Game 4: LSU vs. Southeastern Louisiana—Tuesday, Feb. 12, 6:30 p.m., Alex Box Stadium

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The Tigers look to improve to 4-0 tonight when they welcome Southeastern Louisiana for the first of two meetings this year.

- The Tigers are fresh off of a three-game sweep this past weekend against Birmingham-Southern, winning by scores of 10-9, 6-5 in 13 innings and 11-7.
 - LSU has now gotten off to a 3-0 start in five of the past seven seasons.
 - Only once has LSU won the national championship after not starting 3-0, and that was in 1993 (2-1).

Scouting the Lions: SLU returns to Baton Rouge after taking a 14-9 victory over Southern in the Lions' season opener on Saturday.

- Tonight's starting pitcher for LSU is senior left-hander Chris O'Brien, a Baton Rouge native who prepped at Central High. O'Brien was 5-5 with a 5.78 ERA with five complete games in 2001.
- > SLU collected 14 hits in its victory on Saturday, with four players getting at least two hits.
- SLÚ, a member of the Southland Conference, is coming off of a 22-33 season in 2001. The Lions have made two appearances in the NCAA tournament, in 1992 and 1994.
- The Lions have seven players on their roster from the Baton Rouge area.
- Lions coach Greg Marten is in his 12th season at the helm, and his tenure is the second longest among active coaches in Louisiana college baseball, surpassed only by Southern's Roger Cador, who is in his 19th year at LSU's cross-town rival.

About the Series: The Tigers lead the series, 46-15, and have won 16 consecutive meetings with the Lions.

- SLU seeks its first win in the series since April 23, 1991, when the Lions won 15-2 at Alex Box Stadium.
- LSU's streak over SLU is the second longest against any opponent, surpassed only by the 19-game streak the Tigers have over Centenary.
- Since 1988, the series has consisted of a single game in odd-numbered years and a home-and-home set in evennumbered years. The game in Hammond is on Mar. 26.
- The series has been continuous since 1983, the year before Skip Bertman's arrival at LSU. Bertman was 28-3 against the Lions in during his 18-year tenure.

Vaught gets the call: LSU will start junior right-handed pitcher Chad Vaught.

Vaught, a native of Ferriday, has pitched one inning in his LSU career, and that came last April 26 at Louisiana-Monroe

About Tonight's Game...

Records

LSU 3-0, Southeastern La. 1-0

Rankings

LSU is ranked #2 by ESPN/USA Today Baseball Weekly, #3 by Collegiate Baseball, and #5 by Baseball America.

Radio/TV

All games will be broadcast on the LSU Sports Network (WDGL-98.1 FM in Baton Rouge) and on the official LSU website, **www.lsusports.net**. The Voice of the Tigers, Jim Hawthorne, calls tonight's action along with Patrick Wright and Charles Hanagriff.

Series

LSU has won 16 consecutive meetings between the schools and leads the all-time series, 46-15. The teams will meet in Hammond on Mar. 26.

Last Meeting

LSU 7, LSU 4 (4/24/01 at Baton Rouge)

Coaches

Smoke Laval, LSU (3-0 at LSU; 241-159 in seven years at Louisiana-Monroe) Greg Marten, SLU (13th year, 328-282)

What's next

LSU opens a three-game series with Mercer on Friday at 6:30 p.m. at Alex Box Stadium.

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LSU vs. SLU since 1990						
Date	Site	Result				
4/24/01	Baton Rouge	LSU, 7-4				
3/14/00	Hammond	LSU, 11-4				
2/15/00	Baton Rouge	LSU, 11-0				
2/23/99	Baton Rouge	LSU, 17-7				
4/15/98	Hammond	LSU, 9-3				
3/18/98	Baton Rouge	LSU, 13-2				
4/16/97	Baton Rouge	LSU, 11-5				
4/23/96	Baton Rouge	LSU, 7-4				
4/9/96	Hammond	LSU, 5-2				
5/1/95	Baton Rouge	LSU, 7-3				
5/26/94	Baton Rouge*	LSU, 10-6				
4/19/94	Hammond	LSU, 14-8				
3/9/94	Baton Rouge	LSU, 11-10				
4/12/93	Baton Rouge	LSU, 8-7				
4/21/92	Hammond	LSU, 14-4				
2/25/92	Baton Rouge	LSU, 6-2				
4/23/91	Baton Rouge	SLU, 15-2				
4/3/90	Baton Rouge	LSU, 16-0				
3/27/90	Baton Rouge	LSU, 8-1				
*-NCAA South Regional						

