



# BOSTON COLLEGE BASKETBALL

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## 2008-09 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

### NOVEMBER

9 (Sun.)	St. Francis Xavier (ex.)	W, 82-56
14 (Fri.)	Central Connecticut	W, 80-65
17 (Mon.)	# Loyola-Md. (ESPN2)	W, 90-57
18 (Tues.)	# St. John's (ESPN2)	W, 82-70
22 (Sat.)	at Saint Louis	L, 53-50
26 (Wed.)	# #10 Purdue (ESPN2)	L, 71-64
28 (Fri.)	# Ala-Birmingham (ESPN2)	W, 83-77

### DECEMBER

2 (Tues.)	\$ Iowa (ESPN2)	W, 57-55
6 (Sat.)	at Massachusetts (College Sports)	W, 85-81 ot
10 (Wed.)	Bryant	W, 80-61
14 (Sun.)	South Carolina Upstate	W, 67-55
20 (Sat.)	Providence (NESN)	W, 81-76
23 (Tues.)	Maine	W, 99-61
29 (Mon.)	San Francisco	W, 84-62
31 (Wed.)	Sacred Heart	W, 89-76

### JANUARY

4 (Sun.)	at #1 North Carolina* (FSN)	W, 85-78
7 (Wed.)	Harvard	L, 82-70
10 (Sat.)	Miami* (ESPN2)	L, 77-71
14 (Wed.)	#2 Wake Forest* (Raycom)	L, 83-63
17 (Sat.)	at Virginia Tech* (ESPN2)	L, 79-71
20 (Tues.)	at Georgia Tech* (NESN)	W, 80-76 ot
24 (Sat.)	NC State* (Raycom)	W, 79-68
27 (Tues.)	at Maryland* (ESPN2)	W, 76-67
31 (Sat.)	Virginia Tech* (Raycom)	W, 67-66

### FEBRUARY

4 (Wed.)	at Virginia* (ESPN2)	W, 80-70
8 (Sun.)	at #7 Wake Forest* (Raycom)	L, 93-76
10 (Tues.)	#12 Clemson* (RSN)	L, 87-77
15 (Sun.)	#6 Duke* (FSN)	W, 80-74
21 (Sat.)	at Miami* (RSN)	L, 69-58
24 (Tues.)	#23 Florida State* (ESPN2)	W, 72-67

### MARCH

4 (Wed.)	at NC State* (ESPN2)	L, 74-69
7 (Sat.)	Georgia Tech* (Raycom)	W, 67-66
12 (Thurs.)	& Virginia (Raycom)	W, 76-63
13 (Fri.)	& #9 Duke (Raycom/ESPN2)	L, 66-65
20 (Fri.)	+ USC (CBS)	7:20

\* - ACC game      \$ - ACC/Big 10 Challenge

# - NIT Season Tip-Off    + - NCAA Tournament

& - ACC Tournament (Atlanta, GA, Georgia Dome)

## #7 Boston College (22-11, 9-7 ACC)

in the 2009 NCAA Tournament's Midwest Regional First & Second Rounds

March 20 and 22, 2009 -- Metrodome -- Minneapolis, MN

\*\* First Round: vs. #10 Southern California, Time: 6:20 p.m. (Central) \*\*

### The Broadcasters

BC/ISP: Ted Sarandis, Bill Ebben ... CBS: Gus Johnson, Len Elmore

Westwood One Radio: Brad Sham, Reid Gettys

### BC's Probable Starters

#### COREY RAJI \* F

6-6 - 214 - So. - Washington Twn, N.J.  
Westwood High School

11

PTS	REB	AST	MIN
9.8	6.1	1.6	27.4



**Last Game:** 7 pts, 9 reb, 1 ast,  
21 min vs. Duke

**Notes:** Team-best 50.0 field-goal  
pct., shot 12-for-12 FG vs. Maine;  
career-high 15 reb. at Miami

#### JOE TRAPANI \* F

6-8 - 218 - So. - Madison, Conn.  
Daniel Hand High School

12

PTS	REB	AST	MIN
13.5	6.6	1.5	29.1



**Last Game:** 12 pts, 9 reb, 1 ast,  
35 min vs. Duke

**Notes:** Team's leading rebounder and  
second-leading scorer; has six point-  
rebound double-doubles

#### JOSH SOUTHERN \* C

6-10 - 242 - So. - Saginaw, Mich.  
Saginaw High School

52

PTS	REB	AST	MIN
6.1	5.1	0.8	22.7



**Last Game:** 7 pts, 4 reb, 1 ast,  
25 min vs. Duke

**Notes:** Two 10+ rebounding  
games; seven double-figure scoring  
efforts

#### TYRESE RICE \* G

6-1 - 190 - Sr. - Richmond, Va.  
L.C. Bird High School

4

PTS	REB	AST	MIN
17.1	3.9	5.4	33.3



**Last Game:** 17 pts, 3 reb, 4 ast,  
39 min vs. Duke

**Notes:** 2,090 career pts; 4,168  
career minutes; leads all active  
ACC players with 590 career assists

#### RAKIM SANDERS \* G

6-5 - 225 - So. - Pawtucket, R.I.  
St. Andrew's

15

PTS	REB	AST	MIN
13.0	4.5	1.6	27.7



**Last Game:** 7 pts, 3 reb, 2 ast,  
27 min vs. Duke

**Notes:** Has led team in scoring nine  
times; sank two game-winning baskets  
(vs. Virginia Tech on Jan. 31 and vs.  
Georgia Tech on March 7)

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**NCAA Tournament**

Boston College enters the 2009 NCAA Tournament with a 22-11 overall record, including a 9-7 Atlantic Coast Conference mark. The Eagles finished in a tie for fifth place in the final league regular-season standings ... BC will meet Southern California in the tournament's first round. The game will be played on Friday, March 20 ... This year marks the program's seventh appearance in NCAA Tournament in the last nine years and its 18th overall appearance ... BC has a 22-18 all-time record in the NCAA Tournament, including a 13-3 record in first-round games ... This is the fourth time the Eagles have been placed in the Midwest Regional (1982, 1985, 2002).

**Quick Notes**

- \* With its 22 wins this season, Boston College has now won 20 or more games in seven of the last nine seasons.
- \* Boston College defeated two teams that were ranked first in the Ratings Percentage Index (rpiratings.com). BC defeated North Carolina in the Smith Center on Jan. 4, 2009, and defeated Duke in Conte Forum on Feb. 15, 2009.
- \* Boston College earned a third-place finish in the Dick's Sporting Goods NIT Season Tip-Off.
- \* After defeating top-ranked North Carolina on Jan. 4, Boston College climbed into the national rankings for the first time since Feb. 12, 2007. The Eagles were ranked 17th in the Jan. 5 Associated Press poll and 24th in the ESPN/USA Today poll.
- \* Boston College has had five different players lead the team in scoring at least once this season. Rice has led the team 15 times.
- \* **Tyrese Rice** captured All-ACC second-team accolades. He also gained USBWA All-District I honors. **Joe Trapani** joined Rice on the All-District I Team.
- \* **Tyrese Rice** enters the NCAA Tournament having played 4,168 career minutes. He has played more than 1,000 minutes in each of the last three seasons ... He has played in 131 career games, a total that ties him for second place on BC's career list. He is tied with Uka Agbai '04. Sean Marshall '07 is the career leader, having played 133 career games.
- \* Our team has one senior, one junior, seven sophomores and three freshmen on the roster.
- \* Senior Tyrese Rice is certainly the leader of this year's team, yet it's the sophomore class that is the team's backbone. Six of the seven sophomores see regular court time -- forwards **Cortney Dunn**, **Corey Raji** and **Joe Trapani**, center **Josh Southern**, and guards **Biko Paris** and **Rakim Sanders**. Let's take a look ...
  - Four sophomores -- **Raji**, **Trapani**, **Southern** and **Sanders** -- have started all 33 games. Two others -- **Dunn** and **Paris** -- have played important roles off the bench.
  - Sanders has twice scored game-winning baskets this season. He converted a tip-in with 0.4 seconds remaining against Virginia Tech on Jan. 31 (Conte Forum). He also hit a game-winning baseline jumper with 1.7 seconds left against Georgia Tech on March 7 (Conte Forum). BC won both games, 67-66.
  - This class accounts for 62.1 percent of the team's points, 72.8 percent of its (individual) rebounds and 13.5 percent of its assists. Together they have played 4,290 minutes.
  - One of the sophomores has led the team (or tied for the team lead) in scoring in 19 of 33 games, and in rebounding in all but two of the 33 games.

**The Series Against Southern California**

Boston College has a 0-1 all-time record against USC. The two teams' only meeting came in the second round of the 2001 NCAA Tournament (East Regional, Nassau Coliseum, Uniondale, N.Y.). After BC defeated Southern Utah in the tournament's opening round, the Eagles dropped a 74-71 decision to the Trojans (March 17).

**Record Against The Field**

Boston College has a 4-5 record against teams competing in the 2009 NCAA Tournament -- 1-0 against Maryland, 1-1 against Duke, 1-0 against Florida State, 1-0 against North Carolina, 0-2 against Wake Forest, 0-1 against Clemson and 0-1 against Purdue.

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**Credentials/Interviews:** All requests for working credentials, scouting passes and photographer passes should be made at least two days in advance of the game. Mid-week interviews with players or coaches can be arranged by calling the Media Relations Office.

**On Radio:** The 14-station Boston College-ISP Sports Network once again provides complete and extensive coverage of every regular season and post-season game throughout New England, with Boston's WEEI AM or WRKO AM680 as the network flagship. Fans can also listen to each game on the internet at [www.bceagles.com](http://www.bceagles.com) and select games on XM Satellite Radio.

**Coach Skinner On the Air:** Boston College head coach **Al Skinner** is heard approximately 15 minutes before each game on the Boston College-ISP Sports Network.

**The Broadcast Team:** **Ted Sarandis** is in his 14th season as the play-by-play voice of the Eagles and his 32nd campaign following the bouncing ball. He has won numerous awards for his sportscasting work over the years and holds the unique distinction of having called the play-by-play for all four Division I basketball institutions in Boston—B.C., B.U., Harvard and Northeastern as well as Holy Cross. Ted devotes a considerable amount of time as a volunteer in support of military personnel during the Global War on Terror. He serves as a U.S. Army Reserve Ambassador and is a member of the USO New England Executive Council ... **Bill Ebben** will serve as the color analyst for the sixth consecutive season. A 1987 graduate of Boston College, Ebben also provided expert analysis for BC basketball broadcasts from 1993-97. Ebben comes from a strong basketball family. His father was an outstanding player at the University of Detroit in the late 1950s, while his brother Greg served as BC's team manager in the early 1990s before serving as a high-school and college assistant coach for several years.

### Tyrese Rice -- 2,000 Point Scorer

Tyrese Rice became the seventh player in Boston College basketball history to reach the 2,000-point milestone. He reached the mark in the Eagles' home win over Duke on Feb. 15. Rice currently ranks fifth on BC's career list with 2,090 points ... He is also one of only six players in school history to play more than 4,000 career minutes. Rice currently ranks fourth on that list with 4,168 minutes played ... Rice ranks first among all active ACC players in career assists (590). He ranks second among all active ACC players in career scoring (behind only North Carolina's Tyler Hansbrough).

### Close Calls Favor Eagles

Boston College has a 5-2 record in games decided by four or fewer points this season. The Eagles dropped their first "close call" this season -- at Saint Louis (Nov. 22). Since that time, BC has earned victories over Iowa, Massachusetts, Virginia Tech and Georgia Tech (twice). The Massachusetts and first (road) Georgia Tech wins were overtime victories. Most recently, the Eagles dropped a one-point decision against Duke (March 13) in the ACC Tournament.

### Our Standing in the ACC -- 2008-09

Boston College finished tied for fifth in the final 2008-09 ACC standings -- with a 9-7 record. BC had been picked 11th in the preseason media poll.

### Our Standing in the ACC -- Since 2005-06

Since joining the league for the 2005-06 season, Boston College has won 34 games (11 in 2005-06, 10 in 2006-07, 4 in 2007-08 and 9 in 2008-09). Only North Carolina (50) and Duke (46) have won more conference games in this four-year period.

### All-District Honors

Two Boston College players — senior **Tyrese Rice** and sophomore **Joe Trapani** — were selected to the U.S. Basketball Writers Association All-District I Team ... In addition, Rice earned National Association of Basketball Coaches All-District 2 second-team honors. Joining him on the second team were Gerald Henderson (Duke), Trevor Booker (Clemson), Kyle Singler (Duke) and AD Vassallo (Virginia Tech).

### News Clipping ...

*It's no secret that Boston is a pro-oriented city, and collegiate athletic accomplishments are not always properly celebrated. Yet when will people stop taking what Al Skinner has accomplished at BC for granted? When BC gets its expected invitation to the NCAA Tournament Sunday evening, it will have one of those coveted 65 invitations for the seventh time in nine years. Given what BC has been up against in the Big East and ACC, where so many of its rivals have so much more to offer a publicity-seeking recruit, this is an achievement bordering on the phenomenal.*

*Skinner is, in fact, presiding over a Golden Age of BC Basketball. For one thing, he is both the longest-tenured and winningest coach in BC basketball history.*

**- Bob Ryan in Boston Globe; "Skinner Consistent", March 12, 2009**

### Eagles' Record When...

BC shoots 50 percent or better	6-0
BC shoots 40-49 percent	15-5
BC shoots 30-39 percent	1-6
BC shoots below 30 percent	0-0
Opponent shoots 50 percent or better	0-5
Opponent shoots 40-49 percent	12-5
Opponent shoots 30-39 percent	10-1
Opponent shoots below 30 percent	0-0
BC shoots better from field	19-1
BC shoots same/worse from field	3-10
BC leads at half	16-3
BC is tied at half	0-1
BC is losing at half	6-7
BC commits fewer turnovers	10-2
BC commits more turnovers	9-7
Turnovers are even	3-2
BC outrebounds opponent	15-4
BC is outrebounded	7-5
Rebounds are even	0-2
BC shoots 70 percent or better FT	15-7
BC makes more free throws	14-2
BC scores less than 50 points	0-0
BC scores 50-59 points	1-2
BC scores 60-69 points	3-4
BC scores 70-79 points	4-5
BC scores 80 or more points	14-0
Opponent scores less than 50 points	0-0
Opponent scores 50-59 points	3-1
Opponent scores 60-69 points	10-2
Opponent scores 70-79 points	8-4
Opponent scores 80 or more points	1-4
BC bench outscores opponent bench	12-4
Leading with 10 minutes to play	18-0
Leading with 5 minutes to play	20-0
Leading with 1 minute to play	19-0
Trailing with 10 minutes to play	3-11
Trailing with 5 minutes to play	1-10
Trailing with 1 minute to play	0-11
Tied with 10 minutes to play	1-0
Tied with 5 minutes to play	1-1
Tied with 1 minute to play	3-0
Game is decided by 1-4 points	5-2
Game is decided by 5-10 points	7-5
Game is decided by 11 points or more	10-4
In overtime	2-0

### Against Nationally-Ranked Foes

Boston College has a 3-5 record against nationally-ranked teams this season. BC lost to #10 Purdue, 71-64, in Madison Square Garden on Nov. 26; defeated #1 North Carolina, 85-78, in Chapel Hill on Jan. 4; lost to #2 Wake Forest, 83-63, on Jan. 14 (home); lost at #7 Wake Forest, 93-76, on Feb. 8; lost to #12 Clemson, 87-77, on Feb. 10 (home); defeated #6 Duke, 80-74, on Feb. 15 (home); defeated #23 Florida State, 72-67, on Feb. 24 (home); and lost to #9 Duke, 66-65, on March 13 (neutral site).

**Since 2005-06:** Since the start of the 2005-06 season (when senior **Tyrese Rice** was a freshman), Boston College has recorded eight wins over nationally-ranked foes (according to the AP poll). Five of those eight wins have come in Conte Forum (a win over #23 Maryland on Dec. 10, 2006, over #16 Virginia Tech on Feb. 3, 2007 over #21 Miami on Jan. 15, 2008; over #6 Duke on Feb. 15, 2009; and over #23 Florida State on Feb. 24, 2009). The road/neutral-site wins have come at #15 NC State on Feb. 25, 2006, over #10 North Carolina (in the Greensboro (N.C.) Coliseum) on March 10, 2006 and at #1 North Carolina on Jan. 4, 2009.

### Offensively Speaking

Boston College is averaging 74.9 points per game. The Eagles have three players -- **Tyrese Rice**, **Joe Trapani** and **Rakim Sanders** -- with double-figure scoring averages.

### The "Three Ball"

Boston College has attempted 19.0 three-point field goals per game, making 6.4 per game ... The Eagles have made a season-best 11 treys in each of two games -- against USC Upstate (Dec. 14) and against San Francisco (Dec. 29) ... **Tyrese Rice** leads the team with 60 treys.

### Free-Throw Shooting

Boston College made the most of its trips to the free-throw line in ACC contests this season. BC shot 77.5 percent from the foul line (252-for-325), the second-highest percentage among league schools ... BC is shooting 73.4 percent from the foul line in all games this season (528-for-719).

