



# 2015-16 Women's Basketball SOUTH CAROLINA

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Exhibition Game

November 6, 2015 • Columbia, S.C. • Colonial Life Arena

**South Carolina Gamecocks**  
0-0



**Newberry Wolves**  
0-0

**Ranking:** 2/2 (AP/Coaches)

**Head Coach:** Dawn Staley

**Record at South Carolina:** 155-74 (8th)

**Career Record:** 327-154 (16th)

**Top Returning Scorer:** Tiffany Mitchell (14.4)

**Top Returning Rebounder:** Alaina Coates (7.9)

**Ranking:** -/-

**Head Coach:** Sean Page

**Record at Newberry:** 128-76 (8th)

**Career Record:** 166-103 (9th)

**Top Returning Scorer:** Samantha Creed (16.6)

**Top Returning Rebounder:** Jaya Schultz (5.0)

## Schedule/Results

Nov. 6	Newberry (Exh.) (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Nov. 13	#10 Ohio State (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Nov. 15	UNC Greensboro (SECN+)	3 p.m.
Nov. 18	at Clemson	7 p.m.
Nov. 22	at UCLA (Pac-12 Network)	4 p.m.
	<i>Waikiki Beach Marriott</i>	
	<i>Rainbow Wahine Showdown</i>	
Nov. 27	vs. Arizona State	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 28	vs. CSU Bakersfield	6:30 p.m.
Nov. 29	at Hawaii	10 p.m.
Dec. 6	Duke (ESPN2)	2 p.m.
Dec. 13	Winthrop (SECN)	2 p.m.
Dec. 16	Hampton (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Dec. 20	vs. East Carolina#	1 p.m.
Dec. 22	Elon (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Jan. 3	Arkansas* (ESPNU)	3 p.m.
Jan. 7	at Vanderbilt* (SECN^)	9 p.m.
Jan. 10	Missouri* (SECN)	Noon
Jan. 14	at Kentucky* (SECN)	7 p.m.
Jan. 17	Texas A&M* (ESPN2)	1:30 p.m.
Jan. 21	at Auburn* (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Jan. 24	at Mississippi State* (ESPN2)	5 p.m.
Jan. 28	Ole Miss* (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Jan. 31	at Texas A&M* (ESPNU)	6 p.m.
Feb. 4	Kentucky* (SECN)	7 p.m.
Feb. 8	Connecticut (ESPN2)	7 p.m.
Feb. 11	Florida* (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Feb. 15	at Tennessee* (ESPN2)	7 p.m.
Feb. 18	Georgia* (SECN+)	7 p.m.
Feb. 22	at Alabama* (SECN)	7 p.m.
Feb. 25	at Ole Miss* (SECN^)	9 p.m.
Feb. 28	LSU* (ESPN/2/U)	TBA
	<i>SEC Tournament (Jacksonville, Fla.)</i>	
Mar. 2	First Round	TBA
Mar. 3	Second Round	TBA
Mar. 4	Quarterfinals	TBA
Mar. 5	Semifinals	TBA
Mar. 6	Final	TBA

All Times Listed as Eastern and are subject to change  
# indicates game played in Myrtle Beach, S.C.  
\* indicates SEC Game

## Series History

South Carolina Record	0-0
In Columbia	0-0
In Newberry	0-0
At Neutral Site	0-0

### Last Five Meetings:

Date	Result	Location
First Meeting		

## South Carolina Notables

### Five-Second Count

South Carolina is coming off its most successful season, winning a school-record 34 games and advancing to the NCAA Final Four for the first time. The Gamecocks also won their first SEC Tournament title in their first appearance in the championship game. Scoring 75.9 points per game, South Carolina ranked 18th in the nation in scoring while maintaining its defensive presence at 12th in the nation, allowing just 54.1 points per game. The Gamecocks' .484 field goal percentage was fourth-best in the nation, and they also ranked among the nation's top 10 in scoring margin (+21.7, 3rd), field goal percentage defense (.349, 10th), rebound margin (+9.6, 10th) and blocked shots (6.3, 7th).

### Back in (Garnet and) Black

Among South Carolina's 11 returning letterwinners are last season's three highest scorers, two best rebounders, top two 3-point shooters, two best assist producers and top two shot blockers. Three of the five seniors on the roster have started a majority of their Gamecock careers. The offense returns 77.9 percent of its points from last season, and the team brings back 72.9 percent of its rebounds.

