



TOWSON TIGERS

GAME 1 - TOWSON (0-0) vs. MIAMI (OHIO) (0-0)

Friday, Nov. 13, 2009 - 7:00 (WBAL 1090 AM Radio, Video Streaming) Towson Center

2009-10 SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER

13	MIAMI (Ohio)	7:00
21	BUFFALO	1:00
24	@ Navy	7:00
28	@ Dayton	2:00

DECEMBER

2	UMBC	7:00
5	HOFSTRA *	4:00
12	GEORGE WASHINGTON	4:00
19	HAMPTON	4:00
22	@ Morgan State	7:00
30	BOWLING GREEN	7:00

JANUARY

2	@ Georgia State *	6:00
4	OLD DOMINION *	7:00
6	@ Hofstra *	7:00
9	@ James Madison *	2:00
13	DREXEL *	7:00
16	@ Delaware *	12:00
18	@ St. Joseph's	7:00
20	NORTHEASTERN *	7:00
23	GEORGE MASON *	4:00
27	@ Virginia Commonwealth *	7:30
30	@ UNC Wilmington *	7:00

FEBRUARY

2	@ Drexel *	7:00
6	JAMES MADISON *	4:00
10	UNC WILMINGTON *	7:00
13	GEORGIA STATE *	4:00
16	@ Old Dominion *	7:00
20	@ BracketBuster	TBA
24	@ William & Mary *	7:00
27	DELAWARE *	4:00

MARCH

5-8	CAA Tournament (Richmond Colesium)	TBA
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* CAA Games

TONIGHT'S GAME

◆**FIRST EVER:** Miami (Ohio) and Towson are facing each other for the first time. The RedHawks are one of three Mid-American Conference opponents on the Tigers' schedule this season. Towson will host Buffalo next weekend and Bowling Green on December 30th. The Tigers are 3-3 all-time against MAC teams. They are 3-0 against Buffalo and 0-1 against Bowling Green, Northern Illinois and Kent State (game was later forfeited to Towson).

◆**OPENING TIP OFFS:** The Tigers are tipping off their 31st season of Division I basketball tonight. During that time the Tigers have compiled a 13-17 mark in season openers. They are 9-4 when those openers are played in the Towson Center. Under coach Pat Kennedy Towson is 3-2 in the lid lifters. The Tigers have won their last three, downing Navy 86-68 a year ago, Loyola 83-69 the previous year for Kennedy's 450th career coaching victory, and former America East rival Hartford 78-64 the year before. Seven of Towson's first 10 games in 2009-10 are at home against opponents from six different conferences. Towson's next win will be the 475th of Kennedy's coaching career.

TOWSON'S PROBABLE STARTERS

No.	Player	Pos.	Cl.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Hometown/H.S.	Towson Starts
20	Brian Morris	G	Jr.	6-6	185	Camp Hill, Pa./Trinity	22
21	David Brewster	F	Jr.	6-6	210	New York, N.Y./Springbrook (Md.)	10
23	Josh Thornton	G	Sr.	6-2	175	Rochester, N.Y./Caesar Rodney	36
25	Robert Nwankwo	F	Jr.	6-8	220	Upper Marlboro, Md./Parkdale	20
33	Calvin Lee	F	Sr.	6-8	215	Ettrick, Va./Matoaca	6

BENCH:

1	Isaiah Philmore	F	Fr.	6-7	210	Fallston, Md./John Carroll School	0
2	Jimmy Smith	G	Jr.	6-4	180	Van Nuys, Calif./Birmingham	0
3	Josh Brown	G	Jr.	6-1	160	Upper Marlboro, Md./Largo	0
5	RaShawn Polk	G	So.	6-2	205	Greensboro, N.C./Dudley	0
12	Eriq Gumbs	F	Fr.	6-9	225	Newark, Del./Caravel Academy	0
22	Jarrel Smith	F	Jr.	6-7	210	Van Nuys, Calif./Birmingham	32
24	Troy Franklin	G	So.	5-11	160	Baltimore, Md./Mt. Carmel	30
30	Danny Quinn	F	Jr.	6-7	255	Annapolis, Md./Spalding	0

HEAD COACH: Pat Kennedy (Kings' College of Pennsylvania '75) 30th season, 6th Year at Towson. Career record: 474-407

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH: Jim Meil (Lehigh '82) - 18th Yr.

ASSISTANT COACHES: Danny Nee (St. Mary of the Plains '71) - 1st Yr., Allen Edwards (Kentucky '02) - 1st Yr.

COORDINATOR OF BASKETBALL OPERATIONS: Phil Cohen (Maryland '02) - 1st Yr.

STRENGTH COACH: Jesse Judy (Delaware '99) 5th Yr.

SPORTS MEDICINE CONTACT: Chris Martin (Westfield State '05) -1st Yr.