### Acting Defensively

Boston College is allowing 70.5 points per game. The Eagles are forcing 12.5 turnovers per game and making 6.2 steals per game ... The opponents' field-goal percentage is a cumulative 42.3 percent.

### Rebounding

Boston College has outrebounded its opponent in 19 of 33 games this season. BC has a plus-2.9 rebounding margin ... The Eagles have enjoyed double-digit rebounding advantages in nine games this season.

### Quick Roster Check

The 2008-09 BC roster features one senior, one junior, seven sophomores and three freshmen ... The roster features seven returning lettermen — **Tyrese Rice**, **Tyler Roche**, **Corey Raji**, **Biko Paris**, **Josh Southern**, **Rakim Sanders** and **Cortney Dunn** ... BC's 12 players come from 11 different states. Colorado is the lone state with two players on the BC roster (Dallas Elmore and Reggie Jackson) ... BC roster by age: Two 21-year-olds, five 20-year-olds, three 19-year-olds and two 18-year-olds. Freshman **Reggie Jackson** is the youngest player (18 years, 11 months).

**Class Breakdown**

Here is a quick look at the contributions -- through 33 games -- of each of Boston College's classes.

Class (# players)	Min.	Pts/Avg	Reb/Avg	Asts/Avg	Starts
Senior (1)	1067	548/16.6	124/3.8	172/5.2	32
Junior (1)	378	96/2.9	41/1.2	13/0.4	0
Sophomore (7)	4290	1536/46.5	816/24.7	239/7.2	133
Freshman (3)	915	293/8.9	140/4.2	66/2.0	0

**Tyrese Rice**

Senior **Tyrese Rice**, who earned All-ACC second-team honors this season, has scored 20 or more points in 13 games this season. He netted 21 points (and six rebounds and six assists) against Duke (Feb. 15) ... He tallied 20 points (and six rebounds and six assists) at Virginia (Feb. 4) ... He scored 25 points against NC State (Jan. 24). He posted 26 points -- including 18 second-half and six overtime points -- at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20). Rice tallied 20 points against Wake Forest (Jan. 18), 21 points against Miami (Jan. 10) and 25 points at North Carolina (Jan. 4). He netted 21 points against both Maine (Dec. 23) and San Francisco (Dec. 29). He scored 20 points against Providence (Dec. 20) ... Earlier in the season, Rice scored 28 points against St. John's, 24 points against Alabama-Birmingham and 21 points at Massachusetts ... Rice shot 5-for-5 from three-point range against UAB. The game marked the sixth time in his collegiate career that he'd made five or more treys in one game. Rice has made four treys in 11 more games.

**Big Scorer:** Rice has scored in double figures 104 times in his collegiate career -- 16 times as a freshman, 30 times as a sophomore, 29 times as a junior and 29 times (so far) this season. Included among those games are 45 games with 20 or more points, four games with more than 30 points and one game with more than 40 points.

**Generous Distributor:** Rice averages 5.4 assists per game ... He has registered seven or more assists in each of 10 games this season ... He recorded a season-best 10 assists at NC State (March 4).

**Free Throws:** Rice has made 85.6 percent of his free-throw attempts this season (172-for-201) ... He shot 12-for-12 from the foul line in the Eagles' regular-season finale against Georgia Tech (a career high for makes) ... He had a streak of 24 straight free throws made earlier this season. The streak ended at Maryland on Jan. 27.

**Career Numbers:** Rice enters the NCAA Tournament with some impressive career numbers: 2,090 points, 644 field goals made, 246 three-point field goals made, 556 free throws made, 590 assists and 161 steals.

Points		Assists	
2. Craig Smith '06	2,349	1. Billy Evans '69	669
3. Dana Barros '89	2,342	2. Jim O'Brien '71	663
4. Bill Curley '94	2,102	3. <b>Tyrese Rice '09</b>	<b>590</b>
5. <b>Tyrese Rice '09</b>	<b>2,064</b>	4. Howard Eisley '94	544
Three-Point FG Made		Free Throws Made	
1. Troy Bell '03	300	3. Bill Curley '94	618
2. Dana Barros '89	291	4. Jared Dudley '07	573
3. <b>Tyrese Rice '09</b>	<b>246</b>	5. <b>Tyrese Rice</b>	<b>556</b>

**The Coaching Staff**

Assistant coach **Pat Duquette** is in his 12th season at Boston College. Duquette had served as the team's administrative assistant for four years, before being elevated to the assistant coaching position after the 2000-01 season.

**Bonzie Colson**, who joined the staff in June 2001 as director of basketball operations, assumed assistant coaching duties after the 2005-06 season. Prior to coming to BC, Colson had spent the previous three years as assistant coach at George Washington University. Colson played one season for Skinner at Rhode Island ... Assistant coach **Mo**

**Cassara** is in his third year on Skinner's staff. He joined the BC staff after serving the previous two years as head coach at Clark (Mass.) University ... **Preston Murphy** is the team's director of basketball operations. Now in his third season, Murphy came to BC after serving three seasons as head coach at Woonsocket (R.I.) High School.

## **Head Coach Al Skinner**

**Al Skinner** is in his 21st season as a head coach, his 12th season at Boston College. Already Boston College's all-time winningest coach, he has led the Eagles to postseason tournament berths in eight of the last nine years. BC participated in the 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2009 NCAA Tournaments and the 2003 National Invitation Tournament ... Skinner enters the NCAA Tournament with a 370-274 career record, including a 232-148 record at Boston College. Skinner is a 1974 graduate of the University of Massachusetts, where he enjoyed a stellar basketball career (1971-74).

### **BC's All-Time Winningest Coaches**

1. Al Skinner	232-148	.611
2. Jim O'Brien	168-166	.502
3. Bob Cousy	117-38	.755
4. Don Martin	111-104	.516
5. Tom Davis	100-47	.680

**20 Wins:** With the Eagles' win over Florida State on Feb. 24, Boston College gained its 20th win of the 2008-09 season. Al Skinner has now recorded 20 or more wins seven times during his BC tenure and 10 times during his collegiate coaching career (three times at URI).

**Hall of Famer:** Skinner has been inducted into three Halls of Fame. He was inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame at the University of Massachusetts, his alma mater, in 1982. He was inducted into the University of Rhode Island Athletic Hall of Fame (where he served as head coach for nine years), in 2000. He was inducted into the New England Basketball Hall of Fame (multi-category) in 2004 ... Skinner had his UMass jersey retired on Feb. 18, 2004.

**A Real Pro:** After concluding his collegiate playing career, Skinner played seven years of professional basketball -- two years in the ABA, four years in the NBA and one year in the Spanish professional ranks.

**Coach of the Year:** Al Skinner has earned his fair share of Coach of the Year honors. He earned the 2004-05 Big East Coach of the Year award after leading the Eagles to a 13-3 league record and a share of the regular-season title. BC was picked fifth in the preseason coaches' poll ... Skinner previously earned Atlantic 10 (1991-92) and Big East (2000-01) Coach of the Year honors. In addition, Skinner was the consensus national Coach of the Year in 2000-01.

**In the NCAA Tournament:** Al Skinner has a 7-8 all-time record in the NCAA Tournament. While at Rhode Island, Skinner led the Rams to the 1993 and 1997 tournaments. In 1993, eighth-seeded URI defeated Purdue, 74-68, before losing to North Carolina, 112-67, in the second round. In 1997, the ninth-seeded Rams lost to Purdue, 83-76 in overtime, in the first round. At Boston College, Skinner has led the Eagles to the 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005 and 2006 tournaments. In 2001, the third-seeded Eagles downed Southern Utah, 68-65, in the opening round, before losing to Southern California, 74-71, in the second round. In 2002, 11th-seeded BC lost to Texas, 70-57, in the first round. In 2004, sixth-seeded BC downed Utah, 58-51, in the first round, before losing to eventual national runner-up Georgia Tech, 57-54, in the second round. In 2005, fourth-seed BC defeated Pennsylvania, 85-65, in the first round, before losing to Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 83-75, in the second round. In 2006, fourth-seed BC downed Pacific, 88-76 in double overtime, in the first round, and then defeated Montana, 69-56, in the second round. BC lost to Villanova, 60-59 in overtime, in the (Minneapolis) regional semifinals. In 2007, seventh-seeded BC defeated Texas Tech, 84-75, in the first round, before losing to Georgetown, 62-55, in the second round.

**First Round:** Al Skinner has a 6-2 record in the first round of the NCAA Tournament -- 1-1 as head coach at URI and 5-1 as head coach at BC.

### LEADING THE EAGLES...

**Led team in scoring:**

Rice	(13,2)
Raji	(3,0)
Roche	(1,0)
Sanders	(8,1)
Trapani	(6,1)

**Led team in rebounding:**

Trapani	(10,1)
Sanders	(4,0)
Raji	(9,3)
Southern	(5,2)
Rice	(1,0)
Jackson	(1,0)

**Led team in assists:**

Trapani	(2,2)
Rice	(26,3)
Paris	(1,1)
Sanders	(0,1)
Jackson	(1,1)

**Led team in steals:**

Jackson	(4,2)
Ravenel	(1,0)
Rice	(7,5)
Raji	(1,3)
Sanders	(9,4)
Paris	(0,3)
Trapani	(1,2)
Southern	(1,3)

**Led team in blocked shots:**

Sanders	(3,8)
Trapani	(4,10)
Raji	(1,2)
Southern	(2,10)
Rice	(0,2)
Ravenel	(0,2)
Roche	(0,2)
Jackson	(0,8)
Dunn	(2,4)

Note: Where there are two numbers in parentheses, the first number indicates the number of times the player led the team by himself. The second number indicates the number of times the player shared the lead.

### INSIDE THE NUMBERS...

**Double-Figure Rebounds:**

	2008-09	Career
Southern	2	2
Sanders	2	3
Raji	4	5
Trapani	6	6

**Double-Figure Scoring:**

Rice	29	104
Sanders	21	38
Raji	12	20
Paris	4	9
Trapani	26	26
Roche	3	6
Southern	7	11
Jackson	12	12

**20+-point Games:**

Rice	13	45
Sanders	7	12
Raji	2	3
Trapani	5	5

**30+-point Games:**

Rice	0	4
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**Double-Doubles:**

Southern	0	1
Sanders	2	3
Trapani	6	6
Raji	2	2
Rice	1	4

### ACC TOURNAMENT NOTES

#### First-Round Highlights

Boston College and its players posted some notable statistics in their 76-63 first-round win over Virginia.

- The win marked the fourth consecutive year that BC has won its first ACC Tournament contest. In 2006, BC earned a quarterfinal-round win over Maryland; in 2007, BC defeated Miami in the quarterfinal round; in 2008, the Eagles defeated Maryland in the opening round.

- Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** scored a career-high 25 points — on 7-for-11 shooting from the field and 11-for-12 shooting from the foul line.

- Sophomore **Josh Southern** equaled his career high with 13 points. He shot 5-for-7 from the floor. Southern also grabbed nine rebounds (for the second consecutive game).

- BC made a season-low one three-point field goal. Sophomore **Joe Trapani** sank the team's lone trey — with 4:10 remaining in the contest.

- BC made 31 free throws, its highest single-game total since sinking 31 free throws against Maryland on Dec. 9, 2007. The Eagles shot 86.1 percent from the line in the game (31-for-36), marking the eighth time this season that the Eagles have shot 80 percent or better from the foul line.

#### Second-Round Highlights

Here are some notes from the Eagles' 66-65 ACC Tournament quarterfinal-round loss to Duke.

- BC enjoyed a 15-3 scoring edge from its reserves.

- Sophomore **Biko Paris** scored a season-high 15 points off the bench. He shot 5-for-5 from the field, including 3-for-3 from three-point range. His final three-pointer -- from the left corner -- tied the game at 63-63 with 1:39 to play.

- Both teams scored 53 points from the field. Both teams committed 12 turnovers.

- BC gained a 35-33 rebounding edge.

- BC led by seven points (29-22) at halftime and then trailed by eight points (last time: 57-49), before rallying to gain a one-point lead (65-64) in the final minute.

- Two BC players -- **Corey Raji** and **Joe Trapani** -- grabbed nine rebounds. Seven of Raji's nine rebounds came at the offensive end.

## The Last Time...

### THE LAST TIME BOSTON COLLEGE...

**Won in overtime...**80-76 at Georgia Tech, 1-20-09  
**Lost in overtime...**81-73 vs. Virginia Tech, 1-26-08  
**Played two overtimes...**BC 88, Pacific 76, 3-16-06  
**Beat the nation's top-ranked team...**BC 85, (1) North Carolina 78, 1-4-09  
**Beat a top 10 opponent...**BC 80, (6) Duke 74, 2-15-08  
**Beat a ranked opponent (other than top 10)...**BC 72, #23 Florida State 67, 2-24-09  
**Won by 30+ points...** BC 99-61 over Maine, 12-23-08  
**Won by 40+ points...**BC 87-46 over Long Island Univ., 11-30-04  
**Won by 50+ points...**BC 132-79 over Bentley, 12-11-82  
**Scored 100 points...**112 vs. Wake Forest, 1-12-08  
**Scored 90 points...**99 vs. Maine, 12-23-08  
**Scored 50 or more points in one half...**50 vs. Maine, 12-23-08 (first half)  
**Scored fewer than 50 points...**48 vs. Clemson, 3-14-08 (82-48 Clemson win)  
**Both teams scored 100 points...**BC 107, at Rhode Island 105, 1-12-65  
**Allowed 100 points...**101 vs. Notre Dame, 1-25-03 (101-96 OT loss)  
**Allowed fewer than 50 points...**47 vs. Stony Brook, 2-13-06  
**Allowed fewer than 40 points...**39 vs. Saint Louis, 12-4-07  
**Shot 67% or better FG...**68.8% vs. Hartford, 1-31-07  
**Shot 60% or better FG...**66.1 vs. Wake Forest, 1-12-08  
**Shot under 35% FG...**33.3% at Saint Louis, 11-22-08  
**Shot under 30% FG...**25.4% vs. Connecticut, 3-8-03  
**Shot 55% FG or better in both halves...**58.3% - 1st, 59.3% - 2nd vs. Duke, 2-15-09  
**Shot 50% FG or better in both halves...**58.3% - 1st, 59.3% - 2nd vs. Duke, 2-15-09  
**Held opponent under 30% FG...**27.1% vs. Long Island Univ., 11-30-04  
**Made 45 or more FGs...**45 vs. New Hampshire, 12-2-91  
**Made 10 or more 3-pt FGs...**11 vs. San Francisco, 12-29-08  
**Made 14 or more 3-pt FGs\*\*...**14 vs. Hartford, 1-31-07  
**Did not make a 3-pt FG (19 feet, 9 inches)...**vs. Syracuse, 3-11-04  
**Did not make a 3-pt FG (20 feet, 6 inches)...**vs. Shawnee State, 11-20-05  
**Attempted more than 50 FTs...**56 vs. Hartford, 12-23-95  
**Attempted 50 FTs...**50 at Wake Forest, 2-8-06  
**Made 30 FTs...**31 vs. Virginia, 3-12-09  
**Shot 90.0 percent from the foul line...**95.0 (19-for-20) vs. New Hampshire, 11-23-04  
**Had 50 or more rebounds...**50 vs. Maine, 12-23-08  
**Had 25 or fewer rebounds...**24 at Clemson, 2-2-08  
**Had 20 or more assists...**22 vs. San Francisco, 12-29-08  
**Made 15 or more steals...**15 vs. Rutgers, 2-22-04  
**Blocked 10 or more shots...**11 vs. Miami, 1-15-08  
**Forced 30 or more turnovers...**30 vs. Virginia Tech, 1-31-01  
**Had five players score in double figures...**5 at Maryland, 1-27-09  
**Had six or more players score in double figures...**6 vs. Wake Forest, 1-12-08  
**Overcame a double-digit halftime deficit...**January 27, 2009 (Half: Maryland 40, BC 29)

