

2011-12 NITTANY LION BASKETBALL

PENN STATE

BIG TEN TOURN.

GAME INFO

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COACHES:

PENN STATE: Patrick Chambers – 12-19 (1st at PSU); 54-47 (3rd Overall)

INDIANA: Tom Crean – 52-73 (4th at IU); 242-169 (13th Overall)

RPI: Penn State: #159; Indiana: #12

NEXT UP: The winner of Thursday's game will face No. 4 seed Wisconsin at 2:30 on Friday. Wisconsin swept the season series winning 52-46 in State College and 65-55 in Madison. Penn State downed Wisconsin in the 2011 Tournament quarterfinals, 36-33. Wisconsin leads the all-time series 30-10 and has won three of the last five games.

NO. 12 PENN STATE (12-19; 4-14 Big Ten)

NO. 5 (#15/15) INDIANA (24-7; 11-7 Big Ten)

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 2012 @ 2:00 P.M. (ET)
BANKERS LIFE FIELDHOUSE (18,165)
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

STORYLINES:

- Lions downed IU in 2011 first round, have won last 2 Tournament meetings with IU.
- Frazier Big Ten assist & steals champion, 2nd in scoring and minutes.
- Frazier sets PSU season assist record, 7th in season scoring, nears becoming 5th Lion to reach 600 points.
- Marshall scores career-high 27 on career-best four threes vs. Michigan.



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FIRST ROUND GAME: Penn State will be the No. 12 seed and take on No. 5 seeded and No. 15/15-ranked Indiana Thursday in Indianapolis in the 15th Big Ten Tournament. It will be the third first-round Big Ten Tournament meeting between the teams in the last four years and fourth overall. Penn State has won the last two, both in Indianapolis. Penn State downed No. 11 seed Indiana, 61-56, in last year's first round game and is 2-1 all-time vs. IU in the Tournament. Indiana swept the season series – winning 88-82 in State College and 73-54 in Bloomington. Indiana leads the all-time series 30-9, but Penn State has won six of the last nine meetings.

PENN STATE AT THE BIG TEN TOURNAMENT: The Lions were the No. 6 seed last year and won three games to advance to their first-ever Big Ten Tournament championship game where they fell to No. 1 Ohio State (71-60). Penn State downed No. 11 seed Indiana, 61-56, in last year's first round game before going on to dispatch No. 3 seed Wisconsin (36-33) and No. 7 seed Michigan State (61-48). Penn State is 9-14 all-time in the Big Ten Tournament, reaching the semifinals three times. Penn State is 5-9 in first round games, winning two of the last three (both vs. IU), but has never won when seeded lower than ninth.

FRAZIER EARNS FIRST-TEAM ALL-BIG TEN HONORS: Tim Frazier became just the sixth Nittany Lion to earn **FIRST-TEAM ALL-BIG TEN HONORS** when he was named by media voters on Monday. Frazier is the third Penn State guard to earn first-team honors joining Joe Crispin (2001) and Talor Battle (2009 & 20011). Frazier, who led the Big Ten in conference games with 2.4 steals per game, was also named to the **BIG TEN ALL-DEFENSIVE TEAM** by conference coaches, the first Penn State player to earn that honor since it began being voted on in 2006. Calvin Booth was named Big Ten Defensive Player of the year in 1998. Frazier was joined on the media's All-Big Ten first-team by forwards Draymond Green (Michigan State), Jared Sullinger (Ohio State), Robbie Hummel (Purdue) and John Shurna (Northwestern). He was named to the All-Big Ten second-team by the coaches who named Jordan Taylor (Wisconsin) as the first-team guard.

FRAZIER BIG TEN ASSIST & STEALS CHAMPION: Tim Frazier became the first Nittany Lion to lead the Big Ten in assists and just the third to lead the conference in steals with his averages of 5.6 apg and 2.4 spg in Big Ten play. Frazier's 19.6 ppg average in Big Ten games came just 0.4 shy of Northwestern's John Shurna (20.0) to claim Big Ten scoring champion honors. No Lion has ever earned the honor. Frazier finished Big Ten play **FIRST** in assists, **FIRST** in steals, **SECOND** in scoring, **SECOND** in minutes and **THIRD** in free throw percentage.

MARSHALL POSTS CAREER HIGH 27: With Tim Frazier hounded by the Michigan defense and struggling through a 4-of-16 scoring night, sophomore Jermaine Marshall stepped to the front posting nine points during a big 13-0 Penn State run, including a slashing dunk over two Wolverines, that cut a 19-point Michigan lead to six on his way to a **career-high 27 points** to go with eight rebounds in a March 4 loss to the Wolverines (71-65). Marshall **played all 40 minutes** in the game and shot 10-of-18 from the floor and made a **career-best four threes** in eight attempts. It marked Marshall's **fourth 20-point game** of the season and the second highest scoring total for a Lion on the year behind Frazier's 30 at Nebraska. Marshall scored 16 of his points in the second half as he posted his **20th double-digit scoring game** of the season. He had one last year.

TICKETS: Nittany Lion Basketball single-game tickets can be purchased by calling 1-800-NITTANY, visiting GoPSUsports.com or through Ticketmaster. Single-game tickets are \$18 for the lower bowl and \$15 for upper level tickets for adults. Youth tickets (18 and under) are \$7 for the lower bowl and \$5 for upper level seating, while Penn State student tickets are \$5.

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2011-12 SCHEDULE

Record: 12-19 (4-14 Big Ten) **Home:** 10-7; **Road:** 1-11; **N:** 1-1
Date **Opponent** **Time (ET)** **TV/Result**

NOVEMBER

Sat. 12	HARTFORD	BTN.com	W, 70-55
Mon. 14	RADFORD (HOFT)	BTN.com	W, 62-46
Wed. 16	LONG ISLAND (HOFT)	BTN.com	W, 77-68
<i>@ Hall of Fame Tip-off Tournament, Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, Conn.</i>			
Sat. 19	vs. #2/2 Kentucky	ESPN3	L, 47-85
Sun. 20	vs. South Florida	ESPN3	W, 53-49

Wed. 23	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	BTN.com	W, 82-71
Sat. 26	@ Saint Joseph's		L, 47-65
Wed. 30	@ Boston College	ESPNU	W, 62-54

DECEMBER

Sun. 4	MISSISSIPPI	BTN	L, 70-72
Wed. 7	LAFAYETTE	BTN.com	L, 57-61
Sat. 10	@ Duquesne (Consol Energy)		L, 59-66
Sun. 18	MOUNT ST. MARY'S (DH)	BTN	W, 72-43
Wed. 21	CORNELL	BTN	W, 74-67
Thur. 29	@#18/16 Michigan	BTN	L, 53-71

JANUARY

Sun. 1	@Northwestern	ESPNU	L, 56-68
Thur. 5	PURDUE	BTN	W, 65-45
Sun. 8	#12/12 INDIANA	BTN	L, 82-88
Wed. 11	@Nebraska	BTN	L, 58-70
Sun. 15	MINNESOTA	BTN	L, 66-80
Thur. 19	#22/25 ILLINOIS	ESPN2	W, 54-52
Sun. 22	@ #11/13 Indiana	BTN	L, 54-73
Wed. 25	@ #4/3 Ohio State	BTN	L, 54-78
Tues. 31	#19/20 WISCONSIN	BTN	L, 46-52

FEBRUARY

Sat. 4	@Iowa	ESPNU	L, 64-77
Wed. 8	@ #11/12 Michigan State	BTN	L, 57-77
Sat. 11	NEBRASKA (CVC Day)	ESPNU	W, 67-51
Thur. 16	IOWA	ESPNU	W, 69-64
Sun. 19	@ #15/17 Wisconsin	BTN	L, 65-55
Sat. 25	NORTHWESTERN	ESPNU	L, 66-67
Wed. 29	@Purdue	BTN	L, 56-80

MARCH

Sun. 4	#13/16 MICHIGAN	ESPN	L, 65-71
2012 Big Ten Tournament, Indianapolis, Ind.			
Thur. 8	vs. No. 5 #15/15 Indiana	2:00 p.m.	BTN
Fri. 9	vs. No. 4 Wisconsin	2:30 p.m.	ESPN
Sat. 10	Semifinals	1:40/4 p.m.	CBS
Sun. 11	Championship	3:30 p.m.	CBS

All times Eastern; BTN: Big Ten Network;
Rank: #AP/ESPN/USATODAY



LAST TIME OUT

MICHIGAN 71, PENN STATE 65 March 4 • University Park, Pa.

Michigan came out hot shooting 70% from the floor and 7-of-10 from three in the first half to take as much as an 18-point lead before going to the locker room up 39-28. PSU played well early and led 17-16 when Tim Frazier picked up his second foul and went to the bench at 11:30 of the first. UM went on a 15-2 run. The Wolverines built their lead to 19 with 9:04 to play in the second, before Penn State got hot behind the play of Jermaine Marshall and used a 13-0 run to make it a game. Marshall scored nine points in the run and finished with 27 points and eight boards. PSU got within 4, 62-58, on a Marshall jumper with 2:38 to play, but no closer as UM hit 10-of-18 from three and 59% for the game led by 19 from Trey Burke and 17 from Evan Smotrycz. Ross Travis had a career-high 15 for PSU.

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

PENN STATE		INDIANA	
T. Frazier (18.6)	SCORING LEADER	C. Zeller (15.4)	
T. Frazier (4.8)	REBOUND LEADER	C. Zeller (6.4)	
T. Frazier (6.3)	ASSIST LEADER	J. Hulls (3.4)	
61.9	SCORING OFFENSE	77.5	
65.5	SCORING DEFENSE	65.4	
-3.6	SCORING MARGIN	+12.2	
34.0	REBOUNDS PER GAME	34.7	
+2.5	REBOUND MARGIN	+4.0	
10.8	ASSISTS PER GAME	13.7	
6.8	STEALS PER GAME	6.7	
39.4	FIELD GOAL %	49.1	
43.6	FG% DEFENSE	42.2	
30.6	3PT FG%	43.2	
38.0	3PT FG% DEFENSE	33.8	
68.4	FREE THROW %	75.9	
0.9	ASSIST TO TURNOVER	1.1	
12.3	TURNOVERS	12.9	
L4	W/L STREAK	W4	


WISCONSIN	
J. Taylor (14.6)	SCORING LEADER
R. Evans (6.9)	REBOUND LEADER
J. Taylor (4.1)	ASSIST LEADER
63.8	SCORING OFFENSE
51.9	SCORING DEFENSE
+11.9	SCORING MARGIN
34.1	REBOUNDS PER GAME
+2.5	REBOUND MARGIN
11.6	ASSISTS PER GAME
5.2	STEALS PER GAME
42.4	FIELD GOAL %
37.7	FG% DEFENSE
35.5	3PT FG%
27.6	3PT FG% DEFENSE
73.9	FREE THROW %
1.3	ASSIST TO TURNOVER
8.9	TURNOVERS
W3	W/L STREAK

DID YOU KNOW?

- Three Nittany Lions own a 3.2 GPA or better (Tim Frazier, Billy Oliver & Sasa Borovnjak)
- Tim Frazier owns a team-best 34-inch vertical
- Nittany Lions Billy Oliver and Trey Lewis are both accomplished piano players. Oliver is partial to Billy Joel tunes while Lewis is partial to jazz and classical.
- Jon Graham is the son of Maryland great and former Philadelphia 76er, Ernest Graham.
- Tim Frazier's sister, Krystal, was an All-Conference USA selection in basketball at Rice.
- Matt Glover is the fifth junior college player to play for Penn State in the last decade.
- Sasa Borovnjak's father, Zoran, played professionally in Europe and his brother, Dejan, currently plays professionally in Italy

PENN STATE PLAYERS

Website: GoPSUsports.com; Roster Size: 15; Letterman Returning/Lost: 5/4; Starters Returning/Lost: 1/4
PROJECTED STARTERS:

23 Tim Frazier **G**
 Jr. ■ 6-1 ■ 170 ■ Houston, Texas

PTS 18.6 **REB** 4.8 **AST** 6.3 **MIN** 37.1
SEASON 57.6 (7th) **148** **194** (1st) **71** (7th steals)
CAREER 944 **352** **440** (6th) **129** (10th steals)

NOTES: LED Big Ten in assists (12th in NCAA) & steals on regular season, 2ND in scoring...LEADS Big Ten with 16 20-pt games on year (11 in Big Ten)...20+ in six of his last 9 games, 24 points at Purdue (2/29)...SET PSU season assist record (194)...7th on PSU season scoring chart...5 double-doubles on year...Career-high 30 pts at Nebraska (1/11)...8 games with 9+ assists...8th all-time on PSU career assist chart...3.2 GPA.

5 Matt Glover **G**
 So. ■ 6-4 ■ 210 ■ Orange, Calif.


PTS 2.8 **REB** 4.2 **AST** 1.4 **MIN** 23.3

NOTES: Led team in rebounding in 6 Big Ten games (8 vs. Michigan), 8 games overall...Glue guy...Top Defender...Tied for team lead in rebounding (4.3) in Big Ten games...2nd on team in assists, 4 vs. Iowa (2/16)...secondary big hander/point guard...8 pts, 5 rebs, 3 assists, 3 steals vs. IU (1/8)...Career-best 11 rebounds & 5 assists in win vs. Purdue...9 pts on 3 treys vs. Kentucky...Transfer from Sheridan CC (WV).


11 Jermaine Marshall **G**
 So. ■ 6-4 ■ 200 ■ Etters, Pa.

PTS 10.9 **REB** 4.1 **AST** 1.2 **MIN** 26.7

NOTES: Career-high 27 points and 4 threes (4-8) vs. Michigan (3/4)...Posted career-best 7-straight double-digit scoring games in Big Ten, 20 on year (13 in Big Ten)...13.4 ppg over last 5 games...four 20-pt games on the year...Leads team with 42 threes on the year (28 in Big Ten lead team)...Tied for team lead with 4.3 rpg in Big Ten...2nd on team getting to FT line 80 times...20 points vs. Indiana (1/8)...22 pts & 8 rebs in win at B.C.

43 Ross Travis **F**
 Fr. ■ 6-6 ■ 230 ■ Chaska, Minn.

PTS 4.4 **REB** 4.1 **AST** 0.4 **MIN** 17.8

NOTES: Career-high 15 points vs. Michigan (3/4)...2nd on the team in rebounding, led team in FIVE Big Ten games...10 pts and career-high 9 rebounds vs. Northwestern (2/25)...8 rebs vs. Minn. (1/15) and at OSU (1/25)...8 pts and team-high 6 rebs vs. IU (1/8)...started 14 games on the year...10 pts & 8 rebs vs. Kentucky...+20 pounds since arriving on campus...Called a "junkyard dog" by Coach Chambers...3-star recruit ESPN.com.

25 Jon Graham **F**
 Fr. ■ 6-8 ■ 240 ■ Baltimore, Md.

PTS 4.0 **REB** 3.5 **AST** 0.2 **MIN** 17.5


NOTES: Career-highs in rebounds (10 at Wisconsin, to go with 9 pts) and points (10 vs. Iowa & 10 vs Northwestern) in 3-straight games at end of February...Started last 16 games...Career-high 35 minutes at Wisconsin (2/19)...8 pts vs. Indiana (1/8)...first career start vs. Purdue (1/5)...Missed 6 games with mono Nov. 28-Dec. 29...inactive for 3 weeks...2010-11 redshirt...son of Maryland great & former Philadelphia 76er Ernest Graham.

OFF THE BENCH


21 Sasa Borovnjak **F**
 So. ■ 6-9 ■ 240 ■ Belgrade, Serbia

PTS 4.3 **REB** 3.1 **AST** 0.1 **MIN** 17.6


NOTES: Leads team shooting 56.3%...4-of-5 for 8 pts at Purdue (2/29)...Career-high 15 pts vs. Mississippi...10 pts vs. Mt. St. Mary's...Career-high 6 rebounds vs. Kentucky...Missed 2010-11 season with a torn ACL (right knee) suffered in the first pre-season practice...18 games as a true-freshman, scoring in 8...Added five pounds of muscle and is in the best shape of his career...Better than 3.2 GPA in Marketing.

20 Nick Colella **G**
 Jr. ■ 6-3 ■ 195 ■ New Castle, Pa.

PTS 2.8 **REB** 1.4 **AST** 0.5 **MIN** 15.2


NOTES: Started 6-straight games (2/8-2/29), played 24+ minutes in five...1st career start at MSU, career-best 3 threes...2 double-digit scoring games, 16 threes in Big Ten...Career-high 11 pts (3-of-5 from three) at IU (1/22)...10 pts at Iowa (2/4)...16+ min. in 13 Big Ten games, 37 at MSU (2/8)...Walk-on, played 2 years at Penn State-Behrend...Scholarship for spring 2012...joined through open tryouts...former Lady Lion practice player

3 Trey Lewis **G**
 Fr. ■ 6-1 ■ 180 ■ Garfield Heights, Ohio

PTS 5.3 **REB** 1.4 **AST** 0.8 **MIN** 18.3

NOTES: Scored 8 points on 2 threes at Purdue (2/29), first points since Jan. 1...Missed 10 games since Jan. 12 diagnosis of a stress fracture of L5 vertebrae...Returned to floor Feb. 25 vs. Northwestern...22 threes, 36% from arc...4-of-6 from three, 13 pts vs. Cornell...started first 4 games...Led team with 17 pts in season opener...2011 Ohio Division I Co-Player-of-the-Year...Runner-up for "Mr. Basketball" in Ohio.

24 Cammeron Woodyard **G**
 Sr. ■ 6-5 ■ 210 ■ Westminster, Md.

PTS 8.7 **REB** 4.1 **AST** 0.3 **MIN** 25.8

NOTES: Fractured right foot at Purdue shoot-around (2/29), will miss remainder of season...schedule for surgery to insert a pin in the toe on Monday...recovery time 4-6 weeks...Team leading 42 threes, 36.8% from arc...11.4 ppg at home on year...Double-digit scoring in 14 gms on year (11 at home)...Team leading 80.7% at foul line...17 pts vs. #22 Illinois...career-high 22 pts vs. Minnesota...Leads team in career games (104) & threes (69).

35 Billy Oliver **F**
 Jr. ■ 6-8 ■ 230 ■ Chatham, N.J.

PTS 6.8 **REB** 3.3 **AST** 0.3 **MIN** 24.0

NOTES: Announced Feb. 11 his decision to not continue his playing career due to continuing symptoms from concussions and migraines...Missed 4 games (Jan. 19-31), returned at Iowa...career-high 21 points and 7 threes (7-11) vs. Purdue...35 threes...3 double-digit scoring games on year...4th year with program after missing 2 seasons with concussions and chronic headaches...3.2 GPA...Will earn degree in Finance in May.

#	PLAYER	P	CL	HT	PPG	RPG	NOTES
14	Kevin Montminy	G	Fr.	6-3	0.3	0.2	Played in 7 games...Walk-on from nearby Penns Valley HS
32	Patrick Ackerman	F	Fr.	6-11	0.0	0.5	Played in 10 games...Ranked a three-star recruit by Rivals.com
34	Alan Wisniewski	F	So.	6-9	0.0	0.0	Played in 4 games...Walk-on, joined the team in October of 2010
* High school or previous school stats							
52	Peter Alexis	F	Fr.	6-10	20.2*	10.4	Announced plans to transfer following conclusion of the season. Set Holy Redeemer HS records for career and game scoring (41); Has not played on the season
2	D.J. Newbill	G	So.	6-4	9.2*	6.2*	Transfer from Southern Mississippi...sitting out 2011-12 season



OUTLET PASSES PLAYERS

■ **TIM FRAZIER** was named a first-team All-Big Ten selection by the conference media, the sixth Lion to earn first-team selection. He also became the first Nittany Lion named to the All-Big Ten Defensive team, which began in 2006.

■ **JERMAINE MARSHALL** scored a career-high 27 points vs. Michigan (3/4) on a career-best 4 threes for his 4th 20-point game of the season. He posted seven-straight double-digit scoring games in late January-February and has 20 on the year. He leads the team with 42 threes (28 in Big Ten) and has 13 double-digit scoring games in Big Ten play.

■ **TIM FRAZIER'S** 194 assists are a new PSU season record eclipsing the mark set by Tabor Battle (198) in 2009, and rank as his 2nd top 10 season surpassing his 6th place total of 173 from last year. He stands 8th on the Penn State career assist charts (440) and has 8 games of 9+ on the year.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** scored 24 points at Purdue and stands 7th on Penn State's season scoring chart with 576 points, 24 shy of becoming the 5th Lion to post 600 points in a season.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** has 199 field goals and 194 assists and leads the nation being involved in 58.1% of Penn State's field goals on the year. Only two other players in Division I are involved in 50% or more of their teams scoring on the season.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** is the ONLY Big Ten player to rank in the Top 50 of assists (12th) in the NCAA, 1-of-2 in the Top 50 of scoring (28th) and 1-of-2 in the Top 50 of steals (18th).

■ **TIM FRAZIER** has posted 21-straight double-figure scoring games, 12 times surpassing his 18.6 ppg average in Big Ten play. In **Big Ten Conference games, he ranked FIRST in assists, FIRST in steals, SECOND in scoring and THIRD in free throw percentage. He is averaged 21 ppg in Big Ten road games.**

■ **TIM FRAZIER** posted 23 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists vs. Nebraska (2/11), one assist shy of the first triple-double by a PSU player since 1998. It was his 5th double-double of the year, a mark that ranks as the 5th most in the Big Ten this season and the most for a PSU player since Geary Claxton had nine in 2007-08.

■ **ROSS TRAVIS** scored a career-high 15 points vs. Michigan (3/4) and had a career-best 9 rebounds to go with 10 points vs. Northwestern (2/25), his 8th game leading the Lions in rebounding and 5th in Big Ten play. He is posting 8.3 ppg, 5.7 rpg & shooting 70% (10-14) in the last three games.

■ **JON GRAHAM** posted three-straight games with a career-high totals in points (10 vs. Iowa & Northwestern) or rebounds (10 at Wisconsin) at the end of February and averaged 9.7 ppg and 6.3 rpg over those outings.

■ **TREY LEWIS** returned to the line-up on Feb. 25 vs. Northwestern after a 10-game absence due to a back injury. He hit two threes for 8 points at Purdue (2/29), his first scoring in a game since Jan. 1 at Northwestern.

■ **CAM WOODYARD** fractured the 5th metatarsal in his right foot in shoot-around prior to the game at Purdue (2/29) and will miss the remainder of the season.

■ 6-8 Forward **BILLY OLIVER** announced on Feb. 11 that he will not continue his playing career due to re-occurring symptoms from his history of concussions and migraines.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** is one of **TWO PLAYERS IN NCAA DIV. I** averaging 17+ points and 6.0+ assists per game.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** has led the team in scoring 24 times, including 14 of 18 Big Ten games, and has a Big Ten LEADING 16 20-point games (4th among Big Six Conference players). He has scored 20 or more points in 6 of the last nine games.

■ Walk-on **NICK COLELLA** started 6-straight games in the Big Ten and played more than 24 minutes in five of those. He posted his second double-digit scoring game (11) in Big Ten play at Iowa (2/4) and is averaging 20.8 mpg in Big Ten play, including a career-best 37 at MSU (2/8). He has been given a scholarship for the spring semester.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** has raised his scoring average by 12.3 ppg from last year (6.3 -18.6), the most in the Big Ten this season and 2nd-most since 1996-97.

■ **TIM FRAZIER** is 72-79 (91.1%) at the foul line in his last 15 games. Frazier ranked 3rd (87.4%) in the conference at the line in Big Ten games.

■ **MATT GLOVER** tied for the team-high with eight rebounds vs. Michigan (3/4). He has a team-high 28 reps on the 185-pound bench, a mark that exceeds the highest posted at the NBA Pre-draft combine since 2000.

SCOUTING INDIANA: The Hoosiers (24-7) have won four-straight and seven of their last eight, including double-digit victories over Michigan State and Purdue in their last two outings, to finish fifth in the Big Ten at 11-7. They are led by Big Ten Freshman of the Year Cody Zeller who's 15.4 ppg, 6.4 rpg and 1.3 bpg lead the team. IU leads the Big Ten in scoring (77.5 ppg), shooting (49%) and three-point percentage (43%), led by Jordan Hulls (60 threes, 48%), Christian Watford (41 threes, 42%) and Matt Roth (39 threes, 57%). Indiana has big wins over Kentucky and Ohio State on the year, but hasn't won a Big Ten Tournament game since 2006.

LAST TIME VS. IU: Penn State fell in a shoot-out, 88-82, to a Hoosier team that shot 16-of-24 (66.7%) from three in the BJC. Jordan Hulls posted 28 points on 7-of-9 from three, while Matt Roth had 22 on 5-of-6. Tim Frazier posted 21 and Jermaine Marshall 20 to pace PSU which shot 45.8%. The Lions got within two points three times in the final minute. The Lions shot just 22% in the second half and 34% for the game in Bloomington as IU won 73-54 behind 18 points from Cody Zeller. The Hoosiers hit 65% in the second half to eclipse a 29-27 PSU half-time lead. IU hit 7-of-16 from three and 53% for the game. Frazier had 21 and Nick Colella 11 for PSU.

OUTLET PASSES TEAM

■ Penn State's shooting has steadily improved going from 41% over the last 10 games to 43% over the last five and 45.6% over the last three.

■ Cammeron Woodyard is the fourth major contributor to miss significant action this season, all rank in the top seven of scoring and three in the top seven of rebounding. Woodyard, joins Billy Oliver (10 games), Trey Lewis (10 games) and Jon Graham (6 games).

■ Penn State started its 13th different line-up of the season and 8th in Big Ten play vs. Michigan (3/4).

■ Eight of Penn State's 10 primary contributors on the year are in their first or second season of Division I play. The Lions return 80% of their scoring and 80% or better of their rebounding, assists and steals next year.

■ Penn State shot a road game season-best of 45.8% at Purdue (2/29), also hitting road game best in a half of 56.5% in the first half in West Lafayette.

■ Penn State has out-scored its last SIX opponents in the paint, including Wisconsin (32-8), Northwestern (40-10) and Michigan (28-16). Penn State has won the scoring in the paint in 11 Big Ten games. Penn State won four of those games and lost by six points or less in four others.

■ Wisconsin (11-22) and Northwestern (15-29) each shot better than 50% from three, Purdue hit 9-of-22 and Michigan 10-of-18 in the last four games vs. Penn State. PSU has been out-scored at the arc 135-51 in those games and by 132 points (7.3 ppg) on the Big Ten season.

■ Penn State had eight players score in the win over Iowa (2/16), its most since a loss to Minnesota on Jan. 15.

■ Penn State shot 52.3% vs. Nebraska, its third game of 50% or better on the year and first in Big Ten play since shooting 56.5% at Northwestern last February 24. The Lions also shot a season-best 85.7% (12-14) at the foul line, their best in the Big Ten since shooting 87.5% (7-8) vs. Wisconsin in the 2011 Big Ten Tournament.

■ PSU is scoring 67.3 ppg & shooting 42% at home (10-7) on the year, while posting 55 ppg & shooting 36% in 14 games away from home (2-12).

■ Penn State has shot 37.7% from three and averaged 8.0 threes per game in wins, while hitting just 26% and 5.2 baskets from the arc in losses, shooting less than 32% from three in 17 of those games.

■ PSU is 7-1 on the year (42-3 the last five years) when holding opponents to less than 60 points, falling for the first time 52-46 to No. 19 Wisconsin. PSU is 1-12 when opponents surpass 70 points & 0-12 when they shoot better than 45%, including 10 Big Ten losses. The Lions are 10-6 when scoring 60+ & 2-13 when posting 60 or less.

■ PSU has won the rebounding battle in 19 games & is 1st in offensive rebounds in the Big Ten.



STANDINGS (March 5)

Team	BIG TEN			OVERALL	
	W-L	%		W-L	%
1. Ohio State	13-5	.722		25-6	.806
Michigan State	13-5	.722		24-7	.774
Michigan	13-5	.722		23-8	.742
4. Wisconsin	12-6	.667		23-8	.742
5. Indiana	11-7	.588		24-7	.774
6. Purdue	10-8	.556		20-11	.645
7. Northwestern	8-10	.444		18-12	.600
Iowa	8-10	.444		16-15	.516
9. Minnesota	6-12	.333		18-13	.567
Illinois	6-12	.333		17-14	.548
11. Nebraska	4-14	.222		12-17	.414
Penn State	4-14	.222		12-19	.387

2012 BIG TEN TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE: THURSDAY, MARCH 8

- Game 1: #8 Iowa vs. #9 Illinois - 11:30 a.m. - BTN
- Game 2: #5 Indiana vs. #12 Penn State - 25 min. after game 1 - BTN
- Game 3: #7 Northwestern vs. #10 Minnesota - 5:30 p.m. - ESPN2
- Game 4: #6 Purdue vs. #11 Nebraska - 25 min. after game 3 - ESPN2

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

- Game 5: #1 Michigan State vs. #8 vs. #9 winner - noon - ESPN
- Game 6: #4 Wisconsin vs. #5 vs. #12 winner - 25 min. after game 5 - ESPN
- Game 7: #2 Michigan vs. #7 vs. #10 winner - 6:30 p.m. - BTN
- Game 8: #3 Ohio State vs. #6 vs. #11 winner - 25 min. after game 7 - BTN

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

- Semifinal: Game 5 winner vs. Game 6 winner - 1:40 p.m. - CBS
- Semifinal: Game 7 winner vs. Game 8 winner - 25 min. after semifinal 1 - CBS

SUNDAY, MARCH 11

- Championship Game - 3:30 p.m. - CBS

PENN STATE IN THE BIG TEN

FIRST YEAR: 1992-93 Season
REGULAR SEASON RECORD: 107-232 (20th Season)
ROAD RECORD: 32-138
HOME RECORD: 75-94
MOST WINS IN A SEASON: 12-6 (1996), 10-8 (2009), 9-9 (2011), 9-9 (1995), 8-8 (1998), 7-9 (2001), 7-11 (2008), 6-10 (2006)
BEST SEASON: 12-6 mark and second place conference finish in the 1995-96 season.
.500+ SEASONS: 5, last coming in 2010-11
LAST YEAR: 9-9 (T4th)
BEST START: 4-0 in 1995-96 season.
LONGEST WIN STREAK: 4, twice, 1996 & 2009
LONGEST HOME WIN STREAK: 9 (one season), 1996, 12 (two seasons) 1995 & 1996
MOST ROAD WINS IN A SEASON: 3, 7 times, last 2011
LONGEST ROAD WIN STREAK: 2, 3 times, last 2010



FANTASTIC FRAZIER

"He should get consideration as one of the top point-guards in the country. He does everything for this team."

— Stephen Bardo, ESPN2

RIISING TO BIG TEN CHALLENGE: Despite being, at times, the nearly singular focus of every opposing defense and playing in the No. 1 RPI rated conference in the nation containing the three most efficient defensive teams in the country (OSU, WISC & MSU) according to Ken Pomeroy, Tim Frazier has scored in double-digits in 21-straight games and EVERY GAME in Big Ten play. TWELVE TIMES in Big Ten play he has exceeded his season scoring average of 18.6 ppg, which ranks second in the Big Ten, and SEVEN TIMES he has exceeded his Big Ten leading assist average of 6.3 apg. He has led the Lions in scoring in 24 games on the year, including 14 TIMES IN 18 BIG TEN GAMES. He is averaged 21.0 ppg while shooting 46% in nine Big Ten road games.

FRAZIER SETS PENN STATE SEASON ASSIST RECORD:

With five assists vs. Michigan on Sunday, Tim Frazier set the Penn State single season record with 194, surpassing the previous record of 189 assists posted by Tabor Battle in 38 games in 2008-09. Frazier's Big Ten leading 6.3 apg is above the PSU record season average of 6.1 set by Freddie Barnes (1992) and Tom Wilkinson (1978). He matched the previous PSU record in his 30th game, eight fewer than it was set, despite Penn State shooting 39.4% as a team. Frazier has assisted on 29% of Penn State's baskets on the year. Frazier has logged EIGHT games of 9+ assists on the year and had a career-best 11 vs YSU (11/23). Frazier's 173 assists last year rank as the sixth best season mark in PSU history, making him the only Lion with two seasons in the top seven.

FRAZIER 7TH ON SEASON SCORING CHART 24 POINTS FROM 600-POINT SEASON;

Tim Frazier stands 7th on Penn State's all-time season scoring chart with 576 points, just 24 points from posting just the seventh 600-point season in Nittany Lion history. He is just the 12th Nittany Lion ever to post 500 points in a season (a feat accomplished 16 times overall) and could become just the 5th to reach 600 points. Joe Crispin (2000 & 2001) and Tabor Battle (2009 & 2011) both reached the mark twice, while Jesse Arnelte (season record 731 in 1955) and Jarrett Stephens (2000) both did as well.

FRAZIER POSTING RARE NUMBERS: Tim Frazier is on a pace to join LIU's Charles Jones (1997-98) as the only two Division I players to reach minimums of at least 18.0 ppg, 6.3 apg, 4.8 rpg and 2.2 spg since the 1996-97 season. **18.0+ ppg, 6.3+ apg, 4.8+ rpg and 2.2+ spg**

Division I Players Since 1996-97

Year	Player	PPG	APG	RPG	SPG
1997-98	Charles Jones, LIU	29.0	7.4	5.2	2.9
2011-12	Tim Frazier, PSU	18.6	6.3	4.8	2.3

LEADS BIG TEN IN ASSISTS (12th IN NCAA), 2ND IN SCORING & STEALS:

Tim Frazier ranks 1ST in the Big Ten in assists (6.3), 2ND in scoring (18.6), 2ND in steals (2.3) and 1ST in minutes (37.1) in overall games.

- One of TWO Division I players averaging 17+ points and 6.0+ assists per game. (Nate Wolters, South Dakota State)
- Frazier averaged 19.6 ppg in Big Ten play, the fifth-best mark in league play in the nation among major conference players.
- Frazier averaged 19.5 points in true road games on the season, a mark that led all major conference players and is tied for 15th-best in Division I this season.
- 12TH IN THE NCAA in assists.
- FIFTH in the Big Ten posting FIVE double-doubles on the year, the last coming with 23 points and 10 rebounds vs. Nebraska (2/11).
- Carries a 3.2 GPA in Supply Chain and Information Systems in Penn State's Smeal College of Business.

FRAZIER FIRST WITH TOP 10 SEASONS IN SCORING, ASSISTS & STEALS AT PSU POSTS FIRST-EVER 500, 150, 50 SEASON AT PENN STATE:

With 20 points at Wisconsin on Jan. 19, Tim Frazier became the FIRST PENN STATE PLAYER EVER to eclipse 500 points, 150 assists and 50 steals in the same year. He followed that with a team-high 23 points vs. Northwestern to move into the top 10 in season scoring at Penn State and become the FIRST LION EVER to post a top 10 sea-

BIG TEN RANKINGS Conference Games (FINAL)

- 1ST in Assists (5.6)**
- 2ND Scoring (19.6)**
- 1ST in Steals (2.4)**
- 3rd FT% (87.4)**
- 1ST 20pt Games (16)**
- 2ND Minutes (38.0)**

PENN STATE SEASON RECORD RANKINGS

- 1ST in Assists (194)**
- 7TH Scoring (576)**
- 7TH in Steals (71)**
- 7TH FT Made (155)**

son in scoring, assists and steals in the same year. Frazier enters the Big Ten Tournament SEVENTH on Penn State's season scoring chart with 576 points, FIRST on the season assist chart with 194, and SEVENTH on the season steals chart with 71. He is SECOND among active career assist leaders in the Big Ten with 440 (Jordan Taylor, WISC, 443, Lewis Jackson, PUR, 438).

MORE FRAZIER MILESTONES: Tim Frazier is on pace to join to join Ron Brown (1972) and Tabor Battle (2010) as just THE THIRD PENN STATE PLAYER EVER to lead the team in scoring, rebounding, assists and steals in the same season. Brown led Penn State with 434 points (18.1), 224 rebounds (9.3), 110 assists (4.6) and 75 steals (3.1) in 1972. Battle led the Lions with 574 points (18.5), 165 rebounds (5.3), 129 assists (4.2) and 34 steals (1.1) in 2010. Frazier, who leads the Lions posting 4.8 rebounds per game, could also become just the FOURTH guard in the modern era (since 1950) to lead Penn State in rebounding, joining Battle (2010), Brown (1972) and Jeff Persson (1968).

FRAZIER THEIVING AT 10-YEAR HIGH: Tim Frazier's 71 steals rank as the 7th-most in a season in Lion history and are the most for a Lion in a decade since Titus Ivory posted 84 in 2001. Frazier posted a CAREER-HIGH six steals at Nebraska (1/11), and has 21 games with multiple steals on the year and 12 with three or more, including four in each of his last two games. He has smashed his team-leading total of 35 posted last year and ranks second in the Big Ten posting 2.3 spg.

FRAZIER POSTS FIFTH DOUBLE-DOUBLE; MOST SINCE '07-08; TIES BATTLE: Tim Frazier has posted FIVE double-doubles on the season, FIFTH MOST IN THE BIG TEN. Three came with points and assists and two with points and rebounds.

- His FIVE double-doubles are the most for a Nittany Lion in a season since Geary Claxton had nine in 2007-08.
- His SIX career double-doubles, equal the most ever for a Penn State guard tying Tabor Battle's six between 2008-2011.
- No. 5 on the year came with 23 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists in a 67-51 victory over Nebraska (2/11).

FIRST LION TO POST 170 ASSISTS TWICE:

His 8 assists in a win over Iowa (2/16) produced just the second season of 180 assists or more in PSU history. He is THE FIRST LION ever to reach 170 assists twice adding his 194 assists on the year (1st all-time) to his 173 last year



FRAZIER LEADS BIG TEN/4TH AMONG MAJOR CONFERENCE PLAYERS IN 20-POINT GAMES:

Tim Frazier LEADS the Big Ten with 16 20+-point outings on the year, and has 11 of those in Big Ten play. Frazier has led the Lions in scoring in 24 games and scored in double-digits in 29 on the year. He accomplished that just 10 times in his first two seasons, reaching the 20-point mark once with 22 in the Lions' Big Ten Tournament semifinal win over Michigan State last year.

Big Ten Leaders In 20-point Games on the Year 3/5

1. Tim Frazier, PSU _____ 16
2. John Shurna, NU _____ 15

MAJOR CONFERENCE Leaders In 20-point Games on the Year 3/5

1. Terrell Stoglin, Maryland _____ 20
2. Kevin Jones, West Virginia _____ 18
3. J'Covan Brown, Texas _____ 17
4. Tim Frazier, PSU _____ 16
5. John Shurna, NU _____ 15

FRAZIER CONFERENCE TRIFECTA: Ranking 1ST in the Big Ten in assists (6.3), 2ND in scoring (18.6) and 2ND in steals (2.3), Tim Frazier is one of two players in a Big Six conference to rank in the top five of those three categories in their conference's statistics. The other is Mississippi State's Dee Bost who is 5th in scoring (15.8), 1st in assists (6.1) and 3rd in steals (1.9) in the SEC.

TREMENDOUS IMPROVEMENT: Tim Frazier has improved his scoring average by 12.5 ppg over last year, the largest improvement in the Big Ten this season and second largest over the past 15 seasons.

Big Ten Largest Scoring Improvement, 2011-12

1. Tim Frazier, PSU _____ 6.3 18.6 +12.3
2. Meyers Leonard, ILL _____ 2.1 13.4 +11.3

Big Ten Largest Scoring Improvement, since 1996-97

- Sharif Chambliss, PSU (00-01-01-02) 1.3 14.6 +13.3
 Tim Frazier, PSU (10-11-11-12) 6.3 18.6 +12.3
 Meyers Leonard, Ill(10-11-11-12) 2.1 13.4 +11.3
 John Shurna, NW (08-09-09-10) 7.3 18.2 +10.9
 Darius Morris, Mich (09-10-10-11) 4.4 15.0 +10.6

INTEGRAL TO OFFENSE: No player in the nation is as integral to his team's offensive production as Tim Frazier whose combined field goals and assists have him involved in 58% of the Lions' baskets on the year, 60% in Big Ten play.

Division I, Highest Percentage of Team's Field Goals

Involved In - 2011-12, 3/5

Tim Frazier, Penn State	58.1%
Vincent Council, Providence	53.9%
Zack Rosen, Pennsylvania	50.6%
Nate Wolters, South Dakota State	48.7%
Reggie Hamilton, Oakland	48.6%

(6th all-time). Frazier currently stands eighth in career assists (440), three behind Titus Ivory (443) in seventh, and 160 behind Freddie Barnes' (1989-92) career record mark of 600.

FRAZIER ULTRA EFFICIENT IN NEAR TRIPLE-DOUBLE/13TH 20-POINT GAME:

Tim Frazier went 7-of-9 from the floor (1-1 from three) and 8-of-8 from the foul line Feb. 11 vs. Nebraska as he led Penn State with 23 points, 10 rebounds, nine assists and three steals. Frazier was involved in 46 of the Lions 67 points (68%) as he assisted on five of the Lions' nine threes. His rebound total doubled that of the next closest Lion and his three steals were two more than any teammate. Frazier logged his Big Ten leading 13th 20-point or better game of the year and came up one assist shy of logging the first triple-double by a Lion since Calvin Booth posted 19 points, 10 rebounds and 10 blocks in a 1998 NIT victory over Dayton.

FRAZIER FOR 30: Tim Frazier's team-high 30 points in a loss at Nebraska (1/11) marked just the 77th 30+ point game in 116 years of Penn State basketball as Frazier became the 40th Penn State player to reach the mark. His six steals in the game tied for the 6th best game total in Penn State history and tied for the second most ever by a Lion vs. a Big Ten team.

...AND HE'S CLUTCH TOO!: Not only is junior guard Tim Frazier posting statistical numbers matched by very few players in the nation, he now can add "clutch" to his resume after sinking a 12-foot, game-winning floater with eight seconds to play to break a tie game and send Penn State to a 54-52 victory over No. 22/25 Illinois in the Bryce Jordan Center (1/19). Frazier stepped into the role occupied by Tabor Battle over the previous four seasons and hit nothing-but-net in the first game-winning attempt of his career.



SEASON HONORS

- Tim Frazier**
- HOF Tip-off Tournament All-Tourney Team
 - November All-Big Ten Team (Collegehoops.net)
 - Named a Cousy Award Candidate
 - Pre-conf. All-Big Ten Team (Collegehoops.net)
 - Named a "Big Ten Top 5 Player" by ESPN's Stephen Bardo, Dec. 31
 - Mid-Season All-Big Ten Team (Collegehoops.net)

DOUBLE-FIGURE SCORING

	CAREER	SEASON
Tim Frazier	39	29
Jermaine Marshall	21	20
Cammeron Woodyard	15	14
Ross Travis	5	5
Billy Oliver	4	3
Trey Lewis	3	3
Sasa Borovnjak	2	2
Nick Colella	2	2
Jon Graham	2	2

CHAMBERS BIG TEN'S YOUNGEST HEAD COACH:

Patrick Chambers (41) begins his first season at Penn State as the youngest head coach in the Big Ten. Chambers and Purdue head coach Matt Painter are the only two Big Ten head coaches born in the 1970's. Chambers, born Dec. 13, 1970, is 108 days younger than Painter, in his seventh season as head coach at Purdue, who was born on Aug. 27, 1970.

ROAD RECORD:

ON THE YEAR: 1-11 (0-9 Big Ten)
Previous 2 Years: 6-16 (5-13 Big Ten)
Previous 4 Years: 14-30 (13-27 Big Ten)
Big Ten Road Games: 32-131 overall
Most Big Ten Road Games Won In A Season: 3 (seven occasions, last in 2011). The Lions reached the post-season in all but one of those seasons (1999).

