

THE SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE

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2009-10 MEN'S BASKETBALL REPORT - WEEK 5

2009-10 SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE MEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS (Through games played on Sunday, December 20)

TEAM	SAC	PCT	ALL	PCT	H	A	N	ST
Lincoln Memorial	1-0	1.000	9-1	.900	6-0	3-1	0-0	W6
Brevard	1-0	1.000	5-2	.714	3-1	1-1	1-0	L1
Wingate	1-0	1.000	6-4	.600	4-2	2-1	0-1	W1
Lenoir-Rhyne	1-0	1.000	2-7	.222	2-1	0-2	0-4	L3
Catawba	0-1	.000	5-5	.500	1-1	1-3	3-1	L2
Mars Hill	0-0	.000	4-4	.500	3-0	1-2	0-2	W1
Tusculum	0-1	.000	5-5	.500	3-2	0-1	2-2	L1
Newberry	0-1	.000	5-6	.455	4-2	1-4	0-0	W2
Carson-Newman	0-1	.000	4-5	.444	2-2	0-3	2-0	L3

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, December 14

Coker 72, Wingate 67

Tuesday, December 15

Georgia College & State Univ. 77, Newberry 76
Lincoln Memorial Univ. 73, King (Tenn.) 66
UNC Asheville 94, Catawba 81

Wednesday, December 16

Wingate 90, Mount Olive 85

Thursday, December 17

Lincoln Memorial 67, West Virginia Wesleyan 52
Johnson C. Smith 65, Catawba 59
Newberry 68, Southern Wesleyan 64
Belmont Abbey 85, Brevard 75

Friday, December 18

St. Augustine's 65, Lenoir-Rhyne 54

Saturday, December 19

Newberry 78, Paine 67
Armstrong Atlantic St. 69, Lenoir-Rhyne 66

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, December 21

Tusculum at Bellarmine, 7 p.m.

Monday, December 28

Lenoir-Rhyne vs. Georgia Southwestern St. (at Greenwood, S.C.), 5 p.m.
Temple Baptist at Lincoln Memorial Univ., 7 p.m.

Tuesday, December 29

Wingate vs. Georgia College & State Univ. (at Savannah, Ga.), 5 p.m.
Brevard at Oakland City, 7 p.m.
Lenoir-Rhyne vs. Lander (at Greenwood, S.C.), 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 30

Catawba at Chowan, 4 p.m.
Mars Hill at Belmont Abbey, 4 p.m.
Lees-McRae at Carson-Newman, 4 p.m.
Newberry at North Georgia, 4 p.m.
Brevard at Southern Indiana, 7 p.m.
Wingate at Armstrong Atlantic St., 7 p.m.

Saturday, January 2

Queens Univ. of Charlotte at Catawba, 4 p.m.
BREVARD AT MARS HILL, 4 p.m.
LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIV. AT WINGATE, 4 p.m.
NEWBERRY AT CARSON-NEWMAN, 4 p.m.
TUSCULUM AT LENOIR-RHYNE, 8 p.m.



Wingate's Larry Staley named SAC Player of the Week



ROCK HILL, S.C. — Wingate University senior guard Larry Staley has been named the South Atlantic Conference men's basketball Player of the Week for the week ending December 20, 2009.

Staley, a senior guard from Charlotte, N.C. (Butler HS) had two solid games as the Bulldogs split two region contests last week. He netted a career-high 26 points in a tough 72-67 home loss to Coker College Monday night (Dec. 14). Staley contributed 10 points to a huge 90-85 home victory over Mount Olive College Wednesday night (Dec. 16).

Staley leads the balanced Bulldogs (6-4 overall) with 12.2 points per game. On Monday night against Coker, Staley hit eight-of-12 field goals and nine-of-10 free throws. Staley leads the Bulldogs in field goal percentage (62.0) and free throw percentage (84.2).

The Bulldogs return to action Tuesday, Dec. 29, taking on Georgia College in Savannah, Ga. Wingate will play host Armstrong Atlantic State on Dec. 30. The Bulldogs return home Jan. 2 to host Lincoln Memorial University at 4 p.m.