### THE LAST TIME A BC PLAYER...

**Scored 49 points\*\*...**John Austin, vs. Georgetown, 2-21-64  
**Scored 40 or more points...**Tyrese Rice, 46 vs. North Carolina, 3-1-08  
**Scored 30 or more points...**Tyrese Rice, 32 vs. NC State, 2-14-08  
**Two players had 20 points...**Tyrese Rice (21) and Joe Trapani (20) vs. Duke, 2-15-09  
**Three players had 20 points...**T. Rice (26), J. Dudley (23) and S. Marshall (22) vs. FSU, 1-23-07  
**Made 20 FGs\*\*...**Jim Hooley, vs. Brandeis, 2-14-62  
**Made 6 or more 3pt FGs...**Tyrese Rice, 8 vs. North Carolina, 3-1-08  
**Made 7 or more 3pt FGs...**Tyrese Rice, 8 vs. North Carolina, 3-1-08  
**Made 9 or more 3pt FGs\*\*...**Dana Barros, 9 at Pittsburgh, 1-7-89  
**Attempted 20 FTs...**Jared Dudley, 21 vs. UW-Milwaukee, 3-19-05  
**Made 10+ FTs...**Rakim Sanders, 11 vs. Virginia, 3-12-09  
**Made 15+ FTs...** Jared Dudley, 16 vs. Virginia, 1-13-07  
**Made 18+ FTs...** Jared Dudley, 18 vs. UW-Milwaukee, 3-19-05  
**Was perfect with 15+ FTs...**Troy Bell, 17 vs. Iowa State, 12-11-01 (17-for-17/tying school record)  
**Had 31 rebounds\*\*...**Terry Driscoll, vs. Fordham, 2-8-69  
**Had 20 rebounds...**Danya Abrams, 20 vs. Providence College, 1-22-94  
**Had 15+ rebounds...**Corey Raji, 15 at Miami, 2-21-09  
**Two players had 10 rebounds...**Corey Raji (12) and Joe Trapani (10) vs. NC State, 1-24-09  
**Two players had a double-double...**Marshall (30-10) and Williams (19-10) vs. Duquesne, 12-28-06  
**Shot 100% from the field (minimum 10)...**Corey Raji, 12-for-12 vs. Maine, 12-23-08  
**Had 10+ assists...**Tyrese Rice, 13 vs. Hartford, 1-31-07  
**Had 15+ assists...**Jim O'Brien, 18 vs. LeMoyn, 12-16-70  
**Had 8 steals...**Troy Bell, 8 vs. Syracuse, 2-7-01  
**Had 10+ blocks...** Tyrelle Blair, 11 at Maryland, 12-9-07  
**Had 13 blocks\*\*...** Sean Williams, 13 vs. Duquesne, 12-28-06  
**Had a triple-double...** Sean Williams (19 pts., 13 blocks, 10 reb.) vs. Duquesne, 12-28-06

**\*\*school record**

## 2008-09 Final ACC Standings

	ACC	Overall
North Carolina	13-3	28-4
Wake Forest	11-5	24-6
Duke	11-5	28-6
Florida State	10-6	25-9
Clemson	9-7	23-8
<b>Boston College</b>	<b>9-7</b>	<b>22-11</b>
Maryland	7-9	20-13
Virginia Tech	7-9	18-14
Miami	7-9	18-12
NC State	6-10	16-14
Virginia	4-12	10-18
Georgia Tech	2-14	12-19

## 2008-09 ACC Preseason Poll

1. North Carolina (40)	480
2. Duke	436
3. Wake Forest	354
4. Miami	344
5. Clemson	306
6. Virginia Tech	298
7. Maryland	192
8. Georgia Tech	186
9. NC State	179
10. Florida State	145
<b>11. Boston College</b>	<b>123</b>
12. Virginia	79

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# #0 REGGIE JACKSON

Freshman

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Colorado Springs, CO

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**#0 Reggie Jackson:** The freshman guard is averaging 7.1 points, 3.2 rebounds and 1.7 assists per game. He has scored in double figures in 12 games, including seven ACC contests ... He registered 11 points (4-for-6 FG) and six rebounds (five offensive) against Georgia Tech (March 7) ... Jackson posted 10 points, five rebounds and a career-best seven assists at Miami (Feb. 21) ... He recorded 15 points (6-for-8 FG), five rebounds and three assists against Duke (Feb. 15) ... Jackson totaled 10 points (4-for-6 FG), and three rebounds at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... He posted 10 points, three assists and two rebounds against NC State (Jan. 24) ... He notched eight points, three assists and a career-high nine rebounds at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20) ... Jackson tallied four points, five rebounds, two assists, two blocked shots and three steals against Wake Forest (Jan. 14) ... He posted 14 points (9-for-10 FT), five rebounds and two steals in a career-high 31 minutes of action against Miami (Jan. 10) ... Jackson totaled a career-high 17 points (8-for-14 FG) at North Carolina (Jan. 4) ... He tallied 13 points, four assists and eight rebounds against San Francisco (Dec. 29) ... He scored 11 points against Alabama-Birmingham (Nov. 28) ... He notched 10 points and three rebounds at Saint Louis (Nov. 22) ... He was the 2007-08 Gatorade Player of the Year in Colorado.

**Rebounding:** Jackson has proven to be an effective rebounder from his guard position. He has grabbed five or more rebounds in each of 10 games this season. He recorded a season-high nine rebounds at Georgia Tech on Jan. 20.

**ACC Weekly Honoree:** Jackson was honored as the ACC Rookie of the Week for the week ending Jan. 25. Jackson averaged 9.0 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.0 assists and 1.0 blocked shot per game in the Eagles' wins over Georgia Tech and NC State. He shot 50.0 percent from the field in the two games.

	<b>2008-09 High/Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	17 at North Carolina (1-4-09)
<b>Rebounds</b>	9 at Georgia Tech (1-20-09)
<b>FGM</b>	8 at North Carolina (1-4-09)
<b>3PFGM</b>	2 - three times
<b>FTM</b>	9 vs. Miami (1-10-09)
<b>FTA</b>	10 vs. Miami (1-10-09)
<b>Steals</b>	4 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)
<b>Minutes</b>	31 vs. Miami (1-10-09)

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# #4 TYRESE RICE

Senior

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L.C. Bird

Richmond, VA

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**ACC SECOND-TEAM SELECTION  
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NABC DISTRICT 2 SECOND TEAM SELECTION**

**#4 Tyrese Rice:** The senior guard is averaging 17.1 points and 5.4 assists per game. He has topped the 20-point mark 13 times this season ... Rice recorded 17 points, four assists and three rebounds in the Eagles' home win over Georgia Tech (March 7). He shot a career-best 12-for-12 from the foul line ... He totaled 14 points and a season-best 10 assists at NC State (March 4) ... Rice posted 21 points, six rebounds and six assists against Duke (Feb. 15). He scored his 2000th career point on a three-pointer with 19:44 left in the game ... He tallied 20 points, six rebounds and six assists at Virginia (Feb. 4) ... He scored 25 points in the team's home win over NC State (Jan. 24) ... He totaled 26 points (10-for-10 FT) in the team's overtime win at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20). He scored 18 second-half points and six overtime points ... Rice scored 20 points against Wake Forest (Jan. 14) ... He tallied 21 points and eight rebounds against Miami (Jan. 10) ... He totaled 25 points, eight assists and five rebounds at North Carolina (Jan. 4) ... Rice recorded 21 points, nine assists and five rebounds in each of two consecutive games -- against Maine (Dec. 23) and against San Francisco (Dec. 29) ... Rice scored a team-high 20 points against Providence (Dec. 20) ... Rice netted 21 points at Massachusetts (Dec. 6) ... He scored 24 points -- all in the second half -- against Alabama-Birmingham (Nov. 28). He shot 5-for-5 from three-point range ... He recorded 28 points and nine assists in 40 minutes of action against St. John's (Nov. 18).

**10 Field Goals:** Rice has made 10 or more field goals in a single game seven times in his collegiate career. His last 10-plus field-goal effort was a 14-for-25 outing against North Carolina on March 1, 2008 ... Prior to that he'd shot 11-for-24 from the field against Virginia on Feb. 17, 12-for-18 from the field against NC State on Feb. 14, 10-for-16 at Duke on Feb. 9, 2008 and 10-for-18 against Massachusetts on Dec. 12, 2007 ... During the 2006-07 season, he shot 10-for-18 against Duquesne on Dec. 28, 2006, and 10-for-14 against Northeastern on Dec. 31, 2006.

**10 Free Throws:** Rice has made 10 free throws in each of four games this season -- against St. John's (Nov. 18), Sacred Heart (Dec. 31), Georgia Tech (Jan. 20) and Georgia Tech (March 7) ... The most recent Georgia Tech game marked the seventh time in his collegiate career that he'd made 10 or more free throws in one game ... He made a career-best 12 free throws against the Yellow Jackets on March 7.

	<b>2008-09 High</b>	<b>Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	28 vs. St. John's (11-18-08)	46 vs. North Carolina (3-1-08)
<b>Rebounds</b>	8 vs. Miami (1-10-08)	8 - three times
<b>Assists</b>	10 at NC State (3-4-09)	13 vs. Hartford (1-31-07)
<b>Steals</b>	5 at Georgia Tech (1-20-09)	5 - three times
<b>FGM</b>	8 - three times	14 vs. North Carolina (3-1-08)
<b>3PFGM</b>	5 vs. Ala.-Birmingham (11-28-08)	8 vs. North Carolina (3-1-08)
<b>FTM</b>	12 vs. Georgia Tech (3-7-09)	12 vs. Georgia Tech (3-7-09)
<b>FTA</b>	13 vs. St. John's (11-18-08)	14 at Massachusetts (12-2-06)
<b>Minutes</b>	41 at Georgia Tech (1-20-09)	45 - four times

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# MORE TYRESE RICE

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**Minutes:** Rice played 551 minutes (34.4 minutes per game) in 16 league games this season, ranking him eighth among all ACC players ... Last winter (2007-08), he played a league-high 624 minutes (39.0 minutes per game) in 16 league games ... In 2006-07, he played 610 minutes (38.1 minutes per game) in 16 league games, a total (and average) that ranked second in the league -- behind only then-teammate Jared Dudley.... To date, Rice has logged 4,168 career minutes. He has played 1,000 or more minutes in each of the last three seasons.

## CAREER MINUTES -- ALL-TIME BC LEADERS

Name	Years	GP	Minutes
Jared Dudley	2003-07	130	4727
Howard Easley	1990-94	126	4427
Craig Smith	2002-06	130	4415
<b>Tyrese Rice</b>	<b>2005-</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>4168</b>
Bill Curley	1990-94	126	4116
Malcolm Huckaby	1990-94	126	4017

**ACC Leader:** Rice finished the ACC schedule ranked among league leaders (conference games only) in the following categories: scoring (eighth, 18.2), assists (third, 4.8), free-throw percentage (third, .878) and minutes played (eighth, 34.4).

**ACC Weekly Honors:** Rice was honored as the ACC Player of the Week once this season -- for the week ending Jan. 4. Rice averaged 21.3 points, 5.7 rebounds and 8.3 assists per game in the Eagles' 3-0 week ... He earned ACC Player of the Week honors twice last winter.

**Three-Pointers:** After leading the Eagles with 64 three-point field goals last winter, Rice is once again leading the team this season. Through 33 games, the senior has made 60 treys. He has made two three-pointers in each of eight games, three treys in each of eight games, four treys twice and a season-high five three-pointers once.

**20-Point Games:** Rice has scored 20 or more points in each of 13 games this season ... He has scored 20 or more points in each of 45 collegiate games.

**Home vs. Road:** Rice has fared quite well in both home and road contests this season. In 19 home games (Conte Forum), Rice averaged 17.3 points, 5.8 assists and 3.9 rebounds per game ... In 10 away games, he averaged 17.0 points, 5.0 assists and 3.5 rebounds per game.

**2,000-Point Club:** Rice enters the NCAA Tournament with 2,090 career points. He currently ranks fifth on the school's career scoring list.

## CAREER SCORING -- ALL-TIME BC LEADERS

1. Troy Bell '03 .....	2,632
2. Craig Smith '06 .....	2,349
3. Dana Barros '89 .....	2,342
4. Bill Curley '94 .....	2,102
5. <b>Tyrese Rice '09 .....</b>	<b>2,090</b>

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# #5 BIKO PARIS

Sophomore    G                    6-1                    196                    Cypress Christian (TX)    New Orleans, LA

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**#5 Biko Paris:** The sophomore guard is averaging 3.5 points and 1.7 assists per game ... Most recently, Paris registered a season-high 15 points in the Eagles' ACC Tournament quarterfinal-round game against Duke (March 13). He shot 5-for-5 from the field, including 3-for-3 from three-point range ... Paris totaled 10 points, four rebounds and one assist in 20 minutes against Florida State (Feb. 24) ... He recorded five points and four assists against Clemson (Feb. 10) ... Paris registered six points and five assists at Wake Forest (Feb. 8) ... He tallied 12 points (8-for-10 FT), three rebounds and three assists at Virginia (Feb. 4). The game marked his second double-figure scoring effort this season ... He totaled five points, one assist and one steal at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... Paris posted seven points and one assist against Wake Forest (Jan. 14) ... He tallied five points, four rebounds and two assists against Maine (Dec. 23) ... Paris totaled three points and four assists against USC Upstate (Dec. 14) ... He made his fourth collegiate start in the Eagles' opener against Central Connecticut, totaling 12 points and four assists (one turnover) in 34 minutes of action (the third-highest minute total of his collegiate career).

**Background:** Paris came to Boston College after finishing his high-school career at the Cypress Community Christian School in Houston, Texas. Paris played two years at the Houston-based school after being forced to relocate from his New Orleans home after Hurricane Katrina.

	<b>2008-09 High</b>	<b>Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	15 vs. Duke (3-13-09)	19 vs. New Hampshire (11-10-07)
<b>Rebounds</b>	4 - twice	6 at Virginia (1-19-08)
<b>Assists</b>	5 at Wake Forest (2-8-09)	7 at North Carolina (1-31-08)
<b>Steals</b>	1 - eight times	3 vs. New Hampshire (11-10-07)
<b>FGM</b>	5 vs. Duke (3-13-09)	7 vs. New Hampshire (11-10-07)
<b>3PFGM</b>	3 vs. Duke (3-13-09)	3 vs. Duke (3-13-09)
<b>FTM</b>	8 at Virginia (2-4-09)	8 at Virginia (2-4-09)
<b>FTA</b>	10 at Virginia (2-4-09)	10 at Virginia (2-4-09)
<b>Minutes</b>	34 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)	40 vs. New Hampshire (11-10-07)

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# #11 COREY RAJI

Sophomore F 6-6 214 Westwood Washington Township, NJ

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**#11 Corey Raji:** The sophomore forward is averaging 9.8 points and 6.1 rebounds per game ... He has scored in double figures in 12 games this season and has recorded two point-rebound double-doubles ... Raji averaged 9.0 points and 5.5 rebounds per game in the Eagles' two ACC Tournament contests. He tallied 11 points and two rebounds against Virginia (March 12), and seven points and nine rebounds against Duke (March 13) ... Raji recorded five points and a career-high 15 rebounds (seven offensive) at Miami (Feb. 21) ... He registered 14 points, seven rebounds and three assists in a career-high "40-" minutes at Wake Forest (Feb. 8) ... He totaled seven points and nine rebounds against Virginia Tech (Jan. 31) ... Raji tallied eight points and 12 rebounds against NC State (Jan. 24) ... He notched 10 points (six in overtime), three rebounds, two assists and two steals in a career-high 38 minutes of action at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20) ... Raji totaled 16 points and eight rebounds against Harvard (Jan. 7) ... He notched six points, eight rebounds and two blocked shots at North Carolina (Jan. 4) ... Raji totaled 16 points (8-for-12 FG) and five rebounds against San Francisco (Dec. 29) ... He tallied a career-high 26 points and 13 rebounds against Maine (Dec. 23). He shot 12-for-12 from the field ... Raji recorded 10 points and seven rebounds against Providence (Dec. 20) ... He registered 13 points and 12 rebounds against USC Upstate (Dec. 14) ... He totaled 16 points at Massachusetts (Dec. 6) ... Raji notched a game-high 22 points and seven rebounds (all offensive) at Saint Louis ... He recorded 14 points and nine rebounds against Loyola (Nov. 17).

**Rebounder:** A tenacious offensive rebounder, Raji ranked third among ACC players (all games), averaging 3.3 offensive rebounds per game ... He has grabbed more than half of all his career rebounds (in 64 games) at the offensive end. To date, he has 336 career rebounds -- 171 offensive, 165 defensive.

**Sharpshooter:** Raji shot a team-high 60.8 percent from the floor last year. He is shooting 50.0 percent this season ... He shot 12-for-12 from the field in the Eagles' home win over Maine earlier this season (Dec. 23, 2008). That performance was the best single-game shooting effort by a BC player since Martin Clark shot 13-for-13 against Bentley (Division II) on Dec. 11, 1982.

**Family Ties:** Corey is the younger brother of BC star football player/defensive tackle B.J. Raji. B.J. earned 2008 All-ACC first-team honors. B.J. is currently projected as the #4 pick in the 2009 NFL Draft by Todd McShay of Scouts, Inc.