CAREER & SEASON HIGHS

SCORING	CAREER	SEASON
Tim Frazier	30	30 (@NEB)
Jermaine Marshall	27	27 (MICH)
Cammeron Woodyard	22	22 (MINN)
Billy Oliver	21	21 (PURDUE)
Trey Lewis	17	17 (HART)
Sasa Borovnjak	15	15 (MISS)
Ross Travis	15	15 (MICH)
Nick Colella	11	11 (@ IU)
Jon Graham	10	10 (2X NW)
Matt Glover	9	9 (KEN)
Kevin Montminy	2	2 (KEN)

REBOUNDING

Tim Frazier	11	11 (2X COR)
Matt Glover	11	11 (PURDUE)
Jon Graham	10	10 (@ WISC)
Billy Oliver	10	10 (LIU)
Jermaine Marshall	9	9 (LAF)
Ross Travis	9	9 (NW)
Cammeron Woodyard	7	7 (6X NW)
Sasa Borovnjak	7	7 (DUQ)
Trey Lewis	4	4 (2X @NU)
Nick Colella	4	4 (2X NW)
Kevin Montminy	1	1 (KEN)

ASSISTS

Tim Frazier	11	11 (YSU)
Matt Glover	5	5 (PURDUE)
Trey Lewis	4	4 (HART)
Nick Colella	3	3 (@ IA)
Ross Travis	3	3 (LAF)
Jermaine Marshall	3	3 (3X NW)
Billy Oliver	2	2 (3X MISS)
Sasa Borovnjak	2	2 (2X LIU)
Cammeron Woodyard	2	2 (HART)

QUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY

Name: The Pennsylvania State University
Location: University Park, Pa. 16802
Founded: 1855
Enrollment: 44,034 (38,594 undergraduate)
Nickname: Nittany Lions
Colors: Blue & White
Conference: Big Ten Conference
Division: NCAA Division I
Home Court: Bryce Jordan Center (15,261)
President: Dr. Rodney Erickson
Athletic Director: Tim Curley
Acting Director of Athletics: Dave Joyner, Penn State BS '71, MD '76

BASKETBALL HISTORY

First Year of Basketball: 1897
All-time MBB Record: 1,362-1,064 (116th Season)
Record in Jordan Center: 165-100 (16th Season)
NCAA Tourn. Years (Record)/Last: 9 (9-11), 2011
NIT Years (Record)/Last: 10 (22-9), 2009 NIT Champions
Head Coach: Patrick Chambers (Philadelphia U. '94)
Overall Record (yrs): 54-47 (3rd year)
Record at Penn State: 12-19 (1st year)

2011-12 TEAM

Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/4
Starters Returning/Lost: 1/4
Captains: Cammeron Woodyard (Sr.), Tim Frazier (Jr.) & Billy Oliver (Jr.)
2010-11: 19-15 (H: 13-5; A: 3-8; N: 3-2); NCAA Rd. of 64
2011 Big Ten Finish: T4th (9-9)
2011 Big Ten Tournament: 3-1; Reached Final;
2011 NCAA Tournament: 0-1; L, 64-66 (7) Temple
Notable: Reached program's first-ever Big Ten Tournament championship game and made first NCAA Tournament appearance since 2001.

2011-12 NITTANY LION ROSTER

NUMERICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR./ELIG.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
2	D.J. Newbill**	G	6-4	210	So./So.	Philadelphia, Pa./Strawberry Mansion
3	Trey Lewis	G	6-1	180	Fr./Fr.	Garfield Heights, Ohio/Garfield Heights
5	Matt Glover	G	6-4	210	So./So.	Orange, Calif./Sheridan CC/Tustin
11	Jermaine Marshall•	G/F	6-4	200	Jr./So.	Etters, Pa./Red Land
14	Kevin Montminy	G	6-3	185	Fr./Fr.	Centre Hall, Pa./Penns Valley Area
20	Nick Colella	G	6-3	195	Sr./Jr.	New Castle, Pa./New Castle/PSU-Behrend
21	Sasa Borovnjak•	F	6-9	240	Jr./So.	Belgrade, Serbia/Veritas Christian (N.C.)
23	Tim Frazier••	G	6-1	170	Jr./Jr.	Houston, Texas/Strake Jesuit
24	Cammeron Woodyard•••	G	6-5	210	Sr./Sr.	Westminster, Md./Winters Mill
25	Jon Graham	F	6-8	240	So./Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Calvert Hall
32	Patrick Ackerman	F	6-11	230	Fr./Fr.	Rutland, Mass./Worcester Academy
34	Alan Wisniewski	F	6-9	230	So./So.	Sterling Heights, Mich./Bishop Foley
35	Billy Oliver•	F	6-8	230	Sr./Jr.	Chatham, N.J./Chatham
43	Ross Travis	F	6-6	220	Fr./Fr.	Chaska, Minn./Chaska
52	Peter Alexis	F	6-10	255	Fr./Fr.	Wilkes-Barre, Pa./Holy Redeemer

• = Letters Earned ** = Transfer sitting out 2011-12 season

COACHING & SUPPORT STAFF

Head Coach: Patrick Chambers (1st at PSU, 3rd overall, Philadelphia University, '94)
Associate Head Coach: Eugene Burroughs (Richmond, ' 94)
Assistant Coaches: Keith Urgo (Fairfield, '02) & Brian Daly (Saint Joseph's, ' 92)
Director of Basketball Operations: Ross Condon (Villanova, '07)
Strength Coach: Brad Pantall (Penn State, '96)
Athletic Trainer: Jon Salazer (Penn State, '93)
Video Coordinator: Adam Fisher (Penn State, '06)

BY ELIGIBILITY

SENIORS (1)	
24	Cammeron Woodyard••• _____ G
JUNIORS (3)	
20	Nick Colella _____ G
23	Tim Frazier•• _____ G
35	Billy Oliver• _____ F
SOPHOMORES (5)	
2	D.J. Newbill _____ G
5	Matt Glover _____ G
11	Jermaine Marshall• _____ G/F
21	Sasa Borovnjak• _____ F
34	Alan Wisniewski _____ F
FRESHMEN (6)	
5	Trey Lewis _____ G
14	Kevin Montminy _____ G
25	Jonathan Graham _____ F
32	Patrick Ackerman _____ F
43	Ross Travis _____ F
52	Peter Alexis _____ F

PRONUNCIATIONS

SASA BOROVNJAK
 SAW-sha BOE-rov-KNEE-yak
CAMMERON WOODYARD
 WOOD-yard
ALAN WISNIEWSKI
 WIZ-new-SKI



NATIONAL RANKINGS

AP TOP 25 (March 5)

1	Kentucky (63)	30-1	1,623
2	Syracuse (2)	30-1	1,561
3	Kansas	26-5	1,482
4	North Carolina	27-4	1,442
5	Missouri	27-4	1,343
6	Duke	26-5	1,262
7	Ohio State	25-6	1,251
8	Michigan State	24-7	1,149
9	Marquette	25-6	1,087
10	Michigan	23-8	945
11	Murray State	30-1	922
12	Baylor	25-6	909
13	Georgetown	22-7	873
14	Wisconsin	23-8	853
15	Indiana	24-7	707
16	Wichita State	27-5	492
17	Florida State	21-9	468
18	San Diego State	24-6	441
19	Creighton	28-5	364
20	UNLV	25-7	360
21	Temple	24-6	343
22	Florida	22-9	305
23	Notre Dame	21-10	256
24	Gonzaga	25-5	170
25	Iowa State	22-9	127

USA TODAY/ESPN TOP 25

1	Kentucky (31)	30-1	775
2	Syracuse	30-1	744
3	Kansas	26-5	703
4	North Carolina	27-4	690
5	Missouri	27-4	620
6	Duke	26-5	604
7	Ohio State	25-6	568
8	Michigan State	24-7	540
9	Marquette	25-6	537
10	Murray State	30-1	526
11	Baylor	25-6	422
12	Wisconsin	23-8	417
13	Michigan	23-8	397
14	Georgetown	22-7	369
15	Indiana	24-7	287
16	Wichita State	27-5	241
17	Florida State	21-9	199
18	Saint Mary's	26-5	198
19	Florida	22-9	187
20	UNLV	25-7	181
21	San Diego State	24-6	165
22	Creighton	28-5	164
23	Notre Dame	21-10	134
24	Temple	24-6	112
25	Gonzaga	25-5	80



PENN STATE IN THE RPI

Date	Rank	RPI	SOS
1/20	#123	.527	#41
1/23	#125	.523	#45
1/31	#129	.522	#47
2/2	#133	.519	#31
2/6	#144	.513	#42
2/9	#137	.516	#34
2/14	#130	.519	#37
2/17	#130	.521	#36
2/21	#133	.520	#35
2/27	#152	.511	#40
3/2	#153	.511	#33
3/5	#159	.507	#32

PENN STATE IN THE RANKINGS

Date **AP** **COACHES**

Last ranked 25th in the final ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll of the 2000-01 season (4/4/01). Last received votes in the national polls on Feb. 2, 2009. The Lions got votes in the Coaches Poll for four weeks.

PENN STATE VS. RANKED

ON THE YEAR: 1-9
2010-11: 4-8 (wins over: #18 MSU, #16 ILL, #15 WISC, #13 WISC)
Last WIN vs. RANKED team: 54-52 vs. #22 Illinois (1/19/12)
Last ROAD win: 38-33 @ #16/18 Illinois (2/18/09)
Last HOME win: 54-52 vs. #22 Illinois (1/19/12)
In the Jordan Center: 15-34
Last NEUTRAL win: 36-33 vs. #13 Wisconsin (3/11/11)
WIN vs. Highest Ranked in BJC: #5 Purdue, 74-63, 2/21/98)
WIN vs. Highest Ranked On Road: 66-65 at #6/6 Illinois (2/4/06)
WIN vs. Highest Ranked Overall: 65-63 vs. #2/3 Michigan State (3/9/01) Big Ten Tourn.
Under Patrick Chambers: 1-9 (1st season)
Since joining BIG TEN (1992-93): 27-109
OVERALL Streak: Lost 6
HOME Streak: Lost 1

STARTS CHART

CAREER STARTS

PLAYER	09-10	10-11	11-12	CAREER	CONS	GAMES
#23 Tim Frazier	10	33	31	74	37	96
#35 Billy Oliver			20	20	-	58
#5 Matt Glover			21	21	1	28
#24 Cam Woodyard	--	3	17	21	10	104
#11 Jermaine Marshall		-	16	16	1	56
#25 Jon Graham			16	16	16	26
#43 Ross Travis			15	15	6	30
#21 Sasa Borovnjak			7	7	-	43
#3 Trey Lewis			5	5	-	16
#20 Nick Colella			6	6	-	24

2011-12 SEASON

GAME	POSITION					LINE-UP RECORD
	1	2	3	4	5	
HARTFORD	23	3	43	35	21	1-0
Games 2-4	23	3	24	35	21	2-1
Games 5-7	23	5	24	35	21	2-1
@ Boston College	23	3	5	43	35	1-0
Games 9-13	23	5	11	43	35	2-3
@ Michigan	23	5	11	24	35	
@ Northwestern	23	5	11	24	35	0-2
PURDUE	23	5	11	35	25	
INDIANA	23	5	11	35	25	
At Nebraska	23	5	11	35	25	
MINNESOTA	23	5	11	35	25	1-3
ILLINOIS	23	5	24	43	25	
@ Indiana	23	5	24	43	25	1-1
@ Ohio State	23	5	11	24	25	
WISCONSIN	23	5	11	24	25	
@ Iowa	23	5	11	24	25	0-3
@ Michigan State	23	20	24	35	25	0-1
NEBRASKA	23	20	24	43	25	
IOWA	23	20	24	43	25	
@Wisconsin	23	20	24	43	25	
NORTHWESTERN	23	20	24	43	25	2-2
@Purdue	23	20	11	43	25	0-1
MICHIGAN	23	5	11	43	25	0-1
@ Big Ten Tourn.						

BENCH SCORING

SEASON HIGH:

30 vs. Cornell & YSU
20+ POINTS: 11 games
AVERAGE: 17.9 ppg

HARTFORD	25
RADFORD	17
LONG ISLAND	17
vs Kentucky	27
vs. South Florida	21
YOUNGSTOWN ST	30
@ St. Joe's	17
@ Boston College	26
MISSISSIPPI	25
LAFAYETTE	14
@ Duquesne	17
MT. ST. MARY'S	29
CORNELL	30
@ Michigan	14
@ Northwestern	9
PURDUE	13
INDIANA	16
at Nebraska	18
MINNESOTA	27
ILLINOIS	13
@ Indiana	20
@ Ohio State	10
WISCONSIN	3
@ Iowa	13
@ Michigan State	20
NEBRASKA	15
IOWA	17
@ Wisconsin	14
NORTHWESTERN	13
@ Purdue	18
MICHIGAN	6

13 DIFFERENT

STARTING LINE-UPS:

Penn State has employed 13 different starting line-ups on the season, EIGHT in Big Ten play.

PLAYER NOTES:

WOODYARD'S SENIOR SUCCESS COMES TO ABRUPT

END: Penn State's lone senior, Cammeron Woodyard, spent his first three seasons playing an average of just 8.7 minutes per game (including a high of 10.4 mpg last year) and never averaged more than the 2.2 ppg he posted in 24 contests as a freshman.

• Was having the best season of his career before it ended abruptly with a fracture in his right foot suffered during shoot-around prior to the game at Purdue on Feb. 29. He will have surgery to place pin in his 5th metatarsal on March 5 and have a 4-6 six week recovery time.

• Team leading 42 threes & 36.8% from arc when injured
 • Team leading 80.7% (46-57) from the foul line on the year.
 • Performed well at home averaging 11.4 ppg and posting ELEVEN of his 14 double-digit scoring games on the year in the BJC while shooting 46% from the field and 44% (27-61) from three in home games on the year.

• Equaled a career-best with four threes (4-7) and logged 14 points in a 67-51 victory over Nebraska (2/11) in the BJC.
 • He had one double-digit scoring game entering the season.
 • Led Penn State in scoring for 2nd straight game with 17 points on 3-of-4 from three in 54-52 upset of No. 22 Illinois (1/19).

• Scored a CAREER-HIGH 22 points with a career-best 8-of-8 at the foul line in a loss to Minnesota at the BJC (1/15).
 • Hit 3-of-3 from three and 4-of-4 at the foul line for 13 points vs. Cornell (12/21).

• Scored 14 points in 20 minutes vs. Mt. St. Mary's (12/18).
 • Posted then career highs in points (14), rebounds (7), threes (4) and steals (4) off the bench in Penn State's season opening victory over Hartford. Hit a career-best 4-of-7 from three vs. Hartford & tied for the team lead in rebounding.

• Led Penn State in rebounding in five games and posted a career-best equaling seven boards on six occasions.

WOODYARD GONE WILD:

Senior Cammeron Woodyard led Penn State in scoring for the second-straight game posting 17 points on 3-of-4 from three and 6-of-10 from the floor in a victory over No. 22 Illinois (1/19). He had never led the team in scoring in his previous 93 career games. That was on the heels of a career-high 22-point game vs. Minnesota. Woodyard shot 50% from the floor, 41% from three (5-12) and 10-of-10 at the line over the two games.



GRAHAM MAKES BIG GAINS: Redshirt freshman Jon Graham has made huge strides in his first season on the court becoming a solid defender and rebounder and a valuable scorer in the post.

- Posted three-straight games with a career high in either points (10 vs. Iowa & Northwestern) or rebounds (10 at Wisconsin) in late February. Posting 9.7 ppg & 6.3 apg over that three game stretch, posting more points than he had in his previous eight games combined.
- Nearly posted a double-double logging a career-best 10 rebounds and nine points in a career-high 35 minutes in a loss at Wisconsin (2/19).
- Posted a career-high 10 points and 27 minutes in a victory over Iowa (2/16), going a perfect 3-for-3 from the floor and 4-of-4 at the foul line, including both ends of a clutch one-and-one with 24 seconds remaining to extend a three-point lead to five. Added six boards and two blocks. **His father, Ernie Graham, had his No. 25 retired at Maryland on the same night.**
- Has started 16 straight games

COLELLA GETS CALL: Nick Colella has been put on scholarship for the spring semester. The junior, who began his career at the Division III Penn State-Behrend campus, joined the team as a walk-on last season after serving as a practice player with the Lady Lions in his first month on campus and going through the try-out process.

- **Made his first career START at Michigan State (2/8) and hit three treys for nine points in a career-most 37 minutes.**
- Started six-straight games (Feb. 8-Feb. 29) playing 24+ minutes in five.
- 16 threes in Big Ten games, third-most on team.
- Two double-digit scoring games in Big Ten play.
- Made at least one three in EIGHT straight games and posted his second, career-best three trey game at MSU (2/8).
- He has played 16 minutes or more in 13 Big Ten games and is averaged 20.8 mpg in conference play.
- Earned his playing time with his performances during a series of "toughness" practices in early January following the Lions' opening Big Ten games on the road and with his solid left-handed jumper that has provide a scoring spark from the three-point arc.
- Hit a pair of threes for 10 points while adding career-bests in rebounds (3), assists (3) and steals (2) at Iowa (2/4).
- Hit a career-best 3-of-5 from three for a career-high 11 points in 24 minutes at No. 11 Indiana (1/22).

PENN STATE RECORD WHEN:

	09-10	10-11	11-12	Last 5 Yrs
At Home	7-9	13-5	10-7	60-28
Road	3-8	3-8	1-11	15-40
Neutral	1-3	3-2	1-1	9-12
vs. Ranked	0-8	3-6	1-9	10-31
Decided by 3 points or less	2-7	4-4	1-2	14-15
Decided by 4-10 points	1-7	7-4	5-6	31-26
Decided by 11-19 points	6-4	6-5	4-7	25-25
Decided by 20+ points	2-2	2-2	2-4	14-14
Overtime/Double OT (0-1)	0-1	0-0	-	3-2
Leading at HALF	9-4	13-1	8-3	63-11
Tied at HALF	1-2	2-1	2-0	8-6
Trailing at HALF	1-14	4-12	2-16	13-62
Leading with 5:00 TO PLAY	11-4	17-1	11-2	70-10
Tied with 5:00 TO PLAY	0-0	0-1	-	0-1
Trailing with 5:00 TO PLAY	0-16	0-13	1-17	12-68
PSU SHOOTS 45%+	8-5	10-6	4-4	48-19
PSU SHOOTS Less Than 45%	3-15	9-9	8-15	36-62
PSU SHOOTS better than OPP	10-4	14-2	9-4	66-11
OPP SHOOTS 45%+	2-11	2-12	0-12	18-57
OPP SHOOTS Less Than 45%	9-8	17-1	11-6	55-20
PSU SHOOTS 40%+ FROM 3PT	6-5	5-3	5-1	35-14
PSU OUT-REBOUNDS Opp	9-11	15-4	10-9	62-33
OPP OUT-REBOUNDS or EVEN	2-9	4-11	2-10	22-47
PSU FREE THROW% 70%+	4-10	10-8	6-7	34-34
PSU Has MORE FT ATTS	8-8	16-4	7-3	71-22
OPP Has MORE OR = FT ATTS	3-12	4-11	4-16	13-58
PSU Has 15 OR FEWER TOs	11-17	18-15	11-17	80-70
PSU Has LESS TOs THAN OPP	4-5	9-8	9-9	41-31
PSU SCORES 70+	7-2	4-1	5-2	36-9
PSU SCORES 69 OR LESS	4-18	14-14	7-17	47-71
OPP SCORES 70+	2-7	1-9	1-12	10-45
OPP SCORES 69 OR LESS	7-11	18-6	8-6	67-32
OPP SCORES 59 OR LESS	5-0	11-0	8-1	43-3
OPP SCORES 49 OR LESS	1-1	5-0	4-0	17-1
In NOVEMBER	5-2	5-1	6-2	25-9
In DECEMBER	3-3	3-3	2-4	19-12
In JANUARY	0-8	5-4	2-7	12-28
In FEBRUARY	3-4	3-5	2-5	15-21
In MARCH	0-3	4-3	0-1	12-11
In APRIL	0-0	0-0	-	1-0
In TOURNAMENTS	0-1	3-2	1-1	13-9
ON TELEVISION	8-18	15-12	7-15	66-69
vs. BIG TEN	3-16	12-10	4-14	37-60
vs. ACC	1-1	0-2	1-0	-
vs. A-10	0-1	2-1	0-2	-
vs. AMERICAN EAST	1-0	0-1	1-0	-
vs. BIG EAST	0-0	0-0	1-0	-
vs. BIG SOUTH	0-0	0-0	1-0	-
vs. BIG 12	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. COLONIAL	0-1	0-0	-	-
vs. CONFERENCE USA	0-1	0-0	-	-
vs. HORIZON	0-0	0-0	1-0	-
vs. IVY LEAGUE	1-0	0-0	1-0	-
vs. MID AMERICAN	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. METRO ATLANTIC	0-0	1-0	-	-
vs. MCC	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. MID EASTERN ATHLETIC	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. MOUNTAIN WEST	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. NEC	2-0	2-0	2-0	-
vs. OHIO VALLEY	0-0	0-0	-	-
vs. PATRIOT	1-0	1-0	0-1	-
vs. SEC	0-0	0-1	0-2	-
vs. SOUTHLAND	1-0	0-0	-	-
vs. SOUTHERN	1-0	1-0	-	-
vs. SUN BELT	0-0	0-0	-	-

NOTING THE JORDAN CENTER

RECORD IN BJC: 164-100 (17th Season) (62%) (264 games)
OPENED: January 11, 1996 vs. Minnesota (W, 76-51)
CAPACITY: 15,261
MOST CONTESTS IN A SEASON: 20 (2008-09)
100TH WIN: 56-55 over Hartford, Dec. 6, 2006
LONGEST WIN STREAK: 14; Jan. 11, 1996-Dec. 27, 1996
SEASON HOME WINS RECORD: 17-3 (2008-09)
SEASON BEST START: 8-0, 2007-08 & 1996
TOP SEASON WIN MARKS: 17-3 (2008-09); 13-4 (2007-08); 13-4 (1999-2000); 13-5 (2010-11); 12-2 (1997-98);
TOP SEASON WIN PERCENTAGES: 100.0, 8-0 (1996); .862, 17-3 (2008-09); .857, 12-2 (1997-98);
TOP 10 CROWDS:
1. 15,472 vs. Purdue, 2/1/1997
2. 15,464 vs. Indiana, 1/26/1997
3. 15,455 vs. Ohio State, 3/1/1999
4. 15,435 vs. Ohio State, 2/27/1999
5. 15,420 vs. Indiana, 1/8/2000
6. 15,403 vs. No. 1 Ohio State 3/1/2011
7. 15,389 vs. Northwestern, 2/15/1997
8. 15,377 vs. Michigan State, 2/24/2001
9. 15,355 vs. Indiana, 1/31/1999
10. 15,232 vs. Indiana, 2/3/2001
TOP 2010-11 CROWD: 15,403 vs. No. 1 Ohio State, 3/1
TOP 2009-10 CROWD: 14,017 vs. Michigan State, 2/13
TOP 2008-09 CROWD: 15,035 vs. Indiana, 2/28
TOP 2007-08 CROWD: 11,159 vs. Michigan State, 2/2
TOP 2006-07 CROWD: 13,347 vs. Michigan State, 1/20



THE LAST TIME:

BEAT at TOP 25 Team	1/19/12 vs. #22 Illinois (54-52)
BEAT at TOP 10 Team	2/1/09 @#9 Michigan State (72-68)
BEAT at TOP 5 Team	3/18/01 vs. #5 North Carolina (NCAA) (82-74)
BEAT a BIG TEN TEAM by 20+	1/5/12 vs. Purdue (65-45)
WON in OVERTIME	3/17/09 vs. George Mason (77-73)
LOST in OVERTIME	1/2/4/10 @Wisconsin (79-71)
PLAYED DOUBLE OVERTIME	3/7/09 @Iowa (L, 75-67)
Came From 10+DOWN TO WIN	1/29/11 vs. #15 Wisconsin (-13) (56-52)
WON NON-CON ROAD	11/30/11 @Boston College (62-54)
WON BIG TEN ROAD	3/6/11 @Minnesota (66-63)
LOST AT HOME	3/4/12 vs. Michigan (71-65)
LOST NON-CON HOME	12/7/11 vs. Lafayette (61-57)
SCORED 100+	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (104)
ALLOWED 100+	12/3/06 vs. VMI (111)
SCORED 90+	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (104)
ALLOWED 90+	3/3/07 @Indiana (94)
SCORED 80+	1/8/12 vs. No. 12 Indiana (82)
SCORED 80+ IN BIG TEN	1/8/12 vs. No. 12 Indiana (82)
SCORED UNDER 50	1/31/12 vs. Wisconsin (46)
SCORED UNDER 40	3/11/11 @ BTT v. Wisconsin (36)
SCORED 60+ IN A HALF	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (60 2nd)
SCORED 50+ IN A HALF	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (60 2nd)
BENCH Scored 50+	12/7/05 vs. UMKC (50)
OPP SCORED 50 OR LESS	1/8/12 vs. Purdue (45)
CONSECUTIVE OPP BELOW 50	2009 @Temple (45) & UMBC (42)
OPP SCORED 40 OR LESS	3/11/11 @ BTT v. #13 Wisconsin (33)
CONSECUTIVE OPP BELOW 40	2007 vs. Princeton (38) & Denver (39)
OPP SCORED 10 OR LESS IN HALF	12/15/07 Denver (10)
OPP SHOT BELOW 30%	11/29/08 vs. Towson (29.4)
SHOT 60%+ FG	11/25/09 vs. Sacred Heart (63.8)
SHOT 60%+ FG IN BIG TEN	1/3/06 vs. Northwestern (64.0)
SHOT 50%+ FG IN BIG TEN	2/25/12 vs. Nebraska (50.9)
OPP SHOT 60%+	1/11/09 @Minnesota (62.5)
SHOT 70% IN HALF	12/30/06 vs. VMI (70.3, 26-37)
SHOT UNDER 30%	11/26/11 @ St. Joe's (19-71; 26.8%)
SHOT 70%+ FROM 3PT	12/28/05 vs. St. Francis (75.0, 9-12)
SHOT 60%+ FROM 3PT	11/28/10 vs. Furman (12-19, 63.2%)
SHOT 50%+ FROM 3PT	11/23/11 vs. YSU (11-22, 50%)
SHOT 95%+ FROM FT	3/13/11 vs. Ohio State (9-9, 100%)
SHOT 85%+ FROM FT	2/11/12 vs. Nebraska (85.7, 12-14)
SHOT 50% OR LESS FT	11/26/11 @ St. Joe's (2-7; 28.6%)
50+ REBOUNDS	11/28/09 vs. UMBC (52)
45+ REBOUNDS	12/7/11 vs. Lafayette (47)
20+ OFFENSIVE REBS	12/7/11 vs. Lafayette (20)
20 OR LESS REBOUNDS	2/29/12 @ Purdue (17)
OPP LESS THAN 20 REBS	1/19/11 vs. Purdue (19)
15+ STEALS	11/12/11 vs. Hartford (15)
10+ STEALS	1/15/12 vs. Minnesota(11)
30+ ASSISTS	12/30/06 vs. VMI (36)
20+ ASSISTS	2/17/10 @ Northwestern (21)
5 OR LESS TURNOVERS	2/19/12 @ Wisconsin (5)
20 + TURNOVERS	12/10/11 @ Duquesne (23)
OPP 25+ TURNOVERS	11/12/11 vs. Hartford (26)
PLAYER 40+ POINTS	Jesse Arnelle (40) vs. Temple, 1/29/1955
PLAYER 35+ POINTS	Pete Lisicky (35) vs. Penn, 12/9/1995
PLAYER 30+ POINTS	Tim Frazier (30) at Nebraska, 1/11/12
3 PLAYERS 20+ POINTS	Claxton, Cornley, Hassell vs. VMI, 12/30/06
2 PLAYERS 20+ POINTS	Woodyard & Frazier vs. Minnesota, 1/15/12
6+ PLAYERS 10+ POINTS	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (6)
5+ PLAYERS 10+ POINTS	12/18/12 vs. Mt. St. Mary's (5)
10 PLAYERS 10+ MINUTES	12/19/09 vs. Gardner-Webb (10)
PLAYER 20+ REBOUNDS	A. Johnson (20) vs. Sacred Heart, 11/27/04
PLAYER 15+ REBOUNDS	G. Claxton (15) @Purdue, 2/18/06
PLAYER 10+ ASSISTS	Tim Frazier (11) vs. YSU, 11/23/11
PLAYER 5+ STEALS	Tim Frazier (6) at Nebraska, 1/11/12
PLAYER 5+ BLOCKS	Jeff Brooks (5) vs. Lehigh, 11/12/10

MARSHALL A SOLID 2ND SCORER/20 DOUBLE-DIGIT GAMES: Jermaine Marshall posted a career-best string of seven-straight double-figure scoring games in late January and February and has established himself as a consistent scorer, posting 19 double-digit outings and 299 points (12.4 ppg) in his last 24 games. Marshall had posted a total of two double-digit outings and 98 points (2.9 ppg) in the first 34 games of his career.

- Marshall has posted four 20-points games on the year (including a career-best 27 vs. Michigan on March 4).
- Has made a team-high 42 threes, hitting a career-high four treys vs. Michigan, and posting four games with three or more on the year. He had six threes in 28 games last year.
- 20 double-digit scoring outings on the year (13 in the Big Ten), including a career-best seven-straight. He had one entering the season.
- Second on the team scoring 10.9 ppg and getting to the foul line 80 times on the year.
- Hit 10-of-18 from the floor and a career-most 3-of-6 from three for a career-high 27 points to go with a team-high tying 8 rebounds vs. Michigan (3/4).
- Posted 20 points in an 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Posted six-straight double-figure scoring outings, with two 20-point games to close out the non-conference season.
- Scored 15 first half points, including the Lions' last 10 of the half, on his way to 22 points and eight rebounds in Penn State's win at Boston College (11/30). Marshall hit 8-of-16 from the floor and a career-best 3-of-6 from three in the game.
- Led Penn State with 20 points and a career-high 9 rebounds in a loss to Lafayette (12/7) at the BJC. Hit a career-best 9-of-11 at the foul line in the game.
- Made first career start vs. Ole Miss (12/4).

TRAVIS POSTING CAREER BESTS AT END OF YEAR:

Freshman Ross Travis has been referred to by coach Patrick Chambers as his "junkyard dog" for the energy level he brings to the court and his willingness to mix it up and sacrifice his body. **He produced a career-high in points and rebounds in the last week of the regular season.**

- Averaged 8.3 ppg and 5.7 rpg while shooting 71% (10-14) over the last three games of the regular season.
- Scored a **CAREER-HIGH 15 points** on a perfect 5-of-5 from the floor and career-best 5-of-7 at the foul line for 15 points and added six rebounds in 27 minutes vs. Michigan (3/4).
- Grabbed a **CAREER-BEST nine rebounds** to go with 10 points in a **near double-double** in the Lions' loss to Northwestern (2/25). Played a season-high 31 minutes in the game and added a steal and assist while shooting 5-of-8 from the floor, many coming on lobs to the rim and dunks.
- Has led team in rebounding in EIGHT games on the year.
- Equaled then career-high with 8 rebounds vs. Minnesota (1/15) & at Ohio State (1/25).
- Posted a career high of 12 points and 8 rebounds vs. Lafayette (12/7).
- Scored all of a then career high point total in the second half vs. Kentucky, hitting a pair of threes on his way to 10 points and eight rebounds.

GLOVER EFFECTS GAME: The fifth junior college transfer in the last decade for Penn State, Matt Glover has been a strong presence on the floor despite posting just 2.8 ppg.

- Has led the Lions in rebounding EIGHT times on the year (SIX in Big Ten play), despite standing 6-4. Had a team-high tying eight vs. Michigan (3/4).
- Often assigned to guard opposing team's best offensive player. Helped hold Nebraska's Bo Spencer to 7 points on 3-of-8 shooting in the Lions 67-51 victory (2/11). Spencer had 19 in NU's victory in Lincoln earlier on the year.
- 7-points & team-high 7-rebounds in 36 minutes of 54-52 upset of No. 22 Illinois (1/19).
- Leads the team with 28 reps on the 185-pound bench, a mark that exceeds the highest recorded since 2000 at the NBA Pre-draft Combine (27).
- Second on the team in assists (42) & rebounding (4.2) & third in steals (26).
- Second on team in "Attitude Points" (dives, deflections, tap backs, steals, etc.).
- 8 points, 5 rebounds, 3 assists & 3 steals in 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Posted a career-best 11 rebounds and 5 assists to go with 2 steals and just one turnover in a victory over Purdue (1/5).
- Hit his first three three-point attempts of the second half on his way to nine points, all in the second half, vs. Kentucky.

BOROVNJAK GOES FOR CAREER HIGH:

Redshirt sophomore Sasa Borovnjak is developing into a solid low-post scoring threat for Penn State after missing last season with an ACL injury.

- Shooting a team-high 56.3 percent from the floor on the year.
- Went 4-of-5 for eight points at Purdue (2/29).
- Posted three perfect shooting games from the floor with four or more field goals on the year, the last coming with a 4-for-4 night for eight points in a win over Purdue (1/5).
- Came off the bench to go a perfect 7-of-7 from the floor for a career-high 15 points in a loss to Ole Miss (12/4).
- Posted 10 points on 5-of-5 shooting in a win over Mt. St. Mary's (12/18).
- Tore the ACL in his right knee in Penn State's first pre-season practice of 2010-11.



PATRICK CHAMBERS

HEAD COACH
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WHAT THEY ARE SAYING

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Led Boston University to the 2011 NCAA Tournament – the program's first NCAA berth since 2002.
- Led BU to the 2011 America East Tournament Title.
- Posted back-to-back 21-win seasons at BU – the only coach in BU history to earn 20 wins in each of his first two seasons and the fastest to earn a conference championship.
- 42-28 record in two seasons as head coach at BU, leading the Terriers into the post-season both years.
- Associate head coach at Villanova's during the Wildcats 2009 NCAA Final Four run.
- Five seasons on Villanova staff under Jay Wright – helped lead the Wildcats to a 126-45 record (.737), five NCAA Tournament appearances, four NCAA Sweet 16 appearances, a school record 30 wins in 2008-09, won at least 22 games every year.
- Instrumental in building Villanova's 2009 recruiting class which was ranked No. 3 in the nation by ESPN.com.
- Four players coached at Villanova played in the NBA.
- Recruited four McDonald's All-Americans to Villanova.

NOTABLE

- The youngest of 12 siblings (nine boys, three girls)
- The youngest coach in the Big Ten.
- Three siblings are Penn State graduates
- Worked for 10 years in family printing business in Philadelphia.
- Played for 2011 Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame inductee Herb Magee at Philadelphia University. Magee, also known as "The Shot Doctor," is college basketball's all-time victories leader (922).
- Began his career at Philadelphia U. as a walk-on and went on to become the school's all-time leader in assists.
- Played for and coached with legendary Philadelphia coach Dan Dougherty at Episcopal Academy. Dougherty posted 621 wins at Episcopal, most of any high school coach in Philadelphia history.

"Penn State and Pat Chambers are a perfect match - class, pride and integrity. Pat is a talented coach and an outstanding recruiter.

I watched him interact with people and I just liked him, liked his energy. I remember seeing him come in from work and into practice in his shirt and tie (at Episcopal). I remember thinking, 'Man, this guy's rushing in from work, coming on the court, bringing energy.' I just really like his passion. As soon as we got him in here, I could tell he was gonna be outstanding. Very detailed, very organized, a relentless worker and a lot of passion."

- Jay Wright, Villanova Head Basketball Coach

"It was clear right away he had a little something extra you don't find in a lot of guys. He wasn't a scoring threat at all. But, I had scorers. But, his ability to lead and defend and do all the things on and off the court that coaches need made me fall in love with the kid. Once he got the job, he never relinquished it."

- Herb Magee, Philadelphia University Head Basketball Coach, NCAA All-time Victories Leader 2011 Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame inductee

"He was selling for the family business and doing well. But, I just had that feeling he would make a great coach. He was one of those people who love the game so much and know the game so well. He had that Philly ability to recognize situations and know what people should be doing and know what to do with the ball and that intense desire to win. I loved the way he interacted with the players. He's quick to jump on them if they're not doing everything exactly the right way. There are no short-cuts with him."

- Dan Dougherty, Former Episcopal Academy Head Coach

"Pat Chambers has been fortunate enough to play for and work for some of the most successful coaches in the Philadelphia area – long-time coach Dan Dougherty at celebrated Episcopal Academy, Naismith Hall of Fame coach Herb Magee from Philadelphia University and 2008 NABC National Coach of the Year Jay Wright from Villanova."

- Dick "Hoops" Weiss, New York Daily News

"It's hard to imagine Penn State finding a more promising coach and better fit than Patrick Chambers. It certainly helps that he worked for one of the best, classiest coaches in Jay Wright, but Patrick showed in his two years at BU that he could stand on his own as a coach. Penn State has every reason to be thrilled about its basketball future."

- Mike DeCourcy, Sporting News/Big Ten Network

"Before I joined ESPN.com, I worked in Philadelphia and watched Chambers tutor alongside Villanova coach Jay Wright. His passion for basketball and his eagerness was so overwhelming that more than one person asked, 'Is this guy for real?' The implication being that Chambers' personality might be somewhat disingenuous. It is not. It is who he is."

- Dana O'Neil, ESPN.com

"Chambers to Penn State' is bigger news in Philadelphia than just a Philly guy getting a job – and relevant right now, not just in the winter – because every Division I coach in Philadelphia knows Chambers is at Penn State...Chambers can walk into any gym in this city and find people he knows. He has relationships with virtually all the AAU movers and shakers."

- Mike Jensen, Philadelphia Inquirer

CHAMBERS COACHING RECORD

YEAR	OVERALL	PCT.	CONF.	PCT.	FINISH	POST-SEASON
BOSTON UNIVERSITY						
2009-10	21-14	.600	11-5	.688	4th/2nd in Tourn.	CBI Semifinals
2010-11	21-14	.600	12-4	.750	2nd/Won Tourn.	NCAA 2nd Round
PENN STATE						
2011-12	12-19	-	4-14			
TOTALS						
2 Years	54-47	.535	27-23		1 Tournament Title	1 NCAA

CHAMBERS FILE

Family: Wife: Courtney; Daughter: Grace; Son: Ryan
Hometown: Newtown Square, Pa.
College: Philadelphia University, 1994
Date of Birth: Dec. 13, 1970
Hired At Penn State: June 6, 2011
Overall Record: 54-47 (3 years)
Post-Season Appearances: 2
Record At Penn State: First Year

Collegiate Coaching Experience:
 1995-96 Delaware Valley (PA) College (Asst)
 2004-05 Villanova (Dir. Ops)
 2005-08 Villanova (Asst.)
 2008-09 Villanova (Assoc. Head Coach)
 2009-11 Boston University (Head Coach)
 2011-present Penn State (Head Coach)

Playing Experience:
 1991-94 Philadelphia University
 All-time career assist record

- Patrick Chambers traveled 10,500 miles visiting players in his first eight days on the job at Penn State
- Patrick Chambers is the youngest of 12 children
- Three of Patrick Chambers 11 siblings graduated from Penn State and he has a nephew, Patrick Flanagan, on the Nittany Lion football team.
- Patrick Chambers spent 10 years as a highly successful salesman and part owner of his family's printing business in Philadelphia.
- Patrick Chambers was in collegiate coaching just five years before earning his first head coaching position at Boston University.
- Patrick Chambers played in college for 2011 Naismith Hall of Fame inductee Herb Magee, also known as "The Shot Doctor."
- Patrick Chambers helped lead Villanova to five straight NCAA Tournament appearances and the 2009 Final Four.
- Patrick Chambers was instrumental in bringing the No. 3 ranked recruiting class in the nation, according to ESPN.com, to Villanova in 2009
- Patrick Chambers older brother, Tim, was the 1984 Ivy League Player of the Year in football and led Penn to three-straight Ivy League titles. He is now a writer, producer and director and just released the film "Mighty Macs" about the Immaculata women's 1972 NCAA championship team.
- Patrick Chambers older brother, Paul, was a three-year starter at point guard for the Penn Quakers.



OLIVER ENDS HIS CAREER:

Junior forward Billy Oliver announced on Feb. 11 following the Lions' victory over Nebraska that he was ending his Penn State playing career due to re-occurring symptoms stemming from his history of concussions and migraine headaches.

"I have put a lot of thought into this, and I have decided not to continue my basketball career," Oliver said. "I am still going to stay with the program, going to games, and next year I'll be hanging around with a medical scholarship – more of an office job. It's a decision I have put a ton of thought into. I've got these guys (teammates) supporting me, and my parents talked to coach countless times. It seems right for me, and more importantly, for the team. It's selfish for me if I am not going to be able to go out there and give 100 percent with the history of my head, and I am worried about problems with that. I don't want to do that to the team, because I know they give 100 percent. So, I am not continuing basketball, but I will be around."

In his fourth year with the Nittany Lion program, Oliver redshirted his freshman season of 2008-09 after suffering a pair of concussions during early season workouts and sat out all but five games of the 2009-10 season due to exercise induced migraine headaches. An Academic All-Big Ten honoree, Oliver has applied to earn his degree in finance this May and plans to return to Penn State next fall to finish a second degree in economics. He plans to remain with the team in a non-playing capacity through the remainder of this season and next and will remain on scholarship as an NCAA medical non-counter. Oliver will not count for Penn State toward the NCAA's 13-scholarship limit for men's basketball beginning next season.

■ Played 32 games last year in his first full healthy season and had played a much more integral role in this his fourth season in the program prior to the onset of symptoms in the Lions game vs. Minnesota (1/15).

■ Played in 21 games in the 2011-12 season, starting 20, and was playing an average of 24 minutes per game.

■ Oliver began to experience symptoms after getting sick at halftime of the Lions' home contest vs. Minnesota on Jan. 15. He sat out the following four games as the team doctor and athletic trainer put him through a battery of tests to evaluate his condition. He was cleared to return to the floor on Feb. 4 in the Lions' game at Iowa and played 16 minutes in that contest. He also played 11 minutes in Penn State's following game at Michigan State on Feb. 8 before determining not to continue his playing career.

■ Oliver was leading the Lions with 35 threes on the year prior to the Nebraska game (2/11).

■ Had posted three double-digit scoring games and was the team's fourth leading scorer (6.8 ppg) prior to his decision to end his career.

■ Scored a career-high 21 points on a career-best 7-of-10 from three in the Lions' victory over Purdue. His seven threes tied for the second-best single game total in Penn State history.

■ Ends his Penn State career having played in 58 career games (32 last season) with 20 career starts. He scored a total of 220 points and collected 146 rebounds while downing 46 career threes. Oliver helped the Lions reach their first ever Big Ten Tournament Championship game last year and the 2011 NCAA Tournament, Penn State's first appearance in a decade.

■ An Academic All-Big Ten honoree who carries over a 3.2 grade-point average in finance in Penn State's Smeal College of Business.

SEASON SUPERLATIVES

- Posted seventh-straight season opening win a victory over Hartford.
- Posted fourth 3-0 start in the last 12 years and eighth since joining the Big Ten in 1993. The Lions have reached the post-season following each of their previous 3-0 starts since joining the Big Ten.
- Posted fourth Big Ten/ACC Challenge win in last five Challenges and third-straight in a Challenge road game.
- Logged eight non-conference wins surpassing the total of seven posted by last year's NCAA Tournament team.
- Debuted gray third-color uniforms for the first time in program history on Jan. 19 with a defeat of No. 22 Illinois in the Jordan Center.
- Posted the first victory over a ranked opponent in coach Patrick Chambers three-year career on Jan. 19 with a defeat of No. 22 Illinois (54-52) in the Jordan Center.

TEAM NOTES:

YOUTH MOVEMENT: Penn State will return 78% of its scoring and 80% or better of its rebounding, assists and steals next season. Two first-year players continued their emergence late in the year. **True-freshman Ross Travis** posted career highs of 15 points (vs. Michigan) and 9 rebounds (vs. Northwestern) in the last three games of the regular season and **red-shirt freshman Jon Graham** equaled a career-high 10 points, marking his third-straight game with a career high in either scoring or rebounding, in the Lions Feb. 25 loss to Northwestern. Graham had 29 points (9.7 ppg) and 19 boards (6.3 rpg) in that three game stretch between Feb. 16-25, while Travis averaged 8.3 ppg and 5.7 rpg over the final three games of the regular season. Graham has started the last 16-straight games while Travis has started the last six and 15 on the year. Meanwhile, **sophomore Jermaine Marshall** posted a career-high 27 points to go with 8 rebounds in the Lions' final regular season game vs. Michigan. He had career-best string of seven-straight double-figure scoring games in late January to February and has 20 such games on the year, 13 in the Big Ten.

FRIENDLY CONFINES/ROAD CHALLENGE: Penn State logged a season-high 82 points vs. No. 12 Indiana on Jan. 8 at the BJC and averaged 67.3 ppg, 42% from the floor and 34% from three at home. Penn State scored more than 70 points in seven of 17 home games and more than 60 14 times. The Lions struggled offensively away from the BJC averaging just 55 ppg, 35% from the floor and 26% from three in 14 contests while going 2-12. Penn State has scored more than 60 points just twice away from the BJC. (62 at B.C. & 64 at Iowa).

