2007-08 MONARCH BASKETBALL Old Dominion University Vs. UAB BLAZERS

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PROBABLE STARTERS FOR ODU

F 34 Jonathan Adams, 6-6, Jr, Ringgold, GA. 7.2 ppg/4.3 rpg

F 12 Gerald Lee, 6-9, So, Uusikaupunki, Finland, 11.7 ppg/6.0 rpg

C 30 Sam Harris, 7-3,Sr, Newnham, Tasmania, 3.5 ppg/3.7 rpg

G 4 Brandon Johnson, 6-1, Sr, Orlando, FL., 9.0 ppg/ 5.5 apg

G 20 Brian Henderson, 6-5, Sr, Richmond, Va., 9.0 pg/2.3 rpg

OFF THE BENCH

G 00 Abdi Lidonde, 6-2, Sr, Sutton, MA, 7.3 ppg/ 1.3 rpg

F 2 Ben Finney, 6-5, Fr., Portsmouth, VA. 4.5 ppg/4.0 rpg

G 3 Darius James, 6-1, Fr., Virginia Beach, VA. 5.4 ppg/ 1.7 apg

G 10 Etoile Imama, 6-3, Fr, Montreal, Canada 1.5 ppg/1.0 rpg

F 21 Frank Hassell, 6-8, RS-Fr, Chesapeake, VA 2.8 ppg/3.5 rpg

G 23 Marsharee Neely, 6-2, So, Greensboro, NC. 3.7 ppg/ 1.0 rpg

F 33 Keyon Carter, 6-8, RS-Fr, Riviera Beach, FL. 1.0 ppg/ 1.0 rpg

LAST GAME

ODU lost its second straight road game with a 62-59 decision last Friday night to defending Big South Champion Winthrop. Freshman Darius James led with a career high 19 points. Senior Brandon Johnson added 14 points, seven rebounds and four assists., and Gerald Lee scored ten with seven points and two blocked shots.

MONARCH 2007-08 SCHEDULE

| Nov. 11 South Carolina State | W 64-54 |
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| Nov. 16 Toledo (Homecoming) | W 66-35 |
| Nov. 18 at Clemson | L 53-66 |
| Nov. 20 Iona% | W 74-63 |
| Nov. 23 #1 North Carolina% | L 82-99 |
| Nov. 24 # 6 Louisville% | L 53-64 |
| Nov. 28 #5 Georgetown | L 48-66 |
| Dec. 1 at Georgia State* | W 72-64 |
| Dec. 8 MD-Eastern Shore | W 74-49 |
| Dec.16 Virginia Tech | W 72-69 |
| Dec. 19 at Richmond | L 49-55 |
| Dec. 21 at Winthrop | L 59-62 |
| Dec. 29 at UAB | 8:00 p.m. |
| Jan. 2 Hofstra* | 7:00 p.m. |
| Jan. 5 William & Mary* | 8:00 p.m. (Co |

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Jan. 9 at Towson* 7:00 p.m.

Jan. 12 at Delaware*

Jan 16 James Madison*

Jan. 19 VCU*

Jan. 23 at George Mason*

7:00 p.m. (WSKY4)

7:00 p.m. (COMCAST)

4:00 p.m. (COMCAST)

8:00 p.m. (CN8,WSKY4)

Jan. 26 at W&M * 7:00 p.m.

Jan. 30 UNCW* 7:00 p.m.

Feb. 2 Georgia State* 4:00 p.m.

Feb. 6 at Northeastern* 7:00 p.m.

Feb. 9 George Mason* 4:00 p.m.

Feb. 14 Drexel* 7:00 p.m. (ESPNU)
Feb. 16 at VCU* 6 or 8 p.m. (ESPNU or 2)
Feb. 20 at James Madison 7:00 p.m. (WSKY4)

Feb. 23 ESPN Bracketbuster TBA

Mar 1 at UNCW* 4:00 p.m. (COMCAST)

Mar. 7-10 CAA Championships Richmond, Va.

% Findlay Toyota Las Vegas Invitional at Orleans Hotel Arena (1st two games at ODU) *CAA games

SERIES VS. UAB

UAB leads, 15-9

First Meeting: 1982-83, UAB wins 71-60 in Birmingham

Last Meeting: 2006-07, ODU wins 56-42 at ODU NOTE: ODU was in the Sun Belt from 1983-1991 ODU and UAB played in the Sun Belt Finals in:1984

MONARCHS VS. CONFERENCE USA TEAMS

Central Florida 1-0

East Carolina 34-14

Memphis 0-1

Southern Miss 6-0

Tulane 2-1

Marshall 3-3

Tulsa 0-1

SMU 1-1

Rice 1-0

NOTE:

Senior Brandon Johnson has led ODU in rebounding three times this year, and two of the last three games.