At Baton Rouge: LSU leads, 12-1 At Hammond: LSU leads, 6-0 Smoke Laval vs. SLU: 10-4 Greg Marten vs. LSU: 1-17

Skip Bertman vs. SLU (1984-2001): 28-3

Weaving a reunion

Tonight's game is a special one for LSU catcher Dustin Weaver, as he faces his former teammates for the first time.

Weaver, a St. Amant native, batted .259 in 31 games last year for the Lions. He transferred to LSU after the season and was immediately projected as the Tigers' starting catcher, although he split time in the Tigers' three-game sweep of Birmingham-Southern with senior Darren Welch.

Weaver has one former teammate from St. Amant High on the SLU squad, second baseman Joey Duhe. Duhe was the Lions' leading hitter in 2001, batting .310 with 7 home runs.

Of course, Smoke had a pretty good one at ULM from St. Amant in Ben Sheets, the former All-America and Olympic gold medal pitcher who was an All-Star last year for the Milwaukee Brewers.

Smoke returns to his roots

LSU coach Smoke Laval should know a few things about SLU. That's because from 1998-2000, the Lions and Laval's Louisiana-Monroe Indians competed against each other as members of the Southland Conference.

More often than not, Laval's club got the best of Greg Marten's Lions, as UL-Monroe was 10-4 against SLU from 1994-2000. The Indians were 9-1 once the Lions moved from the Trans America Athletic Conference (now Atlantic Sun) to the Southland, including three-game sweeps in 1998 and 2000. ULM was 7-0 against SLU in Monroe during that stretch.

If you count Laval's days as Skip Bertman's top assistant at LSU, teams that Laval has been involved with are 26-7 against the Lions.

In one departure from the Bertman days, Laval will not be facing as many teams from the Southland Conference as the Tigers did in Bertman's later years. The only other Southland foe LSU will face in 2002 is Smoke's former team, which visits Baton Rouge Mar. 8-10 and hosts the Tigers at Indian Field on Apr. 23.

LSU vs. Louisiana foes

- ➤ The Tigers will be playing the first of 13 games this season against in-state foes tonight.
 - LSU was 10-7 last year against Louisiana opponents. The Tigers were 1-4 against Tulane, with a 1-2 mark at the NCAA Super Regional at Zephyr Field.
 - ➤ LSU's best single-season record against instate foes was in 1995, when the Tigers went 17-1.
- In his 18 years as coach, Skip Bertman was 272-71 against in-state foes, a .793 winning percentage. Of Bertman's 870 career victories, 31 percent came against Louisiana schools.
 - Bertman's teams played every Louisiana four-year school except Grambling, and visited all the Tigers played except LSU-Shreveport. The Tigers hold the attendance record against every Louisiana opponent and at Zephyr Field.
- In his seven years as UL-Monroe's coach, Smoke Laval was 127-67 (.655) against in-state rivals.





Making the sacrifice

The sacrifice bunt was never made illegal, but for some reason, it seemed about as useful as wide receivers in the wishbone offense for the Tigers in recent years. In fact, when LSU rolled to a school-best 57-13 record and a fourth national championship in 1997, the Tigers laid down a total of *four* sacrifice bunts in 70 games.

Don't laugh now, but the Tigers are proving that the sacrifice bunt can be used successfully as an offensive weapon.

In Saturday's 13-inning victory over Birmingham-Southern, the Tigers laid down four sacrifice bunts, tying a school record set in 1977 vs. South Alabama and Alabama, and again in 1993 vs. Central Florida.

David Raymer had two of those sacrifices, marking the third time in his career that he has laid down two sacrifices in the same game. Raymer also turned the trick last year on Mar. 16 against Florida and Apr. 29 at Alabama. The last time a player other than Raymer had two sacrifices in one game was Mike Neal against Nicholls St. in 1991.

