney's grounder ended up in right field after being misplayed by UCLA first baseman Dean Espy and eluding second baseman Cody Regis.

Deadlocked at 1-1, Carolina went back to the bullpen with right-hander Matt Price. Similar to his previous outings in the postseason, Price showed why he was one of the most dominant closers in the game as he kept the Bruins in check, not allowing one runner to cross the plate for UCLA. With the bases loaded and two outs in the ninth, Price got his biggest out of the game with a strikeout against Niko Gallego that set off a thundering applause among the 24,000-plus fans in Rosenblatt Stadium.

With Price giving the Gamecocks momentum, Carolina looked to end the game in the bottom of the 11th inning. Scott Wingo battled UCLA closer Dan Klein to a full count and earned a walk. Carolina then caught a break as a passed ball allowed Wingo to reach second base and get into scoring position with no outs. He would get 90 feet closer then as Evan Marzilli layed down a perfect sacrifice bunt putting Wingo at third base and bringing the fans to their feet.

With a 2-0 count, Whit Merrifield stood in the batter's box and laced a RBI single to right field scoring Wingo and clinching the national championship.

DREAMS DO COME TRUE - NATIONAL CHAMPIONS!

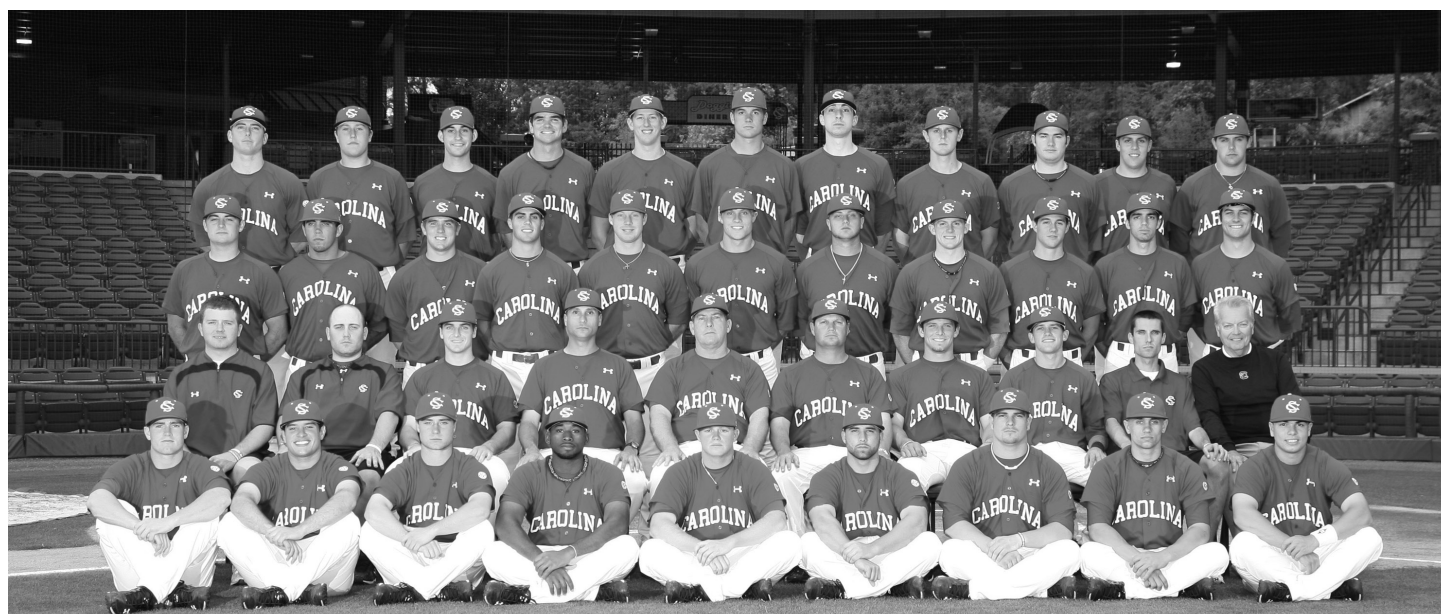
2010 Roster

3	Adrian Morales	INF
4	Robert Beary	OF/C
5	Whit Merrifield	OF
6	Jeffery Jones	1B
7	Richard Royal	C
8	Scott Wingo	INF
9	Steven Neff	LHP/OF
10	Anthony Iacomini	INF
12	Jimmy Revan	LHP
13	Christian Walker	1B/3B
14	John Taylor	RHP
15	Nolan Belcher	LHP
16	Austin Ashmore	OF

17	Jose Mata	RHP
18	Kyle Enders	C
19	Jackie Bradley Jr.	OF
20	Sam Dyson	RHP
21	Greg Harrison	RHP
22	Matt Price	RHP
23	Bobby Haney	INF
24	Brison Celek	C/1B
26	Adam Matthews	OF
27	Blake Cooper	RHP
29	Michael Roth	1B/LHP
31	Evan Marzilli	OF
32	Ethan Carter	RHP
33	Alex Burrell	LHP

34	Jordan Propst	RHP
36	Brady Thomas	C
37	Jay Brown	RHP
38	Tyler Webb	LHP
39	Patrick Sullivan	RHP
42	Parker Bangs	RHP/UT
44	Colby Holmes	RHP
47	Nick Ebert	1B

Head Coach: Ray Tanner
Associate Head Coach: Chad Holbrook
Assistant Coach: Mark Calvi
Assistant Coach: Sammy Esposito



South Carolina 9, Bucknell 5
June 4, 2010

Bucknell	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Allen, ss	5	0	0	0	0	1
LaRosa, c	4	0	0	0	0	1
Yoder, 2b	3	2	1	1	1	0
Brouse, rf	3	2	2	0	0	1
Shribman, 1b	4	1	1	1	0	2
Donato, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Constable, lf	3	0	1	1	1	1
Lamore, dh	3	0	0	0	0	2
Clark, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	34	5	6	3	2	12

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, rf	3	1	2	2	0	1
Bangs, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Roth, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Merrifield, 3b	3	1	2	1	1	0
Bradley Jr., cf	3	1	1	2	2	0
Walker, 1b	5	0	0	0	0	0
Matthews, lf	3	2	2	0	2	0
Thomas, c	3	0	0	0	0	0
Enders, c	1	0	0	0	1	0
Jones, dh	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wingo, ph/ss	1	1	1	0	0	0
Morales, 2b	5	2	3	3	0	1
Haney, ss	3	1	1	0	0	1
Beary, ph/rf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	36	9	14	9	6	5

Bucknell	000	203	000	5	6	0
SC	000	102	15X	9	14	3

E - Merrifield; Thomas; Wingo. DP - BU 1. LOB - BU 5; SC 13. 2B - Shribman; Merrifield; Morales. HR - Yoder; Marzilli; Bradley; Morales. HBP - Brouse; Marzilli; Merrifield; Wingo. SF - Beary. SB - Brouse; Matthews; Morales.

Bucknell	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Seeley	5.2	9	3	3	2	2
Ebner	1.0	2	1	1	2	1
Carlin	1.0	3	5	5	2	1
Hart	0.1	0	0	0	0	1

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Dyson	5.0	4	4	3	2	7
Mata	0.2	2	1	0	0	0
Roth	3.1	0	0	0	0	5

Win - Roth. Loss - Carlin.

WP - Dyson. HBP - by Seeley (Marzilli); by Seeley (Merrifield); by Dyson (Brouse); by Carlin (Wingo). BK - Seeley. Time: 2:58. Attendance: 6,712

South Carolina 9, The Citadel 4
June 5, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Merrifield, rf	5	0	1	0	0	3
Matthews, lf	2	0	0	0	1	2
Marzilli, ph/lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Thomas, dh	5	3	2	0	0	2
Morales, 3b	4	2	3	3	0	1
Walker, 1B	5	0	2	1	0	0
Enders, c	5	1	2	2	0	3
Haney, ss	5	1	2	2	0	3
Wingo, 2b	3	1	1	0	0	2
Totals	41	9	14	8	1	14

The Citadel	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Orvin, cf	5	0	1	0	0	2
Felder, dh	4	1	0	0	0	4
Simonelli, rf	3	2	1	0	1	1
Altman, 2b	3	1	3	3	0	0
Mackert, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	2
Jordan, ss	4	0	2	1	0	1
Greene, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Richards, c	4	0	0	0	0	2
Ladd, lf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	33	4	7	4	3	14

SC	020	000	502	9	14	1
CIT	000	130	000	4	7	1

E - Enders; Jordan. DP - SC 2. LOB - SC 8; CIT 6. 2B - Morales; Walker; Enders. HR - Morales; Enders; Altman. SB - Thomas. CS - Morales; Orvin.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cooper	7.1	6	4	0	3	12
Price	1.2	1	0	0	0	2

The Citadel	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Wojciechowski	6.2	9	7	7	1	11
Mahaffey	0.1	1	0	0	0	1
Reifsnider	2.0	4	2	2	0	2

Win - Cooper. Loss - Wojciechowski. Save - Price. WP - Wojciechowski (3). HBP - by Cooper (Altman); by Wojciechowski (Wingo); by Wojciechowski (Morales). BK - Wojciechowski. PB - Enders; Richards. Time - 2:45. Attendance - 7,418.

South Carolina 10, Virginia Tech 2
June 6, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	5	2	3	1	0	2
Merrifield, rf	5	2	2	1	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	3	1	1	4	1	0
Thomas, dh	5	1	1	0	0	1
Morales, 3b	5	1	1	1	0	1
Walker, 1b	5	1	3	1	0	0
Enders, c	4	1	2	0	0	0
Haney, ss	5	0	0	0	0	2
Wingo, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	0
Totals	41	10	14	9	1	6

Virginia Tech	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Ryan, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Seaborn, 2b	3	1	1	0	1	1
Domecus, dh	4	1	2	2	0	0
Wates, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Shaban, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2
Sosnoskie, B., lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Rash, rf	4	0	0	0	0	2
Sosnoskie, A., c	3	0	1	0	0	1
Zimmerman, ss	2	0	0	0	0	1
Blow, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Balisteri, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	6	2	1	7

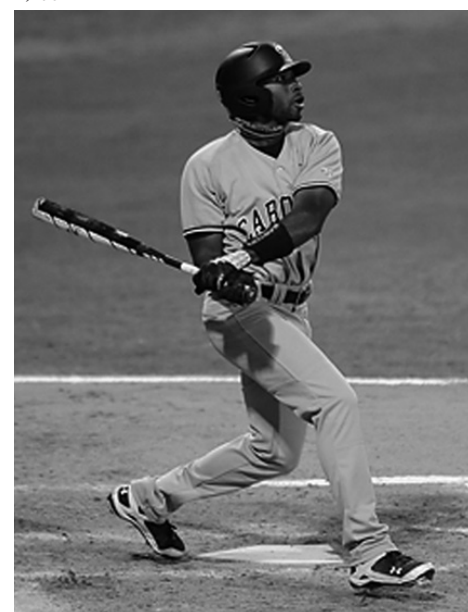
SC	000	116	110	10	14	1
VT	200	000	000	2	6	4

E - Walker; Seaborn; Shaban; Balisteri (2). DP - SC 1; VT 1. LOB - SC 8; VT 5. 2B - Marzilli; Thomas; Walker. HR - Bradley; Morales; Domecus. HBP - Enders; Wingo. SF - Bradley.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Brown	3.2	4	2	2	1	1
Mata	4.1	2	0	0	0	5
Roth	1.0	0	0	0	0	1

Virginia Tech	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Price	5.2	11	7	7	0	3
McDermott	0.1	2	2	2	0	0
Rowen	3.0	1	1	0	1	3

Win - Mata. Loss - Price. WP - Price. HBP - by Price (Wingo); by Rowen (Enders). BK - Rowen. Time - 2:41. Attendance - 6,233



CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

South Carolina 4, Coastal Carolina 3 June 12, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	4	0	1	0	1	1
Merrifield, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	3	1	2	1	2	0
Morales, 3b	4	1	1	0	0	1
Walker, 1b	5	0	2	2	0	1
Matthews, dh	2	0	0	0	1	0
Jones, ph/dh	2	0	0	0	0	0
Enders, c	3	0	1	1	0	0
Haney, ss	3	1	1	0	0	2
Wingo, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	34	4	9	4	4	6

C. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Woodward, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2
Noel, cf	5	0	2	0	0	2
LaStella, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Iglesias, c	2	0	1	0	2	0
Gilmore, lf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Motter, ss	2	1	0	0	2	1
Bowman, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Witten, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	2
Rice, dh	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	3	7	3	6	8

SC	310	000	000	4	9	0
CCU	020	100	000	3	7	1

E - Rein. DP - SC 1. LOB - SC 11; CCU 9. 2B - Marzilli; Haney. HR - Bowman. HBP - Morales; Wingo; Woodward. SH - Haney. SF - Enders. CS - Woodward

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cooper	7.0	6	3	3	3	5
Roth	0.0	0	0	0	1	0
Mata	0.0	0	0	0	1	0
Price	2.0	1	0	0	1	3

C. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Rein	1.0	2	4	2	2	0
Conway	2.2	2	0	0	2	2
Connolly	1.1	0	0	0	0	1
Hessler	1.1	1	0	0	0	1
Meo	1.0	2	0	0	0	0
Laney	1.0	1	0	0	0	2
Fleet	0.2	1	0	0	0	0

Win - Cooper. Loss - Rein. Save - Price.
HPB - by Rein (Morales); by Rein (Wingo); by Cooper (Woodward). Time - 3:31. Attendance - 6,599



South Carolina 10, Coastal Carolina 9 June 13, 2010

C. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Woodward, 3b	3	2	1	0	0	1
Noel, cf	3	1	1	1	1	0
LaStella, 2b	2	0	2	3	3	0
Iglesias, c	4	0	1	2	1	1
Gilmore, lf	5	0	0	0	0	2
Motter, ss	5	1	1	1	0	2
Bowman, rf	5	2	2	1	0	1
Witten, 1b	5	2	2	1	0	0
Rice, dh	3	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	9	11	9	5	7

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	2	1	1	0	1	0
Ebert, ph	1	0	1	1	0	0
Beary, pr/lf	0	1	0	0	1	0
Merrifield, rf/3b	5	1	1	0	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	3	1	1	1	2	0
Morales, 3b/2b	4	2	1	0	1	1
Walker, 1b	5	2	2	3	0	1
Matthews, dh/lf	5	1	2	2	0	1
Enders, c	4	0	1	1	0	1
Haney, ss	3	1	3	0	1	0
Wingo, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Jones, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	35	10	13	8	6	6

CCU	140	101	110	9	11	5
SC	203	002	03X	10	13	0

E - Woodward (2); Gilmore; Motter; Witten. DP - CCU 3; SC 1. LOB - CCU 8; SC 8. 2B - Bowman; Marzilli; Bradley; Morales; Matthews. HR - Noel; Motter; Bowman; Walker. HBP - Woodward; Noel. SH - Woodward; Rice; Wingo. SB - Woodward.

C. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Wheeler	3.2	8	5	1	2	2
Connolly	1.1	1	1	1	1	1
Laney	0.2	1	1	0	1	0
Fleet	2.1	3	3	3	2	3

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Dyson	1.1	4	4	4	1	0
Mata	2.0	2	2	2	1	2
Neff	0.1	0	0	0	1	1
Taylor	2.0	1	1	1	1	2
Roth	1.0	2	1	1	0	0
Carter	1.1	0	0	0	0	1
Price	1.0	0	0	0	0	1

Win - Carter. Loss - Fleet. Save - Price.
WP - Wheeler; Fleet. HBP - by Mata (Woodward); by Neff (Noel). Time - 3:46. Attendance: 6,599



Oklahoma 4, South Carolina 3 June 20, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	3	0	0	0	2	0
Merrifield, rf/3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Bradley Jr., cf	4	1	2	2	1	1
Morales, 3b/2b	4	0	0	0	1	1
Walker, 1b	3	1	2	1	1	0
Thomas, dh	4	0	2	0	0	0
Enders, c	2	1	1	0	1	0
Haney, ss	3	0	0	0	0	1
Beary, ph	1	0	1	0	0	0
Wingo, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ebert, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Matthews, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	32	3	9	3	7	5

Oklahoma	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Ellison, cf	3	1	1	0	1	0
White, lf	3	0	0	0	0	2
Buechele, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Ogle, c	4	0	1	1	0	0
Reine, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Herren, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seitzer, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	2
Black, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	2
Bushyhead, ss	3	1	2	2	0	0
Ross, dh	2	0	0	0	0	0
Eisenberg, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	7	4	1	7

SC	010	100	001	3	9	0
OU	110	100	01X	4	7	0

DP - OU 1. LOB - SC 10; OU 5. HR - Bradley; Walker; Buechele; Bushyhead. HBP - Seitzer. SH - Enders; White; Seitzer. SB - Ellison. CS - Thomas

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cooper	5.0	6	3	3	1	5
Roth	1.0	0	0	0	0	1
Taylor	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Neff	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Mata	0.2	1	1	1	0	0
Webb	0.2	0	0	0	0	1

Oklahoma	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Rocha	6.0	5	2	2	3	2
Erben	2.0	4	1	1	2	2
Duke	1.0	0	0	0	2	1

Win - Rocha. Loss - Cooper.
HBP - by Roth (Seitzer). Time: 2:53. Attendance: 22,835



South Carolina 11, Arizona State 4
June 22, 2010

ASU	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Maggi, ss	5	0	1	1	0	1
MacPhee, 2b	5	0	1	0	0	0
Calhoun, rf	4	1	1	0	1	1
Torrez, Ri., 1b	3	0	0	0	0	2
Ruettiger, lf/cf	5	1	2	0	0	2
Marrero, dh	4	1	3	1	0	0
Aplin, cf	2	1	0	0	1	0
Newman, ph/lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Torrez, Ra., 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, c	4	0	2	1	0	1
Totals	36	4	11	4	2	7

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	4	2	2	0	0	1
Merrifield, rf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	4	1	3	4	0	0
Walker, 1b	4	0	0	1	1	1
Thomas, dh	3	1	1	0	0	1
Matthews, ph/dh	2	0	0	0	0	1
Morales, 3b	5	2	2	2	0	1
Enders, c	4	1	1	0	0	2
Haney, ss	4	0	1	0	0	1
Wingo, 2b	3	2	1	2	1	1
Totals	38	11	14	11	2	9

ASU	000	020	020	4	11	0
SC	082	000	01X	11	14	0

DP - SC 2. LOB - ASU 10; SC 7. 2B - Marrero; Haney; Wingo. HR - Merrifield; Bradley; Morales. HBP - Torrez, Ri. (2); Torrez, Ra.; ; Marzilli; Bradley. SB - Maggi; MacPhee

ASU	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Kelly	1.2	10	8	8	0	3
Lambson	4.1	2	2	2	2	4
Swagerty	2.0	2	1	1	0	2

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Dyson	7.1	8	4	4	2	3
Price	1.2	3	0	0	0	4

Win - Dyson. Loss - Kelly.

HPB - by Dyson (Torrez, Ri.); by Lambson (Marzilli); by Lambson (Bradley); by Dyson (Torrez, Ri.); by Price (Torrez, Ra.). Time - 3:09. Attendance: 19,936

South Carolina 3, Oklahoma 2
June 24, 2010

Oklahoma	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Ellison, cf	4	0	0	0	0	1
White, lf	5	0	1	0	0	2
Buechele, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	4
Ogle, c	3	2	2	1	1	0
Reine, rf	3	0	0	0	0	2
Seitzer, 1b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Bushyhead, ss	5	0	1	1	0	0
Black, 2b	5	0	0	0	0	3
Herren, dh	3	0	0	0	0	2
Eisenberg, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	2	5	2	2	14

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	6	1	2	0	0	1
Merrifield, rf/3b	5	0	0	0	0	1
Bradley Jr., cf	6	1	1	1	0	1
Walker, 1b	5	0	3	1	0	0
Matthews, pr	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, 1b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Thomas, dh	6	0	1	1	0	2
Morales, 3b/2b	5	0	1	0	0	0
Enders, c	2	0	0	0	2	1
Haney, ss	5	0	1	0	0	1
Wingo, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Beary, ph/rf	3	1	1	0	0	1
Totals	44	3	10	3	3	9

OU	010	000	000	001	2	5	2
SC	000	000	010	002	3	10	1

E - Buechele; Ogle; Walker. DP - SC 2. LOB - OU 6; SC 12. 2B - Marzilli; Haney. HR - Ogle. HBP - Ellison; Reine (2); Wingo. SH - Ogle; Merrifield; Enders. SB - Bushyhead; Marzilli; Beary. CS - Ellison.

Oklahoma	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Neal	7.0	5	1	1	1	7
Erbien	4.0	2	0	0	1	1
Duke	0.2	3	2	2	1	1

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cooper	5.2	4	1	1	2	6
Roth	1.1	0	0	0	0	1
Taylor	1.0	0	0	0	0	1
Price	3.0	0	0	0	0	5
Carter	0.0	1	1	1	0	0
Webb	1.0	0	0	0	0	1

Win - Webb. Loss - Duke.

HBP - by Cooper (Ellison); by Neal (Wingo); by Price (Reine); by Webb (Reine). Time: 3:46. Attendance: 24,180

South Carolina 5, Clemson 1
June 25, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	2	2	1	0	2	1
Merrifield, rf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Bradley Jr., cf	3	0	1	2	1	0
Walker, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Thomas, dh	4	2	2	0	0	0
Morales, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Enders, c	4	1	2	2	0	0
Haney, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Wingo, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	32	5	8	5	4	3

Clemson	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Epps, dh	2	0	0	0	0	1
Nester, ph/dh	2	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schaus, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Parker, rf	2	0	0	0	1	1
Miller, ss	4	0	1	0	0	1
Hinson, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Shaffer, 1b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Boyd, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kieboom, c	3	0	1	0	0	0
Pohl, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	3	0	1	4

SC	111	101	000	5	8	1
CU	001	000	000	1	3	0

E - Wingo. DP - SC 1; CU 2. LOB - SC 4; CU 5. 2B - Marzilli; Bradley; Thomas; Shaffer. HR - Enders. HBP - Parker; Shaffer. SB - Marzilli.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	9.0	3	1	1	1	4

Clemson	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Leone	2.2	4	3	3	1	0
Haselden	3.1	4	2	2	1	0
Cruz	3.0	0	0	0	2	3

Win - Roth. Loss - Leone.

HBP - by Roth (Parker); by Roth (Shaffer). PB - Enders. Time: 2:22. Attendance: 22,334



South Carolina 4, Clemson 3
June 26, 2010

Clemson	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Lamb, dh	4	1	1	0	0	0
Freeman, 2b	5	0	2	0	0	1
Schaus, lf	5	0	1	1	0	1
Parker, rf	3	0	0	0	0	2
Hinson, 3b	3	1	2	0	1	1
Miller, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
Shaffer, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Boyd, cf	4	0	1	0	0	1
Kieboom, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Epps, ph	0	1	0	0	1	0
Nester, c	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	35	3	8	2	2	8

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	3	2	1	0	1	0
Merrifield, rf	5	0	3	0	0	1
Bradley Jr., cf	2	1	1	0	1	0
Walker, 1b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Morales, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	1
Mathews, dh	3	0	0	0	0	1
Thomas, ph	0	0	0	0	1	0
Enders, c	4	0	0	0	0	2
Wingo, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	4	9	3	4	6

CU	001	000	110	3	8	3
SC	100	100	20X	4	9	1

E - Miller; Kieboom; Nester; Wingo. DP - CU 2. LOB - CU 9; SC 10. 2B - Merrifield. 3B - Hinson; Merrifield. HR - Walker. HBP - Lamb; Parker; Marzilli; Bradley. SB - Marzilli; Matthews.