	<b>2008-09 High</b>	<b>Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	26 vs. Maine (12-23-08)	26 vs. Maine (12-23-08)
<b>Rebounds</b>	15 at Miami (2-21-09)	15 at Miami (2-21-09)
<b>Assists</b>	4 - three times	4 - four times
<b>Steals</b>	2 - four times	2 - nine times
<b>FGM</b>	12 vs. Maine (12-23-08)	12 vs. Maine (12-23-08)
<b>3PFGM</b>	1 vs. Bryant (12-10-08)	3 at Maryland (12-9-07)
<b>FTM</b>	6 - three times	6 - three times
<b>FTA</b>	11 vs. Loyola (11-17-08)	11 vs. Loyola (11-17-08)
<b>Minutes</b>	40 at Wake Forest (2-8-09)	40 at Wake Forest (2-8-09)

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# #12 JOE TRAPANI

Sophomore    F                    6-8                    218                    Daniel Hand                    Madison, CT

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**#12 Joe Trapani:** The sophomore forward is averaging 13.5 points and a team-high 6.6 rebounds per game. He has scored in double figures 26 times this season, including five games with 20 or more points ... He registered 19 points, seven rebounds, four assists and two blocked shots against Florida State (Feb. 24) ... He scored a team-high 17 points at Miami (Feb. 21) ... Trapani recorded 20 points, seven rebounds and five blocked shots against Duke (Feb. 15) ... He scored 19 points at Wake Forest (Feb. 8) ... He registered 12 points and six rebounds at Virginia (Feb. 4) ... Trapani totaled 10 points and nine rebounds at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... He tallied 12 points and 10 rebounds against NC State (Jan. 24) ... Trapani posted a career-high 23 points and 10 rebounds at Virginia Tech (Jan. 17) ... He notched 20 points and 11 rebounds against Wake Forest (Jan. 14) ... Trapani totaled 22 points (four treys) and 11 rebounds against San Francisco (Dec. 29) ... He scored 18 points against Providence (Dec. 20) ... He registered 16 points (3-for-4 treys) and six rebounds against USC Upstate (Dec. 14) ... He tallied 10 points and 11 rebounds against Bryant (Dec. 10) ... He totaled 16 points and a career-high 12 rebounds (six offensive) at Massachusetts (Dec. 6) ... Trapani averaged 13.0 points and 7.0 rebounds per game in the Eagles' two Madison Square Garden contests -- against Purdue (Nov. 26) and Alabama-Birmingham (Nov. 28) ... Trapani registered 19 points, four rebounds, three blocked shots and two assists against St. John's (Nov. 18) ... He totaled 20 points and four rebounds against Loyola (Nov. 17) ... Trapani sat out the 2007-08 season after transferring from Vermont.

**ACC Tournament:** Trapani averaged 12.0 points and 7.0 rebounds per game in the Eagles' two ACC Tournament contests. He scored 12 points in each of the two games -- against Virginia and Duke.

**Among League Leaders:** Trapani finished the ACC schedule ranked league leaders (in conference games) in rebounding (tied-12th, 6.3 rpg).

**Double Doubles:** Trapani has recorded six point-rebound double doubles this winter, the highest number of double doubles by a BC sophomore since Jared Dudley notched seven in 2004-05 ... He fell one rebound shy of a double double in three additional games.

	<b>2008-09 High/Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	23 at Virginia Tech (1-17-09)
<b>Rebounds</b>	12 at Massachusetts (12-6-08)
<b>Assists</b>	6 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)
<b>FGM</b>	7 - seven times
<b>3PFGM</b>	4 vs. San Francisco (12-29-08)
<b>FTM</b>	6 - twice
<b>FTA</b>	8 at Massachusetts (12-6-08)
<b>Blocked Shots</b>	5 vs. Duke (2-15-09)
<b>Steals</b>	2 - four times
<b>Minutes</b>	38 - twice

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# #14 NICK MOSAKOWSKI

Sophomore    G                    6-1                    180                    Pingree                    Swampscott, MA

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**#14 Nick Mosakowski:** The sophomore guard has seen action in three games this season -- against Loyola (Nov. 17), Bryant (Dec. 10) and Maine (Dec. 23) ... Mosakowski joined the team as a walk-on during preseason workouts ... He was a two-time All-Eastern Independent League honoree at the Pingree School (in 2005-06 and 2006-07).

	<b>2008-09 High/Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	0
<b>Rebounds</b>	0
<b>Assists</b>	0
<b>Minutes</b>	2 vs. Maine (12-23-08)

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# #15 RAKIM SANDERS

Sophomore

G/F

6-5

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St. Andrew's

Pawtucket, RI

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**#15 Rakim Sanders:** The sophomore swingman is averaging 13.0 points and 4.5 rebounds per game. He has scored in double figures 21 times this season, including seven games with 20 or more points ... Sanders registered a career-high 25 points (7-for-11 FG, 11-for-12 FT) and seven rebounds against Virginia in the ACC Tournament (March 12) ... He scored a game-high 19 points, including the game-winning hoop with 1.7 seconds left, against Georgia Tech (March 7). The sophomore also contributed six rebounds, five steals and three assists ... He totaled a game-high 21 points (4-for-7 treys) at NC State (March 4) ... He registered 16 points, nine rebounds, three steals and two blocked shots against Florida State (Feb. 23) ... He notched 14 points, five rebounds and two steals against Duke (Feb. 15) ... He totaled 23 points (9-for-15 FG, 3-for-4 treys) and eight rebounds in 28 minutes against Clemson (Feb. 10) ... Sanders recorded 20 points (8-for-13 FG), 10 rebounds and two assists at Virginia (Feb. 4). The game marked his second double-double of the season ... He tallied 12 points -- including the game-winning basket with 0.4 seconds to play -- against Virginia Tech (Jan. 31) ... He registered a team-high 16 points at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... Sanders notched 19 points (3-for-3 treys), five assists and three steals at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20) ... Sanders totaled 18 points (four treys), five rebounds, three blocked shots and three steals against Miami (Jan. 10) ... He posted 22 points (9-for-15 FG, 4-for-7 treys), six rebounds, two blocked shots and a career-best seven steals at North Carolina (Jan. 4) ... He scored a team-high 20 points against Sacred Heart (Dec. 31) ... Sanders totaled 12 points and a career-high seven assists against Maine (Dec. 23) ... He registered 19 points, three rebounds and four assists against Bryant (Dec. 10) ... He recorded 16 points, six rebounds and two assists in an overtime win at Massachusetts (Dec. 6) ... He recorded 12 points and 10 rebounds against St. John's (Nov. 18) ... He tallied (a career-high) 24 points, seven rebounds, two blocked shots and two steals in 30 minutes of action in the season opener against Central Connecticut (Nov. 14). He shot an impressive 8-for-11 from the field.

**Among League Leaders:** Sanders finished the ACC schedule ranked among league leaders (in conference games) in scoring (18th, 14.6), field-goal percentage (eighth, .878) and steals (third, 1.9 ppg).

**Game Winners:** Sanders has netted two game-winning field goals this season. He converted an offensive rebound with 0.4 seconds left against Virginia Tech (Jan. 31) to give BC a 67-66 victory ... He hit an 18-foot baseline jumper with 1.7 seconds left against Georgia Tech (March 7) to lift the Eagles to another 67-66 win ... Last season, he nailed a game-tying three-point field goal with 3.6 seconds to play against Virginia Tech (Jan. 26, 2008). BC eventually lost that game to the Hokies in overtime.

**Double Figures:** Boston College has a 17-3 mark in games this season that Rakim Sanders has scored in double figures ... Sanders has now scored in double figures 38 times in 64 career games. BC has a 28-10 record in those contests.

	<b>2008-09 High</b>	<b>Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	25 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)	25 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)
<b>Rebounds</b>	10 - twice	12 vs. NC State (2-14-08)
<b>Assists</b>	7 vs. Maine (12-23-08)	7 vs. Maine (12-23-08)
<b>Steals</b>	7 at North Carolina (1-4-09)	7 at North Carolina (1-4-09)
<b>FGM</b>	9 - twice	9 - three times
<b>FTM</b>	11 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)	11 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)
<b>FTA</b>	12 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)	12 vs. Virginia (3-12-09)
<b>Minutes</b>	38 at Massachusetts (12-6-08)	38 at Massachusetts (12-6-08)

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# #21 TYLER ROCHE

Junior

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6-7

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Manchester Central

Hooksett, NH

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**#21 Tyler Roche:** The junior forward is averaging 3.6 points and 1.5 rebounds per game. He has scored in double figures three times ... He recorded two rebounds and a season-best two assists against Georgia Tech (March 7) ... Roche notched eight points (2-for-3 treys) against Duke (Feb. 15) ... He contributed eight points and three rebounds at Virginia (Feb. 4) ... Roche totaled 10 points and four rebounds against Virginia Tech (Jan. 31). He scored the Eagles' first seven points of the season half ... He tallied three points and two rebounds in 12 minutes at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... Roche notched 10 points and four rebounds against Sacred Heart (Dec. 31) ... He totaled six points against Providence (Dec. 20) ... He scored a career-high 17 points in the win over USC Upstate (Dec. 14). He shot 5-for-7 from three-point range and 2-for-2 from the foul line ... He registered five points and two rebounds against Loyola (Nov. 17) ... Roche scored two points in the season opener against Central Connecticut ... He played in 29 games last winter, making 23 starts. He averaged 3.8 points and 1.9 rebounds per game.

**He Loves Virginia:** Roche averaged 9.0 points and 3.5 rebounds per game in consecutive games against Virginia Tech (Jan. 31) and Virginia (Feb. 4). He totaled 10 points and four rebounds in 21 minutes against Virginia Tech, and then tallied eight points and three rebounds at Virginia.

## Points

## Rebounds

## Assists

## Steals

## FGM

## 3PFGM

## FTM

## Minutes

## 2008-09 High

17 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

4 - twice

2 vs. Georgia Tech (3-7-09)

1 - five times

5 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

5 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

3 vs. Virginia Tech (1-31-09)

25 vs. Sacred Heart (12-31-08)

## Career High

17 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

8 vs. Yale (1-3-07)

6 vs. Florida Atlantic (11-12-07)

2 - five times

5 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

5 vs. USC Upstate (12-14-08)

3 vs. Virginia Tech (1-31-09)

37 vs. New Hampshire (11-10-07)

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# #24 EVAN RAVENEL

Freshman

F/C

6-8

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Brandon

Tampa, FL

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**#24 Evan Ravenel:** The freshman forward/center is averaging 2.0 points and 1.4 rebounds per game ... He recorded two points, one rebound and one blocked shot against Miami (Jan. 10) ... He totaled four points, three rebounds, two assists, two blocked shots and two steals in 15 minutes at Massachusetts (Dec. 6) ... Ravenel grabbed a career-high five rebounds at Saint Louis ... He tallied five points, four rebounds and two assists in 24 minutes of action against St. John's (Nov. 18) ... He posted six points (3-for-4 FG), including a brilliant runner through the lane, in 14 minutes in his collegiate debut -- against Central Connecticut ... He totaled three points and three rebounds against Loyola (Nov. 17).

**Points**

**2008-09 High/Career High**

6 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)

**Rebounds**

5 at Saint Louis (11-22-08)

**Assists**

2 - twice

**Steals**

2 at Massachusetts (12-6-08)

**Blocked Shots**

2 - twice

**FGM**

3 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)

**FTM**

3 vs. St. John's (11-18-08)

**Minutes**

24 vs. St. John's (11-18-08)

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# #30 DALLAS ELMORE

Freshman

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6-5

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Fort Collins, CO

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**#30 Dallas Elmore:** The freshman guard is averaging 2.7 points and 1.2 rebounds per game ... He hit one three-pointer in five minutes of action against NC State (Jan. 24) ... He made his ACC debut against Miami (Jan. 10) and notched two points and one rebound in seven minutes ... Elmore tallied four points and three rebounds against Maine (Dec. 23) ... He totaled five points and two rebounds against Bryant (Dec. 10) ... He registered four points, two rebounds and two assists in 21 minutes against Iowa (Dec. 2) ... Elmore recorded two rebounds, two assists and one blocked shot against Alabama-Birmingham (Nov. 28) ... He tallied nine points (3-for-4 FG) and two steals in 12 minutes in his collegiate debut -- against Central Connecticut ... He scored five points against Loyola (Nov. 17).

## 2008-09 High/Career High

<b>Points</b>	9 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)
<b>Rebounds</b>	3 vs. Maine (12-23-08)
<b>Assists</b>	2 - twice
<b>Steals</b>	2 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)
<b>FGM</b>	3 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)
<b>3PFGM</b>	1 - twice
<b>FTM</b>	2 vs. Central Connecticut (11-14-08)
<b>Minutes</b>	21 vs. Iowa (12-2-08)

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# #52 JOSH SOUTHERN

Sophomore    C            6-10    242            Saginaw                            Saginaw, MI

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**#52 Josh Southern:** The sophomore center is averaging 6.1 points and 5.1 rebounds per game ... He has scored in double figures seven times this season, three times in ACC games ... Southern equaled his career high with 13 points against Virginia in the ACC Tournament (March 12). He also grabbed nine rebounds against the Cavaliers ... He totaled 12 points and nine rebounds in the team's 67-66 home win over Georgia Tech (March 7) ... Southern scored eight points against Florida State (Feb. 24) ... He registered 12 points, six rebounds, two assists and two steals at Wake Forest (Feb. 8) ... Southern tallied 12 points, six rebounds, two assists and one blocked shot in 28 minutes at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... He totaled seven points and seven rebounds against NC State (Jan. 24) ... He notched a season-high 13 points -- and nine rebounds -- against Sacred Heart (Dec. 31) ... He registered five points, eight rebounds and two blocked shots against Maine (Dec. 23) ... Southern totaled nine points and four rebounds against Providence (Dec. 20). He sank 5-of-6 free-throw attempts in the game's final 30 seconds ... Southern tallied 10 points and seven rebounds against USC Upstate (Dec. 14) ... He recorded six points and eight rebounds against Iowa (Dec. 2) ... Southern grabbed double-digit rebounds in each of the team's two Madison Square Garden games. He totaled nine points and 11 rebounds against Purdue (Nov. 26), and six points and 11 rebounds against Alabama-Birmingham (Nov. 28) ... He notched 12 points and nine rebounds against Loyola (Nov. 17).

**Field-Goal Percentage:** Southern is shooting a team-high 50.3 percent from the field.

**Free Throws:** Southern has made 64.2 percent of his free-throw attempts this season ... In the last 10 games, however, the sophomore center has sank 79.2 percent of his attempts (19-for-24).

**Mr. Clutch:** Southern shot 7-for-8 from the foul line in the Eagles' five-point home win over Providence on Dec. 20. The sophomore sank 5-of-6 attempts in the game's final 30.2 seconds to help BC secure the victory ... He also recorded a key blocked shot and defensive rebound in the final minute.

	<b>2008-09 High</b>	<b>Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	13 - twice	13 - three times
<b>Rebounds</b>	11 - twice	11 - twice
<b>Assists</b>	2 - six times	3 vs. Maryland (3-13-08)
<b>Steals</b>	2 - five times	2 - six times
<b>FGM</b>	5 - three times	5 - five times
<b>FTM</b>	7 vs. Providence (12-20-08)	7 vs. Providence (12-20-08)
<b>Blocked Shots</b>	2 - seven times	3 at Virginia Tech (2-26-08)
<b>Minutes</b>	34 vs. Ala.-Birmingham (11-28-08)	34 vs. Ala.-Birmingham (11-28-08)

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# #55 CORTNEY DUNN

Sophomore    F                      6-8                      234                      Lake Highlands    Dallas, TX

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**#55 Cortney Dunn:** The sophomore forward is averaging 0.9 points and 1.9 rebounds per game ... He posted a career-high eight points (3-for-3 FG), four rebounds and two blocked shots against Clemson (Feb. 10) .. He tallied two points and four rebounds in each of the two consecutive games -- at Virginia (Feb. 4) and at Wake Forest (Feb. 8) ... He grabbed a career-high seven rebounds in the Eagles' home win over Virginia Tech (Jan. 31) ... Dunn totaled one point, three rebounds, two blocked shots and one steal at Maryland (Jan. 27) ... He contributed one point, six rebounds and one blocked shot in a career-high 27 minutes at Georgia Tech (Jan. 20) ... He notched two rebounds, one assist and one blocked shot in 19 minutes of action at Virginia Tech (Jan. 17) ... Dunn tallied five points and four rebounds in the win over Providence (Dec. 20).

**No Points, No Worries:** Dunn did not score in 15 minutes of action at North Carolina on Jan. 4. But don't expect to hear any complaints from the BC coaching staff. The sophomore grabbed three rebounds, blocked one shot and provided a terrific defensive effort against the Tarheels' vaunted front line.

**More Minutes:** After seeing a total of six minutes of court time (in three games) as a freshman, Dunn has played 352 minutes in 28 games this season.