### Who's New?

The Gamecocks added four new names to their roster, and Doniyah Clincy is eligible to play this season as well. Two of the newcomers – Kaela Davis (Georgia Tech) and Allisha Gray (North Carolina) – will have to sit out due to transfer rules, but the

two All-ACC selections will have an impact in practice. Senior transfer Sarah Imovbioh averaged a double-double last season at Virginia and will help the Gamecocks' rebounding effort. Freshman guard Shay Colley has impressed with her ability to learn quickly and keep a steady demeanor through the process.

### Rankings Review

The Gamecocks will play 10 games against teams ranked in the preseason top 25, including five games set for Colonial Life Arena. Four SEC rivals account for six of the 10 games as the Gamecocks have home-and-home series against both No. 16 Texas A&M and No. 17 Kentucky while traveling to No. 4 Tennessee and No. 13 Mississippi State. Ranked non-conference matchups on the slate this season include No. 1 Connecticut, No. 10 Ohio State, No. 12 Duke and No. 14 Arizona State.

### Ticket Boom

South Carolina enjoyed the top average attendance in the nation last season, and Gamecock fans have again pushed the program beyond its previous heights with over 11,000 season tickets distributed. Only single-game tickets remain available.

## Game Information














**Tickets:** Free Admission

**Broadcast:** SEC Network+ (Brad Muller, play-by-play; Debbie Antonelli, analyst)

**Radio:** None

**Live Stats:** GamecocksOnline.com

# 2015-16 South Carolina Media Roster

<b>0</b>		<p><b>Shay Colley</b> 5-8 • Fr. • Guard • Brampton, Ontario, Canada <i>CAHL-ee</i></p> <p>PPG -- RPG -- APG -- FG% -- FT% --</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Spent four seasons with Team Canada, collecting silver at 2014 FIBA U18 Americas Champs., bronze at 2010 FIBA U17 World Champs.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: — Reb: — Ast: — Stl: —</p>
<b>1</b>		<p><b>Bianca Cuevas</b> 5-6 • So. • Guard • Bronx, N.Y. <i>kway-VAAS</i></p> <p>PPG 5.6 RPG 1.3 APG 1.7 FG% .370 FT% .776</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Last season, posted 10+ points 8 times ... 6.8 ppg in SEC, 4.8 ppg in non-SEC ... 7.0 ppg on 41.4 percent shooting in NCAA Tournament ... 2014 McDonald's All-America.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 21 at Ole Miss, 2/1/15 Reb: 4, 3x, at Georgia, 2/5/15 Ast: 5, 5x, vs. Sav. St., 3/20/15 Stl: 4, 2x, vs. Sav. St., 12/14/14</p>
<b>3</b>		<p><b>Kaydra Duckett</b> 5-8 • So. • Guard • Columbia, S.C. <i>KAY-druh DUCK-it</i></p> <p>PPG 0.2 RPG 0.6 APG 0.2 FG% .077 FT% .500</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Played in 20 games last season, including 10 SEC outings and two NCAA Tournament games ... 2014 SCBCA 3A Player of the Year ... won two HS state titles.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 2, 2x, vs. Sav. St., 12/14/14 Reb: 4 vs. Sav. St., 12/14/14 Ast: 1, 3x, vs. Syracuse, 3/22/15 Min: 7 vs. Sav. St., 12/14/14</p>
<b>4</b>		<p><b>Doniyah Cliney</b> 6-0 • R-Fr. • Guard • Newark, N.J. <i>dawn-YAY CLY-nee</i></p> <p>PPG -- RPG -- APG -- FG% -- FT% --</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Sat out last season, practicing with team in second semester ... good size on the wing ... won two high school state titles.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: — Reb: — Ast: — Stl: —</p>
<b>5</b>		<p><b>Khadijah Sessions</b> 5-8 • Sr. • Guard • Myrtle Beach, S.C. <i>kub-DEE-zhub SESH-uns</i></p> <p>PPG 4.5 RPG 2.4 APG 2.8 FG% .401 FT% .529</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Team captain ... started 36 of 37 games last season ... top 11 in SEC in assists and steals (1.8) ... shot 60.0% from 3 in SEC Tourn. ... 2012 SCBCA 4A Player of the Year.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 19 vs. Auburn, 2/3/13 Reb: 6 vs. Clemson, 11/20/14 Ast: 8 vs. NC Central, 12/1/14 Stl: 4, 10x, vs. Fla. St., 3/29/15</p>