Clemson	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Harman	6.1	7	3	3	0	5
Frederick	0.2	2	1	1	2	1
Weismann	0.1	0	0	0	2	0
Brady	0.2	0	0	0	0	0

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Dyson	6.2	5	2	2	2	5
Price	2.1	3	1	1	0	3

Win - Price. Loss - Harman.
HBP - by Dyson (Lamb); by Dyson (Parker); by Harman (Bradley). PB - Enders. Time: 3:04. Attendance: 12,593

South Carolina 7, UCLA 1
June 28, 2010

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Merrifield, rf	5	0	1	1	0	1
Bradley Jr., cf	5	1	2	0	0	1
Walker, 1b	5	1	2	0	0	0
Thomas, dh	3	1	1	1	1	0
Matthews, ph	1	0	1	0	0	0
Morales, 3b	5	2	1	0	0	0
Enders, c	5	0	1	0	0	1
Haney, ss	3	0	2	3	0	0
Wingo, 2b	4	2	1	0	0	0
Totals	40	7	14	6	2	3

UCLA	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Amaral, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Gallego, ss	4	0	0	0	0	3
Regis, 2b	4	1	1	0	0	1
Dunlap, dh	3	0	0	0	0	2
Navarro, ph	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gelalich, lf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Espy, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1
Brown, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Uribe, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Giovinazzo, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Rodriguez, c	2	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	31	1	3	0	1	10

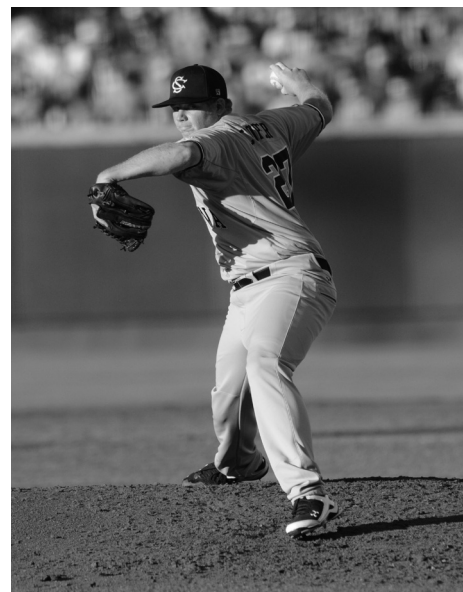
SC	212	010	010	7	14	2
UCLA	000	000	001	1	3	2

E - Wingo (2); Regis; Cole. DP - SC 1. LOB - SC 9; UCLA 6. 3B - Wingo. HBP - Gelalich; Rodriguez. SF - Haney. SB - Matthews; Morales; Wingo; Gelalich.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cooper	8.0	3	1	1	1	10
Taylor	1.0	0	0	0	0	0

UCLA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Cole	7.0	11	6	4	1	2
Grace	1.1	3	1	1	1	0
Griggs	0.2	0	0	0	0	1

Win - Cooper. Loss - Cole.
HBP - by Cooper (Rodriguez); by Cooper (Gelalich).
Time: 3:28. Attendance: 23,818

South Carolina 2, UCLA 1
June 29, 2010

UCLA	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Gallego, ss	5	0	1	1	0	2
Amaral, cf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Dunlap, dh	4	0	1	0	0	0
Espy, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Williams, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Regis, 2b/3b	5	0	0	0	0	2
Krill, rf	5	0	2	0	0	1
Giovinazzo, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Brown, 3b/1b	4	1	2	0	0	1
Rodriguez, c	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	1	8	1	3	7

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, lf	5	0	2	0	0	1
Merrifield, rf	5	0	1	1	0	1
Bradley Jr., cf	5	0	0	0	0	3
Walker, 1b	4	0	2	0	1	0
Morales, 3b	5	0	0	0	0	2
Matthews, dh	3	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas, ph	1	0	1	0	0	0
Beary, pr/dh	1	1	0	0	0	1
Enders, c	3	0	1	0	2	0
Haney, ss	5	0	2	0	0	1
Wingo, 2b	2	1	0	0	3	1
Totals	39	2	9	1	6	10

UCLA	000	010	000	00	1	8	1
SC	000	000	010	01	2	9	1

Note: 1 out, 1 runner LOB when the game ended.

E - Espy; Morales. DP - SC 1. LOB - UCLA 10; SC 14. 2B - Amaral; Krill. HBP - Dunlap; Brown. SH - Giovinazzo; Rodriguez; Marzilli; Merrifield. CS - Gallego.

UCLA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Rasmussen	6.0	6	0	0	4	5
Goeddel	1.0	2	1	0	0	1
Klein	3.1	1	1	1	2	4

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	5.0	6	1	1	2	3
Mata	2.0	1	0	0	0	1
Webb	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor	1.0	0	0	0	0	0
Price	2.2	1	0	0	1	3

Win - Price. Loss - Klein.
WP - Klein. HBP - by Mata (Brown); by Price (Dunlap). PB - Rodriguez. Time: 4:15. Attendance: 24,390



Overall Batting & Fielding

Overall Record: 54-16; Home: 30-6; Away: 17-7; Neutral: 7-3

(More than 120 plate appearances)

	AVG	GP-S	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD
Jackie Bradley Jr.	.368	67-61	242	56	89	12	1	13	60	142	.587	41	8	37	.473	1	1	7-10	147	5	1	.993
Brady Thomas	.331	47-33	139	37	46	13	1	8	30	85	.612	14	2	33	.400	0	1	3-5	185	11	3	.985
Christian Walker	.327	61-51	226	35	74	12	2	9	51	117	.518	18	4	18	.384	2	2	2-3	353	30	9	.977
Whit Merrifield	.321	70-70	296	72	95	12	1	13	42	148	.500	30	6	36	.393	1	15	12-18	85	28	5	.958
Adam Matthews	.307	64-56	189	30	58	12	2	7	31	95	.503	25	2	42	.392	1	5	7-9	56	0	3	.949
Kyle Enders	.281	61-51	185	26	52	9	1	3	32	72	.389	21	7	35	.370	3	6	2-4	438	33	4	.992
Adrian Morales	.273	68-59	245	50	67	15	0	9	56	109	.445	18	13	32	.348	6	9	5-9	52	131	12	.938
Nick Ebert	.272	45-32	125	27	34	7	1	7	31	64	.512	26	7	30	.416	3	1	0-0	191	13	2	.990
Bobby Haney	.263	64-61	217	30	57	8	1	3	24	76	.350	14	2	38	.309	3	3	1-1	83	162	6	.976
Scott Wingo	.247	70-66	198	52	49	8	3	9	31	90	.455	37	18	48	.409	1	9	2-3	116	200	12	.963

(Fewer than 120 plate appearances)

Evan Marzilli	.385	63-19	91	30	35	8	0	3	12	52	.571	17	8	20	.513	1	2	8-8	41	0	3	.932
Richard Royal	.333	2-0	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.333	0	0	2	.333	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
Jeffery Jones	.300	47-30	110	21	33	7	0	8	29	64	.582	22	3	14	.423	2	1	0-0	81	3	0	1.000
Robert Beary	.276	44-22	98	18	27	3	1	1	14	35	.357	4	6	21	.339	1	3	3-4	32	1	0	1.000
Parker Bangs	.267	28-17	60	10	16	6	0	3	18	31	.517	9	1	19	.366	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	.000
Michael Roth	.111	9-1	9	2	1	0	0	1	1	4	.444	1	0	3	.200	0	0	0-0	9	11	0	1.000
Brisen Celek	.000	9-1	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	2	4	.273	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Austin Ashmore	.000	5-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Steven Neff	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	3	1	.800
Totals	.300	70-70	2444	499	734	132	14	97	463	1185	.485	298	89	434	.392	26	58	53-75	1901	726	66	.975
Opponents	.226	70-70	2329	285	527	70	6	61	258	792	.340	220	74	625	.311	15	43	43-66	1831	712	99	.963

Pitching

	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CB	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BK	B/AVG.	WP	HBP
Blake Cooper (R)	2.76	13-2	20	20	1	1/0	0	137.0	111	52	42	39	126	13	0	12	0	.223	1	15
Sam Dyson (R)	4.28	6-5	18	18	3	2/1	0	103.0	98	55	49	24	101	14	2	6	1	.249	5	20
(Fewer Than 60 Innings)																				
Jordan Propst (R)	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/1	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.250	0	1
Michael Roth (L)	1.34	2-1	37	2	1	0/3	3	40.1	27	8	6	10	35	3	0	1	0	.196	0	4
Patrick Sullivan (R)	1.50	0-0	7	0	0	0/1	0	6.0	7	4	1	4	7	1	0	1	1	.292	2	0
Matt Price (R)	2.26	5-1	31	0	0	0/4	10	55.2	37	16	14	19	83	4	1	4	0	.183	0	9
Jose Mata (R)	2.40	7-1	33	0	0	0/0	0	45.0	35	15	12	10	37	5	1	2	0	.215	1	3
Nolan Belcher (L)	2.43	3-1	11	6	0	0/2	0	29.2	18	10	8	18	32	1	0	2	0	.184	5	2
John Taylor (R)	3.38	3-2	28	0	0	0/1	1	29.1	27	14	11	5	17	3	0	3	0	.243	0	3
Tyler Webb (L)	3.96	3-2	17	7	0	0/1	0	36.1	29	17	16	13	36	3	0	6	0	.218	0	4
Steven Neff (L)	4.11	2-1	17	1	0	0/0	0	15.1	16	8	7	8	16	3	0	1	2	.276	1	3
Jay Brown (R)	4.44	3-0	17	9	0	0/2	0	50.2	46	30	25	21	34	7	0	10	1	.246	1	3
Jimmy Revan (L)	4.85	1-0	9	1	0	0/0	0	13.0	8	8	7	13	20	2	0	2	0	.167	1	1
Parker Bangs (R)	5.27	1-0	14	0	0	0/0	0	13.2	7	8	8	9	21	1	1	2	0	.146	1	2
Colby Holmes (R)	5.33	2-0	11	6	0	0/1	0	27.0	29	18	16	16	27	3	0	6	2	.266	2	2
Ethan Carter (R)	5.46	3-0	24	0	0	0/1	2	28.0	25	18	17	9	30	7	1	3	0	.245	0	2
Alex Burrell (L)	13.50	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.2	6	4	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	.462	0	0
TOTALS	3.45	54-16	70	70	5	8/5	16	633.2	527	285	243	220	625	70	6	61	7	.226	20	74
Opponents	6.16	16-54	70	70	1	1/1	9	610.1	734	499	418	298	434	132	14	97	6	.300	61	89

Cumulative Scoring By Innings

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	TOTAL
South Carolina	55	70	77	56	43	52	60	60	17	9	499
Opponents	34	40	33	37	23	22	35	30	28	3	285

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

In 2010, the Gamecocks closed out Rosenblatt Stadium with the school's first national championship in baseball. In 2011, South Carolina returned to Omaha and opened up T.D. Ameritrade Park with the same result, a national championship, as the Gamecocks became only the ninth repeat champion in MCWS history. While in Omaha in 2011, South Carolina defeated Texas A&M, number one seed Virginia twice, and number two seed Florida twice without a loss. South Carolina finished the year 55-14 along with a 22-8 record in the Southeastern Conference.



South Carolina would meet the Florida Gators in the CWS Championship Series. Carolina defeated Florida 2-1 in 11 innings in game one and followed that victory up with a 5-2 win in game two. Carolina poses with the National Championship trophy after the conclusion of game two.



The Gators had a strong opportunity to win the game one in the bottom of the ninth. The bases loaded with no outs and the infield pulled in, Scott Wingo made a diving stop on Tyler Thompson's grounder and threw to the plate to nail Mike Zunino for the first out. Catcher Robert Beary had a key pick on the play on the throw home from Wingo. Daniel Pigott then bounced into a 4-2-3 inning-ending double play, sending the game into extra innings.



Freshman right-hander Forrest Koumas was effective in his first start of the College World Series as he limited the Gators to just one run in 5.2 innings of work.



In game one, the Gamecocks used a pair of throwing errors to score the winning run as South Carolina outlasted Florida 2-1 in 11 innings. With one out in the 11th, Christian Walker, who was playing with a fractured hamate bone in his left wrist, singled up the middle. With Walker attempting to steal second base, catcher Mike Zunino's throw sailed into centerfield, allowing Walker to scramble to third. Centerfielder Bryson Smith's throw then bounced past the third base bag and into the stands, allowing Walker to score the go-ahead run.



South Carolina rode the stellar pitching of left-hander Michael Roth in the 5-2 win over Florida. Roth earned his 14th win of the season. As a team, South Carolina finished with a 1.31 ERA in 10 NCAA Tournament games.



Peter Mooney is greeted at home plate by Robert Beary after his solo home run in the 5-2 win over the Gators. Mooney's homer was the only home run by a Gamecock player in the entire College World Series.

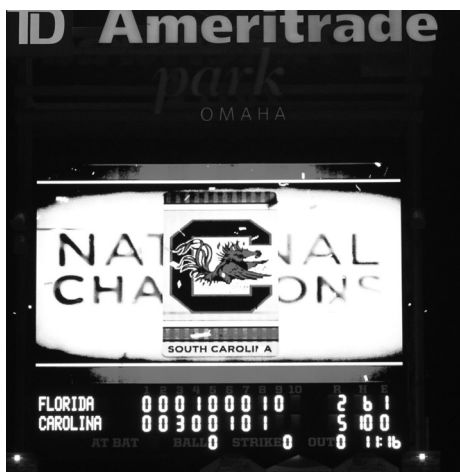


Scott Wingo was the 2011 CWS Most Outstanding Player. He had a career-high four hits including a game-winning RBI single in the bottom of the ninth inning in the 5-4 win over Texas A&M. He followed that up with defensive plays left and right in consecutive wins over Virginia. His game-tying RBI single as well as his defensive showcase stop helped the Gamecocks defeat Florida 2-1 in game one of the championship series and he rounded out the CWS with a 1-for-3 day at the plate and two RBIs in the 5-2 win over Florida.



2011 Captains

Brady Thomas, Michael Roth, Scott Wingo



Robert Beary and Matt Price begin the dogpile near the pitcher's mound after the final out was recorded in South Carolina's 5-2 win over Florida.



South Carolina players continue the dogpile on the mound at the 2011 College World Series.

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

2011 RESULTS

FEBRUARY

18	Santa Clara	W, 12-5
19	Santa Clara	W, 2-1
20	Santa Clara	W, 6-0
25	Southern Illinois	W, 10-6
26	Southern Illinois	W, 4-0
27	Southern Illinois	W, 9-4

MARCH

1	Furman	W, 14-1
4	Clemson	W, 6-3
6	at Clemson (CSS)	L, 10-5
8	vs. Clemson (Fluor Field)	W, 5-4
11	Cal State Bakersfield	W, 5-1
12	Cal State Bakersfield	W, 5-2
13	Cal State Bakersfield	L, 8-3
15	at Furman (Fluor Field)	L, 4-2
16	Wofford	W, 8-4
18	Georgia*	L, 4-2
19	Georgia*	W, 2-1
20	Georgia*	W, 8-3
22	College of Charleston (SportSouth)	W, 24-4
23	Rhode Island	W, 17-8
25	at Florida*	W, 9-2
26	at Florida* (FS Florida)	L, 2-1
27	at Florida* (Sun Sports)	W, 4-3
30	The Citadel	W, 6-4

APRIL

1	Kentucky* (FS South)	W, 3-1
2	Kentucky* (SportSouth)	W, 4-3 (10)
3	Kentucky* (SportSouth)	W, 4-1
5	USC Upstate	W, 18-2
7	at Tennessee* (ESPNU)	W, 4-0
8	at Tennessee*	W, 2-0
9	at Tennessee* (SportSouth)	W, 2-1
12	at The Citadel	L, 2-0
15	Vanderbilt*	W, 3-1
16	Vanderbilt* (CSS)	L, 6-4
17	Vanderbilt* (ESPN2)	W, 5-3
19	at College of Charleston	W, 8-3
22	at Mississippi State* (ESPNU)	W, 8-2
23	at Mississippi State* (SSouth)	L, 5-3
24	at Mississippi State*	W, 13-4
26	Liberty	W, 9-6
29	Auburn* (SportSouth)	W, 2-1
30	Auburn* (SportSouth)	W, 10-2

MAY

1	Auburn* (ESPN)	W, 7-3
4	at Wofford	W, 9-3
6	at Ole Miss*	W, 6-1
7	at Ole Miss* (SportSouth)	L, 10-2
8	at Ole Miss*	L, 7-6
10	Presbyterian	W, 6-1
11	Charleston Southern	W, 11-1
13	Arkansas* (ESPNU)	L, 6-2
14	Arkansas* (SportSouth)	W, 6-5
15	Arkansas* (Cox Sports)	W, 7-1
17	UNC Asheville (SportSouth)	W, 9-5
19	at Alabama*	L, 2-1
20	at Alabama*	W, 6-3
21	at Alabama* (CSS)	W, 3-2

at SEC Baseball Tournament (Hoover, Ala.)

25	vs. Auburn (CSS)	W, 7-3
26	vs. Vanderbilt (SportSouth)	L, 7-2
27	vs. Georgia (CSS)	L, 4-2

JUNE

NCAA Regionals (Columbia, S.C.)

3	Georgia Southern	W, 2-1
4	Stetson	W, 11-5
5/6	Stetson	W, 8-2

NCAA Super Regionals (Columbia, S.C.)

11	Connecticut (ESPN2)	W, 5-1
12	Connecticut (ESPNU)	W, 8-2

at College World Series (Omaha, Neb.)

19	vs. Texas A&M (ESPN)	W, 5-4
21	vs. Virginia (ESPN)	W, 7-1
24	vs. Virginia (ESPN)	W, 3-2 (13)
27	vs. Florida (ESPN)	W, 2-1 (11)
28	vs. Florida (ESPN)	W, 5-2

Dreams do come true! Sometimes they come true more than once. In 2010, the South Carolina baseball team found a way to capture a national championship for the first time in school history. In 2011, the motivation was the same – the belief was the same – the attitude was the same. Roles may have changed. There were new players – new challenges – new obstacles – but that belief and that attitude and approach always was focused and as Carolina closed out 2010 and Rosenblatt Stadium with a national championship, the team returned to Omaha and opened up T.D.Ameritrade Park in Omaha the same way it left that heartland of America the previous year – as national champion in college baseball.

OPENING DAY

The defending national champions opened the year with a three-game sweep of Santa Clara. Opening Day included many festivities with the United States Air Force conducting a flyover and the new national championship flag raised. Several former Gamecocks were also honored with 2010 All-America pitcher Blake Cooper throwing out the ceremonial first pitch along with teammates Parker Bangs, Kyle Enders, Bobby Haney, Jeffery Jones, Whit Merrifield and Jordan Propst. The 2011 squad followed that up with a dynamite offensive start as Jackie Bradley Jr. went 4-for-4 with a homer and three RBI and Christian Walker and Scott Wingo added homers as well as the Gamecocks defeated Santa Clara 12-5 in front of a capacity crowd.



Carolina rattled off two more wins vs. the Broncos to earn a weekend sweep. Sophomore left-hander Tyler Webb retired 12 consecutive batters in a 2-1 win in game two of the series with Matt Price earning his first save and the Gamecocks closed the weekend out with a 6-0 win as Christian Walker went 2-for-4 with three RBI and four Gamecock pitchers combined for a four-hit shutout.

South Carolina swept its second straight series the next weekend as the Gamecocks defeated Southern Illinois three times to improve to 6-0 on the year. A seven-run first inning that featured a three-run homer from Robert Beary helped lift Carolina to a 10-6 win in game one. Webb improved to 2-0 on the year with a career-high 7.1 innings and seven strikeouts and teamed with relievers Bryan Harper and John Taylor to hurl a five-hit shutout in a 4-0 victory in game two and a 14-hit offensive attack helped Carolina seal the series sweep on Sunday in a 9-4 victory.

COLLEGE BASEBALL'S PREMIER RIVALRY

After a midweek win over Furman improved the squad to 7-0 on the year, it was time for college baseball's premier rivalry to take center stage again in the Palmetto State. For the second straight season, South Carolina and Clemson would meet in a unique three-game series in three different settings. First, Columbia and a raucous sellout crowd of 8,242 at Carolina Stadium saw Brady Thomas, Christian Walker and Scott Wingo each tally two-run homers and on the back of junior left-hander Michael Roth's quality start, the Gamecocks erased an early three-run deficit to defeat Clemson 6-3 to take the series opener. Clemson would tie the series up on their home turf with a 10-5 win at Doug Kingsmore Stadium.

That set up the rubber game at Fluor Field in Greenville, S.C. An emotionally charged matchup with a 50/50 crowd witnessed a competitive thriller that saw South Carolina score five runs in their final two at-bats on the way to a 5-4 victory to clinch the series victory in front of a packed house of 7,125 fans. Tied at 1-1 in the bottom of the seventh, junior Jake Williams made the most of a pinch-hit opportunity, blasting a three-run homer, the first of his Carolina career and the Gamecocks held on for a one-run win with Matt Price closing out the victory with a strikeout against Clemson pinch hitter Jon McGibbon.



SEC PLAY

With the emotional series win over Clemson, the Gamecocks returned home and kept the momentum going with a series victory over Cal State Bakersfield. The Gamecocks would head into SEC play with a 12-3 overall record.

The first conference weekend of the season would feature Carolina against SEC Eastern Division rival Georgia. The Bulldogs would draw first blood in the three-game series as an uncharacteristic five-error contest by the Gamecocks would allow for Georgia to capitalize on their way to a 4-2 victory at Carolina Stadium. It was a pitcher's duel in game two between Georgia's Michael Palazzone and Carolina's Steven Neff as Carolina trailed 1-0 entering the bottom of the eighth inning. With two outs, the Gamecocks made their move as Adam Matthews tripled to the gap in right-center putting a runner in scoring position. The Gamecocks then tied the game as Christian Walker roped a double down the left field line scoring Matthews and tying the game. Entering the ninth inning, the Gamecocks went to closer Matt Price, who kept the Bulldogs at bay setting up the heroics in the bottom of the ninth. Adrian Morales singled to left field, his third hit of the game, to open the inning followed by a two-strike hit by Jake Williams to center field. Evan Marzilli would sacrifice both runners over. With two outs and runners still on second and third and the count full, Wingo ripped a hard shot that first baseman Jonathan Hester dove for. Hester kept the ball in front of him but Wingo hustled down the line and beat Georgia reliever Patrick Boling to the bag and Morales scored the winning run. Six different Gamecocks tallied at least one RBI in the series finale and four Carolina relievers limited Georgia to just one run on three hits in eight innings of work as Carolina sealed a series win with an 8-3 victory over the Bulldogs.



SOUTH CAROLINA-FLORIDA ROUND ONE

A road trip to Gainesville would be next on the list as South Carolina and Florida met in a Top 5 showdown that served as a sign of things to come between the two schools. Michael Roth proved why he was one of the top pitchers in collegiate baseball as he stymied the Gator hitters throughout the series opener and was backed by an offense that pounded out 13 hits as Carolina upended the Gators 9-2 to take the first game of the series. After falling 2-1 in game two, the Gamecocks would rally from three runs down and clinch the series at McKethan Stadium with a 4-3 comeback win over the top ranked Gators. With a full count and the bases loaded in the eighth inning, Adrian Morales drew a walk to bring home the winning run.

WINNING STREAK

With the series victory over the Gators under the team's belt, South Carolina returned home and swept Kentucky to climb to 7-2 in the SEC standings. Roth would outduel Kentucky starting pitcher Alex Meyer 3-1 in the opener, a Brady Thomas RBI single in the bottom of the 10th inning would lift Carolina to a 4-3 win, and freshman right-hander Forrest Koumas would pitch a career-high 6.1 scoreless innings in a 4-1 victory in the series finale. The effort by Koumas would help him earn SEC Co-Freshman of the Week honors.

South Carolina extended the conference win streak total to seven the next weekend in Knoxville as a series sweep of the Volunteers moved the Gamecocks to 10-2 in the SEC. The inaugural SEC Game of the Week on ESPN2 showcased Roth and Price combining for a seven-hit shutout backed by a 2-for-4 game from Bradley and three hits by Scott Wingo. Colby Holmes followed up Roth's start with an equally dominant performance as he struck out seven batters in seven innings and with a two-run homer by Christian Walker, the Gamecocks would defeat Tennessee 2-0. That set the stage for Forrest Koumas, who gave the Gamecocks a third consecutive quality start as Carolina nipped the Volunteers 2-1 to earn a series sweep. The Gamecock pitching staff had its best weekend of the season with just one run allowed in 27 innings pitched at Tennessee. The Volunteers has just 15 hits for three games with a .179 batting average and Carolina finished with 24 strikeouts and just six walks allowed as well. Holmes would pick up SEC Pitcher of the Week accolades also.

GAMECOCKS & COMMODORES

Carolina Stadium would be home to the top series in college baseball in the middle of April as No. 3 South Carolina and No. 1 Vanderbilt faced off in front of three consecutive capacity filled crowds in Columbia. As he had done all season, Michael Roth continued to bring his "A" game to the field in the opener as he outdueled Vanderbilt junior flame thrower Sonny Gray as the Gamecocks drew first blood, 3-1, on Friday night. Scott Wingo, Evan Marzilli and Adam Matthews all had two hits apiece and Peter Mooney belted a solo home run to pace the Carolina offense. Vanderbilt returned serve in the Saturday night contest and evened the series with a 6-4 win.