2009-10 SAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

DATE	PLAYER	POS	SCHOOL
11/23	Rob Fields	G	Catawba
11/30	J.J. Wesley	G	Carson-Newman
12/7	Danny Sanders	G	Mars Hill
12/14	Kyle Moore	G	Tusculum
20/20	Larry Staley	G	Wingate

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2009-10 SAC MEN'S BASKETBALL RESULTS

BREVARD (1-0 SAC, 5-2)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 17	at Belmont Abbey	L, 81-83 (OT)
Nov. 21	at North Greenville	W, 97-88
Nov. 28	Limestone	W, 75-73 (OT)
Dec. 1	vs. Erskine (Charlotte, NC)	W, 64-46
Dec. 5	TUSCULUM	W, 58-54 (OT)
Dec. 7	Lees-McRae	W, 71-61
Dec. 17	Belmont Abbey	L, 75-85
Dec. 29	at Oakland City	7 pm
Dec. 30	at Southern Indiana	7 pm
Jan. 2	at MARS HILL	4 pm
Jan. 4	at Montreat	7:30 pm
Jan. 6	LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan. 9	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
Jan. 11	at Truett-McConnell	8 pm
Jan. 13	at CATAWBA	8 pm
Jan. 16	at WINGATE	4 pm
Jan. 18	at Erskine	7 pm
Jan. 20	CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Jan. 27	at NEWBERRY	8 pm
Jan. 30	MARS HILL	4 pm
Feb. 3	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Feb. 6	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
Feb. 13	WINGATE	4 pm
Feb. 17	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb. 20	at TUSCULUM	4 pm
Feb. 24	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Feb. 27	CATAWBA	4 pm
Mar. 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

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CARSON-NEWMAN (0-1 SAC, 4-5)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	at Alabama-Huntsville	L, 47-74
Nov. 20	vs. Concord (at Harrogate, TN)	W, 85-67
Nov. 21	vs. Hiwassee (at Harrogate, TN)	W, 95-57
Nov. 23	Alabama-Huntsville	W, 65-64
Nov. 27	Georgia College	L, 70-82
Nov. 28	North Georgia	W, 77-73
Dec. 2	at Maryville (Tenn.)	L, 56-69
Dec. 5	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	L, 67-70
Dec. 12	King	L, 87-100
Dec. 31	Lees-McRae	4 pm
Jan. 2	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Jan. 5	at North Carolina A&T	7 pm
Jan. 9	at MARS HILL	4 pm
Jan. 13	WINGATE	8 pm
Jan. 16	at TUSCULUM	4 pm
Jan. 20	at BREVARD	8 pm
Jan. 23	LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan. 27	CATAWBA	8 pm
Jan. 30	at NEWBERRY	4 pm
Feb. 3	at King	7 pm
Feb. 6	MARS HILL	8 pm
Feb. 10	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Feb. 13	TUSCULUM	8 pm
Feb. 17	BREVARD	8 pm
Feb. 20	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
Feb. 24	at CATAWBA	8 pm
Feb. 27	at WINGATE	4 pm
Mar. 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

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CATAWBA (0-1 SAC, 5-5)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 15	vs. Livingstone (Misenheimer, NC)	W, 82-78
Nov. 16	vs. Cheyney (Pa.) (Misenheimer, NC)	W, 90-82
Nov. 20	USC Aiken	L, 90-92
Nov. 22	Pfeiffer	W, 97-94
Nov. 27	vs. Barry (Ft. Lauderdale, FL)	L, 81-86 (OT)
Nov. 28	at Nova Southeastern	W, 77-72
Dec. 2	at LENOIR-RHYNE	L, 77-95
Dec. 5	vs. Chowan (Charlotte, NC)	W, 78-55
Dec. 15	at UNC Asheville	L, 81-94
Dec. 17	at J.C. Smith	L, 59-65
Dec. 30	at Chowan	4 pm
Jan. 2	Queens	4 pm
Jan. 6	WINGATE	8 pm
Jan. 9	at TUSCULUM	4 pm
Jan. 13	BREVARD	8 pm
Jan. 16	at MARS HILL	4 pm
Jan. 20	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Jan. 23	NEWBERRY	4 pm
Jan. 27	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb. 3	at WINGATE	8 pm
Feb. 6	TUSCULUM	4 pm
Feb. 10	at NEWBERRY	8 pm
Feb. 13	MARS HILL	4 pm
Feb. 17	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Feb. 20	LENOIR-RHYNE	4 pm
Feb. 24	CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb. 27	at BREVARD	4 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

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LENOIR-RHYNE (1-0 SAC, 2-7)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	Mount Olive	W, 74-69
Nov. 20	vs. Limestone (at Charlotte, NC)	L, 70-72
Nov. 21	at Queens	L, 84-91
Nov. 24	Barton	L, 92-103 (2OT)
Nov. 28	at Augusta State	L, 53-70
Dec. 2	CATAWBA	W, 95-77
Dec. 8	at Barton	L, 83-87
Dec. 18	vs. St. Augustine's (at Savannah, Ga.)	L, 54-65
Dec. 19	at Armstrong Atlantic State	L, 66-69
Dec. 28	vs. Ga. Southwestern (Greenwood, SC)	5 pm
Dec. 29	at Lander	7:30 pm
Jan. 2	TUSCULUM	8 pm
Jan. 6	at BREVARD	8 pm
Jan. 9	at NEWBERRY	4 pm
Jan. 13	MARS HILL	8 pm
Jan. 16	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Jan. 23	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Jan. 27	at WINGATE	8 pm
Jan. 30	at TUSCULUM	4 pm
Feb. 3	BREVARD	8 pm
Feb. 6	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Feb. 9	CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb. 13	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Feb. 20	at CATAWBA	4 pm
Feb. 24	WINGATE	8 pm
Feb. 27	at MARS HILL	4 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