BLAINE TAYLOR

Year b Year as a Head Coach

1991-92 Montana 27-4 (NCAA)

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1992-93 Montana 17-11
1993-94 Montana 20-8
1994-95 Montana 21-9 (NIT)
1995-96 Montana 20-8
1996-97 Montana 21-11 (NCAA)
1997-98 Montana 16-14
2001-02 ODU 13-16
2002-03 ODU 12-15
2003-04 ODU 17-12
2004-05 ODU 28-6 (NCAA)
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2005-06 ODU 24-10 (NIT Semifinals) 2006-07 ODU 24-9 (NCAA at large)

2007-08 ODU 6-6

124-74 at ODU (6 yrs)

142-65 at Montana (7 yrs)

266-139 (.655)

1st Collegiate Win

Nov. 15, 1991 87-58 vs. Simon Fraser

100th Collegiate Win

Feb. 10, 1996, 77-46 vs. Northern Arizona

200th Collegiate Win

Jan. 19, 2005, 67-66 at Hofstra

100th Win at ODU

Dec. 2, 2006, 70-57 vs. JMU

NO PLACE LIKE THE TED

2002-03 8-6

2003-04 11-4

2004-05 14-1

2005-06 14-1

2006-07 15-2

2007-08 5-1

Totals: 67-15

ODU BENCH SCORING/OPP

South Carolina State 20/32 Toledo 24/8 At Clemson 15/11 Iona 17/16 UNC 37/19 Louisville 13/21 Georgetown 13/26 At GA. State 16/19 MD-Eastern Shore 34/10 VA. Tech 23/29 At Richmond 16/20 At Winthrop 8/7

At UAB Hofstra W&M

At Towson

At Towson

At Delaware

JMU

VCU

At George Mason

At W&M

UNCW

Georgia State

At Northeastern

George Mason

Drexel

At VCU

At JMU

ESPN Bracketbuster

Northeastern

At UNCW

| ODU'S RECORD WHEN | |
|--------------------------|-------|
| ODU scores 40-49 points | 0-2 |
| ODU scores 50-59 points | 0-3 |
| ODU scores 60-69 points | 2-1 |
| ODU scores 70-79 points | 4-0 |
| ODU scores 80-89 points | 0-1 |
| ODU scores 90 or more | 0 - 0 |
| OPP score less than 40 | 1-0 |
| OPP score 40-49 points | 1-0 |
| OPP score 50-59 points | 1-1 |
| OPP score 60-69 points | 3-3 |
| OPP score 70-79 points | 0 - 0 |
| OPP score 80-89 points | 0 - 0 |
| OPP score 90 or more | 0-1 |
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| FIELD GOALS | |
| ODU shoots 50% or better | 1-1 |
| ODU shoots 40-49 % | 4-2 |
| ODU shoots 39% or lower | 1-3 |
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| REBOUNDS | |
| ODU Outrebounds OPP | 4-4 |
| OPP Outrebound ODU | 2-2 |
| Even | 0 - 0 |
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| DAYS OF THE WEEK | |
| Monday | 0 - 0 |
| Tuesday | 1-0 |
| Wednesday | 0-2 |
| Thursday | 0-0 |
| Friday | 1-2 |
| Saturday | 2-1 |
| Sunday | 2-1 |
| One TV | 2-2 |
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ODU/CAA INDIVIDUAL TOP 10

| Gerald Lee-Rebounding | 8th |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Brandon Johnson-Assists | 4th |
| Brandon Johnson-Steals | 1st |
| Sam Harris-Blocks | 3^{rd} |
| Frank Hassell-Blocks | 7^{th} |
| Gerald Lee-Blocks | 9^{th} |
| Gerald Lee-Off Rebs | 4th |

ODU/CAA STATISICAL RANKINGS

Scoring Offense Scoring Defense 3rd Free Throw PCT 9th FG PCT 7th FG PCT Def. 6th 3PT FG PCT 5th 3PT FG PCT Def. 11th 7th Rebs: Reb Margin: 6th Blks 1st AST: 4th STLS: 5th

CAA PRE SEASON POLL

- 1. George Mason
- **2.** 2. VCU
- 3. ODU
- 4. Drexel
- **5.** Hofstra
- **6.** UNC Wilmington
- **7.** James Madison
- 8. Northeastern
- 9. William & Mary
- 10. Delaware
- 11. Georgia State
- 12. Towson

2007-08 CAA Men's Pre-Season All Conference Team

First Team

Antoine Agudio, Hofstra, 6-3 G Herb Courtney, Delaware, 6-7,F

Frank Elegar, Drexel, 6-9, C

Eric Maynor, VCU, 6-2, G

Will Thomas, George Mason, 6-7, F

Second Team

Folarin Campbell, George Mason, 6-4, G

T.J. Carter, UNCW, 6-3, G

Juwann James, JMU, 6-6, F

Vladimir Kuljanin, UNCW 6-10, C

Brandon Johnson, ODU, 6-1, G

CAA Pre-Season Player of the Year: Eric Maynor, VCU

Honorable Mention: <u>Brian Henderson</u>, Sr., G, Old Dominion; Todd Hendley, Sr., F, UNC Wilmington; Abdulai Jalloh, Jr., G, James Madison; Matt Janning, So., G/F, Northeastern; Leonard Mendez, Jr., G, Georgia State