The rubber game would be on display not just for the packed house at Carolina Stadium but also for a national TV audience on ESPN2. Trailing by a pair of runs, Carolina batted around in the seventh inning and scored four times to rally for a 5-3 victory over the Commodores and to clinch the series. The Gamecocks entered the bottom of the seventh against Vanderbilt starter Taylor Hill trailing 3-1 to the Commodores. Never down and never out, the Gamecocks battled back starting off with a leadoff double by designated hitter Steven Neff, who was making his first start of his career as a position player. Vanderbilt would go to the pen for left-handed reliever Corey Williams, who walked Peter Mooney giving Carolina a pair of runners with no outs. That would send Vanderbilt to the pen again.

Overall:	55-14
Non-Conference Record:	33-6
SEC Record: (denotes conference games only)	22-8
At Home:	36-4
On Road:	12-8
Neutral:	7-2
At Home (SEC):	12-3
On Road (SEC):	10-5
At Home (Non-Conference):	24-1
On Road (Non-Conference):	2-3
Neutral Site (Non-Conference):	7-2
In Extra Inning Games:	3-0
Vs. Top 25 Teams:	15-5
In February:	6-0
In March:	13-5
In April:	15-3
In May:	11-6
In June:	10-0
Playing a day game:	20-4
Playing a night game:	35-10
In one-run game:	13-3
In two-run game:	5-6
In games decided by three runs or less:	21-9
In five + run game:	22-4
When Scoring First:	32-2
When Opponent Scores First:	23-12
When Leading Entering the 7th Inn.:	45-0
When Trailing Entering the 7th Inn.:	4-13
When Tied Entering the 7th Inn.:	6-1
When Scoring 10+ Runs:	10-0
When Allowing 10+ Runs:	0-2
When Scoring 5 runs or less:	23-13
When Allowing 5 runs or less:	52-7
When out-hitting opponent:	43-3
When matching opponent with hits:	6-1
When out-hit by opponent:	6-10
When hitting at least one home run:	28-3
vs. Starting LHP:	22-7
vs. Starting RHP:	33-7
On Monday:	2-0
On Tuesday:	10-2
On Wednesday:	6-0
On Thursday:	1-2
On Friday:	14-3
On Saturday:	11-4
On Sunday:	11-3
Wearing white uniforms/black trim:	10-1
Wearing white pinstripes/garnet trim:	14-3
Wearing white uniforms/garnet trim:	6-0
Wearing black jersey/grey:	2-1
Wearing garnet "Carolina" jersey/white:	2-0
Wearing garnet "Gamecocks" jersey/white:	7-1
Wearing garnet "Carolina" jersey/grey:	3-1
Wearing garnet "Gamecocks" jersey/grey:	3-1
Wearing grey uniforms/black trim:	5-3
Wearing grey pinstripes/garnet trim:	3-3

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS	
STAFF	
PLAYER PROFILES	
OPPONENTS	
SEASON IN REVIEW	
HISTORY & RECORDS	
157	

This time for right-hander Will Clinard. Robert Beary would execute a perfect bunt down the third base line that Clinard could not field and the bases were loaded with no outs after a base hit from Beary. Left-hander Kevin Ziomek would be the fourth pitcher of the inning for Vanderbilt and Carolina would counter with pinch hitter Greg Brodzinski. Zimoeck would hit Brodzinski to plate home a run and cut the deficit to 3-2. With the bags still full, Jackie Bradley Jr. laced a single to center field scoring Mooney and tying the game at 3-3. The bases still loaded Scott Wingo would have a quality at-bat and knock a ground out to second base that scored Beary giving Carolina a one-run lead. An intentional walk would load the bases one more time for Carolina as Vanderbilt decided to walk Walker to face the left-handed Brady Thomas. Thomas would deliver for Carolina as he lifted a sacrifice fly to center field scoring Brodzinski and giving Carolina a two-run advantage.

It was enough for right-hander Matt Price, as the sophomore hurled three scoreless innings and struck out seven batters to pick up the win. He struck out the side in the eighth, setting down the heart of Vanderbilt's order (3-4-5 hitters Aaron Westlake, Jason Esposito, Mike Yastrzemski). In the ninth, Vanderbilt put a pair of runners on base with one out. Price settled in though and struck out Conor Harrell looking for the second out. After a wild pitch advanced runners, Price ended the game with a called third strike on Tony Kemp. The three-game series attendance was 24,726, the best three-game mark in Carolina Stadium history. Roth picked up SEC Pitcher of the Week honors as well for his Friday night win.



WIN ANYWAY

At the midpoint in the conference slate, the Gamecocks took an 11-4 conference mark to Starkville for a weekend series with the Mississippi State Bulldogs. Carolina scored in six of nine innings in the Friday night opener and Christian Walker was 4-for-5 with two runs scored as the Gamecocks set down MSU 8-2 with Roth improving to 9-1 as well. Carolina's 5-3 loss on Saturday was more painful than usual as center fielder Jackie Bradley Jr. sustained a broken left wrist diving for a ball in the outfield in the fifth inning. Heading into the rubber game, it was a "MASH" unit lined up for the Gamecocks with the entire Opening Day starting outfield not available. Along with Bradley's injury, Adam Matthews was back in Columbia after sustaining a serious hamstring injury vs. Vanderbilt and Evan Marzilli could not play on Sunday due to a medical condition.

"Win Anyway," became the motto from head coach Ray Tanner. And his players followed suit. Down 3-2 entering the top of the fourth, the Gamecocks made their move, batting around to score four runs on five hits and take a three-run lead. All four runs in the fourth would come with two outs. With runners on first and third, Christian Walker got it started as he singled up the middle to score Robert Beary tying the game at 3-3. Brady Thomas gave the Gamecocks the lead with a single to left field that was followed by RBI base hits from Jake Williams and Adrian Morales that extended Carolina's lead to three runs. That offensive output continued in the fifth as Carolina batted around for the second straight inning, this time scoring five runs to go ahead 11-3 on the Bulldogs. Wingo tallied a RBI sacrifice fly with the bases loaded. With one out and the bags still full, Thomas drove in three more runs with a triple down the right field line. Jake Williams added a RBI double as Carolina went ahead 11-3 on MSU. Christian Walker would pick up SEC Player of the Week honors after his weekend in Starkville. Walker had a phenomenal weekend at the plate batting .909 (10-for-11) along with a sacrifice fly RBI and four walks against the Bulldogs in 16 plate appearances. He had 14 total bases for the weekend and a 1.273 slugging percentage as well.

That winning would continue through the Auburn series at home as the Gamecocks swept the Tigers to improve to 17-4 in conference play. Carolina tallied wins of 2-1, 10-2 and 7-3 to remain in a three-way tie atop the Southeastern Conference with nine games remaining on the schedule. After winning one of three games at Ole Miss, the Gamecocks returned home for the final home conference series of the year vs. the upstart Arkansas Razorbacks. After falling in the series opener 6-2 to the Hogs, the Gamecocks would respond in game two as Scott Wingo capped off a thrilling game with a walk-off homer in the bottom of the ninth to lift Carolina to a 6-5 victory. Wingo roped the 0-1 offering from Arkansas righthander Ryne Stanek just out of the reach of the Razorback right fielder and into the Carolina bullpen for his fourth home run of the year, sending the announced crowd of 7,765 fans home happy. It was Wingo's third walk-off hit of the year; he had the game-winning RBI single in a 2-1 win over Auburn on April 29 and also drove in the winning run in the ninth in a 2-1 win over Georgia. Senior Day was on Sunday and it would be all South Carolina then in the rubber game as Colby Holmes came within one pitch of a complete game shutout as Carolina won the series with a 7-1 win vs. the Razorbacks. Steven Neff was the offensive star for the Gamecocks as he went 3-for-4 with a pair of home runs and three RBI. The Gamecock lefthander, who had a total of five career hits coming into the weekend, finished the series 6-for-8 with three home runs, a double and five RBI.



SEC CHAMPIONS

South Carolina had one thing in mind when the team made its drive to Tuscaloosa, Ala. for the final conference series of the season, a series victory and a conference championship. Despite a one-run loss to Alabama in the opener, Carolina knew that fate was in the team's hands. Win the final two games, South Carolina would earn a Southeastern Conference championship and the No. 1 seed at the SEC Tournament. Walker, Mooney, Wingo and Marzilli were a combined 9-for-14 in game two as Carolina held on for a 6-3 win over the Crimson Tide. That set the scene for the final day and with a championship on the line, the Gamecocks delivered as Carolina broke out of the gates with an early two-run lead off RBIs from Walker and Neff and behind solid work from Colby Holmes and three relievers the Gamecocks defeated Alabama 3-2 to claim the school's third conference championship. Matt Price came up big in the ninth inning going three up and three down to seal the championship. Price coaxed Taylor Dugas into a fly out to center field, tallied the second out on a ground ball and sealed the win with a strikeout looking against Jared Reaves.

SOUTH CAROLINA (2) GEORGIA SOUTHERN (1)

A stellar pitcher's duel went South Carolina's way as the Gamecocks outlasted Georgia Southern, 2-1, at the NCAA Columbia Regional at Carolina Stadium.

Michael Roth (12-3) got the win for the Gamecocks, pitching seven-plus innings while allowing just two hits and one unearned run while striking out four. Matt Price picked up his 16th save of the season with 1.2 perfect innings, striking out three of the five hitters he faced.

Georgia Southern righthander Andy Moye (7-2) pitched his second complete game of the year but came up just short, giving up just two runs - one earned - on four hits while striking out four and walking two.

South Carolina managed four hits in the game and Georgia Southern had just two; those numbers marked a season-low total for both teams. No player for either team had more than one hit in the game.

Brady Thomas, Adrian Morales, Jake Williams and Robert Beary had the Gamecocks' four hits; Shawn Payne and Scooter Williams had the pair for the Eagles.

Georgia Southern would find its way onto the scoreboard first in the third inning. Brent Pugh reached on a fielder's choice, then moved to second on a wild pitch. A single from Scooter Williams put runners at the corners with one out. Then, an attempt to hold the runner at first was bobbled by the Carolina first baseman, allowing Pugh to score on the play and give the Eagles a 1-0 lead.

Carolina tied the game in the fourth when Scott Wingo was hit by a pitch to lead off the inning then advanced to third as an errant pickoff throw sailed into right field. A sacrifice fly to center by Thomas brought Wingo home to tie the game at 1-1.

Carolina broke ahead in the sixth. After Christian Walker drew a one-out walk, Thomas executed a hit-and-run to perfection to put runners at the corners. Morales followed with a base hit to score Walker and give the Gamecocks the lead at 2-1.

Meanwhile, Georgia Southern continued to struggle against the Gamecock pitching. In fact, no Eagle baserunner advanced past first base after the third inning. Roth retired 11 hitters in a row before he hit the first batter of the eighth inning, giving way to John Taylor. Taylor would then record a strikeout before being lifted in favor of Price, who proceeded to strike out the next two batters to end the inning.

Price then worked a 1-2-3 ninth, including a strikeout of the nation's leading home-run hitter, Victor Roache, to end the ballgame.

SOUTH CAROLINA (11) STETSON (5)

South Carolina exploded for 10 runs in the third and fourth innings and advanced to the NCAA Columbia Regional championship game with an 11-5 win over Stetson at Carolina Stadium.

Colby Holmes (7-3) got the win with 6.2 strong innings of work, giving up four runs on seven hits while walking just one and striking out three. It was the sixth time in 2011 Holmes went six innings or longer; in all six such outings, he earned a victory.

Four Gamecocks registered multi-hit outings with Robert Beary leading the way. He went 2-for-3 with a grand slam - Carolina's second of the season - to tie a career high with four RBIs. Evan Marzilli, Scott Wingo and Christian Walker all had two hits in the game - Wingo was also hit by a pitch twice to increase his school-record career total to 59 - and Jake Williams and Peter Mooney both drove in a pair of runs.

For Stetson, it was Mitchel Brennan taking top honors with a 2-for-4 day that included a three-run home run, his second of the Columbia Regional. Jeff Simpson, Robert Crews and Sean Emory all had two hits as well.

The Hatters got on the board first when, with two outs in the second, first baseman Trey Blackman hit his first home run of the season to give Stetson a 1-0 lead.

The Gamecocks then exploded in the third and fourth innings. After Marzilli led off with a double and Wingo moved him to third with a base hit, Walker was hit by a pitch to load the bases with no one out. Marzilli would score to tie the game at 1-1 when Brady Thomas hit into a double play, putting a runner at third with two outs. However, three consecutive walks to Morales, Williams and Mooney brought home Wingo to give the Gamecocks a 2-1 lead. Beary then came through with his first career grand slam to blow the game wide open, giving the Gamecocks a 6-1 lead and delighting the Carolina Stadium crowd of 7,335.

An inning later, it was more of the same as Marzilli and Wingo led off with back-to-back singles, then Walker singled up the middle to bring home Marzilli and make it 7-1. After a walk to Thomas and a fielder's choice by Morales erased Wingo at home, Williams ripped a 2-RBI double to left center to bring home Walker and Thomas and increase the lead to 9-1. A sacrifice fly by Mooney one batter later brought home Morales, moving the Gamecocks into double digits at 10-1.

Steven Neff delivered his fifth home run of the season on the first pitch of the fifth inning, roping one into the right-field bullpen, to increase Carolina's lead to 11-1.

Stetson would not go quietly, however. With two outs in the seventh, Mitchel Brennan roped his second home run of the Columbia Regional to bring home three Hatter runs and cut the Carolina lead to 11-4.

The Hatters would threaten again in the eighth and come away empty, but they managed to scratch out one more run in the ninth. Blackman was hit by a pitch to lead off the inning, moved to second on a walk to Emory, and then scored as Brennan singled to cut the Stetson deficit to 11-5. However, John Taylor would force a groundout and strike out the final two batters he faced to complete the victory.

SOUTH CAROLINA (8) STETSON (2)

Almost 19 hours after it began, South Carolina clinched its second consecutive regional title on Monday afternoon, defeating Stetson 8-2 at Carolina Stadium in a game that was delayed overnight because of severe storms in Columbia.

John Taylor (5-1) picked up the win in relief for the Gamecocks as he went 1.2 innings, giving up one run on two hits while walking a pair. Matt Price earned his 17th save with 2.2 scoreless innings that included two strikeouts. Forrest Koumas got the start and went 4.0 innings, giving up just one run on three hits, but could not return after the game was halted Sunday night. Stetson starter Austin Perez (2-3) was charged with the loss; he gave up four runs on eight hits while walking three and striking out one in 4.1 innings of work.

The game, which began at 7 p.m. Sunday, did not conclude until mid-afternoon Monday after a severe thunderstorm nearly ripped the tarp off the infield and knocked power out to Carolina Stadium. Crews from South Carolina Electric & Gas also had to cut a fallen tree out of power lines behind the left-field bleachers where many gameday staffers and media were parked. Power was restored around 1 a.m., and the Carolina Stadium maintenance and facilities staff worked through the night to clean up debris and damage. As a result, the stadium looked no worse for wear when gates opened at 11:30 a.m. Monday.

Scott Wingo and Christian Walker led the Gamecock offensive effort as both went 3-for-4 and combined to score three runs on the day. Robert Beary and Steven Neff each went 2-for-5; Beary had a triple and Neff swatted a double for his 11th extra-base hit of the year.

For their efforts, Beary was named the Most Valuable Player of the Columbia Regional, and Wingo, Walker, Evan Marzilli, Adrian Morales and Michael Roth were named to the All-Tournament Team.

For Stetson, seven players had one hit apiece. Mark Jones and Mitchel Brennan accounted for two of the seven; both were also named to the All-Tournament Team.

A key to the Carolina victory was the success of their leadoff hitters. In six of the nine innings, the Gamecocks were able to get a leadoff runner on base. Five of those six time the runner scored, accounting for five of the Gamecocks' eight runs in the game.

It took Carolina all of two pitches to find its way on the scoreboard. On the second pitch of the game, Marzilli ripped the 0-1 offering into the right field bullpen for a leadoff home run to give the Gamecocks a 1-0 lead.

However, Stetson would answer in its half of the first. A leadoff single by Jeff Simpson, followed by a sacrifice bunt, another single and then a sacrifice fly from Nick Rickles scored Simpson to tie the game at 1-1. From that point on, however, Koumas allowed just one hit through the next three innings while striking out three.

Meanwhile, the Gamecocks were padding their lead. A leadoff triple from Beary in the third led to another run as he scored on a sacrifice fly from Marzilli to give the Gamecocks the lead back at 2-1. Wingo and Walker would then record back-to-back singles to give the Gamecocks runners at the corners with two out, but they were stranded there.

In the fourth, a leadoff walk to Morales led to another run as Williams sacrificed him to second and a base hit from Beary brought him around to make the score 3-1. Steven Neff would then rip his 11th extra-base hit of the season to put runners at second and third, but again they would be stranded as a groundout ended the inning.

For the fourth time in five innings, the leadoff runner reached in the fifth when Wingo singled for the second time in the game. Another single by Walker put two on with no out, and a sacrifice bunt from Brady Thomas moved them to second and third. After an intentional walk to Morales loaded the bases with one out, Williams hit a deep fly to right that brought home Wingo to put the Gamecocks ahead 4-1. Another walk to Mooney loaded the bases just before the game was halted at 8:24 p.m.

Neither team could do much after the restart until the Hatters put together several great at-bats in the seventh. Back-to-back singles from Trey Blackman and Sean Emory, followed by a sacrifice bunt from Brennan, put runners at second and third with one out. A walk to Simpson loaded the bases for the Hatters, leading to Price getting the call to grind out the final eight outs. And grind he did - after a long at-bat, Robert Crews reached on an error and all runners advanced to bring Stetson to within a pair at 4-2, moving the tying run to second. But Price was able to fight through two more tough at-bats and induce a flyout to right - whereupon Jake Williams fired a strike to home plate to force the runner to hold at third base - and a sharp groundout to Wingo to end the inning.

After coming away empty in the eighth, the Gamecocks doubled their offensive output in the ninth. Another leadoff single for Wingo, followed by a hit-and-run from Walker, put runners at the corners with no out. Following a Brady Thomas strikeout, Stetson elected to intentionally walk Morales for the second time in the game (his third walk overall). Exactly like in the fifth inning, Williams hit a deep fly ball to bring home Wingo and give the Gamecocks a 5-2 lead. But unlike the fifth, Mooney followed up with a base hit to bring home Walker from second to make the score 6-2. Then, with two runners still aboard, Beary roped a fly ball to deep center field that the Stetson outfielder could not haul in, leading to a two-base, two-run error to increase the Gamecocks' lead to 8-2. After that, it was all but academic for Price, despite giving up a pair of singles in the ninth. He got a groundout, a strikeout and a flyout to end the ballgame and send Carolina back to the Super Regional.

SOUTH CAROLINA (5) CONNECTICUT (1)

Lefthander Michael Roth pitched 8.1 solid innings, and second baseman Scott Wingo drove in two runs as South Carolina defeated Connecticut 5-1 in game one of the NCAA Columbia Super Regional at Carolina Stadium.

Roth (13-3) was his usual dominant self, allowing just one run - unearned - on six hits while striking out two and walking three in 8.1 innings of work. He has now gone 30.0 consecutive innings, spanning the entirety of his last four starts, without surrendering an earned run. It was Roth's seventh time this season to pitch eight or more innings. First-round draft pick Matt Barnes (11-5) took the loss for UConn, surrendering all five runs on eight hits while walking a pair and striking out six.

Wingo had his eighth two-RBI game of the season as he went 2-for-5, driving in runs in the third and fifth inning as the Gamecocks climbed out of an early hole. Evan Marzilli was also 2-for-5 in the game with a double, and Steven Neff had his fifth multi-hit game of the year with a 2-for-4 effort that included a double. On the year, 12 of Neff's 18 hits have gone for extra bases.

The Huskies jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the first when George Springer got a two-out single to center, then advanced to second as the ball was misplayed by the Gamecock outfield. He would score one batter later when Mike Nemeth singled through the left side to put the Huskies on the board.

Early on, Barnes was able to overpower the Gamecock hitters as he struck out the side in the first and fanned four total batters in his first trip through the Carolina order. But the second run through the lineup proved to be a different story.

With two out in the third, Marzilli doubled off the wall in left to put a runner in scoring position for Wingo. The Gamecock second baseman came through with a base hit, bringing Marzilli home to tie the game at 1-1.

An inning later, the Gamecocks again rallied with two outs as Jake Williams drew a walk to start things off. After Peter Mooney singled to put runners at first and third, Barnes would uncork a wild pitch that allowed Williams to score from third and give the Gamecocks a 2-1 lead.

Carolina would add some insurance and gain some breathing room in the fifth. Neff led off with a double and moved onto third base after a misplay in left field. After Marzilli struck out, Wingo came through again with a single to center, scoring Neff to put the Gamecocks up 3-1. It would be the first of four straight Carolina hits - a wild pitch moved Wingo from first to third, after which Walker singled to bring him home, increasing the Gamecock lead to 4-1. After Walker moved to second on a passed ball, Brady Thomas singled to bring home Walker and make the score 5-1. Another hit from Morales would chase Barnes from the game; the Gamecocks would get only two hits in the final 3.2 innings against the UConn bullpen.

Meanwhile, Roth was cruising. After allowing a leadoff single to John Andreoli in the third, the lefthander did not give up another hit until the seventh inning. In fact, from the third through the sixth, no UConn baserunner advanced past first base. Roth was able to get out of a jam in the seventh as Wingo started a 4-6-3 double play to erase the first hit, and then after UConn put runners at the corners with two out, he was able to get another grounder to Wingo to end the inning. He appeared to get stronger as the game went on - he recorded back-to-back strikeouts in the eighth, his first two punchouts of the game.

After Roth left to a thunderous ovation from the sellout crowd of 8,242, John Taylor only needed six pitches to end the ballgame.

SOUTH CAROLINA (8) CONNECTICUT (2)

Christian Walker hit a go-ahead solo home run in the eighth inning, and South Carolina added five more insurance runs in the ninth as the Gamecocks advanced to the College World Series for the second straight year with an 8-2 victory over Connecticut at Carolina Stadium.

For the second straight year, Walker provided the eventual winning blast for Carolina as he roped a 1-0 offering from UConn starter Greg Nappo over the wall in left field to give the Gamecocks their first lead of the game at 3-2, sending the Carolina Stadium sellout crowd of 8,242 into a frenzy. It was in the eighth inning of the 2010 Super Regional against Coastal Carolina in Myrtle Beach that Walker hit a two-out, two-strike, three-run bomb that gave Carolina a 10-9 lead and propelled the Gamecocks to victory and kept alive the eventual national championship run.

The Gamecocks still needed an insurance run in the ninth. They batted around and got five - with just two hits.

Evan Marzilli led things off with a walk, then moved to third when Scott Wingo attempted a sacrifice bunt. He beat the throw to first for a base hit, and the UConn infield misplayed the ball, allowing Marzilli to move to third. The Huskies then intentionally walked Walker to load the bases and went to the bullpen for their closer, Kevin Vance. Brady Thomas would take Vance's first offering to deep left field, scoring Marzilli on the sacrifice fly to make it 4-2 Carolina as all three runners advanced. Another intentional walk, this one to Adrian Morales, brought Jake Williams to the plate, who entered the game 6-for-11 with the bases loaded. But the second pitch to Williams hit him in the leg, bringing home Wingo to make it 5-2.

Peter Mooney, who had hit several balls hard on the night, finally got one to fall. He ripped a double to the gap in right-center, scoring Walker and Morales to give the Gamecocks a 7-2 lead. A groundout from Robert Beary one batter later brought home

Williams from third to make it 8-2 and give Carolina closer Matt Price a lot of breathing room. He needed very little, actually. A one-out single and a walk were all the Huskies managed in the ninth as Price struck out the final two batters he faced, setting off the traditional "doggpile" celebration on the Carolina Stadium pitcher's mound.

John Taylor (6-1) earned the win with 1.2 innings of relief, allowing no runs on two hits while walking and striking out one apiece; he was the pitcher of record when the Gamecocks took the lead. Colby Holmes got the start and pitched quite well, save for one bad stretch in the second inning where he gave up four straight hits. He went 4.1 innings, giving up two runs on five hits while striking out two and walking none. Price earned his 17th save of the year with two scoreless innings, striking out four. UConn starter Greg Nappo (10-3) took the loss as he gave up three runs on 10 hits in 7.1 innings.

Williams, Mooney and Beary all finished with two hits and two RBIs on the night to lead the Gamecock offensive effort. Morales also had two hits and scored a pair of runs. Wingo was the fifth Gamecock to register two hits on the night as Carolina totaled 12 as a team, equaling their best output of the postseason.