	<b>2008-09 High/Career High</b>
<b>Points</b>	8 vs. Clemson (2-10-09)
<b>Rebounds</b>	7 vs. Virginia Tech (1-31-09)
<b>FGM</b>	3 vs. Clemson (2-10-09)
<b>FTM</b>	2 - twice
<b>FTA</b>	3 - twice
<b>Blocked Shots</b>	2 - three times
<b>Minutes</b>	27 at Georgia Tech (1-20-09)

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**THE STAT CREW SYSTEM**  
**Boston College Combined Team Statistics (as of Mar 14, 2009)**  
**All games**

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
ALL GAMES	22-11	15-4	5-5	2-2
CONFERENCE	9-7	5-3	4-4	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	13-4	10-1	1-1	2-2

#	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-fga	pct	off	def	tot	avg								
04	Rice, Tyrese	32-32	1067	33.3	158-381	.415	60-170	.353	172-201	.856	26	98	124	3.9	89	2	172	119	7	47	548	17.1
12	Trapani, Joe	33-33	959	29.1	154-352	.438	50-138	.362	87-111	.784	67	150	217	6.6	69	4	49	67	33	20	445	13.5
15	Sanders, Rakim	33-33	915	27.7	158-343	.461	46-138	.333	66-97	.680	59	89	148	4.5	95	2	52	64	26	52	428	13.0
11	Raji, Corey	33-33	904	27.4	133-266	.500	1-12	.083	55-83	.663	109	93	202	6.1	69	2	52	30	5	22	322	9.8
00	Jackson, Reggie	33-0	661	20.0	89-202	.441	18-65	.277	37-54	.685	39	68	107	3.2	51	1	55	40	14	25	233	7.1
52	Southern, Josh	33-33	748	22.7	74-147	.503	0-0	.000	52-81	.642	63	105	168	5.1	103	5	27	42	27	15	200	6.1
21	Roche, Tyler	27-0	378	14.0	35-85	.412	20-58	.345	6-10	.600	14	27	41	1.5	26	0	13	16	7	7	96	3.6
05	Paris, Biko	33-1	408	12.4	35-91	.385	14-36	.389	31-43	.721	12	17	29	0.9	20	0	56	31	0	8	115	3.5
30	Elmore, Dallas	12-0	110	9.2	13-27	.481	2-9	.222	4-8	.500	6	8	14	1.2	10	0	6	7	2	2	32	2.7
24	Ravenel, Evan	14-0	144	10.3	9-28	.321	0-0	.000	10-17	.588	6	13	19	1.4	19	0	5	10	8	2	28	2.0
55	Dunn, Cortney	28-0	352	12.6	9-20	.450	0-0	.000	8-14	.571	15	37	52	1.9	42	0	3	7	15	3	26	0.9
14	Mosakowski, Nick	3-0	4	1.3	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team											56	52	108				9					
Total.....		33	6650		867-1945	.446	211-626	.337	528-719	.734	472	757	1229	37.2	593	16	490	442	144	203	2473	74.9
Opponents.....		33	6650		830-1963	.423	193-591	.327	472-681	.693	446	686	1132	34.3	629	-	400	414	156	226	2325	70.5

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>BC</b>	<b>OPP</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Att.</b>
SCORING	2473	2325	11-14-08	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	w 80-65	4197
Points per game	74.9	70.5	11-17-08	LOYOLA	w 90-57	4283
Scoring margin	+4.5	-	11-18-08	ST. JOHN'S	w 82-70	4462
FIELD GOALS-ATT	867-1945	830-1963	11-22-08	at Saint Louis	L 50-53	9127
Field goal pct	.446	.423	11-26-08	vs Purdue	L 64-71	4438
3 POINT FG-ATT	211-626	193-591	11-28-08	vs Alabama-Birmingham	w 83-77	3670
3-point FG pct	.337	.327	12-2-08	IOWA	w 57-55	4084
3-pt FG made per game	6.4	5.8	12-6-08	at Massachusetts	Wot 85-81	6792
FREE THROWS-ATT	528-719	472-681	12-10-08	BRYANT	w 80-61	3267
Free throw pct	.734	.693	12-14-08	USC UPSTATE	w 67-55	3881
F-Throws made per game	16.0	14.3	12-20-08	PROVIDENCE	w 81-76	6880
REBOUNDS	1229	1132	12-23-08	MAINE	w 99-61	2692
Rebounds per game	37.2	34.3	12-29-08	SAN FRANCISCO	w 84-62	5231
Rebounding margin	+2.9	-	12-31-08	SACRED HEART	w 89-76	2137
ASSISTS	490	400	* 1-4-09	at North Carolina	w 85-78	21750
Assists per game	14.8	12.1	1-7-09	HARVARD	L 70-82	3174
TURNOVERS	442	414	* 1-10-09	MIAMI	L 71-77	7623
Turnovers per game	13.4	12.5	* 1-14-09	WAKE FOREST	L 63-83	8606
Turnover margin	-0.8	-	* 1-17-09	at Virginia Tech	L 71-79	9847
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	1.0	* 1-20-09	at Georgia Tech	Wot 80-76	7174
STEALS	203	226	* 1-24-09	NORTH CAROLINA STATE	w 79-68	8167
Steals per game	6.2	6.8	* 1-27-09	at Maryland	w 76-67	17541
BLOCKS	144	156	* 1-31-09	VIRGINIA TECH	w 67-66	8428
Blocks per game	4.4	4.7	* 2-4-09	at Virginia	w 80-70	9631
ATTENDANCE	105418	173949	* 2-8-09	at Wake Forest	L 76-93	11185
Home games-Avg/Game	19-5548	10-11314	* 2-10-09	CLEMSON	L 77-87	6126
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	4-15203	* 2-15-09	DUKE	w 80-74	8606
			* 2-21-09	at Miami	L 58-69	4979
			* 2-24-09	FLORIDA STATE	w 72-67	4968
			* 3-4-09	at North Carolina State	L 69-74	15111
			* 3-7-09	GEORGIA TECH	w 67-66	8606
			3-12-09	vs Virginia	w 76-63	26352
			3-13-09	vs Duke	L 65-66	26352

<b>Score by Periods</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>OT</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Boston College	1141	1307	25	2473
Opponents	1060	1248	17	2325

\* - Conference game

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**Conference games**

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
ALL GAMES	9-7	5-3	4-4	0-0
CONFERENCE	9-7	5-3	4-4	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	pct	3fg-fga	pct	ft-fa	pct	off	def	tot	avg								
04	Rice, Tyrese	16-16	551	34.4	86-213	.404	33-99	.333	86-98	.878	11	49	60	3.8	46	1	76	69	2	23	291	18.2
15	Sanders, Rakim	16-16	482	30.1	85-178	.478	29-74	.392	34-52	.654	31	43	74	4.6	50	1	24	32	10	31	233	14.6
12	Trapani, Joe	16-16	452	28.3	72-166	.434	28-77	.364	39-46	.848	32	69	101	6.3	32	3	19	34	16	5	211	13.2
00	Jackson, Reggie	16-0	336	21.0	46-99	.465	6-29	.207	23-31	.742	23	33	56	3.5	22	0	25	20	9	11	121	7.6
11	Raji, Corey	16-16	406	25.4	46-104	.442	0-2	.000	17-25	.680	46	40	86	5.4	30	0	18	15	2	11	109	6.8
52	Southern, Josh	16-16	357	22.3	32-65	.492	0-0	.000	23-32	.719	28	37	65	4.1	60	3	15	20	11	10	87	5.4
05	Paris, Biko	16-0	173	10.8	14-35	.400	3-10	.300	19-26	.731	3	7	10	0.6	12	0	28	14	0	4	50	3.1
21	Roche, Tyler	15-0	196	13.1	16-42	.381	9-28	.321	3-4	.750	7	14	21	1.4	18	0	8	9	2	4	44	2.9
30	Elmore, Dallas	3-0	13	4.3	2-4	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.7	0	0	0	1	1	0	5	1.7
55	Dunn, Cortney	16-0	250	15.6	6-15	.400	0-0	.000	6-9	.667	13	25	38	2.4	29	0	1	2	11	2	18	1.1
24	Ravenel, Evan	2-0	9	4.5	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	0.5	2	0	0	1	1	0	2	1.0
Team											26	17	43				5					
Total.....		16	3225		405-923	.439	109-321	.340	252-325	.775	220	337	557	34.8	301	8	214	222	65	101	1171	73.2
Opponents.....		16	3225		421-956	.440	93-271	.343	259-369	.702	237	323	560	35.0	293	-	211	185	81	121	1194	74.6

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>BC</b>	<b>OPP</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Att.</b>
SCORING	1171	1194	* 1-4-09	at North Carolina	w 85-78	21750
Points per game	73.2	74.6	* 1-10-09	MIAMI	L 71-77	7623
Scoring margin	-1.4	-	* 1-14-09	WAKE FOREST	L 63-83	8606
FIELD GOALS-ATT	405-923	421-956	* 1-17-09	at Virginia Tech	L 71-79	9847
Field goal pct	.439	.440	* 1-20-09	at Georgia Tech	wot 80-76	7174
3 POINT FG-ATT	109-321	93-271	* 1-24-09	NORTH CAROLINA STATE	w 79-68	8167
3-point FG pct	.340	.343	* 1-27-09	at Maryland	w 76-67	17541
3-pt FG made per game	6.8	5.8	* 1-31-09	VIRGINIA TECH	w 67-66	8428
FREE THROWS-ATT	252-325	259-369	* 2-4-09	at Virginia	w 80-70	9631
Free throw pct	.775	.702	* 2-8-09	at Wake Forest	L 76-93	11185
F-Throws made per game	15.8	16.2	* 2-10-09	CLEMSON	L 77-87	6126
REBOUNDS	557	560	* 2-15-09	DUKE	w 80-74	8606
Rebounds per game	34.8	35.0	* 2-21-09	at Miami	L 58-69	4979
Rebounding margin	-0.2	-	* 2-24-09	FLORIDA STATE	w 72-67	4968
ASSISTS	214	211	* 3-4-09	at North Carolina State	L 69-74	15111
Assists per game	13.4	13.2	* 3-7-09	GEORGIA TECH	w 67-66	8606
TURNOVERS	222	185	* - Conference game			
Turnovers per game	13.9	11.6				
Turnover margin	-2.3	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.1				
STEALS	101	121				
Steals per game	6.3	7.6				
BLOCKS	65	81				
Blocks per game	4.1	5.1				
ATTENDANCE	61130	97218				
Home games-Avg/Game	8-7641	8-12152				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

<b>Score by Periods</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>OT</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Boston College	547	610	14	1171
Opponents	562	622	10	1194

**THE STAT CREW SYSTEM**  
**Boston College Game-by-Game Points-Rebounds-Assists (as of Mar 14, 2009)**  
**All games**

Opponent	Date	Score	00		04		05		11		12		14		15	
			JACKSON,RE	RICE,TYRES	PARIS,BIKO	RAJI,COREY	TRAPANI,JO	MOSAKOWSKI	SANDERS,RA							
CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	11-14-08	80-65	w	3-3-0	DNP	12-2-4	8-4-1	13-9-6	DNP	24-7-0						
LOYOLA	11-17-08	90-57	w	6-4-2	16-3-6	6-3-4	14-9-4	20-4-1	0-0-0	3-5-0						
ST. JOHN'S	11-18-08	82-70	w	4-4-2	28-5-9	3-0-0	9-7-1	19-4-2	DNP	12-10-2						
at Saint Louis	11-22-08	50-53	L	10-3-1	6-0-3	0-3-2	22-7-0	6-4-0	DNP	5-4-0						
vs Purdue	11-26-08	64-71	L	8-3-0	17-4-3	0-1-0	9-7-2	14-7-0	DNP	6-5-1						
vs Alabama-Birmingham	11-28-08	83-77	w	11-2-2	24-6-4	5-1-1	9-4-3	12-7-4	DNP	16-1-1						
IOWA	12-2-08	57-55	w	6-2-2	15-0-4	5-1-0	7-6-2	8-7-0	DNP	6-7-1						
at Massachusetts	12-6-08	85-81	wo	8-6-4	21-5-7	0-0-0	16-3-3	16-12-3	DNP	16-6-2						
BRYANT	12-10-08	80-61	w	10-2-2	10-5-7	2-1-1	15-4-2	11-10-2	0-0-0	19-3-4						
USC UPSTATE	12-14-08	67-55	w	3-0-0	0-3-7	3-0-4	13-12-4	16-6-0	DNP	5-1-0						
PROVIDENCE	12-20-08	81-76	w	2-2-2	20-4-7	4-1-0	10-7-2	18-3-2	DNP	7-5-2						
MAINE	12-23-08	99-61	w	5-2-4	21-5-9	5-4-2	26-13-4	15-4-0	0-0-0	12-2-7						
SAN FRANCISCO	12-29-08	84-62	w	13-8-4	21-5-9	0-0-3	16-5-2	22-11-3	DNP	5-1-1						
SACRED HEART	12-31-08	89-76	w	12-2-2	18-7-8	3-1-2	5-9-1	8-5-1	DNP	20-3-2						
at North Carolina	1-4-09	85-78	w	17-3-0	25-5-8	3-0-0	6-8-0	8-7-2	DNP	22-6-0						
HARVARD	1-7-09	70-82	L	9-6-3	14-3-3	2-0-1	16-8-2	12-9-4	DNP	7-4-2						
MIAMI	1-10-09	71-77	L	14-5-1	21-8-4	0-1-2	4-4-1	8-4-1	DNP	18-5-1						
WAKE FOREST	1-14-09	63-83	L	4-5-2	20-0-4	7-0-1	4-4-0	20-11-2	DNP	4-5-1						
at Virginia Tech	1-17-09	71-79	L	4-2-2	19-3-5	0-0-0	8-3-1	23-10-0	DNP	14-3-1						
at Georgia Tech	1-20-09	80-76	wo	8-9-3	26-3-5	0-0-2	10-3-2	12-5-1	DNP	19-1-5						
NORTH CAROLINA STATE	1-24-09	79-68	w	10-2-3	25-4-3	0-0-2	8-12-2	12-10-3	DNP	12-4-1						
at Maryland	1-27-09	76-67	w	10-3-1	10-3-6	5-0-1	9-4-1	10-9-0	DNP	16-3-2						
VIRGINIA TECH	1-31-09	67-66	w	5-5-1	16-1-5	0-0-2	7-9-1	13-4-1	DNP	12-3-1						
at Virginia	2-4-09	80-70	w	0-0-0	20-6-6	12-3-3	4-1-0	12-6-1	DNP	20-10-2						
at Wake Forest	2-8-09	76-93	L	4-1-0	18-6-0	6-1-5	14-7-3	19-3-3	DNP	1-1-0						
CLEMSON	2-10-09	77-87	L	5-3-2	17-4-4	5-1-4	6-3-0	5-3-0	DNP	23-8-3						
DUKE	2-15-09	80-74	w	15-5-3	21-6-6	0-0-2	2-2-1	20-7-2	DNP	14-5-1						
at Miami	2-21-09	58-69	L	10-5-7	11-2-0	2-0-2	5-15-2	17-4-0	DNP	2-2-1						
FLORIDA STATE	2-24-09	72-67	w	0-2-0	11-4-6	10-4-1	8-2-1	19-7-1	DNP	16-9-1						
at North Carolina State	3-4-09	69-74	L	4-0-0	14-2-10	0-0-0	8-5-3	11-6-0	DNP	21-3-1						
GEORGIA TECH	3-7-09	67-66	w	11-6-0	17-3-4	0-0-1	6-4-0	2-5-2	DNP	19-6-3						
vs Virginia	3-12-09	76-63	w	2-0-0	9-6-6	0-1-2	11-2-0	12-5-1	DNP	25-7-1						
vs Duke	3-13-09	65-66	L	0-2-0	17-3-4	15-0-2	7-9-1	12-9-1	DNP	7-3-2						

Opponent	Date	Score	21		24		30		52		55	
			ROCHE,TYLE	RAVENEL,EV	ELMORE,DAL	SOUTHERN,J	DUNN,CORTN					
CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	11-14-08	80-65	w	2-3-1	6-1-0	9-1-0	2-3-1	1-2-0				
LOYOLA	11-17-08	90-57	w	5-2-0	3-3-0	5-1-0	12-9-1	DNP				
ST. JOHN'S	11-18-08	82-70	w	0-0-0	5-4-2	DNP	2-1-0	0-0-0				
at Saint Louis	11-22-08	50-53	L	DNP	1-5-1	DNP	0-1-0	0-0-1				
vs Purdue	11-26-08	64-71	L	DNP	1-0-0	DNP	9-11-2	DNP				
vs Alabama-Birmingham	11-28-08	83-77	w	DNP	0-0-0	0-2-2	6-11-0	DNP				
IOWA	12-2-08	57-55	w	DNP	0-0-0	4-2-2	6-8-1	DNP				
at Massachusetts	12-6-08	85-81	wo	DNP	4-3-2	0-0-0	4-5-2	DNP				
BRYANT	12-10-08	80-61	w	0-2-1	3-1-0	5-2-1	5-5-1	0-0-0				
USC UPSTATE	12-14-08	67-55	w	17-3-0	DNP	0-0-1	10-7-1	0-2-1				
PROVIDENCE	12-20-08	81-76	w	6-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	9-4-1	5-4-0				
MAINE	12-23-08	99-61	w	3-0-0	3-1-0	4-3-0	5-8-0	0-3-0				
SAN FRANCISCO	12-29-08	84-62	w	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-0	4-3-0	0-1-0				
SACRED HEART	12-31-08	89-76	w	10-4-1	DNP	DNP	13-9-0	0-1-0				
at North Carolina	1-4-09	85-78	w	0-1-1	DNP	DNP	4-5-1	0-3-0				
HARVARD	1-7-09	70-82	L	4-3-0	DNP	DNP	6-5-1	0-0-0				
MIAMI	1-10-09	71-77	L	2-2-1	2-1-0	2-1-0	0-2-2	0-0-0				
WAKE FOREST	1-14-09	63-83	L	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	4-2-1	0-0-0				
at Virginia Tech	1-17-09	71-79	L	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	3-3-0	0-2-1				
at Georgia Tech	1-20-09	80-76	wo	0-2-0	DNP	DNP	4-2-0	1-6-0				
NORTH CAROLINA STATE	1-24-09	79-68	w	0-0-1	DNP	3-1-0	7-7-0	2-0-0				
at Maryland	1-27-09	76-67	w	3-2-1	DNP	DNP	12-6-2	1-3-0				
VIRGINIA TECH	1-31-09	67-66	w	10-4-0	DNP	DNP	4-1-0	0-7-0				
at Virginia	2-4-09	80-70	w	8-3-0	DNP	0-0-0	2-6-1	2-4-0				
at Wake Forest	2-8-09	76-93	L	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	12-6-2	2-4-0				
CLEMSON	2-10-09	77-87	L	5-2-1	DNP	DNP	3-3-0	8-4-0				
DUKE	2-15-09	80-74	w	8-1-1	DNP	DNP	0-1-2	0-0-0				
at Miami	2-21-09	58-69	L	5-0-0	DNP	DNP	6-5-1	0-3-0				
FLORIDA STATE	2-24-09	72-67	w	DNP	DNP	DNP	8-3-1	0-0-0				
at North Carolina State	3-4-09	69-74	L	3-2-0	DNP	DNP	6-4-1	2-1-0				
GEORGIA TECH	3-7-09	67-66	w	0-2-2	DNP	DNP	12-9-1	0-1-0				
vs Virginia	3-12-09	76-63	w	2-1-1	DNP	DNP	13-9-0	2-0-0				
vs Duke	3-13-09	65-66	L	0-1-0	DNP	DNP	7-4-1	0-1-0				