All four sacrifice bunts on Saturday led to runs. In order, the bunts were laid down by Wally Pontiff in the first, Raymer in the seventh, Matt Heath in the 10th and Raymer again in the 13th to move the winning runs into scoring position.

Raymer now has nine career sacrifice bunts, putting him almost halfway to the LSU career record of 19 set by Mike Sondregger from 1970-73. The single season record for sacrifices is 11 set by Dave Cunningham in 1987 and Josh Dalton in 1999.

Darren Welch collected LSU's fifth sacrifice in the first inning on Sunday, leading to two more Tiger runs in a seven-run first. LSU is now almost one-quarter of the way to its 2001 total of 21 sacrifice bunts.

If LSU keeps this pace up, the Tigers will destroy the single-season mark for sacrifice bunts by mid-season. The record of 35 bunts was set in the Tigers' SEC championship season of 1975. From 1997-2001, the Tigers had a total of 76 sacrifice bunts; they are on pace for 70 in 56 games this year.

Clutch better on Sunday LSU's woes with runners in scoring position reared their ugly head in the first two games against Birmingham-Southern, as the Tigers went 6-for-35 (.171) with RBI opportunities, in-

cluding a 1-for-18 effort in the 13-inning victory on Saturday.

Luckily for LSU, the Tigers bunched those hits at the right time, with three hits coming in the ninth inning on Friday and Aaron Hill's two-run double in the 13th on Saturday.

The Tigers showed more consistency with those RBI opportunities on Sunday, batting an even .500 (7-for-14) with RISP. The top of the order was the catalyst for the uprising, as David Raymer was 1-for-2 and Sean Barker 2-for-3. Barker ended the weekend 3-for-5 in those situations, tops on the team.

Still, the Tigers' .265 average with RISP can improve. Wally Pontiff has mysteriously struggled in these situations he once thrived in. The Tigers' captain was second on the team last year, batting .404 with RBI opportunities, but he's only 1-for-8 this year, but that one hit did win Friday's game. He's not the lowest man on the team, though, as Blake Gill is 0-for-7.

Barker SEC Player of the Week In case you don't know already, senior right fielder Sean Barker was named SEC Player of the Week on Monday.

Barker batted .600 (9-for-15) with 7 RBI in the Tigers' three-game sweep of Birmingham-Southern. His biggest hit came in the ninth inning on Friday, when his two-run single tied the game at 9-9 and LSU went on to win, 10-9.

Barker went 4-for-6 in the season opener, becoming the first Tiger to get four hits in the season opener since Justin Bowles in 1996.

Barker only got 80 at-bats last year, but batted .338, and Tiger fans should expect more great things to come from the Californian.





Power Outage

This didn't figure to be the most power-laden LSU team, and how true that is after the first weekend of the season.

For just the third time since the start of the 1996 season, the Tigers have gone three straight games without a home run. If you count last year's Super Regional finale against Tulane, the streak is actually four in a row.

The series against Birmingham-Southern marked just the third time since the start of the "Gorilla Ball" era in 1996 that the Tigers had gone three consecutive games without a home run.

This time, though, the Tigers found a way to win all three games. In 2000, the Tigers lost four consecutive games without a home run (one against McNeese St. and three against Houston, all at Alex Box Stadium). Last year, the Tigers went without a home run at Arkansas and of course lost all three games to the Razorbacks. The Tigers were 7-11 in 2001 when not hitting a home run

From 1996-2001, the Tigers hit 774 home runs in 406 games, an average of 1.9 home runs per game, never hitting fewer than 96 home runs in a single season. The Tigers are the only team to hit 100 home runs in four consecutive years, doing so from 1996-99.

Singular Offense

The Tigers have indeed taken "small ball" to a new level so far in 2002. LSU comes into tonight's game with SLU sporting a paltry .324 slugging percentage, collecting only 36 total bases in 111 at-bats.

Of the Tigers' 31 hits against Birmingham-Southern, 26 of them were singles. Five different players collected one double over the weekend, but no Tigers had a two-bagger in Sunday's 11-7 victory, as the Tigers used five singles to score seven runs in the first inning.

The Tigers' have found other ways to get on base, though, using 23 walks and 4 hit-by-pitches to compile a .408 on-base percentage.