TIMES HAVE CHANGED: Penn State graduated players that accounted for 80% of the scoring and nearly 70% of the rebounding from last year's NCAA Tournament team, including five seniors that accounted for 432 career starts and 581 career games played. Among them was all-time leading scorer Talor Battle who posted 2,213 points and led the Lions in scoring each of the past four seasons.

Penn State's top four scorers this year have taken on much bigger roles than previous years:

	'11-12 PPG	FGA	'10-11 PPG	FGA
Tim Frazier	18.6	473	6.3	165
Jermaine Marshall	10.9	288	2.5	63
Cam Woodyard	8.7	221	1.8	68
Billy Oliver	6.8	128	2.3	76
TOTALS	45.0	1,110	12.9	372

LIONS DOWN NO. 22 ILLINI FOR CHAMBERS' FIRST TOP 25 VICTORY: One game after No. 22 Illinois knocked off No. 6 Ohio State in Champaign, Penn State held the Illini to 34 percent shooting and 18 points below their season scoring average to deliver the first victory over a team ranked in the Top 25 in coach Patrick Chambers' three-year head coaching career. In just his eighth-ever meeting vs.

CAREER ASSISTS

ASST	APG	
1.	600	4.7 Freddie Barnes, 1989-92
5.	485	4.7 Tom Wilkinson, 1977-80
6.	450	3.5 Monroe Brown, 1989-92
7.	443	3.4 Titus Ivory, 1997-2001
8.	440	- TIM FRAZIER, 2010-12

SEASON ASSISTS

ASST	APG	
1.	194	6.3 TIM FRAZIER, 2012
2.	189	5.0 Talor Battle, 2009
3.	181	5.7 Dan Earl, 1995
4.	178	5.1 Joe Crispin, 2000
5.	177	6.1 Freddie Barnes, 1992
6.	173	5.2 Tim Frazier, 2011

SEASON STEALS

STL	SPG	
1.	97	3.7 Ron Brown, 1974
4.	80	3.5 Ron Brown, 1973
5.	75	3.1 Ron Brown, 1972
6.	73	2.9 Chuck Crist, 1972
7.	71	2.2 TIM FRAZIER, 2012

CAREER STEALS

STL	SPG	
1.	252	3.5 Ron Brown, 1972-74
7.	145	1.1 Talor Battle, 2008-11
8.	136	1.1 Jarrett Stephens, 1996-2000
9.	133	1.2 Mike Lang, 1980-83
T10.	129	TIM FRAZIER, 2010-present
T10.	129	1.0 Joe Crispin, 1998-2001

SEASON SCORING

PTS	FGM	FTM		
1.	731	244	243	Jesse Amelle, 1955
5.	642	195	144	Joe Crispin, 2001
6.	635	198	147	Talor Battle, 2009
7.	576	199	155	TIM FRAZIER, 2012
8.	574	193	117	Talor Battle, 2010
9.	531	221	70	Jamelle Corney, 2009
10.	529	182	164	Gyasi Cline-Heard, 2001

SEASON FREE THROWS MADE

FTM	FTA	PCT		
1.	243	346	70.2	Jesse Amelle, 1955
4.	171	245	69.8	John Amaechi, 1994
5.	164	223	73.5	Gyasi Cline-Heard, 2001
6.	159	227	70.0	Jesse Amelle, 1954
7.	155	197	78.7	Tim Frazier, 2012
8.	147	210	70.0	Talor Battle, 2009

SEASON FIELD GOALS MADE

FGM	FGA	PCT		
1.	260	459	56.6	Jarrett Stephens, 2000
5.	216	471	45.9	Jeff Miller, 1978
6.	203	399	50.9	Ron Brown, 1974
7.	200	393	50.9	DeRon Hayes, 1991
8.	198	493	40.2	Talor Battle, 2009
9.	195	457	-	Tim Frazier, 2012
	195	523	37.3	Joe Crispin, 2001

SEASON FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS

FGA	FGM	PCT		
1.	532	225	42.3	Talor Battle, 2011
2.	523	195	37.3	Joe Crispin, 2001
3.	499	192	38.5	Joe Crispin, 2000
4.	493	198	40.2	Talor Battle, 2009
5.	478	181	37.9	Mark DuMars, 1960
6.	473	199	-	Tim Frazier, 2012
7.	471	216	45.9	Jeff Miller, 1978



a team ranked in the Top 25 and fourth as Penn State coach, Chambers delivered a 54-52 victory to a boisterous home crowd of more than 2,000 students. Senior Cam Woodyard led the way with 17 points and Tim Frazier added 12 points, nine assists and a game-winning 12-foot floater with eight seconds to play. Chambers joined Jerry Dunn (1996-2003) and John Egli (1955-68) as the only coaches in Penn State history to defeat a ranked team in their first season at the helm. Dunn & Egli both did it in their second game vs. a ranked foe.

OFFENSIVE OUTBURST: Penn State's 82 points in an 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana on Jan. 8 marked just the fourth 80+ point game vs. a Big Ten opponent for the Lions in the last 10 years and Penn State's highest scoring output in the Big Ten since upsetting No. 7 Michigan State, 85-76, in the Jordan Center on Feb. 2, 2008. It was Penn State's first 80-point game in the Big Ten since posting an 81-70 victory at Northwestern on Feb. 28, 2010.

LIONS THUMP PURDUE FOR CHAMBERS' FIRST BIG TEN WIN: Penn State posted its most lopsided Big Ten win in six seasons with a 65-45 defeat of Purdue (1/5), gaining the first Big Ten Conference win of the Patrick Chambers era in the Lions first home Big Ten appearance under Chambers. It was Penn State's largest Big Ten victory since downing Northwestern, 83-57, on Jan. 3, 2007 and the largest over Purdue since beating the Boilers, 74-54, at the Jordan Center on Jan. 18, 2006. Penn State held a double-digit lead for more than 24 minutes in the game and led by as many as 22. The Lions held Purdue to a season-low 45 points (previous low 56) and a Lion season opponent low of 31.9% shooting. Billy Oliver posted a career high 21 points on a career-best 7-of-11 (63.6%) from three, while Matt Glover posted career highs of 11 rebounds and five assists and Tim Frazier had 15 points and nine assists.

YOUNG LIONS: Senior Cammeron Woodyard and junior Tim Frazier are the only Lions that have seen more than one season of competition prior to this year as eight major contributors on the year are in their first or second season of Division I ball. Three freshmen and three sophomores have made a total of 80 starts. True-freshmen Trey Lewis (5) and Ross Travis (15) and red-shirt freshman Jon Graham have combined for 35 starts. The Lions had four upperclassmen playing more than 15 minutes per game. Among those, Billy Oliver, a junior who sat out his first two years with concussions and migraines and was seeing just his second season of actual competition on the floor, discontinued his playing career on Feb. 11. Nick Colella is a junior transfer from Division III Penn State-Behrend in his second season with the Lions, but first playing.

BENCH PRODUCTION: The PSU bench has produced ELEVEN games of 20+ points, including 27 vs. Minnesota (1/15), and has out-scored the opponent's bench 19 times. Penn State's bench in averaging 17.9 ppg. Penn State averaged 6.0 ppg from its bench last year led by 75 points from Billy Oliver.

IN THE PAINT: Penn State has out-scored its last SIX opponents in the paint, including Wisconsin (32-8) and Northwestern (40-10) by a combined 72-18. Penn State out-scored Michigan 28-16 in its last game, one of 11 Big Ten games in which the Lions won the battle in the paint. Penn State won four of those games and lost by six points or less in four others.

D'ING UP: Penn State has held 12 opponents to less than 40 percent shooting on the year and NINE to 55 points or less. The last was Nebraska which scored 51 points on 39.6% shooting on Feb. 11.

BOARDIN': Penn State leads the Big Ten in offensive rebounding posting 12.5 offensive rebounds per. **The Lions have won the rebounding battle in 19 games, going 10-9 in those games.**

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING ABOUT PENN STATE

"They don't call them junkyard dogs for nothing. These guys go after the basketball! You've got to love the effort of Penn State. These guys resemble their head coach in Patrick Chambers. He's an all or nothing guy and they are leaving it all on the floor."

-Stephen Bardo, ESPN (1/15)

"The first thing that comes to my mind is if you don't practice hard, and you don't practice with toughness, you're not going to beat Penn State. They're going to beat teams; there's no question about it. The other night, that didn't look like a fluke to me. They play extremely hard. They battle. They go after it. He's (Coach Chambers) taken some good players that were here and made them a lot better. He took Tim Frazier – a guy that was one of the better point guards in our league at finding people with his quickness and speed – and is making him a complete guard, a complete player. He's got Billy Oliver thinking he's Dirk Nowitzki, and you know what? He is."

-Tom Crean, Indiana Head Coach (1/8)

"Defensively, we did not want to allow Tim (Frazier) to pick us apart versus pressure, but it's a lot easier said than done. He is one of the undervalued and underrated players nationally. I don't think in the Big Ten. I hope they're not underrating him, that's a mistake if they are. I think around the country, he's one of the more underrated and undervalued guys, no question."

-Tom Crean, Indiana Head Coach (1/8)

"If we could have someone to play as hard as Matt Glover; he clearly played harder than anyone who attempted to guard him. He did little things. He gets 11 rebounds, 5 assists, two steals. He just made a lot of hustle plays for them and that's something we really prided our program on in terms of doing whatever it takes."

-Matt Painter, Purdue Head Coach (1/5)

"They play hard, and you lose your first two Big Ten games on the road and you're hungry to get a win. You could see it tonight. Trey Lewis didn't play. (Cameron) Woodyard didn't play. They're putting in guys who are walk-ons or who haven't started before. But, it doesn't mean anything. It's a game of basketball. It's a team sport. They came in and contributed and helped Penn State win."

-Matt Painter, Purdue Head Coach (1/5)

"...sooner or later, enough (fans) will have to start at least noticing what new PSU coach Patrick Chambers is doing up in State College. They haven't yet. They may not this year. But they'll have to eventually. Because he is going to build a big winner. He's doing it now. Just the foundation, so far. But if you're paying attention, the signs are unmistakable."

-David Jones, Harrisburg Patriot-News (1/9)

"I just thought they were tenacious. I give Pat's team a lot of credit. That was strictly effort in being tenacious and throwing bodies and walling up. I think we were getting out rebounded by about 10 with about 4 or 5 minutes to play. So, we had to come up with some big rebounds in order to have a chance to escape and that's what happened."

-Andy Kennedy, Ole Miss Head Coach

"He (Tim Frazier) does everything well. He's leading in scoring, he's leading in (assists). He gets to the free throw line. He finds his teammates. He plays defense. He's got an amazing ability to sustain it for a lot of minutes with everybody going after him. He's having as good a year as anybody in our league."

- Fran McCaffery, Iowa Head Coach (2/11)

"He's (Tim Frazier) so jet quick and sometimes you lose him because he's small and you lose him in traffic. He is a tremendous player who I think really facilitated the game very well for them. He draws help and then he does a very good job of finding open guys."

-Andy Kennedy, Ole Miss Head Coach

"They do a good job at running their offense, as a matter of fact they run some stuff similar to what we are doing. They do a nice little job of throwing stuff at you, and they bring some press at you."

-John Calipari, Kentucky Head Coach

GET PAST 60: Penn State is 10-6 when surpassing 60 points on the year with two of the losses coming in two of the Lions' most well played games of the year, close losses to Mississippi (72-70) and No. 12 Indiana (88-82). Penn State has failed to score more than 60 points in 15 games on the year going 2-13 in those contests with victories over No. 22 Illinois (54-52) and South Florida (53-49). In 14 games away from home, the Lions have scored 60 points just twice, once in Big Ten play (64 pts at Iowa).

SHOOTING STRUGGLES: Penn State has shot less than 45% from the floor in 23 games on the year going 8-15 in those contests. Penn State is shooting a combined 37% from the floor and 26% from three in its 19 losses on the year, shooting 30% or less in three games and less than 32% from three in 17. The Lions are shooting 43% from the floor and 37% from three in 12 wins.

SLOW ROAD STARTS: Penn State has scored 22 points or less in the first half of NINE away games and shot 30% or less in the first half of EIGHT. For the year, Penn State is shooting 29% from the floor and 18% from three in the first halves of 14 games away from the BJC and being outscored 32.4 to 22.0 by opponents – leading at the half of just three road games (at Duquesne, Northwestern and Indiana). The Lions have shot better than 40% three times (at Duquesne, vs. Indiana and at Purdue) and scored more than 30 first half points twice in an away game this season (32 at Duquesne and at Purdue). The Lions are averaging 55 ppg, 35% shooting and 26% from three in games away from the BJC on the year.



PENN STATE BASKETBALL SHOW



The "Penn State Basketball Show," Coach Patrick Chambers' weekly call-in radio show, will be broadcast live from Damon's Grill in State College this season.

Hosted by Steve Jones, the "Penn State Basketball Show" will air live from the clubhouse at Damon's (1031 E. College Ave.) Thursday nights from 6:05 to 7:00 p.m. Fans are encouraged to ask questions of the coach live and in-person or by calling 1-800-52LIONS (525-4667). Questions will also be taken via twitter at @GoPSUHoops. The first "Basketball Show" will be broadcast live from Damon's on Thursday, Dec. 1. The show can be heard on almost 50 radio stations on the Penn State Sports Network and on-line at GoPSUsports.com.

MEDIA INFORMATION

Penn State will hold in-person press conferences with head coach **Patrick Chambers at 2:30 p.m. on Mondays** (with some exceptions) and **phone only teleconferences at 11:00 a.m. on Fridays** throughout the year. **Penn State players** will be available immediately following most Monday press conferences for 15-20 minutes prior to practice and at selected times throughout the week. Coach Chambers will also be available **Monday mornings at 10:40 a.m. (ET) via the Big Ten teleconference.**

CHAMBERS ERA BEGINS

Patrick Chambers was introduced as the 12th head coach in Nittany Lion basketball history on Monday, June 6, shortly after the departure of Penn State alumnus and eight-year head coach Ed DeChellis for the Navy head job in late May. Chambers introduction took place in front of more than 300 fans and supporters described a "less an introduction than a passionate call to arms," by local media. Chambers wasted little time connecting with the Penn State fan base far and wide. He ordered a pair of golf carts and began making spur-of-the-moment trips around the Penn State campus distributing t-shirts and his infectious energy. He visited amusement parks, pep rallies, student groups, classes, threw out the first pitch for the State College Spikes and even donned a Penn State football jersey and helmet to fire up the famed "Paternoville" student campout prior to the clash of Joe Paterno's football team with Alabama. He was seemingly everywhere in his first four months.

HONORING PATERNO: Penn State players will wear a black "JVP" patch on their jerseys for the remainder of the season in honor of legendary Penn State football coach Joseph Vincent Paterno who passed away at the age of 85 on Jan. 22 in State College. The winningest coach in the history of major college football (409), the legendary teacher, mentor and humanitarian had been diagnosed with lung cancer in November. A member of the Penn State coaching staff for 62 seasons, and the Nittany Lions' head football coach since 1966 (nearly 46 years), he was among the first three active coaches to be inducted into the National Football Foundation's College Hall of Fame, in 2007.

NATION'S BEST FOUR RANKED IN A ROW:

Penn State became the first team in the NCAA this season to play four-straight ranked foes when it fell to Wisconsin, 52-46, on Jan. 31 in the Jordan Center. Penn State went 1-3 during the stretch, with a 54-52 victory over No. 22 Illinois (1/19) at the BJC. It marked the third time since 2005-06 the Lions played four or more ranked opponents in succession. The Lions faced a program-record five-straight ranked foes (and 7 in 8 games) at the beginning of January last season, a string that marked the longest in the Big Ten last year. Penn State went 2-3 in last year's string with wins over No. 18 Michigan State and No. 16 Illinois at the Jordan Center.

GOING GRAY:

Penn State wore alternate-color gray uniforms twice this season and posted victories over No. 22 Illinois and Nebraska. The Lions wore gray for the first time in program history on Jan. 19 at the Jordan Center and promptly posted a 54-52 upset of No. 22/25 Illinois. Penn State students participated in the "Grayout" as over 2,000 filled the Nittany Nation student section wearing gray t-shirts.

Penn State When Wearing Gray

W ___ 54-52 ___ vs. #22/25 Illinois, Jan. 19, 2012
W ___ 67-51 ___ vs. Nebraska, Feb. 11, 2012

YOUNG STAFF:

Penn State head coach Patrick Chambers turned 41 on Dec. 13 and is the youngest head coach in the Big Ten. No member of the Penn State coaching staff is older than 41 and the average age of Penn State's head coach, associate head coach, two assistants and director of operations is 36.

CHAMBERS HITS THE GROUND RUNNING:

Coach Chambers wasted no time in getting to know his first Penn State team as **HE LOGGED 10,500 MILES IN HIS FIRST EIGHT DAYS ON THE JOB** traveling from coast-to-coast to visit current Penn State players and incoming freshmen and their families. Chambers traveled from Massachusetts to California, Minnesota to Texas as he met with every player except Sasa Borovnjak who was at home in Serbia.

GET ON THE FLOOR:

Patrick Chambers places an emphasis on "dives" during a basketball game and has his staff chart them with a goal of achieving at least 14 "dives" per game. The Nittany Lions achieved that goal in their very first exhibition game recording 18 "dives," 13 of which came in the second half. Chambers has established an "Attitude Club" in which players attempt to record enough hustle points during practices to become a member. Penn State charts "Attitude Points" during every practice and announces winners at the end of every practice. Modeled after similar programs used by longtime NBA coach Pat Riley and Chambers' mentor, Villanova's Jay Wright, the club charts hustle plays, extra passes, charges drawn, dives on the floor.



Patrick Chambers honored Joe Paterno in the Lions' first home game after the legendary coaches passing, donning black shoes, white socks, rolled up khaki pants, white shirt, striped tie and blue blazer for the Wisconsin game in homage to Paterno's customary sideline attire.

- photo courtesy of Fight on State

20th BIG TEN SEASON

Penn State opened its 20th season of Big Ten Conference play with a pair of road games at Michigan (Dec. 29) and at Northwestern (Jan. 1). It marked the second straight season Penn State opened the Big Ten with a pair of road games and the third straight season opening the Big Ten with a road game. Penn State posted a 9-9 mark during the Big Ten regular season last year to finish in a tie for fourth place. The nine wins marked the fifth time Penn State posted a .500 or better record in Big Ten play and tied for Penn State's third best Big Ten record ever. It marked the second time in the last three seasons Penn State finished fourth in the Big Ten regular season. Penn State's best Big Ten finish came in 1996 as the Lions went 12-6 to finish second in the conference.

IN THE BIG TEN STAT RANKINGS

INDIVIDUAL (Mar. 4)

SCORING:	OVERALL	Big Ten
Tim Frazier	2nd, 18.6	2nd, 19.6
Jermaine Marshall	23rd, 10.9	19th, 11.8
REBOUNDING:		
Tim Frazier	19th, 4.8	
ASSISTS		
Tim Frazier	1st, 6.3 (11th NCAA)	1st, 5.6
FREE THROW %:		
Tim Frazier	8th, 78.7	3rd, 87.4
BLOCKED SHOTS:		
-		
STEALS:		
Tim Frazier	2nd, 2.3	1st, 2.4
3-POINTERS MADE:		
-		
ASSIST TO TURNOVER:		
Tim Frazier	8th, 1.7	8th, 1.6
OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:		
Cammeron Woodyard		11th, 1.7
Ross Travis	15th, 1.7	12th, 1.7
DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:		
-		
MINUTES PLAYED:		
Tim Frazier	1st, 37.1	2nd, 38.0

TEAM RANKINGS

SCORING OFFENSE:	11th, 61.9	11th, 60.4
SCORING DEFENSE:	10th, 65.5	8th, 68.3
FREE THROW %:	11th, 68.4	5th, 72.3
FIELD GOAL %:	12th, 39.4	12th, 39.5
FIELD GOAL % DEFENSE:	8th, 43.6	10th, 46.4
3-POINT FG % :	11th, 30.6	11th, 29.8
3-POINT FG % DEFENSE:	11th, 38.0	12th, 40.5
REBOUNDING OFFENSE:	7th, 34.0	7th, 31.5
REBOUNDING DEFENSE:	8th, 31.6	T-5th, 31.7
REBOUNDING MARGIN:	T-5th, +2.5	6th, -0.2
ASSISTS:	12th, 10.8	12th, 10.1
ASSIST TO TURNOVER:	12th, 0.9	11th, 0.9
STEALS:	5th, 6.8	5th, 6.4
TURNOVER MARGIN:	6th, +1.5	4th, +1.2
OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:	1st, 12.5	2nd, 11.3
OFFENSIVE REBOUND %:	5th, 34.7	6th, 32.2
DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:	11th, 21.5	T-10th, 20.2
DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS %:	3rd, 72.8	3rd, 72.2
3-POINT FG MADE:	7th, 6.2	T-8th, 5.5

LOOKING AHEAD

Mon., March 5	Tues., March 6	Wed., March 7	Thurs., March 8	Fri. March 9	Sat., March 10	Sun., March 11
Big Ten Teleconference 10: 40 a.m. Patrick Chamber's Press Conference 2:30 p.m.	Penn State Basketball Show Live from Damon's	2:00 p.m. Depart for Big Ten Tournament In Indianapolis	Big Ten Tournament first round vs. #5 Indiana 2 p.m. BTN	Big Ten Tournament quarterfinal vs. #4 Wisconsin 2:30 p.m. ESPN	Big Ten Tournament semifinal TBA 1:40 p.m. CBS	Big Ten Tournament championship TBA 3:30 p.m. CBS



2011 EARLY SIGNEE

Penn State signed one player in the 2011 NCAA Early Signing Period that began Nov. 9

BRANDON TAYLOR 6-8, 235, F, Tabernacle, N.J., Trenton Catholic Academy (N.J.)

Taylor helped lead his AAU squad, Team Philly, to several tournament titles over the summer and saw his stock rise as he diversified his game and excelled in several head-to-head battles with other high Division I recruits. His size and strength on the block as well as his ability to stretch defenses on the perimeter and score off the dribble or from the three-point line were on display. He is described as a "prototypical mismatch problem" with "the physical tools and basketball skills to score both inside and out" by ESPN.com. Dave Telep of ESPN.com added, "Penn State has itself a legitimate scoring option on its way to Happy Valley." Taylor helped Trenton Catholic Academy (N.J.) to a 2010 New Jersey Non-Public B State Championship with a victory over perennial powerhouse St. Anthony and an eventual championship crown in the NJSIAA (all classes) Tournament of Champions as a sophomore. He averaged 11.7 points per game last year as a junior at Trenton Catholic as he helped lead the team to a 19-6 record.

STAFF TIES: Patrick Chambers began forming his first Penn State coaching staff by naming his former Episcopal Academy high school teammate Eugene Burroughs as associate head coach, the first of three assistants with strong ties to Philadelphia. Chambers and Burroughs both played for legendary coach Dan Dougherty in Philadelphia in the late 80's early 90's. Burroughs previously had worked as associate head coach at Navy. Former Villanova assistant Keith Urgo also joined the staff as an assistant. The pair worked together on Villanova's 2009 NCAA Final Four staff and Urgo worked under Jay Wright for four seasons. Brian Daly followed Chambers from Boston University where he was associate head coach under Chambers. Daly is a former Philadelphia high school standout and player at Saint Joseph's and was a highly successful high school coach at his alma mater, Monsignor Bonner HS in Philadelphia.

LIONS PLAYING PROFESSIONALLY: All four senior starters from Penn State's 2011 NCAA Tournament team are currently playing professionally in Europe or South America. Penn State currently has 11 former players active in pro leagues around the world, six of which have graduated in the last three years.

Nittany Lions Currently Playing Professionally

Player (year graduated or left PSU)	Team	Country	League
Talor Battle (2011)	Telekom Baskets Bonn	Germany	Germany-1. Bundesliga
Jeff Brooks (2011)	Fileni BPA	Italy	Italian Lega 2
David Jackson (2011)	Barreirens CEPSA	Portugal	Portugeuse-LPB
Andrew Jones (2011)	Nova Ves	Slovakia	Slovakia-Extraliga
Jamelle Cornley (2009)	Lev Hasharon	Isreal	Isreal-National League
Stanley Pringel (2009)	Dnipro Azot	Ukraine	Ukranian-Superleague
David "Mooch" Jackson (2007)	Flamengo	Brazil	Brazil-NBB
Jan Jagla (2004)	FC Bayern Muenchen	Germany	Germany-1. Bundesliga
Tyler Smith (2002) - INJURED	Tohigi Brex	Japan	Japan-JBL
Joe Crispin (2001)	Azovmash Mariupol	Ukraine	Ukraine-Superleague
DeRon Hayes (1993)	Orchesien BC	France	France-NM1

GREAT GRAD RATE: Penn State basketball's NCAA four-year Academic Progress Rate (APR) score of 995 through 2009-10 tied for the best among men's basketball teams in the Big Ten and was well above the national average of 945. Penn State and Michigan State tied for the Big Ten's highest APR figure, marking the fourth consecutive year the Nittany Lions have ranked among the top three in the Big Ten. Penn State student-athletes also earned a Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 88 percent compared to the 80 percent average for all Division I institutions for students entering from 2001-02 through 2004-05. The 88 percent figure was third to Northwestern (96) and Illinois (89) among Big Ten Conference institutions. Coach Patrick Chambers' Nittany Lions ranked second in the Big Ten with their 90 percent GSR score. The four-year federal graduation rate average for University Park student-athletes was 79 percent, second to Northwestern (88) among Big Ten schools, and significantly above the 64 percent Division I average.

CVC "BAND TOGETHER" DAY RAISES NEARLY \$23,000: Penn State held its second annual Coaches vs. Cancer "Band Together" Day vs. Nebraska, Feb. 11. A bringing together of survivors and their families, fans, Penn State coaches and players and cancer fighting organizations from around the community, the event raised nearly \$23,000 this year. Penn State donated \$3 from every single-game ticket sold to the contest and fans purchased \$3 rally towels at the door to support the cause and participated in a silent auction of sports memorabilia on the concourse, including an basketball autographed by Joe Paterno, Mike Krzyzewski and Patrick Chambers that went for \$2,000. Penn State invited all cancer survivors and their families to use up to four free tickets to the game.

CHAMBERS LEADS COACHES VS CANCER:

Patrick Chambers immediately embraced the mantle of leadership of Coaches vs. Cancer-Penn State when he took over the Nittany Lion program.

- CVC-Penn State has raised more than \$1.7 million in the last 16 years to fight cancer and help support those affected by the disease.
- The organization raised over \$200,000 for the second-straight year in 2010-11 and has raised more than \$175,000 each of the last five years ranking it among the top six CVC organizations in the nation.
- CVC-Penn State has grown from an annual golf tournament started in the summer of 1996 to a year-round schedule of seven events, which includes the the Coaches Vs. Cancer Celebrity Golf Tournament, CVC Reverse Car Drawing, CVC "Band Together" Day, Spikes Fest, CVC 5k Fun Run/Walk, Brewer's Expo and Bestwick Foundation Bike For Life.
- CVC-Penn State keeps a portion of the money raised in the Centre Region to provide direct assistance through the Bob Perks Fund (BPF). CVC has donated more than \$35,000 to BPF each of the last four years and more than \$190,000 total. Funds are also donated directly to the American Cancer Society.

PENN STATE RADIO NETWORK

Entering his 29th season, Steve Jones handles the play-by-play for Nittany Lion basketball and is joined by nationally respected Philadelphia Daily News sportswriter Dick Jerardi. Broadcasts begin 30 minutes prior to tipoff with the "Patrick Chambers Pregame Show." Game telecasts as well as "The Nittany Lion Hotline" call-in show, which airs each Thursday during basketball season, can both also be heard via GoPSUsports.com

WEAB (790 AM)	Allentown/Bethlehem/Easton
WVAM (1430 AM)	Altoona
WILK (103.1 FM)	Avoca
WAYC (1600 AM)	Bedford
WISR (680 AM)	Butler**
WCPA (900 AM)	Clearfield
WZDB (95.9 FM)	DuBois/Sykesville
WPSE (1450 AM)	Erie
WFRA (1450 AM)	Franklin
WGET (1320 AM)	Gettysburg
WHVR (1280 AM)	Hanover**
WHGB (1400 AM)	Harrisburg
ESPN RADIO (95.3 FM)	Harrisburg
WKZN (1300 AM)	Hazleton
WLAK (103.5 FM)	Huntingdon
WLPA (1490 AM)	Lancaster
WNPV (1440 AM)	Lansdale
WLBK (1270 AM)	Lebanon
WMRF (95.7 FM)	Lewiston
WMGW (1490 AM)	Meadville
WJST (1280 AM)	New Castle/Sharon**
WVNJ (1160 AM)	New York Metro**
WBYB (96.7 FM)	Olean, NY
WNTP (990 AM)	Philadelphia
KQV (1410 AM)	Pittsburgh
WPPA (1360 AM)	Pottsville
WRAW (1340 AM)	Reading
WBZU (910 AM)	Scranton
WYGL (1240 AM)	Selinsgrove
WBYB (95.3 FM)	Smethport
WQWK (1450 AM)	State College
WKOK (1070 AM)	Sunbury
WTIV (1230 AM)	Titusville
WTZN (1310 AM)	Troy
WTRN (1304 AM)	Tyrone
WTRN (100.7 FM)	Tyrone
WNAE (1301 AM)	Warren
WNBT (104.5 FM)	Wellsboro
WNBQ (92.3 FM)	Wellsboro/Mansfield
WILK (980 AM)	Wilkes-Barre
WRAK (1400 AM)	Williamsport
WRKK (1200 AM)	Williamsport/Hughesville
WSBA (910 AM)	York
WJST (1280 AM)	Youngstown, Ohio

** Carries only partial schedule



PENN STATE BIG TEN TOURNAMENT HISTORY

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- **TOURNAMENTS:** 14
- **FINALS:** 1 (0-1), (2011)
- **SEMIFINALS:** 3 (1-2), (2011, 2001 & 2000)
- **RECORD:** 9-14
- **OVERTIME:** None
- **5-POINT OR LESS GAMES:** 4-4
- **MOST POINTS:**
PSU - L, 94-84 vs. Illinois (2000)
OPP - L, 94-84 vs. Illinois (2000)
L, 94-74 vs. Iowa (2001)
- **LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY:**
PSU - 14 points, 66-51 vs. Indiana (2009)
OPP - 28 points, 77-49 vs. Indiana (2003)
- **CONSECUTIVE WINS:** 3 (2011)
- **LAST 10:** 4-6
- **LAST 5:** 3-2

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

- **2011:** Tolor Battle, G
- **2001:** Joe Crispin, G
- **2000:** Jarrett Stephens, F & Joe Crispin, G

RECORD BY ROUND

- **FIRST:** 5-9
- **QUARTERFINALS:** 3-2
- **SEMIFINALS:** 1-2
- **FINALS:** 0-1

TOURNAMENT SEEDS

1998	#7
1999	#9
2000	#9
2001	#7
2002	#11
2003	#11
2004	#11
2005	#11
2006	#8
2007	#11
2008	#7
2009	#6
2010	#11
2011	#6
2012	#12

VS. TOURNAMENT OPPONENTS

Illinois	0-3
Indiana	2-1
Iowa	0-1
Michigan	2-0
Michigan State	2-0
Minnesota	0-2
Nebraska	0-0
Northwestern	1-2
Ohio State	1-3
Purdue	0-1
Wisconsin	1-1



▲ Tolor Battle led Penn State to the 2011 Big Ten Tournament Championship game vs. No. 1-ranked Ohio State. Battle averaged 17.8 points and 5.5 rebounds per game in the tournament to earn All-Tournament Team honors.

BIG TEN TOURNAMENT RECORDS

CAREER SCORING

1. 127 _____ Joe Crispin (1998, '99, '00, '01)
2. 116 _____ Tolor Battle (2008, '09, '10, '11)
3. 96 _____ Gyasi Cline-Heard (1998, '99, '00, '01)
4. 93 _____ Titus Ivory (1998, '99, '00, '01)
5. 69 _____ Jamelle Cornley (2006, '07, '08, '09)
6. 66 _____ Jeff Brooks (2008, '09, '10, '11)
7. 62 _____ David Jackson (2008, '09, '10, '11)
8. 60 _____ Jarrett Stephens (1998, '00)
9. 59 _____ Geary Claxton (2005, '06, '07)
10. 56 _____ Travis Parker (2005, '06)
11. 50 _____ Brandon Watkins (2000, '01, '02, '03)
12. 48 _____ Andrew Jones (2008, '09, '10, '11)
13. 45 _____ Mike Walker (2005, '06, '07)
14. 44 _____ Tim Frazier (2010, '11)

GAME REBOUNDING

- 13 Geary Claxton _____ vs. Ohio State, 2005
- 13 Aaron Johnson _____ vs. NWestern, 2004
- 12 Geary Claxton _____ vs. Ohio State, 2006
- 12 Jarrett Stephens _____ vs. Ohio State, 2000
- 12 Calvin Booth _____ vs. NWestern, 1999
- 11 Jan Jagla _____ vs. NWestern, 2004
- 10 Geary Claxton _____ vs NWestern, 2006
- 10 Gyasi Cline-Heard _____ vs. Ohio St., 2000
- 9 Jeff Brooks _____ vs. Illinois, 2008
- 9 Geary Claxton _____ vs. Illinois, 2007
- 9 Aaron Johnson _____ vs. Ohio State, 2005
- 9 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Michigan, 2000

OPPONENT GAME RECORDS

- SCORING**
30 Reggie Evans _____ Iowa, 2001

- REBOUNDING**
18 Reggie Evans _____ Iowa, 2001

- ASSISTS**
10 Rich McBride _____ Illinois, 2007

GAME SCORING

- 26 Gyasi Cline-Heard _____ vs. Iowa, 2001
- 25 Tolor Battle _____ vs. Michigan State, 2011
- 24 Tolor Battle _____ vs. Ohio State, 2011
- 24 Gyasi Cline-Heard _____ vs. Michigan, 2001
- 24 Jarrett Stephens _____ vs. Illinois, 2000
- 22 Tim Frazier _____ vs. Michigan State, 2011
- 22 Jamelle Cornley _____ vs. Indiana, 2009
- 22 Mike Walker _____ vs. Illinois, 2007
- 22 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Michigan State, 2001
- 22 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Michigan, 2001
- 21 Travis Parker _____ vs. Ohio State, 2005
- 21 Jarrett Stephens _____ vs. Ohio State, 2000
- 20 Three players

GAME ASSISTS

- 11 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Illinois, 2000
- 10 Jarrett Stephen _____ vs. Michigan, 2000
- 9 Ben Luber _____ vs. Ohio State, 2006
- 9 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Michigan, 2000
- 8 Titus Ivory _____ vs. Michigan, 2001
- 7 Joe Crispin _____ vs. Ohio State, 2000
- 6 Tim Frazier _____ vs. Michigan State, 2011
- 6 Tolor Battle _____ vs. Indiana, 2009
- 6 Ben Luber _____ vs. Ohio State, 2005
- 6 Ben Luber _____ vs. NWestern, 2005



ALL-TIME BIG TEN TOURNAMENT SCORES

DATE	OPPONENT (LOCATION)	W/L	SCORE	VENUE
2005 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.				
1998	UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.			
3/5/98	#7 Penn State vs. #10 Wisconsin	L	52-51	
Leading PSU scorer: Pete Lisicky, 15				
1999 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.				
3/4/99	#9 Penn State vs. #8 Northwestern	L	54-44	
Leading PSU scorer: Joe Crispin, 18				
2000 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL. - SEMIFINAL				
3/9/00	#9 Penn State vs. #8 Michigan	W	76-66	
Leading PSU scorer: Joe Crispin, 22				
3/10/00	#9 Penn State vs. #1 Ohio State	W	71-66	
Leading PSU scorer: Jarrett Stephens, 21				
3/11/00	#9 Penn State vs. #4 Illinois	L	94-84	
Leading PSU scorer: Jarrett Stephens, 24				
2001 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL. - SEMIFINAL				
3/8/01	#7 Penn State vs. #10 Michigan	W	82-80	
Leading PSU scorer: Gyasi Cline-Heard, 24				
3/8/01	#7 Penn State vs. #2 Michigan State	W	65-63	
Leading PSU scorer: Joe Crispin, 22				
3/10/01	#7 Penn State vs. #6 Iowa	L	94-74	
Leading PSU scorer: Gyasi Cline-Heard, 26				
2002 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/7/02	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Minnesota	L	84-60	
Leading PSU scorer: Sharif Chambliss, 16				
2003 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.				
3/13/03	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Indiana	L	77-49	
Leading PSU scorer: Brandon Watkins, 17				
2004 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/11/04	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Northwestern	L	57-52	
Leading PSU scorer: Aaron Johnson 14, Marlon Smith, 14				
2005 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.				
3/10/05	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Ohio State	L	72-69	
Leading PSU scorer: Travis Parker, 21				
2006 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/9/06	#8 Penn State vs. #9 Northwestern	W	68-55	
Leading PSU scorer: Geary Claxton, 17				
3/10/06	#8 Penn State vs. #1 Ohio State	L	63-56	
Leading PSU scorer: Jamelle Cornley, 18				
2007 UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO ILL.				
3/8/07	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Illinois	L	66-60	
Leading PSU scorer: Mike Walker, 22				
2008 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/8/07	#7 Penn State vs. #10 Illinois	L	64-63	
Leading PSU scorer: Talor Battle, 17				
2009 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/12/09	#6 Penn State vs. #11 Indiana	W	66-51	
Leading PSU scorer: Jamelle Cornley, 22				
3/13/09	#6 Penn State vs. #3 Purdue	L	79-65	
Leading PSU scorer: Jamelle Cornley, 20				
2010 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.				
3/11/10	#11 Penn State vs. #6 Minnesota	L	76-55	
Leading PSU scorers: Battle, Babb Jackson & Jones, 10				
2011 CONSECO FIELDHOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND. - FINAL				
3/10/11	#6 Penn State vs. #11 Indiana	W	61-55	
Leading PSU scorer: Jeff Brooks, 15				
3/11/11	#6 Penn State vs. #3 Wisconsin	W	36-33	
Leading PSU scorer: Talor Battle, 9				
3/12/11	#6 Penn State vs. #7 Michigan State	W	61-48	
Leading PSU scorer: Talor Battle, 25				
BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP GAME				
3/13/11	#6 Penn State vs. #1 Ohio State	L	71-60	
Leading PSU scorer: Talor Battle, 24				

PENN STATE PLAYERS • CAREER BIG TEN TOURNAMENT STATISTICS

#11 JERMAINE MARSHALL

2011

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
vs. Indiana	3/10		17	2-4	.500	2-2	1-3	1-1-2	2	0	1	0	1	7
vs. Wisconsin	3/11		7	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	1	1	1	0	0	0
vs. Michigan St.	3/12		16	1-2	.500	0-1	0-0	0-3-3	1	0	0	2	0	2
vs. Ohio State	3/13		25	1-5	.200	0-1	2-2	0-2-2	1	1	0	2	1	4

TOTALS

Games	Starts	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
4	0	65/16.25	4-12	.333	2-5	3-5	1-6-7/1.4	5	2	2	2	2	13/2.6

#23 TIM FRAZIER

2010

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
vs. Minnesota	3/11		12	2-5	.400	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	3	2	4	0	0	4

2011

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
vs. Indiana	3/10	*	31	2-4	.500	1-1	0-0	0-3-3	3	5	4	0	0	5
vs. Wisconsin	3/11	*	39	2-5	.400	0-0	4-4	2-5-7	3	4	3	0	1	8
vs. Michigan St.	3/12	*	39	9-13	.692	1-3	3-6	2-6-8	2	6	2	1	1	22
vs. Ohio State	3/13	*	26	2-8	.250	1-1	0-0	0-2-2	4	5	2	0	1	5

TOTALS

Games	Starts	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
5	4	147/29.4	17-35	.485	3-5	7-10	4-17-21/4.2	15-0	22/4.4	15	1	3	44/8.8

#21 SASA BOROVNJAK

2010

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
vs. Minnesota	3/11		13	1-2	.500	0-0	2-2	1-4-5	2	0	1	0	0	4

#24 CAMMERON WOODYARD

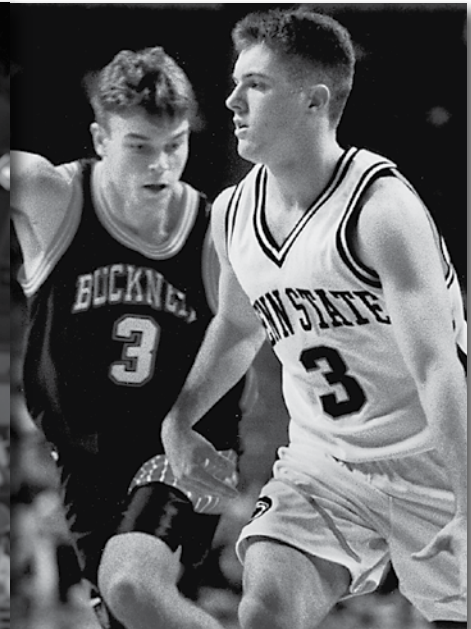
TOTALS

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
5 Games		0	14/2.8	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	1-1-2	1	1	0	0	1	0

#35 BILLY OLIVER

TOTALS

Opp.	Date	Start	Min	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off-Def-Tot	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Bik	Stl	Pts.
4 Games		0	20/5.0	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	2	0	1	1	0	0



▲ Mike Walker made a Big Ten Tournament record seven threes vs. Illinois in 2007.

▲ Jeff Brooks and Geary Claxton share a record 44 career rebounds in the Big Ten Tournament.

▲ Joe Crispin owns or shares nine Big Ten Tournament records.