For Connecticut, the 7-8-9 hitters in their lineup were a combined 6-for-11 while the rest of the Huskies were 4-for-24 on the night.

UConn looked like it would take the life out of the ballpark early as the Huskies jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the second inning. After the first two batters to the plate failed to reach base, UConn put together four straight hits. Nick Ahmed started with a single, then went to third as Elliot had a base hit of his own. Martin then singled to bring home Ahmed and give the Huskies a 1-0 lead, and then Ferriter ripped a base hit to center, scoring Elliot to make it 2-0.

From that point on, however, the Gamecocks managed to keep Connecticut off the scoreboard. Holmes retired the next seven batters he faced and only allowed one more hit before giving way to Jose Mata with one in the fifth. Mata only faced two batters, but induced a double play and a groundout in his relief stint.

The double-play ball was quite nice to the Gamecocks as the fifth, sixth and seventh innings all ended on the twin killing. None was bigger than the bottom of the sixth, though. After Tyler Webb gave up a single to the one batter he faced, Taylor allowed another hit to Ryan Fuller that put runners at the corners with one out. An intentional walk to Ahmed loaded the bases. But the Gamecocks got what they were looking for - a one-hopper straight back to Taylor, who got the force out at home and then saw Beary fire to first to end the inning.

Carolina first got on the board in the fourth. Brady Thomas doubled with one out for the Gamecocks' second hit of the game, and then with two outs, Jake Williams ripped a double down the right field line to bring home Thomas and put the Gamecocks on the board at 2-1.

The Gamecocks would tie the game in the sixth as Morales singled to bring up Williams again. For his second straight at-bat, he came through with a base hit to put two on with one out. After Mooney flied out to right for the second out, Beary blooped a base hit into shallow center, allowing Morales to score and tie the game at 2-2; Williams was caught between second and third to end the inning.

After Walker's blast in the eighth, the Gamecocks continued to threaten. A double by Morales and an intentional walk to Williams put two on with one out for Mooney. He hit a frozen rope toward the gap in left center, but UConn center fielder George Springer made a diving catch for the second out, forcing the runners to return. After Beary reached on a fielder's choice and the runners advanced on an error, Steven Neff hit a deep fly to center, but again Springer made a highlight-reel, over-the-shoulder catch on the warning track to end the inning.

South Carolina finished its home season with a 36-4 record, its best at Carolina Stadium and the second-best under Tanner.

SOUTH CAROLINA (5) TEXAS A&M (4)

Scott Wingo's bases loaded RBI single off the base of the right field wall in the bottom of the ninth inning lifted South Carolina to a 5-4 victory over Texas A&M (47-21) on day two of the 2011 College World Series. The Gamecocks advanced to the winner's bracket of the CWS to face top seeded Virginia.

Wingo, who had a career-high four hits on the night and reached base all five times, knocked a 1-2 pitch from Texas A&M reliever Nick Fleece with no outs and the bases loaded to lift Carolina to the one-run victory. Wingo's walk-off hit was his fourth of the season as well, with previous walk-off hits vs. Georgia, Auburn and Arkansas. The inning began with a double by Robert Beary off the right field wall that just missed a home run and was followed up by a base hit by Jackie Bradley Jr. and a walk to Evan Marzilli to set the stage for Wingo's heroics.

"I just saw they brought an outfielder in and I was really trying to get the ball in the air," said Wingo. "When I got two strikes on me, I just tried to battle and I think he threw me an inside fastball I just got it up."

Gamecock reliever Matt Price earned the win after retiring a pair of batters in the ninth inning. He is now 6-3 for the year. Texas A&M reliever Kyle Martin suffered the loss and is 2-3 for the season. He allowed the leadoff double to Beary in the ninth, the lone batter he faced.

Both starters competed strong in the CWS opener for both squads as Gamecock junior left-hander Michael Roth and Texas A&M junior right-hander Ross Stripling

kept matching zeroes after zeroes after both teams took advantage of a pair of errors to score four runs apiece in the first inning. After allowing three hits in the first two innings, Roth would allow just one hit the rest of the way as he went 7.1 innings and struck out eight batters while walking five. All four runs yielded by Roth were unearned. He has a streak of 37.1 innings dating back to his May 13 start vs. Arkansas without allowing an earned run, that is five consecutive starts for Roth in that span. His season ERA is now 0.97. Stripling went eight innings for Texas A&M and allowed four runs, two earned, on seven hits with six strikeouts and a walk in a no-decision.

"It was a great college baseball game," said South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner. "Going into the first inning tonight, I have to admit that I had been paying attention to the other games and the other pitchers; it appeared that every pitcher seemed to scuffle a little bit in the first inning. Roth had to get in the battle mode and they had the four-spot and we came back and battled our way back into it with a four-spot. Roth did what he's accustomed to doing for us. He gave us a chance to win."

Texas A&M got on board first with four unearned runs in the top of the first inning. Tyler Naquin reached base to lead off the game on a fielding error by Gamecock first baseman Christian Walker. A one-out walk to Matt Juengel gave A&M a pair of runners and TAMU would score their first run on a RBI single up the middle courtesy of Jacob House. After Kevin Gonzales loaded the bases on a two-out walk, the Aggies plated home three runs on a three-run triple off the bat of Brandon Wood down the right field line.

The Gamecocks however answered and tied it up at 4-4 in the bottom half of the first. Marzilli had a leadoff walk followed by a single to Scott Wingo and a base hit by Christian Walker that loaded the bases for no outs. After Stripling balked in Marzilli for a run, Adrian Morales knocked in a run on a grounder to second baseman Andrew Collazo, who threw high to first base allowing both Wingo and Walker to score and advancing Morales to second base. With two outs and Morales on third base, Peter Mooney laced a RBI single through the right side that tied the game up.

South Carolina had 10 hits to just four for Texas A&M. Along with four from Wingo, the Gamecocks also got a 2-for-4 day from Beary. Jackie Bradley Jr. made his first start since April 23 following a wrist injury, his first start in 26 games.

SOUTH CAROLINA (7) VIRGINIA (1)

No. 4 national seed South Carolina (52-14) scored three times in the top of the first and never looked back as they handed top-ranked Virginia (55-11) a 7-1 setback in a winner's bracket game at the 2011 College World Series.

"We played probably one of our better games of the year tonight and we certainly needed it playing a team the quality of Virginia," said South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner. "We pitched extremely well. We played real tough defense, had some timely hitting. Really, probably can't play any better than that."

For the second straight game, the Gamecocks put together a productive first inning. After the first two batters were retired, Christian Walker reached on an error. Jackie Bradley Jr. followed with a run-scoring double into the right-centerfield gap for his first RBI since April 19. Adrian Morales bounced a single over the first baseman's head, scoring Bradley Jr. to make it 2-0. Morales was awarded third base on the play when Virginia errantly tossed the relay throw into the Gamecock dugout. Brady Thomas then belted a double that bounced at the foot of the centerfield wall, scoring Morales, and giving Carolina an early 3-0 lead.

Carolina extended its lead in the third. Morales, Thomas and Peter Mooney stroked consecutive two-out singles, plating a run and giving Carolina a 4-0 advantage.

The Gamecocks chased Virginia starter Will Roberts in the fourth inning when Jake Williams led off with a triple to right-center and scored on Evan Marzilli's double to left. After Wingo sacrificed Marzilli to third, Walker greeted reliever Cody Winiarski with a double down the left field line, extending the lead to 6-0. Roberts was tagged with the loss, just his second of the season in 13 decisions. Williams' triple, his sixth of the season, tied the school single-season record held by Brian Buscher.

Virginia finally got on the board in the bottom of the fourth when John Hicks hammered a 1-0 offering from Colby Holmes over the left field wall for a solo home run. Hicks' eighth of the season was the first hit allowed by Holmes on the evening.

The Cavaliers tried to mount a rally in the fifth. They loaded the bases on two hits and a walk with just one out, forcing head coach Ray Tanner to go to his bullpen. But senior reliever John Taylor worked out of the jam by inducing an inning-ending 1-2-3 double play to preserve the 6-1 advantage. Holmes left the contest after allowing just one run on four hits while matching his career high with seven strikeouts. Taylor was credited with the win after tossing a career-high 4.1 scoreless innings of one-hit relief, improving his record to 7-1 on the season.

"Colby gave us a quality start," added Tanner. "I really felt bad getting him out of there when I did, but we lost the pop-up in the sky there, and just felt like we needed to try to put a ball on the ground. It was 6-1 at that point and they were getting ready to get back in the game. Fortunately, J.T. rode a comebacker and we got out of that. As I said, that is a huge inning. We played extremely well on all fronts and won one of the biggest games of the year for us."

South Carolina added an insurance run in the eighth. Robert Beary led off with a walk, advanced on a sacrifice bunt and after a groundout scored on a two-out RBI single to right by Walker.

An announced crowd of 22,027 was on hand to see the Gamecocks pound out 13 hits on the night, including three each by Morales and Thomas. Virginia was limited to five hits and committed all three of the game's errors.

SOUTH CAROLINA (3) VIRGINIA (2)

The No. 4 national seed South Carolina Gamecocks took advantage of two throwing errors that led to the winning run and advanced to the Championship Series of the 2011 College World Series with a 3-2 13-inning walk-off win over the No. 1 national seed Virginia Cavaliers on Friday night at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha.

"It really has been amazing," said South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner. "I just - I admire these guys and the players we've had the last couple of years. Their work ethic, their desire to play, to win - they show up and go every day and we've been very fortunate. These (players) do it between the lines. And that's just hard - it's so hard - and I coached for a long time and was unable to get to Omaha as a head coach and then we were able to be here for a few times. It's something you never take for granted. We played in the Finals last year and we get back there again. It's really hard to explain. I'm grateful. These guys deserve a tremendous amount of credit. They've been able to perform in the most difficult circumstances. We've had some outstanding players at different times step up. It's all I can say, really. I'm just ecstatic to be part of this group."

Brady Thomas led off the bottom of the 13th with a solid single to center for the Gamecocks (53-14). Cody Winiarski, the fourth Cavalier pitcher of the evening, tried to nail pinch runner Adam Matthews at second base on Peter Mooney's bunt attempt, but threw wildly and both runners were safe. Robert Beary then laid down a sacrifice bunt that Winiarski threw past the third base bag and bounced out of play, allowing Matthews to scamper home with the winning run. The win sends the defending national champion Gamecocks to the Championship round for the second straight year.

"I obviously knew we were bunting," said Matthews. "The pitcher, he made a heck of a play when I was going to second. Supposedly he swung it down there really good. He overthrew it a bit. I saw it get past him. Thought about going to third but I'm glad I didn't because the center fielder was backing up pretty good. Beary had a great bunt there then and I slid in head first to third. And the umpire motioned, signaled I was safe. I got up. I didn't know where the ball was. Coach Holbrook and everyone was telling me to go, go, go, so it worked out well."

Gamecock reliever Matt Price (7-3) pulled a Houdini act in escaping the top of the 13th inning, giving Carolina a chance for the win in the bottom of the frame. David Coleman opened the Virginia 13th with a leadoff walk. Colin Harrison followed with a single to short. Keith Werman bunted for a base hit to load the bases with no outs. After a strikeout, John Barr lined out to second baseman Scott Wingo, who flipped to shortstop Mooney, doubling Harrington off second. Price threw 5.2 scoreless innings of relief, allowing seven hits and five walks with five strikeouts while throwing 95 pitches. Price's 5.2 innings was a season-high and the fourth time that he has thrown at least 3.0 innings this year.

"I don't know where to begin," said Tanner. "That game had so much involved in that and I said to Michael (Roth) after the game, I said: Did you pitch tonight? It seemed like so long ago that he was in the game. But he had a great start for us and put us in a great position. We misplayed a couple of balls to give them a chance to tie it up and then it was off and running. We escaped a couple of jams. They got out of a couple. Coach O'Connor and his staff, they have tremendous players. And we knew it was going to be like this. We didn't expect to be extra innings so much, but this game certainly could have gone either way and we just kept hanging in there and were fortunate to get a couple of breaks at the end."

Trailing 1-0, the Gamecocks got on the board in the bottom of the fourth inning as they jumped on Cavalier reliever Kyle Crockett. Christian Walker belted a one-out double to the right field wall. Jackie Bradley Jr. followed with a single to short and Adrian Morales was hit by a pitch to load the bases. Brady Thomas lofted a two-run double to left, giving Carolina its first lead of the game at 2-1.

The lead held until the eighth inning when the Gamecock defense, which had been steady all season, betrayed them. Curtis Taylor reached on a throwing error by Morales to open the inning. After he moved to second on a sacrifice bunt, John Hicks grounder scooted between the legs of Mooney for an error, scoring Taylor with the game-tying run.

The Gamecocks wasted a golden opportunity in the bottom of the eighth inning. Jake Williams singled to lead off the frame and moved to second on a sacrifice bunt. Wingo was hit by a pitch and Walker walked on four pitches to load the bases. But Cavalier closer Branden Kline was able to strikeout both Bradley Jr. and Morales, ending the threat. The Gamecocks fanned a season-high 18 times on the evening.

Both starting pitchers, the staff aces, were impressive. Carolina lefthander Michael Roth worked the first seven innings, allowing four hits and one run with two walks and three strikeouts. Virginia southpaw hurler Danny Hultzen, the second player taken in the MLB draft earlier this month, was outstanding in his 3.0 innings of work before leaving the game due to illness. He fanned eight of the 10 batters he faced, while throwing 32 of 40 pitches for strikes. Cavalier hurler Branden Kline was effective in relief, hurling 5.0 scoreless frames, allowing just three hits with seven strikeouts.

Virginia's run in the top of the second inning was the first earned run allowed by Michael Roth since May 13, snapping a streak of 38.1 innings.

SOUTH CAROLINA (2) FLORIDA (1)

For the second straight game, the Gamecocks used a pair of throwing errors to score the winning run in extra innings, as No. 4 national seed South Carolina outlasted the No. 2 national seed Florida Gators, 2-1 in 11 innings, in the first game of the best-of-three College World Series Championship Series in Omaha.

With one out in the 11th, Christian Walker, who was playing with a fractured hamate bone in his left wrist, singled up the middle. With Walker attempting to steal second base, catcher Mike Zunino's throw sailed into centerfield, allowing Walker to scramble to third. Centerfielder Bryson Smith's throw then bounced past the third base bag and into the stands, allowing Walker to score the go-ahead run.

"I knew it was going to take a lot of pain specifically for me not to play," said Walker. I can't say enough about (South Carolina athletic trainer) Brainard Cooper and Dr. (John) Walsh and Dr. (Chris) Mazoue (of USC Orthopedics & Sports Medicine) and (also) everybody at Methodist Hospital for doing everything they did. And you know, for the last half of yesterday, I think I didn't think I was going to be able to play. But you know, they came out and really - I mean I'm speechless about it. They did a great job. I can't thank them enough."

Florida (53-18) got on the board first in the bottom of the third inning without the benefit of a hit. Tyler Thompson led off the inning with a walk, was sacrificed to second, moved to third on a wild pitch and scored on Cody Dent's sacrifice fly.

The lead lasted until the eighth when the Gamecocks (54-14) finally got to Gator starter Hudson Randall. Peter Mooney led off with a walk, moved to second on Robert Beary's sacrifice bunt, advanced to third on Evan Marzilli's fly to center and scored on Scott Wingo's clutch two-out RBI single up the middle. Wingo's hit was his first since going 4-for-4 in the MCWS opener against Texas A&M on June 19.

"Randall had my number all night," said Wingo. "That last at-bat, I think I swung through two sliders and I just said to myself: Stay late. If I get beat inside, I get beat inside. He threw another curveball and I was able to hit it up the middle."

The Gators had a strong opportunity to win the game in the bottom of the ninth. With John Taylor on the mound for Carolina, Zunino opened the inning with a walk. After failing on two sacrifice bunt attempts, Brian Johnson laced a single to right field, advancing Zunino to third. John Adams was intentionally walked to load the bases with no one out. With the infield pulled in, Wingo made a diving stop on Tyler Thompson's grounder and threw to the plate to nail Zunino for the first out. Daniel Pigott then bounced into a 4-2-3 inning-ending double play, sending the game into extra innings.

"After we got an out and the infield was in and Pigott comes up, he's a good runner," said South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner. "We turned it the hard way. Would we have been able to turn it had (the defense) been back and you would say, well, maybe, because it seemed like a tailor-made double play. But he runs really well and you can't be close, even if you don't get a double play you get the out at the plate and you're still playing. My coaches are sitting there and we were afraid that he's such a good runner that he could stay out of a double play. That's why I kept (the infield) in."

"I'm out there to make plays," added Wingo. "John gave us two ground balls, so that was big. I just focus on the ball. Big pick by (South Carolina catcher Robert) Beary. Real big pick by Beary."

Both teams had a chance to score in the 10th. The Gamecocks had runners on first and second with one out before Nick Maronde, the fourth Gator hurler, worked out of the jam. The Gators nearly plated the winning run in the bottom of the frame when Zunino singled to left, but Jake Williams gunned down Dent, who was trying to score from second base, to end the threat.

"I had one of those weird intuitions that the ball was going to get hit to me, honestly, and I was just ready to make an accurate throw and try to get it in the air and make it have a close chance for a play," said Williams. "The ball was sure enough hit to me and I got a good throw on it."

Taylor worked two scoreless innings of relief to earn the win and improve his record to 8-1, while Maronde (0-1) was tagged with the loss. Matt Price worked around a leadoff single in the 11th for his 19th save of the season.

Forrest Koumas, the Gamecock starter, was effective in his first appearance at the CWS. He worked 5.2 innings, allowing just three hits and one run with one walk and four strikeouts. The freshman hurler, who was making his first appearance since a four-inning stint against Stetson on June 5, threw 86 pitches, 54 for strikes.

"Coach Meyers just told me to stick to what I've been doing, hitting the spots and let the defense play behind me," said Koumas.

Hudson Randall, the Gators' sophomore right-hander, allowed just three runners through the first seven frames - a first-inning double by Christian Walker, an infield error on a ball hit by Adrian Morales in the second, and a fourth-inning single by Morales. He left the contest after tossing 7.2 innings in which he surrendered just three hits and one run with one walk and six strikeouts. He threw 84 pitches, 56 for strikes.

"Incredible college baseball game," said Tanner. "I thought we were going to have trouble getting a guy on base there for a long time against Hudson Randall. He was very special. You see (Danny) Hultzen (of Virginia) a few nights ago, and you see Randall go out there tonight. Although they are different guys, they have one thing in common; they're very special on the mound. We were just able to hang in there and keep to a minimum."

SOUTH CAROLINA (5) FLORIDA (2)

The South Carolina Gamecocks rode the stellar pitching of Michael Roth to defeat the Florida Gators, 5-2, and sweep the best-of-three College World Series Championship Series Tuesday night at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha in front of an announced crowd of 26,721. The win gave the Gamecocks back-to-back National Championships in Division I College Baseball. Carolina finished 10-0 in the 2011 NCAA Tournament (3-0 in Regional, 2-0 in Super Regional, 5-0 in MCWS) becoming the first team to go 10-0 in NCAA Tournament play in one season.

The Gamecocks, who entered the tournament as the number four national seed, have now established NCAA records with 16 consecutive postseason wins and 11 consecutive wins in the College World Series. While in Omaha, South Carolina defeated Texas A&M, number one seed Virginia twice, and number two seed Florida twice without a loss. Carolina becomes only the ninth repeat champion in MCWS history and first since Oregon State in 2006 and 2007.

"It's difficult to put into words what we've experienced in the last few days and having been at Rosenblatt last year and having the good fortune of closing that out and getting an opportunity to come to T.D. Ameritrade this year was very special," said South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner. "Of course you get here, you want to win a game or two and we've really played some great baseball while we were here and it's hard for me to understand it all right now. I'll have to let it sink in a little bit. I want to take a moment to recognize Coach O'Sullivan and the Florida Gators. What a great team, what a tremendous team, classy organization. They play the game the right way. You never like to lose games but you like to play people like the Gators and Coach O'Sullivan because you get after it and you play the game the right way. You can rest assured; he'll be back in Omaha time and time again. Our players, they've made it happen between the lines. They made plays. They made pitches. They got big hits. They always felt they had a chance to win. They believed. I thought they did a tremendous job of keeping baseball in perspective. We never thought that we were an awesome time; we just thought we were good enough to win at times. When the opportunity would present itself, we could try to find a way late in the game to win some games. And not often we go double-digit hits or double-digit runs but these guys believed they could win and they got in position to do that a lot."

The Gamecocks (55-14) broke out in front in the bottom of the third inning when they sent eight men to the plate, scoring three times off Florida starter Karsten Whitson (8-1). Peter Mooney led off the frame with a double down the left field line and advanced to third on Robert Beary's sacrifice bunt. After Evan Marzilli walked, Scott Wingo lofted a sacrifice fly to right, scoring Mooney with the game's first run. After Jackie Bradley Jr. walked, Christian Walker's bouncer to short eluded Nolan Fontana and rolled into centerfield for an error, allowing Marzilli to score and sending Bradley to third. Brady Thomas chopped an infield single over the pitcher's mound, scoring Bradley Jr. and putting Carolina on top 3-0.

Florida (53-19) answered with a single run in the top of the fourth. Mike Zunino led off the inning with a home run over the left field wall. The solo blast was his team-leading 19th round tripper and just the third home run allowed by Roth all season. Zunino had three of the Gators' six hits on the night.

The Gators had chances to get closer when they put their first two batters on base in both the fifth and sixth innings, but Roth was able to work his way out both jams.

South Carolina got an insurance run in the bottom of the sixth when Mooney crushed a 3-1 offering from reliever Tommy Toledo into the Gator bullpen beyond the right field wall for his fourth home run of the season, giving the Gamecocks a 4-1 advantage. Mooney's round tripper was the only home run hit by the Gamecocks in their five-game stay in Omaha.

Florida cut the deficit to 4-2 with a run in the top of the eighth. Zunino doubled to center off Roth and scored on John Adams' two-out single off reliever John Taylor, but Matt Price caught pinch-hitter Tyler Thompson looking to end the uprising.

Carolina came right back with one of its own in the bottom of the frame. Beary singled to center, moved to second on Marzilli's sacrifice bunt, advanced to third on a wild pitch and scored on Wingo's bouncer to right over the pulled-in infield.

Roth (14-3) was lifted after 7.2 innings of work. The junior southpaw allowed just five hits and two runs with two walks and six strikeouts. He threw 127 pitches, 77 for strikes. In 38.1 innings of work over the past two years at the College World Series, Roth has posted a 1.17 ERA, second-best all-time. Price worked the final 1.1 innings for his 20th save of the season. That 20th save ties for second on South Carolina's single-season list. He is also now tied with Rob Mosser (1990-93) for the career record at Carolina with 30 saves.

For the season, Roth now ranks on South Carolina's single-season charts in ERA (2nd, 1.06), starts (T1st, 20), Innings (3rd, 145) and wins (T5th, 14). Roth's 14 wins ties for the national lead with his ERA second nationally.

As a team, South Carolina finished with a 1.31 ERA in 10 NCAA Tournament games. The Gamecocks' bullpen finished 6-0 with five saves and a 0.53 ERA in 33.2 innings of work in the NCAs and did now allow an extra base-hit the entire CWS.

South Carolina had six players that made the 2011 NCAA Division I Baseball Men's College World Series All-Tournament Team. Catcher Robert Beary, first baseman Christian Walker, second baseman Scott Wingo, shortstop Peter Mooney, designated hitter Brady Thomas and pitchers Michael Roth and Matt Price.

2016 BASEBALL 2011 National Champions - Recap/Postseason Box Scores

Wingo was named Most Outstanding Player as well. Wingo hit .333 over five games in the series with four RBI including three in the finals and also made several stellar defensive plays throughout the CWS. He has now been hit by 63 pitches in his career, extending school record. Wingo finished his career having appeared in 254 games, one shy of the school record (255 Michael Campbell (2003-06)).