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LINCOLN MEMORIAL (1-0 SAC, 9-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 17	Tennessee Temple	W, 87-65
Nov. 20	Hiwassee	W, 143-62
Nov. 21	Concord	W, 92-66
Nov. 24	at Lane	L, 56-73
Nov. 28	at Hiwassee	W, 111-47
Dec. 1	Temple Baptist	W, 98-46
Dec. 5	CARSON-NEWMAN	W, 70-67
Dec. 12	at Concord	W, 89-71
Dec. 15	King	W, 73-66
Dec. 17	at West Virginia Wesleyan	W, 67-52
Dec. 28	Temple Baptist	7 pm
Jan. 2	at WINGATE	4 pm
Jan. 6	at TUSCULUM	8 pm
Jan. 9	BREVARD	4 pm
Jan. 13	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Jan. 16	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan. 20	at CATAWBA	8 pm
Jan. 23	MARS HILL	4 pm
Jan. 27	at King	8 pm
Jan. 30	WINGATE	8 pm
Feb. 3	TUSCULUM	8 pm
Feb. 6	at BREVARD	4 pm
Feb. 10	at MARS HILL	8 pm
Feb. 13	LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Feb. 17	CATAWBA	8 pm
Feb. 20	at CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
Feb. 27	at NEWBERRY	8 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

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MARS HILL (0-0 SAC, 4-4)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	Milligan	W, 88-74
Nov. 20	at Mount Olive	L, 86-109
Nov. 21	vs. Barton (at Mt. Olive, N.C.)	L, 87-97
Nov. 24	at Milligan	W, 98-59
Dec. 2	at Anderson	L, 86-109
Dec. 5	Belmont Abbey	W, 97-80
Dec. 9	at Limestone	L, 82-88
Dec. 12	Warren Wilson	W, 100-67
Dec. 30	at Belmont Abbey	4 pm
Jan. 2	BREVARD	4 pm
Jan. 6	at NEWBERRY	8 pm
Jan. 9	CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
Jan. 11	at Queens	7:30 pm
Jan. 13	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan. 16	CATAWBA	4 pm
Jan. 20	WINGATE	8 pm
Jan. 23	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
Jan. 27	at TUSCULUM	8 pm
Jan. 30	at BREVARD	4 pm
Feb. 3	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Feb. 6	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb. 10	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Feb. 13	at CATAWBA	4 pm
Feb. 17	at WINGATE	8 pm
Feb. 24	TUSCULUM	8 pm
Feb. 27	LENOIR-RHYNE	4 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
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NEWBERRY (0-1 SAC, 5-6)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	Southern Wesleyan	L, 71-78
Nov. 18	at Georgia College & State	L, 77-89
Nov. 21	North Georgia	W, 69-52
Nov. 24	Allen	W, 83-62
Nov. 28	Voorhees	W, 74-38
Dec. 1	at Central Florida	L, 62-80
Dec. 4	at WINGATE	L, 59-66
Dec. 12	at Lander	L, 55-87
Dec. 15	Georgia College & State	L, 76-77
Dec. 17	at Southern Wesleyan	W, 68-64
Dec. 19	Paine	W, 78-67
Dec. 30	at North Georgia	4 pm
Jan. 2	at CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
Jan. 6	MARS HILL	8 pm
Jan. 9	LENOIR-RHYNE	4 pm
Jan. 13	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Jan. 20	TUSCULUM	8 pm
Jan. 23	at CATAWBA	4 pm
Jan. 27	BREVARD	8 pm
Jan. 30	CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
Feb. 3	at MARS HILL	8 pm
Feb. 6	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Feb. 10	CATAWBA	8 pm
Feb. 17	at TUSCULUM	8 pm
Feb. 20	WINGATE	4 pm
Feb. 24	at BREVARD	8 pm
Feb. 27	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
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March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
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TUSCULUM (0-1 SAC, 5-5)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov 16	Tennessee Wesleyan	W, 81-64
Nov 20	vs. Christian Brothers (at Heighland Heights, KY)	L, 43-47
Nov 21	vs. Lake Erie (at Heighland Heights, KY)	W, 63-49
Nov 27	vs. North Georgia (at Jefferson City, TN)	W, 61-56
Nov 28	vs. Georgia C&S (at Jefferson City, TN)	L, 59-76
Dec 2	Queens	L, 74-80
Dec 5	at BREVARD	L, 54-58 (OT)
Dec 7	St. Catherine	W, 61-44
Dec 9	Lees-McRae	W, 72-50
Dec 12	Augusta St.	L, 68-79
Dec 21	at Bellarmine	7 pm
Jan 2	at LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan 6	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Jan 9	CATAWBA	4 pm
Jan 12	Mid-Continent	7 pm
Jan 16	CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
Jan 20	at NEWBERRY	8 pm
Jan 23	at WINGATE	4 pm
Jan 27	MARS HILL	8 pm
Jan 30	LENOIR-RHYNE	4 pm
Feb 3	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Feb 6	at CATAWBA	4 pm
Feb 10	WINGATE	8 pm
Feb 13	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Feb 17	NEWBERRY	8 pm
Feb 20	BREVARD	4 pm
Feb 24	at MARS HILL	8 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
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WINGATE (1-0 SAC, 6-4)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 15	Armstrong Atlantic State	W, 94-77
Nov. 20	at Queens	L, 88-89
Nov. 21	vs. Limestone (at Charlotte, NC)	L, 61-65
Nov. 24	at Lander	W, 79-70
Nov. 28	Belmont Abbey	W, 73-71
Nov. 30	at UNC Pembroke	W, 82-76
Dec. 4	NEWBERRY	W, 66-59
Dec. 12	USC Aiken	L, 64-76
Dec. 14	Coker	L, 67-72
Dec. 16	Mount Olive	W, 90-85
Dec. 29	vs. Georgia C&S (at Savannah, Ga.)	5 pm
Dec. 30	at Armstrong Atlantic State	7 pm
Jan. 2	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	4 pm
Jan. 6	at CATAWBA	8 pm
Jan. 13	at CARSON-NEWMAN	8 pm
Jan. 16	BREVARD	4 pm
Jan. 20	at MARS HILL	8 pm
Jan. 23	TUSCULUM	4 pm
Jan. 27	LENOIR-RHYNE	8 pm
Jan. 30	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	8 pm
Feb. 3	CATAWBA	8 pm
Feb. 10	at TUSCULUM	8 pm
Feb. 13	at BREVARD	4 pm
Feb. 17	MARS HILL	8 pm
Feb. 20	at NEWBERRY	4 pm
Feb. 24	at Lenior-Rhyne	8 pm
Feb. 27	CARSON-NEWMAN	4 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
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NABC Men's Basketball Poll December 15, 2009