Climbing the ladder

LSU struggled at times in its three-game sweep of Birmingham-Southern this past weekend, so the Tigers didn't figure to move much in the three polls when they were released on Monday.

Maybe the pollsters were thinking something else. When the surveys came out, the Tigers had moved up in all three of them and are now ranked in the top five in all of the polls.

Baseball America came out first, and the Tigers moved up two spots in that poll to fifth, becoming the only SEC team in the Top 10. Collegiate Baseball followed by advancing LSU to third, but the big surprise came in the Baseball Weekly coaches' poll, which moved the Tigers to second behind Stanford, who is a unanimous No. 1.

Now comes the hard part—maintaining that ranking. The Tigers were ranked second last year on Mar. 5, but proceeded to go 1-4 by losing to Southern, Tulane and going 1-2 at Georgia. LSU was actually up to the top spot in the Baseball Weekly poll on Apr. 30 and defeated New Orleans the next day, but then came the weekend at Fayetteville...and the rest was history.

Scelfo off to good start

Of all the LSU newcomers who action this weekend, none may have been more impressive than redshirt freshman second baseman Rocky Scelfo.

The Lafayette native went 5-for-12 in the three-game series with Birmingham-Southern and scored four runs. His bunt single on Friday contributed to the Tigers' three-run rally in the ninth inning.

In all, 13 Tigers got on the field for the first time over the weekend. The Tigers played a total of 15 first-time players in the entire 2001 season.





Baseball America (2/11) 1. Stanford (4-2) 2. Clemson (0-0) 3. Notre Dame (0-0) 4. Florida St. (7-3) 5. LSU (3-0) 6. USC (1-2) 7. Miami (2-4) 8. Nebraska (0-0) 9. Georgia Tech (2-0) 10. Rice (2-1) 11. South Carolina (3-0) 12. Wichita St. (0-0) 13. Arizona St. (7-0) 14. Tulane (1-2) 15. Texas (3-2) 16. Cal St. Fullerton (3-3) 17. Mississippi St. (0-0) 18. Florida (5-0) 19. North Carolina (0-0) 20. Ole Miss (0-0) 21. Wake Forest (0-0) 22. San Diego (9-0) 23. Arizona (9-0) 24. Oklahoma St. (10-1) 25. Baylor (0-3)

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3.	LSU (3-0)
4.	Clemson (0-0)
5.	South Carolina (3-0)
6.	Tulane (1-2)
7.	USC (1-2)
8.	Wichita St. (0-0)
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	Florida (5-0)
	Wake Forest (0-0)
	Cal St. Fullerton (3-3) Miami (2-4)
	Georgia Tech (2-0)
10.	Notre Dame (0-0)
	Texas (3-2)
	Long Beach St. (2-1)
	San Diego (9-0)
	Mississippi St. (0-0)
	Ohio St. (0-0)
25.	Rutgers (0-0)
26.	Arizona (10-1)
27.	Purdue (0-0)
28.	Ball St. (0-0)
29.	East Carolina (0-0)

30. Texas A&M (2-1)

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1.	Stanford (4-2)
2.	LSU (3-0)
3.	Florida St. (7-3)
4.	Clemson (0-0)
5.	Arizona St. (7-0)
	South Carolina (3-0)
7.	USC (1-2)
8.	Nebraska (0-0)
9.	Rice (2-1)
10.	Florida (5-0)
11.	Notre Dame (0-0)
12.	Miami (2-4)
13.	Tulane (1-2)
14.	Cal St. Fullerton (3-3)
15.	Georgia Tech (2-0)
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17.	Wichita St. (0-0)
	Ole Miss (0-0)
	Texas (3-2)
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	Mississippi St. (1-1)
	Wake Forest (0-0)
	Long Beach St. (2-1)
24.	Rutgers (0-0)

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About LSU's 3-0 Record	J
Home	3-0
Away	0-0
Neutral	0-0
Day	
Night	
Extra Innings	
One-Run Games	
Doubleheaders (W-L-S)	0-0-0
SEC	
Non-Conference	3-0
Vs. Ranked Teams*	0-0
Vs. in-state	0-0
Vs. Southland	0-0
Vs. C-USA	0-0
Vs. Big West	0-0
Vs. Atlantic Sun	
Vs. Big South	3-0
Vs. Sun Belt	
Vs. Independents	0-0
Vs. RH starters	1-0
Vs. LH starters	2-0
With RH starter	2-0
With LH starter	1-0