MANAGERS: Patrick Springer, Kendall Martins, Craig Palmisano, Lyle Hoffman

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS

After a 10-minute cooling off period following each game Coach **Pat Kennedy** and selected players will be available. For games played in the Towson Center Coach Kennedy and players will be brought to the interview area. Ideally the visiting coach and players go first if requested. On the road, post-game interviews follow the procedure of the host school. Towson's lockerroom is closed.

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TUNE IN THE TIGERS

RADIO: Tonight's game is being carried on WBAL Radio (1090 AM) with **Gerry Sandusky** and **Vince Angotti** calling the action. **VIDEO STREAMING:** To access the Video Stream of tonight's game click on the [Live Events Schedule](#) menu located under the video board at www.towsonigers.com. **LIVE STATS:** Available for all home games at www.towsonigers.com under the [Multimedia](#) button.

HEAD COACH PAT KENNEDY:

The 2009-10 season is Pat Kennedy's 30th as a Division I head coach. He has never worked anywhere but at college basketball's highest level. Pat continues to rank among the top 25 active winningest Division I coaches with his 474 career victories, coming in at No. 21 before the start of the 2009-10 season. There isn't a level of Division I basketball he hasn't coached on, from the MAAC while at Iona, to the Metro Conference and Atlantic Coast Conference at Florida State, through Conference USA at DePaul to the Big Sky at Montana. He now finds himself directing Towson in the very competitive Colonial Athletic Association. He has taken teams to eight NCAA Tournaments and five NIT's. He has had ten 20-plus win seasons. He is the winningest coach in the Colonial Athletic Association, and the only coach to have prior head coaching experience in a major conference. Fifteen of the players he recruited have gone on to have NBA careers, including Sam Cassell from Baltimore's Dunbar H.S., most recently with the Los Angeles Clippers. Four of his former Towson players are currently playing overseas - Gary Neal, Junior Hairston, Lawrence Hamm and Marc Pratt. A number of his former assistants have become head coaches or assistants in the NBA. For over a decade Pat served on the National Association of Basketball Coaches board of directors. He was its president in 2004-05.

COACH KENNEDY'S NUMBERS:

Number Of Games As A Division I Coach:	882nd Tonight
All-Time Coaching Record:	474-407 (29 Seasons)
Record at Towson:	58-96 (5 Seasons)
Rank Among Winningest Active Division I Coaches:	21st
Rank Among Consecutive Seasons As A Division I Coach:	5th
Pat's Rank Among Active Winningest CAA Coaches:	1st



Pat Kennedy Year-By-Year

Season	School	W-L	Post Season
1980-81	Iona	15-14	
1981-82	Iona	24-9	NIT 1st Round
1982-83	Iona	22-9	NIT 1st Round
1983-84	Iona	23-8	NCAA 1st Round
1984-85	Iona	26-5	NCAA 1st Round
1985-86	Iona	14-15	
1986-87	Florida State	19-11	NIT 2nd Round
1987-88	Florida State	19-11	NCAA 1st Round
1988-89	Florida State	22-8	NCAA 1st Round
1989-90	Florida State	16-15	
1990-91	Florida State	21-11	NCAA 2nd Round
1991-92	Florida State	22-10	NCAA Sweet 16
1992-93	Florida State	25-10	NCAA Elite 8
1993-94	Florida State	13-14	
1994-95	Florida State	12-15	
1995-96	Florida State	13-14	
1996-97	Florida State	20-12	NIT Title Game
1997-98	DePaul	7-23	
1998-99	DePaul	18-13	NIT 2nd Round
1999-2000	DePaul	21-12	NCAA 1st Round
2000-01	DePaul	12-18	
2001-02	DePaul	9-19	
2002-03	Montana	13-17	
2003-04	Montana	10-18	
2004-05	Towson	6-23	
2005-06	Towson	12-16	
2006-07	Towson	15-17	CAA Quarters
2007-08	Towson	13-18	CAA Quarters
2008-09	Towson	12-22	CAA Semifinals
2009-10	Towson	0-0	
All Years		474-407	

HISTORY vs. MIAMI (Ohio):

Series Record:	1st Meeting
First Meeting:	N/A
Last Meeting:	N/A
Current Winning Streak:	N/A
In The Towson Center:	0-0
In Millett Hall:	0-0
Towson's Largest Win Margin:	N/A
Most Points By Towson:	N/A
Least Points By Towson:	N/A
Miami's Largest Win Margin:	N/A
Most Points By Miami:	N/A
Least Points By Miami:	N/A

TOWSON GENERALLY:

Location	Towson, Maryland 21252-0001
Founded:	1866
Enrollment:	21,177
Nickname:	"Tigers"
Colors:	Gold, White & Black
Arena:	Towson Center
Arena Capacity:	4,500
Arena Opened:	October 15, 1976
Conference:	Colonial Athletic Association
Affiliation:	NCAA Division I
President:	Dr. Robert Caret
Athletics Director:	Mike Hermann
Associate AD External Affairs:	Tom Brush
Faculty Represent	
Basketball Started At Towson:	1921
All-Time Record:	567-745 (since 1958)
All-Time Division I Record:	359-507 (30th Year)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:	1990, 1991

UPDATING TOWSON

◆ **CARRY OVER:** The 11th-seeded Tigers finished the 2008-09 season on a high note, becoming the lowest seed ever to advance to the CAA Tournament semifinals last year. After dispatching Drexel 73-62 in the opening round they upset Northeastern 58-54 in the quarterfinals before bowing 56-48 to George Mason. Over the summer the Tigers played five games on a Canadian tour, going 3-2. Recently the Tigers won closed scrimmages against Hartford and Princeton to run the record to 7-3 since last March.