2011 Roster

3	Adrian Morales	INF
4	Robert Beary	OF/C
5	Patrick Harrington	OF/C
6	Peter Mooney	INF
8	Scott Wingo	INF
9	Steven Neff	LHP/OF
10	Drake Thomason	RHP
11	Will Casey	LHP
13	Christian Walker	1B
14	John Taylor	RHP
15	Nolan Belcher	LHP
17	Jose Mata	RHP
18	Dante Rosenberg	C
19	Jackie Bradley Jr.	OF
20	Jake Watson	INF
22	Matt Price	RHP
25	Adam Westmoreland	LHP
26	Adam Matthews	OF
27	Forrest Koumas	RHP
28	Spencer Jordan	RHP
29	Michael Roth	LHP/1B
30	Erik Payne	INF
31	Evan Marzilli	OF
33	Alex Burrell	LHP
34	Greg Brodzinski	C
35	Logan Munson	LHP
36	Brady Thomas	C
38	Tyler Webb	LHP
39	Patrick Sullivan	RHP
40	Jake Williams	OF
42	DeSean Anderson	OF
44	Colby Holmes	RHP
45	Bryan Harper	LHP

Head Coach: Ray Tanner
Associate Head Coach: Chad Holbrook
Assistant Head Coach: Jerry Meyers
Assistant Coach: Sammy Esposito
Student Assistant Coach: Brian Buscher

South Carolina 2, Georgia Southern 1 June 3, 2011

G.Southern	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Payne, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Phillips, ss	4	0	0	0	0	1
Roache, rf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Cochrane, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Burruss, dh	3	0	0	0	0	1
Richardson, c	2	0	0	0	0	1
Morgan, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Pugh, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	1
Brown, ph/3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Williams, lf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	27	1	2	0	2	8

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, cf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Wingo, 2b	3	1	0	0	0	1
Walker, 1b	3	1	0	0	1	0
Thomas, c	3	0	1	1	0	0
Morales, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Williams, lf	2	0	1	0	1	0
Mooney, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Beary, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Matthews, dh	3	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	26	2	4	2	2	4

GSU	001	000	000	1	2	1
SC	000	101	00X	2	4	1

E - Moye, Walker. DP - SC 2. LOB - GSU 2; SC 5. HBP - T Richardson; Wingo. SH - Mooney. SF - Thomas. SB - Beary.

G. Southern	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Moye	8.0	4	2	1	2	4

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	7.0	2	1	0	2	4
Taylor	0.1	0	0	0	0	1
Price	1.2	0	0	0	0	3

Win - Roth. Loss - Moye. Save - Price
WP - Roth. HBP - by Moye (Wingo); by Roth (T. Richardson). Time: 2:16. Attendance: 8,091

South Carolina 11, Stetson 5 June 4, 2011

Stetson	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Simpson, lf	5	0	2	1	0	1
Crews, 2b	5	0	2	0	0	2
Carhart, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Lashley, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rickles, c	3	0	0	0	0	0
Carlton, c	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jones, ss	4	0	0	0	0	1
Theisen, cf	3	1	0	0	1	0
Blackman, 1b	3	2	1	1	0	1
Emory, dh	3	1	2	0	1	0
Brennan, rf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Totals	36	5	10	5	2	7

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, cf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Wingo, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	1
Walker, 1b	4	1	2	1	0	1
Thomas, dh	4	1	0	0	1	1
Morales, 3b	4	2	1	0	1	0
Williams, rf	3	1	1	2	1	0
Mooney, ss	2	1	1	2	1	0
Beary, c	3	1	2	4	0	0
Neff, lf	4	1	1	1	0	2
Totals	32	11	12	10	4	5

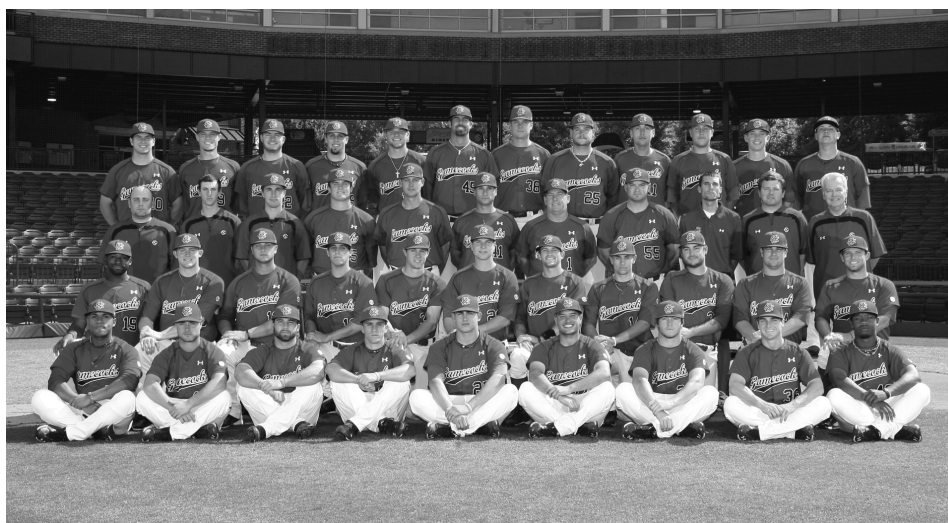
STET	010	000	301	5	10	0
SC	006	410	00X	11	12	0

DP - STET 3; SC 1. LOB - STET 7; SC 6. 2B - Simpson; Marzilli; Williams; Beary. HR - Blackman; Brennan; Beary; Neff. HBP - Blackman; Wingo 2; Walker; Beary. SF - Mooney. SB - Wingo.

Stetson	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Dorsey	2.2	7	6	6	3	2
Griffin	0.1	3	4	4	1	1
Dye	2.0	2	1	1	0	0
O'Neill	3.0	0	0	0	0	2

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Holmes	6.2	7	4	4	1	3
Webb	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Mata	0.2	2	0	0	0	2
Harper	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor	1.0	1	1	1	1	2

Win - Holmes. Loss - Dorsey.
HBP - by Dorsey (Walker); by Dye (Wingo); by O'Neill (Beary); by O'Neill (Wingo); by Taylor (Blackman). Time: 2:47. Attendance - 7,335.



South Carolina 8, Stetson 2
June 5/6, 2011

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Wingo, 2b	4	2	3	0	1	0
Walker, 1b	4	1	3	0	1	0
Thomas, dh	4	0	0	0	0	2
Morales, 3b	2	2	0	0	3	1
Williams, rf	2	0	0	2	0	1
Mooney, ss	3	1	1	1	2	0
Beary, c	5	1	2	1	0	0
Neff, lf	5	0	2	0	0	1
Totals	33	8	12	6	7	5

Stetson	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Simpson, lf	3	1	1	0	2	1
Crews, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Carhart, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	0
Rickles, c	3	0	0	1	0	1
Jones, ss	3	0	1	0	1	1
Theisen, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Blackman, 1b	4	1	1	0	0	2
Emory, dh	4	0	1	0	0	1
Brennan, rf	2	0	1	0	1	1
Totals	30	2	7	2	5	7

SC	101	110	004	8	12	1
STET	100	000	100	2	7	1

E - Morales; Theisen. DP - SC 2; STET 1. LOB - SC 10; STET 10. 2B - Neff. 3B - Beary. HR - Marzilli. HBP - Theisen. SH - Thomas; Williams; Crews; Brennan. SF - Marzilli; Williams 2; Rickles. CS - Jones.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Koumas	4.0	3	1	1	2	3
Webb	0.2	0	0	0	1	2
Taylor	1.2	2	1	1	2	0
Price	2.2	2	0	0	0	2

Stetson	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Perez	4.1	8	4	4	3	1
Dye	0.1	0	0	0	1	0
Boyd	3.1	3	2	2	2	3
Griffin	0.1	0	1	0	1	1
Powell	0.1	1	1	0	0	0
Dorsey	0.1	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Taylor. Loss - Perez. Save - Price
HBP - by Price (Theisen). Time: 3:18. Attendance: 6,718

South Carolina 5, Connecticut 1
June 11, 2011

Connecticut	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Mazzilli, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Andreoli, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Springer, cf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Nemeth, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Fuller, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Ahmed, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Elliot, c	3	0	1	0	1	0
Friel, dh	2	0	0	0	1	0
Martin, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ferriter, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	6	1	3	2

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, cf	5	1	2	0	0	2
Wingo, 2b	5	1	2	2	0	1
Walker, 1b	3	1	1	1	1	1
Thomas, dh	3	0	1	1	1	0
Morales, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, rf	2	1	0	0	2	1
Mooney, ss	3	0	1	0	1	1
Beary, c	4	0	0	0	0	1
Neff, lf	4	1	2	0	0	2
Totals	33	5	10	4	5	9

UCONN	100	000	000	1	6	2
SC	001	130	00X	5	10	3

E - Springer; Ferriter; Marzilli; Morales; Mooney. DP - SC 2; LOB - UCONN 8; SC 9. 2B - Marzilli; Neff. SB - Marzilli; Morales. CS - Williams

Connecticut	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Barnes	4.1	8	5	5	2	6
Feehan	2.2	1	0	0	3	2
Glynn	1.0	1	0	0	0	1

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	8.1	6	1	0	3	2
Taylor	0.2	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Roth. Loss - Barnes.
WP - Barnes 2. PB - Elliot. Time: 2:45. Attendance: 8,242.

South Carolina 8, Connecticut 2
June 12, 2011

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, cf	4	1	0	0	1	2
Wingo, 2b	5	1	2	0	0	2
Walker, 1b	4	2	1	1	1	1
Thomas, dh	3	1	1	1	0	0
Morales, 3b	4	2	2	0	1	0
Williams, rf	3	1	2	2	1	0
Mooney, ss	4	0	2	2	1	0
Beary, c	5	0	2	2	0	0
Neff, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	8	12	8	5	5

Connecticut	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Mazzilli, 2b	5	0	0	0	0	1
Andreoli, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Springer, cf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Nemeth, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Fuller, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	2
Ahmed, ss	3	1	1	0	1	0
Elliot, c	4	1	2	0	0	0
Martin, dh	3	0	2	1	1	0
Ferriter, lf	4	0	2	1	0	2
Totals	35	10	13	8	6	6

SC	000	101	015	8	12	1
UCONN	020	000	000	2	10	2

E - Wingo; Mazzilli; Fischer. DP - SC 3. LOB - SC 10; UCONN 8. 2B - Thomas; Morales; Williams; Mooney; Beary. HR - Walker. HBP - Thomas; Williams. SF - Thomas

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Holmes	4.1	5	2	2	0	2
Mata	1.0	0	0	0	0	0
Webb	0.0	1	0	0	0	0
Taylor	1.2	2	0	0	1	1
Price	2.0	2	0	0	1	4

Connecticut	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Nappo	7.1	10	3	3	1	5
Fischer	0.2	1	3	3	3	0
Vance	1.0	1	2	2	1	0

Win - Taylor. Loss - Nappo. Save - Price.
WP - Taylor. HBP - by Nappo (Thomas); by Vance (Williams). PB - Beary. Time: 2:46. Attendance: 8,242.



South Carolina 5, Texas A&M 4
June 19, 2011

Texas A&M	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Naquin, rf	4	1	0	0	0	1
Bratsen, cf	3	0	1	0	0	2
Juengel, dh	1	1	0	0	3	0
House, 1b	4	1	1	1	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	3
Curl, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gonzalez, c	2	1	0	0	2	1
Wood, lf	3	0	1	3	0	1
Jackson, ss	4	0	1	0	0	1
Collazo, 2b/3b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	29	4	4	4	5	10

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, rf	3	1	1	0	2	0
Wingo, 2b	4	1	4	1	0	0
Walker, 1b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Thomas, dh	4	0	0	0	0	3
Morales, 3b	4	1	0	1	0	0
Williams, lf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Mooney, ss	4	0	1	1	0	1
Beary, c	4	1	2	0	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	4	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	35	5	10	3	2	6

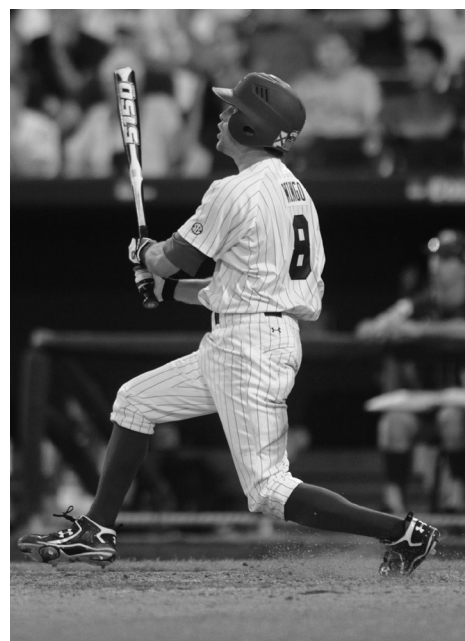
TAM	400	000	000	4	4	1
SC	400	000	001	5	10	1

E - Collazo; Walker. DP - SC 1. LOB - TAM 5; SC 9.
2B - Wingo; Beary. 3B - Wood. HBP - Wingo. SH -
Bratsen; Wood. SB - Juengel; House.

Texas A&M	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Stripling	8.0	7	4	2	1	6
Martin	0.0	1	1	1	0	0
Fleece	0.0	2	0	0	1	0

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	7.1	4	4	0	5	8
Taylor	1.0	0	0	0	0	1
Price	0.2	0	0	0	0	1

Win - Price. Loss - Martin.
WP - Stripling 2. HBP - by Stripling (Wingo). BK -
Stripling.
Time: 2:42. Attendance: 23,395

South Carolina 7, Virginia 1
June 21, 2011

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, rf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Wingo, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Walker, 1b	5	1	2	2	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	5	1	2	1	0	1
Morales, 3b	5	2	3	1	0	1
Thomas, dh	4	0	3	1	0	1
Matthews, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Mooney, ss	4	0	1	1	0	1
Beary, c	4	1	0	0	1	0
Williams, lf	3	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	39	7	13	7	2	7

Virginia	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Taylor, ss	4	0	2	0	0	1
Barr, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hicks, c	4	1	1	1	0	0
Proscia, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2
Hultzen, dh	4	0	1	0	0	0
Swab, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Coleman, rf	3	0	1	0	0	1
King, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	2
Werman, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	1
Gagnani, ph/2b1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	5	1	2	7

SC	301	200	010	7	13	0
VA	000	100	000	1	5	3

E - Proscia; King. DP - SC 2. LOB - SC 11; VA 5. 2B -
Marzilli; Walker; Bradley Jr.; Thomas; Hultzen. 3B -
Williams. HR - Hicks. HBP - Wingo; Barr. SH -
Wingo; Mooney; Williams. SB - Bradley Jr.

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Holmes	4.1	4	1	1	1	7
Taylor	4.1	1	0	0	1	0
Price	0.1	0	0	0	0	0

Virginia	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roberts	3.1	8	6	3	1	2
Winiarski	1.2	2	0	0	0	1
Crockett	2.0	1	0	0	0	2
Thompson	1.1	2	1	1	1	2
Silverstein	0.1	0	0	0	0	0
Mayberry	0.1	0	0	0	0	0

Win - Taylor. Loss - Roberts.
HPB - by Holmes (Barr); by Thompson (Wingo). PB -
Hicks. Time: 3:10. Attendance: 22,027

South Carolina 3, Virginia 2
June 24, 2011

Virginia	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Taylor, ss	7	1	0	0	0	1
Barr, lf	6	0	3	0	0	0
Hicks, c	5	0	1	0	1	0
Proscia, 3b	4	1	0	0	1	1
King, 1b	4	0	1	0	2	2
Swab, cf	3	0	2	0	1	0
Shifflett, pr/cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gagnani, ph	1	0	0	0	0	1
Halley, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman, rf	4	0	1	0	1	2
Harrington, dh	6	0	2	0	0	1
Werman, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	45	2	11	0	7	8

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Marzilli, rf	5	0	1	0	0	4
Wingo, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	2
Walker, 1b	5	1	1	0	1	1
Bradley Jr., cf	5	1	1	0	1	3
Morales, 3b	5	0	0	0	0	2
Thomas, dh	6	0	2	2	0	3
Matthews, pr	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mooney, ss	5	0	2	0	1	0
Beary, c	5	0	1	0	0	3
Williams, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	43	3	9	2	4	18

VA	010	000	010	000	0	2	11	2
SC	000	200	000	000	1	3	9	2

E - Winiarski 2; Morales; Mooney. DP - VA 1; SC 4.
LOB - VA 15; SC 14. 2B - Walker; Thomas; Beary.
HBP - Coleman; Wingo 2; Morales. SH - Barr; Proscia;
Werman; Marzilli; Beary; Williams. SB - Barr.

Virginia	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Hultzen	3.0	1	0	0	0	8
Crockett	4.0	4	2	2	0	3
Kline	5.0	3	0	0	4	7
Winiarski	0.0	1	1	0	0	0

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	7.0	4	1	1	2	3
Taylor	0.1	0	1	0	0	0
Price	5.2	7	0	0	5	5

Win - Price. Loss - Winiarski.
WP - Roth. HBP - by Roth (Coleman); by Crockett
(Morales); by Kline (Wingo); by Kline (Wingo).
Time: 4:25. Attendance: 25,882





South Carolina 2, Florida 1 June 27, 2011

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Wingo, 2b	5	0	1	1	0	2
Bradley Jr., cf	5	0	0	0	0	2
Walker, 1b	5	1	2	0	0	1
Thomas, dh	4	0	1	0	0	0
Matthews, pr/dh0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Morales, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, lf	5	0	1	0	0	1
Mooney, ss	3	1	0	0	1	1
Beary, c	3	0	1	0	0	1
Marzilli, rf	4	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	39	2	7	1	2	10

Florida	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Fontana, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, cf	4	0	2	0	1	1
Tucker, 1b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Zunino, c	4	0	1	0	1	1
Johnson, dh	5	0	3	0	0	0
Wilson, pr	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adams, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Thompson, lf	3	1	0	0	2	1
Pigott, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Dent, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	1
Totals	34	1	8	1	6	5

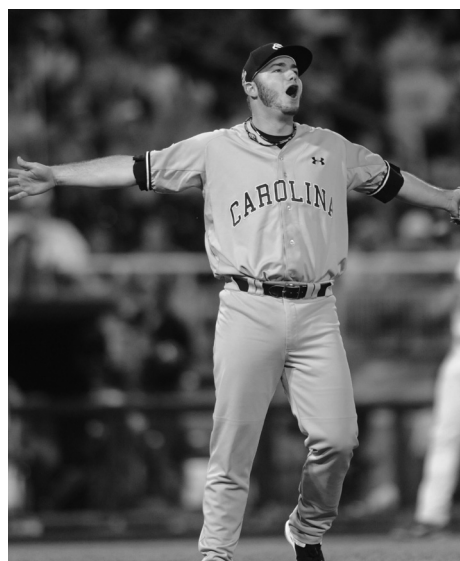
SC	000	000	010	01	2	7	1
UF	001	000	000	00	1	8	3

E - Wingo; Smith; Zunino; Dent. DP - SC 1; UF 1.
LOB - SC 7; UF 10. 2B - Walker. SH - Beary; Fontana;
Adams 2. SF - Dent. SB - Walker. CS - Smith

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Koumas	5.2	3	1	1	1	4
Webb	2.1	1	0	0	2	0
Taylor	2.0	3	0	0	3	0
Price	1.0	1	0	0	0	1

Florida	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Randall	7.2	3	1	1	1	6
Rodriguez	0.2	1	0	0	0	2
Maddox	1.0	2	0	0	0	0
Maronde	1.0	1	1	1	0	1
Larson	0.2	0	0	0	1	1

Win - Taylor. Loss - Maronde. Save - Price
WP - Koumas
Time: 3:35. Attendance: 25,851



South Carolina 5, Florida 2 June 28, 2011

Florida	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Smith, cf	4	0	1	0	0	1
Fontana, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Zunino, c	3	2	3	1	1	0
Tucker, rf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Adams, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Pigott, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson, ph/lf1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Johnson, dh/p	2	0	0	0	1	1
Ramjit, 1b	3	0	1	0	0	2
Moyer, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dent, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1
McMahan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	6	2	2	7

S. Carolina	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO
Wingo, 2b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Bradley Jr., cf	4	1	0	0	1	3
Walker, 1b	4	0	2	0	1	0
Thomas, dh	4	0	2	1	0	2
Matthews, ph	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morales, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, lf	3	0	0	0	0	3
Mooney, ss	3	2	2	1	0	0
Beary, c	3	1	1	0	0	0
Marzilli, rf	2	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	30	5	10	4	3	8

UF	000	100	010	2	6	1
SC	003	001	01X	5	10	0

E - Fontana. DP - UF; SC 1. LOB - UF 7; SC 11. 2B - Zunino; Morales; Mooney; Marzilli. HR - Zunino; Mooney. HBP - Fontana; Johnson; Wingo; Morales; Williams. SH - Fontana; Mooney; Beary; Marzilli. SF - Wingo.

Florida	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Whitson	4.2	4	3	1	2	4
Toledo	0.2	1	1	1	0	1
Johnson	1.0	3	0	0	0	2
DeSclafani	0.1	0	0	0	0	1
Rodriguez	1.0	2	1	1	1	0
Larson	0.1	0	0	0	0	0

S. Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
Roth	7.2	5	2	2	2	6
Taylor	0.0	1	0	0	0	0
Price	1.1	0	0	0	0	1

Win - Roth. Loss - Whitson. Save - Price
WP - Rodriguez. HBP - by Whitson (Wingo); by Whitson (Williams); by Roth (Johnson); by Whitson (Morales) by Roth (Fontana).
Time: 3:21. Attendance: 26,721



Overall Batting & Fielding

Overall Record: 55-14; Home: 36-4; Away: 12-8; Neutral: 7-2

(More than 120 plate appearances)

	AVG	GP-S	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD
Christian Walker	.358	69-69	271	64	97	21	1	10	62	150	.554	36	6	30	.438	4	0	4-7	629	25	9	.986
Scott Wingo	.338	69-68	240	47	81	8	1	4	31	103	.429	44	17	36	.467	3	10	7-8	137	245	11	.972
Brady Thomas	.316	63-60	231	32	73	10	3	4	43	101	.437	23	2	46	.375	5	4	1-1	320	22	5	.986
Evan Marzilli	.291	65-59	220	39	64	14	2	3	31	91	.414	25	6	63	.375	2	10	6-7	115	6	3	.976
Robert Beary	.289	65-60	211	31	61	14	1	3	35	86	.408	12	10	26	.352	3	7	4-4	266	22	2	.993
Adrian Morales	.281	68-68	249	44	70	16	0	3	40	95	.382	30	12	35	.378	5	4	7-11	38	129	11	.938
Peter Mooney	.280	69-69	254	45	71	15	1	4	37	100	.394	44	5	31	.390	5	14	3-6	97	188	14	.953
Jake Williams	.268	62-58	209	29	56	10	6	2	38	84	.402	21	11	29	.361	3	7	1-4	79	1	0	1.000
Jackie Bradley Jr.	.247	42-42	162	32	40	10	1	6	27	70	.432	22	4	38	.346	3	1	2-3	86	2	2	.978

(Fewer than 120 plate appearances)

Jake Watson	.500	10-1	4	1	2	1	0	0	3	3	.750	1	0	1	.600	0	0	1-1	1	1	0	1.000
Dante Rosenberg	.500	2-1	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	.500	0	0	0	.500	0	0	0-0	6	1	0	1.000
Greg Brodzinski	.333	10-2	12	3	4	0	0	0	2	4	.333	0	2	1	.429	0	0	0-0	6	0	0	1.000
Adam Matthews	.264	34-29	110	26	29	4	2	2	14	43	.391	16	2	22	.367	0	7	4-6	31	1	2	.941
Steven Neff	.254	23-18	71	11	18	7	0	5	7	40	.563	2	1	20	.284	0	1	0-0	16	6	2	.917
Erik Payne	.250	9-2	8	2	2	1	0	0	0	3	.375	0	0	2	.250	0	0	0-0	0	1	0	1.000
Michael Roth	.200	11-3	15	3	3	1	0	0	4	4	.267	4	0	5	.368	0	0	0-0	8	35	2	.956
DeSean Anderson	.191	21-13	47	10	9	4	0	0	5	13	.277	6	1	14	.291	1	4	1-1	8	0	0	1.000
Patrick Harrington	.000	3-1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	0	2	.400	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Matt Price	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0-0	2	7	0	1.000
Totals	.294	69 2320	419	681	136	18	46	380	991	.427	288	79	402	.385	34	69	41-59	1859	747	69	.974	
Opponents	.227	70 2250	212	511	70	4	28	192	673	.299	228	71	536	.316	12	53	38-54	1771	637	72	.971	

Pitching

	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CB	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BK	B/AVG.	WP	HBP
Michael Roth (L)	1.06	14-3	21	20	1	0/1	0	145.0	108	36	17	41	112	16	2	3	0	.208	9	12
John Taylor (R)	1.14	8-1	50	0	0	0/2	0	71.1	45	12	9	28	63	7	0	0	2	.185	2	9
Matt Price (R)	1.83	7-3	36	0	0	0/2	20	59.0	44	12	12	20	75	5	1	1	0	.213	2	7
Forrest Koumas (R)	2.96	6-1	19	12	0	0/1	0	73.0	59	28	24	29	63	7	1	3	2	.230	2	14
Colby Holmes (R)	3.69	7-3	18	13	0	0/1	0	85.1	76	38	35	21	77	12	0	13	1	.232	4	6

(Fewer Than 58 Innings)

Alex Burrell (L)	0.00	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.333	0	1
Patrick Sullivan (R)	1.35	2-0	10	2	0	0/0	1	20.0	14	5	3	9	21	2	0	1	0	.203	1	0
Jose Mata (R)	1.76	3-0	23	0	0	0/1	1	30.2	30	7	6	13	16	4	0	0	0	.263	0	6
Steven Neff (L)	2.45	3-1	12	7	0	0/0	0	36.2	29	11	10	10	29	3	0	0	1	.228	3	6
Tyler Webb (L)	3.00	3-1	22	5	0	0/1	0	36.0	34	19	12	17	28	8	0	1	1	.248	2	3
Bryan Harper (L)	5.40	1-0	22	1	0	0/1	1	18.1	17	12	11	17	18	1	0	0	0	.250	5	0
Adam Westmoreland (L)	5.77	1-1	11	9	0	0/1	0	34.1	41	23	22	18	26	3	0	5	1	.299	2	3
Will Casey (L)	6.75	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	2.2	1	2	2	3	3	0	0	1	0	.111	0	0
Logan Munson (L)	7.71	0-0	11	0	0	0/1	0	7.0	12	7	6	2	5	1	0	0	0	.364	1	4
Totals	2.45	55-14	69	69	1	4/4	23	619.2	511	212	169	228	536	70	4	28	71	.227	33	71
Opponents	5.55	14-55	69	69	5	1/1	8	590.1	681	419	364	288	402	136	18	46	8	.294	46	79

Cumulative Scoring By Innings

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	TOTAL
South Carolina	51	55	42	46	55	58	47	44	18	3	419
Opponents	32	29	25	15	14	24	22	32	19	0	212

CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

STAFF

PLAYER PROFILES

OPPONENTS

SEASON IN REVIEW

HISTORY & RECORDS

The foundation for South Carolina's first trip to the College World Series in 1975 was laid a year earlier when the Gamecocks earned their first invitation to the NCAA Tournament and narrowly missed a trip to Omaha.