**THE STAT CREW SYSTEM**  
**Boston College Team Game-by-Game Comparison (as of Mar 14, 2009)**  
**All games**

Opponent	1st	2nd	Score	Mar	Total FG	FG Pct	3-Pointers	3FG Pct	Free Throws	FT Pct	Rebounds	Assist	T/Over	Block	Steal	Fouls
CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	36/28	44/37	80-65	+15	29-60/22-51	.483/.431	6-16/5-15	.375/.333	16-25/16-23	.640/.696	35/31 +4	13/6	12/16	3/3	8/3	21/21
LOYOLA	42/31	48/26	90-57	+33	29-57/22-63	.509/.349	8-18/4-21	.444/.190	24-34/9-17	.706/.529	46/30 +16	18/9	10/10	5/6	2/3	19/27
ST. JOHN'S	43/40	39/30	82-70	+12	29-59/28-61	.492/.459	5-16/4-15	.313/.267	19-26/10-17	.731/.588	42/28 +14	18/12	15/15	7/4	8/6	17/24
Saint Louis	23/23	27/30	50-53	(3)	18-54/18-48	.333/.375	3-16/2-8	.188/.250	11-19/15-20	.579/.750	32/43 (11)	8/7	13/16	0/2	6/6	18/15
Purdue	30/34	34/37	64-71	(7)	22-57/24-56	.386/.429	4-17/6-18	.235/.333	16-21/17-24	.762/.708	40/33 +7	8/13	16/10	3/6	6/7	20/21
Alabama-Birmingham	29/37	54/40	83-77	+6	29-57/28-67	.509/.418	9-20/8-29	.450/.276	16-25/13-19	.640/.684	38/39 (1)	17/15	9/8	6/1	4/7	16/17
IOWA	27/24	30/31	57-55	+2	19-49/19-45	.388/.422	2-10/9-21	.200/.429	17-22/8-9	.773/.889	36/22 +14	12/12	13/13	1/2	6/7	12/17
Massachusetts	29/32	45/42	85-81	+4	34-71/28-69	.479/.406	5-19/12-33	.263/.364	12-23/13-19	.522/.684	44/40 +4	23/17	15/16	6/10	8/6	18/20
BRYANT	36/20	44/41	80-61	+19	29-57/22-60	.509/.367	9-19/8-27	.474/.296	13-19/9-12	.684/.750	38/32 +6	21/12	9/11	4/3	6/5	14/18
USC UPSTATE	34/29	33/26	67-55	+12	23-54/22-63	.426/.349	11-23/4-14	.478/.286	10-19/7-15	.526/.467	39/34 +5	18/10	14/9	6/5	8/9	15/17
PROVIDENCE	35/26	46/50	81-76	+5	25-58/26-71	.431/.366	7-23/3-17	.304/.176	24-35/21-29	.686/.724	37/47 (10)	17/8	17/16	8/5	6/4	24/27
MAINE	50/26	49/35	99-61	+38	40-72/23-70	.556/.329	7-21/4-14	.333/.286	12-18/11-14	.667/.786	50/31 +19	26/8	9/13	7/3	9/8	11/14
SAN FRANCISCO	42/29	42/33	84-62	+22	32-67/23-52	.478/.442	11-27/6-16	.407/.375	9-12/10-14	.750/.714	38/28 +10	22/11	13/19	5/3	5/6	17/17
SACRED HEART	45/39	44/37	89-76	+13	30-72/33-72	.417/.458	5-19/2-13	.263/.154	24-28/8-15	.857/.533	48/38 +10	17/13	13/14	3/8	6/6	15/20
North Carolina	46/40	39/38	85-78	+7	32-70/28-73	.457/.384	9-24/7-22	.375/.318	12-16/15-27	.750/.556	40/50 (10)	12/15	11/15	8/5	11/5	18/15
HARVARD	27/33	43/49	70-82	(12)	29-66/28-56	.439/.500	2-13/6-21	.154/.286	10-16/20-23	.625/.870	38/28 +10	16/15	16/11	9/3	5/9	19/17
MIAMI	33/38	38/39	71-77	(6)	20-55/22-54	.364/.407	9-27/6-15	.333/.400	22-27/27-33	.815/.818	35/35 -	13/11	14/12	4/1	6/6	23/23
WAKE FOREST	27/47	36/36	63-83	(20)	22-60/31-56	.367/.554	9-23/2-6	.391/.333	10-16/19-30	.625/.633	29/40 (11)	11/15	16/13	6/7	6/9	18/15
Virginia Tech	37/41	34/38	71-79	(8)	24-59/26-53	.407/.491	7-24/7-17	.292/.412	16-18/20-33	.889/.606	29/38 (9)	10/9	9/10	3/8	5/6	23/18
Georgia Tech	30/31	36/35	80-76	+4	30-68/28-65	.441/.431	7-19/6-24	.368/.250	13-16/14-19	.813/.737	35/41 (6)	18/13	16/20	2/10	13/9	22/17
NORTH CAROLINA STATE	42/27	37/41	79-68	+11	28-64/25-56	.438/.446	7-19/4-14	.368/.286	16-19/14-20	.842/.700	46/25 +21	15/14	13/10	2/5	4/8	16/18
Maryland	29/40	47/27	76-67	+9	26-54/29-71	.481/.408	6-12/3-17	.500/.176	18-24/6-10	.750/.600	34/41 (7)	14/13	10/9	6/7	5/5	17/19
VIRGINIA TECH	23/21	44/45	67-66	+1	24-56/22-55	.429/.400	4-19/5-16	.211/.313	15-19/17-24	.789/.708	35/32 +3	11/13	10/7	2/1	5/4	22/17
Virginia	42/22	38/48	80-70	+10	24-47/23-69	.511/.333	6-17/1-14	.353/.071	26-31/23-29	.839/.793	41/32 +9	13/8	20/7	5/5	2/13	22/26
Wake Forest	47/46	29/47	76-93	(17)	24-55/31-54	.436/.574	6-21/6-11	.286/.545	22-29/25-30	.759/.833	31/31 -	13/16	15/12	1/4	9/9	23/22
CLEMSON	39/35	38/52	77-87	(10)	27-56/30-67	.482/.448	5-14/11-25	.357/.440	18-25/16-23	.720/.696	35/38 (3)	14/15	14/10	3/8	6/10	16/20
DUKE	32/37	48/37	80-74	+6	30-51/29-68	.588/.426	8-18/3-16	.444/.188	12-17/13-16	.706/.813	28/32 (4)	18/12	19/11	8/3	4/9	19/19
Miami	32/44	26/25	58-69	(11)	21-58/25-48	.362/.521	7-21/11-20	.333/.550	9-15/8-16	.600/.500	38/28 +10	13/15	15/13	3/4	5/9	14/15
FLORIDA STATE	24/25	48/42	72-67	+5	26-65/22-57	.400/.386	8-21/8-16	.381/.500	12-16/15-16	.750/.938	36/38 (2)	11/12	12/18	6/8	7/5	15/14
North Carolina State	34/43	35/31	69-74	(5)	25-52/27-51	.481/.529	8-24/8-17	.333/.471	11-14/12-20	.786/.600	26/30 (4)	15/16	9/9	3/1	6/7	18/14
GEORGIA TECH	30/25	37/41	67-66	+1	22-53/23-59	.415/.390	3-18/5-21	.167/.238	20-23/15-23	.870/.652	39/29 +10	13/14	19/9	3/4	7/7	15/21
Virginia	37/25	39/38	76-63	+13	22-52/21-56	.423/.375	1-8/8-18	.125/.444	31-36/13-20	.861/.650	36/35 +1	11/13	14/20	3/3	7/5	19/28
Duke	29/22	36/44	65-66	(1)	23-60/22-47	.383/.468	7-20/9-20	.350/.450	12-16/13-22	.750/.591	35/33 +2	11/8	12/12	3/8	2/8	17/16

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

**GAME #1 -- November 14, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 80, Central Connecticut 65**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** totaled 24 points and seven rebounds and classmate **Joe Trapani** tallied 13 points and nine rebounds to lead the Eagles past Central Connecticut. Sophomore **Biko Paris**, starting in place of senior **Tyrese Rice**, rounded out the victor's list of double-figure scorers with 12 points. Rice was serving a one-game suspension for violation of team rules. Central Connecticut led 14-8, before BC used a 9-2 run – capped by a Trapani three-pointer – to claim its first lead at 17-16 with 11:10 left in the opening half. CCSU regrouped and outscored the Eagles 9-4 over the next five-plus minutes to take a 25-22 advantage. It was then that Sanders took control. The sophomore swingman scored 12 straight BC points, while BC limited the visitors to three free throws, to vault the Eagles to a 34-28 margin late in the half. BC led 36-28 at the intermission. BC continued its run early in the second half, outscoring CCSU 13-6 in the first three minutes. Central Connecticut never trimmed the margin below 10 points the rest of the way ... **Game Notes:** BC started five sophomores – center **Josh Southern**, forwards **Joe Trapani** and **Corey Raji**, and guards **Rakim Sanders** and **Biko Paris** ... Each of the 10 players who saw court action played 10 or more minutes.

**GAME #2 -- November 17, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 90, Loyola (Md.) 57**

Sophomore **Joe Trapani** tallied 20 points and classmate **Corey Raji** totaled 14 points and nine rebounds to lead the Eagles past Loyola (Md.) in the opening round of Dick's Sporting Goods NIT Season Tip-Off. Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 16 points and handed out six assists without a turnover in his season debut. Sophomore **Josh Southern** finished with 12 points and nine rebounds. BC led from start to finish. The home team rode a balanced attack to claim a 22-5 lead just eight minutes into the contest. Southern and Trapani each scored six points in the early run. The visiting Greyhounds answered with a 12-2 run of their own to trim the margin to seven points – 24-17 – with 8:56 left in the half. After each team then ran off five straight points, BC extended its lead to 11 points – 42-31 – at halftime. Led by six points from Raji, the Eagles opened the second half with a 14-6 run to secure a 56-37 advantage with 15:36 to play. Loyola battled back to narrow the margin to 12 points – 62-50 – before BC put the game out of reach with 18 unanswered points. This rally was highlighted three three-point field goals – two by Rice – and a spectacular dunk by freshman **Reggie Jackson** (who was leading a 3-on-2 break). **Game Notes:** BC outrebounded the Greyhounds, 46-30 ... BC shot 50.9 percent from the floor, including 54.8 percent in the second half.

**GAME #3 -- November 18, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 82, St. John's 70**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored a game-high 28 points and sophomore **Joe Trapani** tallied 19 points to lead Boston College past St. John's. The win, in the second round of Dick's Sporting Goods NIT Season Tip-Off, advances the Eagles to the tournament's semifinal round. BC will play Purdue in Madison Square Garden in New York on Wednesday, Nov. 26. Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** finished with 12 points and 10 rebounds. Rice netted 16 points in the opening half to give the host Eagles a 43-40 advantage at the intermission. BC continued its run to open the second half, getting baskets from sophomore **Corey Raji**, Trapani and Sanders in a 6-2 run. St. John's answered with seven straight points to even the score at 49-49 with 16:12 to play. The score remained tight for the next six minutes. St. John's held a three-point lead (55-52) with 10:41 to play, before the Eagles outscored the Red Storm 19-4 to claim a 12-point advantage (71-59) with 3:15 left on the clock. St. John's never closed the margin to single digits in the final minutes ... **Game Notes:** BC outrebounded St. John's, 42-28 ... Freshman **Evan Ravenel** played a career-high 24 minutes and totaled five points, four rebounds, two assists and one blocked shot ... Rice sank 10 free throws, marking the fourth time in his collegiate career that he'd made 10 or more free throws in one game.

**CENTRAL CONNECTICUT 65**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Palmer	3-6	0-1	1-2	9	2	7	1 30
Simmons	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0 13
Horton	8-15	1-4	4-6	2	1	21	0 35
Thompson	3-8	1-2	5-6	0	4	12	4 33
Seymore	3-7	2-4	3-4	6	2	11	1 20
Desmarais	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 6
Ptacek	3-8	1-4	3-5	1	3	10	0 23
Baskerville	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 8
Hall	1-2	0-0	0-0	4	4	2	0 12
Pentland	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0 4
Johnson	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	4	2	0 16
TOTALS	22-51	5-15	16-23	31	21	65	6 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 80**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-8	0-0	2-3	4	3	8	1 21
Trapani	5-9	2-3	1-2	9	3	13	6 26
Southern	1-2	0-0	0-2	3	3	2	1 14
Paris	4-10	1-3	3-4	2	1	12	4 34
Sanders	8-11	2-3	6-8	7	4	24	0 30
Jackson	1-7	0-2	1-2	3	1	3	0 19
Roche	1-5	0-4	0-0	3	0	2	1 20
Ravenel	3-4	0-0	0-0	1	3	6	0 14
Elmore	3-4	1-1	2-2	1	2	9	0 12
Dunn	0-0	0-0	1-2	2	1	1	0 10
TOTALS	29-60	6-16	16-25	35	21	80	13 200

Halftime Score - BC 36, CC 28; Team Rebounds - CC 4, BC 0; Turnovers - BC 16, CC 12; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,197; Officials - Sean Hull, William Humes, Jose A. Carrion.

**LOYOLA 57**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Reid	1-6	0-2	0-0	3	3	2	1 21
Wright	1-6	0-0	0-0	5	5	2	1 18
Lewis	2-3	0-0	2-4	3	4	6	0 12
Harvey	3-12	1-7	5-7	0	2	12	1 31
Rudolph	4-8	2-4	1-2	0	4	11	3 28
Winbush	0-4	0-2	0-2	0	1	0	0 10
Hall	0-2	0-2	0-1	2	0	0	1 14
Ficke	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1 18
Barney	8-15	1-3	1-1	4	3	18	1 23
Farrell	2-5	0-1	0-0	3	3	4	0 17
Wiegand	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	2	0 8
TOTALS	22-63	4-21	9-17	30	27	57	9 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 90**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-5	0-0	6-11	9	1	14	4 32
Trapani	6-12	2-6	6-6	4	3	20	1 26
Southern	4-7	0-0	4-4	9	1	12	1 22
Rice	4-10	3-4	5-5	3	2	16	6 26
Sanders	1-6	0-3	1-2	5	4	3	0 16
Jackson	3-4	0-0	0-1	4	1	6	2 15
Paris	2-4	2-3	0-1	3	2	6	4 23
Roche	2-3	1-1	0-0	2	1	5	0 12
Ravenel	1-2	0-0	1-3	3	2	3	0 18
Elmore	2-3	0-1	1-1	1	2	5	0 9
Mosakowski	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
TOTALS	29-57	8-18	24-34	46	19	90	18 200

Halftime Score - BC 42, LO 31; Team Rebounds - LO 5, BC 3; Turnovers - LO 10, BC 10; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,283; Officials - Curtis Shaw, Dwayne Gladden, Todd Williams.