◆ **A LITTLE OLDER:** Towson has two seniors and seven juniors on the squad this year, giving Tiger coach Pat Kennedy his most experienced group. **Calvin Lee** and **Josh Thornton** are the seniors. Both are expected to start. Thornton is Towson's leading returning scorer from last year with a 10.9 average. Lee should be the leader up front. Juniors **Jarrel Smith**, **Brian Morris**, **David Brewster** and **Robert Nwankwo** will all contribute. Smith made 32 starts last year. Morris started 22 games at point guard. Nwankwo was a walk-on who has earned a scholarship. Brewster is making a strong case for starting on a wing. Sophomore **Troy Franklin** is now a veteran and shares time with Morris at the point.

◆ **NEWCOMERS:** Freshmen **Isaiah Philmore** and **Eriq Gumbs**, sophomore transfer **RaShawn Polk** plus redshirt juniors **Josh Brown** and **Danny Quinn** are the new faces in the crowd for Towson this year. Philmore and Gumbs are establishing themselves up front while Polk is working his way into the backcourt. Polk is not available for tonight's contest due to an eligibility issue.

UPDATING THE REDHAWKS

Coach **Charlie Coles**, Miami's all-time winningest coach, has pre-season East Division All-MAC guard **Kenny Hayes** leading the way for the RedHawks. Hayes' season was cut short last year due to injury. He's returning via a medical redshirt. In his eight games last year he averaged 13.9 points and shot 53 per cent from three-point land. The previous year he started 32 of 33 games, earning All-MAC honorable mention honors. The RedHawks, picked fourth in the East Division pre-season poll, graduated five seniors from last year's 17-13 squad that was 4th in the MAC. Hayes' return eases some of the pain of losing **Michael Bramos**, the MAC's Player of the Year. Also back is 6-9 senior center **Adam Fletcher** who posted a team high .568 shooting percentage. Freshman forward **Drew Kelly**, who was named Mr. Tennessee Basketball last year after averaging 31 points and 15 rebounds, heads up the list of newcomers.

DID YOU KNOW ...

◆◆◆The 86-68 win over Navy last year was the largest margin of victory for the Tigers in a season opener in 19 years, since Towson's 83-64 win over Howard in 1989.

◆◆◆The Tigers rid themselves of a 14-game road losing streak with their 82-65 win at UMBC last December. The loss ended a 9-game winning streak the Retrievers had going on their home floor. The 82 points against the Retrievers were the most in a road win for Towson since the Tigers beat Delaware 96-92 in the Bob Carpenter Center in 2006. And, the Tigers' 62-61 win at Delaware last season brought to a halt a 12-game road skid against CAA opponents.

◆◆◆The 11th-seed was the lowest ever for the Tigers in their eight-year CAA tournament history. Towson has been seeded 7th three times, 9th twice and 10th once.

◆◆◆The 2008-09 Tigers soared where no other Towson team had been - in the CAA semifinals. The 11th-seeded Tigers, who are the lowest seed in the history of the CAA Tournament to reach the semifinals, upset 3rd-seeded Northeastern 58-54 to claim their first ever quarterfinal victory since joining the CAA eight years ago.

◆◆◆With their appearance in the CAA semifinals the Tigers played a record 34 games for the season. The previous record was 32 games in 2006-07 when Towson was 15-17 after beating UNC Wilmington 67-52 in the opening round of the CAA tournament before falling to ODU 58-55 in the quarterfinals.

◆◆◆Towson's 15-0 start against 6th-seeded Drexel in the opening round of the CAA tournament last March was news enough but the Tigers' 39-14 lead at the half grabbed the headlines. That 25-point lead was Towson's largest since, oddly enough, the previous year when the Tigers led Hofstra 31-13 in a CAA opening round game. Towson went on to win that contest 81-66. The Tigers' 25-point lead over the Dragons turned out to be the largest lead of the 2009 CAA tournament.

◆◆◆The Tigers employed 16 different starting lineups last season. No player started all 34 games. Jarrel Smith led the way with 32 starts followed by Troy Franklin with 30, Junior Hairston with 28 and Brian Morris with 22. Smith did not start in the home finale against Delaware because the Tigers started their five seniors. He was injured anyway, having suffered a shoulder sprain against Morgan State. The injury prevailed until the regular season finale at George Mason when Jarrel came off the bench and played just 16 minutes. Jarrel co-holds the program record for most starts in a season with Gary Neal (2006-07).