Rank	School (1st place votes)	2009-10 Record	Points	Prev
1.	Central Missouri (8)	7-0	200	1
2.	Florida Southern	8-0	192	3
3.	Augusta State, Ga.	7-0	184	4
4.	Indiana, Pa.	7-0	174	5
5.	Arkansas Tech	8-0	153	10
6.	Seattle Pacific, Wash.	7-0	147	12
7.	Rollins, Fla.	7-0	146	9
8.	Kutztown, Pa.	5-0	144	8
9.	Minnesota State	9-0	134	14
10.	Midwestern State, Texas	9-0	115	19
11.	Southern Indiana	8-0	112	20
12.	Drury, Mo.	7-1	105	11
13.	Southwest Baptist, Mo.	11-2	104	13
14.	Fort Hays State, Kan.	8-1	101	22
15.	Cal Poly Pomona	3-1	78	16
16.	Valdosta State, Ga.	8-2	70	2
17.	Western Washington	9-1	69	23
18.	Kentucky Wesleyan	10-1	65	25
19.	BYU-Hawaii	5-2	62	7
20.	Montevallo, Ala.	9-0	46	NR
21.	Stonehill, Mass.	7-1	37	NR
22.	Mesa State, Colo.	8-0	36	NR
23.	Bentley, Mass.	5-2	22	6
24.	Quincy, Ill.	8-0	15	NR
25. (tie)	West Chester, Pa.	9-0	14	NR
25. (tie)	Stillman, Ala.	5-0	14	NR

Others receiving votes: Metropolitan State (Colo.) 11, Augustana (S.D.) 10, Winona State (Minn.) 10, Columbus State (Ga.) 8, Fort Lewis (Colo.) 6, West Virginia State 3, Barton (N.C.) 2, Findlay (Ohio) 2, West Liberty (W.Va.) 2, Adelphi (N.Y.) 1, Mount Olive (N.C.) 1, Southwest Minnesota State 1



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