**ST. JOHN'S 70**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Kennedy	3-9	2-4	0-0	4	3	8	0 34
Evans	6-9	0-0	2-4	6	2	14	1 35
Burrell	3-7	0-0	2-4	2	3	8	0 28
Mason Jr.	3-13	1-6	5-6	5	3	12	6 33
Boothe	5-9	0-1	0-2	3	4	10	4 26
Roberts	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	1 7
Edmondson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 4
Coker	2-3	0-0	0-0	2	3	4	0 13
Horne	6-10	1-3	1-1	1	5	14	0 18
Thomas	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 2
TOTALS	28-61	4-15	10-17	28	24	70	12 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 82**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-10	0-1	1-2	7	1	9	1 30
Trapani	7-10	2-3	3-4	4	1	19	2 29
Southern	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	2	0 8
Rice	8-12	2-5	10-13	5	1	28	9 40
Sanders	5-12	0-4	2-2	10	4	12	2 33
Jackson	2-6	0-2	0-1	4	2	4	2 20
Paris	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	3	0 9
Roche	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 5
Ravenel	1-6	0-0	3-4	4	4	5	2 24
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 2
TOTALS	29-59	5-16	19-26	42	17	82	18 200

Halftime Score - BC 43, SJ 40; Team Rebounds - SJ 4, BC 7; Turnovers - SJ 15, BC 15; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,462; Officials - Mike Kitts, Jeff Clark, Pat Driscoll.

**GAME #4 -- November 22, 2008**  
**Chaifetz Arena -- St. Louis, MO**  
**Saint Louis 53, Boston College 50**

Sophomore forward **Corey Raji** scored a game-high 22 points and freshman **Reggie Jackson** tallied a career-best 10 points in a 53-50 loss to the Billikens. The Eagles shot just 33.3 percent from the field -- 31.2 percent in the first half and 34.6 percent in the second half. BC was outrebounded 43-32. Senior **Tyrese Rice** finished with six points. BC led by four points three times in the opening half -- 4-0, 19-15 and 21-17. Saint Louis rallied each time and evened the score at 23-23 by the halftime break. The Billikens opened the second half with a 5-0 run, before BC used a 9-4 run of its own to knot the score at 32-32 with 9:45 to play. Raji scored four points in this stretch. With the score tied at 38-38 with 5:02 left, the home team scored the game's next five points to claim a 43-38 advantage with 3:09 left on the clock. BC never got closer than two points the rest of the way ... **Game Notes:** Rice scored his first points of the contest on an old-fashioned three-point play with 8:14 remaining in the second half ... The score was tied 10 times during the course of the game ... The lead changed hands three times.

**GAME #5 -- November 26, 2008**  
**Madison Square Garden - New York, NY**  
**Purdue 71, Boston College 64**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 17 points and sophomore **Joe Trapani** added 14 points to lead the Eagles in a loss to Purdue in the semifinal round of Dick's Sporting Goods NIT Season Tip-Off. The game marked BC's first appearance in Madison Square Garden since its Dec. 6, 2005 game against Michigan State in the Jimmy V Classic. The game was tied at 14-14 nine minutes into the game. Purdue gained a 21-16 lead with 8:04 left in the half, before BC ran off 10 straight points to claim a 26-21 advantage with 4:19 left before intermission. Sophomores **Corey Raji** (six points) and **Rakim Sanders** (four points) led the rally. The Boilermakers answered, evening the score at 28-28 and then adding six points for a 34-28 lead. Rice closed the half with two free throws. Purdue led 49-39 with 14:09 to play and extended its margin to 17 points -- 62-45 -- with 6:40 left in the contest. BC made a final push, outscoring Purdue, 13-2, to narrow its deficit to six points -- 64-58 -- with 1:42 to play. Freshman **Reggie Jackson** paced the Eagles with five points in this late run. BC could get no closer ... **Game Notes:** Sophomore **Josh Southern** finished with nine points and 11 rebounds ... BC gained a 40-33 rebounding edge.

**GAME #6 -- November 28, 2008**  
**Madison Square Garden - New York, NY**  
**Boston College 83, Ala-Birmingham 77**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 24 points -- all in the game's final 14:55 -- to lead the Eagles past Alabama-Birmingham in the NIT Season Tip-Off's third-place game. Three other Eagles joined Rice in double figures -- **Rakim Sanders** (16 points), **Joe Trapani** (12) and **Reggie Jackson** (11). UAB jumped out to an early 7-2 margin, before BC evened the score at 8-8. The Blazers rallied to claim a 30-20 lead with 5:49 left in the half. BC trailed by eight points -- 37-29 -- at the intermission. BC was down by six points -- 45-39 -- before Rice took control. The senior guard scored 24 of BC's next 30 points -- from 14:55 until 5:27. BC trailed by one at that point, but took the lead at 72-70 on a Jackson three-pointer with 4:40 to play. UAB sank two free throws to tie the game, before BC secured the victory with a 5-0 run (three points from **Corey Raji** and two from **Josh Southern**). UAB never got closer than three points in the final two minutes ... **Game Notes:** After shooting 36.7 percent from the floor in the first half, BC shot 66.7 percent (18-for-27) in the second half ... Southern grabbed 11 rebounds (10 defensive) for the second straight game.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 50**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	8-11	0-1	6-8	7	1	22	0 33
Trapani	2-8	0-2	2-2	4	3	6	0 26
Southern	0-0	0-0	0-2	1	4	0	0 14
Rice	2-14	1-7	1-1	0	0	6	3 38
Sanders	2-8	0-1	1-2	4	1	5	0 26
Jackson	4-7	2-3	0-2	3	5	10	1 20
Paris	0-2	0-2	0-0	3	2	0	2 18
Ravenel	0-4	0-0	1-2	5	1	1	1 14
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1 11
TOTALS	18-54	3-16	11-19	32	18	50	8 200

**SAINT LOUIS 53**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Conklin	4-8	0-0	3-4	9	1	11	0 30
Thompson	1-3	0-0	0-0	4	3	2	0 16
Mitchell	1-4	0-1	2-3	2	3	4	2 33
Lisch	4-9	2-6	5-6	3	3	15	2 30
Liddell	3-13	0-0	3-5	9	2	9	2 38
Eckerle	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 8
Cotto	1-2	0-1	0-0	2	0	2	1 10
Eberhardt	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	2	2	0 15
Reed	3-7	0-0	2-2	8	1	8	0 20
TOTALS	18-48	2-8	15-20	43	15	53	7 200

Halftime Score - BC 23, SLU 23; Team Rebounds - BC 5, SLU 3; Turnovers - BC 13, SLU 16; Technicals - None; Attendance - 9,127; Officials - Les Jones, Jerry Heater, Tony Dawkins.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 64**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-8	0-1	3-4	7	5	9	2 32
Trapani	6-13	0-3	2-4	7	4	14	0 35
Southern	4-7	0-0	1-1	11	4	9	2 28
Rice	4-12	2-5	7-8	4	3	17	3 38
Sanders	2-8	0-3	2-2	5	1	6	1 26
Jackson	3-8	2-5	0-0	3	0	8	0 24
Paris	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0 6
Ravenel	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	3	1	0 11
TOTALS	22-57	4-17	16-21	40	20	64	8 200

**PURDUE 71**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Hummel	4-10	2-7	0-0	6	2	10	2 33
Johnson	4-10	0-0	4-6	7	2	12	0 27
Kramer	2-4	0-0	5-6	4	4	9	1 34
Grant	3-8	2-5	3-3	4	2	11	2 34
Moore	7-14	2-5	3-5	4	4	19	7 38
Green	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	0 14
Jackson	0-2	0-0	1-2	0	3	1	1 9
Calasan	2-5	0-1	1-2	3	3	5	0 11
TOTALS	24-56	6-18	17-24	33	21	71	13 200

Halftime Score - PU 34, BC 30; Team Rebounds - BC 2, PU 2; Turnovers - BC 16, PU 10; Technicals - None; Attendance - TBA; Officials - Pat Driscoll, Les Jones, Brian Kersey.

**ALABAMA-BIRMINGHAM 77**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Vaden	8-26	3-15	3-6	8	1	22	1 38
Toney	4-8	1-2	0-0	6	5	9	0 28
Johnson	1-3	1-1	0-0	2	4	3	5 31
Roderick	1-8	0-4	0-0	8	1	2	3 34
Kinnard	10-16	2-6	7-9	8	3	29	4 33
Berrios	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	2 12
Moore	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	0 8
Crawford	3-5	1-1	3-4	2	1	10	0 16
TOTALS	28-67	8-29	13-19	39	17	77	15 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 83**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-6	0-0	3-6	4	3	9	3 24
Trapani	4-9	2-4	2-4	7	2	12	4 33
Southern	2-4	0-0	2-4	11	3	6	0 34
Rice	7-9	5-5	5-6	6	3	24	4 27
Sanders	7-12	1-5	1-2	1	4	16	1 24
Jackson	5-10	1-2	0-0	2	1	11	2 20
Paris	1-4	0-2	3-3	1	0	5	1 13
Ravenel	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 6
Elmore	0-3	0-2	0-0	2	0	0	2 19
TOTALS	29-57	9-20	16-25	38	16	83	17 200

Halftime Score - UAB 37, BC 29; Team Rebounds - UAB 3, BC 4; Turnovers - UAB 8, BC 9; Technicals - None; Attendance - TBA; Officials - Reggie Greenwood, Jim Haney, Mike Roberts.

**GAME #7 -- December 2, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 57, Iowa 55**

Iowa's Andrew Brommer missed the front end of a one-and-one free throw opportunity with 0.4 seconds remaining to allow the Eagles to hang on to a two-point victory in an ACC-Big Ten Challenge contest. Senior **Tyrese Rice** led the Eagles, netting a game-high 15 points in 24 minutes of action. Rice sank four straight free throws – with 5:08 and 4:45 remaining in regulation – to give BC a 56-45 advantage. The visiting Hawkeyes answered with a 10-0 run – on four free throws and two three-pointers – to trim the margin to one point with 2:09 to play. After both teams went scoreless on their next two trips down court, Iowa was forced to foul Rice with 12.5 seconds left. Rice sank the second of two free throws to account for the game's final point. Iowa was given a last chance to even the score when BC sophomore Corey Raji was whistled for a foul with 0.4 seconds on the clock. Brommer's miss ended the contest. BC led 27-24 at halftime. Sophomore **Josh Southern** paced the home team with six points in the first half. Classmate **Rakim Sanders** totaled four points and seven rebounds in the first 20 minutes ... **Game Notes:** Rice's 24 minutes was his lowest minute total in a game since his freshman season ... Both teams sank 19 field goals. Iowa's field-goal total included nine treys, while BC's included two treys. The Eagles made up the difference by outscoring the Hawkeyes 17-8 from the foul line ... Both teams committed 13 turnovers.

**IOWA 55**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Fuller	0-5	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	15
Tate	1-3	0-0	2-2	7	4	4	23
Tucker	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	8
Gatens	4-7	2-3	2-2	4	3	12	35
Peterson	2-5	0-0	2-2	1	1	6	32
Bawinkel	4-7	4-7	0-0	0	1	12	16
Brommer	0-0	0-0	0-1	1	1	0	13
Davis	4-6	2-4	0-0	3	3	10	24
Kelly	4-10	1-5	2-2	3	2	11	29
Cole	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	5
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19-45</b>	<b>9-21</b>	<b>8-9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>12</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 57**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-8	0-0	1-1	6	2	7	33
Trapani	2-7	1-2	3-4	7	1	8	25
Southern	3-5	0-0	0-1	8	0	6	31
Rice	3-5	0-1	9-12	0	4	15	24
Sanders	3-11	0-2	0-0	7	1	6	25
Jackson	1-4	0-2	4-4	2	3	6	18
Paris	2-3	1-2	0-0	1	0	5	16
Ravenel	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	7
Elmore	2-4	0-1	0-0	2	1	4	21
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19-49</b>	<b>2-10</b>	<b>17-22</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>12</b>

Halftime Score - BC 27, IO 24; Team Rebounds - IO 0, BC 3; Turnovers - IO 13, BC 13; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,084; Officials - Les Jones, Gary Maxwell, Mike Kitts.

**GAME #8 -- December 6, 2008**  
**Mullins Center -- Amherst, MA**  
**Boston College 85, Massachusetts 81 (ot)**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 21 points, including six in overtime, to lead the Eagles past Massachusetts. Rice led a balanced BC attack that also saw each of three sophomores – **Corey Raji**, **Rakim Sanders** and **Joe Trapani** – net 16 points. Trapani also grabbed 12 rebounds to record his first double-double of the season. The Eagles trailed by one point – 80-79 – midway through the overtime session, before sophomore **Josh Southern**'s lay-in with 56 seconds remaining gave BC the lead for good. Trapani sank two free throws with 25 seconds to play to increase the margin to three points. After UMass guard Ricky Harris sank one free throw with four seconds left, Rice made two free throws to finish the night's scoring. BC held the lead for much of the second half. A 9-0 run, highlighted by a Sanders three-pointer, turned a five-point deficit into a 49-45 BC advantage. The Eagles extended the lead to six points – 60-54 – on a **Reggie Jackson** dunk with 7:26 left in regulation. The host Minutemen rallied to even the score at 62-62. BC then used a 10-5 rally to claim a 72-67 advantage with just 46 seconds remaining in the second half. Yet the Eagles sank just 2-of-5 free-throw attempts in the final 20 seconds, allowing Massachusetts the chance to even the score. A three-pointer with eight seconds left and a tying tip-in (of a missed UMass free throw) in the closing seconds forced overtime.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 85**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	8-12	0-2	0-1	3	2	16	38
Trapani	6-14	0-1	4-8	12	0	16	38
Southern	2-5	0-0	0-1	5	5	4	25
Rice	7-13	1-5	6-6	5	4	21	40
Sanders	6-12	3-5	1-4	6	2	16	38
Jackson	3-9	1-5	1-3	6	3	8	21
Paris	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	8
Ravenel	2-4	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	15
Elmore	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	2
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>34-71</b>	<b>5-19</b>	<b>12-23</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>23</b>

**MASSACHUSETTS 81**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Gaffney	6-10	0-2	3-6	18	3	15	43
Lynch	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	0	13
Harris	12-19	6-11	5-6	4	3	35	39
Gurley	6-15	2-8	3-4	3	3	17	37
Lowe	2-12	2-3	2-3	4	5	8	39
Gibbs	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	0	3	15
Correai	0-4	0-2	0-0	1	0	0	7
Glass	1-5	1-5	0-0	4	3	3	32
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>28-69</b>	<b>12-33</b>	<b>13-19</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>17</b>

Halftime Score - UM 32, BC 29; Regulation - 74-74; Team Rebounds - BC 4, UM 4; Turnovers - BC 15, UM 16; Technicals - None; Attendance - 6,792; Officials - Bryan Kersey, Jerry Heater, Raymond Styons.

**GAME #9 -- December 10, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 80, Bryant 61**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** netted 19 points to lead five BC players in double figures in a win over Bryant. Joining Sanders in double digits were **Corey Raji** (15 points), **Joe Trapani** (11), **Tyrese Rice** (10) and **Reggie Jackson** (10). Trapani also grabbed 10 rebounds to record his second consecutive point-rebound double-double. The Bulldogs held a 12-10 lead four minutes into the game, before the host Eagles used a 13-0 run to secure a 23-12 advantage midway through the half. Two Sanders treys sparked the rally. Bryant never closed the margin to fewer than 10 points the rest of the way. BC led 36-20 at the intermission and then scored the first 17 points of the second half to gain a commanding 53-20 lead. Rice scored six points in this stretch. The Eagles led 55-22 before the Bulldogs outscored BC 32-10 over the next eight minutes to trim their deficit to 11 points – 65-54 – with 6:32 to play. Another Sanders three pointer, three free throws by Rice and a high-flying dunk by Sanders were highlights of the game's closing minutes ... **Game Notes:** The game marked the first time five BC players had scored in double figures in the same game since the team's win over Maryland in the 2008 ACC Tournament (March 13) ... BC was credited with 21 assists on 29 baskets. Rice led the way with seven assists ... BC outrebounded Bryant, 38-32.

**BRYANT 61**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Wright	5-7	0-0	0-0	5	0	10	4
Lyell	3-6	1-3	2-2	3	2	9	24
Gresham	7-15	5-13	0-0	7	2	19	37
Birrell	1-6	0-3	0-0	3	2	2	18
Latham	1-5	0-1	1-2	0	0	3	14
Lambert	1-2	1-2	0-0	4	2	3	11
Pontes	3-10	0-0	0-0	1	0	6	13
McLean	0-1	0-0	1-2	2	4	1	8
Parzych	1-6	1-4	3-4	3	2	6	25
Leclerc	0-2	0-1	2-2	1	4	2	23
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22-60</b>	<b>8-27</b>	<b>9-12</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>12</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 80**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	6-9	1-1	2-2	4	1	15	25
Trapani	5-13	0-4	1-2	10	2	11	31
Southern	2-5	0-0	1-2	5	5	5	20
Rice	2-5	1-3	5-6	5	2	10	28
Sanders	7-11	5-7	0-0	3	1	19	25
Jackson	3-4	2-2	2-2	2	0	10	20
Paris	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	12
Mosakowski	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1
Roche	0-2	0-1	0-0	2	0	0	6
Ravenel	1-2	0-0	1-2	1	2	3	14
Elmore	2-4	0-1	1-3	2	1	5	15
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>29-57</b>	<b>9-19</b>	<b>13-19</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>21</b>

Halftime Score - BC 36, BR 20; Team Rebounds - BR 3, BC 3; Turnovers - BR 11, BC 9; Technicals - BR - McLean; BC - Rice; Attendance - 3,267; Officials - Bernard Clinton, Tony Dawkins, Brent Hampton.