2009-10 START CHART (Towson Games Only)

Player	2009-10	Current Streak	Career
Josh Thornton	-	-	36
Jarrel Smith	-	3	32
Tony Franklin	-	4	30
Brian Morris	-	3	22
Robert Nwankwo	-	3	20
Calvin Lee	-	-	6
David Brewster	-	-	5
Josh Brown	-	-	-
Eriq Gumbs	-	-	-
RaShawn Polk	-	-	-
Isaiah Philmore	-	-	-
Danny Quinn	-	-	-
Jimmy Smith	-	-	-

RECRUITS:

The Tigers have announced two early signings including 6-1 guard **Cephas Olgesby** (Cape Fear Community College/Cape Fear H.S./Fayetteville, N.C.) and 6-11 forward **Jamel Flash** (West Hempstead H.S./West Hempstead, N.Y.). Olgesby was ranked as the third best prospect among North Carolina junior college players after averaging 17.1 points to lead the Sea Devils to a 20-14 record that included a Region X Tournament championship and a trip to Hutchinson, Kan. for a spot in the NJCAA National Playoffs last year. A pre-season honorable mention NJCAA All-American selection this year, he also averaged 5.2 rebounds and 2.6 assists. Coming out of Cape Fear High School he was Cumberland County's second leading scorer with a 19.1 average. Flash's first exposure to organized basketball came in his freshman year at West Hempstead. A two-year team captain, he averaged 12.2 points, 10.4 rebounds and 3.1 blocks in his junior year when the Rams were 12-0 in conference play and 15-5 overall. He has registered single game career highs of 21 points, 19 rebounds and seven blocks. Flash is a member of the New York Panthers Under 17 team that traveled extensively last summer for events in Los Angeles, Las Vegas and Arkansas. He has attended the Hoop Group Elite camp. In the off-season he works out with his cousin, Shannelle Scott, a former St. John's player who was a 1994 draft pick of the Portland Trailblazers.

TIGERS IN 2008-09 RANKINGS:

(Team Per Game)	CAA	NCAA
Scoring Offense (65.1)	8	227
Scoring Defense (70.6)	11	238
Scoring Margin (-5.5)	11	287
FG Percentage (.402)	10	302
FG Percentage Defense (.443)	10	228
3-Pt. FG's % (.316)	10	260
FT Percentage (.668)	8	240
Rebounding Margin (-3.2)	10	283
Assists (13.0)	6	162
Blocked Shots (4.6)	2	41
Steals (7.2)	3	98
Turnovers Per Game (13.0)	7	94
Assist/Turnover Ratio (1.0)	4	127
Turnover Margin (+0.0)	8	

RECORD vs. LEAGUES: This season the Tigers are facing opponents from 6 different leagues. Following is Towson's records against the current membership of those conferences in 2009-'0 and all-time.

League	2009-10	All-Time
Mid-American	0-0	3-3
Patriot	0-0	37-67
Atlantic 10	0-0	3-15
America East	0-0	68-56
Mid-Eastern Athletic	0-0	33-28
CAA	0-0	106-226

RECORD HIGHS/LOWS: TU's single game FG% record high is .705 set twice in different eras, vs. C.W. Post in the Div. II days and against Northeastern in 2000. The Tigers 13 of 59 for a .232 showing at Temple two years ago proved to be TU's single game FG% record low.

THE HIGHS

.705 (31-44)	vs. N'eastern, 2000, vs. C.W. Post, 1977
.696 (45-69)	vs. St. Francis, Pa., 1986
.683 (28-41)	vs. Monmouth, 1983
.672 (41-61)	vs. Frostburg State, 1984
.653 (32-49)	vs. Rider, 1988
.638 (30-47)	vs. Maryland Eastern Shore, 2001
.634 (26-41)	vs. Washington College, 1984
.625 (25-40)	@ Delaware, 2007
(35-56)	@ James Madison, 2006
(25-40)	vs. Lehigh, 1986
.622 (31-50)	@ Miami, Fla., 1986

THE LOWS

.232 (13-59)	@ Temple, 2007
.246 (14-57)	vs. Tennessee State, 2006
.250 (18-73)	vs. Alabama, 1990
.254 (17-67)	vs. Maryland, 1985
.255 (14-55)	@ VCU, 2008
.260 (13-50)	vs. Georgetown, 2001
.261 (12-46)	@ Georgetown, 2006
.265 (13-49)	vs. VCU, 2004
.270 (17-63)	vs. William & Mary, 2005
.271 (16-59)	@ Georgia State, 2009

2008-09 RECORD WHEN STARTING:

Smith, Nwankwo, Morris, Thornton, Franklin	2-1
Smith, Lee, Morris, Thornton, Franklin	2-0
Smith, Hairston, Nwankwo, Morris, Franklin	1-3
Smith, Hairston, Lee, Morris, Franklin	1-1
Smith, Hairston, Nwankwo, Thornton, Franklin	0-5
Smith, Hairston, Morris, Thornton, Franklin	1-3
Smith, Hairston, Nwankwo, Thornton, Morris	0-1
Smith, Hairston, Lee, Thornton, Franklin	1-0
Smith, Hairston, Nwankwo, Coleman, Franklin	0-1
Smith, Hairston, Nwankwo, Morris, Brewster	0-1
Smith, Hairston, Durant, Morris, Brewster	0-1
Smith, Nwankwo, Lee, Brewster, Franklin	1-0
Smith, Hairston, Durant, Brewster, Franklin	0-1
Smith, Hairston, Morris, Brewster, Franklin	0-1
Hairston, Crossin, Coleman, Durant, Kannegieter	1-0
TU'S Starters averaged	1,387 Pts. - 46.2
TU'S Bench averaged	588 Pts. - 19.6

TOWSON STREAKS:

Longest Win Streak:	22 (1976-77)
Current Win Streak:	0
Longest Division I Win Streak:	10 (1991-92)
Longest Losing Streak:	19 (1962-63, 1963-64)
Current Losing Streak:	1
Current Road Winning Streak	-
Current Road Losing Streak	3
Longest Division I Losing Streak:	14 (1/22/05-11/19/05)

TIGERS vs. 2009-10 OPPONENTS

Opponent	This Year	All Years
Miami (Ohio)	0-0	0-0
Buffalo	0-0	3-0
Navy	0-0	7-2
Dayton	0-0	1-3
UMBC	0-0	32-18
Hofstra	0-0	19-31
George Washington	0-0	1-7
Hampton	0-0	1-0
Morgan State	0-0	11-12
Bowling Green	0-0	0-1
Georgia State	0-0	5-4
Old Dominion	0-0	1-20
James Madison	0-0	9-21
Drexel	0-0	13-39
Delaware	0-0	25-36
St. Joseph's	0-0	0-1
Northeastern	0-0	11-10
George Mason	0-0	8-27
VCU	0-0	1-15
UNC Wilmington	0-0	7-13
William & Mary	0-0	9-11

TIGERS IN THE TOWSON CENTER:

The Towson Center is in its 4th decade, celebrating its 33rd anniversary. Towson has compiled a 263-173 (.611) record there. The longest winning streak is 22 from January 11, 1993 to January 7, 1995. The longest losing streak is 6 from January 29, 2005 to November 19, 2005. The Tigers currently have a 1-game winning streak. Towson won the first 12 games to open the Towson Center. Top streaks are:

22	1/11/93 ending 1/7/95 vs. Radford
19	11/29/77 ending 3/4/78 vs. Elizabeth City
12	12/11/76 ending 2/24/77 vs. Baltimore
8	11/28/89 ending 2/21/90 vs. Bucknell

TOMORROW'S TOWSON CENTER:

Towson University continues to plan the construction of a new arena attached to the current Towson Center that will become the new home of the men's women's basketball program and provide a new location for major university events like graduation and convocations. Construction on the new 5,000-seat arena is expected to begin in the fall of 2010 and open for the 2012-13 season. The Arena will be attached to the current Towson Center. The front entrance will be just off of Auburn Drive, across from the Johnny Unitas Stadium press box. The Arena will feature a seating bowl, hospitality areas and suites. The concourse will include four concessions areas, ticketing and a Hall of Fame exhibit where the university plans to display a history of its athletics program. The project also includes enhancement of the lower level of the Towson Center, including renovation to the basketball and visiting locker rooms, and expansion of the strength and conditioning facilities.

THE LAST TIME: A Towson Player Had ...

⇒40 or more points:	41, Gary Neal, vs. Samford, 11/16/06
⇒30 or more points:	30, Gary Neal @ Old Dominion, 2/21/07
⇒15 or more rebounds:	15, Junior Hairston vs. UNCW, 1/24/09
⇒10 or more assists:	10, Troy Franklin vs. UNCW 1/24/09
⇒5 or more blocked shots:	5, Robert Nwankwo @ Old Dominion, 2/3/09
⇒5 or more steals:	5, Troy Franklin @ Old Dominion, 2/3/09
⇒40 minutes in regulation:	Gary Neal @ Northeastern, 1/7/07

THE LAST TIME: An Opponent Had ...

⇒40 or more points:	43, Derell Thompson, UMBC, 2/15/92
⇒30 or more points:	31, Charron Fisher, Niagara, 12/9/07
⇒17 or more rebounds:	17, Marc Egerson, Delaware, 1/5/09
⇒10 or more assists:	15, Chad Tomko, UNCW, 1/24/09
⇒5 or more blocked shots:	8, Tyrone Lewis, 11/16/08
⇒5 or more steals:	7, Joe Rodriguez, VCU, 2/2/08

THE LAST TIME: Towson ...