When Scoring First	2-(
When opp. scores first	1-0
Leading after 7	3-0
Tied after 7	
Trailing after 7	0-0
Leading after 8	1-0
Tied after 8	1-C
Trailing after 8	1-C
When Scoring 10+	
When Scoring <4	
When Allowing 10+	0-0
When Allowing <4	
When both score 10+	0-0
With 10+ Hits	2-0
With <5 Hits	0-0
More Hits	1-0
Fewer Hits	
Equal Hits	1-0
Starters	
Relievers	
Starter Goes 6+ inn	3-0
Starter Goes <4 inn	0-0
With no HR	3-0
With 3+ HR	

Allowing no HR	2-0
Allowing 3+ HR	0-0
Sunday	
Tuesday	0-0
Wednesday	
Friday	1-0
Saturday	1-0
Game 1 of series	1-0
Game 2 of series	1-0
Game 3 of series	1-0
White	1-0
Purple	1-0
Black	
Gray	0-0
Blown Saves	
Games won on final AB	2
Shutouts	0
Times shut out	O

25. Auburn (3-0)



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2002 LSU GAME-BY-GAME LOG (3-0)

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2/8	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN	W, 10-9		10-123	9-9-3	WILSON-Hicks	3:16	7,223
2/9	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN	W, 6-5 (13	3)	6-10-4	5-11-3	DETERMANN-Godwin	4:23	7,168
2/10	BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN	W, 11-7		11-9-0	7-9-5	TOMPKINS-Johnson	3:13	7.047
2/12	SOUTHEASTERN LA.	6:30						
2/15	MERCER	6:30						
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3/8	UL-MONROE	6:30						
3/9	UL-MONROE	2						
3/10	UL-MONROE	1						
3/12	UL-LAFAYETTE	6:30						
3/15	VANDERBILT	6:30						
3/16	VANDERBILT	2						
3/17	VANDERBILT	1						
3/19	at UL-Lafayette	6:30						
3/22	at Ole Miss	6:30						
3/23	at Ole Miss	1:30						
3/24	at Ole Miss	1:30						
3/26	at Southeastern La.	6						
3/29	MISS. ST.	6:30						
3/30	MISS ST.	2						
3/31	MISS ST.	1						
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4/5	at Auburn	6:30						
4/6	at Auburn	3						
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4/9	at Tulane-2	7						
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4/28	ARKANSAS	1						
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5/10	at Florida	6:30 ET						
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5/12	at Florida	1 ET						
5/17	ALABAMA	6:30						
5/18	ALABAMA	2						
5/19	ALABAMA	1						
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NCAA FEGIONALS—MAY 31-JUNE 2

NCAA SUPER REGIONALS—JUNE 7-9

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NCAA COLLEGE WORLD SERIES AT OMAHA—JUNE 14-22