BIG TEN TOURNAMENT RECORDS

INDIVIDUAL GAME

- **POINTS:** 26
Gyasi Cline-Heard, vs. Iowa, '01
- **REBOUNDS:** 13
Geary Claxton, vs. Ohio State, '05
- **AARON JOHNSON,** vs. Northwestern, '04
- **OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 6
Jeff Brooks, vs. Illinois, '08
- **DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 9
Jarrett Stephens, vs. Ohio State, '00
- **GEARY CLAXTON,** vs. Ohio State, '06
- **ASSISTS:** 11
Joe Crispin, vs. Illinois, '00
- **BLOCKS:** 5
Calvin Booth, vs. Northwestern, '99
- **STEALS:** 4
Talor Battle, vs. Indiana, '09
- **JOE CRISPIN,** vs. Illinois, '00
- **TITUS IVORY,** vs. Michigan, '01
- **FIELD GOALS:** 10
Jarrett Stephens, vs. Ohio State, '00
- **FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 20
Talor Battle vs. Ohio State, '11
- **3-PT FIELD GOALS:** 7**
Mike Walker, vs. Illinois, '07
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 14
Joe Crispin, vs. Northwestern, '99
- **FREE THROWS:** 12
Gyasi Cline-Heard, vs. Iowa, '01
- **FREE THROW ATTEMPTS:** 14
Gyasi Cline-Heard, vs. Iowa, '01

** Big Ten Tournament Record

INDIVIDUAL CAREER

- **GAMES PLAYED:** 8
Many including: Talor Battle, Jeff Brooks, David Jackson, Andrew Jones, Gyasi Cline-Heard, Joe Crispin, Titus Ivry, Tyler Smith & Brandon Watkins
- **POINTS:** 127
Joe Crispin, 8 games
- **REBOUNDS:** 44
Jeff Brooks, 8 games
- **GEARY CLAXTON,** 4 games
- **OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 20
Andrew Jones, 8 games
- **DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 32
Talor Battle, 8 games
- **ASSISTS:** 40
Joe Crispin, 8 games
- **BLOCKS:** 9
Calvin Booth, 2 games
- **STEALS:** 16
Titus Ivory, 8 games
- **FIELD GOALS:** 38
Joe Crispin, 8 games
- **FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 107
Talor Battle, 8 games
- **3-PT FIELD GOALS:** 20
Joe Crispin, 8 games
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 60
Joe Crispin, 8 games
- **FREE THROWS:** 32
Gyasi Cline-Heard, 8 games
- **FREE THROW ATTEMPTS:** 48
Gyasi Cline-Heard, 8 games

TEAM GAME

- **POINTS:** 84
vs. Illinois, 3/11/00
- **POINTS/FEWEST:** 36 (won)
vs. Wisconsin, 3/11/11
- **POINTS/IN A HALF:** 48 (2nd)
vs. Illinois, 3/11/00
- **REBOUNDS:** 40
vs. Michigan, 3/9/00
- **OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 18
vs. Illinois, 3/13/08
- **DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 30
vs. Michigan State, 3/12/11
- **ASSISTS:** 22
vs. Michigan, 3/9/00
- **BLOCKS:** 6
vs. Michigan State, 3/12/11
- **vs. Michigan,** 3/9/00
- **STEALS:** 15
vs. Illinois, 3/11/02
- **FOULS:** 29
vs. Iowa, 3/10/01
- **TURNOVERS/MOST:** 26
vs. Northwestern, 3/11/04
- **TURNOVERS/FEWEST:** 5
vs. Wisconsin, 3/11/11
- **FIELD GOALS:** 28
vs. Ohio State, 3/10/00
- **FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 64
vs. Ohio State, 3/10/06
- **FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE:** .519
vs. Ohio State, 3/10/00
- **3-PT FIELD GOALS:** 11
vs. Illinois, 3/11/00
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 28
vs. Illinois, 3/11/00
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE:** .438
vs. Ohio State, 3/13/11
- **vs. Ohio State,** 3/10/00
- **FREE THROWS:** 26
vs. Iowa, 3/10/01
- **FREE THROW ATTEMPTS:** 30
vs. Iowa, 3/10/01
- **FREE THROW %:** .867 (26-30)
vs. Iowa, 3/10/01

TEAM TOURNAMENT

- **POINTS:** 231
2000
- **REBOUNDS:** 139
2011 (4 games)
- **OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 48
2011 (4 games)
- **DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS:** 91
2011 (4 games)
- **ASSISTS:** 58
2000
- **BLOCKS:** 17
2011 (4 games)
- **STEALS:** 32
2000
- **FOULS:** 67
2001
- **TURNOVERS/MOST:** 41
2000
- **TURNOVERS/FEWEST:**
(Min. 2 games): 18, 2006
(Min. 3 games): 25, 2001
- **FIELD GOALS:** 84
2011 (4 games)
- **FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 200
2011 (4 games)
- **FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE:**
(Min. 2 games): .479, 2000
- **3-PT FIELD GOALS:** 24
2000 (3 games)
- **2011 (4 games)**
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS:** 75
2011 (4 games)
- **3-PT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE:**
(Min. 2 games): .375, 2000
- **FREE THROWS:** 62
2001
- **FREE THROW ATTEMPTS:** 75
2001
- **FREE THROW %:**
(min. 2 games): .826, 2001



PENN STATE VS THE BIG TEN TOURNAMENT FIELD SERIES HISTORIES

ILLINOIS

OVERALL: Illinois leads 24-13
LAST MEETING: @ PSU, 2012, W, 54-52
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 0-3
CURRENT STREAK: W, 1
AT PSU: 7-10
AT ILLINOIS: 5-11
NEUTRAL SITE: 1-3
CHAMBERS VS. ILLINOIS: 1-0

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 6-4
 W, 54-52 @PSU, 1/19/12
 L, 68-51 @Illinois, 2/1/11
 W, 57-55 @PSU, 1/11/11
 L, 67-77 @PSU, 1/27/10
 L, 53-54 @Illinois, 1/12/10
 W, 64-63 @PSU, 3/5/09
 W, 38-33 @Illinois, 2/18/09
 L, 63-64 @Big Ten Tournament, 3/13/08
 W, 52-51 @PSU, 2/16/08
 W, 68-64 @Illinois, 1/16/08

INDIANA

OVERALL: Indiana Leads, 30-9
LAST MEETING: @ IU, 2012, L, 73-54
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 2-1
CURRENT STREAK: L, 2
AT PSU: 5-12
AT IU: 2-16
NEUTRAL SITE: 2-2
CHAMBERS VS. IU: 1-2

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 6-4
 L, 54-73 @ Indiana, 1/22/12
 L, 82-88 @ PSU, 1/8/12
 W, 61-55 @ Big Ten Tournament, 3/10/11
 W, 69-60 @ Indiana, 12/27/10
 L, 61-67 @ PSU, 1/21/10
 W, 66-51 @ Big Ten Tournament, 3/12/09
 W, 61-58 @ PSU, 2/28/09
 W, 65-55 @ Indiana, 1/17/09
 W, 68-64 @ PSU, 3/9/08
 L, 65-81 @ Indiana, 1/20/08

IOWA

OVERALL: Iowa Leads 23-13
LAST MEETING: @PSU, 2012, W, 69-64
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 0-1
CURRENT STREAK: W, 1
AT PSU: 10-6
AT IOWA: 3-14
NEUTRAL SITE: 0-3
CHAMBERS VS. IOWA: 1-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 5-5
 W, 69-64 @PSU, 2/16/12
 L, 64-77 @Iowa, 2/4/12
 W, 65-51 @PSU, 1/26/11
 L, 64-67 @Iowa, 1/16/10
 L, 67-75 @Iowa, 3/7/09
 W, 63-49 @PSU, 1/24/09
 W, 65-64 @PSU, 2/27/08
 L, 49-64 @Iowa, 1/25/08
 W, 74-72 @PSU, 2/28/07
 L, 63-79 @Iowa, 1/24/07

MICHIGAN

OVERALL: Michigan leads 27-11
LAST MEETING: @ PSU, 2012, L, 71-65
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 2-0
CURRENT STREAK: L4
AT PSU: 6-21
AT MICHIGAN: 2-16
NEUTRAL SITE: 3-0
CHAMBERS VS. MICHIGAN: 0-2

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 3-7
 L, 65-71 @PSU, 3/4/12
 L, 53-71 @Michigan, 12/29/11
 L, 65-62 @PSU, 2/6/11
 L, 69-76 @Michigan, 1/2/11
 W, 55-51 @Michigan, 2/20/10
 L, 55-64 @PSU, 1/7/10
 L, 51-71 @Michigan, 2/5/09
 W, 73-58 @PSU, 1/20/09
 W, 69-61 @PSU, 3/1/08
 L, 63-68 @Michigan, 2/9/08

MICHIGAN STATE

OVERALL: Michigan State leads 30-7
LAST MEETING: @ MSU, 2012, L, 77-57
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 2-0
CURRENT STREAK: L1
AT PSU: 4-11
AT MICHIGAN STATE: 1-19
NEUTRAL SITE: 2-0
CHAMBERS VS. MICHIGAN STATE: 0-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 4-6
 L, 57-77 @ Michigan State, 2/8/12
 W, 61-48 @ Big Ten Tournament, 3/12/11
 L, 75-57 @ Michigan State, 2/10/11
 W, 66-62 @PSU, 1/8/11
 L, 65-67 @Michigan State, 3/4/10
 L, 54-65 @PSU, 2/13/10
 W, 72-68 @Michigan State, 2/1/09
 L, 73-78 @PSU, 1/14/09
 L, 49-86 @Michigan State, 2/20/08
 W, 85-76 @PSU, 2/2/08

MINNESOTA

OVERALL: Minnesota leads 28-10
LAST MEETING: @ PSU, 2012, L, 80-66
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 0-2
CURRENT STREAK: L, 1
AT PSU: 8-9
AT MINNESOTA: 2-16
NEUTRAL SITE: 0-3
CHAMBERS VS. MINNESOTA: 0-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 3-7
 L, 66-80 @PSU, 1/15/12
 W, 66-63 @Minnesota, 3/6/11
 W, 66-63 @PSU, 2/17/11
 L, 55-76 @BTT, 3/11/10
 L, 64-66 @PSU, 2/6/10
 L, 70-75 @Minnesota, 12/29/09
 W, 68-63 @PSU, 2/14/09
 L, 59-79 @Minnesota, 1/11/09
 L, 68-75 @Minnesota, 2/24/08
 L, 73-76 @PSU, 1/12/08

NEBRASKA

OVERALL: Penn State leads 3-2
LAST MEETING: @ PSU, 2012, W, 67-51
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 0-0
CURRENT STREAK: W, 1
AT PSU: 2-0
AT NEBRASKA: 1-2
NEUTRAL SITE: 0-0
CHAMBERS VS. NEBRASKA: 1-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 3-2
 W, 67-51 @PSU, 2/11/12
 L, 58-70 @Nebraska, 1/11/12
 W, 65-59 @Nebraska (NIT), 3/21/09
 W, 60-58 @ PSU, 12/21/01
 L, 50-75 @Nebraska, 12/9/80

NORTHWESTERN

OVERALL: Penn State leads 26-14
LAST MEETING: @ PSU, 2012, L, 67-66
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 1-2
CURRENT STREAK: L, 2
AT PSU: 15-3
AT NORTHWESTERN: 10-9
NEUTRAL SITE: 1-2
CHAMBERS VS. NORTHWESTERN: 0-2

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 7-3
 L, 66-67 @PSU, 2/25/12
 L, 56-68 @ Northwestern, 1/1/12
 W, 66-52 @ Northwestern, 2/24/11
 W, 65-41 @ PSU, 2/13/11
 W, 79-60 @Northwestern, 2/28/10
 W, 81-70 @PSU, 2/17/10
 W, 61-57 @PSU, 12/31/08
 W, 79-68 @Northwestern, 1/2/08
 L, 51-53 @Northwestern, 2/10/07
 W, 83-57 @PSU, 1/3/07

OHIO STATE

OVERALL: Ohio State leads 31-13
LAST MEETING: @ OSU, 2012, L, 78-54
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 1-3
CURRENT STREAK: L, 17
AT PSU: 7-11
AT OHIO STATE: 4-17
NEUTRAL SITE: 2-3
CHAMBERS VS. OHIO STATE: 0-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 0-10
 L, 54-78 @Ohio State, 1/25/12
 L, 60-71 @ Big Ten Tournament, 3/13/11
 L, 82-61 @PSU, 3/1/11
 L, 66-69 @ Ohio State, 1/15/11
 L, 67-75 @PSU, 2/24/10
 L, 62-75 @Ohio State, 2/3/10
 L, 59-73 @Ohio State, 2/24/09
 L, 56-68 @PSU, 1/29/08
 L, 60-68 @Ohio State, 2/21/07
 L, 62-64 @PSU, 2/14/07

PURDUE

OVERALL: Purdue Leads 28-10
LAST MEETING: @PUR, 2012, L, 56-80
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 0-1
CURRENT STREAK: L, 1
AT PSU: 9-10
AT PUR: 2-16
NEUTRAL SITE: 0-1
CHAMBERS VS. PURDUE: 1-1

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 2-8
 L, 56-80 @ Purdue, 2/29/12
 W, 65-45 @PSU, 1/5/12
 L, 63-62 @Purdue, 1/19/11
 L, 68-83 @PSU, 1/5/11
 L, 60-64 @PSU, 3/6/10
 L, 46-66 @Purdue, 1/31/10
 L, 65-79 @Big Ten Tournament, 3/13/09
 L, 47-61 @Purdue, 2/11/09
 W, 67-64 @PSU, 1/6/09
 L, 53-67 @Purdue, 2/15/08

WISCONSIN

OVERALL: Wisconsin leads 30-10
LAST MEETING: @ WISC, 2012, L, 65-55
IN BIG TEN TOURN: 1-1
CURRENT STREAK: L, 2
AT PSU: 7-12
AT WISCONSIN: 2-17
NEUTRAL SITE: 1-1
CHAMBERS VS. WISCONSIN: 0-2

LAST 10 MEETINGS: 2-8
 L, 55-65 @Wisconsin, 2/19/12
 L, 46-52 @ PSU, 1/31/12
 W, 36-33 @ Big Ten Tournament, 3/11/11
 L, 76-66 @Wisconsin, 2/20/11
 W, 56-52 @PSU, 1/29/11
 L, 71-79 OT @Wisconsin, 1/24/10
 L, 46-63 @PSU, 2/8/10
 L, 44-54 @Wisconsin, 2/8/09
 L, 61-65 @Wisconsin, 1/3/09
 L, 41-77 @PSU, 3/5/08



2011-12 SEASON SUPERLATIVES

PENN STATE

	TEAM GAME HIGHS		TEAM GAME LOWS		INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS	
POINTS	82	INDIANA (1/8/12)	46	WISCONSIN (1/31/12)	30	Frazier, Tim at Nebraska (1/11/12)
	82	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	47	KENTUCKY (11/19/11)	27	Frazier, Tim vs SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)
	77	LONG ISLAND (11/16/11)	47	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	27	Jermaine Marshall vs. MICHIGAN (3/4/12)
FIELD GOALS MADE	27	3 times, last INDIANA (1/8/12)	17	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)	10	Jermaine Marshall vs MICHIGAN (3/4/12)
				at Indiana (1/22/12)	10	Frazier, Tim at Nebraska (1/11/12)
					10	Frazier, Tim at Iowa (2/4/12)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	71	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	45	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)	23	Frazier, Tim vs. INDIANA (1/8/12)
	67	vs KENTUCKY (11/19/11)				
FIELD GOAL %	.565 (26-46)	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	.268 (19-71)	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	1.000 (7-7)	Borovnjak, Sasa vs Mississippi (12/4/11)
	.523 (23-44)	NEBRASKA (2/11/12)			1.000 (5-5)	Travis, Ross vs MICHIGAN (3/4/12)
	.509 (27-53)	MOUNT ST. MARY'S (12/18/11)			1.000 (5-5)	Travis, Ross vs LAFAYETTE (12/07/11)
3 PT FG MADE	11	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	2	WISCONSIN (1/31/12)	7	Oliver, Billy vs. PURDUE (1/5/12)
			3	LAFAYETTE (12/07/11)		
			3	at Nebraska (1/11/12)		
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	29	at Iowa (2/4/12)	10	ILLINOIS (1/19/12)	11	Oliver, Billy vs. PURDUE (1/5/12)
			10	WISCONSIN (1/31/12)	11	Colella, Nick vs. NEBRASKA (2/11/12)
3 PT FG %	.500 (11-22)	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	.125 (3-24)	at Nebraska (1/11/12)	1.000 (3-3)	Woodyard, Cammeron vs Cornell (12/21/11)
					.636 (7-11)	Oliver, Billy vs. PURDUE (1/5/12)
FT MADE	23	vs. MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	2	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	10	Frazier, Tim vs SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)
FT ATTEMPTS	31	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	7	at Iowa (2/4/12)	15	Frazier, Tim vs SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)
			7	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)		
FT %	.857 (12-14)	NEBRASKA (2/11/12)	.286 (2-7)	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	1.000 (9-9)	Frazier, Tim at Nebraska (1/11/12)
	.840 (21-25)	INDIANA (1/8/12)				
REBOUNDS	47	LAFAYETTE (12/07/11)	17	at Purdue (2/29/12)	11	Frazier, Tim vs Cornell (12/21/11)
	40	CORNELL (12/21/11)	25	at Michigan State	11	Frazier, Tim at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)
	40	HARTFORD (11/12/11)	28	INDIANA (1/8/12)	11	Glover, Matt vs. PURDUE (1/5/12)
ASSISTS	17	LONG ISLAND (11/16/11)	5	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)	11	Frazier, Tim vs Youngstown State (11/23/11)
				at Indiana (1/22/12)		
STEALS	15	HARTFORD (11/12/11)	1	at Indiana (1/22/12)	6	Frazier, Tim at Nebraska (1/11/12)
BLOCKED SHOTS	5	CORNELL (12/21/11)	0	at Northwestern (1/1/12)	3	Oliver, Billy vs Mount St. Mary's (12/18/11)
	5	LONG ISLAND (11/16/11)	0	at Purdue (2/29/12)	3	Graham, Jon vs Long Island (11/16/11)
	5	ILLINOIS (1/19/12)			3	Marshall, Jermaine vs Illinois (1/19/12)
TURNOVERS	23	at Duquesne (12/10/11)	5	at Wisconsin (2/19/12)	7	Frazier, Tim at Boston College (11-30-11)
FOULS	29	MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	11	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)		

OPPONENT

	TEAM GAME HIGHS		TEAM GAME LOWS		INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS	
POINTS	88	INDIANA (1/8/12)	43	MOUNT ST. MARY'S (12/18/11)	28	Jordan Hulls, INDIANA (1/8/12)
	85	KENTUCKY (11/19/11)	46	RADFORD (11/14/11)	27	Summers, Jarvis vs Mississippi (12/4/11)
			45	PURDUE (1/5/12)		
FIELD GOALS MADE	28	KENTUCKY (11/19/11)	14	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)	11	Tim Hardaway, Jr., at Michigan (12/29/11)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	61	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	38	MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	18	Tim Hardaway, Jr., at Michigan (12/29/11)
FIELD GOAL %	.595 (25-42)	MICHIGAN (3/4/12)	.319 (15-47)	PURDUE (1/5/12)	.875 (7-8)	Cody Zeller at Indiana (1/22/12)
	.574 (27-47)	at Purdue (2/29/12)			.833 (5-6)	Matt Roth, vs INDIANA (1/8/12)
3 PT FG MADE	16	INDIANA (1/8/12)	3	MOUNT ST. MARY'S (12/18/11)	7	Jordan Hulls, INDIANA (1/8/12)
	15	NORTHWESTERN (2/25/12)				ALLEN, Blake vs Youngstown St. (11/23/11)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	30	LAFAYETTE (12/07/11)	10	MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	12	ALLEN, Blake vs Youngstown St. (11/23/11)
3 PT FG %	.667 (16-24)	INDIANA (1/8/12)	.176 (3-17)	MOUNT ST. MARY'S (12/18/11)	1.000 (3-3)	Teague, Marquis vs KENTUCKY (11/19/11)
	.556 (10-18)	MICHIGAN (3/4/12)			1.000 (3-3)	MARTIN, Gerell vs Long Island (11/16/11)
	.519 (14-27)	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)			.777 (7-9)	Jordan Hulls, INDIANA (1/8/12)
FT MADE	33**	MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	5	RADFORD (11/14/11)	13	Joe Coleman, Minnesota (1/15/12)
FT ATTEMPTS	44	MINNESOTA (1/15/12)	8	RADFORD (11/14/11)	14	Coleman, Minn. (1/15/12), Green, Mich. St. (2/8/12)
FT %	1.000 (9-9)	YOUNGSTOWN ST. (11/23/11)	.563 (9-16)	HARTFORD (11/12/11)	1.000 (7-7)	Lamb, Doron vs KENTUCKY (11/19/11)
					1.000 (7-7)	Tre Burke at Michigan (12/29/11)
					1.000 (7-7)	Matt Roth vs. INDIANA (1/8/12)
REBOUNDS	45	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	21	NEBRASKA (2/11/12)	13	Jared Sullinger at Ohio State (1/25/12)
	45	KENTUCKY (11/19/11)	22	NORTHWESTERN (2/25/12)	12	Draymond Green at Michigan State (2/8/12)
			23	MICHIGAN (3/4/12)	12	Mike Bruesewitz at Wisconsin (2/19/12)
ASSISTS	21	at Purdue (2/29/12)	4	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)	9	Delaney, Rob vs LAFAYETTE (12/07/11)
STEALS	11	at Duquesne (12/10/11)	2	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	5	Holloway, Murphy vs Mississippi (12/4/11)
BLOCKED SHOTS	12	at Saint Joseph's (11/26/11)	2	at Purdue (2/29/12)	5	Ralph Sampson III, Minnesota (1/15/12)
			2	SOUTH FLORIDA (11/20/11)		
			2	NEBRASKA (2/11/12)		
TURNOVERS	26	HARTFORD (11/12/11)	5	WISCONSIN (1/31/12)	6	Cancer, Galal vs Cornell (12/21/11)
FOULS	29	CORNELL (12/21/11)	11	at Wisconsin (2/19/12)		

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NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Started first collegiate game and led Penn State with 17 points on 3-of-6 from three in the 2011 season opener vs. Hartford.
- Started five games on the year.
- 2011 Division I Co-Player-of-the-Year in Ohio
- Runner-up for 2011 Ohio "Mr. Basketball" honors
- 2011 Cleveland Plain Dealer Player-of-the-Year
- Scored 33 points and hit state tournament record eight threes in state semifinals

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2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Outstanding in his first collegiate game leading Penn State to a season-opening victory with a team-high 17 points on 3-of-6 from three. Scored 14 of his 17 points in the second half as Penn State pushed a 10-point halftime lead to as much as 26. • He scored 10-straight points, hitting a pair of treys.
- Came off the bench to score 12 points on 3-of-5 from three in a victory over YSU (11/23)
- Sat out the Lafayette game (12/7) with an aggravated right ankle injury.
- Hit a **career-best** 4-of-6 from three for 13 points in 27 minutes off the bench in a win over Cornell (12/21)
- Missed games since Jan. 15 with a stress fracture in the L5 vertebrae in his lower back.

LEWIS MISSES TIME WITH INJURY: Freshman Trey Lewis proved to be an effective three-point threat for the Lions early in the year, but missed time with an ankle injury and a lower back injury that cost him just over a month during Big Ten play. ■ Missed 10 games from Jan. 15-Feb. 19 with a lower back injury. Lewis has a stress fracture of the L5 vertebrae which was discovered Jan. 13. ■ Returned to action on Feb. 25 vs. Northwestern playing five minutes. ■ Had eight points on a pair of threes in 19 minutes at Purdue (2/29).

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	17
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
REBOUNDS:	4, twice
	last @ Northwestern (1/1/12)
ASSISTS:	4
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
STEALS:	2, twice
	@ St. Joe's (11/26/11)
BLOCKS:	-
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MINUTES:	31
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
FIELD GOALS:	7
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
FG ATTEMPTS:	13
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
FG PERCENTAGE:	.571 (4-7)
	vs. YSU (11/23/11)
	.538 (7-13)
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
3-POINTERS:	4
	vs. Cornell (12/21)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	6, twice
	last vs. Cornell (12/21)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	.667 (4-6)
	vs. Cornell (12/21)
FREE THROWS:	3
	vs. Radford (11/14/11)
FT ATTEMPTS:	4
	vs. Radford (11/14/11)
FT PERCENTAGE:	.750
	vs. Radford (11/14/11)

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	*	31	7-13	.538	3-6	.500	0-1	.000	1-1	2	2	4	2	0	2	17
RADFORD	11/14	*	23	2-5	.400	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	2-1	3	1	0	2	0	0	9
LONG ISLAND	11/16	*	15	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	1	0	0	0	3
vs. Kentucky	11/19	*	20	1-9	.111	1-6	.166	0-0	.000	1-1	2	2	0	0	0	0	3
vs. S. Florida	11/20		15	2-4	.500	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	0	2	0	0	5
YSU	11/23		25	4-7	.571	3-5	.600	1-1	1.000	0-1	1	1	1	2	0	0	12
@ St. Joe's	11/26		31	2-10	.200	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	1-3	4	3	3	1	0	2	5
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	*	21	2-6	.333	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	1	1	0	1	5
MISSISSIPPI	12/4		5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
LAFAYETTE	12/7				INJ												
@ Duquesne	12/10		8	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18		18	2-4	.500	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	2	1	2	1	0	0	5
CORNELL	12/21		27	4-6	.667	4-6	.667	1-2	.500	1-1	2	2	0	1	0	1	13
@ Michigan	12/29		29	3-9	.333	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	1	0	0	0	1	6
@ Northwestern	1/1		27	1-5	.200	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	3-1	4	3	3	2	0	0	3
PURDUE	1/5		1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDIANA	1/8				DNP												
@ Nebraska	1/11		6	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MINNESOTA	1/15				INJ												
ILLINOIS	1/19				INJ												
@ Indiana	1/22				INJ												
@ Ohio State	1/25				INJ												
WISCONSIN	1/31				INJ												
@ Iowa	2/4				INJ												
@ Michigan St.	2/8				INJ												
NEBRASKA	2/11				INJ												
IOWA	2/16				INJ												
@ Wisconsin	2/19				INJ												
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25		5	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
@ Purdue	2/29		19	3-8	.375	2-6	.333	0-1	.000	1-0	1	0	0	2	0	1	8
MICHIGAN	3/4		21	2-5	.400	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	0-3	3	1	0	0	0	1	6

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY: 10/18/1992
FAMILY: Nina (Mother), Joe (Father);
Sisters: Aja and Jazmine

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2011-12	19-5	347/18.3	36-99	.364	22-65	.338	6-10	.600	10	17	27	1.4	29	0	15	18	0	9	100	5.3
TOTAL	19-5	347/18.3	36-99	.364	22-65	.338	6-10	.600	10	17	27	1.4	29	0	15	18	0	9	100	5.3



#20 • NICK COLELLA

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NEW CASTLE, PA. • NEW CASTLE HS
PENN STATE - BEHREND



CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	11
	@ Indiana (1/22/12)
REBOUNDS:	4, twice
	last vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
ASSISTS:	3
	@ Iowa (2/4/12)
STEALS:	2, twice
	last @ Iowa (2/4/12)
BLOCKS:	1
	vs. Radford (11/14/11)
MINUTES:	37
	@ Michigan St. (2/8/12)
FIELD GOALS:	3, twice
	last @ Iowa (2/4/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	12
	vs. Nebraska (2/11/12)
FG PERCENTAGE:	.600 (3-5)
	@ Indiana (1/22/12)
3-POINTERS:	3, twice
	last @ Michigan St. (2/8/12)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	11
	vs. Nebraska (2/11/12)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	.600 (3-5)
	@ Indiana (1/22/12)
FREE THROWS:	4
	vs. Iowa (2/16/12)
FT ATTEMPTS:	4
	vs. Iowa(2/16/12)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (4-4)
	vs. Iowa (2/16/12)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY: 11/10/1989
FAMILY: Linda (mother), David (father);
Brothers: David Jr. & Michael

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Started six-straight games in Big Ten play.
- Played two seasons playing at Penn State-Behrend (Erie, Pa.) campus before transferring to the main campus. Behrend is an NCAA Division III school
- Averaged 9.8 ppg and 4.4 rpg playing in 16 games as a sophomore at Penn State - Behrend.
- Career-high at Behrend was 15 points against Allegheny College
- Redshirted his first season at Penn State main campus.
- Made Penn State team through the walk-on tryout process in October.
- Spent approximately a month of his first semester at Penn State main campus as a practice player with the Penn State Lady Lion team.
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2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Played in his first career game in the season-opening win over Hartford, scoring three points and grabbing one rebound in 14 minutes.
- Played eight minutes and scored two points in a loss to Lafayette (12/7).
- Played a career high 17 minutes collecting three rebounds, hitting one three and assisting on one score in a 65-45 win over Purdue (1/5).
- Played 16 minutes, hit a three and grabbed three boards and one steal in a near upset of No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Posted a career-high 11 points, hitting 3-of-5 from three and playing a career-most 24 minutes in a loss at No. 11 Indiana (1/22)
- Scored 10 points and had three rebounds and three assists in a career-high 29 minutes of action at Iowa (2/4)
- Made his first career START at Michigan State (2/8) and scored nine points on a career-high tying three treys while playing a career-most 37 minutes.
- Made second career start in a win over Nebraska (2/11) and played 32 minutes posting six points and three boards.
- Went 4-of-4 at the foul line and hit one three on his way to 9 points in 31 minutes of a win over Iowa (2/16)

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	14	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	3
RADFORD	11/14	2	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
LONG ISLAND	11/16	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Kentucky	11/19	9	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
vs. S. Florida	11/20	DNP															
YSU	11/23	DNP															
@ St. Joe's	11/26	2	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	6	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	DNP															
LAFAYETTE	12/7	8	1-4	.250	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
@ Duquesne	12/10	5	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18	2	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
CORNELL	12/21	DNP															
@Michigan	12/29	DNP															
@Northwestern	1/1	DNP															
PURDUE	1/5	17	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
INDIANA	1/8	16	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-3	3	3	0	2	0	1	1	3
@ Nebraska	1/11	21	0-4	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0
MINNESOTA	1/15	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
ILLINOIS	1/19	7	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
@ Indiana	1/22	24	3-5	.600	3-5	.600	2-2	1.000	1-1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	11
@ Ohio State	1/25	20	2-3	.666	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	5
WISCONSIN	1/31	17	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
@ Iowa	2/4	29	3-8	.375	2-7	.286	2-3	.666	1-2	3	3	3	1	0	2	10	
@ Michigan St.	2/8	*	37	3-8	.375	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	0-0	0	1	1	2	1	0	9
NEBRASKA	2/11	*	32	2-12	.167	2-11	.182	0-0	.000	1-2	3	1	2	1	0	1	6
IOWA	2/16	*	31	2-6	.333	1-5	.200	4-4	1.000	0-1	1	2	1	0	1	0	9
@ Wisconsin	2/19	*	29	1-5	.200	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	0-4	4	4	0	0	0	0	3
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25	*	24	1-5	.200	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0-4	4	1	1	1	0	0	2
@ Purdue	2/29	*	17	0-4	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
MICHIGAN	3/4	8	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2011-12	25-6	381/15.2	22-84	.262	17-69	.246	10-12	.833	5	29	34	1.4	28	0	13	11	4	9	71	2.8
TOTAL	25-6	381/15.2	22-84	.262	17-69	.246	10-12	.833	5	29	34	1.4	28	0	13	11	4	9	71	2.8



#21 • SASA BOROVNJAK

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 BELGRADE, SERBIA • VERITAS CHRISTIAN (N.C.)
 MARKETING



NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Has been perfect from the floor while making four or more field goals in three games on the season
- Leads Penn State shooting 56% on year.
- Played in 18 games as a true-freshman
- Suffered a torn ACL in right knee on the first day of pre-season practice of the 2010-11 season and redshirted the year.
- 3.2 grade-point average

■ 22 years old

2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Started his first career game in the season opener vs. Hartford
- Posted career highs of nine points and five rebounds in just 16 minutes of action in a victory over LIU (11/16).
- Scored a career-high 15 points on a career-best 7-of-7 from the floor in a loss to Ole Miss (12/4). Scored most of his baskets from the low block against a long and athletic Rebel team.
- Grabbed a career-best seven rebounds to lead the Lions on the boards at Duquesne (12/10)
- Hit 5-of-5 from the floor for 10 points and five boards in win over Mount St. Mary's (12/18).
- Went 4-of-4 from the floor for eight points in a 65-45 victory over Purdue (1/5)

- Scored eight points and grabbed six rebounds in a loss at Nebraska (1/11).
- Scored eight points on 4-of-5 shooting at Purdue (2/29).

CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	15
	vs. Ole Miss (12/4/11)
Rebounds:	7
	at Duquesne (12/10/11)
Assists:	2
	vs. Gardner-Webb (12/19/09)
Blocks:	1, three times
	last at Duquesne (12/10/11)
Minutes:	27
	vs. Ole Miss (12/4/11)
Steals:	2, twice
	last vs. BC (11/30/11)
Field Goals:	7
	vs. Ole Miss (12/4/11)
Field goal Attempts:	8
	vs. LIU (11/16/11)
Field goal Percentage:	1.000 (7-7)
	vs. Ole Miss (12/4/11)
3-Pointers Made:	0
3-Point Attempts:	0
3-Point Percentage:	N/A
Free Throws Made:	3
	vs. Northwestern (2/28/10)
Free throw Attempts:	6
	vs. BC (11/30/11)
Free Throw Percentage:	100.0 (2-2)
	four times, vs. Minnesota (3/11/10)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY: 7/30/1989
FAMILY: Jasmenka (mother); Zoran (father); Brother: Dejan

2010-11 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	*	25	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	2-1	3	2	0	1	1	0	4
RAZFORD	11/14	*	14	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-1	3	1	1	0	0	0	2
LONG ISLAND	11/16	*	16	4-8	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3-2	5	5	1	0	0	2	9
vs. Kentucky	11/19	*	17	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	5-1	6	2	0	3	0	0	3
vs. S. Florida	11/20	*	24	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	2	0	4	0	1	0
YSU	11/23	*	14	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	1-4	5	1	0	0	0	0	6
@ St. Joe's	11/26	*	11	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	0	1	0	0	2
@ Boston Coll.	11/30		25	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-6	.333	1-2	3	1	0	0	1	2	2
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	*	27	7-7	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	1-3	4	2	0	1	0	0	15
LAFAYETTE	12/7		13	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
@ Duquesne	12/10		21	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-5	7	0	0	2	1	0	8
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18		24	5-5	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-3	5	2	0	1	0	0	10
CORNELL	12/21		22	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-1	5	1	0	1	0	1	4
@ Michigan	12/29		14	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-1	3	1	0	1	0	0	6
@ Northwestern	1/1		22	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2-2	4	2	0	1	0	0	6
PURDUE	1/5		18	4-4	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-3	4	1	0	1	0	0	8
INDIANA	1/8		13	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
@ Nebraska	1/11		15	3-7	.429	0-1	.000	2-3	.667	3-3	6	1	0	0	0	0	8
MINNESOTA	1/15		13	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	1-3	4	2	0	0	0	1	1
ILLINOIS	1/19		19	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	0	2	0	0	6
@ Indiana	1/22		19	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3-2	5	4	1	2	1	0	1
@ Ohio State	1/25		25	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-4	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
WISCONSIN	1/31		14	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
@ Iowa	2/4		13	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-3	4	3	0	2	0	0	0
@ Michigan St.	2/8		17	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	0-3	.000	1-0	1	4	0	1	0	0	6
NEBRASKA	2/11		21	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0-3	3	0	0	1	1	1	3
IOWA	2/16		13	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2-0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
@ Wisconsin	2/19		5	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25		13	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
@ Purdue	2/29		22	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	0	1	0	0	8
MICHIGAN	3/4		16	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2009-10	18-0	123/6.8	10-23	.435	0-0	.000	12-14	.857	5	15	20	1.1	15	0	4	2	0	1	32	1.8
2011-12	31-7	545/17.6	58-103	.563	0-1	.000	18-37	.486	42	55	97	3.1	53	1	4	27	5	10	134	4.3
TOTAL	49-7	668/13.6	68-126	.540	0-1	.000	30-51	.588	47	70	117	2.4	68	1	8	29	5	11	166	3.4



#23 • TIM FRAZIER

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SUPPLY CHAIN & INFORMATION SYSTEMS

CAREER

DOUBLE-DOUBLES: 6	10+ ASSISTS: 3
20-POINT GAMES: 17	5+ ASSISTS: 32
30-POINT GAMES: 1	3+ STEALS: 12
DOUBLE-DIGITS: 39	40-MINUTES: 7



CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	30
	vs. Nebraska (1/12/12)
REBOUNDS:	11, twice
	last vs. Cornell (12/21)
ASSISTS:	11
	vs. YSU (11/23/11)
STEALS:	6
	vs. Nebraska (1/12/12)
BLOCKS:	1, eight times
	last @ Duquesne (12/10/11)
MINUTES:	40, seven times
	last @ Wisconsin (2/19/12)
FIELD GOALS:	10, three times
	last @ Purdue (2/29/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	23
	vs. Indiana (1/8/12)
FG PERCENTAGE:	.778 (7-9)
	vs. Nebraska (2/11/12)
	.833 (5-6)
	vs. Temple (NCAA) (3/17/11)
3-POINTERS:	4
	vs. Robert Morris (11/16/09)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	6
	vs. Indiana (1/8/12)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	80.0 (4-5)
	vs. Robert Morris (11/16/09)
FREE THROWS:	10
	vs. Northwestern, (2/13/11)
FT ATTEMPTS:	15
	vs. S. Florida (11/20/11)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (8-8)
	vs. Nebraska (2/11/12)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY: 11/1/1990
FAMILY: Janice (mother), Billy (father), William (brother), Krystal (sister)

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 2ND the Big Ten in scoring (18.6), 1st in assists (6.3), 2nd in steals (2.3). Leads the Lions in every category.
- 12th in NCAA in assists.
- 194 assists on year are new PSU season record in 8 less games than previous record holder. His 173 assists in 2010-11 ranks as the 6th-best mark.
- 16 20-point games (11 in conference play) lead the Big Ten and rank FOURTH among Big Six Conference players.
- Has increased his scoring average by 12.3 ppg from last year, the largest increase for any Big Ten player this season, and currently the **second largest one season increase** for any Big Ten player since 1996-97.
- One of TWO PLAYERS in NCAA Div. I averaging at least 17 points and 6 assists per game.
- One of two Big Six conference players to rank in the top five of scoring, assists and steals in their respective conference's statistics.
- EIGHT games of 9+ assists on the year.
- FIVE double-doubles on the year, 5th in Big Ten
- Has reached career highs three times in scoring, three times in assists, twice in rebounding and twice in steals on the year.
- 440 career assists rank 8th all-time in Penn State history/2nd among active Big Ten players.
- Has played in every game the last three seasons.

RECENT GAME HIGHLIGHTS

- Shot 10-of-16 from the floor and 9-of-9 from the line for a CAREER-HIGH 30 points to go with a CAREER-BEST six steals, six rebounds and four assists at Nebraska (1/11).
- 20 points, 5 assists and 4 steals in loss to Minnesota (1/15).
- Hit GAME-WINNING, 12-FOOT FLOATER with eight seconds left in a 54-52 victory over No. 22 Illinois (1/19). Posted 12 points and nine assists in the game.
- Scored 19 of PSU's 23 2nd half points on way to team-high 21 points & seven assists in loss to No. 19 Wisconsin (1/31).
- Scored 15 of his team-high 23 points in the second half and added five rebounds and five assists at Iowa (2/4).
- Nearly posted first PSU triple-double since 1998 with 23 points, 10 rebounds and 9 assists in win over Nebraska (2/11).
- 20 points and four assists in 40 minutes at Wisconsin (2/19).
- Had 15 of his 23 points in the second half and eight assists in a loss to Northwestern (2/25).
- Led Penn State with 24 points, five rebounds, six assists and four steals in a loss at Purdue (2/29).

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	*	28	4-11	.364	0-1	.000	8-9	.889	0-4	4	4	6	4	0	5	16
RADFORD	11/14	*	34	9-14	.643	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	2-4	6	2	10	3	1	3	20
LONG ISLAND	11/16	*	35	9-18	.500	3-4	.750	5-6	.833	1-4	5	3	10	4	1	2	26
vs. Kentucky	11/19	*	36	4-14	.286	0-1	.000	3-9	.333	1-5	6	3	6	2	0	0	11
vs. S. Florida	11/20	*	38	8-15	.533	1-3	.333	10-15	.667	2-4	6	3	1	4	0	3	27
YSU	11/23	*	38	8-11	.727	2-2	1.000	8-11	.727	2-2	4	0	11	2	0	2	26
@ St. Joe's	11/26	*	37	4-19	.210	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	3-8	11	3	6	4	0	2	8
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	*	29	7-12	.583	3-5	.600	5-6	.833	3-1	4	4	5	7	0	3	22
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	*	39	5-13	.385	0-3	.000	7-10	.700	3-3	6	2	9	5	0	1	17
LAFAYETTE	12/7	*	34	0-12	.000	0-5	.000	3-4	.750	1-2	3	4	9	5	0	2	3
@ Duquesne	12/10	*	40	4-9	.444	0-2	.000	7-8	.875	0-7	7	1	6	3	1	2	15
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18	*	38	5-13	.385	0-2	.000	5-7	.714	0-2	2	1	8	1	0	2	15
CORNELL	12/21	*	39	4-12	.333	0-2	.000	9-13	.692	3-8	11	3	6	5	1	1	17
@ Michigan	12/29	*	35	8-18	.444	0-2	.000	4-6	.666	1-3	4	3	4	5	0	1	20
@ Northwestern	1/1	*	35	5-11	.455	0-2	.000	6-9	.667	3-2	5	3	3	4	0	4	16
PURDUE	1/5	*	38	7-20	.350	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	3-2	5	4	9	4	0	3	15
INDIANA	1/8	*	38	7-23	.304	1-6	.167	6-7	.857	0-3	3	5	7	1	0	1	21
@ Nebraska	1/11	*	40	10-16	.625	1-4	.250	9-9	1.000	2-4	6	2	4	5	0	6	30
MINNESOTA	1/15	*	39	5-15	.333	3-5	.600	7-8	.875	1-0	1	3	5	3	1	4	20
ILLINOIS	1/19	*	38	4-11	.363	0-1	.000	4-4	1.000	1-3	4	4	9	4	0	1	12
@ Indiana	1/22	*	40	7-18	.388	1-3	.333	6-6	1.000	1-2	3	4	1	3	0	0	21
@ Ohio State	1/25	*	39	6-17	.352	1-2	.500	3-4	.750	0-1	1	4	4	4	1	0	16
WISCONSIN	1/31	*	39	8-22	.364	0-2	.000	5-6	.833	1-3	4	1	7	2	0	1	21
@ Iowa	2/4	*	40	10-20	.500	2-4	.500	1-1	1.000	2-3	5	2	5	7	0	2	23
@ Michigan St.	2/8	*	37	6-18	.333	0-3	.000	7-8	.875	1-4	5	4	7	6	0	2	19
NEBRASKA	2/11	*	39	7-9	.778	1-1	1.000	8-8	1.000	1-9	10	3	9	5	0	3	23
IOWA	2/16	*	34	6-13	.462	0-1	.000	6-6	1.000	1-2	3	4	4	2	0	4	18
@ Wisconsin	2/19	*	40	9-20	.450	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	1-3	4	3	4	3	0	2	20
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25	*	39	9-17	.529	1-2	.500	4-4	1.000	1-0	1	2	8	1	0	1	23
@ Purdue	2/29	*	39	10-16	.625	1-2	.500	3-3	1.000	0-5	5	3	6	2	0	4	24
MICHIGAN	3/4	*	35	4-16	.250	1-2	.500	2-3	.667	3-1	4	3	5	3	0	4	11

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2009-10	31-10	570/18.4	51-132	.386	9-24	.375	43-64	.672	11	61	72	2.3	64	0	73	52	2	23	154	5.0
2010-11	34-33	1048/30.8	71-165	.430	11-32	.344	61-81	.753	21	111	132	3.9	89	1	173	82	4	35	214	6.3
2011-12	31-31	1149/37.1	199-473	.421	23-80	.288	155-197	.787	44	104	148	4.8	90	1	194	113	6	71	576	18.6
TOTAL	96-74	2767/28.8	321-770	.417	43-136	.316	259-342	.757	76	276	352	3.7	243	2	440	247	12	129	944	9.8



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CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	22
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
REBOUNDS:	7, six times
	last vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
ASSISTS:	2, three times
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
STEALS:	4
	vs. Hartford (11/12/11)
BLOCKS:	1, three times
	vs. Radford (11/14/11)
MINUTES:	37, twice
	last vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
FIELD GOALS:	6, three time
	last vs. Illinois (1/19/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	14
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
FG PERCENTAGE:	80.0 (4-5), twice
	last vs. YSU (11/23/11)
3-POINTERS:	4, twice
	last vs. Nebraska (2/11/12)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	8, twice
	last vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (3-3)
	vs. Cornell (12/21)
FREE THROWS:	8
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
FT ATTEMPTS:	8
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (8-8)
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY: 2/19/1990
FAMILY: Cynthia (mother), Bruce (father), Rashad (brother), Kanisha Frisby (sister)

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Led team with 42 threes & 36.8% from the arc prior to injury
- 14 double-digit scoring games on the year. Entered the season with one on his career.
- 11 double-digit scoring games at HOME on year, averaging 11.4 ppg at home.
- Has posted a career-best equaling seven rebounds in SIX games on the season, the last with seven vs. Northwestern (2/25).
- Will graduate in May with a degree in communications.
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2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Came off the bench to post career highs in points (14), rebounds (7), threes (4) and steals (4) in the season-opening victory over Hartford (11/12). Hit 4-of-7 from three on the day.
- Equaled his career high in rebounds for the second straight game posting a team-high seven in win over Radford (11/14).
- Scored seven-straight points midway through the second half to steady Penn State and finished with 13 points and six rebounds in a victory over LIU (11/16).
- Scored 10 points on a career-best equaling 4-of-5 from the floor in a victory over YSU (11/23).
- Scored 10 points and tied a career-high with seven rebounds in a loss to Lafayette (12/7)
- Equaled his career high with 14 points in just 20 minutes in a win over Mt. St. Mary's (12/18).
- Hit two big second half threes back-to-back to help the Lions maintain the lead in a victory over Cornell. Posted 13 points on 3-of-3 from three.
- Led Penn State with a career-high 22 points on a perfect 8-of-8 at the foul line in a loss to Minnesota (1/15). Eclipsed his previous career high (14) with 15 points in the first half.
- Led Penn State with 17 points on 3-of-4 from three in a 54-52 upset of No. 22 Illinois (1/19) in the Jordan Center.
- Hit a pair of threes for 11 points and a team-leading six rebounds in a loss at Iowa (2/4).
- Tied a career high with four threes (4-7) and scored 14 points in a victory over Nebraska (2/11).
- Had 12 points and two threes in the first half on his way to 13 in a victory over Iowa (2/16).
- Fractured his right foot in shoot-around prior to game at Purdue (2/29) and will miss the remainder of the season.