⇒Scored 100 points:	105-86 win over Washington College, 12/16/95
⇒Scored Less Than 50 points:	46, @ Georgia State, 1/17/09
⇒Allowed 100 points:	98-103 loss vs. UNCW, 1/24/09
⇒Allowed Less Than 50 points:	61-48 win over NJIT, 11/24/08
⇒Shot 60% or more from field:	62.5% (25-40) @ Delaware, 1/8/07
⇒Shot 30% or less from field:	27.1%, @ Georgia State, 1/17/09
⇒Shot 70% or more in a half:	72.0%, @ James Madison, 1/7/06
⇒Held opponents below 30 per cent:	27.5%, vs. William & Mary, 12/3/05
⇒Had 50-plus rebounds:	53, @ Niagara, 11/16/08
⇒Allowed 50-plus rebounds:	51, vs. Morgan State, 2/21/09
⇒Had Less than 10 turnovers:	6, vs. Delaware, 2/25/09
⇒Had 25-plus turnovers:	31, @ Norfolk State, 11/30/05
⇒Forced 25-plus turnovers:	25, vs. Delaware, 1/20/2001
⇒Played overtime game:	82-71 Win vs. Georgia State, 2/11/09
⇒Played two-overtime game:	98-103 loss vs. UNCW, 1/24/09

MISCELLANEOUS: Records/Streaks:

⇒Towson's All-Time Division I Record:	359-507 (.417) in 30 seasons
⇒Most Wins One Season in Division I:	21 in 1993-94
⇒Most Wins One Season All-Time:	27, in 1976-77 (NCAA Division II Poll Champions)
⇒Most Consecutive Games With A 3-Point Field Goal:	212 (0 @ ODU on Feb. 4, 2002)
⇒Consecutive Games Opponent Under 100 Points:	13
⇒Number 100-Point Games In TU History:	40 (105-86 vs. Washington Col. on Dec. 16, 1995)
⇒Most Points In A Game By Towson:	122 (vs. Buffalo 122-58 on Mar. 9, 1992)
⇒Most 100-Point Games In One Season:	Six in 1988-89
⇒Number 100-Pt. Games By Opponents vs. Towson:	32 (vs. UNCW 103-98 on Jan. 24, 2009)
⇒Most Points Against Towson:	120 (UM 120, Towson 73 in Cole Field House on Dec. 12, 1994)
⇒Towson's Record In Division I Overtime Games:	12-21
⇒Last Overtime Win:	82-72 vs. Georgia State in the Towson Center on Feb. 12, 2009
⇒Last Overtime Loss:	103-98 (2-ot) vs. UNCW in the Towson Center on Jan. 24, 2009

THE OVER 40 GANG:

Gary Neal's 41 points against Samford two years ago set a new Towson Center record for most points in a game by a Towson player in that facility. Overall, those 41 points tie for fourth best single game scoring performance by a Tiger. Neal and Kurk Lee are the only two Towson players to have two 40-point games in their careers.

51	Larry Witherspoon @ American University., February 17, 1973
46	Devin Boyd @ UMBC, February 27, 1993
44	Kurk Lee vs. UMBC @ Mt. St. Mary's, December 8, 1989
41	Gary Neal vs. Samford, November 16, 2006
41	Kurk Lee @ Drexel, February 10, 1990
40	Gary Neal @ James Madison, January 7, 2006

TOWSON'S 2008-09 WIN/LOSS MARGINS:

Margin	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21+	
Wins																						
Losses																						

PICKIN' THE CAA:

The panel of coaches, media directors and media has picked the Tigers to finish 9th in its pre-season poll that forecasts the 2009-10 Colonial Athletic Association race. Old Dominion gets the nod to win it all.

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

BIG GAMES FOR TIGERS:

Double-Doubles:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Jarrel Smith	3
Robert Nwankwo	1
20-Point Games:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Josh Thornton	12
Jarrell Smith	3
10+Rebounds:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Jarrell Smith	3
Robert Nwankwo	3
10+Assists:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Troy Franklin	1
5+Blocks:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Robert Nwankwo	2
Calvin Lee	1
5+Steals:	<u>2009-10</u> Career
Troy Franklin	2

1000-POINT CLUB: Josh Thornton is the only player on the 2009-10 squad with a reasonable chance of becoming the 26th member of Towson's 1,000 Career Points Club this season. Josh needs 339 points to reach the plateau.

Player	(Years)	Points
1. Devin Boyd	1988-93	2,000
20. Mel Land	1969-72	1,081
21. Roger Dickens	1976-78	1,057
22. Donald Leslie	1979-83	1,031
23. Michael Fink	1984-88	1,029
24. Marty Johnson	1986-88	1,011
25. Mark Cooley	1979-83	1,011
Josh Thornton	2005-present	661

TOWSON'S 100 GUN CLUB: A handful of TU players have made at least 100 three-pointers in their career. **Josh Thornton** needs nine more makes to become the all-time 3-point gunner.