<b>22</b>		<p><b>A'ja Wilson</b> 6-5 • So. • Forward • Hopkins, S.C. <i>A-zhub</i></p> <p>PPG 13.1 RPG 6.6 BPG 1.8 FG% .538 FT% .662</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: SEC Fr. of the Year, 1st SC freshman to earn All-America ... scored 10+ 24 times, 5 double-doubles ... 10th in SEC in pts., 8th in rebs. ... shot 66.7% in NCAA Tournament.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 26 vs. LSU, 2/12/15 Reb: 19 at Kentucky, 3/1/15 Blks: 6 at Kentucky, 3/1/15 Stl: 3, 4x, vs. C. Mich., 12/20/14</p>
<b>23</b>		<p><b>Tina Roy</b> 5-11 • Sr. • Guard • Kaplan, La.</p> <p>PPG 4.6 RPG 1.9 APG 2.1 FG% .388 FT% .400</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Team captain ... team-high 43.1 percent from 3 in SEC play last season ... great point guard play in Sweet 16 vs. UNC ... averaged 6.3 points, 3.7 assists in SEC Tournament.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 15, 2x, vs. LSU, 3/7/15 Reb: 8 at Miss. St., 2/6/14 Ast: 10 vs. Sav. St., 12/14/14 Stl: 3 vs. Southern Cal, 11/15/14</p>
<b>24</b>		<p><b>Sarah Imovbioh</b> 6-2 • Sr. • Forward • Abuja, Nigeria <i>ih-MOE-vee-o</i></p> <p>PPG -- RPG -- APG -- FG% -- FT% --</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Three seasons at Virginia, among ACC's top 15 rebounders each year ... 19th in nation with ACC-best 10.8 rpg in 2014-15, also scored 12.6 ppg ... efficient scorer with good range.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: — Reb: — Ast: — Stl: —</p>
<b>25</b>		<p><b>Tiffany Mitchell</b> 5-9 • Sr. • Guard • Charlotte, N.C.</p> <p>PPG 14.4 RPG 3.1 APG 2.9 FG% .500 FT% .838</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Team captain ... cleared for practice this week after foot surgery ... 2x SEC Player of the Year, All-America ... finalist for 2015 Naismith, Wade, Wooden awards; won Dawn Staley Award.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 25 vs. Georgia, 2/27/14 Reb: 11, 5x, at Arkansas, 1/2/14 Ast: 9 at SDSU, 11/23/13 Stl: 7 vs. NC Central, 12/1/14</p>
<b>31</b>		<p><b>Asia Dozier</b> 6-0 • Sr. • Guard/Forward • Columbia, S.C. <i>DOE-zbur</i></p> <p>PPG 4.0 RPG 1.0 APG 1.8 FG% .414 FT% .769</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Team captain, two-time ... started 62 of 71 games last two seasons, 30 of 32 SEC games ... in NCAA Tourn., posted 5.2 ppg on 6-of-10 from 3-pt arc and 2.8 apg.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 16, 2x, at SDSU, 11/23/13 Reb: 10 vs. Elon, 11/9/12 Ast: 6, 2x, vs. Georgia, 3/7/14 Stl: 2, 8x, vs. LSU, 3/7/15</p>
<b>40</b>		<p><b>Jatarie White</b> 6-4 • So. • Forward • Charlotte, N.C. <i>jub-TAR-ee</i></p> <p>PPG 2.5 RPG 2.2 BPG 0.3 FG% .408 FT% .643</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Slowed by foot injury in preseason ... played in 20 games as freshman ... best outing came at Georgia, playing extended minutes ... 2014 WBCA, McDonald's All-America.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 11 vs. Clemson, 11/20/14 Reb: 7 at Georgia, 2/5/15 Blk: 2 at Georgia, 2/5/15 Stl: 2 vs. Syracuse, 3/22/15</p>
<b>41</b>		<p><b>Alaina Coates</b> 6-4 • Jr. • Center • Irmo, S.C. <i>uh-LAY-nuh COATS</i></p> <p>PPG 11.1 RPG 7.9 BPG 1.5 FG% .562 FT% .696</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Had solid preseason with great focus ... 8th in career blocked shots (126), 10th in career double-doubles (22) ... 2x 2nd-Team All-SEC ... NCAA Greensboro Region MOP.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 24, 2x, vs. Ole Miss, 1/30/14 Reb: 17 vs. Kentucky, 1/9/14 Blk: 5, 3x, vs. Alabama, 1/29/15 Min: 30 vs. So. Cal, 11/15/14</p>
<b>44</b>		<p><b>India Farmer</b> 6-0 • Jr. • Forward • N. Myrtle Beach, S.C.</p> <p>PPG 0.3 RPG 0.5 APG 0.0 FG% .000 FT% .667</p>	<p>LAST GAME: — NOTABLE: Played in 16 games last season, including five SEC and three postseason games ... great team player ... works hard with good attitude.</p>	<p><b>Career Highs</b> Pts: 3, 2x, vs. Alabama, 1/19/14 Reb: 3 vs. NC Central, 12/2/13 Blk: 1 vs. Sav. St., 12/28/13 Stl: 1 at Florida, 1/19/15</p>