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12		27	4-13	.308	4-7	.571	2-4	.500	2-5	7	2	2	0	0	4	14
RADFORD	11/14	*	26	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	2-5	7	2	0	1	1	1	6
LONG ISLAND	11/16	*	35	4-9	.444	1-6	.167	4-4	1.000	0-6	6	2	0	0	0	2	13
vs. Kentucky	11/19	*	18	0-6	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	3	0	0	1	0	0
vs. S. Florida	11/20	*	24	0-5	.000	0-3	.000	1-2	.500	3-4	7	0	0	0	0	2	1
YSU	11/23	*	16	4-5	.800	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-2	2	0	0	3	0	0	10
@ St. Joe's	11/26	*	25	1-6	.166	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-2	3	0	0	1	0	0	3
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	*	23	0-5	.000	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	3-4	7	1	1	0	0	0	2
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	*	26	4-10	.400	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	1-1	2	0	1	1	0	0	10
LAFAYETTE	12/7		29	4-7	.571	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	4-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	10
@ Duquesne	12/10		32	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	2-2	4	3	0	3	0	0	9
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18		20	6-10	.600	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	4-0	4	2	0	2	0	1	14
CORNELL	12/21		24	3-5	.600	3-3	1.000	4-4	1.000	0-1	1	0	0	1	0	0	13
@ Michigan	12/29	*	28	2-6	.333	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	2-1	3	0	0	2	1	0	7
@ Northwestern	1/1	*	28	3-13	.231	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	2-4	6	1	0	0	0	2	11
PURDUE	1/5			INJ													
INDIANA	1/8		7	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	1-1	2	3	0	0	1	1	2
@ Nebraska	1/11		19	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	3	4	0	3	1	0	3
MINNESOTA	1/15		27	6-14	.428	2-8	.250	8-8	1.000	3-1	4	3	0	2	0	2	22
ILLINOIS	1/19	*	35	6-10	.600	3-4	.750	2-2	1.000	2-2	4	2	1	1	0	1	17
@ Indiana	1/22	*	36	2-11	.181	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	1	6
@ Ohio State	1/25	*	27	4-11	.363	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	3-0	3	2	1	0	0	1	10
WISCONSIN	1/31	*	30	1-6	.167	0-1	.000	3-5	.600	3-2	5	5	1	2	0	0	5
@ Iowa	2/4	*	27	4-11	.363	2-7	.286	1-3	.333	2-4	6	4	1	0	0	0	11
@ Michigan St.	2/8	*	23	2-5	.400	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	3	1	1	1	0	0	6
NEBRASKA	2/11	*	27	4-7	.571	4-7	.571	2-2	1.000	0-2	2	1	0	2	0	1	14
IOWA	2/16	*	19	4-9	.444	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	2-1	3	4	0	0	0	0	13
@ Wisconsin	2/19	*	26	1-9	.111	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-2	2	0	0	1	0	0	4
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25	*	37	3-8	.375	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-5	7	0	1	1	0	0	8
@ Purdue	2/29			INJ													

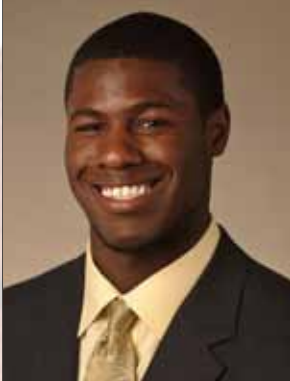
CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2008-09	24-0	161/6.7	18-41	.439	12-27	.444	4-6	.667	5	16	21	0.9	8	0	6	9	1	4	52	2.2
2009-10	24-0	210/8.8	16-54	.296	8-38	.211	0-1	.000	5	13	18	0.8	14	0	10	6	0	5	40	1.7
2010-11	28-3	292/10.4	17-68	.250	7-37	.189	10-12	.833	10	28	38	1.4	5	0	7	9	2	5	51	1.8
2011-12	28-18	721/25.8	78-221	.353	42-114	.368	46-57	.807	48	68	116	4.1	45	1	10	27	5	19	244	8.7
TOTAL	104-21	1384/13.3	129-384	.336	69-216	.319	60-76	.789	68	125	193	1.9	72	1	33	51	8	33	387	3.7



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CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	10, twice last vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
REBOUNDS:	10 at Wisconsin (2/19/12)
ASSISTS:	1 vs. Indiana (1/8/12)
STEALS:	2 vs. Radford (11/14/11)
BLOCKS:	3 vs. LIU (11/16/11)
MINUTES:	35 at Wisconsin (2/19/12)
FIELD GOALS:	5 vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	9 at Wisconsin (2/19/12)
FG PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (3-3), twice last vs. Iowa (2/16/12)
3-POINTERS:	-
3PT ATTEMPTS:	-
3PT PERCENTAGE:	-
FREE THROWS:	4 vs. Iowa (2/16/12)
FT ATTEMPTS:	4, twice last vs. Iowa (2/16/12)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (4-4) vs. Iowa (2/16/12)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY:	10/15/1991
FAMILY:	Karen (mother), Ernest (father); Brother: Ernest, Jr.

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Posted a career-high in either points (10 vs. Iowa and Northwestern) or rebounds (10 at Wisconsin) in three-straight games Feb. 16 through Feb. 25
- The son of Maryland (1978-81) great and former Philadelphia 76er (1981 3rd round draft pick) Ernest Graham, who ranks among the top 15 all-time in scoring (1,6017) and assists (346) in Terrapin history and still holds Maryland's single game scoring mark with 44 vs. N.C. State in 1978.

- Two-time All-Metro selection
- Calvert Hall's second all-time leading scorer with 1,670 points
- Added 30 pounds of muscle during his redshirt season.
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2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Seven points and four rebounds in win over Radford (11/14)
- Recorded a career-best three blocks and had six points and five rebounds, all in the first half, in a victory over LIU (11/16).
- Diagnosed with mononucleosis on Nov. 28 and missed the following five games.
- Returned to the court at Michigan and logged a career-best six rebounds in 14 minutes of action.
- Made his first career start vs. Purdue, logging four points, three boards and a block in a 65-45 victory.
- Scored a career-best eight points in a career-most 23 minutes of an 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Posted a career-best seven rebounds in a 54-52 upset of No. 22 Illinois (1/19).

- Career-best 10 points and 27 minutes in a victory over Iowa (2/16). Added five rebounds and two blocks and was perfect shooting on the night going 3-of-3 from the floor and 4-of-4 at the line, including both ends of a clutch one-and-one with 24 seconds to play that extended a three-point lead to five. His father, Ernie, had his Maryland jersey retired on the same night.
- Had a career-high 10 rebounds to go with nine points in a career-high 35 minutes in a loss at Wisconsin (2/19).
- Tied a career-high with 10 points on 5-of-6 shooting and added three rebounds in a loss to Northwestern (2/25).

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12		9	0-6	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3-0	3	2	0	2	0	0	1
RADFORD	11/14		20	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	3-1	4	1	0	1	0	2	7
LONG ISLAND	11/16		13	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-2	5	2	0	0	3	0	6
vs. Kentucky	11/19		19	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-2	5	1	0	0	1	1	6
vs. S. Florida	11/20		11	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
YSU	11/23		18	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-3	5	1	0	3	0	0	4
@ St. Joe's	11/26		9	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
@ Boston Coll.	11/30		DNP														
Ole Miss	12/4		DNP														
LAFAYETTE	12/7		DNP														
@ Duquesne	12/10		DNP														
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18		DNP														
@ Michigan	12/29		14	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1-5	6	1	0	0	0	0	2
@ Northwestern	1/1		6	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PURDUE	1/5	*	21	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	2-1	3	2	0	1	1	0	4
INDIANA	1/8	*	23	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2-1	3	2	1	1	1	1	8
@ Nebraska	1/11	*	10	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-1	2	2	0	1	0	0	3
MINNESOTA	1/15	*	17	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-3	5	3	0	2	0	0	2
ILLINOIS	1/19	*	21	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	3-4	7	4	1	3	2	0	1
@ Indiana	1/22	*	15	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-0	1	2	0	1	1	0	0
@ Ohio State	1/25	*	8	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	3	5	0	1	0	0	2
WISCONSIN	1/31	*	26	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-3	.000	2-3	5	2	0	1	2	2	4
@ Iowa	2/4	*	23	2-3	.666	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	4	0	1	1	1	4
@ Michigan St.	2/8	*	23	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-3	4	4	1	1	1	0	3
NEBRASKA	2/11	*	20	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-4	5	2	0	2	0	1	5
IOWA	2/16	*	27	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	3-3	6	4	0	2	2	0	10
@ Wisconsin	2/19	*	35	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	4-6	10	2	0	1	2	1	9
NORTHWESTERN	2/25	*	19	5-6	.833	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1-2	3	4	0	1	0	1	10
@ Purdue	2/29	*	13	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	1	1	0	0	4
MICHIGAN	3/4	*	17	1-7	.143	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	1	3	0	0	2

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2011-12	25-16	437/17.5	43-92	.467	0-0	.000	13-32	.406	41	47	88	3.5	60	1	5	29	17	10	99	4.0
TOTAL	25-16	437/17.5	43-92	.467	0-0	.000	13-32	.406	41	47	88	3.5	60	1	5	29	17	10	99	4.0



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CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	21
	vs. Purdue (1/5/12)
REBOUNDS:	10
	vs. LIU (11/16/11)
ASSISTS:	2, four times
	vs. YSU (11/23/11)
STEALS:	3
	vs. Minnesota (1/15/12)
BLOCKS:	2, three times
	last at St. Joe's (11/26/11)
MINUTES:	37
	vs. LIU (11/16/11)
FIELD GOALS:	7
	vs. Purdue (1/5/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	13
	at St. Joe's (11/26/11)
FG PERCENTAGE:	.800 (4-5)
	vs. Mt. St. Mary's (12/18/11)
3-POINTERS:	7
	vs. Purdue (1/5/12)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	11, twice
	last vs. Purdue (1/5/12)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	.636 (7-11)
	vs. Purdue (1/5/12)
FREE THROWS:	3, twice
	last vs. YSU (11/23/11)
FT ATTEMPTS:	5
	at Michigan (1/2/11)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (3-3)
	vs. Mt. St. Mary's (12/18/11)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY:	5/12/1990
FAMILY:	Laura (mother), Bill (father), Brian (brother), Kate (sister), Sarah (sister).

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Announced Feb. 11 his decision to end his Penn State playing career due to re-occurring symptoms from his history of concussions and migraine headaches.
- Tied second best single game mark in Penn State history with 7 threes (7-11) in win over Purdue (1/5).

- Missed two seasons due to head injuries. A pair of preseason concussions sidelined him and moved him to redshirt his true-freshman year. Chronic exercise induced headaches caused him to miss all but five games of the 2009-10 season and to be held out of physical activity from late December through April.

2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Hit two big second half threes to finish with nine points and added a career-best 10 rebounds and two assists in a victory over LIU (11/16).
- Posted a career-best 12 points on a career-high four threes and added five boards and two blocks in a loss at St. Joe's (11/26)
- Scored a career-high 13 points on 4-of-5 from the floor in just 20 minutes of a win over Mt. St. Mary's (12/18). Added a career-best three blocks and two steals.
- Hit 3-of-6 from three for nine points and added five board in a victory over Cornell (12/21).
- Hit a career-high seven threes on 11 attempts for a career-

- high 21 points in just 25 minutes in leading Penn State to a 65-45 victory over Purdue (1/5)
- Hit 3-of-5 from three in 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Missed FOUR games with sickness and concussion-like symptoms. Cleared to return to practice on Feb. 2.
- Returned to the floor at Iowa (2/4), playing 16 minutes in his first action in two weeks.

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	*	20	2-4	.500	1-3	.333	1-1	1.000	0-3	3	4	0	0	0	1	6
RADFORD	11/14	*	26	3-11	.272	2-10	.200	0-0	.000	0-2	2	3	0	1	0	0	8
LONG ISLAND	11/16	*	37	3-10	.300	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	5-5	10	1	2	1	0	1	9
vs. Kentucky	11/19	*	16	1-5	.200	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	3-3	6	4	0	1	1	0	3
vs. S. Florida	11/20	*	28	1-4	.250	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	2	2	1	1	0	0	3
YSU	11/23	*	26	2-7	.286	2-7	.286	3-4	.750	1-3	4	2	2	2	2	0	9
@ St. Joe's	11/26	*	28	4-13	.307	4-10	.400	0-0	.000	1-4	5	5	0	0	2	1	12
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	*	15	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	2	4	0	3	0	0	2
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	*	32	2-5	.400	1-3	.333	3-4	.750	3-1	4	3	1	2	0	0	8
LAFAYETTE	12/7	*	32	3-7	.429	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	3-3	6	4	0	1	0	0	7
@ Duquesne	12/10	*	20	4-9	.444	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	1-3	4	4	0	4	1	0	9
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18	*	20	4-5	.800	2-3	.667	3-3	1.000	0-1	1	1	0	0	3	2	13
CORNELL	12/21	*	27	3-8	.375	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	3-2	5	2	0	0	1	0	9
@ Michigan	12/29	*	26	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	2	4	0	0	0	0	3
@ Northwestern	1/1	*	18	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	1-1	2	5	0	1	0	0	2
PURDUE	1/5	*	25	7-11	.636	7-11	.636	0-0	.000	0-2	2	4	0	1	0	0	21
INDIANA	1/8	*	23	3-5	.600	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	2-1	3	4	0	0	0	0	9
@ Nebraska	1/11	*	33	2-10	.200	1-8	.125	0-0	.000	2-2	4	5	0	2	1	1	5
MINNESOTA	1/15	*	25	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	1-2	.500	0-1	1	4	0	1	0	3	1
ILLINOIS	1/19			DNP													
@ Indiana	1/22			DNP													
@ Ohio State	1/25			DNP													
WISCONSIN	1/31			DNP													
@ Iowa	2/4		16	1/5	.200	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	0	1	0	0	3
@ Michigan St.	2/8	*	11	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
NEBRASKA	2/11			DNP													
IOWA	2/16			DNP													
@ Wisconsin	2/19			DNP													
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25			DNP													
@ Purdue	2/29			DNP													

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2009-10	5-0	24/4.8	1-4	.250	0-2	.000	1-4	.250	3	3	6	1.2	3	0	2	0	0	1	3	0.6
2010-11	32-0	457/14.3	24-76	.316	11-44	.250	16-24	.667	24	21	45	1.4	74	1	13	24	9	9	75	2.3
2011-12	21-20	505/24.0	47-128	.367	35-103	.340	13-18	.722	26	44	70	3.3	69	3	6	22	11	9	142	6.8
TOTAL	58-20	986/17.0	72-208	.346	46-149	.309	30-46	.652	53	68	121	2.1	146	4	21	46	20	19	220	3.8



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CAREER HIGHS

POINTS:	15
	vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
REBOUNDS:	9
	vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
ASSISTS:	3
	vs. Lafayette (12/7/11)
STEALS:	3
	vs. YSU (11/23/11)
BLOCKS:	1, three times
	last vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
MINUTES:	31
	vs. Northwestern (2/25/12)
FIELD GOALS:	5, four times
	last vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
FG ATTEMPTS:	10, twice
	last at Ohio State (1/25/12)
FG PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (5-5), twice
	last vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
3-POINTERS:	2
	vs. Kentucky (11/19/11)
3PT ATTEMPTS:	5
	vs. Kentucky (11/19/11)
3PT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (1-1)
	vs. Lafayette (12/7/11)
FREE THROWS:	5
	vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
FT ATTEMPTS:	7, twice
	last vs. Michigan (3/4/12)
FT PERCENTAGE:	1.000 (2-2)
	at Duquesne (12/10/11)

PERSONAL FILE

BIRTHDAY:	1/9/1993
FAMILY:	Debbie (mother), John (father); Sister: Brittany

NOTABLE/CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Career-high 15 points vs. Michigan in the final game of the regular season
- Averaged 8.3 ppg and 5.7 rpg over final three regular season games while shooting 70%.
- Has started 15 games as a true-freshman.
- Added 20 pounds of muscle since arriving on campus.
- Tabbed as the top prospect in Minnesota for the class of 2011
- 20 ppg, 12 rpg in senior season of HS
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2011-12 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Started in his first collegiate game and tied for the team lead with seven rebounds in Penn State's season-opening victory over Hartford (11/12).
- Scored all of his career-high 10 points in the second half on a career-best two threes and added a career-best eight rebounds vs. Kentucky (11/19).
- Posted a career-high three steals and tied for the team high with five boards to go with six points in a win vs. YSU (11/23).
- Equaled a career-high with 10 points and added six rebounds in a loss at St. Joe's (11/26)
- Posted career highs with 12 points, going 5-of-5 from the floor, eight rebounds and three assists in a loss to Lafayette (12/7).
- Had eight points and six rebounds in an 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana (1/8).
- Team-high seven rebounds and seven points in a loss at Nebraska (1/11).
- Led Penn State with a career high 8 rebounds in a loss to Minnesota (1/15).
- Grabbed six rebounds in a victory over Iowa (2/16)
- Played one of the best games of his career nearly posting a double-double with 10 points and a career-high nine rebounds in a career-high 31 minutes of a loss to Northwestern (2/25).
- Shot 5-of-5 from the floor and 5-of-7 at the line for a career-high 15 points to go with six boards vs. Michigan (3/4)

2011-12 GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	GS	MIN	TOTAL		3-POINT		FREE THROWS		REBOUNDS		PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
				FG-FGA	PCT	FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	O-D	TOTAL						
HARTFORD	11/12	*	13	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-4	7	5	0	1	0	0	2
RADFORD	11/14		18	2-4	.500	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-4	5	2	0	0	0	0	4
LONG ISLAND	11/16		10	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-2	2	1	0	0	1	0	2
vs. Kentucky	11/19		25	4-10	.400	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	2-6	8	1	2	1	0	1	10
vs. S. Florida	11/20		14	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	4	2	1	1	0	2	0
YSU	11/23		22	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-5	.400	2-3	5	2	0	3	1	3	6
@ St. Joe's	11/26		28	5-9	.555	0-2	.000	0-4	.000	3-3	6	3	0	2	1	0	10
@ Boston Coll.	11/30	*	23	3-9	.333	0-3	.000	1-2	.500	1-4	5	3	0	0	1	0	7
MISSISSIPPI	12/4	*	21	1-6	.167	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	2	0	0	1	0	1	2
LAFAYETTE	12/7	*	25	5-5	1.000	1-1	1.000	1-7	.143	4-4	8	2	3	0	0	0	12
@ Duquesne	12/10	*	9	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	1-1	2	2	0	2	0	0	4
MT. ST. MARY'S	12/18	*	14	2-4	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2-3	5	4	0	2	0	1	5
CORNELL	12/21	*	9	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	3	1	0	0	0	1	2
@ Michigan	12/29		18	0-4	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
@ Northwestern	1/1		5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
PURDUE	1/5		15	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	0-2	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
INDIANA	1/8		17	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	3-3	6	0	1	0	0	0	8
@ Nebraska	1/11		22	2-6	.333	0-1	.000	3-5	.600	2-5	7	1	0	0	0	0	7
MINNESOTA	1/15		22	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	6-2	8	5	0	2	0	0	4
ILLINOIS	1/19	*	11	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
@ Indiana	1/22	*	9	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	3	1	0	0	0	2
@ Ohio State	1/25		20	2-10	.200	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3-5	8	3	0	1	0	2	5
WISCONSIN	1/31		11	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
@ Iowa	2/4		16	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	3	3	1	0	0	1	0
@ Michigan St.	2/8		17	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-0	1	2	1	0	0	1	2
NEBRASKA	2/11	*	18	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4
IOWA	2/16	*	17	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1-5	6	1	1	1	0	0	2
@ Wisconsin	2/19	*	23	2-3	.666	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-1	2	3	0	0	0	2	5
NORTH-WESTERN	2/25	*	31	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-5	9	3	1	3	0	1	10
@ Purdue	2/29	*	23	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	2	5	0	1	0	0	0
MICHIGAN	3/4	*	27	5-5	1.000	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	5-1	6	3	0	1	1	0	15

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	gp-gs	min/avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring							
			fg-fga	pct	fg-fga	pct	ft-fta	pct	off	def	tot	avg	pf	fo	ast	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
2011-12	31-15	553/17.8	55-122	.451	4-24	.167	22-46	.478	54	74	128	4.1	65	3	13	23	5	16	136	4.4
TOTAL	31-15	553/17.8	55-122	.451	4-24	.167	22-46	.478	54	74	128	4.1	65	3	13	23	5	16	136	4.4



**PENN STATE 70
HARTFORD 55**
Nov. 12, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Lewis (17)
Rebounding Leader: Woodyard/Travis (7)
Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Freshman Trey Lewis led Penn State with 17 points, 14 in the second half, in his first career game as the Lions extended a 10-point halftime lead (32-22) to as much as 26 with 2:21 to play. Tim Frazier added 16 points and Cammeron Woodyard posted career highs in points (14), rebounds (7), threes (4) and steals (4). Frazier's career-best five steals led a 15 steal effort for the Lions, the most by a PSU team since 2001, and helped cause 26 Hartford turnovers, the most for a PSU opponent since 2005. Penn State shot just 36 percent but turned 17 offensive rebounds into a 20-2 edge in second chance points and got 20 more shots (64-44) than Hartford, which was led by 12 points from Wes Cole.

Hartford 55 - 0-2

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def							
22	Genesis Maciel	f	3-9	2-7	0-0	0	3	3	8	1	1	0	0	25
50	Jamie Schneck	f	2-2	0-0	0-1	0	4	4	2	4	0	3	2	20
11	Andres Torres	g	3-4	1-2	0-2	0	0	4	7	2	5	0	0	25
15	Yokono Moore II	g	1-4	0-2	4-4	0	2	3	6	1	5	0	1	28
32	Clayton Brothers	g	0-3	0-2	0-1	1	6	7	4	0	4	0	0	30
00	Wes Cole	g	4-11	4-11	0-1	0	3	3	1	12	2	2	0	24
01	Mark Nwakamma	g	2-3	1-1	3-4	0	4	4	3	8	0	3	4	21
34	Corban Wroe	g	3-0	0-0	1-2	3	1	4	7	0	2	0	2	12
13	Ryan Baker	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
43	Nate Sikma	g	1-4	0-1	1-1	1	3	4	3	3	0	0	1	12
44	Oren Faulk	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
	Team		1	2										
Totals			19-44	8-26	9-16	6	28	34	24	55	13	26	6	5
FG % 1st Half:		8-17	47.1%	2nd half:	11-27	40.7%	Game:		19-44	43.2%	Deadball			
3FG % 1st Half:		4-12	33.3%	2nd half:	4-14	28.6%	Game:		8-26	30.8%	Rebounds		1.1	
FT % 1st Half:		2-4	50.0%	2nd half:	7-12	58.3%	Game:		9-16	56.3%				

Penn State 70 - 1-0

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def							
22	Borovnjak, Sasa	f	2-2	0-0	0-2	2	1	3	2	4	0	1	1	0
35	Oliver, Billy	f	2-4	1-3	1-1	0	3	3	4	6	0	1	1	25
43	Travis, Ross	f	1-3	0-0	0-0	3	4	7	5	2	0	1	0	13
03	Lewis, Trey	g	7-13	3-6	0-1	1	1	2	17	4	2	0	2	31
23	Frazier, Tim	g	4-11	0-1	8-9	0	4	4	4	16	6	4	0	28
05	Glover, Matt	g	2-8	1-4	2-7	3	3	6	1	7	1	0	0	21
20	Colella, Nick	g	1-4	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	0	1	0	14
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	4-13	4-7	2-4	2	5	7	2	14	2	0	0	27
25	Graham, Jon	g	0-6	0-0	1-2	3	0	3	2	1	0	2	0	9
32	Ackerman, Pat	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
	Team		3	1	4									
Totals			23-64	10-23	14-26	17	23	40	22	70	13	13	1	15
FG % 1st Half:		9-32	28.1%	2nd half:	14-32	43.8%	Game:		23-64	35.9%	Deadball			
3FG % 1st Half:		5-11	45.5%	2nd half:	5-12	41.7%	Game:		10-23	43.5%	Rebounds		7.2	
FT % 1st Half:		9-17	52.9%	2nd half:	5-9	55.6%	Game:		14-26	53.8%				

Officials: Ed Hightower, Larry Sciorra, Ron Tyburski
Technical fouls: Hartford-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 4152

Score by periods	1st			2nd			Total		
	FG	FGA	FT	FG	FGA	FT	FG	FGA	FT
Hartford	22	33	55	17	23	34	39	50	69
Penn State	32	38	70	23	64	70	55	102	140

Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
HARTFORD	22	15	2	9	30
PSU	22	21	20	7	25

**PENN STATE 62
RADFORD 46**
Nov. 14, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (20)
Rebounding Leader: Woodyard (7)
Assist Leader: Frazier (10)

Junior Tim Frazier posted his second career double-double and equaled a career high in assists as he led Penn State with 20 points and 10 assists and added six rebounds and three steals. Frazier was the only Lion in double-figures. Penn State used a 14-0 run and an 8:25 Radford drought to come from 11-5 down to a 19-11 lead in the first half and would never trail again. Leading 29-20 at the half, Penn State got three straight treys from Billy Oliver, Trey Lewis and Cam Woodyard to push it's lead to 16. Penn State led by double-digits the rest of the way and by as much as 22. Radford shot just 26.9 percent in the first half and 34 percent for the game and was led by 16 points from Jareal Smith who scored the Highlanders' first 11 points of the game.

RADFORD 46 - 2-1

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def							
22	EDWARDS, Johnathan	f	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	4	5	1	2	1	0
41	GERRAH, Tolga	f	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	24
24	SMITH, Jareal	g	6-15	4-8	0-0	1	2	3	1	16	2	4	0	32
00	PRICE, R.J.	g	1-2	1-7	0-0	0	2	2	1	9	5	3	0	34
20	SMITH, Chance	g	2-6	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	6	1	0	0	2	35
00	MITCHELL, Daniel	g	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	3	3	0	1	1	0	14
02	GREEN, Javonte	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	15
12	DICKERSON, Allen	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
24	DARDEN, Brian	g	0-4	0-3	1-2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	12
33	MOORE, Kyle	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	WINEGARNER, Lukas	g	2-3	1-1	1-1	1	1	0	1	0	6	1	1	12
	Team		1	5		6	2	8						
Totals			16-47	9-26	1-8	9	16	25	16	46	9	16	3	3
FG % 1st Half:		7-26	26.9%	2nd half:	9-21	42.9%	Game:		16-47	34.0%	Deadball			
3FG % 1st Half:		5-14	35.7%	2nd half:	4-12	33.3%	Game:		9-26	34.6%	Rebounds		1	
FT % 1st Half:		1-1	100.0%	2nd half:	4-7	57.1%	Game:		5-8	62.5%				

Penn State 62 - 2-0

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def							
22	Borovnjak, Sasa	f	1-4	0-0	0-2	2	1	3	1	2	1	0	0	14
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	f	2-6	2-5	0-0	2	5	7	2	6	0	1	1	26
35	Oliver, Billy	f	3-11	2-10	0-0	0	2	3	8	0	1	1	0	27
03	Lewis, Trey	g	2-5	3-4	2	1	3	1	9	0	2	0	0	23
23	Frazier, Tim	g	9-14	0-0	2-3	2	4	6	2	20	10	3	1	34
05	Glover, Matt	g	1-3	0-2	0-0	1	3	4	2	2	0	2	1	22
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
14	Montminy, Kevin	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
20	Colella, Nick	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
25	Graham, Jon	g	3-5	0-0	1-3	1	1	1	1	7	0	1	0	20
32	Ackerman, Pat	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
43	Travis, Ross	g	2-4	0-2	0-0	1	4	5	2	4	0	0	0	18
	Team		1	2		3	1	4						
Totals			24-53	7-25	7-12	15	23	38	15	62	11	12	4	7
FG % 1st Half:		11-28	39.3%	2nd half:	13-25	52.0%	Game:		24-53	45.3%	Deadball			
3FG % 1st Half:		1-9	11.1%	2nd half:	6-16	37.5%	Game:		7-25	28.0%	Rebounds		3.1	
FT % 1st Half:		6-8	75.0%	2nd half:	1-4	25.0%	Game:		7-12	58.3%				

Officials: Lamont Simpson, Terry Olesby, Gerald Williams
Technical fouls: RADFORD-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 4916

Score by periods	1st			2nd			Total		
	FG	FGA	FT	FG	FGA	FT	FG	FGA	FT
RADFORD	20	26	46	16	47	52	36	73	98
Penn State	29	33	62	23	53	62	52	106	120

Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
RADFORD	20	14	9	10	2
PSU	26	16	15	10	2

**PENN STATE 77
LONG ISLAND 68**
Nov. 16, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (26)
Rebounding Leader: Oliver (10)
Assist Leader: Frazier (10)

Trailing 60-56 with 8:22 to play and threatened for the first time on the year, Penn State responded with a 16-4 run to seize control and outscored LIU 21-8 the rest of the way to improve to 3-0. Tim Frazier was again spectacular posting his second-straight double-double with a career-best 26 points and career-best equaling 10 assists. Senior Cam Woodyard added 13 points and six boards and scored seven straight midway through the second half to steady the Penn State ship. Billy Oliver had a career-high 10 rebounds and nine points, including two big threes late. The Lions held LIU to 36% shooting, but LIU hit 27-of-35 at the foul line for a 13-point advantage at the charity stripe. Julian Boyd (15) and Michael Culp (15) led LIU. Penn State shot 41.5% and 9-of-27 from three.

Long Island 68 - 0-3

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def							
01	OLASEWERE, Jamal	f	1-9	0-2	7-10	2	3	5	4	9	2	2	1	30
42	BOYD, Julian	f	6-10	0-0	5-8	2	2	4	3	15	0	4	1	30
03	GARNER, C.J.	g	4-7	1-1	2-3	0	3	3	2	11	3	2	0	32
18	BRICKMAN, Jason	g	0-5	0-5	2-2	1</								



PENN STATE 53 SOUTH FLORIDA 49

Nov. 20, 2011 @ Uncasville, Conn.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Battle (26) Rebounding Leader: Brooks (9) Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Trailing 43-38 with 5:07 to play, Penn State employed a trapping 1-2-2 press to create a pair of turnovers and reel of a 12-1 run to seize a 50-44 lead after a Billy Oliver top of the key three with 3:03 left. USF got back within three, 50-47, with 1:47 to go but would get no closer. Tim Frazier led Penn State with a career-high 27 points, 19 in the second half. Jermaine Marshall sparked PSU with eight first half points on his way to 14. The Lions shot 52 percent in the second half after both teams struggled at less than 30 percent shooting in the first. Penn State logged 12 steals, led by three each from Frazier and Marshall, and caused 19 USF turnovers. Victor Rudd, Jr. entered the game leading USF averaging 16.5 ppg but was held to just four on 2-of-10 shooting.

SOUTH FLORIDA 49 • 3-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Anderson Jr., Rudd Jr., DORITY, Gilchrist, Robertson, Nash, Noriega, Fitzpatrick, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for South Florida vs Penn State, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Penn State 53 • 4-1

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Glover, Borovnjak, Frazier, Woodyard, Oliver, Lewis, Marshall, Graham, Wisniewski, Travis, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Penn State vs South Florida, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Officials: Paul Fala, John Gaffney, Ken Clark Technical fouls: SOUTH FLORIDA-None. Penn State-None.

Score by periods table for Penn State vs South Florida.

PENN STATE 82 YOUNGSTOWN STATE 71

Nov. 23, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Frazier (26) Rebounding Leader: Four with (5) Assist Leader: Frazier (11)

Penn State shot 60 percent from the floor and 7-of-10 from three in the first half to roll to as much as a 21-point first half leading before holding off a hot-shooting YSU team in the second half. The Penguins shot 10-of-15 from three in the second half to get within nine three times, but would get no closer as Penn State hit a season-best 56.5 percent from the floor and 11-of-22 (50%) from three. Tim Frazier logged eight first half assists on his way to a career-high 11 and his third double-double of the season as he led all scorers with 26 points on 8-of-11 from the floor. Penn State got to the foul line 31 times (hitting 19) and got 30 points off its bench, led by 12 on 3-of-5 from three from freshman Trey Lewis.

Youngstown State 71 • 3-1

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Eargle, Brooks, Allen, Perry, Ward, Amiker, Perry, Chojnacki, Zukiwer, Larson, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Youngstown State vs Penn State, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Penn State 82 • 5-1

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Borovnjak, Oliver, Frazier, Woodyard, Lewis, Marshall, Graham, Travis, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Penn State vs Youngstown State, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Officials: Mike Kitts, Ray Perone, Donnie Egly Technical fouls: YOUNGSTOWN STATE-TEAM. Penn State-None.

Score by periods table for Penn State vs Youngstown State.

ST. JOSEPH'S 65 PENN STATE 47

Nov. 26, 2011 @ Philadelphia, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Billy Oliver (12) Rebounding Leader: Frazier (11) Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Penn State suffered through an 0-for-16 start and never recovered, trailing 22-0 before getting on the board for the first time nearly nine minutes into the game. The Lions struggled shooting just 4-of-38 in the first half and trailed 33-10 at the half. St. Joe's hit 7-of-9 to start to leap to a 22-0 lead before Tim Frazier fed Ross Travis for a dunk at 11:25. PSU's would hold St. Joe's to just one point over then next nine minutes, but the Lions got just one basket over that stretch, a three from Billy Oliver, and trailed 23-5. PSU got within 16 late in the second after warming up to 45 percent in the second half, but got no closer. The Lions finished shooting 27 percent and had 12 shots blocked. A career-high 12 points on a career-best four threes from Oliver led PSU.

Penn State 47 • 5-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Borovnjak, Oliver, Glover, Frazier, Woodyard, Lewis, Marshall, Colella, Graham, Ackerman, Travis, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Penn State vs Saint Joseph's, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Saint Joseph's 65 • 4-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Quarles, Kanacevic, Aiken, Galloway, Jones, Maschmeyer, Roberts, Trevisan, Wilson, Hess, NDAO, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Saint Joseph's vs Penn State, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Officials: Lamar Simpson, D.J. Carstensen, Jim Burr Technical fouls: Penn State-TRAVIS, Ross. Saint Joseph's-JONES, Carl.

Score by periods table for Saint Joseph's vs Penn State.

Points in Paint, Off TO, 2nd Chance, Fast Break, Bench statistics for Saint Joseph's vs Penn State.

PENN STATE 62 BOSTON COLLEGE 54

Nov. 30, 2011 @ Chestnut Hill, Mass.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Frazier & Marshall (22) Rebounding Leader: Marshall (8) Assist Leader: Frazier (5)

Penn State got 44 points on a combined 15-28 shooting from Tim Frazier and Jermaine Marshall to overcome a 39 percent shooting night and win at Boston College, 62-54. Frazier scored 20 of his 22 points in the second half, his fifth 20-point game of the season, and Marshall logged career highs with 22 points, 15 in the first half, and eight rebounds. The Lions used a 1-2-2 press to force 18 B.C. turnovers and held the Eagles to 36 percent shooting, 27 percent in the second half. The Lions trailed 29-26 at the half after starting 1-of-9 from the floor and trailing 12-4 early. A 10-0 run put PSU in front briefly. Trailing 45-42 with 9:43 to play, PSU held B.C. without a field goal for nine minutes down the stretch and built a nine-point lead in the closing seconds.

Boston College 54 • 2-5

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Anderson, Hill, Moton, Humphrey, Heckmann, Cahill, Odio, Daniels, Jackson, Clifford, Rubin, and Team totals.

Summary statistics table for Boston College vs Penn State, including FG%, 3FG%, FT%, and Game statistics.

Officials: Mike Eades, James Luckie, Raymond Styon Technical fouls: Penn State-None. Boston College-None.

Score by periods table for Boston College vs Penn State.

Points in Paint, Off TO, 2nd Chance, Fast Break, Bench statistics for Boston College vs Penn State.



**OLE MISS 72
PENN STATE 70**

Dec. 4, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Frazier 17
Rebounding Leader: Marshall 7
Assist Leader: Frazier (9)

Penn State won the rebounding battle (34-30), got 25 points off its bench, including a career-high 15 from Sasa Borovnjak and got off to a good first half start, shooting 52 percent, but couldn't overcome an unusually hot shooting Rebel team or make the plays down the stretch to win. The game saw nine ties and nine lead changes with neither team leading by more than eight. Ole Miss hit 11-of-24 (46%) from three led by a career-best 27 points on 4-of-5 from three from freshman Jarvis Summers. Tim Frazier had 17 points and nine assists for PSU, which led for nearly all of the final 17 minutes before a Summers three-point play gave the Rebels the final margin. Cam Woodyard missed a baseline three that would have given PSU the win.

Mississippi 72 - 71

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	T	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Off	Def	Total									
01	Henry, Terrance	f	3-6	2-3	1-1	0	2	2	5	9	1	2	0	0	0	21	
23	Buckner, Reginald	f	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	4	2	1	2	2	0	0	28	
31	Holloway, Murphy	f	4-7	0-0	2-3	5	6	11	2	10	3	3	0	0	3	34	
33	Williams, Noe	g	4-9	2-4	0-0	2	2	4	2	10	5	2	0	0	3	33	
32	Summers, Jarvis	g	10-16	4-5	3-4	2	2	4	4	27	3	2	0	1	1	36	
04	Cox, Demarco	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	6		
05	Nelson, Dundercous	g	5-14	3-10	1-2	0	3	3	3	14	1	1	1	1	22		
12	Anielok, Maurice	g	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	8		
34	Jones, Aaron	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1		
Team						2	1	3									
Totals			27-59	11-24	7-10	10	20	30	23	72	14	12	4	10	20		

FG % 1st Half:	13-31	41.9%	2nd half:	14-28	50.0%	Game:	27-59	45.8%	Deadball Rebounds	2
3FG % 1st Half:	6-11	54.5%	2nd half:	5-13	38.5%	Game:	11-24	45.8%		
FT % 1st Half:	3-4	75.0%	2nd half:	4-6	66.7%	Game:	7-10	70.0%		

Penn State 70 - 6-3

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	T	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Off	Def	Total									
35	Oliver, Billy	f	2-5	1-3	3-4	3	1	4	3	8	1	2	0	0	0	32	
43	Travis, Ross	f	1-6	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	21	
05	Glover, Matt	g	3-6	2-4	0-0	1	3	4	2	8	3	1	0	0	20		
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g	4-7	1-3	1-3	0	7	7	3	10	2	4	1	0	30		
23	Frazier, Tim	g	5-13	0-3	7-10	3	3	6	2	17	9	5	0	1	39		
03	Lewis, Trey	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5		
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g	7-7	0-0	1-1	1	3	4	2	15	0	1	0	0	27		
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	4-10	2-5	0-0	1	1	2	0	10	1	1	0	0	26		
Team						2	2	4									
Totals			26-54	6-19	12-19	12	22	34	13	70	16	15	1	2	200		

FG % 1st Half:	14-27	51.9%	2nd half:	12-27	44.4%	Game:	26-54	48.1%	Deadball Rebounds	2
3FG % 1st Half:	3-10	30.0%	2nd half:	3-9	33.3%	Game:	6-19	31.6%		
FT % 1st Half:	3-6	50.0%	2nd half:	9-13	69.2%	Game:	12-19	63.2%		

Officials: Mike Kitts, Ted Valentine, Bert Smith
Technical fouls: Mississippi-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 6001

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Mississippi	35	37	72
Penn State	34	36	70

	Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
MISS	28	17	6	6	14	14
PSU	32	8	13	6	25	25

**LAFAYETTE 61
PENN STATE 57**

Dec. 7, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Marshall (20)
Rebounding Leader: Marshall & Glover (9)
Assist Leader: Frazier (9)

Penn State hit just 3-of-23 from three and 33 percent from the floor in falling to the Dukes who hit 9-of-30 threes and 16-of-20 at the foul line. The Lions almost managed to pull out a win by dominating the boards, 47-26, and pulling down 20 offensive rebounds, but shot just 28 percent in the second half and saw leading scorer Tim Frazier go 0-of-12 for three points. Jermaine Marshall posted a game-high 20 points and career-best nine boards. Ross Travis added career highs of 12 points and eight boards. Penn State jumped to an early 7-0 lead, but trailed 37-32 at the half and by as many as eight with 14:04 to play. The Dukes led the final 30 minutes of the game. Penn State got within two four times in the final four minutes, but could not tie the game.

LAFAYETTE 61 - 4-5

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	T	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Off	Def	Total									
13	Willen, Ryan	f	1-3	0-1	1-2	1	0	1	4	3	0	1	4	3	0	1	26
44	Peiham, J.D.	c	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	9	
12	Hirrichs, Seth	g	4-9	4-9	2-3	1	4	5	3	14	2	2	0	0	2	25	
33	Frazier, Tim	g	3-8	0-3	8-9	3	2	5	2	12	1	2	0	0	34		
32	Delaney, Rob	g	0-7	0-4	2-2	0	2	2	2	2	2	9	1	0	0	36	
05	Ptasinski, Joey	g	3-6	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	2	7	0	1	0	0	0	22	
20	Trist, Dan	g	3-3	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	3	8	0	0	0	0	2	13	
22	Flannigan, Alan	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	7	
23	Smith, Les	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	
33	Petkovich, Nick	g	4-11	4-10	1-2	1	7	8	3	13	0	0	0	0	2	24	
Team						2	2	4									
Totals			18-47	9-30	16-20	4	22	26	19	61	15	10	3	7	200		

FG % 1st Half:	12-28	42.9%	2nd half:	6-19	31.6%	Game:	18-47	38.3%	Deadball Rebounds	2
3FG % 1st Half:	7-17	41.2%	2nd half:	2-13	15.4%	Game:	9-30	30.0%		
FT % 1st Half:	8-9	88.9%	2nd half:	10-13	76.9%	Game:	16-20	80.0%		

Penn State 57 - 6-4

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	T	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Off	Def	Total									
35	Oliver, Billy	f	3-7	1-5	0-0	3	3	6	4	7	0	1	0	0	0	32	
43	Travis, Ross	f	5-5	1-1	1-7	4	4	8	2	12	3	0	0	0	0	27	
05	Glover, Matt	g	0-6	0-2	1-2	3	6	9	2	1	3	0	1	0	0	27	
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g	5-13	1-4	9-11	2	7	9	4	20	1	3	1	3	32		
23	Frazier, Tim	g	0-12	0-5	3-4	1	2	3	4	3	9	5	0	2	34		
20	Colella, Nick	g	1-4	0-3	0-0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	8		
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g	1-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	13	
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	4-7	0-3	2-2	4	3	7	0	10	0	0	0	0	29		
Team						2	1	3									
Totals			19-58	3-23	16-26	20	27	47	18	57	14	13	1	3	200		

FG % 1st Half:	11-30	36.7%	2nd half:	9-28	28.6%	Game:	19-58	32.8%	Deadball Rebounds	2
3FG % 1st Half:	1-13	7.7%	2nd half:	2-10	20.0%	Game:	3-23	13.0%		
FT % 1st Half:	9-17	52.9%	2nd half:	7-9	77.8%	Game:	16-26	61.5%		

Officials: Jim Burr, Tim Clougherty, Jim Schipper
Technical fouls: LAFAYETTE-TEAM, Penn State-Travis, Ross.
Attendance: 5462
Lafayette charged with technical foul with 10 seconds remaining for calling a timeout without having a timeout.

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
LAFAYETTE	37	24	61
Penn State	32	25	57

	Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
LAFAYETTE	28	13	15	7	14	14
Penn State	32	8	13	6	25	25

Last FG - LAFAYETTE 2nd-03:17, PSU 2nd-02:12.
Largest lead - LAFAYETTE by 10 2nd-11:40, PSU by 7 1st-18:01.
Score tied - 1 time.
Lead changed - 1 time.

**DUQUESNE 66
PENN STATE 59**

Dec. 10, 2011 @ Pittsburgh, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Tim Frazier (15)
Rebound Leader: Frazier & Borovnjak (7)
Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Penn State committed a season-high 23 turnovers and gave up a 32-29 half-time lead falling at Duquesne 66-59. Penn State saw the Dukes shoot 52 percent in the second half and use a 16-3 run to go from down two, 39-37, at the 16-minute mark to an 11-point lead, 53-42, with 10:18 to play. Penn State would get no closer than five the rest of the way. The Dukes logged 11 steals and scored 22 points off turnovers. Penn State won the rebounding battle, 39-28, but hit just 4-of-16 from three. Tim Frazier posted 15 points and Jermaine Marshall 12 for the Lions. Eric Evans won 9-of-11 at the foul line and scored 15 second half points on his way to a game-high 20 for the Dukes. Penn State led for much of the first half in a game with 10 ties and nine lead changes.