Player	(Years)	3FGM-3FGA	PCT.
Kurk Lee	1988-90	157-445	.353
Gary Neal*	2002-07	155-431	.360
Josh Thornton	2005-present	149-381	.391
Devin Boyd	1988-93	135-414	.326
Tim Crossin	2005-09	115-321	.358
Ralph Blalock	1992-96	108-272	.397

* Gary Neal was 305-850 (.359) over his entire career that included two years at La Salle.

TOWSON'S SHOT BLOCKERS: Robert Nwankwo is making his way up the shot block ladder. He needs 18 to be among the top six.

Player	(Years)	Blocks
John James	1990-94	244
Pat McKinley	1973-77	229
Junior Hairston	2007-09	129
Tony Dixon	2001-05	143
Bobby Washington	1984-78	126
Greg McGlinton	1981-86	97
Lawrence Hamm	2002-06	80
Robert Nwankwo	2007-present	63

TIGERS' 2009-10 BROADCAST SCHEDULE:

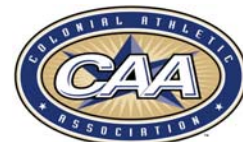
DATE	OPPONENT	RADIO	TELEVISION	TIP
November				
13	MIAMI (Ohio)	WBAL-1090 AM		7:00
21	BUFFALO	WBAL-1090 AM		1:00
24	@ Navy	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
28	@ Dayton	WTMD-89.7 FM		2:00
December				
2	UMBC	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
5	HOFSTRA *	WBAL-1090 AM		4:00
12	GEORGE WASHINGTON	WTMD-89.7 FM		4:00
19	HAMPTON	WBAL-1090 AM		4:00
22	@ Morgan State	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
30	BOWLING GREEN	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
January				
2	@ Georgia State *	WTMD-89.7 FM		6:00
4	OLD DOMINION *	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
6	@ Hofstra *	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
9	@ James Madison *	WTMD-89.7 FM	CSNWashington	2:00
13	DREXEL *	WBAL-1090 AM		7:00
16	@ Delaware *	WBAL-1090 AM	CSNPhilly	12:00
18	@ St. Joseph's	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
20	NORTHEASTERN *	WBAL-1090 AM		7:00
23	GEORGE MASON *	WBAL-1090 AM	MASN	4:00
27	@ VCU *	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:30
30	@ UNC Wilmington *	WTMD-89.7 FM	MASN	6:00
February				
2	@ Drexel *	WTMD-89.7 FM	CSNPhilly	7:00
6	JAMES MADISON *	WBAL-1090 AM		4:00
10	UNC WILMINGTON *	WBAL-1090 AM	MASN	7:00
13	GEORGIA STATE *	WBAL-1090 AM		4:00
16	@ Old Dominion *	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
20	@ BracketBuster	WTMD-89.7 FM		TBD
24	@ William & Mary *	WTMD-89.7 FM		7:00
27	DELAWARE *	WBAL-1090 AM		4:00
March				
5-8	@ CAA Tournament	TBA		TBA

ACTIVE CAREER STAT LEADERS:

Games Played	64	Brian Morris
Games Started	45	Brian Morris
Points	661	Josh Thornton
Rebounds	242	Robert Nwankwo
Field Goals Made	230	Josh Thornton
Field Goals Attempted	545	Josh Thornton
3-Point Field Goals Made	149	Josh Thornton
3-Point Field Goals Attempted	381	Josh Thornton
Free Throws Made	80	Brian Morris
Free Throws Attempted	127	Josh Thornton
Assists	216	Brian Morris
Steals	59	Brian Morris, Troy Franklin
Blocks	63	Robert Nwankwo
Personal Fouls	122	Brian Morris
Disqualifications	6	Troy Franklin
Minutes	1,884	Brian Morris
Turnovers	115	Brian Morris



2008-09 TIGER BASKETBALL
Towson Combined Team Statistics (as of Mar 11, 2009)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	12-22	6-8	4-11	2-3
CONFERENCE	5-13	3-6	2-7	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	7-9	3-2	2-4	2-3