It could be argued that the first bricks of that foundation were actually laid in 1970 when former New York Yankee second baseman Bobby Richardson was hired by athletics director Paul Dietzel with a mandate to put Gamecock baseball on the map.

Richardson was South Carolina's first full time baseball coach.

Previously the diamond program was headed by part timers, usually an assistant football coach or physical education professor, or -- in the tenure of Bob Reising (1964-65) -- a professor of English literature.

The Gamecocks had never played an expanded schedule, 34 games in 1969 under football assistant Jack Powers being the most. That team finished with a 12-21-1 record the year before Richardson came on board. The 21-8 mark accomplished under Powers in 1967 represented the record for wins in a season.

To say baseball was a .500 program at best was borne out by statistics.

Over 67 seasons, the Gamecocks had finished with 34 winning records against 33 losing seasons and 10 break even years.

1975 Roster

1	David Small	INF
3	Mark Van Bever	2B
4	Tom Luckstone	RHP
5	Robbie Parrish	C
6	Donnie Branham	C
7	Jim Pankovits	3B
8	Jeff Grantz	SS/2B
9	Garry Hancock	OF
11	Chuck McLean	OF/RHP
12	Hank Small	1B/OF
13	Earl Bass	RHP/1B
14	Steve King	OF
15	Steve Cook	OF
16	Greg Ward	RHP
17	John Hinkel	C/1B
18	Greg Keatley	C
19	Don Repsher	OF
20	Scott Thomas	LHP
22	Ed Lynch	RHP
23	Mike Cromer	LHP
24	Tim Lewis	LHP
25	Jim Fleming	INF
26	Ray Lavigne	RHP
27	Jamie Chakales	RHP
	Bill Kimrey	RHP
	Andy LeHeup	OF

Head Coach: Bobby Richardson
Asst. Coach: Johnny Hunton

Richardson started slowly, having never coached or managed a team before. However his illustrious 12-year career with the Yankees, which included seven World Series appearances and a Most Valuable Player in the fall classic of 1960, had prepared him well. His first record of 14-20 would be South Carolina's last losing record over the next 30 years.

After an 18-12 finish in 1971, Richardson bumped the schedule up to 41 games in 1972 and finished 25-16. A 26-15-1 record followed in 1973 and the first NCAA bid came along in 1974 when the final record was 48-8. A 2-1 loss to Miami at Starkville, Miss. prevented a trip to Omaha.

The 1975 team featured a four-man pitching rotation of senior right-handers Earl Bass (17-1), Greg Ward (13-4), Raymond Lavigne (8-0) and junior left-hander Tim Lewis (11-0), a starting record of 49-5. The bullpen was used sparingly and contributed two wins and a loss to the final record of 51-6-1.

Bass, runner-up to Arizona State shortstop Jerry Maddox for national player of the year honors, was a first team All-America choice for the second time and senior first baseman Hank Small clubbed 19 home runs with a .390 batting average to also earn All-America honors. Lewis and Lavigne pitched back-to-back no-hit wins as South Carolina lost only four and tied one of 49 regular season games.

That earned a host site for regional play and the Gamecocks swept past The Citadel, Temple and North Carolina State and moved on to Omaha, one of eight teams competing for the national championship.

Bass with relief help from seldom used closer Mike Cromer defeated Seton Hall 3-1 in the first round and Ward downed Eastern Michigan 5-1. Bass came back to defeat Arizona State 6-3 and after three rounds South Carolina was 3-0 and the only undefeated team.

Under a rule change adopted the following year, South Carolina would have earned a bye but under the procedure in force in 1975 there was a drawing and Arizona State won the bye. South Carolina played Texas. Ward had a rare bad game and the Longhorns drubbed the Gamecocks 17-6, leaving three teams in the double elimination field with one loss apiece.

Bass and Ward had each started twice in Omaha while Lewis (11-0) and Lavigne (8-0) had not been used despite their combined record of 19-0.

Lewis got his chance, on his mother's birthday, against a well rested Arizona State team and he responded with a 4-1 complete game victory when the Gamecocks rallied from a 1-0 deficit with four runs in the top of the ninth inning against previously undefeated (14-0) Sun Devil ace Greg Cochran.

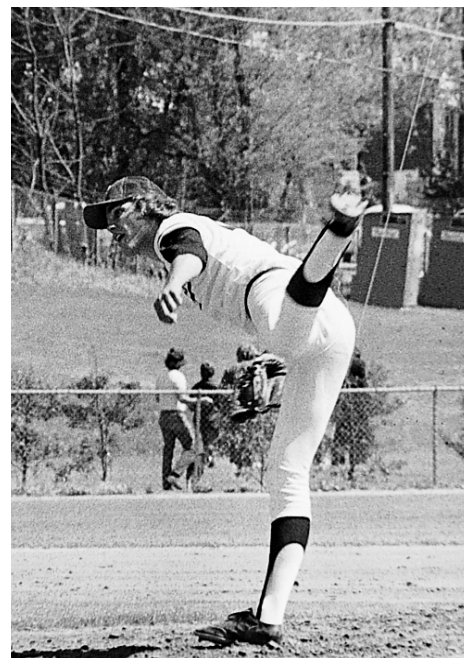
A scoreless game with two outs in the bottom of the eighth inning, Bob Pate singled and Jerry Maddox

hit a bloop triple that landed a few inches fair in right field to give Arizona State a 1-0 lead.

Second baseman Mark Van Bever doubled to lead off the ninth and shortstop Jeff Grantz bunted the tying run to third. Right fielder Garry Hancock singled to drive in Van Bever. Small singled and Steve King walked to load the bases with one out. A fielder's choice RBI, two Sun Devil errors and a squeeze bunt plated three more runs and South Carolina led 4-1.

Lewis retired the side in the bottom of the ninth and South Carolina, in its first trip ever to the College World Series, met Texas for the national championship. That title eluded the Gamecocks, however, and the Longhorns prevailed 5-1. The only Gamecock run came on a home run by Hank Small.

Bass won his last six decisions in 1974 and first 17 in 1975 to establish a National record of 23 consecutive wins. He finished the season 17-1 and 34-3 for his career. The staff had an earned run average of 2.00 in 503 innings. Pitchers recorded 26 complete games and 13 shutouts.



Team Leaders

Batting Average	Hank Small (.390)
Home Runs	Hank Small (19)
Wins	Earl Bass (17)
Earned Run Average	Earl Bass (1.40)



Two years after their first trip to the College World Series, the Gamecocks found themselves back in Omaha under a different head coach.

Bobby Richardson, who in seven seasons built the South Carolina program into a national power, resigned and June Raines was brought in to continue the success forged by Richardson. For Raines, it was a return to the Gamecock Roost. Following a 10-year career as a catcher in the Cleveland Indians and Washington Senators minor league systems, Raines had served as a student assistant coach under Jack Powers and Richardson while earning bachelor and masters degrees.

Raines inherited a good nucleus from Richardson whose final team, 1976, had compiled a 38-14 record. Richardson's previous two teams were 48-8 in 1974 and 51-6-1 in 1975. He added some outstanding talent in outfielder Mookie Wilson, catcher Johnny Long and right-handed pitcher Randy Martz from the Gamecock football squad to the returnees left by Richardson.

Through his first 20 games, Raines won 68 percent of the time, excellent under most criteria but somewhat

short of Richardson's .828 percentage over his final three seasons. After winning 10 of his first 11 games, Raines saw his team lose five and tie one over the next nine. Arch rival Clemson, on the other hand, was unbeaten after 26 games with the best record in the nation.

South Carolina broke the Tigers' win streak with a 2-1 victory at Clemson behind Martz and the Gamecocks compiled a 30-6 record the remainder of the season for a final mark of 43-12-1. The late season surge included two more wins over Clemson for a sweep of the season series.

South Carolina was awarded its fourth consecutive regional site but quickly fell into the losers' bracket with a 7-6 loss to nationally second ranked South Alabama. Starter Randy Martz left the game with the lead but the bullpen couldn't hold it. Carolina would have to win four consecutive games over the next three days if it was to win the regional.

The uphill trek began with a 4-1 win over East Carolina behind a six-hit complete game by right-hander Jim Lewis. The task ahead required two Sunday victories to force a showdown game on Monday.

Ed Lynch, from the Gamecock basketball team, drew the first assignment and stifled South Alabama. He scattered seven hits in an 11-2 rout. Sophomore right-hander Hal Hutchens caused some anxious moments when he allowed 12 hits and walked four but was tough with runners on base. With ninth inning relief help from Lewis, Hutchens came out with a 5-2 win over Wake Forest. With two days rest, Randy Martz got the call vs. the Demon Deacons. Although he allowed 10 hits, he struck out 12. Johnny Hinkel, Mark Van Bever and Mookie Wilson homered as the Gamecocks won 6-1 to clinch a spot in Omaha.

The opening game of the 1977 College World Series was a classic. With undefeated Randy Martz pitching for South Carolina, and Panamanian right-hander Jaime Cocanower for Baylor, the score was tied 1-1 after nine innings with both starters still on the mound.

Martz retired the first two Baylor batters in the top of the 10th but three successive ground ball singles produced a run and the Bears took a 2-1 lead to the bottom of the 10th inning.

Van Bever lashed a double down the left field line and advanced to third when Wilson grounded out to deep shortstop. That brought up left fielder Chuck McLean who hit a line drive on the first pitch that carried over Baylor center fielder Burl Coker's head.

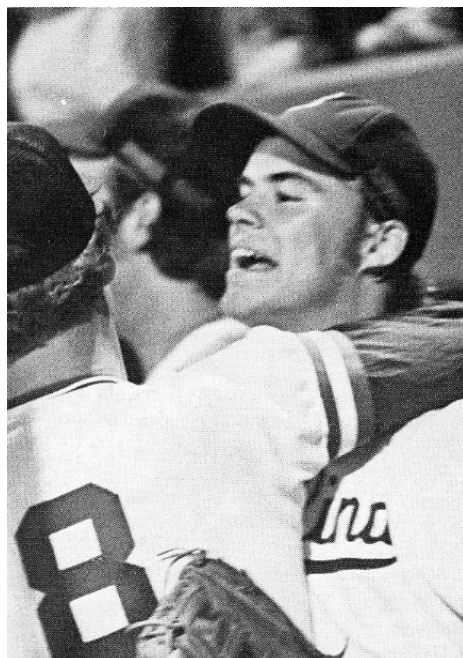
Raines said later that he would have held McLean at third if he had been the third base coach. However, after nine innings, he had turned third base coaching duties over to assistant Johnny Hutton "to change over the luck" and Hutton waved McLean past third base.

He slid home safely with an inside the park home run and a 3-2 Gamecock victory.

Lewis scattered eight hits and struck out 14 defeating Cal State-Los Angeles 6-2 and Martz came back on short rest to down Southern Illinois Carbondale 5-4 earning Carolina a bye to the championship round as the only undefeated team.

A shoulder injury to power hitting first baseman Johnny Hinkel (15 home runs) left the Gamecocks a little short. Lynch pitched well in a complete game effort but lost 6-2 to Arizona State setting up another meeting with the Sun Devils. Lewis also pitched well but was on the short end of a 2-1 score and for the second time in two tries, South Carolina finished second in the College World Series.

Martz, with a 14-0 record, was named National Player of the Year, first team All-America and first round draft choice of the Chicago Cubs. He pitched four years in the major leagues. Wilson was second team All-America and played 1,403 major league games in 12 seasons with the Mets and Blue Jays. Lynch played eight years with the Mets and Cubs and became general manager of the Cubs. Lewis made it to the big leagues for brief stints with the Mariners, Yankees and Twins.



Team Leaders

Batting Average	Mookie Wilson (.357)
Home Runs	Johnny Hinkel (15)
Wins	Randy Martz (14)
Earned Run Average	Randy Martz (1.98)



1977 Roster

1	Tom Williams	2B
2	Tom Sotack	RHP
4	Chuck McLean	OF/RHP
5	Robbie Parrish	C
6	Richard Ness	C
7	Johnny Long	C
8	Mookie Wilson	OF/RHP
9	Kevin Karcher	RHP
10	Mark Van Bever	2B/OF
11	Eric Hildebeitel	C/OF
12	David Small	OF
13	Steve King	1B
14	Greg Jonson	SS
15	Mark Kish	RHP/OF
17	Mike Toalson	LHP
18	Hal Hutchens	RHP
19	Don Repsher	OF
20	Scott Thomas	LHP
21	Randy Martz	RHP
22	Johnny Hinkel	1B/OF
23	Ed Lynch	RHP
24	Bart Murphy	3B
25	Ronnie Crapps	RHP/OF
26	Jim Lewis	RHP
27	Jamie Chakales	RHP
	Bill Allen	RHP
	Jim Curry	LHP
	Paul DeLaVarre	RHP/INF
	Alan Ezagui	SS
	Mike Lebo	C/1B

Head Coach: June Raines

Asst. Coach: Johnny Hutton

After a three-year absence, South Carolina made its third trip to the College World Series in 1981. The Gamecocks finished second in 1975 and 1977 but didn't make the NCAA field in 1978 and '79. In 1980 they were invited but didn't make it out of the regional.

A 40-13 regular season record earned a host site for the 1981 regional. A win over Temple and two over Memphis State punched Carolina's ticket to Omaha where Oklahoma State was the opening round opponent. The only South Carolina player with World Series experience was fifth year senior third baseman Tommy "Termite" Williams, who was a freshman reserve second baseman on the 1977 squad.

In two previous trips to Omaha, Carolina had won its first three games but faced a different reality in 1981, falling into the loser's bracket. Oklahoma State scored three times in the first inning and twice in the third to lead 5-0. The Gamecocks battled back to tie the score at 5-5 with three runs in the top of the ninth but a three run home run by Stan Baughn won it for the Cowboys 8-5 in the 10th inning.

An elimination game against the Black Bears of Maine was postponed 24 hours by rain, and another rain delay with Carolina trailing 5-2 in the third inning didn't do a lot for confidence as the Gamecocks committed five errors. Don Gordon was charged with seven unearned runs and trailed 7-6 when Joe Kucharski came

in for relief.

The sophomore handcuffed Maine on two singles over the final 4.1 innings. Carolina offset bad defense with a 17-hit attack that included two monstrous two-run home runs by Rob Lowery to win 12-7. At that time, Lowery was the sixth player to homer twice in a World Series game but the first in 25 years.

Jim Curl also had a two-run homer and Paul Hollins contributed three hits.

In an effort to shore up the defense before taking on Mississippi State, head coach June Raines moved Tommy Williams from third to second base where Jamey Thaw had committed two of the five errors against Maine. Williams had played second most of his career before moving to third as a senior.

South Carolina jumped out to a 6-0 lead after three innings and held on to edge Mississippi State 6-5 by surviving three serious late inning Bulldog threats. Freshman designated hitter/backup catcher Chris Boyle homered and Lowery hit his third of the series.

Mississippi State cut the lead to 6-5 with three runs in the seventh inning and had the bases loaded when Bobby Kish was summoned from the bullpen with one out and Bruce Castoria at the plate. Earlier, Castoria had tied the NCAA record with his 29th home run for Mississippi State's first two runs.

Kish struck Castoria out on three pitches and then retired Terry Lee on a pop up to Williams to escape further damage. Tony Gage led off the Mississippi State eighth with a triple but Kish retired Brad Winkler on a pop to Curl at first base. Sensing a suicide squeeze, Lowery called for a pitchout and Gage was an easy out to blunt that threat.

Raines said, "I wish I could take credit for calling a pitch out but I can't. Thank goodness my catcher is smart enough to call for a pitchout in that situation."

Mississippi State continued to threaten, putting two men on base with two outs in the ninth inning. A wild pitch advanced the tying run to third and the potential winning run to second with slugger Castoria coming up.

Raines signaled for an intentional walk but Kish demurred. He contended he could strike the Bulldog slugger out again. After a conference on the mound, the head coach prevailed and the bases were loaded. Terry Lee hit a ground ball to shortstop Rod Carraway, who flipped to second baseman Williams to force Castoria and end the game.

Left-hander Bret Baynham, South Carolina's starting pitcher, was the winner to improve his record to 10-1. Kish earned his seventh save.

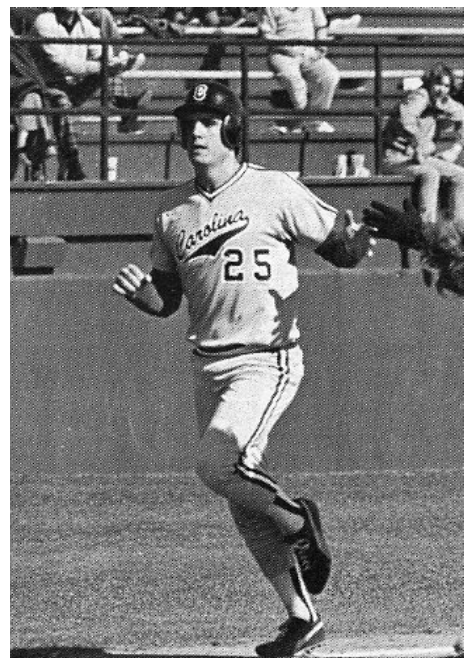
Luck and pitching depth ran out and Carolina lost a slugfest, 10-7, to Arizona State, to finish fourth in the 1981 College World Series. Carolina gave up four runs in the first inning and never caught up. The Gamecocks

had 11 hits, three of them by Curl, who hit his 17th home run.

For the first time, South Carolina had two .400 hitters. Lowery batted .404 and Pual Hollins an even .400. Curl hit .347 with 75 runs batted in. Left fielder Joe McCarthy hit only .266 but stole 51 bases and walked 71 times. Hollins had 14 home runs, Lowery 13 and Boyle had 10. Dennis Lubert had a 12-2 record, Don Gordon 8-3 and Kucharski 6-1 along with 10-1 by Baynham.

The final record was 46-15. The team batting average was .316 with 83 home runs. Lubert pitched 10 complete games, Gordon eight, Baynham three and Kucharski two.

Arizona State defeated Oklahoma State in the championship game to win its fifth College World Series championship.



Team Leaders

Batting Average	Rob Lowery (.404)
Home Runs	Jim Curl (17)
Wins	Dennis Lubert (12)
Earned Run Average	Don Gordon (2.85)

1981 Roster

1	Tom Williams	2B
2	Robby Vollmer	OF
4	Joey Wilson	1B/OF
5	Jamey Thaw	2B
6	Art Finley	SS
7	Neil Fox	C
8	Rocky Lewis	1B/OF
9	Bret Baynham	LHP
10	John Simmons	C
11	Rod Carraway	3B
12	Martin Small	LHP
13	Jim Curl	1B
14	John Sullivan	SS
15	Bobby Kish	RHP
17	Ross Bledsoe	RHP
18	Don Gordon	RHP
19	Paul Hollins	OF
20	Steve Kraly	2B
21	Ricky Lee	OF
22	Joe McCarthy	OF
23	Rob Lowery	C
24	Jeb Babel	LHP
25	Chris Boyle	C
26	Dennis Lubert	LHP
27	Harvey Heise	3B/OF
28	Joe Kucharski	RHP
29	Mark Calvert	RHP
30	Eddie Leopard	RHP

Head Coach: June Raines

Asst. Coach: Johnny Hunton



The 24 players who earned letters on the 1982 South Carolina baseball squad were a near equal split of 11 veterans from the 1981 roster that advanced to fourth place in the College World Series and 13 newcomers, nine freshmen and four junior college recruits.

The pitching rotation, however, was all veteran consisting of senior left-hander Dennis Lubert, senior Don Gordon, junior Joe Kucharski and sophomore Mark Calvert. Closer Jeb Babel, with perhaps the best pick-off move any Gamecock ever, was also back. Pitching depth was enhanced by the addition of freshman right-hander Larry Price and junior college left-hander Mike Werner.

Chris Boyle, primarily a designated hitter as a freshman, took over the catching role backed up by Neil Fox, a sophomore who also saw action at DH. Four freshmen figured prominently in the lineup, outfielders

Scott Mackie, and Phillip Wilson, shortstop Kent Anderson and first baseman Greg Morhardt. Wilson was the brother of former Gamecock star Mookie Wilson, who had a 12-year major league career.

Offensive power was down considerably from the previous year. Junior college newcomer Larry Hernandez was the batting champion with a .347 average while the 1981 Gamecocks boasted two .400 hitters in catcher Rob Lowery and outfielder Paul Hollins. Boyle led the 1982 team in home runs with 12 and runs batted in with 59. Hernandez had 10 homers, Anderson eight, Wilson five.

The year before, Jim Curl had 17 homers and 75 RBI. Three others had double digit homers, including freshman Boyle with 10.

The pitching staff earned run average of 3.28, however, was considerably better than the year before and the final won-loss record was about the same, 45-13 in 1982 compared to 46-15 in 1981.

The 1982 squad hosted a six-team regional and swept through four wins to send Carolina to Omaha for the fourth time but the first time the Gamecocks had qualified in back to back seasons. Others in the regional field included West Virginia, making its first trip to the playoffs since 1967, The Citadel, Old Dominion, North Carolina and East Carolina.

Kucharski opened the regional by shutting out West Virginia 7-0 with ninth inning help from closer Babel. Boyle and Fox each had two hits and Boyle homered. The losing Mountaineers turned a triple play.

Carolina led 6-2 over The Citadel after three and a half innings the next day when rain suspended action overnight. Gordon, who had started, returned to the mound and worked into the eighth inning before giving way to Babel. The Gamecocks held on for a 6-4 win. Morhardt had four hits and five foot six inch senior outfielder Robby Vollmer homered.

In a rematch with The Citadel, the Gamecocks won 11-2 behind Lubert. Vollmer had four hits, third baseman John Sullivan had a pair of doubles and Wilson homered.

West Virginia held Carolina to four hits the second time around but the Gamecocks prevailed 5-2 behind a brilliant mound effort by Calvert, who scattered four hits through seven innings before turning the mound over to Babel. Sullivan figured in both Gamecock runs, driving in one with a single and scoring the other on a wild pitch. Jamey Thaw had two hits to account for half the Carolina total.

The 45-11 record entering the World Series would have been even more sensational if the Gamecocks hadn't played Miami (Fla.) eight times. Carolina lost four in a row at Coral Gables and three of four in Columbia. It was small consolation that Miami would end the season as College World Series champions.