Penn State 59 - 6-5

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	T	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Off	Def	Total									
11	Marshall, Jermaine	f	5-13	2-4	0-1	2	4	6	3	12	3	4	0	1	38		
35	Oliver, Billy	f	4-9	1-4	0-0	1	3	4	4	9	0	4	1	0	20		
43	Travis, Ross	f	1-2	0-1	2-2	1	1	2	2	4	0	2	0	0	9		
05	Glover, Matt	g	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	4	4	5	2	4	3	0	0	23		
23	Frazier, Tim	g	4-9	0-2	7-8	0	7	7	1	15	6	3	1	2	40		
03	Lewis, Trey	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	8		
20	Colella, Nick	g	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	5		
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g	4-6	0-0	2-5	7	0	7	0	8	2	1	0	0	21		
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	3-8	1-3	2-2	2	2	4	3								



PENN STATE 74 CORNELL 67

Dec. 21, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Frazier (17)
Rebounding Leader: Frazier (11)
Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Penn State hit 7-of-14 from three in the second half to turn a 31-30 halftime deficit into a 72-67 victory over Cornell behind Tim Frazier's fourth double-double of the season.

Cornell 67 • 4-6

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Miller, Shonn, Figni, Josh, etc.

Penn State 74 • 8-5

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Oliver, Billy, Travis, Ross, etc.

Officials: Tom O'Neill, Eric Curry, Bo Boroski
Technical fouls: Cornell-TEAM, Penn State-None
Attendance: 4414

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Penn State 30, 44, 74.

Last FG - COR 2nd-00:25, PSU 2nd-00:35.
Largest lead - COR by 9 1st-09:53, PSU by 7 2nd-12:13.

NORTHWESTERN 68 PENN STATE 56

Jan. 1, 2012 @ Evanston, Ill.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Frazier (16)
Rebounding Leader: Glover (8)
Assist Leader: Three with 3

Penn State led 26-23 at the half despite shooting just 26% in the first 20 minutes, but saw Northwestern hit 10 of its first 11 in the second half and torch the nets at 71% in the second 20 minutes to run away with a 68-56 victory.

Penn State 56 • 8-7, 0-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Oliver, Billy, Marshall, Jermaine, etc.

Officials: Tom O'Neill, Scott Thornley, Larry Scrotto
Technical fouls: Penn State-None, Northwestern-None.
Attendance: 5389

Northwestern 68 • 11-3, 1-1

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Crawford, Drew, Shurna, John, etc.

Officials: Tom O'Neill, Scott Thornley, Larry Scrotto
Technical fouls: Penn State-None, Northwestern-None.
Attendance: 5389

Drew Crawford - passed 1000 career point threshold in 2nd half.

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Penn State 26, 30, 56.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-01:45, NU 2nd-04:51.
Largest lead - PSU by 2 1st-15:53, NU by 13 2nd-04:51.

MICHIGAN 71 PENN STATE 53

Dec. 29, 2011 @ Ann Arbor, Mich.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Tim Frazier (20)
Rebounding Leader: Graham (6)
Assist Leader: Frazier (4)

Michigan followed an early 9-0 run with an 8-0 spurt to open up a 10-point lead midway through the first half. Penn State was within six, 23-17, with 6:34 to play in the first when Michigan closed the half on a 13-5 run pushing its lead to 36-22 at the half and eventually to as many as 22 points in the second in the Big Ten opener for both teams.

Penn State 53 • 8-6 (0-1)

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Oliver, Billy, Glover, Matt, etc.

Michigan 71 • 11-2 (1-0)

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Smotrycz, Evan, Morgan, Jordan, etc.

Officials: Mike Kitts, Mike Eades, Eric Curry
Technical fouls: Penn State-None, Michigan-None.
Attendance: 12751

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Penn State 22, 31, 53.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-01:58, MICH 2nd-00:58.
Largest lead - PSU by 3 1st-16:46, MICH by 22 2nd-13:49.

PENN STATE 65 PURDUE 45

Jan. 5, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Oliver (21)
Rebounding Leader: Glover (11)
Assist Leader: Frazier (9)

Penn State dominated for 40 minutes, jumping to an early 17-6 lead and never trailing. The Lions took a 14-point lead to the half after holding Purdue to 25% shooting in the first 20 minutes.

Purdue 45 • 12-4, 2-1

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Hummel, Robbie, Lawson, Jacob, etc.

Penn State 65 • 9-7, 1-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Pr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A TO Blk Stl, Min. Includes player stats for Graham, Jon, Oliver, Billy, etc.

Officials: Ed Corbett, Ray Perone, Jim Schipper
Technical fouls: Purdue-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 5081

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Penn State 18, 27, 45.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-01:45, NU 2nd-04:51.
Largest lead - PSU by 2 1st-15:53, NU by 13 2nd-04:51.



No. 12 INDIANA 88
PENN STATE 82

Jan. 8, 2011 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Frazier (21)
Rebounding Leader: Travis (6)
Assist Leader: Frazier (7)

Penn State withstood a near Big Ten record barrage of Indiana threes and 66.7% shooting from the arc by the Hoosiers to get within two points three times in the final minute before IU escaped with an 88-82 victory. Indiana hit 16-of-24 from three, one off the Big Ten record, and hit seven straight threes in the first half, but the Lions battled back from double-digit deficits on four occasions to cut the lead to five points or less. The Lions produced their highest scoring total in Big Ten play since 2010 getting 21 points and seven assists from Tim Frazier and 20 points from Jermaine Marshall. Jordan Hulls hit 7-of-9 from three for a career-high 28 and Matt Roth dished 5-of-6 for 22 points. Penn State trailed by five at the half and 84-82 with 21 seconds to play.

Indiana 88 - 15-1, 3-1

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def								
22	Waford, Christian	f	2-10	2-3	4-4	2	10	1	3	0	1	3	7	37	
40	Zeller, Cody	f	4-5	0-0	2-3	0	4	4	4	2	1	2	1	24	
01	Hulls, Jordan	g	7-11	7-9	0-0	1	1	4	28	4	2	1	0	34	
04	Cladipo, Victor	g	2-8	1-4	1-4	1	5	2	6	2	1	0	3	31	
12	Jones III, Verdell	g	1-2	0-0	3-5	1	3	4	5	6	3	0	1	18	
11	Moore, Daniel	g	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	7	
23	Abell, Remond	g	2-3	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	5	2	0	0	7	
26	Pritchard, Tom	g	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	5	
30	Roth, Matt	g	5-6	5-6	7-7	0	1	1	22	1	0	0	0	26	
32	Eliason, Derek	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	3	0	0	2	0	0	11	
Team			3		3		3		3		3		20		
Totals			24-47	16-24	24-32	7	26	33	23	88	17	16	3	5	200

FG % 1st Half: 13-28 46.4% 2nd half: 11-19 57.9% Game: 24-47 51.1% Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half: 8-12 66.7% 2nd half: 6-7 85.7% Game: 16-24 66.7%
FT % 1st Half: 8-10 80.0% 2nd half: 16-22 72.7% Game: 24-32 75.0%

Penn State 82 - 9-8, 1-3

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def							
25	Graham, Jon	f	3-3	0-0	2-4	2	1	3	2	8	1	1	1	23
35	Oliver, Billy	f	3-5	3-5	0-0	2	1	3	4	9	0	0	0	23
05	Glover, Matt	g	2-3	0-1	4-4	1	4	5	4	8	3	2	0	32
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g	7-16	2-7	4-4	1	3	5	20	1	3	1	1	31
23	Frazier, Tim	g	7-23	1-6	6-7	0	3	3	21	7	1	0	1	38
20	Colella, Nick	g	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	3	3	3	3	2	0	1	16
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g	1-3	0-0	1-2	0	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	13
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	0-1	0-1	2-2	1	1	2	2	2	0	1	1	7
43	Travis, Ross	g	3-4	0-0	2-2	3	3	6	0	8	1	0	0	17
Team			0		0		0		0		0		20	
Totals			27-59	7-23	21-25	9	19	26	82	13	9	3	8	200

FG % 1st Half: 14-29 48.3% 2nd half: 13-30 43.3% Game: 27-59 45.8% Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half: 2-8 25.0% 2nd half: 5-15 33.3% Game: 7-23 30.4%
FT % 1st Half: 7-9 77.8% 2nd half: 14-16 87.5% Game: 21-25 84.0%

Officials: Mike Kitts, Ed Hightower, Terry Olesky

Technical fouls: Indiana-None, Penn State-None

Attendance: 8250

Score by periods	1st		2nd		Total
	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	
Indiana	42	46	88		
Penn State	37	45	82		

Last FG - IND 2nd-04:26, PSU 2nd-09:28.
Largest lead - IND by 11 1st-04:26, PSU by 1 1st-15:33.

NEBRASKA 70
PENN STATE 58

Jan. 11, 2012 @ Lincoln, Neb.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Frazier (30)
Rebounding Leader: Travis (7)
Assist Leader: Frazier (4)

Penn State hung close for most of the first half despite shooting just 29 percent in the first 20 minutes, but saw Nebraska open a double-digit lead with 6:26 to play in the half and trailed 34-22 at the break. The Lions never got the lead under 10 the rest of the way despite a career-high 30 points and six steals from Tim Frazier who shot 10-of-16 in the game. The rest of the Lions went 10-of-44 33 percent from the floor and a season-low 3-of-24 (12.5%) from three. Nebraska shot 60 percent in the second half, including 5-of-8 from three, on its way to 55 percent shooting in the game. Bo Spencer led four Huskers in double-digits with 19 points. Penn State had just five assists to go with 13 turnovers on the night.

Penn State 58 - 9-9, 1-4

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def								
25	Graham, Jon	f	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	2	3	0	1	0	10	
35	Oliver, Billy	f	2-10	1-8	0-0	2	4	4	5	3	0	1	1	33	
05	Glover, Matt	g	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	20	
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g	1-7	0-3	0-0	1	0	1	5	2	0	1	0	14	
23	Frazier, Tim	g	10-16	1-4	0-0	2	4	6	2	30	4	5	6	40	
03	Lewis, Trey	g	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
20	Colella, Nick	g	0-4	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	21	
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g	3-7	0-1	2-3	3	3	6	1	8	0	0	0	15	
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	1-5	1-2	0-0	1	2	3	4	3	3	1	0	19	
43	Travis, Ross	g	2-6	0-1	3-5	2	5	7	1	7	0	0	0	22	
Team			2		2		2		2		2		20		
Totals			20-60	3-24	15-19	14	20	34	21	58	5	13	3	9	200

FG % 1st Half: 7-24 29.2% 2nd half: 13-36 36.1% Game: 20-60 33.3% Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half: 1-11 9.1% 2nd half: 2-13 15.4% Game: 3-24 12.5%
FT % 1st Half: 7-9 77.8% 2nd half: 8-10 80.0% Game: 15-19 78.9%

Nebraska 70 - 9-7, 1-4

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def								
13	Ubel, Brandon	f	3-3	0-0	0-0	0	3	2	6	1	1	1	0	17	
00	McCray, Toney	g	5-11	3-7	0-0	1	4	5	2	13	1	1	0	36	
03	Richardson, Brandon	g	0-0	0-0	4-6	0	1	1	4	4	3	4	0	25	
23	Spencer, Bo	g	4-8	1-4	10-12	0	4	4	0	19	5	6	0	36	
25	Walker, Caleb	g	5-7	2-4	0-2	0	6	6	1	12	3	2	2	32	
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	g	2-4	0-0	0-0	2	3	5	4	0	2	3	0	27	
24	Talley, Dylan	g	3-7	1-4	5-6	1	4	5	2	12	1	0	2	27	
Team			0		0		0		0		0		20		
Totals			22-40	7-19	19-29	4	27	31	14	70	14	17	6	8	200

FG % 1st Half: 13-25 52.0% 2nd half: 9-15 60.0% Game: 22-40 55.0% Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half: 2-11 18.2% 2nd half: 5-8 62.5% Game: 7-19 36.8%
FT % 1st Half: 6-7 85.7% 2nd half: 13-22 59.1% Game: 19-29 65.5%

Officials: Terry Wymer, Gene Sتراتر, John Gaffney

Technical fouls: Penn State-None, Nebraska-None

Attendance: 10791

Actual Attendance: 8124

Score by periods	1st		2nd		Total
	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	
Penn State	22	36	58		
Nebraska	34	36	70		

Last FG - PSU 2nd-00:22, NEB 2nd-05:09.
Largest lead - PSU by 3 1st-18:38, NEB by 18 2nd-16:00.

MINNESOTA 80
PENN STATE 66

Jan. 15, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS

Scoring Leader: Woodyard (22)
Rebounding Leader: Travis (8)
Assist Leader: Frazier (5)

Cam Woodyard scored a career-high 22 points and Tim Frazier had 20 to lead the Lions, but the Lions shot just 30% and saw Minnesota get a career-high 23 points from freshman Joe Coleman who's 13-of-14 effort at the line was part of a 33-of-44 night at the foul line for UM, a Big Ten record for makes by a PSU opponent. The game saw 52 fouls and 72 free throws. Minnesota used an 11-0 run to open up a 44-33 lead with 16:43 to play. The Lions used an 8-0 run to get within three, 44-41, with 12:10 to play, but shot just 27% in the second half and couldn't maintain pace as the Gophers pushed the lead back to double-digits and as much as 16. The Lions closed the lead to 62-57 with 4:10 left, but trailed by double-digits in the final 2 1/2 minutes despite grabbing 11 steals and forcing 17 turnovers.

Minnesota 80 - 14-5, 2-4

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def							
33	Williams, Rodney	f	3-5	0-0	8-11	1	7	8	4	14	2	1	0	31
00	Sampson III, Ralph	c	2-3	0-0	0-0	5	5	5	4	3	1	0	0	20
00	Welch, Julian	g	8-8	2-3	3-5	1	1	1	3	15	2	4	0	27
11	Coleman, Joe	g	5-8	0-0	13-14	0	5	5	0	23	1	4	0	36
20	Hollins, Austin	g	3-3	2-2	4-4	0	0	4	12	5	2	1	1	19
01	Hollins, Andre	g	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	9
10	Osenieks, Oto	g	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	7
13	Ahanmisi, Maverick	g	0-3	0-0	1-2	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	12
23	Armslin, Chip	g	2-5	1-4	0-2	1	2	2	5	0	0	1	1	19
55	Eliason, Elliott	g	1-1	0-0	2-4	0	6	1	4	0	1	0	1	20
Team			2		4		2		2		2		20	
Totals			21-38	5-10	33-44	5	28	33	23	80	13	17	3	200

FG % 1st Half: 10-18 55.6% 2nd half: 11-20 55.0% Game: 21-38 55.3% Deadball Rebounds
3FG % 1st Half: 3-6 50.0% 2nd half: 2-4 50.0% Game: 5-10 50.0%
FT % 1st Half: 10-13 76.9% 2nd half: 23-31 74.2% Game: 33-44 75.0%

Penn State 66 - 9-10, 1-5

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	TO	Bk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Off	Def							
25	Graham, Jon	f	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	3	5	3	2	0	2	0	17
35	Oliver, Billy	f	0-2	0-2	1-2	0	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	25
05	Glover, Matt	g	1-1	0-0	2-5									



#11 INDIANA 73 PENN STATE 54

Jan. 22, 2012 @ Bloomington, Ind.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (21)
Rebounding Leader: Glover (6)
Assist Leader: Five with (1)

Penn State held a 29-27 lead at the half after holding the Hoosiers to 41% shooting and 2-of-7 from three in the first half, but saw Indiana hit its first four threes of the second half and use an 18-6 run in the opening seven minutes to grab a 45-35 lead. The Hoosiers would shoot 65% from the floor and 5-of-9 from three in the half with Assembly Hall roaring. Penn State would hit just 23% in the half and 4-of-17 from three for the game and would never get closer than nine the rest of the way. Tim Frazier paced PSU with 21 points and walk-on Nick Colella added a career-high 11 on 3-of-5 from three off the bench. Freshman Cody Zeller paced IU with 18 points. IU out-scored the Lions 30-16 in the paint, despite 15 PSU offensive boards, and 46-25 in the second half.

Penn State 54 • 10-11, 2-6

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Indiana 73 • 16-4, 4-4

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Officials: Larry Sciroto, John Gaffney, Kelly Self
Technical fouls: Penn State- Travis, Ross, Colella, Nick, Indiana-Sheehy, Will Z.
Attendance: 17248
Glover (PSU) fouls out at 6:8 (2nd)
Sheehy (IU) ejected 2nd technical 6:8 (2nd)

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total for Penn State and Indiana.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-00:36, IND 2nd-01:34.
Largest lead - PSU by 5 1st-09:03, IND by 19 2nd-00:43.

#3 OHIO STATE 78 PENN STATE 54

Jan. 25, 2012 @ Columbus, Ohio

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (16)
Rebounding Leader: Travis (8)
Assist Leader: Frazier (4)

Penn State missed its first seven shots from the floor and started 1-of-13 from the field and 0-4 from the line in Columbus as the No. 3-ranked Buckeyes jumped to an early double-digit lead and were never threatened. The Lions shot 31% in the game and saw OSU shoot 50% from the floor and 24-of-34 at the foul line to cruise to a 78-54 victory. Tim Frazier led the Lions with 16 points and four assists, but was held to 6-of-17 shooting. Jermaine Marshall added 16 points and six boards. The Lions shot just 22% in the first half while the Buckeyes took a 38-18 halftime lead. Jared Sullinger logged 20 points and 13 rebounds despite sitting for the final seven minutes. Ohio State won the rebounding battle 43-35 and the Lions were called for 26 fouls.

Penn State 54 • 10-12, 2-7

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Ohio State 78 • 18-3, 6-2

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Officials: Mike Sanzera, Tom Eades, Bill Ek
Technical fouls: Penn State-TEAM, Ohio State-None.
Attendance: 16907

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total for Penn State and Ohio State.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-01:25, OSU 2nd-02:25.
Largest lead - PSU None, OSU by 29 2nd-10:48.

#19/20 WISCONSIN 52 PENN STATE 46

Jan. 31, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (21)
Rebounding Leader: Four with (5)
Assist Leader: Frazier (7)

Penn State shot 45.8% in the first half and held Wisconsin to just 27% shooting and 17 points to lead 23-17 at the halftime break. The tables turned in the second half as the Lions went cold shooting 27% and were out-scored 35-23 as the Badgers hit 45% from the floor and got late scoring from Jordan Taylor. After hitting just one of its first 13 shots in the second half and trailing by seven, Penn State was within two, 40-38, with 3:36 to play, but couldn't capitalize on four chances to tie or take the lead and never got that close again. Tim Frazier scored 17 of the Lions' 23 second-half points on his way to 21 points and seven assists. Taylor led UW with 18 points and five assists - 15 in the final five minutes and 10 of those at the foul line. PSU had 12 offensive boards, but just two second-chance points.

Wisconsin 52 • 18-5, 7-3

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Penn State 46 • 10-13, 2-8

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Officials: John Higgins, Eric Curry, Paul Janssen
Technical fouls: Wisconsin-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 8752

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total for Wisconsin and Penn State.

Last FG - WISC 2nd-01:44, PSU 2nd-00:00.
Largest lead - WISC by 8 2nd-00:04, PSU by 9 1st-03:51.

IOWA 77 PENN STATE 64

Feb. 4, 2012 @ Iowa City, Iowa

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (23)
Rebounding Leader: Woodyard (8)
Assist Leader: Frazier (5)

Penn State started hit just 3 of its first 17 shots and fell behind 23-7 after the first 11 minutes of action. Penn State shot 26.7% in the first half and just 2-of-13 from three while committing 11 turnovers to trail by as many as 21 in the half and 36-19 at the break. Iowa built its lead to 26 early in the second half, before the Lions used a 17-5 rally sparked by three treys from Jermaine Marshall and two from Tim Frazier to get within 14 with 13:25 to play. Penn State would shoot 53% in the second half and 8-of-16 from three to get within 11 in the closing minutes, but no closer. Frazier led PSU with 23 points and five assists. Marshall added 13, Cammeron Woodyard 11 and Nick Colella 10. Matt Gatens led Iowa with 18 as the Hawkeyes out-scored PSU 29-4 at the foul line and turned 15 turnovers into 20 points.

Penn State 64 • 10-14, 2-9

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Iowa 77 • 13-11, 5-6

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds, PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and half-by-half statistics.

Officials: Mike Kitts, Scott Thornley, Bo Boroski
Technical fouls: Penn State-TEAM, Iowa-None.
Attendance: 13510

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total for Penn State and Iowa.

Last FG - WISC 2nd-01:44, PSU 2nd-00:00.
Largest lead - WISC by 8 2nd-00:04, PSU by 9 1st-03:51.



#11 MICHIGAN STATE 77
PENN STATE 57
Feb. 8, 2012 @ East Lansing, Mich.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Tim Frazier (19)
Rebounding Leader: Frazier & Marshall (5)
Assist Leader: Frazier (7)

Penn State started 0-8 from the floor and didn't score until a Nick Colella three at the 12:20 mark, but trailed just 9-3 in East Lansing. PSU remained cold shooting just 21% in the first half as an MSU team that shot just 27% and made 10 turnovers took a 33-19 lead at the half. MSU pushed its lead to 22 points early in the second half before the Lions got hot and shot 77% over the first 13 minutes of the half to close within five, 52-47, with 9:18 to play after scoring 10-straight points and following that with 17-5 run. PSU shot 53% in the half, but MSU hit at a 65% clip and reestablished control holding a double-digit lead over the final 6:30. Tim Frazier posted 19 points and six assists for PSU while Draymond Green had 23 points and 12 boards for MSU which dominated the boards, 44-25.

Penn State 57 • 10-15, 2-10

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	T	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def								
20	Colella, Nick	* 3-8	3-7	0-0	0-0	0	1	9	1	2	1	0	0	37	
23	Frazier, Tim	* 2-8	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	4	4	1	7	6	0	2	37	
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	* 2-5	2-4	0-0	1-2	1	3	1	6	1	1	0	0	23	
25	Graham, Jon	* 1-3	0-0	1-2	1-3	4	3	4	3	1	1	0	0	23	
35	Oliver, Billy	* 0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	11	
05	Glover, Matt	* 0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	7	
11	Marshall, Jermaine	* 4-10	1-4	3-3	0	5	5	12	0	1	1	1	28		
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	* 3-3	0-0	0-3	0	3	0	4	6	0	0	0	17		
43	Travis, Ross	* 1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	0	1	17	
Team						2		3		3		4		200	

FG % 1st Half:	5-24	20.8%	2nd half:	15-28	53.6%	Game:	20-52	38.5%	Deadball	
3FG % 1st Half:	2-12	16.7%	2nd half:	4-8	50.0%	Game:	6-20	30.0%	Rebounds	3
FT % 1st Half:	7-10	70.0%	2nd half:	4-6	66.7%	Game:	11-16	68.8%		

Michigan State 77 • 19-5, 8-3

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	T	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def								
05	Payne, Adreian	* 3-7	0-0	6-8	2	3	5	2	12	1	3	0	2	21	
11	Appling, Keith	* 2-4	1-3	5-6	0	4	4	4	10	7	1	0	1	25	
13	Thornton, Austin	* 2-3	2-3	0-0	2	3	3	0	1	4	0	1	0	18	
22	Dawson, Brandon	* 5-8	0-0	2-3	4	3	7	0	12	5	1	2	3	24	
23	Green, Draymond	* 6-15	2-6	9-14	3	9	12	2	23	5	1	0	1	36	
00	Byrd, Russell	* 0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	
02	Gauna, Alex	* 0-0	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	
03	Kearney, Brandon	* 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	
14	Chapman, Dan	* 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
20	Trice, Travis	* 2-6	1-3	0-0	1	2	3	5	1	1	0	1	19		
25	Nix, Derrick	* 1-2	0-0	0-1	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	14		
30	Wood, Brandon	* 2-5	2-5	0-0	1	1	2	1	6	2	0	0	23		
44	Ianni, Anthony	* 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	
Team						3		3		3		9		200	

FG % 1st Half:	8-30	26.7%	2nd half:	15-23	65.2%	Game:	23-53	43.4%	Deadball	
3FG % 1st Half:	4-11	36.4%	2nd half:	4-10	40.0%	Game:	8-21	38.1%	Rebounds	5,1
FT % 1st Half:	13-16	81.3%	2nd half:	10-18	55.6%	Game:	23-34	67.6%		

Officials: Gene Strateros, Eric Curry, Larry Scrotto
Technical fouls: Penn State-None, Michigan State-None.
Attendance: 14,797

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Penn State	19	38	57
Michigan State	33	44	77

Last FG - PSU 2nd-00:35, MSU 2nd-02:48.
Largest lead - PSU None, MSU by 23 2nd-02:48.

PENN STATE 67
NEBRASKA 51
Feb. 11, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Tim Frazier (23)
Rebounding Leader: Tim Frazier (10)
Assist Leader: Tim Frazier (9)

Penn State nearly got a triple-double from Tim Frazier as the 6-1 guard posted 23 points, 10 rebounds, nine assists and three steals in a dominating 16-point win over the Huskers. The Lions used a 10-0 run with 8:33 to play in the first half to break-open an 18-17 game and take a 28-17 lead with 6:05 to play. Three different Lions scored in the run as PSU went on to shoot 58% in the first half and 5-of-8 from three to take a 36-26 halftime lead. PSU held the margin over double-digits the entire second half and led by as many as 20 as the Lions shot 52% for the game. Cam Woodyard posted 14 points on a career-best equaling four threes and Jermaine Marshall added 12. Dylan Talley led NU with 12 points as the Huskers shot 39%, 6-of-20 from three, and were out rebounded 30-21.

Nebraska 51 • 11-13, 3-10

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	T	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def								
13	Ubel, Brandon	f 1-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	27	
00	McCray, Toney	g 4-10	1-5	0-0	1	2	3	5	9	0	2	1	2	29	
03	Richardson, Brandon	g 0-2	0-1	6-6	0	4	4	3	6	5	2	1	2	35	
33	Spencer, Eric	g 3-8	1-5	0-0	0	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	30	
25	Walker, Caleb	g 5-10	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	10	0	2	0	0	16	
02	Rivers, David	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	
05	Spencer, Joseph	g 1-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
12	Hilliard Jr., Corey	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
14	Niemann, Christopher	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
34	Talley, Dylan	g 4-11	3-8	1-4	1	2	3	1	12	2	1	1	1	26	
13	Fox, Mike	g 1-2	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	2	16	
Team						1		1		1		2		200	

FG % 1st Half:	10-26	38.5%	2nd half:	9-22	40.9%	Game:	19-48	39.6%	Deadball	
3FG % 1st Half:	3-11	27.3%	2nd half:	3-9	33.3%	Game:	6-20	30.0%	Rebounds	3
FT % 1st Half:	3-3	100.0%	2nd half:	4-8	50.0%	Game:	7-11	63.6%		

Penn State 67 • 11-15, 3-10

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	T	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def								
25	Graham, Jon	f 2-3	0-0	1-2	1	4	5	2	5	0	2	0	1	32	
38	Frazier, Tim	f 2-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	4	3	2	0	0	18	
20	Colella, Nick	g 2-12	2-11	0-0	0	2	3	1	6	2	1	0	1	20	
23	Frazier, Tim	g 7-9	1-1	8-8	1	9	10	3	23	9	5	0	3	39	
04	Woodyard, Cammeron	g 4-7	4-7	2-2	0	2	2	1	14	0	2	0	1	27	
05	Glover, Matt	g 0-1	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	1	20	
11	Marshall, Jermaine	g 5-8	2-3	0-0	1	2	3	4	12	2	0	1	0	20	
14	Montminy, Kevin	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	g 1-2	0-0	1-2	0	3	3	0	3	0	1	1	1	21	
32	Ackerman, Pat	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
34	Wisniewski, Alan	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Team						1		1		1		2		200	

FG % 1st Half:	11-19	57.9%	2nd half:	12-25	48.0%	Game:	23-44	52.3%	Deadball	
3FG % 1st Half:	5-8	62.5%	2nd half:	4-15	26.7%	Game:	9-23	39.1%	Rebounds	3
FT % 1st Half:	9-11	81.8%	2nd half:	3-3	100.0%	Game:	12-14	85.7%		

Officials: Jim Burr, Ray Perone, Bill Ek
Technical fouls: Nebraska-None, Penn State-None.
Attendance: 13,010

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Nebraska	26	25	51
Penn State	36	31	67

Last FG - NEB 2nd-00:35, PSU 2nd-02:22.
Largest lead - NEB by 3 1st-16:19, PSU by 20 2nd-02:22.

PENN STATE 69
IOWA 64
Feb. 16, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS
Scoring Leader: Frazier (18)
Rebounding Leader: Marshall (7)
Assist Leader: Frazier (4)

Penn State led by as many as 16 early in the second half, but saw Matt Gatens hit his first five threes of the second half and score 19 of 21 points in the half to get Iowa within two, 63-61, with 2:00 to play. Jermaine Marshall hit a big three to push the lead to 66-61 and with Iowa within three with 24 seconds to play Jon Graham stepped to the line and hit both ends of a 1-and-1 to ice the game. Graham finished with a career-best 10 points and six rebounds, going 4-of-4 at the line. Tim Frazier struggled in the first half, but led PSU with 18 points, four assists and four steals. Marshall added 10 points and Cam Woodyard 13, 12 in the first half as the Lions led 38-24 at the half after holding Iowa to 26.9% shooting in the first 20 minutes. The Hawkeyes hit 56.5% in the second. PSU went 22-of-28 at the foul line.

Iowa 64 • 13-13, 5-8

#	Player	Total		3-Ptr		Rebounds		PF	TP	A	T	Bk	Stl	Min	
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	Off	Def								
15	McCabe, Zach	f 0-1	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	5	2	3	2	0	0	23	
30	White, Aaron	f 6-11	1-3	3-4	3	7	10	1	16	1	4	3	1	34	
02	Oglesby, Josh	g 1-7	0-5	1-3	0	3	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	27	
04	Marble, Roy Devyn	g 4-10	0-2	5-7	2	6	8	1	13	6	3	0	1	40	
05	Gatens, Matt	g 6-13	5-7	4-4	1	3	4	3	21	1	1	1	0	38	
00	Olaseni, Gabriel	g 0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	6	
01	Basabe, Melathin	g 2-3	0-0	3-7	6	2	5	3	7	0	0	0	0	20	
06	Brommer, Andrew	g 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
25	May, Eric	g 1-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	5	
Team						3		3		3		3		200	

FG % 1st Half:	7-26	26.9%	2nd half:	13-23	56.5%	Game:	20-49	40.8%	Deadball	
3FG % 1st Half:	1-7	14.3%	2nd half:	1-11	45.5%	Game:	6-18	33.3%	Rebounds	4
FT % 1st Half:	9-1									



NORTHWESTERN 67 PENN STATE 66

Feb. 25, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Frazier (23) Rebounding Leader: Travis (9) Assist Leader: Frazier (8)

Northwestern needed 15 three-pointers and two John Shurna free throws with three seconds to play to escape with a 67-66 victory. Trailing by as many as nine with 15:00 to play, Penn State shot 60% in the second half and dominated scoring in the paint, 40-10, in the game to retake the lead on a Cammeron Woodyard three with 8:39 to play. NU used four-straight threes to rebuild a four-point margin, but Tim Frazier completed a three-point play to give PSU a 66-65 lead with 2:48 left. The Lions couldn't capitalize on four chances to extend the lead and Jon Graham missed two at the line with 14 seconds remaining before being whistled for a foul on Shurna's shot attempt with three seconds to play. Frazier led PSU with 23 points and eight assists. Shurna had 23 for NU which had six players make a three.

Northwestern 67 - 17-11, 7-9

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Penn State 66 - 12-17, 4-12

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Officials: Gene Steratore, Wally Rutecki, Ron Tyburski Technical fouls: Northwestern-None. Penn State-None. Attendance: 8513

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Shows Penn State leading 38-66.

Last FG - NU 2nd-03:17, PSU 2nd-02:48. Largest lead - NU by 9 2nd-15:15, PSU by 8 1st-12:09.

Score tied - 6 times. Lead changed - 9 times.

PURDUE 80 PENN STATE 56

Feb. 29, 2012 @ West Lafayette, Ind.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Frazier (24) Rebounding Leader: Frazier (5) Assist Leader: Frazier (6)

Tim Frazier was spectacular in the first half scoring 16 points and helping Penn State to shoot 56% and lead twice before going to the locker room down five, 37-32. But, Purdue exploded in the second half hitting 10 of its first 12 shots and scoring the first 11 points of the half to jump to a 16-point lead and never look back. The Boilers hit at 75% until the final minutes of the half before closing at 65% in the half and 57.4% for the game, including 9-of-22 from three. Robbie Hummel led Purdue with 26 points, eight rebounds and six assists on "Senior Night". Penn State got team-highs of 24 points, six assists, five rebounds and four steals from Frazier, but only Jermaine Marshall (10) joined him in double-figures. Purdue won the rebounding battle 31-17 and out-scored PSU 17-8 at the foul line.

Penn State 56 - 12-18 (4-13)

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Purdue 80 - 20-10 (10-7)

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Officials: Ted Valentine, Bo Boroski, Lamont Simpson Technical fouls: Penn State-None. Purdue-None. Attendance: 14565

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Shows Purdue leading 32-80.

Last FG - PSU 2nd-01:12, PUR 2nd-04:09. Largest lead - PSU by 2 1st-14:29, PUR by 27 2nd-02:49.

Score tied - 8 times. Lead changed - 6 times.

#13 MICHIGAN 71 PENN STATE 56

March 4, 2012 @ University Park, Pa.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: Marshall (27) Rebounding Leader: Marshall & Glover (8) Assist Leader: Frazier (5)

Michigan came out hot shooting 70% from the floor and 7-of-10 from three in the first half to take as much as an 18-point lead before going to the locker room up 39-28. PSU played well early and led 17-16 when Tim Frazier picked up his second foul and went to the bench at 11:30 of the first. UM went on a 15-2 run. The Wolverines built their lead to 19 with 9:04 to play in the second, before Penn State got hot behind the play of Jermaine Marshall and used a 13-0 run to make it a game. Marshall scored nine points in the run and finished with 27 points and eight boards. PSU got within 4, 62-58, on a Marshall jumper with 2:38 to play, but no closer as UM hit 10-of-18 from three and 59% for the game led by 19 from Trey Burke and 17 from Evan Smotrycz. Ross Travis had a career-high 15 for PSU.

Michigan 71 - 23-8, 13-5

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Penn State 65 - 12-19, 4-14

Table with columns: #, Player, FG-FGA, 3-Ptr, FT-FTA, Rebounds (Off, Def, Tot), PF, TP, A, TO, Blk, Stl, Min. Includes totals and game statistics.

Officials: Tim Clougherty, Ray Perone, Larry Sciotto Technical fouls: Michigan-None. Penn State-None. Attendance: 8664

Score by periods table with columns: 1st, 2nd, Total. Shows Michigan leading 39-71.

Last FG - MICH 2nd-00:41, PSU 2nd-00:01. Largest lead - MICH by 19 2nd-11:33, PSU by 4 1st-15:53.

Score tied - 3 times. Lead changed - 4 times.

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March 8, 2012 @ Indianapolis, Ind.

PENN STATE LEADERS Scoring Leader: - Rebounding Leader: - Assist Leader: -



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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	12-19	10-7	1-11	1-1
CONFERENCE	4-14	4-5	0-9	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	8-5	6-2	1-2	1-1

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
23	Frazier, Tim	31-31	1149	37.1	199-473	.421	23-80	.288	155-197	.787	44	104	148	4.8	90	1	194	113	6	71	576	18.6
11	Marshall, Jermaine	30-16	801	26.7	113-288	.392	42-129	.326	59-80	.738	24	98	122	4.1	78	2	34	56	14	31	327	10.9
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	28-18	721	25.8	78-221	.353	42-114	.368	46-57	.807	48	68	116	4.1	45	1	10	27	5	19	244	8.7
35	Oliver, Billy	21-20	505	24.0	47-128	.367	35-103	.340	13-18	.722	26	44	70	3.3	69	3	6	22	11	9	142	6.8
03	Lewis, Trey	19-5	347	18.3	36-99	.364	22-65	.338	6-10	.600	10	17	27	1.4	29	0	15	18	0	9	100	5.3
43	Travis, Ross	31-15	553	17.8	55-122	.451	4-24	.167	22-46	.478	54	74	128	4.1	65	3	13	23	5	16	136	4.4
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	31-7	545	17.6	58-103	.563	0-1	.000	18-37	.486	42	55	97	3.1	53	1	4	27	5	10	134	4.3
25	Graham, Jon	25-16	437	17.5	43-92	.467	0-0	.000	13-32	.406	41	47	88	3.5	60	1	5	29	17	10	99	4.0
20	Colella, Nick	25-6	381	15.2	22-84	.262	17-69	.246	10-12	.833	5	29	34	1.4	28	0	13	11	4	9	71	2.8
05	Glover, Matt	31-21	723	23.3	24-100	.240	8-44	.182	32-58	.552	41	90	131	4.2	83	5	42	45	2	26	88	2.8
14	Montminy, Kevin	8-0	9	1.1	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.3
32	Ackerman, Pat	11-0	25	2.3	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	5	5	0.5	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	0.0
34	Wisniewski, Alan	5-0	3	0.6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
Team											51	37	88		2		5					
Total.....		31	6199		676-1715	.394	193-630	.306	374-547	.684	387	668	1055	34.0	608	17	336	380	69	210	1919	61.9
Opponents.....		31	6200		648-1486	.436	249-655	.380	486-660	.736	250	729	979	31.6	555	13	407	427	144	172	2031	65.5

TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	
SCORING	1919	2031	11/12/11	HARTFORD	w 70-55	4152	
Points per game	61.9	65.5	11/14/11	RADFORD	w 62-46	4916	
Scoring margin	-3.6	-	11/16/11	LONG ISLAND	w 77-68	5258	
FIELD GOALS-ATT	676-1715	648-1486	11/19/11	vs KENTUCKY	L 47-85	4755	
Field goal pct	.394	.436	11/20/11	vs SOUTH FLORIDA	w 53-49	4755	
3 POINT FG-ATT	193-630	249-655	11/23/11	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	w 82-71	4461	
3-point FG pct	.306	.380	11/26/11	at Saint Joseph's	L 47-65	4200	
3-pt FG made per game	6.2	8.0	11-30-11	at Boston College	w 62-54	4326	
FREE THROWS-ATT	374-547	486-660	12/4/11	MISSISSIPPI	L 70-72	6001	
Free throw pct	.684	.736	12/07/11	LAFAYETT	L 57-61	5462	
F-Throws made per game	12.1	15.7	12/10/11	at Duquesne	L 59-66	7046	
REBOUNDS	1055	979	12/18/11	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	w 72-43	7202	
Rebounds per game	34.0	31.6	12/21/11	CORNELL	w 74-67	4414	
Rebounding margin	+2.5	-	* 12/29/11	at Michigan	L 53-71	12751	
ASSISTS	336	407	* 01/01/12	at Northwestern	L 56-68	5389	
Assists per game	10.8	13.1	* 1/5/12	PURDUE	w 65-45	5081	
TURNOVERS	380	427	* 1/8/12	INDIANA	L 82-88	8250	
Turnovers per game	12.3	13.8	* 01/11/12	at Nebraska	L 58-70	10791	
Turnover margin	+1.5	-	* 1/15/12	MINNESOTA	L 66-80	9065	
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	1.0	* 1/19/12	ILLINOIS	w 54-52	6945	
STEALS	210	172	* 01/22/12	at Indiana	L 54-73	17248	
Steals per game	6.8	5.5	* 01/25/12	at Ohio State	L 54-78	16907	
BLOCKS	69	144	* 1/31/12	WISCONSIN	L 46-52	8752	
Blocks per game	2.2	4.6	* 02/04/12	at Iowa	L 64-77	13510	
ATTENDANCE	117933	148270	* 02/08/12	at Michigan State	L 57-77	14797	
Home games-Avg/Game	17-6937	12-11563	* 2/11/12	NEBRASKA	w 67-51	13103	
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-4755	* 2/16/12	IOWA	w 69-64	6794	
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals	* 02/19/12	at Wisconsin	L 55-65	17230
Penn State	851	1068	1919	* 2/25/12	NORTHWESTERN	L 66-67	8513
Opponents	942	1089	2031	* 02/29/12	at Purdue	L 56-80	14565
				* 3/4/12	MICHIGAN	L 65-71	9564

* = Conference game



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ALL GAMES	4-14	4-5	0-9	0-0
CONFERENCE	4-14	4-5	0-9	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
23	Frazier, Tim	18-18	684	38.0	128-300	.427	14-47	.298	83-95	.874	23	50	73	4.1	57	1	101	64	2	43	353	19.6
11	Marshall, Jermaine	18-11	520	28.9	78-195	.400	28-88	.318	29-37	.784	15	62	77	4.3	52	2	21	31	8	16	213	11.8
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	15-12	396	26.4	43-126	.341	24-64	.375	29-36	.806	26	31	57	3.8	30	1	6	15	3	9	139	9.3
35	Oliver, Billy	8-7	177	22.1	14-38	.368	13-36	.361	3-6	.500	5	11	16	2.0	30	2	0	6	1	4	44	5.5
25	Graham, Jon	18-16	338	18.8	31-62	.500	0-0	.000	11-27	.407	25	39	64	3.6	49	1	5	23	13	7	73	4.1
20	Colella, Nick	16-6	332	20.8	20-71	.282	16-60	.267	8-9	.889	3	25	28	1.8	23	0	13	9	3	7	64	4.0
43	Travis, Ross	18-8	322	17.9	27-60	.450	0-4	.000	16-24	.667	31	35	66	3.7	37	2	7	10	1	7	70	3.9
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	18-0	292	16.2	28-51	.549	0-1	.000	11-20	.550	18	28	46	2.6	32	0	2	12	2	4	67	3.7
03	Lewis, Trey	7-0	108	15.4	9-29	.310	4-19	.211	1-2	.500	4	6	10	1.4	5	0	3	5	0	3	23	3.3
05	Glover, Matt	18-12	415	23.1	9-46	.196	0-12	.000	23-40	.575	25	53	78	4.3	52	4	23	24	1	15	41	2.3
14	Montminy, Kevin	5-0	5	1.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
32	Ackerman, Pat	4-0	8	2.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
34	Wisniewski, Alan	3-0	3	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											29	22	51		1		4					
Total.....		18	3600		387-980	.395	99-332	.298	214-296	.723	204	363	567	31.5	371	13	181	203	34	115	1087	60.4
Opponents.....		18	3600		390-841	.464	143-353	.405	306-417	.734	140	430	570	31.7	293	9	245	224	84	98	1229	68.3

TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1087	1229	* 12/29/11	at Michigan	L 53-71	12751
Points per game	60.4	68.3	* 01/01/12	at Northwestern	L 56-68	5389
Scoring margin	-7.9	-	* 1/5/12	PURDUE	w 65-45	5081
FIELD GOALS-ATT	387-980	390-841	* 1/8/12	INDIANA	L 82-88	8250
Field goal pct	.395	.464	* 01/11/12	at Nebraska	L 58-70	10791
3 POINT FG-ATT	99-332	143-353	* 1/15/12	MINNESOTA	L 66-80	9065
3-point FG pct	.298	.405	* 1/19/12	ILLINOIS	w 54-52	6945
3-pt FG made per game	5.5	7.9	* 01/22/12	at Indiana	L 54-73	17248
FREE THROWS-ATT	214-296	306-417	* 01/25/12	at Ohio State	L 54-78	16907
Free throw pct	.723	.734	* 1/31/12	WISCONSIN	L 46-52	8752
F-Throws made per game	11.9	17.0	* 02/04/12	at Iowa	L 64-77	13510
REBOUNDS	567	570	* 02/08/12	at Michigan State	L 57-77	14797
Rebounds per game	31.5	31.7	* 2/11/12	NEBRASKA	w 67-51	13103
Rebounding margin	-0.2	-	* 2/16/12	IOWA	w 69-64	6794
ASSISTS	181	245	* 02/19/12	at Wisconsin	L 55-65	17230
Assists per game	10.1	13.6	* 2/25/12	NORTHWESTERN	L 66-67	8513
TURNOVERS	203	224	* 02/29/12	at Purdue	L 56-80	14565
Turnovers per game	11.3	12.4	* 3/4/12	MICHIGAN	L 65-71	9564
Turnover margin	+1.2	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	1.1				
STEALS	115	98				
Steals per game	6.4	5.4				
BLOCKS	34	84				
Blocks per game	1.9	4.7				
ATTENDANCE	76067	123188				
Home games-Avg/Game	9-8452	9-13688				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