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	pct	3fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg								
24	Hairston, Junior	31-28	961	31.0	150-344	.436	29-94	.309	74-109	.679	83	147	230	7.4	84	4	34	46	60	32	403	13.0
23	Thornton, Josh	33-17	834	25.3	124-320	.388	80-221	.362	33-44	.750	16	48	64	1.9	41	0	35	53	2	27	361	10.9
22	Smith, Jarrel	33-32	891	27.0	119-267	.446	10-38	.263	74-103	.718	45	103	148	4.5	65	1	29	42	9	26	322	9.8
32	Franklin, Troy	34-30	982	28.9	91-279	.326	35-146	.240	68-92	.739	18	76	94	2.8	103	6	142	105	0	59	285	8.4
33	Lee, Calvin	27-6	462	17.1	58-133	.436	4-8	.500	37-48	.771	54	48	102	3.8	67	2	9	23	24	12	157	5.8
20	Morris, Brian	34-22	954	28.1	55-154	.357	25-78	.321	39-64	.609	18	84	102	3.0	55	1	131	62	4	29	174	5.1
04	Coleman, Rocky	30-3	439	14.6	48-121	.397	12-32	.375	37-64	.578	20	34	54	1.8	23	0	21	30	1	13	145	4.8
21	Brewster, David	22-5	347	15.8	34-111	.306	11-50	.220	23-35	.657	16	22	38	1.7	37	1	15	19	4	11	102	4.6
25	Nwankwo, Robert	32-20	607	19.0	48-91	.527	0-0	.000	45-86	.523	79	95	174	5.4	85	4	14	30	49	25	141	4.4
35	Durant, Tony	28-4	298	10.6	39-88	.443	0-1	.000	18-26	.692	20	36	56	2.0	46	1	5	16	3	5	96	3.4
03	Crossin, Tim	17-2	87	5.1	10-20	.500	7-16	.438	0-0	.000	2	9	11	0.6	5	0	7	6	0	6	27	1.6
10	Kannegieter, Ryan	4-1	7	1.8	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0.0
02	Smith, Jimmy	1-0	5	5.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
01	Carr, Vernon	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											46	64	110		3		8					
Total.....		34	6875		776-1930	.402	213-685	.311	448-671	.668	418	768	1186	34.9	614	20	442	441	156	246	2213	65.1
Opponents.....		34	6875		867-1956	.443	203-633	.321	462-683	.676	452	842	1294	38.1	586	10	527	441	93	243	2399	70.6

TEAM STATISTICS	TOWSON	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	2213	2399	11/14/08	NAVY	W 86-68	2789
Points per game	65.1	70.6	11/16/08	at Niagara	L 62-79	2113
Scoring margin	-5.5	-	11/22/08	HAMPTON	W 82-73	2034
FIELD GOALS-ATT	776-1930	867-1956	11/24/08	NJIT	W 61-48	1322
Field goal pct	.402	.443	@ 11/28/08	vs Villanova	L 47-64	4713
3 POINT FG-ATT	213-685	203-633	@ 11/29/08	vs Penn State	L 54-78	6101
3-point FG pct	.311	.321	12/03/08	at UMBC	W 82-65	3087
3-pt FG made per game	6.3	6.0	* 12/06/08	HOFSTRA	L 79-90	1639
FREE THROWS-ATT	448-671	462-683	12/09/08	SAINT JOSEPH'S	L 64-85	2619
Free throw pct	.668	.676	12/13/08	at High Point	W 71-57	889
F-Throws made per game	13.2	13.6	12/22/08	at Bowling Green	L 58-77	1271
REBOUNDS	1186	1294	12/28/08	at Lafayette	L 63-70	923
Rebounds per game	34.9	38.1	12/31/08	at NC State	L 68-88	9521
Rebounding margin	-3.2	-	* 01/03/09	JAMES MADISON	W 58-57	1545
ASSISTS	442	527	* 1/5/09	at Delaware	W 62-61	2557
Assists per game	13.0	15.5	* 01/07/09	GEORGE MASON	L 59-71	1507
TURNOVERS	441	441	* 01/10/09	at Northeastern	L 53-68	2078
Turnovers per game	13.0	13.0	* 01/14/09	VCU	L 71-78	1379
Turnover margin	+0.0	-	* 1/17/09	at Georgia State	L 46-68	1612
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.2	* 1/21/09	at James Madison	L 59-70	3309
STEALS	246	243	* 01/24/09	UNC WILMINGTON	Lot 98-103	1473
Steals per game	7.2	7.1	* 1/28/09	at William and Mary	W 69-56	1237
BLOCKS	156	93	* 01/31/09	DREXEL	L 53-60	2954
Blocks per game	4.6	2.7	* 2-03-09	at Old Dominion Univ.	L 62-71	6332
ATTENDANCE	25486	82305	* 02/07/09	at Hofstra	L 68-71	3029
Home games-Avg/Game	14-1820	15-3334	* 02/11/09	GEORGIA STATE	Wot 82-72	1219
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	5-6458	* 2/15/09	at Drexel	L 65-78	2215
			* 02/18/09	WILLIAM AND MARY	L 54-76	1157
			02/21/09	MORGAN STATE	L 64-80	2418
			* 02/25/09	DELAWARE	W 75-74	1431
			* 2/28/09	at George Mason	L 59-71	9840
			% 3/6/09	vs Drexel	W 73-62	8321
			% 3/7/09	vs Northeastern	W 58-54	5232
			% 3/8/09	vs George Mason	L 48-56	7925

* = Conference Game
 @ = Philly Hoop Group Classic
 % = CAA Tournament Games