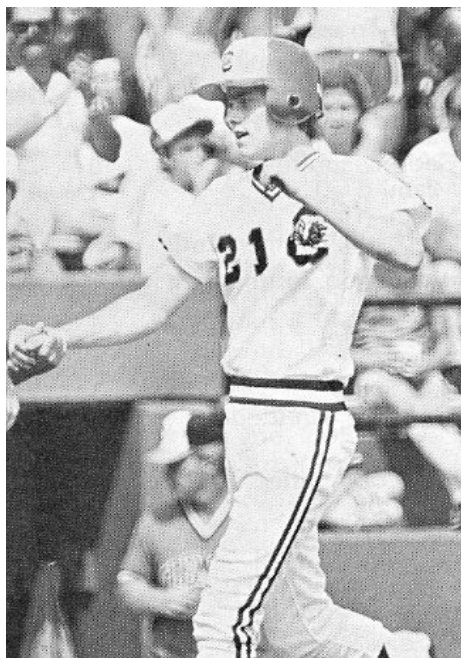
Pitching, which had fashioned eight shutouts during the regular season fell apart in Omaha, giving up 25 runs in two games. For the first time in four trips, Carolina left Omaha without a win.

Stanford blasted the Gamecocks 15-4 with an 11-run sixth inning. Oklahoma State led 8-0 after three innings. Carolina rallied with a seven-run fifth on a grand slam by Sullivan and a two-run homer by Morhardt but the Gamecocks were eliminated from Omaha 10-8.

Kucharski pitched 112 innings with an 11-3 record and was a first team selection to the coaches All-America team. He was the first round draft selection of the Baltimore Orioles. Lubert was 8-3 as a senior and finished with a 31-9 career record. Gordon's 1982 record was 10-3. He made it to the majors, pitching in 78 games with the Toronto Blue Jays and Cleveland Indians, 1986-88.

The other member of the 1982 team to advance to the majors was shortstop Kent Anderson. A freshman in '82, he played two more years at Carolina and in 1989 and '90 saw action in 135 games with the California Angels.

Calvert's record was 8-1 and his 2.78 earned run average in 68 innings led the team. Babel had a 3-0 record and Werner was 3-2. Hernandez, Sullivan, Morhardt, Boyle and Wilson had .300 or better batting averages and Vollmer led stolen bases with 23.



Team Leaders

Batting Average	Larry Hernandez (.344)
Home Runs	Chris Boyle (12)
Wins	Joe Kucharski (11)
Earned Run Average	Mark Calvert (2.78)



1982 Roster

1	Phillip Wilson	OF
2	Robby Vollmer	OF
4	Keith Killian	OF
5	Jamey Thaw	2B
6	Art Finley	SS
7	Neil Fox	C
8	Rocky Lewis	1B/OF
9	Wade Hatcher	INF
10	Derek White	C
11	Larry Price	RHP/INF
12	Larry Hernandez	OF/1B
14	John Sullivan	3B/SS/RHP
15	Jeff Swindell	INF
17	Scott Mackie	OF
18	Don Gordon	RhP
20	Mike Werner	LHP
21	Greg Morhardt	OF/1B
22	Kurt Korinek	OF
23	Kent Anderson	SS
24	Jeb Babel	LHP
25	Chris Boyle	C
26	Dennis Lubert	LHP
27	Harvey Heise	3B
28	Joe Kucharski	RHP
29	Mark Calvert	RHP
30	Eddie Leopard	RHP
	Kevin Burke	1B
	Mark Ridgik	RHP

Head Coach: June Raines

Asst. Coach: Johnny Hunton

To say 1985 was a record-breaking year for South Carolina would be an understatement. The Gamecocks played more games, hit more home runs, scored more runs, turned more double plays and established many records on the way to a fifth trip to the CWS.

After a two-year absence, South Carolina was back in Omaha for the fifth time in 12 years but the stay was short. A 14-inning 1-0 loss to Arkansas and a 16-11 slugfest defeat at the hands of Oklahoma State eliminated the Gamecocks.

The season record was 47-22. The 47 wins were the third most in school history up to that point. The 1975 CWS second place team won 51 and the 1974 team won 48. A modest nine games was the longest win streak in 1985 but the team never lost more than three in a row.

Perhaps the most impressive record was 144 home runs in 69 games. That surpassed by 61 the 83 homers in 1981. The Gamecocks hit a school-record nine in a 29-3 win over Cincinnati that was called after six innings due to the lopsided score.

First baseman Joe Datin hit 23 home runs, four more than the previous individual record for a season set by Hank Small in 1975. Nineteen different players homered and seven of them hit 10 or more.

Outfielder Keith Killian, who came back from serious injuries in an automobile accident shortly after

graduating from high school, started as a senior and homered 15 times. Outfielder Rob Rinehart and designated hitter/outfielder Charlie Aldrich had 14 each, third baseman Lewis Jenkins 12, shortstop Jeff Barns and outfielder Jeff Morris 10 each.

Two players tied a record with three home runs in a game. Dave Hollins against Cincinnati and Rinehart against Clemson. Only one player, Chris Boyle, in 1983, had homered three times before. There have been a number of three-homer games since.

South Carolina players hit six grand slam home runs in 1985. Datin homered with the bases loaded twice. Aldrich, Hollins, Morris and Killian once each. Datin set a school record by driving in 88 runs. Rinehart drove in 60 and Killian 53. Three others logged 40 or more RBI.

Rinehart's 21 doubles bested the previous record by one. Rinehart would have had 22 two baggers but was called out once for not touching second base. The 149 doubles established a team record.

The defense for the most part was overshadowed by the heavy hitting offense but the Gamecocks turned a school record 68 double plays sparked by the middle infield combo of transfers, Barns at shortstop and Riley Polk at second. Barns transferred from Baptist College (now Charleston Southern University) and Polk spent two years at Clemson.

Barns became the first Gamecock to have 100 hits in a season and batted .351 in 285 at-bats.

Mike Cook was the only pitcher with double digit wins but his 16-2 record represented the second most victories in a season behind Earl Bass' 17-1 record in 1975. Cook also tied the mark with 19 starts and the strikeout record with 168 in 141 innings. Glenn Jenkins had an 8-2 record and left-hander Brian Currie was 6-2. His only loss after April was to Oklahoma State at the College World Series.

Altogether the 1985 Gamecocks established 34 team records and 19 individual marks.

Catcher Jeff Churchich experienced the thrill of playing in the College World Series in his hometown of Omaha. He shared time behind the plate with Scott Lambert, who threw out 14 base runners attempting to steal, three of them in World Series games. Both also saw time as the designated hitter. Lambert batted .292 with seven homers. Churchich hit .294 and also had seven home runs.

Eddie Lendenski, a pinch hitting specialist, had five homers and a .274 average. Lendenski's most dramatic hit was a two-out ninth inning two-run homer that defeated Virginia Tech.

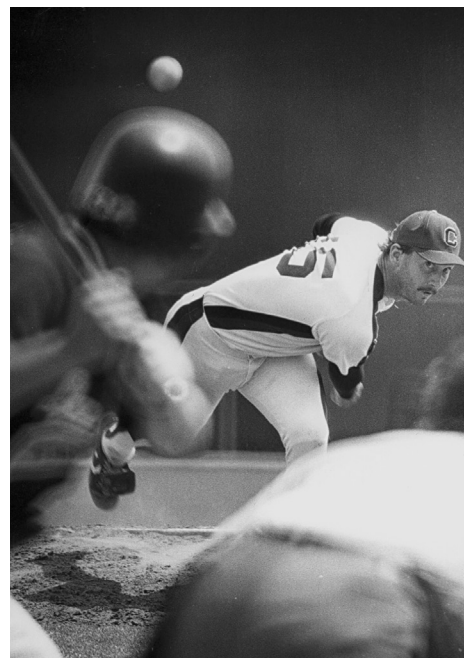
While the 1985 Gamecock lost both of their World Series decisions, the 1-0 loss to Arkansas was one of the greatest games in Rosenblatt Stadium history. The Razorbacks pushed across a run with two outs in

the bottom of the 14th inning to end the second longest CWS game ever.

Cook started against Arkansas and pitched seven scoreless innings. Senior right-hander Bo Taylor, the sixth Carolina pitcher, worked the 14th inning, and was charged with the loss.

To earn the bid to the NCAA Tournament, South Carolina swept a six-game series with in-state rival Clemson, beat Metro Conference rival Virginia Tech five out of seven meetings and took two of three from Big Ten member Ohio State and frequent College World Series qualifier Maine.

Cook was a first team selection on the All-America teams selected by the coaches and by Baseball America. He was the first round draft selection by the California Angels. He would appear in 41 major league games, 1986-93. Hollins, a freshman in 1985, was the other player from the '85 team to make it to the majors. In 12 years, 1990-2002, he played in 983 games and reached the MLB World Series in 1993 with the Philadelphia Phillies.



Statistical Leaders

Batting Average	Rob Rinehart (.390)
Home Runs	Joe Datin (23)
Wins	Mike Cook (16)
Earned Run Average	Mike Cook (1.91)

1985 Roster

1	Mark Taylor	INF/RHP
2	Eddie Lendenski	1B/3B
4	Keith Killian	OF/DH
5	Mark Nelson	C
6	Clint Sawyer	LHP
7	Bobby Miller	2B
8	Wade Hatcher	OF/2B
9	Rob Rinehart	OF
10	Derek White	C
11	Larry Price	RHP/DH
12	Jeff Barns	SS
13	Garrett Carter	OF
14	Dave Hollins	3B
15	Mike Cook	RHP/1B
17	Scott Mackie	OF
18	Lewis Jenkins	SS
19	Glenn Jenkins	RHP
20	Casey Reed	RHP
21	Scott Lambert	C
22	Jeff Churchich	C/1B
23	Brian Currie	LHP
24	Rex Perozo	LHP
25	Joe Datin	1B
26	Bo Taylor	RHP
27	Steve Boley	RHp
29	Scott Bailey	LHP
31	Jeff Morris	OF
32	Charlie Aldrich	OF

Head Coach: June Raines

Asst. Coach: Johnny Hunton



South Carolina head coach Ray Tanner vowed he would never attend the College World Series until he took a team there. He and the Gamecocks made it to Omaha in 2002 for his first trip and the sixth Carolina trip to the CWS.

It began in February with a nine-game win streak and ended in late June before 24,089 fans on college baseball's biggest stage, the national championship game in Johnny Rosenblatt Stadium.

It had been 17 years since South Carolina had made it to the CWS and success came after two disappointments. South Carolina won regionals in 2000 and 2001 but 3-2 deciding game super regional losses to La.-Lafayette and Stanford denied a trip to Omaha.

A few of the highlights of 2002 included a school record 75 games, a record 57 victories, a Southeastern Conference championship, a third consecutive regional title, a super regional championship and a battle through the loser's bracket to the national championship game.

It might be said the Gamecocks did it the hard way. They trailed defending national champion Miami

in the deciding super regional game before rallying for five ninth inning runs to win 6-4.

After being shut out 11-0 by Georgia Tech in the opening game of the World Series, the Gamecocks defeated home state favorite Nebraska, Georgia Tech in a rematch and Palmetto State rival Clemson twice to advance to center stage against Texas.

Along the way the Gamecocks broke or tied more than 50 team and individual records.

The Southeastern Conference championship was the second in three years for Carolina, which won nine of 10 conference series in compiling a 21-8 SEC record. The only series loss was to Arkansas and Carolina avenged that by defeating the Razorbacks twice in the Southeastern Conference tournament.

The season produced three All-America players, the SEC Player of the Year, four all-conference selections, three SEC all-tournament choices, five members of the all-regional team and the Scholar Athlete of the Year in the Southeastern Conference.

Senior Blake Taylor, who led the nation with 21 saves, first baseman Yaron Peters, who hit 29 home runs and drove in 95, were first team All-America and short-stop Drew Meyer made second team.

Peters batted .377 and was SEC Player of the Year. Peters, Taylor, Meyer and designated hitter Trey Dyson were named to the All-SEC team. Dyson won the H. Boyd McWhorter Award as the top male student-athlete in the SEC with a 3.74 grade point average in Business Administration.

The only pitcher with double digit wins was left-hander Gary Bell (10-3). Left-hander David Marchbanks was 9-4 and three others won seven games. Five regulars batted better than .300 and the team hit 122 home runs and 178 doubles.

In the regional, Carolina defeated Virginia Commonwealth and North Carolina twice with one loss to the Tar Heels, to advance to the super regional against defending champion Miami. Carolina won the first game 10-7, led by third baseman Brian Buscher's four hits that included his 14th home run. The Gamecocks lost the second game 5-2 to set up the dramatic ninth inning rally in the showdown game.

Miami was the home team and led 4-1 after eight innings but Peters doubled and Buscher singled to open the ninth. Pinch hitter Dyson doubled to score Peters with Buscher also scoring on the play off a Miami error and beating out a throw at home plate. Pinch hitter Garris Gonce doubled to tie the score with a bunt, wild pitch and passed ball scoring the final two runs. Carolina held off a Miami threat in the bottom of the ninth for a 6-4 victory.

A media poll nominated Carolina as most likely to be the first team eliminated in Omaha and it looked that way when sophomore Kyle Bakker shut the Gamecocks

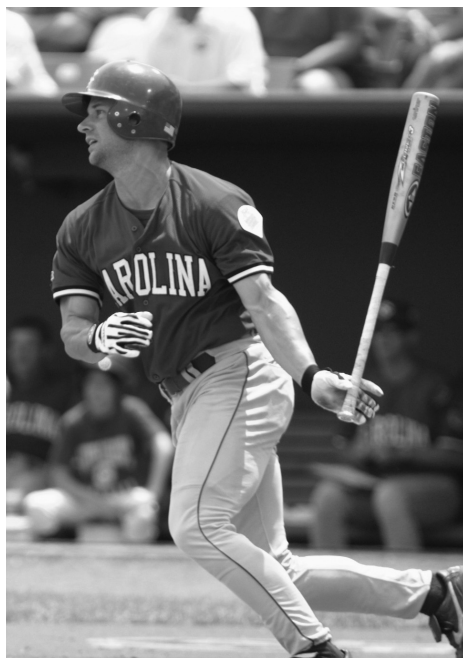
out 11-0 on six hits while Georgia Tech pounded five Gamecock pitchers for 19 hits.

Carolina had to face home state favorite Nebraska in the first elimination game. The Gamecocks trailed 4-0 after three innings but scored five runs in the fourth. The game went into the ninth inning tied 8-8. Meyer walked and Peters hit his 29th home run. Carolina prevailed 10-8 but faced a rematch with Georgia Tech. Freshman Aaron Rawl gave up 14 hits but pitched a complete game in a 9-5 win. Justin Harris and Steve Thomas homered for the Gamecocks.

Clemson won three of four regular season games with Carolina and the Tigers were 2-0 in the World Series when the Palmetto State entries squared off. Carolina ripped four Clemson pitchers for 15 hits including two home runs by Dyson and one each by Thomas and Landon Powell. Carolina won 12-4. Freshman left-hander Matt Campbell was the winner with 5.1 innings of two-hit shutout relief.

The Gamecocks faced Clemson again and Steven Bondurant pitched a complete game to eliminate the Tigers 10-2. Carolina had 13 hits, three by Kevin Melillo and Powell drove in three runs.

Texas advanced undefeated through three games with Carolina playing five to reach the finals. Carolina managed 10 hits but the pitching staff couldn't contain the Longhorn bats in a 12-6 loss for the title.



Statistical Leaders

Batting Average	Yaron Peters (.377)
Home Runs	Yaron Peters (29)
Wins	Gary Bell (10)
Earned Run Average	Matt Campbell (2.43)



2002 Roster

3	Matt Campbell	LHP
4	Jon Coutlangus	OF
5	Justin Harris	INF/OF
7	Drew Meyer	SS
8	Tim Seaton	RHP/OF
10	Landon Powell	C
11	Matt Riddle	OF
12	Cliff Donald	RHP
13	Steven Bondurant	LHP
14	Aaron Rawl	RHP
15	Steve Thomas	OF
16	Gary Bell	LHP
17	Trey Dyson	1B
18	Brian Buscher	INF
20	John Wesley	RHP
22	Garris Gonce	OF
25	Chris Spigner	RHP
26	Jared Greenwood	C
27	Kevin Melillo	INF
28	Chris Hernandez	RHP
30	Rico Bravo	RHP
32	Yaron Peters	1B
33	Rocky Evans	RHP
34	Steven Whetstone	RHP
36	David Marchbanks	LHP
39	Jason Ross	OF
42	Blake Taylor	RHP
44	Adam Tolman	3B
45	Demetric Smith	1B
46	Matt Wilson	RHP
47	Kyle Pope	OF
50	Tony Adler	RHP

Head Coach: Ray Tanner
 Asst. Coach: Jim Toman
 Asst. Coach: Jerry Meyers
 Asst. Coach: Stuart Lake
 Student Asst. Coach: Fox Beyer

The 2003 Gamecocks got off to a slow start in the Southeastern Conference race but swept their final nine conference games to win the Eastern Division for the fourth time in five years. Carolina advanced to the College World Series with five straight NCAA regional and super regional victories.

South Carolina advanced to the World Series for the second consecutive year and seventh time dating back to 1975. Prospects appeared dim after a 1-5 start in conference play but Carolina rallied to a 7-8 mark halfway through the conference season and went 12-3 the second half for a final SEC record of 19-11.

Carolina received its 19th bid to the NCAA Tournament but the Gamecocks didn't land a regional host site. Instead, the Gamecocks were shipped to Atlanta as the second seed to host Georgia Tech. Others in the four-team regional field were East Carolina and Stetson. Carolina had won eight of nine regionals played at Sarge Frye Field but in nine tries had never won a regional played away from home.

Atlanta in 2003 was destined to be a first. It began with a 4-0 shutout of East Carolina behind a five-hit complete game by right-hander Chris Hernandez. Stetson upset tournament favorite Georgia Tech.

A second consecutive complete game, this one by All-America left-hander David Marchbanks, produced a

7-2 win over Stetson. With one win left to clinch, left-hander Steven Bondurant pitched seven strong innings and Aaron Rawl contributed two hitless innings in a 9-3 win that sent Carolina to the super regional. Since number one seed Georgia Tech was eliminated in two games, South Carolina was awarded the host site for the super regional.

The North Carolina Tar Heels were the opponent in a rematch from 2002 when South Carolina went to Omaha by winning two of three over North Carolina. This time it was a Gamecock sweep, dispatching the Tar Heels 5-4 and 14-4.

The road to Omaha was paved by a host of heroes. Catcher Landon Powell homered four times in the regional and super regional with 10 runs batted in. He had 11 hits in 20 at bats. Third baseman Brian Buscher homered twice and drove in seven runs. Shortstop Justin Harris had 11 hits. Freshman right fielder Steven Tolleson batted .400, first baseman Bryan Triplett .391, second baseman Kevin Melillo .368, freshman left fielder Michael Campbell .333 and designated hitter Nick Gardiner .308 during the surge.

The Gamecocks managed one win in Omaha. After only two hits and being shut out by Stanford 8-0, Carolina remained alive by outscoring fellow Southeastern Conference member LSU 11-10 in an elimination game. The dream of a national championship ended with a second loss to Stanford, 13-6, who advanced to the finals but lost the title to Rice.

In the win over LSU, Carolina stormed ahead 6-0 before falling behind to the Tigers in the middle innings by scoring three times in the bottom of the eighth inning to eliminate the Bayou Bengals. LSU bunched all of its runs in the second, third, fourth and fifth innings before sophomore left-hander Matt Campbell silenced the Tiger bats. He allowed two hits in 5.1 innings. It was Campbell's second College World Series win. He had defeated Clemson in Omaha as a freshman.

A single by Buscher and an error scored two runs to tie the score in the eighth inning before Powell drove in the go ahead run with a double. Harris and Melillo had solo home runs.

Stanford's 17-hit attack in the second meeting sent the Gamecocks home. Buscher, Triplett and Tolleson homered in a losing cause.

Buscher won the Southeastern Conference batting title with a .393 average and was third team All-America. Marchbanks, with a 15-3 record and a 2.73 earned run average in 135.1 innings, was Southeastern Conference Pitcher of the Year and a first team All-America.

Marchbanks became the first South Carolina pitcher in 29 years to win two games in the same day when he defeated Mississippi State with three relief innings of a rain suspended game from the previous day and then worked 7.2 innings to down the Bulldogs 2-1. Matt Campbell was named SEC Pitcher of the Week

three times and was selected to the USA Baseball National team coached by Ray Tanner.

Harris had a 17-game hitting streak. Buscher began the season with a 14-game streak and had another streak of 13 games. The team batting average was .306 and the .973 fielding average was just two percentage points below the school record of .975.

Melillo set a second base record when he had nine assists in an 8-5 win over LSU at Baton Rouge.

2003 also marked the year of the "Dirty Dozen," as first coined by local Columbia writer Ron Morris. With the season in the balance, 12 returning players from the previous season brought the entire team together for a team "bonfire". Surrounding a metal barrel at Sarge Frye Field, the Gamecocks started a fire with each player tossing a personal item of theirs, sacrificing for a showing of a team unity. The Dirty Dozen (Steven Bondurant, Rico Bravo, Brian Buscher, Jon Coutlangus, Justin Harris, Chris Hernandez, David Marchbanks, Kevin Melillo, Landon Powell, Matt Riddle, Tim Seaton and Demetric Smith).



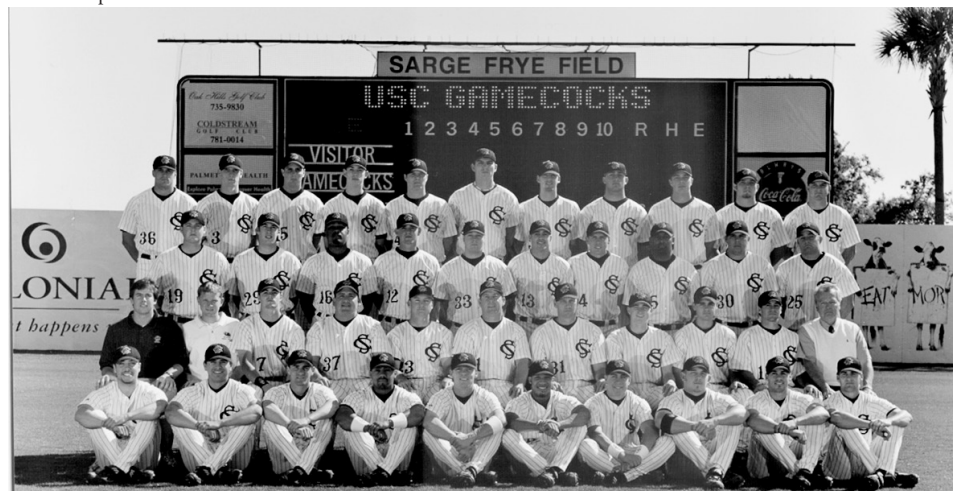
Statistical Leaders

Batting Average	Brian Buscher (.393)
Home Runs	Brian Buscher (15)
Wins	David Marchbanks (15)
Earned Run Average	David Marchbanks (2.73)

2003 Roster

2	Tim Seaton	OF/RHP
3	Matt Campbell	LHP
4	Jon Coutlangus	OF
5	Justin Harris	INF
6	Stephen Broome	RHP
7	Michael Campbell	OF
8	Steven Tolleson	INF
9	Bryan Triplett	INF
10	Landon Powell	C
11	Matt Riddle	OF
12	Cliff Donald	RHP
13	Steven Bondurant	LHP
14	Aaron Rawl	RHP
15	Forrest Beverly	LHP
16	Sadry Cafe'	OF
18	Brian Buscher	INF
22	Zach Reeves	LHP
23	John Gregory	LHP
24	Trey McDaniel	1B
25	Hank Parks	1B
27	Kevin Melillo	INF
28	Chris Hernandez	RHP
29	Davy Gregg	OF
30	Rico Bravo	RHP
34	Conor Lalor	RHP
36	David Marchbanks	LHP
38	Nick Gardiner	OF
42	Wade Jordan	RHP
45	Demetric Smith	1B
48	Mark Stanley	OF

Head Coach: Ray Tanner
Asst. Coach: Jim Toman
Asst. Coach: Jerry Meyers
Asst. Coach: Monte Lee



South Carolina opened the 2004 season with an 18-game win streak, struggled in the first half of the Southeastern Conference schedule, rallied to sweep its first SEC Tournament championship, the NCAA regional and super regional and earned a third consecutive trip to the College World Series.

The Gamecocks took a 10-game win streak to Omaha but for the third year in a row had to battle after a first-game loss. After being shut out 2-0 by eventual national champion Cal State Fullerton, the Gamecocks pounded fellow SEC member LSU 15-4 and Miami (Fla.) 15-11 and defeated Cal State Fullerton 5-3, the only team to claim a win over Fullerton in the 2004 World Series.