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Reserve



**2014-15 South Carolina Basketball**  
**South Carolina Combined Team Statistics (as of Apr 11, 2015)**  
**All games**



Overall record: 34-3 Conf: 15-1 Home: 16-0 Away: 9-2 Neutral: 9-1

##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds			avg	pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fga	ft%	off	def	tot									
25	MITCHELL, Tiffany	37-37	1106	29.9	189-378	.500	57-137	.416	98-117	.838	28	87	115	3.1	64	1	106	82	11	65	533	14.4
22	WILSON, A'ja	37-1	734	19.8	177-329	.538	1-3	.333	131-198	.662	78	165	243	6.6	72	1	37	62	65	32	486	13.1
41	COATES, Alaina	36-5	760	21.1	141-251	.562	0-0	.000	117-168	.696	99	186	285	7.9	62	0	28	50	53	19	399	11.1
24	WELCH, Aleighsa	37-37	973	26.3	153-274	.558	0-1	.000	31-75	.413	107	134	241	6.5	59	2	71	60	38	21	337	9.1
33	IBIAM, Elem	37-37	603	16.3	91-163	.558	0-0	.000	43-60	.717	51	86	137	3.7	79	1	11	44	34	9	225	6.1
01	CUEVAS, Bianca	37-0	536	14.5	74-200	.370	16-72	.222	45-58	.776	13	35	48	1.3	44	1	64	60	5	42	209	5.6
23	ROY, Tina	36-0	568	15.8	59-152	.388	46-119	.387	2-5	.400	8	59	67	1.9	19	0	78	34	5	7	166	4.6
05	SESSIONS, Khadijah	37-36	814	22.0	59-147	.401	20-64	.313	27-51	.529	26	63	89	2.4	63	0	105	49	4	68	165	4.5
31	DOZIER, Asia	37-30	615	16.6	55-133	.414	29-87	.333	10-13	.769	2	36	38	1.0	27	0	67	33	7	20	149	4.0
40	WHITE, Jatarie	20-0	184	9.2	20-49	.408	0-0	.000	9-14	.643	16	28	44	2.2	20	0	7	14	5	7	49	2.5
02	GAINES, Olivia	35-2	334	9.5	23-58	.397	3-8	.375	9-14	.643	13	25	38	1.1	42	1	32	16	3	20	58	1.7
15	DAVIS, Tiffany	16-0	84	5.3	6-16	.375	5-13	.385	6-9	.667	5	13	18	1.1	5	0	7	9	0	0	23	1.4
00	FARMER, India	16-0	37	2.3	0-4	.000	0-2	.000	4-6	.667	5	3	8	0.5	1	0	0	1	0	1	4	0.3
03	DUCKETT, Kaydra	20-0	52	2.6	1-13	.077	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	4	7	11	0.6	4	0	3	1	2	4	4	0.2
Team											69	82	151		1		13					
Total.....		37	7400		1048-2167	.484	177-507	.349	534-792	.674	524	1009	1533	41.4	562	7	616	528	232	315	2807	75.9
Opponents.....		37	7400		739-2116	.349	147-511	.288	378-557	.679	444	734	1178	31.8	738	25	353	595	111	248	2003	54.1