1—at Fair Grounds Field, Shreveport 2—at Zephyr Field, Metairie 3—Exhibition







2002 LSU FIGHTING TIGER BASEBALL ROSTER (hometown is located in Louisiana unless noted)

No.	Name	Pos	B/T	Ht	Wt	CI-Exp.	Hometown (High School/JC)
1	J.C. Holt	IF	L/R	5-8	163	FR-HS	Sieper (Oak Hill HS)
2	David Raymer	OF	L/R	5-10	190	SR-2L	Apex, N.C. (Sacramento City College)
3	Blake Gill	IF	L/R	5-11	195	FR-RS	Bradenton, Fla. (Manatee HS)
4	Rocky Scelfo	IF	R/R	6-2	195	FR-RS	Youngsville (St. Thomas More HS)
5	Aaron Hill	SS	R/R	5-11	196	SO-1L	Visalia, Calif. (Redwood HS)
6	Matt Heath	OF/C	B/R	6-0	200	SR-1L	Fernandina Beach, Fla. (Florida)
7	Dustin Hahn	OF	L/R	6-0	220	FR-HS	Reno, Nev. (Galena HS)
8	Chris Phillips	С	R/R	6-0	217	SR-1L	Shreveport (Northwestern St.)
9	Dustin Weaver	С	R/R	5-11	180	SO-TR	St. Amant (Southeastern La.)
10	Lukas Guidroz	Р	R/R	5-11	180	JR-RS	Lockport (Enterprise St. CC)
12	Jake Tompkins	Р	R/R	5-11	197	JR-JC	Auburn, Calif. (Sacramento City College)
13	Jay Mattox	OF	R/R	6-3	210	FR-HS	Conway, Ark. (Conway HS)
14	Darren Welch	С	R/R	6-1	210	SR-TR	Laurel, Miss. (Southern Miss)
16	Jon Zeringue	С	R/R	6-1	215	FR-HS	Thibodaux (E.D. White HS)
18	David Miller	Р	R/R	6-2	170	SR-RS	Gramercy (Univ. of New Orleans)
21	Clay Harris	Р	R/R	6-4	228	FR-HS	Slidell (Slidell HS)
23	Chad Vaught	Р	R/R	6-4	225	JR-1L	Ferriday (Huntington Academy)
24	Jeff Lambert	1B	R/R	6-1	225	JR-JC	Metairie (Alabama Southern CC)
25	Jason Vargas	Р	L/L	5-11	203	FR-HS	Apple Valley, Calif. (Apple Valley HS)
27	Justin Hill	Р	R/R	6-1	204	SR-1L	West Monroe (Bossier Parish CC)
28	David Shank	Р	R/R	6-3	207	SR-1L	Orinda, Calif. (Sacramento City College)
29	Jordan Faircloth	Р	R/R	6-3	213	FR-RS	Alexandria (Alexandria Senior HS)
30	Brad David	Р	L/L	6-0	187	JR-2L	Baton Rouge (Catholic HS)
31	Wally Pontiff	3B	L/R	6-0	200	JR-2L	Metairie (Jesuit HS)
33	Jason Determann		R/L	5-10	168	FR-HS	Baton Rouge (Catholic HS)
34	Bo Pettit	Р	R/R	6-0	205	JR-2L	Houston, Texas (Sharpstown HS)
36	Sean Barker	OF	R/R	6-3	225	SR-1L	Bakersfield, Calif. (Baskersfield CC)
38	Brian Wilson	Р	R/R	6-1	205	S0-1L	Londonderry, N.H. (Londonderry HS)
39	Jason Columbus	1B	R/R	6-5	235	JR-JC	Alamogordo, N.M. (New Mexico JC)
43	Billy Brian	Р	R/R	6-5	230	SR-3L	Covington (Mandeville HS)
44	Weylin Guidry	Р	R/R	6-0	205	SR-3L	Luling (Hahnville HS)
46	Lane Mestepey	Р	L/L	6-0	187	S0-1L	Zachary (Central Private School)
47	Eric Wiethorn	1B	R/R	6-2	205	JR-1L	Newport Beach, Calif. (Orange Coast JC)
48	Clint Bamert	Р	R/R	6-3	180	FR-HS	Big Spring, Texas (Big Spring HS)
49	Bryson LeBlanc	OF	L/L	5-7	162	FR-HS	Metairie (Ridgewood Prep)
51	Jimmy Campbell	Р	R/R	6-5	225	FR-HS	Mandeville (Fontainbleau HS)
55	J.P. Martinez	Р	R/R	6-1	215	FR-RS	Metairie (Isidore Newman School)
56	Mickey Serio	Р	R/R	5-10	203	FR-HS	New Orleans (Jesuit HS)
57	Rhett Buteau	OF	L/R	5-9	163	FR-RS	Jeanerette (Catholic-New Iberia HS)
60	Chris McDougall	Р	L/L	6-3	222	FR-HS	Arabi (Jesuit HS)

- Ray "Smoke Laval", Head Coach (Jacksonville, 1977), 1st year as head coach, 13th year at LSU Dan Canevari, Pitching Coach (Miami, Fla., 1980), 12th year at LSU Henry "Turtle" Thomas, Hitting Coach (High Point, 1975), 3rd year at LSU 22
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- Jody Autery, Volunteer Coach (LSU, 2001), 1st year as Volunteer Coach, 3rd year at LSU Brady Wiederhold, Administrative Asst. (Kennesaw St., 1994), 1st year at LSU 20
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