Fullerton won the third and rubber game meeting 4-0 to end the Gamecock season with a 53-17 final record and third place in the CWS.

The 18-game streak was the second longest in school history. While Carolina had won the SEC championship in 2000 and 2002, the Gamecocks had never won the conference tournament. A 7-6 10-inning win

over Ole Miss, a 5-1 decision over Tennessee, a 3-2 victory vs. Arkansas and a 3-2 win over Vanderbilt resulted in a tournament sweep.

Ole Miss scored six runs in the eighth inning and Carolina trailed 6-2 when the Rebels brought ace left-hander Stephen Head in from the bullpen. During the regular season, Head pitched a six-hit complete game 6-1 win over the Gamecocks.

Kevin Melillo started the ninth with a hit but Steve Pearce struck out. Michael Campbell walked but Head then struck out Steven Reinhold. Pinch hitter Hank Parks drove in a run with a single. Then came the dramatics for Carolina as Steven Tolleson hit a three-run homer off the left field foul pole to send the game into extra innings. Carolina won it in the 10th inning when Brendan Winn and Melillo singled and Pearce drove in Winn with a double.

Singles by Melillo, Pearce, Michael Campbell and Davy Gregg erased a 2-1 Vanderbilt lead and Carolina won 3-2 behind right-hander Zac McCamie to win its first SEC tournament title.

The Gamecocks came home to host the regional with North Carolina, Coastal Carolina and The Citadel also in the field. It was North Carolina's third consecutive post-season trip to Sarge Frye Field.

Carolina used home runs by Steve Pearce, Ryan Mahoney and Mark Stanley, each of which had three RBI, to down The Citadel 12-4. Stanley was in the game because center fielder Davy Gregg had been hit in the head by a pitch and Stanley wound up on the all-tournament team.

Carolina downed North Carolina 5-2 then and would face the Tar Heels again after they eliminated The Citadel. Melillo homered and Steve Pearce had three hits and two RBI as South Carolina moved on to the super regional with a 7-6 win.

Carolina advanced to the super regional for the fifth consecutive year and hosted the final stop before Omaha. East Carolina brought a gaudy 51-11 record to Columbia. Both games in the super regional ere close but South Carolina prevailed and qualified for the World Series for the third consecutive year.

Matt Campbell and Jason Fletcher shut the Pirates out until the eighth inning when Fletcher allowed two runs. USC brought Chad Blackwell in to close the game out as he earned his 18th save. Carolina won 4-2 by bunching single runs in the fourth and fifth innings and two runs in the sixth. Michael Campbell was the only Gamecock with two hits and Pearce hit a solo home run.

McCamie improved his record to 7-0 with a relief win in the second game won by the Gamecocks 5-3. Blackwell earned his 19th save and the key hit was an eighth inning double by Tolleson.

The lineup in the World Series almost looked like the Southeastern Conference tournament revisited. Four of the eight teams came from the nation's premier

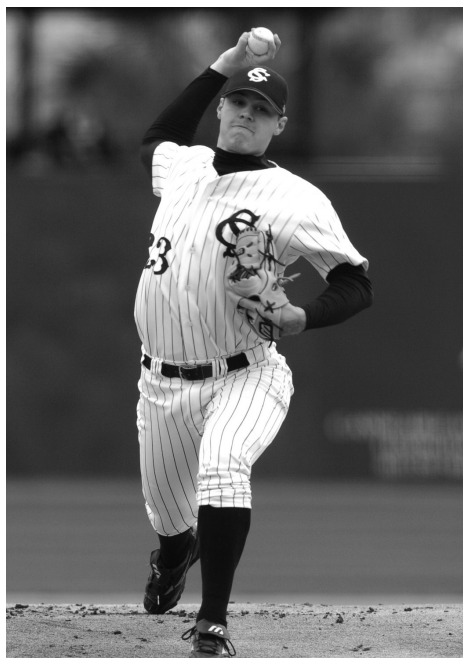
college baseball conference. LSU joined Carolina in its bracket along with Miami (Fla.) and Cal State Fullerton. Georgia and Arkansas were in the other bracket with Arizona and Texas.

Carolina only managed three hits in a 2-0 shutout loss to Cal State Fullerton but came back to eliminate LSU for the second year in a row. A six-run sixth inning featured a 19-hit Gamecock attack. LSU had 16 hits. The only extra base hit among the 35 by both teams was a ninth inning double by Tolleson. Melillo and Pearce had four singles apiece.

Carolina came out swinging against Miami and led 12-0 after four innings but had to fend off a fierce Hurricane rally to win 15-11. Billy Buckner scattered seven hits over seven innings and led 15-4 to improve his record 7-2. Everyone in the Gamecock batting order had at least one hit.

In the 5-3 win over Fullerton, USC had 12 hits, three by Triplett, who homered and drove in three runs. Fletcher pitched six innings to finish his season with a 6-1 record. Blackwell pitched three perfect innings to earn his 20th save.

Fullerton shut the Gamecocks out for the second time to advance at the series. Carolina managed eight hits, three by Pearce, but couldn't get on the scoreboard.



Statistical Leaders

Batting Average	Steve Pearce (.346)
Home Runs	Steve Pearce (21)
Wins	Aaron Rawl (13)
Earned Run Average	Chad Blackwell (2.57)



2004 Roster

2	Heath Rollins	RHP
3	Matt Campbell	LHP
4	Steve Pearce	INF
5	Brendan Winn	OF
6	Mark Stanley	OF
7	Michael Campbell	OF
8	Steven Tolleson	INF
9	Bryan Triplett	INF
10	Landon Powell	C
11	Steven Reinhold	OF
12	Cliff Donald	RHP
13	John Gregory	LHP
14	Aaron Rawl	RHP
16	Tommy King	INF
18	Jason Fletcher	RHP
19	Zac McCamie	RHP
23	Billy Buckner	RHP
25	Hank Parks	1B
26	Chad Blackwell	RHP
27	Kevin Melillo	INF
28	Nick Gardiner	OF
29	Davy Gregg	OF
30	David Cash	INF
38	Arik Hempy	LHP
40	Ryan Mahoney	C
41	Harris Honeycutt	RHP
47	John Adams	OF
48	D.J. Smith	C

Head Coach: Ray Tanner
 Asst. Coach: Jim Toman
 Asst. Coach: Jerry Meyers
 Asst. Coach: Monte Lee

For the third consecutive year, South Carolina played for the national title. The 2012 baseball squad won the SEC Eastern Division Championship, swept NCAA Regional and NCAA Super Regional competition to punch a ticket to Omaha and fought back through three elimination games to battle for the NCAA Division I Baseball Championship.

South Carolina began the postseason hosting a NCAA Regional at Carolina Stadium. South Carolina entered as the top seed and as the No. 8 national seed in the country. Also competing in the Columbia Regional was Clemson, Coastal Carolina and Manhattan. The Gamecocks won all three games to win the Regional.

The Gamecocks' opening game was a 7-0 victory over Manhattan. Junior right-hander Colby Holmes pitched eight scoreless innings to pick up the win. Holmes surrendered only a single in the eighth inning and fanned a career-high nine batters in eight innings of work. The Gamecocks broke a scoreless tie in the bottom of the sixth with a four-run outburst. Joey Pankake ripped a leadoff double to the gap in left-center. After Evan Marzilli singled and Christian Walker drew a walk to load the bases with no outs, Adam Matthews roped a single to left to drive in Pankake and Marzilli to give South Carolina a 2-0 advantage. Tanner English then smashed his team-high fourth triple of the season to right field to clear the bases and push the Gamecocks' lead to 4-0. South Carolina would add three more runs in the eighth inning.

A familiar foe would be in the opposing dugout for game two as the Gamecocks met up with in-state rival Clemson. A seesaw affair would see Carolina end up as the victor as LB Dantzler blasted a walk-off RBI single off the right field wall in the bottom of the 12th inning, scoring Joey Pankake for a 5-4 win over the Tigers.

Trailing 4-2, the Gamecocks pulled to within a run in the home half of the eighth. Marzilli ripped a single to right field to lead things off. Walker then doubled down the left-field line, scoring Marzilli from first to make it a 4-3 ballgame. Carolina rallied in the ninth to tie the game. Kyle Martin delivered a pinch-hit single to lead off the frame. After Chase Vergason drew a walk and Dante Rosenberg laid down a sacrifice bunt to move the runners over, Pankake lined a single to center, scoring pinch runner TJ Costen to tie the game.

Pankake again came through with a leadoff single to begin the 12th. Marzilli then moved Pankake to third with a single to left center, setting the stage for Dantzler. Dantzler smashed a 2-2 offering from Kevin Brady to right to drive in Pankake for the victory.

Statistical Leaders

Batting Average	Christian Walker (.321)
Home Runs	Christian Walker (11)
Wins	Michael Roth (9)
Earned Run Average	Tyler Webb (1.56)

The Gamecocks jumped on Clemson early on in the championship game en route to claiming the Columbia Regional title with a 4-3 victory.

For the second consecutive season and for the sixth time in school history, South Carolina hosted a NCAA Super Regional. A 5-0 victory vs. Oklahoma in game one followed by a 5-1 victory in a two-day span helped the Gamecocks punch their ticket to Omaha and the College World Series for a third straight year and for the 11th time in school history.

In game one, senior left-hander Michael Roth worked 7.2 scoreless innings on the way to the 5-0 win over the Sooners. Roth didn't disappoint in his final start at Carolina Stadium as he allowed only six hits and had three strikeouts. The Gamecocks struck first with a three-run outburst in the bottom of the second inning. Adam Matthews drew a walk to lead off the inning, advanced to third on a single by Erik Payne and scored on a double to right center by LB Dantzler. Payne then plated on a wild pitch and Dantzler made it 3-0 by scoring on a sacrifice fly to center field from Vergason. Carolina padded its lead with a pair of runs in the seventh.

In game two, the Gamecocks combined for five runs in the seventh and eighth innings en route to the 5-1 victory. In a game that took two days to complete because of heavy rain in the area, the Gamecocks' bats came alive on Monday as they scored all five runs and tallied five of their eight hits. The Gamecocks were the first to score as they manufactured a pair of runs in the seventh. Connor Bright delivered a leadoff double to right field. Tanner English then laid down a sacrifice bunt, but the throw by Oklahoma's first baseman sailed into the stands in left field, allowing pinch runner TJ Costen to score and English to advance to second. After moving to third on a sacrifice bunt by Chase Vergason, English raced home on a wild pitch by to give Carolina a 2-0 lead. After Oklahoma trimmed the lead to one run in the bottom of the seventh, South Carolina took control of the game in the eighth with a three-run inning. After Matthews and Dantzler came through with back-to-back one-out singles, English perfectly placed a bunt single past the pitcher's mound to score Matthews. Vergason then ripped a double to the gap in left center, clearing the bases to give the Gamecocks a 5-1 advantage.

A rematch of the 2011 CWS National Championship Series would be the feature game of the first two days at the College World Series. Defending national champion South Carolina against the top seed Florida Gators.

Erik Payne's three-run triple highlighted a five-run fifth inning, as Carolina defeated Florida 7-3, in the first round of the College World Series, held at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha, Nebraska Saturday night. The Gamecocks extended their NCAA record winning streak in the postseason to 22 straight games, including 12 in a row at the College World Series, in front of an announced attendance of 25,291.

Gamecock starter Michael Roth (8-1) worked 6.1 innings, allowing seven hits and three runs, all earned, with three walks and three strikeouts. He threw 98 pitches, 54 for strikes. Roth became the fourth pitcher to win a game in three different College World Series. Southpaw reliever Tyler Webb relieved Roth and escaped a bases loaded, one-out jam in the bottom of the seventh inning by retiring Tucker on a short fly to left then getting Johnson to line out to right. Carolina closer Matt Price worked the final two frames, retiring six of the eight batters he faced, including three by strikeout. He was helped by Marzilli's spectacular diving catch on a sinking liner by Pigott leading off the bottom of the eighth. Price logged his 42nd career save.

Trailing 2-0, Evan Marzilli led off the decisive fifth with a double to the right-centerfield gap, his second two-bagger of the game. Christian Walker followed with his second hit of the night, a single to left, putting runners at the corners. Adam Matthews walked to load the

2012 Roster

3	Tanner English	OF
4	Connor Bright	INF
5	Patrick Harrington	OF/C
6	Joel Seddon	RHP
8	TJ Costen	INF
9	Joey Pankake	INF
10	Drake Thomason	RHP
11	Sean Sullivan	OF
13	Christian Walker	1B
14	Evan Beal	RHP
15	Nolan Belcher	LHP
16	Chase Vergason	INF
17	Seth Constable	OF
18	Dante Rosenberg	C
19	Tanner Lovick	INF
20	LB Dantzler	INF
21	Grayson Greiner	C
22	Matt Price	RHP
23	Vince Fiori	LHP
24	Brisson Celek	1B
25	Adam Westmoreland	LHP
26	Adam Matthews	OF
27	Forrest Koumas	RHP
29	Michael Roth	LHP
30	Erik Payne	INF
31	Evan Marzilli	OF
33	Kyle Martin	1B
34	Jordan Montgomery	LHP
35	Logan Munson	LHP
36	Hunter Privette	RHP
38	Tyler Webb	LHP
39	Patrick Sullivan	RHP
44	Colby Holmes	RHP

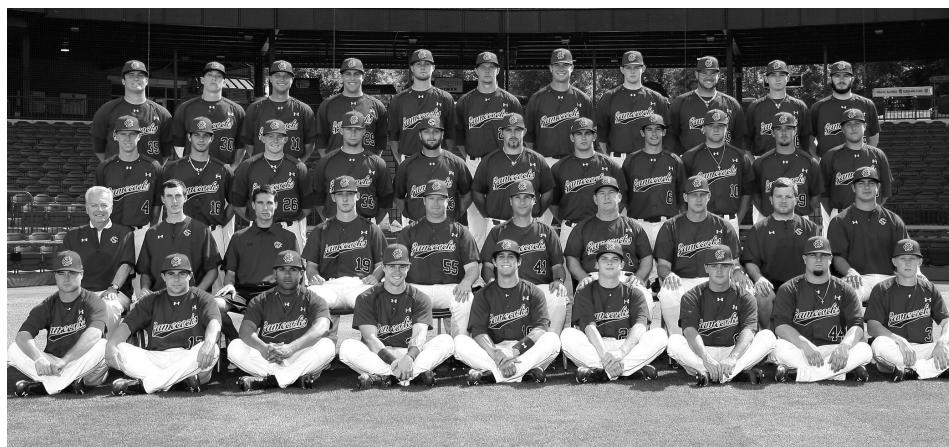
Head Coach: Ray Tanner

Associate Head Coach: Chad Holbrook

Assistant Head Coach: Jerry Meyers

Assistant Coach: Sammy Esposito

Student Assistant Coach: Drew Meyer



bases with no outs, setting the stage for Payne's bases-clearing triple to the right-centerfield wall. LB Dantzler followed with an RBI double to deep center, ending Gator starter Brian Johnson's night on the mound. Tanner English bunted Dantzler to third and Vergason capped the uprising with an RBI single to center. Johnson (8-5) worked four-plus innings, allowing eight hits and five runs, all earned, with three walks and five strikeouts.

With a 5-3 lead, the Gamecocks added a pair of insurance runs in the top of the ninth, aided by some wildness from the Gator pitching staff and less than stellar fielding. Walker led off with walk, moved to second on Matthews' sacrifice bunt, advanced to third on a wild pitch from Keenan Kish and scored on a wild pitch from Steven Rodriguez. Both Kish's and Rodriguez's wild pitches came with Payne at the plate. With two outs, Dantzler reached base safely when Rodriguez was unable to cleanly handle a slow roller. He moved to second on English's second single of the night and scored when Ramjit threw wildly to the pitcher covering first on Vergason's sharp grounder.

After a 2-1 loss to Arkansas snapped the Gamecocks' 22-game postseason winning streak dating back to 2010, it would be Michael Roth who would put the Gamecocks back in the win column.

Michael Roth is known for many special games in Omaha. One more time, he would deliver for the Gamecocks. After a rain delay pushed back the Gamecocks' contest with Kent State, both teams would be forced to come back the next afternoon with the winner having to play in the evening as part of a day-night tripleheader at T.D. Ameritrade Park.

In an elimination contest, South Carolina defeated Kent State 4-1 to advance on to the night's contest against the Razorbacks.

The Gamecocks rode the stellar pitching of Michael Roth. He went the distance, allowing two hits and one run with no walks and eight strikeouts while throwing 106 pitches. He retired the final 22 batters he faced in order.

Trailing 1-0 in the bottom of the 2nd inning the Gamecocks came right back with a pair of runs in the bottom of the inning. With one out, Adam Matthews and Kyle Martin stroked back-to-back singles. After Tanner English struck out, Grayson Greiner singled off the glove of Polen behind the third base bag. When the ball rolled away into foul territory, Matthews was able to beat the throw to the plate to tie the score at one. Chase Vergason followed with a single to right, plating Martin with the Gamecocks' second run.

Carolina increased its lead in the bottom of the third inning. After Christian Walker belted a two-out double into the right-centerfield alley, LB Dantzler crushed a two-run homer over the right field bullpen, his 10th round tripper of the season, giving the Gamecocks a 4-1 advantage.

The Gamecocks finished the game with seven hits and left seven runners on base. Kent State starter Tyler Skulina (11-3) was tagged with the loss after allowing four runs on six hits with four walks and nine strikeouts over 5.2 innings of work.

The Gamecocks survived their second elimination game of the day and kept their national title hopes alive with a 2-0 win over the Arkansas Razorbacks to force a third contest between the two schools.

For the second consecutive game, the Gamecocks rode the stellar pitching of a left-handed starter. In Thursday's first game. In the nightcap, it was freshman southpaw Jordan Montgomery who was just as impressive in front of an announced attendance of 23,593. Montgomery, a 6-3, 215-pounder from Sumter, S.C., surrendered just three singles and a walk while fanning six over 8.0 scoreless innings. He threw 89 pitches, 56 for strikes. Matt Price fanned two in working around a one-out walk in the ninth for the save.

For the first time in four games at the College

World Series, the Gamecocks scored the game's first run. Erik Payne led off the Carolina second inning with a double down the leftfield line and Tanner English followed with another two-base hit to left, putting the Gamecocks on top 1-0. English moved to third on Grayson Greiner's groundout, and then scored on Chase Vergason's RBI single to center. Vergason, who finished the regular season with just five RBI, has collected eight in the postseason.

That was all the runs Montgomery (6-1) would need. He retired 12 consecutive batters during one stretch after allowing a first inning single to Joe Serrano. The streak ended with two out in the bottom of the fifth when Montgomery hit Bo Bigham with a pitch. Derrick Bleeker followed with a single to left, but English gunned down Bigham at third for the final out of the inning. Bigham was the only Razorback to reach second base in the contest. In both the sixth and eighth innings, Arkansas got the lead off man on base, but both times Carolina came up with a double play to quickly end the uprising.

With a berth for the championship series on the line, the Gamecocks rallied from an early two-run deficit to defeat Arkansas 3-2 at the College World Series in front of an announced crowd of 22,184 at TD Ameritrade Park to advance to play Arizona in the best-of-3 championship series.

After both teams went down in order in the second, Arkansas got on the board again in the third. Jake Wise was hit by a pitch to lead off the frame and Carver doubled off the glove of Marzilli in center, ending Holmes' night. Wise scored on a Reynolds' sacrifice fly, his second RBI of the night, to make it 2-0 in favor of the Razorbacks.

South Carolina reliever Tyler Webb was outstanding in relief for the Gamecocks. He worked 4.0 scoreless frames, allowing just two hits and two walks with three strikeouts. In two games against the Razorbacks in Omaha, Webb hurled 9.1 shutout innings, allowing just four hits with three walks and seven strikeouts.

Trailing 2-0, the Gamecocks finally got on the board in the bottom of the fifth. Tanner English singled to center to lead off the inning. After a stolen base and a one-out walk to Chase Vergason, Joey Pankake delivered an RBI single to center. Marzilli walked to load the bases and Walker followed with another walk, forcing in Vergason with the tying run and ending the night for Razorback starter DJ Baxendale. Dantzler popped out in foul territory and Matthews fanned to end the Carolina uprising.

Carolina tallied the game-winning run in the seventh. With one out, Pankake and Marzilli coaxed walks. Walker popped out, but LB Dantzler kept the inning alive with a single off the pitcher's glove. Matthews, batting for the third time in the game with the bases loaded, walked on a 3-2 pitch to force in Pankake with go-ahead run. With Michael Roth pinch-hitting, Marzilli tried to score when the ball got away from the catcher, but was tagged out at the plate to keep the Razorbacks within one.

Matt Price (5-4) worked the final three frames for Carolina to earn the win. He allowed just one hit with no runs while fanning five. It was his fifth career CWS win, the most in history.

Arizona and South Carolina had never met on the baseball diamond until the 2012 National Championship Series. Arizona topped the Gamecocks, 5-1 in the first game of the series.

Arizona broke out in front with a pair of runs in the bottom of the first inning off Carolina starter Forrest Koumas. Johnny Field stroked a one-out single to left and scored on Robert Refsnyder's two-run homer into the right field bullpen, his eighth round tripper of the season. The Wildcats added to their lead in the third, scoring on an unearned run. Trent Gilbert reached on an error by Joey Pankake at short, moved to second on

a single by Joey Rickard and scored on a single by Alex Mejia to make it 3-0 in favor of the Cats. Evan Beal replaced Koumas on the mound and forced Seth Mejias-Brean into an inning-ending double play with the bases loaded, preventing any further damage in the frame.

With Arizona ahead 4-0, Carolina finally got on the board in the sixth when Greiner led off with a double into the left-centerfield alley and scored on Evan Marzilli's two-out RBI single to center. The Gamecocks had an opportunity to inch a little closer in the seventh when Adam Matthews and Kyle Martin opened the frame with back-to-back singles, but Matthews was gunned down trying to advance to third on Martin's hit to right to stymie the rally.

Arizona added an insurance run in the bottom of the seventh. Refsnyder reached base safely for the fourth time in the game with a one-out single, moved to second on a ground out and scored on Bobby Brown's RBI single to right.

In game two, Arizona scored three times in the top of the ninth inning to defeat South Carolina 4-1 in game two of the best-of-3 College World Series Championship Series at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha. The hard-fought win in front of an announced attendance of 23,872 gave Arizona a sweep of the championship series and ended South Carolina's hopes of a third-straight title.

Robert Refsnyder started the ninth inning rally for the Wildcats by chopping a leadoff single to left off Carolina reliever Matt Price. After a sacrifice bunt and an intentional walk, Brandon Dixon doubled down the left field line, putting Arizona on top 2-1. Trent Gilbert capped the uprising with a key two-out, two-run single off Tyler Webb for a 4-1 Wildcat advantage.

The Gamecocks did not go down without a fight in the ninth. Christian Walker singled and LB Dantzler walked to start the frame. After Adam Matthews struck out, Kyle Martin walked to load the bases. Tanner English lined to second for the second out and Grayson Greiner flied to right to end the contest.

For the second straight night, Arizona struck first. Joseph Maggi led off the third inning with a double past the third base bag, snapping Michael Roth's string of consecutive batters retired at 28, dating back to Thursday's win over Kent State. Maggi was sacrificed to third and scored on Gilbert's ground out, putting the Wildcats on top 1-0.

Michael Roth, making his final pitching appearance as a Gamecock, allowed just three hits and one run with one intentional walk and three strikeouts in 6.2 innings of work. He threw 85 pitches, 59 for strikes. Arizona starter James Farris matched Roth out-for-out, keeping the Gamecocks off balance and off the scoreboard for most of the night.

The Gamecocks (49-20) finally came up with the game-tying run in the bottom of the seventh. Walker led off the inning with a walk, his second of the game and record-tying eighth in this CWS. After Dantzler popped out, Matthews executed a perfect hit-and-run single to right, advancing Walker to third. Martin's groundout plated Walker to even the score at 1-1. Carolina also had a chance to tally in the bottom of the eighth. Greiner was hit by a pitch to lead off the inning but was thrown out at second on Chase Vergason's bunt attempt. Vergason swiped second and continued on to third when the throw sailed into centerfield as Evan Marzilli fanned for the second out, the final batter Farris would face. Joey Pankake was called out on strikes to end the threat. Roth ended his stellar career with three CWS records including career starts (8), career innings pitched (60.1) and career hit batsmen (7). Matt Price tied the record for career appearances in the CWS with 13. Christian Walker tied a single season CWS record with eight walks and tied career marks with 73 at-bats and 28 hits.