TEAM STATISTICS	SC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	
SCORING	2807	2003	11/15/14	SOUTHERN CAL	w 70-61	10057	
Points per game	75.9	54.1	11/20/14	CLEMSON	w 99-41	11012	
Scoring margin	+21.7	-	11/23/14	SAN DIEGO STATE	w 89-38	10301	
FIELD GOALS-ATT	1048-2167	739-2116	@ 11/27/14	vs Wisconsin	w 67-44	167	
Field goal pct	.484	.349	@ 11/28/14	vs #22/22 Syracuse	w 67-63	342	
3 POINT FG-ATT	177-507	147-511	12/01/14	NC CENTRAL	w 90-26	8823	
3-point FG pct	.349	.288	12/04/14	CHARLOTTE	w 82-61	9629	
3-pt FG made per game	4.8	4.0	12/07/14	at #9/8 Duke	w 51-50	6004	
FREE THROWS-ATT	534-792	378-557	12/14/14	SAVANNAH STATE	w 111-49	9605	
Free throw pct	.674	.679	12/17/14	at Hampton	w 69-49	4000	
F-Throws made per game	14.4	10.2	< 12/20/14	vs Central Michigan	w 80-45	2858	
REBOUNDS	1533	1178	< 12/21/14	vs Liberty	w 84-44	2659	
Rebounds per game	41.4	31.8	* 01/02/15	AUBURN	w 77-58	16465	
Rebounding margin	+9.6	-	* 01/04/15	at LSU	w 75-51	3438	
ASSISTS	616	353	* 01/08/15	at Alabama	w 102-59	2454	
Assists per game	16.6	9.5	* 01/11/15	#10/11 KENTUCKY	w 68-60	17156	
TURNOVERS	528	595	* 01/15/15	at Mizzou	w 60-49	1440	
Turnovers per game	14.3	16.1	* 01/19/15	at Florida	w 77-42	1503	
Turnover margin	+1.8	-	* 01/26/15	#12/10 TEXAS A&M	w 79-61	13546	
Assist/turnover ratio	1.2	0.6	* 01/29/15	ALABAMA	w 85-54	11927	
STEALS	315	248	* 02/01/15	at Ole Miss	w 77-59	1935	
Steals per game	8.5	6.7	* 02/05/15	at #22/21 Georgia	w 58-35	4896	
BLOCKS	232	111	02/09/15	at #2/2 Connecticut	L 62-87	10167	
Blocks per game	6.3	3.0	* 02/12/15	LSU	w 86-62	12342	
ATTENDANCE	196684	99307	* 02/15/15	VANDERBILT	w 89-59	15255	
Home games-Avg/Game	16-12293	11-4084	* 02/19/15	at Arkansas	w 73-56	1531	
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	10-5438	* 02/23/15	#6/6 TENNESSEE	w 71-66	14390	
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals	* 02/26/15	#11/13 MISS. STATE	w 69-50	15047
South Carolina	1365	1442	2807	* 03/01/15	at #13/15 Kentucky	L 56-67	7560
Opponents	947	1056	2003	^ 03/06/15	vs Arkansas	w 58-36	4630
				^ 03/07/15	vs LSU	w 74-54	5524
				^ 03/08/15	vs #5/5 Tennessee	w 62-46	5819
				\$ 03/20/15	SAVANNAH STATE	w 81-48	10644
				\$ 03/22/15	SYRACUSE	w 97-68	10485
				\$ 03/27/15	vs #15/12 North Carolina	w 67-65	6286
				\$ 03/29/15	vs #7/7 Florida State	w 80-74	6364
				\$ 04/05/15	vs #2/2 Notre Dame	L 65-66	19730

\* = SEC game  
 @ = Junkanoo Jam (Freeport, Bahamas)  
 < = Subway Classic (Minneapolis)  
 ^ = SEC Tournament (N. Little Rock, Ark.)  
 \$ = NCAA Tournament (Columbia, S.C./Greensboro, N.C./Tampa, Fla.)