* = Conference game

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Penn State	486	601	1087
Opponents	555	674	1229



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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
23	Frazier, Tim	3-3	113	37.7	23-49	.469	3-6	.500	9-10	.900	4	6	10	3.3	8	0	19	6	0	9	58	19.3
11	Marshall, Jermaine	3-2	100	33.3	17-37	.459	5-17	.294	6-7	.857	6	12	18	6.0	6	0	5	7	0	4	45	15.0
43	Travis, Ross	3-3	81	27.0	10-14	.714	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	10	7	17	5.7	11	1	1	5	1	1	25	8.3
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	1-1	37	37.0	3-8	.375	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2	5	7	7.0	0	0	1	1	0	0	8	8.0
25	Graham, Jon	3-3	49	16.3	8-15	.533	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	2	3	1.0	10	0	2	5	0	1	16	5.3
03	Lewis, Trey	3-0	45	15.0	5-14	.357	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	1	3	4	1.3	1	0	0	3	0	2	14	4.7
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	3-0	51	17.0	6-8	.750	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	1	1	0.3	3	0	1	1	0	2	13	4.3
05	Glover, Matt	3-1	71	23.7	0-6	.000	0-2	.000	6-8	.750	7	8	15	5.0	9	0	3	6	0	3	6	2.0
20	Colella, Nick	3-2	49	16.3	1-9	.111	0-7	.000	0-0	.000	0	6	6	2.0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0.7
32	Ackerman, Pat	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
14	Montminy, Kevin	1-0	2	2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
34	Wisniewski, Alan	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											0	4	4									
Total.....		3	600		73-160	.456	13-46	.283	28-37	.757	31	54	85	28.3	49	1	33	37	1	22	187	62.3
Opponents.....		3	600		74-139	.532	34-69	.493	36-48	.750	17	59	76	25.3	46	1	46	37	13	16	218	72.7

TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	187	218	* 2/25/12	NORTHWESTERN	L 66-67	8513
Points per game	62.3	72.7	* 02/29/12	at Purdue	L 56-80	14565
Scoring margin	-10.3	-	* 3/4/12	MICHIGAN	L 65-71	9564
FIELD GOALS-ATT	73-160	74-139	* = Conference game			
Field goal pct	.456	.532				
3 POINT FG-ATT	13-46	34-69				
3-point FG pct	.283	.493				
3-pt FG made per game	4.3	11.3				
FREE THROWS-ATT	28-37	36-48				
Free throw pct	.757	.750				
F-Throws made per game	9.3	12.0				
REBOUNDS	85	76				
Rebounds per game	28.3	25.3				
Rebounding margin	+3.0	-				
ASSISTS	33	46				
Assists per game	11.0	15.3				
TURNOVERS	37	37				
Turnovers per game	12.3	12.3				
Turnover margin	+0.0	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	1.2				
STEALS	22	16				
Steals per game	7.3	5.3				
BLOCKS	1	13				
Blocks per game	0.3	4.3				
ATTENDANCE	18077	14565				
Home games-Avg/Game	2-9038	1-14565				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Penn State	88	99	187
Opponents	110	108	218



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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	1-4	1-2	0-2	0-0
CONFERENCE	1-4	1-2	0-2	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
23	Frazier, Tim	5-5	187	37.4	38-82	.463	3-10	.300	17-18	.944	6	11	17	3.4	15	0	27	11	0	15	96	19.2
11	Marshall, Jermaine	5-2	166	33.2	25-57	.439	9-27	.333	8-9	.889	9	17	26	5.2	11	0	8	8	0	7	67	13.4
24	Woodyard, Cammeron	3-3	82	27.3	8-26	.308	5-13	.385	4-6	.667	4	8	12	4.0	4	0	1	2	0	0	25	8.3
25	Graham, Jon	5-5	111	22.2	15-27	.556	0-0	.000	5-9	.556	8	11	19	3.8	16	0	2	8	4	2	35	7.0
43	Travis, Ross	5-5	121	24.2	13-20	.650	0-0	.000	6-11	.545	12	13	25	5.0	15	1	2	6	1	3	32	6.4
03	Lewis, Trey	3-0	45	15.0	5-14	.357	3-11	.273	1-2	.500	1	3	4	1.3	1	0	0	3	0	2	14	4.7
21	Borovnjak, Sasa	5-0	69	13.8	8-14	.571	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2	1	3	0.6	5	0	1	1	0	2	19	3.8
20	Colella, Nick	5-4	109	21.8	4-20	.200	2-17	.118	4-4	1.000	0	11	11	2.2	7	0	2	1	1	0	14	2.8
05	Glover, Matt	5-1	106	21.2	0-9	.000	0-3	.000	9-12	.750	7	12	19	3.8	12	0	9	8	0	5	9	1.8
34	Wisniewski, Alan	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
14	Montminy, Kevin	2-0	2	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
32	Ackerman, Pat	1-0	1	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											3	7	10				2					
Total.....		5	1000		116-269	.431	22-81	.272	57-76	.750	52	94	146	29.2	86	1	52	50	6	36	311	62.2
Opponents.....		5	1000		114-235	.485	51-109	.468	68-92	.739	39	109	148	29.6	75	2	73	61	22	23	347	69.4

TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	311	347	* 2/16/12	IOWA	W 69-64	6794
Points per game	62.2	69.4	* 02/19/12	at Wisconsin	L 55-65	17230
Scoring margin	-7.2	-	* 2/25/12	NORTHWESTERN	L 66-67	8513
FIELD GOALS-ATT	116-269	114-235	* 02/29/12	at Purdue	L 56-80	14565
Field goal pct	.431	.485	* 3/4/12	MICHIGAN	L 65-71	9564
3 POINT FG-ATT	22-81	51-109	* = Conference game			
3-point FG pct	.272	.468				
3-pt FG made per game	4.4	10.2				
FREE THROWS-ATT	57-76	68-92				
Free throw pct	.750	.739				
F-Throws made per game	11.4	13.6				
REBOUNDS	146	148				
Rebounds per game	29.2	29.6				
Rebounding margin	-0.4	-				
ASSISTS	52	73				
Assists per game	10.4	14.6				
TURNOVERS	50	61				
Turnovers per game	10.0	12.2				
Turnover margin	+2.2	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.2				
STEALS	36	23				
Steals per game	7.2	4.6				
BLOCKS	6	22				
Blocks per game	1.2	4.4				
ATTENDANCE	24871	31795				
Home games-Avg/Game	3-8290	2-15898				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Penn State	147	164	311
Opponents	169	178	347

Frazier ascends to role as Lions' leader

By Jeff Rice rice@centredaily.com on Feb 25, 2012

UNIVERSITY PARK — Krystal Frazier starred in basketball at Houston's North Shore High School. Two years after she graduated, her younger brother began a superlative basketball career at a nearby private school, Strake Jesuit. But when Frazier visited her alma mater a few weeks ago, everyone asked about that brother. They remembered him being just as much of a presence in the North Shore gym.

Before he became one of the nation's top college point guards, before he became the top-ranked high school prospect in Texas, Tim Frazier was a young kid who looked up to his big sister.

"Literally, when she would go to practice I would try to go to practice with her," Frazier said. "She'd tell me I couldn't go. I've always just been behind her all the time trying to learn as much as I can."

Krystal Frazier, who would go on to become a three-year starter and all-conference shooting guard at Rice, would prove to be a fine mentor. Tim Frazier is no longer doing the following, though.

He's doing the leading. The 6-foot-1 junior point guard, who leads Penn State against Northwestern at 9 p.m. tonight in the Bryce Jordan Center, is a few games from completing one of the finest individual seasons in Nittany Lion history. Last week, he became the first Penn State player to eclipse 500 points, 150 assists and 50 steals in the same season, and he is likely to become the fifth Nittany Lion to lead his squad in scoring, rebounding and assists.

That he's leading the Big Ten in assists (6.3 per game) and has already compiled more steals (62) than any Nittany Lion since Titus Ivory had 84 in 2001 are impressive feats but not that surprising; Frazier has been a strong defender and able distributor since he came to campus. What have turned heads around the conference and the country, though, are his scoring statistics.

Frazier has scored 20 points or more in 14 of Penn State's 28 games this season. Only three players in the Big Six conferences — Maryland's Terrell Stoglin, West Virginia's Kevin Jones and Texas' J'Covan Brown — have more 20-point games this season. His average of 18.5 points per game is second in the conference only to Northwestern forward John Shurna's 20.0, and he's reached

double figures in all but two games on a team that's had a total of 45 double-digit performances from the rest of the roster combined.

This from a player who averaged 6.3 points and 4.9 shots per game last season.

Frazier's one-year jump in point production is the second-largest in the Big Ten since the 1997 season. Only former Nittany Lion Sharif Chambliss, who went from 1.3 points per game to 14.6 in 2001-02, made a bigger leap between seasons. And Chambliss, a seldom-used sub on Penn State's 2001 team, saw a 633 percent increase in minutes played that year; Frazier's minutes per game have gone from 30.8 to 37.0, or a 20 percent increase.

Frazier isn't breaking any accuracy records this season -- he enters tonight's game at 42 percent from the field and 27 percent from 3-point range -- but he leads the Big Ten with 146 made free throws and finds ways to get his shot even as two or three defenders collapse each time he enters the paint.

"It's almost like if he gets fewer than 20 points, you feel good about yourself," said Iowa coach Fran McCaffery, whose Hawkeyes held Frazier to 18 points last week but lost the game 69-64.

The hard part for Frazier hasn't been squeezing those shots off against taller defenders but simply telling himself to take those shots. When Talor Battle, the program's all-time leading scorer, and three other seniors left the program last season, they took more than 49 points per game with them. Frazier, the only returning starter, knew he would have to take up much of the scoring slack and he has.

"It's taken me a while, and I'm still trying to adjust to the whole 'Taking the shots' thing," said Frazier, who averages 15.1 field-goal attempts, six more than any other Nittany Lion. "I've always been a pass-first, shoot-second guy. But Coach has been helping me since day one in becoming what this team needed for us to win."

Penn State head coach Patrick Chambers, a former point guard himself, has asked for more from Frazier -- the first player he called after he was hired in June -- than from any of his teammates. Chambers looks to Frazier, the only player who has started every game for Penn State this season, for production at both ends of the floor, but also as an extension of his leadership. He's let Frazier take over in-game huddles this season and did the same thing at a recent practice.

"I made them run a little bit, then I looked at Tim and said 'It's your team,' and kind of walked out," Chambers said. "And he

made them run more. ... He's not afraid to say what he feels and not afraid to hurt someone's feelings. I told him, 'Don't be a politician, don't be everybody's best friend. You have to do what's best as a leader.'"

Frazier's new role has meant hard-to-reach standards and plenty of earfuls from his head coach this season, but Frazier hasn't minded, because Chambers verbalized those expectations from the beginning.

"We talked and he said 'This is what I want from you. This is what I want from the team. These are the goals that I'm setting out right now.' This was before he even met all of us and knew what he had on the team," Frazier said. "That's why it's easy when he sends a lot of things at me. Sometimes it can become overwhelming, but I know deep down inside he wants the best for me and he's pushing me to new places that I've never been."

What's pushed Frazier to the top of the Big Ten scoring charts and into view of professional scouts, though, has been the development of his floater -- a running, sometimes one-handed jump shot from the lane. It's a move that best allows Frazier to take advantage of his quickness and 35-inch vertical leap and frustrates would-be shot blockers. It's also one developed out of necessity.

"In high school I was always more athletic and I was able just to finish at the rim -- I didn't need a floater," he said. "And then you get to college and you start to realize that there's 7-footers that are just as athletic as you."

Frazier sought the help of Joe Crispin, a former Penn State star who now plays professionally for a team in the Ukraine. Crispin, a 6-1 guard who relied on a fadeaway jumper, told Frazier he wished he would have developed a floater as a college player but worked with him on it during the summer.

"You want to practice shooting that shot 20 different ways," Crispin said. "In a game, that's how it works. You have to discipline yourself to practice in a controlled format so when game time, comes it's there."

With Crispin looking on from a court-side seat in the Jordan Center last month, Frazier coaxed in a floater with eight seconds left to give Penn State a 54-52 win over Illinois.

Crispin, who has worked with Frazier since his freshman year, credits Frazier with making the difficult task of being the team's top scoring option and simultaneously getting his teammates involved look easy and also thinks he's done a better job of "managing the rhythm of the game" this season.

"As a point guard, I want to determine the rhythm of the game for both teams," Crispin said. "You have to be in tune with your own teams' weaknesses and strengths along with the other teams'. It's when you choose to assert yourself and when you don't. That's a big improvement he's made. In the last couple years, he was reliant on others to manage the game rhythm."

Chambers and Frazier have had many discussions this season about managing the emotional rhythm of the game as well. Frazier, who has been known to grimace at an official's call he didn't like or yell at himself after a turnover, has made an effort to move quickly on to the next play.

"It definitely hasn't been easy," he said. "I wear my emotions on my face. I'd get bad body language. This year coach has really imprinted in me that I can't let that happen, because everybody's watching me all the time. Not just people in the stands and people on television, but my teammates. Being a leader, they flow off of me. If I'm down throughout the game, our team is down. So when I make mistakes or I'm down on myself or things just aren't going right, I try to keep a positive attitude."

Krystal Frazier, who now works as an information specialist for KBR, an engineering and construction company in Houston, watches her brother's games on television and offers feedback over the phone ("He can take it if he wants it," she said, laughing). The struggles the Nittany Lions have had this season remind her of her junior year at Rice, when she had what was a career season interrupted at its halfway point by an Achilles tendon injury.

Her brother has been healthy this season, but he's also had to swallow 16 losses, including eight in a nine-game conference stretch. "I call to see where his head is," Krystal said. "A lot of it is trying to figure out if he's OK. He's OK; he's just stressed."

Krystal remembers Tim as being full of energy from the time he was a child. He would play baseball by himself -- hitting or throwing the ball then chasing after it. She's watched as he has taken that energy to the arenas of the Big Ten for 40 minutes a night but reminds him he now has to instill that kind of drive in his teammates, just as she did at Rice.

"As a leader, you have to be able to push that fight into other players," she said. "It's getting them involved, getting them to feel the same passion you feel ... even if you have to drag them."

Chambers, never satisfied, likes the strides his point guard has made as a leader but wants him to keep making more. Frazier said his teammates have made it easy.

"I'm happy with myself with how I've handled that and I think I can grow so much more," he said. "Leadership is something that never takes a day off. And to be a leader, you have to have people that follow you. And I think my teammates believe in me. My coaches believe in me."

As far as Frazier has come this season, as a scorer, as a distributor and as a leader, Chambers believes he can go further.

"I know how much better he can get," Chambers said, "which is scary."

Chambers building fan base face-to-face

By Jeff Rice jrice@centredaily.com — State College - Centre Daily Times, Feb 24, 2012

STATE COLLEGE — It was an unseasonably warm afternoon one day this week during what has been an unseasonably warm February, and Penn State men's basketball coach Patrick Chambers saw an opportunity.

"I was this close to jumping in the golf cart," he said.

But as much as the Nittany Lions' 40-year-old boss wants to get out among the people, he has a lot of other day-to-day responsibilities this time of year. So Chambers has to get the most out of the time he does get with his fans.

"I want them to have a relationship with me, because that's why they're going to come to the games — win or lose," he said Thursday. "Win or lose, they're going to show up because they like who you are, they appreciate what you're doing and they feel a part of it. I want everybody to feel a part of it."

Chambers smiles, adding: "Coach Paterno did it." For an hour every Thursday evening during the season — provided his team isn't playing that night — Chambers heads to Damon's Grill, a sports-themed restaurant less than a mile from the Bryce Jordan Center, for his weekly radio show.

The format is similar to that of shows featuring former Penn State football coach Joe Paterno and Chambers' predecessor, Ed DeChellis — the coach takes questions from callers or host Steve Jones — with one important difference.

Chambers is seen as well as heard.

On this Thursday night, Chambers arrives a couple minutes after 6 p.m. in gray Penn State sweats. He opens the show by taking a few questions from Jones — what the final few weeks of the season will mean to the team, what went right and wrong the last time the Nittany Lions played Northwestern, their next opponent — then gets his first call of the night. It's Jerry from Philadelphia, a regular visitor to the Paterno show as well as the basketball version. Jerry says he is frustrated that Penn State isn't getting a lot of love from the national media.

"We worry about what we can control," Chambers replies.

A few minutes later, Dave from Sunbury is on the line. He thanks Chambers "for being the coach there," then gets audibly choked up. Chambers — like everyone else listening — isn't quite sure what to make of that until Dave reveals the reason he's emotional: He enjoyed Chambers' tribute to Paterno a few weeks back, when the coach wore black Nikes and rolled-up khakis during the first home game after Paterno's death from lung cancer.

There are questions sent in via Twitter — Will Penn State wear the gray uniforms it is 2-0 in this season again this season ("There's a chance," Chambers says), and what were the Nittany Lions doing to prepare for Saturday's 9 p.m. tip (Chambers said he's keeping his players in the hotel Saturday, which is when Penn State students will celebrate "State Patty's Day")?

There's also a microphone in the room, so fans can take a break from their dinners and ask their questions to Chambers from a few feet away. A student wearing a Nittany Nation T-shirt asks if the coach would rather play Northwestern coming off a win or a loss. His friend asks Chambers to share his thoughts on THON. A few minutes later, an elderly fan asks about the "new line" on the court this season, and Chambers explains how it's used to determine charge/block calls.

Some of it's basketball, some isn't. It's not entirely different from game night; Chambers has to be ready to adjust on the fly.

"You never know. You're going to get some crazy phone calls sometimes," Chambers says after the show. "We haven't gotten any disgruntled calls yet. But I'm sure it's gonna happen soon, and it's OK. That's the job I have."

During commercial breaks, or when one of his players — in this case, freshman guard and Penns Valley alumnus Kevin Montminy — takes a seat and a headset next to Jones, Chambers circles the room, shaking hands and saying hello.

The radio show is another part of what Chambers is trying to do to build Penn State's fan base. The golf cart he toured around campus in last summer is another part, as was serving Big Macs to 200 students at a local McDonald's last week. Most of the patrons in Damon's on Thursday night were there for sandwiches and drinks. They occasionally craned their necks to see Chambers or one of the questioners in the room.

One day, Chambers hopes, the food will be an afterthought on Thursday nights at Damon's.

"As this thing gets going, as we start becoming more successful, this place will be wall to wall," he says. "And that's the vision."

Jonathan Graham and Jermaine Marshall make big shots in Penn State's win over Iowa

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STATE COLLEGE – It's awfully difficult to prevent Tim Frazier from receiving an in-bounds pass when he needs to. But the Iowa Hawkeyes' Matt Gatens and his friends managed to keep Frazier away from a vital one with 27 seconds remaining and Penn State leading by three points on Thursday night at the Jordan Center.

So, PSU's sideline in-bounds man Nick Colella turned toward Jonathan Graham near the baseline and threw him the ball. Seemingly a very big mistake. Graham is a 6-8 center shooting .348 from the free throw line this season. And the Hawkeyes immediately fouled him.

"Of the guys in the game," said Iowa coach Fran McCaffery. "He was the only one" the Hawkeyes would have fouled.

The Lions had just :13 left on the shot clock and conceivably Iowa could have waited it out and got the ball back with :12 or so left and a chance to tie. But a big freshman center needing to make the front end of a one-and-one was too good a percentage for the Hawkeyes to pass up.

Or so they thought.

Graham, son of a pressure player at Maryland, walked up to the line and swished a pair with :25 showing to give PSU a 5-point cushion. They were huge shots in what became a 69-64 win, the Lions' fourth Big Ten victory of a challenging season.

The Hawkeyes' percentage play backfired, thanks to the courage of a kid who believed in himself at a critical moment.

"Big surprise for them, right?" said a grinning Graham.

The freshman has done a lot of dirty work with not much glory this season, as freshman usually are supposed to. He's the Lions' best offensive rebounder and shot-blocker.

But in this game, he was something he's never been – a perfect shooter. Graham hit all three of his field goal attempts from close range and stunningly all four of his free throws. That amounted to a career-high 10 points to go with 6 boards and 2 blocks in 27 minutes.

So, what was he thinking about heading to the foul stripe, knowing that his team's dwindling 66-63 lead could vanish completely if he bricked the front end? Iowa's Gatens had, after all drilled five 3-pointers, all in the second half.

"Going to the line, I had a clear head," said Graham. "I wasn't thinking about anything."

But with a 35-percent average? How?

"I just said to myself, forget about the percentages. Forget about the past. I was concentrating on this game right now."

Was he surprised?

"Not at all."

Whatever he did, it worked. And a kid who was struggling with his shooting might find that two points are worth much more than that.

"I'm fine in practice. Sometimes, the heat of the game, it gets in your head. But, I work really hard at my free throws. Whenever I have free time, I go to the gym."

PSU coach Patrick Chambers was ecstatic for Graham as well:

"I'm just so proud of him to show the confidence to step in there and knock those down. For that kid, it's huge."

For the Nits (12-15, 4-10), it's something small but meaningful. They crawl out of last place at least temporarily ahead of Nebraska.

Penn State led nearly wire-to-wire against the overachieving Hawks (13-13, 5-8) who'd soundly beaten them last week in Iowa City. PSU built leads as large as 16 points early in the second half behind the usual one-man show of point guard Tim Frazier (18 points, 4 assists) and a nice complementary game from Cammeron Woodyard (13 points).

But when Woodyard left with four fouls early in the second half, the Lions' perimeter game dried up and the Hawkeyes bracketing of Frazier and variable zone defenses locked up the PSU offense.

Iowa got it back within 61-59 before two pivotal plays. First Frazier attacked the rim off a scramble from a near-steal near the timeline, going 1-on-3 in the lane to score with a teardrop. Then, Lewisberry's Jermaine Marshall got free at the top of

the key when Iowa sagged on Frazier. Marshall was having a tough shooting night to that point and had only 7 points. But he buried the trey that put the Lions up 66-61 with 1:45 left.

"Tim found me," said Frazier. "And I appreciate that. That's a team thing. I was just moving at the right time."

"Coach always says, 'Shoot with confidence.' And that's what I was trying to remember as I was shooting, actually."

Somebody else followed those same directions soon after.

Penn State getting sneak peek at Newbill

By Jeff Rice jrice@centredaily.com — State College - Centre Daily Times, Feb 15, 2012

UNIVERSITY PARK — Penn State men's basketball coach Patrick Chambers has used six different starting lineup combinations since the Nittany Lions opened Big Ten play on Dec. 29.

He's used at least seven during practice.

Making his way into the rotation as Penn State (11-15, 3-10 Big Ten) heads down the stretch has been D.J. Newbill, the sophomore transfer from Southern Mississippi. Per NCAA rules, Newbill is not permitted to play in games this season, but Chambers is making sure to get all he can out of the versatile 6-foot-4, 210-pound guard during workouts.

"Practices have been really good," Newbill said this week. "I feel like we're getting better. I'm just trying to help my team as much as possible. Sometimes I get a little frustrated not being able to play, but I've just got to focus on being 100 percent and being healthy to play next year."

Newbill spends most of his time on the scout team, putting offensive and defensive pressure on Penn State's starters. But, on occasion, he's also been paired with those starters, which has given the Nittany Lions a private sneak preview of the 2013 season and kept workouts from getting stale for Newbill.

"I've gone through this before with transfers," Chambers said. "You get into late January, February, they lose their focus. They haven't played all season."

Newbill was Chambers' first Philadelphia recruit — technically. The former Strawberry Mansion High School star and 2009 Philadelphia Public League player of the year played his freshman season for the Golden Eagles, averaging 9.2 points

and 6.2 rebounds while shooting 53.5 percent from the field (the current Nittany Lions have just one player, Sasa Borovnjak, shooting better than 43 percent).

Citing a desire to be closer to home, he transferred to Penn State in August. Since, he's been taking on all sorts of assignments for the Nittany Lions.

"He's a competitive person," said Penn State senior guard Cammeron Woodyard. "He'll guard (6-foot-1 point guard) Tim (Frazier), he'll guard (6-11 center) Pete (Alexis), he'll guard (6-8 forward) Jon (Graham), he'll guard anybody he has to.

"He comes out and he plays hard for us."

As he has helped make his teammates better, Newbill believes he's been able to round out his own game as well.

"Last year I really embraced the role of being a good defender and rebounder," he said. "This year so far I've gotten better as a vocal leader, leader by example. My jump shot's getting better. I developed a little floater."

The Nittany Lions, who ranked 326th out of 338 Division I teams in field-goal percentage (.387) heading into this week's games, will look to Newbill to help Frazier with the scoring next season.

"It's fun to watch him and Tim in the backcourt together," Chambers said.

It's also been fun for Chambers to watch a player who isn't contributing on game days earn the respect of his teammates during the other five days of the week.

"D.J.'s definitely got leadership qualities," Chambers said. "He's hungry, wants to get better, wants to see this program get successful."

Point guard Tim Frazier excelling in junior season

By [Stephen Pianovich](#), Collegian Staff Writer

Krystal Frazier remembers when she knew her brother was going to be a great basketball player.

It was well before he scored 22 points in a crucial win over Michigan State in last season's Big Ten Tournament.

It was before he helped lead his high school team to a 37-1 record his senior season.

It was before he got an offer and signed to play basketball at Penn State.

And it was even before he was in middle school.

Krystal watched her brother drive coast to coast and hit a game-winning, buzzer-beating lay-up. And at this time, she knew her brother, Tim, was going to be special.

"I was so excited. It was in this small gym and I was just so proud," Krystal said.

"That's when I knew Tim was going to be a good player because he really took that initiative at a young age, to go down there and score a basket for the rest of his team. He didn't think about it, he didn't hesitate, he went down and scored."

Tim was no more than seven years old when he hit that shot. At least that's how old Krystal remembers him being.

Tim Frazier started playing basketball when he was five years old, and he has not stopped since. Just like his sister, Frazier's mother, Janice, had an inkling that even at a young age her son had great potential.

"When he was little, he always had that special talent, he always had that athletic ability," Janice said. "He had a great knowledge of the game, when he was just little. We always knew he was going to be a good basketball player."

Krystal and Janice were both spot on with their predictions.

Frazier is in the midst of a breakout season in his third year at Penn State, averaging 18.5 points, 5.0 rebounds, 6.4 assists and 37.0 minutes played per game - leading the team in each category.

Leading man

This season Frazier has become the clear-cut leader and the face of a young Penn State team. But this is not the first time the Houston, Texas native has accepted the challenge of leading a team.

When Frazier was a senior in high school at Stake Jesuit College Prep. He helped guide his team to a 37-1 record and reach the state semifinals.

"He was as much of a leader as anyone we ever had come through our program," said Wayne Jones, Frazier's high school coach. "He was one of those guys that was the first one at practice, and one of the last ones to leave. Tim was excellent in the locker room with all of the other players we had and he was great on the floor. He was the type of leader that led by example and then he was also good enough to where he would verbally lead also."

Frazier averaged 15.5 points, 7.7 rebounds and 5.5 assists in his senior campaign in high school and by reaching the state semi-finals, Strake Jesuit went further than any prep school in Texas history.

In addition to Frazier, two other players from that Strake Jesuit team went on to play Division-I basketball.

Joey Brooks -- who led Strake Jesuit in 2008-09 with 22.3 points per game -- is currently averaging 4.1 points per contest in his junior season at Notre Dame. Stevie Rogers was also a teammate's of Frazier in high school and he played at Texas State last season before getting injured.

Jones said Frazier, Brooks and Rogers worked really well together and played off each other, but he knew Frazier was someone he could always count on.

"Tim meant as much as anybody to that team," Jones said. "Tim was that guy, he didn't score all the points every night, he didn't get all the rebounds every night, but he was the glue that kept us together. Whatever we needed, we knew we could get it from Tim."

This season, Frazier was named one of Penn State's captains and with that came the responsibility to set an example for his teammates.

In a Jan. 15 game against Minnesota, Frazier was in the middle of Penn State's huddle, getting in teammate's faces in an effort to get his team going. This is something Chambers lets Frazier do at different points in different games.

Frazier also occasionally writes something motivational on the white board in the locker room before practice and though he has not had these responsibilities at Penn State in the past, Frazier said being a

leader in high school helped him prepare for what he's encountering now.

"Any type of leadership opportunities you can get are going to help you for future opportunities," Frazier said. "It's different now in a college atmosphere, as far as it was in high school, there's a lot of different players that are as good as you or better or compete as well. [High school] helped me out a lot, we had a great season, won many games and me being a leader on that team helped me out a lot."

Waiting his turn

When Frazier committed to Penn State, he knew that for at least his first two seasons, Talor Battle was going to be "the guy" for the Lions.

But Frazier didn't see this as a bad thing, he saw it as an opportunity to learn from one of the best guards to ever wear a Penn State uniform.

Frazier also knew that Battle, along with D.J. Jackson, Jeff Brooks and Andrew Jones -- all seniors and starters last season -- would be gone by this season, giving Frazier a shot to play a bigger role in his junior year.

"I looked at Talor, he was a point guard and I figured I could come [to Penn State] and learn, especially from those four or five guys and Talor at the point guard spot," Frazier said. "And sooner or later, after those guys move on, I'll be able to step in and help the team as much as I want to."

Frazier's first season in Happy Valley was a tough one for the Lions. Penn State finished 11-20 under then-head coach Ed DeChellis, including a dismal 3-15 record in Big Ten play.

However, Frazier had himself a decent freshman campaign. He appeared in 31 games and started 10 and averaged five points along with 2.4 assists in 18.4 minutes per game.

Last season, Frazier earned a starting spot, averaged 30.8 minutes, 6.3 points and a team-best 5.1 assists in 34 games and played along Battle and the three other senior starters on a team that made the NCAA tournament.

Frazier said Battle, who is Penn State's all-time leading scorer with 2,213 points, taught him a lot and at the Lions' media day in early November, he said he "took as much as I could from [Battle] day in and day out."

But now Battle, Brooks, Jackson and Jones have all left Happy Valley, leaving Frazier a chance to step up and be "the guy" at Penn State.

"Those seniors stepped up and they did a good job and Tim just helped them make the team better," Krystal said. "And now it's Tim's turn."

Surprise, surprise?

Frazier has filled up the box score night in and night out this season, and why some people might be surprised to see Frazier consistently put up big numbers, it doesn't come as a shock to those that know him.

Before the season, not many thought of Frazier as a guy who could be a candidate for Big Ten Player of the Year. But even though Penn State currently has an 11-15, record hindering Frazier's chances of winning the award, his consistently good play has at least put him in the conversation.

Former Penn State guard Joe Crispin, who led the Lions to the Sweet 16 in 2001, occasionally works out with the team in the summer and said he thought Frazier was due for this type of breakout season.

"Tim's great. The thing is, I'm not surprised by the season he's having at all," Crispin said. "I wasn't really surprised because I knew what he was capable of, but I'm happy for him. I think it's going to bode well for him in the future. He's going to keep improving, he's a good player and he's only going to get better and better."

Frazier's numbers have him at or near the top in many Big Ten statistical categories. His 18.5 points per game, are good for second in the conference--behind only Northwestern's John Shurna--and his 6.4 assists are best in the Big Ten.

He's just four thefts behind Ohio State's Aaron Craft for the most steals in the Big Ten and Frazier also is 16th in the conference in rebounding -- not bad for a guy who is listed at 6-foot-1.

And while the motto "everything's bigger in Texas" may not apply to Frazier's stature, Jones said he thinks it applies to Frazier's work ethic. This is one of the main reasons Jones has not been surprised by the type of season Frazier is having.

"I saw [this season] coming. There's one thing that separates Tim from other players, and it's that Tim is an outstanding worker, he's going to outwork the next guy," said Jones, who still talks to his former point guard two to three times a week. "Some people said that his jump shot is not where it should have been, well when everybody else is sleeping, when everybody else is doing other things, Tim is in the gym putting up shots. For what he's doing right now, this is not a surprise to me."

In the Lions' latest contest, a 67-51 win over Nebraska last Saturday, Frazier again stuffed the stat sheet, this time coming just one assist shy of a triple-double with 23 points, 10 boards and nine assists.

Just like Crispin and Jones, Chambers has started to foresee big games for Frazier and even thinks he should do what he did against the Cornhuskers more often.

"I see him in practice every day, so I expect what he did on Saturday more," Chambers said. "That's why I think he still has a lot of room to get better, which is scary."

Adjusting to the spotlight

Even without all of the statistics, by being the lone returning starter, Frazier was one of the main focal points on opposing coaches' scouting reports this season when they faced Penn State.

But even with extra attention from opposing defenses, Frazier has not let it slow him down.

"I think he's embraced the fact that he's the guy night in and night out, and that he's going to mentor these guys on a young basketball team," Jones said. "He looks forward to getting out there and doing what needs to be done to help Penn State be the best it can possibly be, every practice and every game."

Entering tonight's game with Iowa with 480 points, 167 assists and 56 steals, Frazier is just 20 points away from becoming the first player in Penn State basketball history to score 500 points, dish out 150 assists and collect 50 steals in a single season.

It's easy to look at Frazier's statistics and compare them to his teammates and say Frazier is carrying the team. But he does not see it that way.

"I don't really look at myself as carrying the team. All my teammates really work hard, all these other guys that have been here have played, so it's not really all on my shoulders as far as leading," Frazier said. "I am the leader of the team, but coach helps me out a lot throughout each day."

Although Frazier is about 1,500 miles away, he still constantly talks to his family in Texas. Frazier said it's tough to be so far away from his family members, but consistently talking to them makes it easier and Frazier's parents get to come to a few games each season.

Krystal said she talks with her brother almost every day, and being a former Division-I basketball player herself, she can give Frazier advice when he needs it.

Krystal played at Rice and was an All-Conference USA third-team selection her junior season.

Some of the biggest advice that Krystal said she gave her brother about being a student-athlete was to be a student first and she added her whole family is big on education. Frazier must have taken this advice to heart as he earned Academic All-Big Ten honors last season.

After Frazier hit his game-winner when he was seven, he said he talked about it the whole car ride home. Krystal told him she wanted to see him do the same thing when he was older.

On Jan. 19, Frazier did

Weaving through a couple of Illinois defenders, Frazier hit a floater in the lane with eight seconds left and it proved to be the game-deciding basket in Penn State's 54-52 win over the Fighting Illini in the Bryce Jordan Center.

Krystal -- now with her prediction of nearly 15 years ago coming to fruition on a large stage -- said she knew her brother could handle everything that has been thrown at him this season.

"Tim is a very smart and tough, minded person. It may seem like it's all on his shoulders, but he knew this day would come where he would have more opportunity," Krystal said. "Going from an underclassman to an upperclassman, you know you're going to have more publicity, you're going to get more touches, you're going to get more time. Tim knew about this, he knew it would come and honestly, I think Tim has handled this better than anyone else I know."

Chambers is the (Big) Mac Daddy

By [Mark Brennan](#)

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Penn State basketball coach takes care of a student section that was hungry for more than just a win after the Nittany Lions whipped Nebraska last weekend.

[Penn State](#) broke a five-game losing streak with a 67-51 win over [Nebraska](#) at the Bryce Jordan Center Saturday. But despite seeing their team emerge victorious for only the third time in 13 Big Ten outings, the denizens of the student section let out a collective groan when the final buzzer sounded.

They were hungry for more.

Penn State reached 67 points with 2:22 left in the game before coach Pat Chambers cleared his bench. The Lions did not score the rest of the way, and dribbled out the final 13 seconds without even attempting a shot.

It was a nice show of sportsmanship. But it also cost fans in attendance free



hamburgers. Thanks to a promotional deal with McDonald's, every time Penn State reaches 70 points in a game, those in attendance can redeem their used tickets for a free Big Mac.

Hence the groans from the student section, which was part of the team's biggest home crowd of the year (13,103).

"I wanted them to get the Big Macs," Chambers said after the game. "I just didn't want to do that to Doc (Sadler, Nebraska's coach)."

But as it turned out, the students didn't go hungry after all. Always looking for creative promotional angles in his first season at the helm of the Lions, Chambers decided to foot the bill for 200 Big Macs.

He and members of his staff showed up at the McDonald's on College Avenue in downtown State College Wednesday afternoon to go behind the counter and hand out the free sandwiches to anyone with a ticket from Saturday's game or a T-

shirt from the student section, which has been tabbed "Nittany Nation."

Donning a Penn State basketball jacket and Shamrock Shake hat, Chambers shook hands with each student as he handed them a Big Mac. He signed autographs and posed for photos. And he made a point of asking each one of them to attend Thursday night's home game with [Iowa](#).

"I just felt like the students were kind of bummed out that we didn't shoot the last shot," Chambers said. "So on Monday I was thinking, I want to do something nice, and get them a meal. They're always supporting the program. I want them to come back out and to support the team because they're working hard and they deserve a good crowd."

The 42-year-old admitted to never having served Big Macs before.

"But I've had my share of 'em," he said with a laugh.

Chambers adding local flavor to Lions

By Jeff Rice — State College - Centre Daily Times, Feb 10, 2012

In eight seasons at Penn State, Ed DeChellis brought more than two dozen recruits to Penn State. Three of them -- including one transfer -- were from or around Philadelphia. And one of those -- point guard Ben Luber -- was technically recruited by predecessor Jerry Dunn.

In eight months at Penn State, Patrick Chambers has received commitments or signed letters of intent from five players. Three of them -- including one transfer -- were from or around Philadelphia.

That's a big difference and, though only time will tell, the quality of those players seems as though it could be vastly different as well.

The Nittany Lions got a commitment Thursday from Brandon Austin, a versatile Class of 2013 guard from Imhotep Charter, the defending PIAA Class AA state champion. The stringy 6-foot-6 Austin is poised to join D.J. Newbill, a transfer from Southern Mississippi who played at Strawberry Mansion High School in Philly, and Brandon Taylor, who plays for Trenton Catholic High in New Jersey but plays his AAU ball in Philadelphia for Team Philly, of which Austin is also a member.

Throw in 2013 guard Geno Thorpe of Shaler, at the other end of the state, and

you've got the foundation for not only a solid future roster but a strong start to establishing a consistent and effective recruiting presence in Pennsylvania.

"We've got to recruit across the country," Chambers said Friday. "We've got to recruit the best players we can get, and it's not easy to do. But to be able to go into those areas and get players, that's critical."

Chambers cannot, by NCAA rule, talk about specific prospects until they're signed. But the Philadelphia native was undoubtedly thrilled to have received a commitment from Austin, who is considered one of the state's top-five prospects and was being pursued by the likes of Villanova, Syracuse and Georgetown.

The Nittany Lions are not going to be able to compete with Ohio State and Michigan State for Big Ten championships until they are able to compete against Villanova, Pitt and Temple for the best players in the state. Chambers and his staff will still need to mine different regions of Pennsylvania for top players but Philadelphia, because of the high level of competition in the high school programs as well as the AAU teams, will continue to churn out a high percentage of them.

"It's the coaching, the high schools, the rivalries," Chambers said. "You think about how many Philadelphia born and bred college coaches there are out across the country, it's crazy. Everybody wants to say New York and New Jersey -- Philly is a hotbed area for talent."

It's also becoming an area with more blue-and-white flags stuck in the ground.

It's tough to see Oliver's career draw to a close

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Things were finally starting to look good for Billy Oliver.

After three years filled with redshirts, missed 3-pointers and numerous battles with head injuries, Oliver became a fixture in coach Patrick Chambers' starting lineup this season.

Entering this season, Oliver had made just 11 3-pointers and was shooting 25 percent from beyond the arc, but then things changed for the 6-foot-8 forward.

In addition to earning a starting spot this season, Oliver took on a larger leadership role for a young Nittany Lions team and

he started shooting the ball with confidence.

Oliver's coming out party came on Jan. 5 when he hit seven treys in Penn State's 20-point drubbing of Purdue, and he followed it up with some good shooting in the Lions' next game against Indiana.

A week after the Indiana game, Penn State welcomed Minnesota to the Bryce Jordan Center on a Sunday afternoon. Oliver had a rough day with only one point in 25 minutes against the Golden Gophers and it was later revealed that Oliver threw up at halftime.

When it was initially reported, Chambers said he thought Oliver just had a stomach bug, and it did not seem like a big deal at the time. But this was the beginning of the end for Oliver.

Head injuries and concussions are scary, scary things, so throughout Oliver's career he always had to err on the side of caution. When Oliver started sitting out games after the Lions' loss to Minnesota, people started wondering if they would ever see Oliver play in a Penn State uniform again.

Though Oliver did play in two games in the past 10 days, his return was short-lived.

This past week, Oliver made what will probably be one of the toughest decisions of his life and ended his playing career.

And it's a shame.

It's tough to see anyone have to cut their career short, but especially a guy like Billy Oliver. I've only had a few encounters with Oliver, but he comes across as a genuinely nice and unselfish person. And from what I can tell, the former Homecoming king at Chatham High School in New Jersey, is well liked by those who know him.

In what turned out to be an emotional postgame press conference after Penn State's win over Nebraska on Saturday, Tim Frazier was almost in tears when talking about his teammate and roommate hanging it up. Chambers paid Oliver one of the highest compliments one can when he addressed the media, and said he hopes his son, Ryan, grows up to be like Billy, calling Oliver a "great kid with big time character."

Oliver will end his career with a 30.9 shooting percentage from downtown, which is not a great shooting clip by any means. But it undeservedly made Oliver the butt of some jokes made by Penn State fans and students, and the general consensus of people who followed Penn State basketball seemed to be that Oliver

was just a tall kid who shot (and missed) a bunch of 3-pointers.

I say "undeservedly" not just because Oliver is a nice kid, but because while he had more bad shooting nights than good ones, he was still the kind of guy you would want on your team. Oliver was the player who would always hustle and would pick up a teammate when he was down.

I am not sure if I ever saw a player take as many charges as Oliver did this season, and that's what he was about on and off the court: making sacrifices for the betterment of the team.

Oliver was looking out for his teammates as well as himself when he decided to end his playing career. Part of what went into Oliver's decision to call it quits was that he wasn't sure if he could give it 100 percent of the time and said it would be selfish for him to continue playing.

Unselfishness seems like a trait you see less and less of in this day and age, and it's something Oliver personifies. The Billy Olivers of the world are the people you should root for, which makes the end of his career even tougher to see.

PSU Hoop Coach Honors JoePa

Pat Chambers

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Pat Chambers sported black sneakers and rolled up pant legs as a tribute to Joe Paterno when the Nittany Lions faced Wisconsin Tuesday.

The [Penn State](#) basketball team faced No. 19 [Wisconsin](#) at the Bryce Jordan Center Tuesday night, marking the Nittany Lions' first home game since the Jan. 22 passing of Hall of Fame PSU football coach Joe Paterno.

And first-year Penn State basketball coach Patrick Chambers was dressed for the occasion.

To honor Paterno, Chambers was decked out in the same type of attire Paterno wore while pacing the Beaver Stadium sideline through the decades, including a blue jacket (and tie), khakis and black Nike sneakers.

And, of course, Chambers has his pant legs rolled up, just like Paterno used to do.

"It was a tribute to Coach Paterno, and what he's done and what he's meant to this university," Chambers said after the game, a 52-46 loss.

Chambers came up with the plan to dress like JoePa after last Thursday's tribute to Paterno, which was held in the Jordan Center.

Penn State's basketball coaching staff was scheduled to wear sneakers Tuesday as part of the annual Coaches vs. Cancer "Suits & Sneakers" week. Chambers just took it a few steps further to honor Paterno and help the cause.

"It's also for Coaches vs. Cancer awareness," Chambers said. "I wanted to bring that to the forefront and make sure people know that I'm on board. We're going to work extremely hard with Coaches vs. Cancer and do what we can to beat cancer."

Paterno died after a bout with lung cancer. He was 85.

Lions welcome No. 19 Badgers

Alexis To Transfer

By Jeff Rice jrice@centredaily.com, Jan 31, 2012

UNIVERSITY PARK — Peter Alexis could, conceivably, still wind up seeing some game time this season. But it's unlikely the Penn State big man will be with the squad once the summer arrives.

Both Alexis and Penn State coach Patrick Chambers indicated Monday that the 6-foot-10 freshman from Wilkes-Barre hopes to transfer to another program following the season.

Alexis said the coach and player spoke shortly after Penn State's game against St. Joseph's in late November about Alexis' future role. At that point, he hadn't seen any game action and, two months later, still has yet to log his first college minutes. Chambers told reporters Monday that Alexis was not officially redshirting the season but had to earn his playing time like everyone else on the team.

Chambers said that playing time was the reason for Alexis' decision.

"He's having a good time, he's getting better every day, but he wants to play," Chambers said Monday. "And I can't

promise him that right now. He wanted the truth."

Chambers credited Alexis for being honest with him about his goals.

"He wants me to be able to go somewhere where I can be happy, and make sure I have an impact," Alexis said Monday.

Alexis said he is considering Division II programs, including Philadelphia University, Chambers' alma mater, and added that the coach has been calling contacts there on Alexis' behalf. The two discussed the possibility of Alexis remaining with the squad as a walk-on but decided against it.

"He said he'd love to have me on the team; I'd definitely be a walk-on," Alexis said. "We both talked about it and considered it, but at this point we thought with how hard I'd been working and putting into myself, just as an investment, changing myself as a player, that it wouldn't be the best to stay here and just play the bench. I'd be able to go somewhere else and make an impact."

Alexis said it was "a hard decision for Coach Chambers to make" but that he wasn't upset about it.

"There are no hard feelings," Alexis said. "I'm always going to be a part of this program and friends with Coach Chambers and all the guys here."

Penn State signed New Jersey forward Brandon Taylor in the fall signing period and is expected to sign Massachusetts guard Akosa Maduegbunam in the spring. Alexis' departure would give the Nittany Lions one more available scholarship for the Class of 2012.

Penn State (10-12, 2-7 Big Ten) will host a ranked opponent for the fourth straight game when No. 19 Wisconsin (17-5, 6-3) visits the Bryce Jordan Center at 8 p.m. this evening.

The Badgers, once again led by senior guard Jordan Taylor, ride into town on a five-game winning streak during which they've held opponents to 55.4 points per game. Chambers, who coached for five seasons in the Big East, compared Badgers' defensive style of play to what he typically saw from the Pitt Panthers.

"They just take your legs out and play physical," Chambers said. "They play like Georgetown on offense — flex movement, back cut."

After last Wednesday's 24-point loss at Ohio State, Chambers gave the Nittany Lions Thursday off. They did some weightlifting and shooting Friday and then practiced Saturday and Sunday. Chambers

said some time away from him might have been good for his squad as the calendar approaches February.

"I don't want to be like the teacher in 'Peanuts,'" he said, smiling.

Joe Crispin: Penn State point guard Tim Frazier's winning shot against Illinois indicates his potential

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Yes, the Big Ten is a formless mass without an elite team other than Ohio State. No, the Penn State Nittany Lions have not yet faced the league's two best sides — OSU and Michigan State — and those meetings, both on the road within the next three weeks, could get ugly.

But forget all that for a moment. What Patrick Chambers' young Nits have accomplished with a very good point guard in Tim Frazier and basically a bunch of freshman and sophomore mutts has been remarkable.

A lot of that is due to Chambers. This is a 5-win Big Ten team. Maybe. It has to be as close to maxing its potential as any in the nation. Its 54-52 defeat of No. 22-ranked Illinois was about being tougher, smarter and putting the ball in its best player's hands with the game on the line.

That man is Frazier.

The 5-11 junior from Houston has trended a steady climb in skills, expertise and poise since he arrived at PSU 2½ years ago. It was that summer of 2009 when he first met one of his prime mentors, former Nittany Lion great Joe Crispin, taking an off-season break from his professional career, then in Italy.

"He's a great kid," said Crispin on Friday in State College. "He wants to learn. He always wants to get better.

"And he's willing to face up to his weaknesses and say, 'Yeah, I wanna improve those things because I wanna be a better player.'"

That last part is what's developing Frazier into a bonafide pro prospect. He is a true point guard but also is turning himself into a legit scorer. And while Crispin also worked in the summer with the more celebrated scoring combo guard Talor Battle, now playing in France, it is Frazier who has real NBA potential. The difference is athletic – quickness and spring, with or without the ball.

Crispin is home for two weeks from his current team in Mariupol, Ukraine, because he hurt an adductor muscle in November and it's been nagging him. The rehab options in State College with PSU trainer John Salazer and at Victory Sports & Fitness are worlds better.

In the meantime, he's enjoyed some rare in-season sessions with his latest protege.

"A lot of guys are willing to own up at what they're weak at," said Crispin. "But not everyone's willing to put in the work necessary to improve on those things. Tim has improved not only on his jump shot but his mid-range game."

Crispin specifically cited the teardrop 12-footer with :09 left that broke a 52-52 tie with Illinois and proved the winning points. Frazier would have had neither the opportunity nor the game to make that shot last year.

This season he's acquired Battle's scoring role while having to nurture a bunch of raw kids. A less poised 21-year-old would have simply hoisted the scoring mantle and attempted to fill it up every night however possible. Frazier has walked the tightrope between provider and facilitator – not an easy trick when working with eight first-year D-I players and four holdovers, none of whom averaged even 3 points per game in 2010-11.

I heard a debate on who's the best point guard in the Big Ten on one of the BTN talk shows Thursday night after the game. I'm a big Tim Doyle fan, as I've expressed in this space before. But I could not believe what emanated from him here: He'd take Wisconsin's Jordan Taylor over Frazier. I just don't think he's seen enough of Frazier.

Last year at this time? Sure. Now? It's not even a close call.

Frazier is managing a team of inert matter, a group so lacking in scoring potential that he must practically hand-deliver every assist within a yard of the rack. No one else on the team can do what he must do. He accounts for 47.1 of PSU's assists while he's on the floor, an astounding

number that ranks No. 1 among every player in the nation according to tempo-free stat guru Ken Pomeryo (kenpom.com).

And yet he's managed to score at a 17.9-ppg rate, second in the Big Ten, mainly by penetrating and getting to the free throw line. His 6.9 fouls drawn per 40 minutes ranks 23rd nationally.

His shooting? Better. Still a work in progress. And that's certainly a task Crispin can help him tackle:

"That floater he hit to win the game – that's something I've talked to him about numerous times. He's just so quick, he can get that floater up in the lane almost anytime he wants.

"But you have to work on it and then make it a point to utilize it in a game. I thought that shot was just a window to his improvement. Because he shot it with confidence. He shot it at a critical moment.

"And I, for one – because I've so enjoyed working with him and seeing him develop – I was just really excited for him."

Should be many more such moments in the future. If his past is a valid indicator, Tim Frazier's game is not done trending upward.

Glover exemplifies PSU's team concept

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UNIVERSITY PARK — Matt Glover took a grand total of three shots in Penn State's 88-82 loss to No. 12 Indiana on Sunday.

He also grabbed five rebounds, drilled all four of his free throws, collected three steals and three assists, ran the point after Tim Frazier fouled out in the final minutes, guarded everyone from point guard Verdell Jones III to power forward Christian Watford, and played the majority of his 32 minutes with a nasty cut on his left hand as the Nittany Lions nearly knocked off the Hoosiers.

It was all in a day's work for a player who might best exemplify the team-first, know-your-role approach that has Penn State playing its best basketball of the season.

"I feel like my role is more of a defensive presence, getting stops, just being an energy guy, being kind of the leader on the defensive end," Glover said. "On offense, moving the ball, attacking when I

drive, getting good shots, better shot selection. I'm fine with my role, as long as it's putting us in positions to win."

Glover, a 6-foot-5 sophomore who played at Sheridan (Wyo.) Community College last season, sat down with coach Patrick Chambers shortly before the start of the Big Ten season and talked about what his role would be. Chambers has had similar — and numerous — discussions with all of his players during his first season at Penn State, which continues its season Wednesday at Nebraska.

"We tell guys what we expect from them on a daily basis," Chambers said. "What their role is and strengths and weaknesses are. Everybody's got to know what their strengths are."

Chambers has gotten some veteran players to expand on their strengths. Frazier, the team's leader in just about every statistical category, has developed into a scorer as well as the team's primary distributor. Junior forward Billy Oliver has become a confident long-range shooter.

But the coach has done the most work with the first-year players, getting them to accept their limitations and tailor their games to those of the upperclassmen while focusing on building up their fundamentals.

"A lot of us freshmen they didn't recruit, so this is the first time they've really seen us show off our talents," freshman forward Ross Travis said. "Everybody has a role on this team. My role right now is to defend and rebound and be the 'junk-yard dog.' Hustle all the time. Over the next few years they'll work with me. I planned on that."

Early in the season, the Nittany Lions didn't seem to have such a grasp of their roles. During the last few games, though, they're getting a better idea of how many minutes they'll see and when they'll get into the game. Chambers said Monday -- Frazier, Glover, Jermaine Marshall, Oliver and Jon Graham -- Penn State's gone with the last two games.

"It wasn't going to come all together right away," Glover said. "With a new coach, everybody's adjusting. Some guys just know their role right away -- Tim, Cam (Woodyard) playing last year and everything. They were kind of the guys that everybody else had to look to because they'd been here, they knew what it was going to take. So picking them as leaders was the perfect spot to start. They've been doing a great job of getting everybody to buy in."

Glover, who has averaged 4.6 points, 8.0 rebounds and 3.3 assists during the last three games, has apparently bought in. And the Nittany Lions like the things he's

doing that don't show up on the stat sheet even more.

"The future's bright for him," Chambers said.

Young Penn State basketball team loses 88-82 to Indiana but fights for coach Patrick Chambers

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STATE COLLEGE — One of the most beloved teams in the history of college basketball did not have a winning record and was never seen on live television. They just scrambled their way into the hearts of their fans.

They were the 1990 Kentucky Wildcats, the first UK team led by an energetic 38-year-old Rick Pitino. The Cats didn't have much talent. Most of the guys who played were teenagers still learning the game. They were crippled by NCAA sanctions levied against transgressions of a prior regime.

But the fiery Pitino convinced them that if they applied themselves totally and played with passion and a sense for detail they could compete in one of the nation's toughest conferences.

And a fan base expecting very little fell in love with the 14-14 team. They soon earned a nickname — The Unforgettables. And two years later, led by a core of seniors, they got within an eyelash of the Final Four, losing to No. 1-ranked defending national champion Duke 104-103 in a college game many consider the best ever played.

There will never be a basketball tradition at Penn State resembling that of Kentucky. Not nearly enough people in this region appreciate the game.

But sooner or later, enough will have to start at least noticing what new PSU coach Patrick Chambers is doing up in State College. They haven't yet. They may not this year. But they'll have to eventually. Because he is going to build a big winner. He's doing it now. Just the foundation, so far. But if you're paying attention, the signs are unmistakable.

And the more appreciative people who actually wander up to the Jordan Center to take notice this season will feel a special bond with this team as it is. Years from now, they will recall this group fondly, the way a father remembers his tough little 5-year-old learning to ride a bike without training wheels, careening into thorn bushes and fire hydrants and skinning his knees and getting up to ride again.

That is something like what I saw on Sunday afternoon. Penn State lost to a much better No. 12-ranked Indiana team, 88-82, and fell to 9-8 overall, 1-3 in the Big Ten.

Four Nittany Lions playing in their first season of D-I basketball logged a total of 88 minutes. Only one PSU starter, junior point guard Tim Frazier, played substantial minutes on last year's NCAA tournament team. If this motley assemblage played for the prior two regimes in State College, they'd be getting blown off the floor by a group like the Hoosiers (15-1, 3-1).

And Indiana played very well on Sunday. Tom Crean's Hoosiers, alerted by Thursday's stunning 20-point dismantlement of Purdue by PSU, took nothing for granted. They played with precision and togetherness and, most of all, machinelike marksmanship, hitting 16 3-pointers in 24 attempts -- one shy of the Big Ten record for made treys.

But the Lions would not crack, would not relent, refused to submit, even though the speckled gathering of about 6,000 fans (announced as a "paid attendance" of 8,250) included a substantial and loud percentage of Crimson-clad Hoosier backers.

I don't know that I've ever seen a team play closer to its potential. Chambers, a man enveloped in positive vibes, has to be the reason.

"Coach [Chambers] preaches effort," said sophomore Jermaine Marshall of Etters whose 20 points was second on the team only to Frazier's 21. "He preaches play as hard as you can.

"And he's that type of guy, an energy guy. He brings everything he has to work every day. So, we see that as a team and try to return the favor."

The problem is, right now, State's potential is limited. While PSU's defense was quick enough on Thursday to limit penetration by a slower-footed Purdue team, it suffered a number of drive-bys at the hands of IU's darting perimeter of Verdell Jones and Jordan Hulls. When help defense was necessary, the synchronous Hoosiers quickly rotated the ball however many times it took to find the open man.

Very often, he was behind the 3-point arc. Fifteen times it was either junior Hulls, a classic Indiana quick-trigger from Bloomington or senior Matt Roth, the all-time Illinois high school 3-point record-holder. Twelve times, one of those two hit the bottom of the net. Hulls finished with 28 points, Roth with 22. At one point midway in the first half, IU hit five consecutive shots — all treys — on five possessions.

Still, the Lions kept responding after each salvo. They trailed the entire second half, by as many as 11 (76-65), and saw Frazier foul out with 1:34 left. Yet, with tough soph rookie Matt Glover playing the point, they three times carved the difference to 2 points in the final minute. Each time, Indiana responded with made free throw pairs, 10 straight to end the game.

This was not the Lions' day. There will be many others like it this season. But they will have theirs. And by a few fans, 2012 will be remembered well.

Breakthrough: Penn State beats Purdue

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UNIVERSITY PARK — Matt Painter has made a career of coaching, in addition to the occasional star, players who do the dirty work, guys who draw charges and collect floor burns and gobble up every loose ball. Purdue's head coach saw one such player on the floor Thursday night.

This one played for Penn State. Billy Oliver had a career night from the 3-point line and Tim Frazier directed the pace as usual, but Penn State's 65-45 upset over Purdue in the Bryce Jordan Center had a lot to do with the play of Matt Glover.

The sophomore guard had just two points but grabbed 11 rebounds, dished out five assists and personified the scrappy play of his team from start to finish as the Nittany Lions (9-7, 1-2 Big Ten) picked up their first conference victory under Patrick Chambers.

"He's one of the hardest working guys on the team day in and day out," Frazier said of Glover, a transfer from Sheridan Community College. "He guards the best player, gets crucial defensive rebounds, tap backs, gets on the floor. He just does whatever the team needs for us to win."

Oliver battled foul trouble for most of the evening and played only 25 minutes but made the most of them. He connected on 7 of 11 shots, all of the 3-point variety, for a career-high 21 points.

"It's about time a couple fell, huh?" said Oliver, who had connected on 33 percent of his 3-point tries coming into the game.

Oliver made two threes to extend Penn State's lead to 62-43 in the final minutes, but his biggest shot of the night came from the top of the key after Frazier — who had nine assists — drove the baseline and found the 6-foot-8 forward with a sharp one-handed pass. It was part of a 7-0 Penn State run that pushed the lead back to 11 points after the Boilermakers (12-4, 2-1) had quickly cut a 14-point halftime deficit to four points in the first five minutes of the second half.

"We took that run and then we turned it right back around," Chambers said. "It was great for this group to take a couple hits and get back up and throw some hits."

Frazier had 15 points on 7-of-20 shooting, Jermaine Marshall had 10 points and Sasa Borovnjak was a perfect 4-of-4 for eight points off the bench. But it was the hustle and effort of players like Jon Graham, who made his first career start, walk-on Nick Colella, who played 17 minutes for a thin Penn State backcourt, and Glover that set the early tone.

Graham, starting in place of injured senior guard Cammeron Woodyard (strained hamstring), scored the game's first basket. Colella drew a charge on Purdue's best player, Robbie Hummel, right in front of the Penn State bench in the opening minutes.

It was the sort of energy and effort the Nittany Lions had been hoping for after Chambers put the team through two three-hour practices this week.

"There was no doubt in my mind we were gonna come out and compete," Frazier said. "I didn't know what the score was going to be but I knew we were gonna compete."

The result was the kind of 40-minute doggedness that Painter's Boilermakers have been known for, but the visitors didn't show much fight Thursday. Hummel had 14 points and guard D.J. Byrd scored 12 off the bench. Ryne Smith was 1-of-7 from 3-point range and had five points and point guard Lewis Jackson was scoreless and had just two assists in 20 minutes. Purdue forced only 10 turnovers and was out-rebounded 38-26 by the Nittany Lions.

"We had poor leadership," Painter said. "Our seniors didn't have guys ready to

play and they weren't ready to play themselves."

Chambers must now turn his young team's attention to Sunday's noon matchup with No. 12 Indiana. The Nittany Lions have shown they can come back from two lopsided defeats. Now they must prove they can come back with similar effort after one of their most lopsided Big Ten wins in years.

"I'm not pulling back at all," Chambers said. "If I let up a little bit, they'll let up a little bit. So I'm going to keep driving them. And you know what, they want it."

Lions focused on consistency

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UNIVERSITY PARK — Early in the season, Patrick Chambers was asked what his team would do to prepare for its next opponent. Penn State's head basketball coach replied that his focus was on what the Nittany Lions were doing, not what their opponent was going to do.

That opponent was Kentucky, then the nation's second-ranked team. Most coaches usually say similar things when their squads are overmatched.

But Chambers maintained that mindset through the remainder of Penn State's non-conference season and the first week of the Big Ten season, and he isn't changing it as the Nittany Lions (8-7) begin a tough two-game homestand with tonight's 8 p.m. game against Purdue (12-3) in the Bryce Jordan Center.

"It's still gotta be about us," Chambers said Wednesday. "Making the right rotations, defense, rebounding ... The last two days (of practice) was all about us, how we compete, how we try to play for 40 minutes. Until I feel like we're there, it's always gonna be about us."

Last season, a Penn State team that started four seniors knew what most of the teams in a senior-heavy Big Ten were going to do just as those teams knew what the Nittany Lions would do. This Penn State team, led by a new coaching staff with minimal Big Ten experience and filled with players who had never played in a Big Ten game, is preparing for the Boilermakers and every other conference team but still trying to develop its own identity and iron out fundamentals first.

"I think everybody kind of figures themselves out first and what things they have to work on before they work on their opponents," said point guard Tim Frazier, the only Lion with more than two Big Ten starts entering the season. "Because if we

can't do the things that we do right, then it's going to be hard for us to try to do what we do right and be able to stop the opponent."

From a game experience standpoint, Chambers' team is the youngest in the conference.

In its first two Big Ten games — losses at Michigan and at Northwestern — it played like it. Chambers, just as he was in the early part of the season, is looking for consistency and mental toughness from his young players, who have delivered both in small doses.

"They can compete and hang and battle for 20-25 minutes," Chambers said. "Then they hit that rut, human nature sets in and they get fatigued mentally. And then they give in ... they eventually pick it back up but by that time you're down 12. ... I wish we had more veterans to teach the younger guys how to do it, but they're learning on the job."

The Boilermakers lost stars JaJuan Johnson and E'Twaun Moore to graduation but return fifth-year senior Robbie Hummel, one of the league's top all-around players, and are playing customarily rugged defense thanks to veterans like Lewis Jackson and Kelsey Barlow.

"Tough, hard-nosed, gritty basketball," Chambers said. "That's what we're trying to set up here."

Jackson, Barlow and guard Terone Johnson will likely take turns bracketing Frazier, Penn State's top playmaker. The last time the two teams met, Purdue held Penn State leading scorer Talor Battle to 14 points on 5 of 15 shooting.

"I've seen it firsthand for two years — teams trying to shut down Talor," Frazier said. "Purdue guards you full-court, they pressure you throughout the game, they have great guards, quick guards, and they try to get into you. You have to protect the ball at all times, make crisp passes. If you make hard cuts and make them defend for 20 seconds, you'll be able to get good shots."

Frazier, who leads the Big Ten with 6.7 assists per game and is third in scoring at 17.3 points per game, is one of only a couple of capable ball handlers on Penn State's roster, but Chambers thinks he can get better scoring opportunities when he doesn't have it in his hands the entire time.

"He's doing a better job giving the ball up and getting it back and then going to make plays," Chambers said, "and that's what it's gotta be."

Heating up: Lions offset cold shooting by getting hot beyond the arc

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UNIVERSITY PARK — The fans cheered when Trey Lewis' 3-pointers fell through the net.

His coach was pleased with the way the freshman guard hounded the opponent's top shooter.

Lewis played a solid game at both ends of the floor Wednesday and was part of a strong long-range effort in the second half of Penn State's 74-67 win over Cornell in the Bryce Jordan Center.

Lewis, now fully recovered from the ankle injury that had bothered him earlier in the season, was 4 of 6 from the 3-point line and one of four Nittany Lions in double figures with 13 points.

Penn State (8-5) made 10 of 24 threes Wednesday, connecting on half of its 14 tries in the second half.

"It felt really good to get out there and be able to give a contribution to the team," said Lewis, who had scored a total of 15 points in five games since his 12-point effort against Youngstown State in late November. "My teammates did a really good job of finding open players tonight."

As he said that, he motioned to Tim Frazier, who added six assists to his 17-point, 11-rebound tally. But, for the second straight game, Frazier got scoring help from several sources.

Jermaine Marshall, who had 12 points, broke a 64-64 tie with a pair of free throws with 1:27 to play, then made it a four-point game with his drive through traffic with 35 seconds left.

Cammeron Woodyard, who had all 13 of his points in the second half, made four clutch free throws in the final minute, sandwiching them around a 3-pointer from Cornell's Drew Ferry, who had 20 points and was 6 of 11 from the arc.

It was a stark contrast to the way the Nittany Lions had gone down the stretch in losses to Mississippi, Lafayette and Duquesne earlier in the month.

"We wanted to be able to finish out on a good note," Frazier said. "Those three losses earlier prepared us for these two games, where we knew we had to finish strong."

The Nittany Lions have struggled in the first half for much of the season and Wednesday was no exception. They shot 31 percent from the field and committed 10 turnovers in the first 15 minutes. Penn State erased an early eight-point deficit to take a 28-26 lead but trailed 31-30 at halftime following a 3-pointer by Ferry.

Patrick Chambers' team came out firing in the second half, though. A pair of threes by Lewis 30 seconds apart made it 49-42 Penn State with just over 12 minutes remaining, then two threes by Woodyard — less than two minutes apart — made it 59-55 with about six minutes to play. Billy Oliver, who had nine points, added two threes of his own in the half.

It didn't look like a Penn State team that had shot 32 percent from 3-point range in its first 12 games.

"They haven't really shot that well all year," Cornell coach Bill Courtney said, shaking his head. "You have to give them credit for making the plays."

Shonn Miller had 15 points and Galal Cancer added 10 for the Big Red (4-6), which shot 37.7 percent to Penn State's 37.5. Cornell committed 16 turnovers, which Penn State turned into 16 points.

Penn State turned the ball over just twice in the second half and connected on 13 of 17 free throws in the final 20 minutes. The Nittany Lions now turn their attention to a Big Ten season that will require similar poise on a nightly basis. Penn State visits Michigan on Dec. 29.

"We're building here," Chambers said. "These kids are playing hard. They're getting better every day, every game. Even when we lose I feel like somebody's getting better."

Red Land grad making impact for Penn State men's basketball team

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It hasn't been easy for Jermaine Marshall to get to where he is today.

After tearing his patella tendon prior to his senior year at Red Land, Marshall had to sit out during his first year on the Penn State men's basketball team and allow time for his injury to heal.

He finally made it onto the floor last year as a redshirt freshman, playing in 28 games for a Penn State team that earned its first NCAA tournament berth since 2002. Even with the experience he gained last year, Marshall's abilities were still unknown due to the limited time he got playing behind the Nittany Lions four senior starters.

Coming off a season in which he averaged just 2.5 points per game, Marshall was looked at to be a pivotal piece for the Lions (6-5 through Saturday) in their first season under new head coach Pat Chambers.

That changed, however, in October when it was announced that Marshall was suspended for a violation of team rules and wasn't allowed to even practice with the team, let alone play in any games.

"It was tough," Marshall said. "Basketball is a game that I love."

After working to gain back the trust of his coach, Marshall made his season debut in Penn State's second game of the season, a 66-42 win over Radford. Marshall had four points and one steal in just 10 minutes on the floor and has seen his playing time increase gradually since that game.

Chambers refused to comment on the reasons for Marshall's suspension when it first occurred and has since refrained from going into any intimate details, but he has mentioned Marshall's rededication to his academics and his physical conditioning as being the chief reasons for his return to the team.

The two stayed in constant communication during Marshall's suspension as the Lions' swingman slowly earned back the trust of the first-year coach.

"He was trying to do everything he could to get back on the team," Chambers said. "He had to get his academics right and get in game shape. He was doing whatever he could and we met probably once a week. We spoke probably three times a week either by phone or text."

Whatever the two talked about, Chambers apparently came away comfortable enough to let Marshall dress for the game against Radford on Nov. 14. Now, that decision appears to be paying off for all involved.

One night after Penn State was throttled by then-No. 2 Kentucky, 85-47, in its first loss of the season, Marshall had a breakout game against South Florida. In 19 minutes against the Bulls, Marshall scored 14 points, grabbed two rebounds and had three steals in the Lions' 53-49 win.

Chambers said Marshall's performance against South Florida was one that opened the coach's eyes to just what kind of weapon he had. If there were any doubts still lingering, Marshall made sure to erase those two games later against Boston College in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge.

The redshirt sophomore played 35 minutes against the Eagles, scoring a career-high 22 points and grabbing a career-best eight rebounds in Penn State's 62-54 win. He was especially important in the first half when every player but Marshall endured a cold-shooting half. Marshall scored 15 of Penn State's 26 first-half points to keep the BC lead at just three points going into halftime.

"Really it was just a good night," Marshall said. "Coach put the ball in my hands and he let me do whatever I wanted. That was one of my biggest games. It was mainly my coach, he put the ball in my hands and had faith in me."

It seems that Chambers has always had that faith in Marshall, it was just up to the player to show that that faith was warranted. Chambers knew coming into his first year in Happy Valley that he was going to need Marshall to step up and be one of the key contributors for his team.

With the graduation of those four senior starters from last season, Penn State lost 80 percent of its offense, most of that leaving with All-Big Ten guard Talor Battle. The only known scoring coming back this season was junior point guard Tim Frazier, who hasn't disappointed by leading the team with 17.4 ppg while also leading in rebounding, assists and steals.

But if the Lions win over South Florida showed anything, it was that Frazier can't do everything by himself. That's really been the story for Penn State over the last few years -- the inability to find a secondary scorer. While Battle lit up the stat sheets over the past four seasons, there was never really another viable nightly scoring threat.

Now more than ever, Penn State needs that secondary scorer. Chambers hopes that player can be Marshall.

"I'm confident that Jermaine can could be that guy," Chambers said. "Jermaine has recommitted himself. I think sometimes going through what he went through, you find your love of the game again. He's working on his jump shot, working on his handle, getting treatment and doing some extra things with our strength coach. He's recommitted to be in the best shape that he could be and working on his game. It's great to see."

Marshall is currently second on the team with 9.2 ppg and second on the team in steals as well with 11. He's also been the

Lions leading rebounder over the last five games.

Chambers noted when Marshall first came back that he hopes the guard will be a key contributor for the Lions when they head into Big Ten play on Dec. 29 at No. 20 Michigan. Penn State is young, with just one senior on its roster, and the Big Ten has six teams currently ranked in the AP Top-25. The Lions will play those six teams a total of nine times in the next 20 games.

Marshall will have to continue growing in Chambers system, and do so quickly if he wants to turn into that other piece the Lions will need to compete in the Big Ten and take some of the attention away from Frazier. But it's a challenge that the new Jermaine Marshall is up to.

With Penn State's young nucleus, a new coach with strong Philadelphia basketball ties and a player in Marshall with a newfound dedication to making himself and the team better, spirits are high in the Penn State basketball program.

And Marshall fully expects Penn State to compete in the Big Ten this season and beyond.

"People think that we're having a down year," Marshall said. "We're firm believers in staying the course every day in practice and doing the little things. We'll be a successful team and a successful program. Not just this year, but in the following years as well."

Nittany Lion learning on the job

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UNIVERSITY PARK — Penn State men's basketball coach Patrick Chambers makes an effort to "speak slowly and very clearly" when he's instructing or talking to his Serbian-born big man, Sasa Borovnjak. Doing so doesn't come naturally.

"I'm one of 12 (children)," Chambers said, grinning. "So you have to speak fast to get everything in."

Borovnjak's grasp of the English language has improved "tremendously" since he came to Penn State, said teammate Tim Frazier.

That includes the rapid and often animated vocal offerings from his new coach.

"I think he understands everything," Chambers said. "And he'll ask questions if

he doesn't understand. I think Sasa and I are developing a great relationship."

The Nittany Lions (6-3), who host Lafayette (3-5) at 7 p.m. tonight in the Bryce Jordan Center, are leaning heavily on their 6-foot-9 sophomore these days. With freshman big man Jon Graham out for the next few weeks with mononucleosis, Borovnjak will continue to see increased minutes.

He took advantage of them Sunday night in Penn State's 72-70 home loss to Mississippi. Borovnjak made all seven of his field-goal attempts, finishing with a career-high 15 points and adding four rebounds in a career-high 27 minutes.

"I'd like to see that production out of him on a daily basis," Chambers said.

Borovnjak totaled 32 points in 18 games as a true freshman in 2009-10. He reshaped his body during the offseason but tore the ACL in his right knee during the first practice of last season. He said Monday he's finally starting to feel comfortable doing everything on the knee, and that during the last two weeks he hasn't felt the soreness that had been lingering in the knee.

"He's definitely improved from day one, especially as far as conditioning throughout the summer, getting stronger," Frazier said. "We knew he was going to have to play a vital role, especially with our core of big guys leaving last year."

"He's really just been working hard, being a student of the game as far as going and meeting with Coach daily, watching film and just really focusing on being able to contribute."

Penn State allowed Ole Miss, a team that had been shooting 21 percent from 3-point range, to drain 11 3-pointers Sunday. Tonight's opponent won't take them by surprise from the arc; Lafayette is connecting at a 41 percent clip from behind the arc. Six different Leopards have at least eight made threes this season and guards Jim Mower, Nick Petkovich and Joey Ptasinski all check at better than 41 percent on the season.

Mower, a 6-foot-3 senior from St. Joseph's Prep, scores 17.9 points per game. Ryan Willen, a 6-8 senior forward who averages 16.9 points and 5.6 rebounds, should put some pressure on Penn State's frontcourt.

The problem for Fran O'Hanlon's team has been defense. Lafayette allows 76.9 points and nearly 28 made baskets per game.

The Nittany Lions tried to slow the game down against the athletic Rebels on

Sunday, but might look to push the pace again tonight. Chambers has liked what he's seen from his team from a conditioning standpoint early in the season.

"I think we're all in pretty good shape," Frazier said. "When we play against other teams you can see how we have that extra drive, that extra push that some other team might not have."

Borovnjak credits Chambers with pushing him when he's tired, which has improved his conditioning. And he doesn't mind when the coach has a pointed (and swift) comment for him.

"I talk to him a lot and when he yells at me I know he's trying to get me better," Borovnjak said. "Not just yelling because I did something wrong. It's to help me to get better."

Penn St set to begin new hoops era with Chambers



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Patrick Chambers donned eye black and a white No. 24 football jersey before leading an anxious student section outside Beaver Stadium to the signature Happy Valley cheer of "We Are ... Penn State!"

The Nittany Lions' new basketball coach sure knows how to get the fans going in the offseason. Now it's time to see how that enthusiasm will rub off on his players on the Jordan Center court.

"Playing hard, playing smart, playing together with pride," Chambers said during one of his many off-campus appearances this offseason to promote the team. "We're going to play hard. We're going to keep after it, I promise you that."

For a program often stuck in neutral, even this latest makeover was unexpected.

A run to the Big Ten tournament final helped the Nittany Lions grab their first NCAA tournament bid in a decade. Led by career-leading scorer [Talor Battle](#), [Penn State](#) lost to [Temple](#), 66-64 in the

second round on an 18-footer by [Juan Fernandez](#) with 0.4 seconds left.

Penn State finished 19-15 in the last season for the gritty Battle and three fellow senior starters, leaving a rebuilding job for coach Ed DeChellis - before DeChellis left himself in late May to take the same job at Navy. A Penn State graduate, DeChellis surprised his bosses with the news and timing of his departure to a Patriot League program.

Penn State quickly regrouped and turned to Chambers, a Philadelphia-area native and former [Villanova](#) assistant who parlayed a successful two-year stint at Boston University into his first power-conference job.

"There (were) no promises," Chambers said Thursday at Big Ten media day in Chicago when asked if he gave administrators a commitment to bring the raise the basketball program's profile to the level of the football team. "But my vision is to make Penn State basketball tops in the Big Ten, tops in the country every single year, just like football."

The Terriers went 42-28 in Chambers' two seasons, winning with an up-tempo offense while still keeping a focus on defense. There were 23rd in the nation in field goal defense (39.9 percent).

It looks like Chambers will try to install the same philosophy in Happy Valley. The word "attitude" - typically in big, bold letters - is now found on nearly everything connected to the program, from letterhead to wristbands to the T-shirts that Chambers has been handing out around campus.

Players talk about intense hustle drills in practice. Offensively, forward [Billy Oliver](#) expects Penn State to run more.

"It's going to be much more of a fast-paced game, looking to speed up teams and get up and down more," Oliver said this week. Chambers "is a product of (coach) Jay Wright in Villanova, so you can expect to see similarities between those teams and how they play."

Unfortunately for Chambers, he'll need to rely on a revamped and relatively inexperienced roster in the tough Big Ten.

The results may not be pretty.

Four of last year's top five scorers have departed, along with the top four rebounders.

The lone returning starter is junior [Tim Frazier](#) (6.3 points, 5.0 assists), who formed an effective backcourt combination with Battle.

Now, though, Frazier will be the go-to guy, relied on to score more and push the ball in transition. Chambers compared Frazier to recent Villanova standout guards like [Scottie Reynolds](#) and [Corey Fisher](#).

"And I'll put Tim Frazier right up there with those guys. His speed, his intensity, his willingness to be coached is really second to none," Chambers said. "And that's what we need this year. We need a guy that's going to fill that void."

Otherwise, the rest of the starting five will be a mish-mash of former reserves - none of whom averaged more than Oliver's 14.3 minutes a game - or a group of newcomers recruited by the previous regime.

Forget those half-court sets run last year with the intent of getting Battle the ball. Penn State will likely start out running an offense with one big man surrounded by four perimeter players.

Junior college transfer Matt Glover and freshman Trey Lewis are among candidates to see time on the wings, along with Oliver, a 6-foot-8 forward who likes to shoot jumpers.

Six-foot-9 sophomore [Sasa Borovnjak](#) is expected to start in the middle after missing last season with a right knee injury. Chambers likes the "basketball IQ" of Borovnjak, who showed spurts of promise his freshman year.

Chambers hopes to get his lone senior, guard [Cammerton Woodyard](#), back from a left knee injury by the Nov. 12 season opener against Hartford.

[Jermaine Marshall](#) could be the team's most explosive scorer, but might need to work on defense to see the floor consistently. He has off-court issues to resolve, too, that left him suspended this preseason. Chambers said Thursday that Marshall is doing well academically but didn't offer a timetable for his return.

Penn State's new coach hopes to attract Philly players

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Attached to Patrick Chambers when Penn State hired him in the summer to be its men's basketball coach were his ties to Philadelphia, a location where the Nittany Lions have struggled recruiting high school talent.

Now, on the verge of starting his first season in Happy Valley, Chambers, who was lured away from his post at Boston University, is confident about his new program's prospects of attracting players from the Philadelphia area.

The former assistant to Jay Wright at Villanova and graduate of Philadelphia University and Episcopal Academy sounds optimistic that he can use relationships formed throughout his life.

"Those coaches want to send their players to guys they trust, and hopefully, parents know who you are and they know your family, they know where you grew up, so that's where you want to send your kids," Chambers said at Thursday's Big Ten Basketball Media Day in Chicago. "So I'm hopeful."

Chambers said he wasn't afraid to get in "backyard brawls" and recruit against the likes of Villanova, Georgetown, Pitt, and Ohio State.

"It's not just Philadelphia. We've got to go everywhere," he said. "We have to go where the talent is. Obviously that's where my relationships are, that's where I'm from, but we need to dive into those relationships."

But first, Chambers has the tough task of coaching a team that lost four of its starters to graduation, including the program's all-time leading scorer in Tabor Battle. Penn State, which lost to Temple in its first NCAA tournament in 10 years last March, plays an exhibition against Slippery Rock on Nov. 5 before opening its season against Hartford a week later.

The coach said he has been surprised by how well Tim Frazier (6.3 points, 5.1 assists per game last season), the team's lone returning starter, has played in practice.

"I've coached a lot of great guards - Kyle Lowry, Corey Fisher, Scottie Reynolds, Randy Foye. And I'll put Tim Frazier right up there with those guys," Chambers said. "His speed, his intensity, his willingness to be coached is really second to none."

Nittany Nation beginning Chambers era

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A Penn State student contorted his body in the middle of the gym floor as

his fellow students hollered their approval from the Rec Hall bleachers.

Patrick Chambers leaned against the side of those bleachers, just out of view, and watched, smiling. The breakdancing competition on the floor was only part of Hoops Madness, the sort of bouncy, fan-friendly event that ushers in the start of the college basketball season at so many schools around the country each year but has only been held sporadically on a campus that is typically consumed with football in early November.

This night was part of Chambers' larger plan. So was donning a jersey and eye black to rally the student body before football games, driving through campus on a golf cart and making appearances at student dining halls. Chambers knew when he took over the Penn State men's basketball program in early June that what his team accomplishes between the whistles this season will be what ultimately wins over a long-dormant fan, base but that a big part of his job was to build that fan base away from the floor.

The Nittany Lions will play Slippery Rock in a 4 p.m. exhibition game this afternoon in the Bryce Jordan Center, marking Chambers' Penn State debut. He is the 12th coach in team history and the first in 28 years who wasn't a onetime member of Bruce Parkhill's staff. Parkhill and successors Jerry Dunn and Ed DeChellis were a combined 412-428 in 28 seasons, with a Big Ten conference record of 103-219.

Chambers is in his third year as a head coach. He went 42-28 in two seasons at Boston University, going 23-9 in the America East Conference. He has less than a decade of collegiate coaching experience but has enjoyed success at each stop. A fan base starved for a consistent winner is ready to embrace him but, like most fan bases, has finite patience. Chambers wants to bring them wins, but he has proven over the months since his hire that he wants to entertain them as well.

Later in the evening, before rapper Fabolous took the stage nearly two hours behind schedule, Chambers would show off a few dance moves of his own. During the breakdance competition, though, he was content to stay in the shadows, if only for a moment.

He doesn't usually spend a lot of time there.

Getting to know you

Penn State is seven practices into the season, and Chambers' voice is nearly gone already. The 40-year-old coach orders a cup of hot tea with his meal at

lunch. It's not a cold or flu that's weakened his vocal cords. It's overuse.

"We're a team that's learning how to play hard," he says. "I've been using the term 'Persistent intensity.' Keep tapping the stone."

A few weeks later, Penn State beat reporters get their first look at a Chambers practice. In past years under previous coaching regimes, upperclassmen would shout out instructions or chatter during drills or warmups. This practice is different.

Every player on the floor is talking — shouting, really — during every drill. Most of the time it's basic basketball talk, like shouting for the ball during a post-up drill. But even as the players go through their warmup stretches, there's persistent chatter. Most of it is unintelligible, but it continues as the players shift from drill to drill. It might be just a show for the assembled media, but after only a few weeks, it seems routine to the players.

Chambers moves them quickly from one drill to the next, always watching, always talking.

"He's always 'on,'" junior point guard Tim Frazier says. "When you first see him, you say, 'Hey, maybe he's just that way when he gives a speech.' But he's always like that. He's always full of energy. He's a great leader."

Chambers made a point to visit each of his players in the few days after he took the job in early June. Because class was out for the summer, that meant flying all over the country and racking up more than 10,000 miles. He wanted to interact with the players face-to-face as soon as possible, and he continued that when they came back to campus for the fall semester. Chambers likes to meet with the players for what he calls "20-minute check-ins." He asks them about their girlfriends, their families, their classes.

"You're always learning about them," Chambers says. "In this short time, when I'm not on the road, I'm with them."

"If you can have a different relationship other than on the court, that process might speed up a little bit. But it's always a learning process. In four to five years, you're going to learn something new every day about someone."

Seen and heard

Allen Sheffield, a Penn State sophomore and a member of the student men's basketball fan group, Nittany Nation, says the Nittany Lions' new coach is a frequent visitor to campus. Chambers has visited the dining commons in East Halls, where

the vast majority of Penn State freshmen live, and in West Halls, which are typically home to upperclassmen.

Sheffield says he likes Chambers' attitude, his mind-set, and the mood he's created on campus.

"There hasn't been buzz about basketball around here for a long time," Sheffield says.

Penn State senior Marin Galvin, an intern with the basketball marketing department, feels that buzz, too.

"I don't know if that's because we had a pretty good season last season, making it to the NCAAs," Galvin says. "But I definitely think that people think Coach Chambers is a guy that can turn around the program. From our perspective, our No. 1 goal is to get people to come out to games and fill the sections and it seems like Chambers is going to redo the program and we're going to get more students coming out and supporting him."

Chambers, who has a marketing degree from Philadelphia University, has taken a hands-on approach with the marketing staff, blending his own ideas with those of the staff.

"He's allowing us to do a lot more than we've been able to in the past," Galvin said. "He is very enthusiastic about what we do in terms of getting people to come out to games. Having that support from the coaching staff means a lot to us, because it means that our jobs aren't going unnoticed."

If you build it ...

The Nittany Lions won 13 of their 18 games in the Bryce Jordan Center last season, defeating Michigan State, Illinois and Wisconsin there. Yet average paid attendance for those 18 games was 7,457, less than half the building's basketball capacity and nearly a 9 percent decrease from the previous season.

Penn State has drawn an average of 7,931 fans during the last five seasons, and that figure hasn't been higher than 8,150 since 2001. And yet, there are some fans who renew their season tickets every season, who make the drive up Route 322 from other parts of the state several nights each winter to watch the Nittany Lions.

Lonnie Dawes, who lives in Lancaster and has had season tickets since the 1980s, is one of those fans and is ready to see what sort of change Chambers can effect.

"Once they announced it and started hearing more about him, I got pretty excited about it," Dawes says. "I've seen more energy from this guy in this short of

a time than I saw from two previous coaches in their entire tenure added together."

What might be the most fervent group of Penn State basketball junkies, though, comes together on PennStateHoops.com. The site, which creator and moderator Tim Beidel has been running, in various forms, for more than 15 years, has a core of about 500 fans, some of whom have been watching since the John Bach days.

"We're like the Marines," Beidel says. "The few, the proud."

They haven't been quite as few lately, though. The site drew 43 percent more visitors from April to October than it had over the same time frame the previous year, Beidel reported, and received 50 percent more page views.

During the last few years, posters who wanted a coaching change railed against DeChellis supporters. DeChellis' departure and Chambers' hire has halted most of the back-and-forth on the site — for now.

"I don't think it's going to be any different," Beidel says. "We'll lose two or three games in a row, and people will say we should have gotten Larry Brown. It's a religious thing. People take a strong viewpoint on this."

Beidel, a former newspaper reporter, liked DeChellis and sympathizes with the challenges he faced and that Chambers now faces. He likes the new guy's marketing savvy and positive approach, though, and believes a lot of the posters on his site feel the same way.

"Fans just want to be all-in," Beidel says. "They're looking for things to latch onto, and they've seen a lot in Chambers that they like."

Oh, brother

Chambers has 11 older siblings — eight brothers and three sisters. He had lunch with four of them last month in Philadelphia and marveled at how all five of them had to continually raise their voices throughout the meal just to be heard.

"Being away from them for two, now going on three years, I can finally talk on a normal level," he says, grinning.

But listening to one of Chambers' brothers is like listening to the coach himself. The demeanor isn't much different, either.

"I think we're all very much the same," Chambers says. "We love being around each other. We all have strong

personalities. We're all very outgoing. And we do have that pitbull mentality that you might knock us down, but we're not going to be down for long. And we rally around one another, good times and bad."

Megan Chambers Flanagan, who met her husband Michael at Penn State and moved back to State College almost two decades ago, is one of three Penn State graduates among the siblings. She and Patrick are putting up many of the 60 members of the family who plan to be sitting behind the Penn State bench during next Saturday's season opener against Hartford.

They're all waiting, like many other Penn State fans, to see what the youngest Chambers brother is going to do next.

"There's no one who loves this basketball program more than him and wants to change everything in a positive way," Flanagan says. "I'm ecstatic. I can't wait 'til the season starts."