**GAME #10 -- December 14, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 67, USC Upstate 55**

Junior **Tyler Roche** came off the bench to register five three-pointers and a career-high 17 points to lead the Eagles past USC Upstate. Joining Roche in double digits were sophomores **Joe Trapani** (16 points), **Corey Raji** (13 points) and **Josh Southern** (10). Raji also grabbed 12 rebounds to record his first career point-rebound double-double. The Spartans led by as many as six points twice in the game's first 12 minutes, before Roche caught fire. The junior forward entered the contest with 9:18 left in the first half and quickly took control. Roche cut the BC deficit in half with his first three-pointer with 7:41 left in the half. After Raji brought the Eagles to within one point - 24-23 - with a lay-in and the visitors answered with a three-pointer, Roche proceeded to sink three consecutive treys - with 5:24, 3:52 and 3:33 on the clock - to turn a four-point deficit into a five-point advantage (32-27). BC led 34-29 at the break. BC extended its lead to 11 points - 48-37 - with 14:26 to play. Trapani scored eight straight points in the BC rally. USC Upstate closed the margin to seven points - 55-48 - on two free throws with 5:53 left in the contest, but again it was Roche who answered for the Eagles. The junior sank his career-best fifth trey with 5:27 left ... **Game Notes:** Senior **Tyrese Rice** did not score. He attempted four field goals (and no free throws) in 25 minutes. Rice registered a game-high seven assists.

**USC UPSTATE 55**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Uzochukwu	2-7	0-0	0-3	5	2	4	1 27
Davis	9-16	0-1	1-4	13	5	19	1 35
Schneiders	2-9	0-0	1-2	5	4	5	0 30
Chavis	2-8	2-5	2-2	1	1	8	1 23
Cook	1-6	0-2	0-0	3	1	2	2 23
Boros	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1 2
Gordon	3-11	2-6	2-2	2	1	10	3 21
Posey	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	1 17
Rogers	2-4	0-0	1-2	1	2	5	0 22
TOTALS	22-63	4-14	7-15	34	17	55	10 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 67**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	6-10	0-1	1-3	12	4	13	4 31
Trapani	6-9	3-4	1-1	6	0	16	0 27
Southern	2-7	0-0	6-13	7	1	10	1 27
Rice	0-4	0-2	0-0	3	3	0	7 25
Sanders	2-8	1-4	0-0	1	4	5	0 25
Jackson	1-5	1-4	0-0	0	0	3	0 11
Paris	1-3	1-1	0-0	0	0	3	4 15
Roche	5-7	5-7	2-2	3	0	17	0 17
Elmore	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1 9
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1 13
TOTALS	23-54	11-23	10-19	39	15	67	18 200

Halftime Score - BC 34, USC 29; Team Rebounds - USC 2, BC 5; Turnovers - USC 9, BC 14; Technicals - None; Attendance - 3,881; Officials - Jerry Heater, Tim Kelly, William Humes.

**GAME #11 -- December 20, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 81, Providence 76**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored a game-high 20 points and sophomore **Josh Southern** sank five free throws in the final 30 seconds to help the Eagles secure a win over Providence. The Eagles led from start to finish. BC led by as many as 14 points - 66-52 with 4:16 to play - before Providence made a late charge. Choosing to foul and seeing BC hit just 4-of-10 free-throw attempts, PC narrowed the margin to 76-74 with 31.1 seconds to play. After Southern sank 1-of-2 free-throw attempts to give BC a three-point edge with 30.2 seconds left, Providence drove the length of the court with a chance to even the score, but missed a lay-in and a putback attempt. At that point, Southern took control. The sophomore from Saginaw, Mich., grabbed the defensive rebound and proceeded to sink two free throws at the other end to extend the BC margin to 79-74. Providence's next trip downcourt was thwarted by Southern's block of a Sharaud Curry shot. Southern hauled down the subsequent rebound. Again, he was fouled and again he coolly hit two free throws (with 5.6 seconds left). PC's Jeff Xavier scored at the final buzzer to account for the final score. BC led by as many as 11 points in the first half and settled for a 35-26 halftime advantage ... **Game Notes:** Rice led the way with the 36th 20-point game of his collegiate career ... BC shot 43.1 percent from the field, including 56.5 percent (13-for-23) in the second half.

**PROVIDENCE 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
McDermott	2-11	0-1	4-6	11	4	8	3 34
Efejuku	5-9	0-2	3-3	4	2	13	0 33
Kale	3-8	0-0	2-4	8	4	8	1 22
Xavier	6-15	2-8	2-4	3	4	16	2 30
Curry	1-6	0-2	2-2	2	0	4	2 28
Brooks	4-10	0-1	5-6	4	4	13	0 16
Baudinet	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 1
McKenzie	2-8	1-3	0-0	4	4	5	0 19
Hanke	3-4	0-0	3-4	3	2	9	0 17
TOTALS	26-71	3-17	21-29	47	27	76	8 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 81**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-12	0-1	2-3	7	5	10	2 30
Trapani	6-10	3-5	3-3	3	3	18	2 29
Southern	1-2	0-0	7-8	4	3	9	1 17
Rice	6-15	2-7	6-7	4	2	20	7 38
Sanders	3-7	1-5	0-1	5	5	7	2 21
Jackson	1-3	0-1	0-2	2	0	2	2 14
Paris	0-2	0-1	4-6	1	0	4	0 7
Roche	2-4	1-3	1-2	1	3	6	1 23
Ravenel	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 3
Dunn	2-3	0-0	1-3	4	0	5	0 18
TOTALS	25-58	7-23	24-35	37	24	81	16 200

Halftime Score - BC 35, PC 26; Team Rebounds - PC 8, BC 6; Turnovers - PC 16, BC 17; Technicals - PC; Bench; Attendance - 6,880; Officials - Karl Hess, Bryan Kersey, Bob Donato.

**GAME #12 -- December 23, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 99, Maine 61**

Sophomore **Corey Raji** tallied 26 points and 13 rebounds - both career highs - and senior **Tyrese Rice** totaled 21 points and nine assists to lead the Eagles past Maine. Raji shot a perfect 12-for-12 from the field, the best single-game shooting effort by a BC player since Martin Clark shot 13-for-13 against Bentley on Dec. 11, 1982. Raji grabbed nine of his 13 rebounds at the offensive end. He converted five of those nine rebounds for field goals. Rice assisted on seven of the Eagles' first 11 baskets (in the game's first 7:30). Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** recorded seven assists and a game-high four steals. BC shot 55.6 percent from the floor - 53.8 percent in the first half and 57.6 percent in the second half. The Eagles made 40 field goals, the highest single-game total since making 42 against St. Bonaventure in HSBC Arena in Buffalo, N.Y., on Nov. 28, 2001. BC totaled 50 rebounds, the highest single-game total since matching that number at NC State on Jan. 6, 2007. For the second straight game, BC never trailed. Trapani's field goal with 17:08 left in the first half gave BC a 6-4 lead that the team never relinquished. BC led 13-9 five minutes into the contest before running off 11 straight points to claim a 24-9 cushion. Later in the half, the Eagles used a 12-0 run to extend their margin to 21 points - 38-17 - with 5:30 left in the half. BC closed the half with a 50-26 lead ... **Game Notes:** BC committed just nine turnovers.

**MAINE 61**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Barnies	4-15	0-1	2-2	8	0	10	0 28
McNally	2-14	0-0	0-0	7	2	4	5 31
Rogers	1-1	0-0	0-0	3	1	2	0 16
Socoby	0-4	0-4	0-0	1	1	0	3 31
McLemore	7-14	3-7	1-1	0	3	18	0 28
Martin	2-5	1-2	0-0	1	0	5	0 9
Mitchell	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Bernal	2-6	0-0	1-3	1	2	5	0 23
Owes	3-6	0-0	6-6	3	0	12	0 18
Chetinov	2-5	0-0	1-2	4	5	5	0 15
TOTALS	23-70	4-14	11-14	31	14	61	8 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 99**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	12-12	0-0	2-4	13	0	26	4 27
Trapani	5-12	1-4	4-4	4	1	15	0 25
Southern	2-5	0-0	1-2	8	2	5	0 19
Rice	8-13	3-5	2-2	5	1	21	9 24
Sanders	5-12	0-3	2-2	2	1	12	7 25
Jackson	2-2	1-1	0-0	2	1	5	4 17
Paris	2-6	1-3	0-0	4	1	5	2 16
Mosakowski	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 2
Roche	1-4	1-4	0-0	0	2	3	0 11
Ravenel	1-2	0-0	1-2	1	0	3	0 8
Elmore	2-3	0-1	0-2	3	2	4	0 9
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	0 17
TOTALS			200				

Halftime Score - BC 50, ME 26; Team Rebounds - ME 3, BC 5; Turnovers - ME 13, BC 9; Technicals - None; Attendance - 2,692; Officials - Jamie Luckie, Brian Dorsey, Pat Driscoll.

**GAME #13 -- December 29, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 84, San Francisco 62**

Sophomore **Joe Trapani** registered 22 points and 11 rebounds – both game highs – and senior **Tyrese Rice** totaled 21 points and nine assists to lead the Eagles past the Dons in a Jesuit Basketball Spotlight contest. After San Francisco scored the game’s first basket 21 seconds into the contest to take a 2-0 lead, Rice answered with a three-pointer 20 seconds later to give BC an advantage that it never relinquished. These 20 seconds were the only time in the Eagles’ last three games that BC has trailed. BC extended its margin to 10 points – 20-10 – with 13:30 left in the opening half. Rice led the way with eight points in this early stretch. The Eagles then used a 9-2 run to claim a 29-12 advantage with 7:09 left before intermission. BC settled for a 42-29 halftime lead. The Dons opened the second half with a 10-2 run to close the margin to five points – 44-39 – just 3:24 into the half. BC rebuilt its lead to 12 points – 52-40 – on a **Rakim Sanders** field goal and consecutive three-pointers by Rice. USF answered with an 8-2 run to make the score 54-48 with 12:06 remaining. BC again responded to the challenge, using a 7-1 run – with Trapani netting all seven points – to regain a double-digit cushion. Another 9-2 BC rally – capped by a Jackson dunk – gave the home team a 70-53 advantage with 6:45 left. BC took its biggest lead – 24 points – on a Raji field goal with 1:12 to play ... **Game Notes:** Rice committed just one turnover in 34 minutes of action.

**SAN FRANCISCO 62**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Caloiaoro	5-7	0-2	1-2	4	4	11	3 29
Lowhorn	8-16	1-2	1-1	5	2	18	0 30
O'Brien	1-3	1-2	5-6	0	1	8	3 30
Quezada	6-9	3-4	2-2	2	4	17	1 30
Bryant	1-5	1-1	0-1	4	1	3	3 29
Taylor	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	0 13
Vaughn	1-8	0-3	1-2	6	3	3	1 23
Hernandez	0-2	0-2	0-0	2	1	0	2 15
Morgan	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23-52</b>	<b>6-16</b>	<b>10-14</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>11 200</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 84**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	8-12	0-0	0-0	5	1	16	2 36
Trapani	7-16	4-8	4-4	11	2	22	3 38
Southern	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	2	4	0 25
Rice	7-14	4-9	3-5	5	4	21	9 34
Sanders	2-4	1-3	0-1	1	4	5	1 11
Jackson	5-12	1-3	2-2	8	2	13	4 29
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3 6
Roche	1-5	1-4	0-0	0	0	3	0 14
Ravenel	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Elmore	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0 1
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0 5
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>32-67</b>	<b>11-27</b>	<b>9-12</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>22 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 42, USF 29; Team Rebounds - USF 3, BC 3; Turnovers - USF 19, BC 13; Technicals - USF: Bench; Attendance - 5,231; Officials - Les Jones, Mike Kitts, Gary Maxwell.

**GAME #14 -- December 31, 2008**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 89, Sacred Heart 76**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** scored a game-high 20 points and senior **Tyrese Rice** recorded 18 points to lead the Eagles past Sacred Heart. Rice shot 10-for-12 from the foul line. While BC had a balanced attack with five players scoring in double figures, the game still could not be categorized as an easy victory. Unlike the past three contests, the home team did not lead from start to finish. Sacred Heart scored the game’s first basket and extended its margin to six points – 19-13 – just more than eight minutes into the game. The Eagles didn’t claim the lead for keeps until a Jackson field goal with 7:44 to play in the opening half gave BC a 24-23 edge. BC led 45-39 at the intermission. The visiting Pioneers scored the first four points of the second half to close the margin to two points, but BC answered with a 6-1 run to gain a 51-44 lead four minutes into the session. BC slowly extended its lead and finally gained a double-digit cushion – 65-54 – on a **Tyler Roche** three-pointer with 10:22 remaining. Sacred Heart never got closer than seven points the rest of the way ... **Game Notes:** Rice finished with eight assists, seven rebounds and three steals in 34 minutes. His eight assists bring his career total to 501, tying him with **Louis Hinnant** '06 for fourth-place on the school’s career list ... BC sank an impressive 24-of-28 (.857) free-throw attempts.

**SACRED HEART 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Howard	3-5	0-1	1-2	6	3	7	1 23
Henley	8-14	0-0	2-6	7	3	18	1 35
Sahan	3-6	0-0	1-2	7	3	7	0 16
Hardy	6-10	0-1	2-2	3	4	14	3 31
Gibson	2-9	0-4	2-2	3	3	6	2 34
Litke	1-6	0-4	0-0	2	2	2	3 19
Hassan	5-13	2-3	0-0	1	1	12	2 23
Dulair	5-9	0-0	0-1	7	1	10	1 19
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>33-72</b>	<b>2-13</b>	<b>8-15</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>13 200</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 89**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	2-9	0-0	1-2	9	1	5	1 28
Trapani	2-8	0-3	4-4	5	2	8	1 28
Southern	5-10	0-0	3-3	9	2	13	0 23
Rice	4-11	0-3	10-12	7	3	18	8 34
Sanders	7-14	2-6	4-5	3	3	20	2 30
Jackson	5-6	0-0	2-2	2	2	12	2 20
Paris	1-5	1-3	0-0	1	0	3	2 6
Roche	4-8	2-4	0-0	4	1	10	1 25
Dunn	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0 6
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>30-72</b>	<b>5-19</b>	<b>24-28</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>17 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 45, SH 39; Team Rebounds - SH 2, BC 7; Turnovers - SH 14, BC 13; Technicals - None; Attendance - 2,137; Officials - Mike Eades, Raymond Styons, Mike Nance.

**GAME #15 -- January 4, 2009**  
**Smith Center -- Chapel Hill, NC**  
**Boston College 85, North Carolina 78**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 25 points, sophomore **Rakim Sanders** totaled 22 points and freshman **Reggie Jackson** posted a career-high 17 points to lead the Eagles past top-ranked North Carolina. The victory marked the program’s first win over the nation’s number-one ranked team since BC downed UNC in the second round of the 1994 NCAA Tournament. The Eagles secured the victory with a balanced attack. BC shot 45.7 percent from the floor, while limiting the Tarheels to 38.4 percent shooting (29.3 percent in the second half). BC committed just 11 turnovers, while forcing 15 UNC miscues. The Eagles jumped out to an early 12-5 lead only to see the home team answer with a 13-0 run. UNC extended its lead to eight points twice in the opening half, before BC rallied to even the score at 33-33 with 4:41 left in the half. BC closed the half with a 13-7 run. Sanders finished the session with 18 points, including five in this late rally. UNC trimmed the margin to two points four times in the second half, before BC used a 12-2 run to claim a 70-58 lead with 10:11 left. BC took its largest lead -- 15 points (78-63) -- with 6:23 to play. UNC never got closer than four points in the final minutes ... **Game Notes:** Sanders recorded a career-high seven steals ... Rice registered a game-high eight assists ... BC had a 17-5 edge in points off turnovers.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 85**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-8	0-0	0-0	8	3	6	0 25
Trapani	3-9	1-4	1-2	7	2	8	2 24
Southern	1-7	0-0	2-2	5	5	4	1 25
Rice	7-13	2-6	9-10	5	0	25	8 36
Sanders	9-15	4-7	0-2	6	3	22	0 37
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	3	0	0 15
Roche	0-3	0-2	0-0	1	1	0	1 8
Paris	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	1	3	0 4
Jackson	8-14	1-4	0-0	3	0	17	0 26
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>32-70</b>	<b>9-24</b>	<b>12-16</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>12 200</b>

**NORTH CAROLINA 78**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Green	3-10	2-6	1-2	7	4	9	3 19
Thompson	2-6	0-0	1-6	5	0	5	1 20
Hansbrough	6-15	0-0	9-12	9	2	21	1 36
Ellington	7-16	2-7	0-0	5	2	16	2 31
Lawson	3-13	1-3	3-4	3	2	10	4 31
Davis	3-4	0-0	0-1	5	1	6	1 16
Ginyard	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	2	0	1 14
Frasor	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	0	3	1 10
Drew II	0-1	0-1	1-2	1	1	1	1 9
Graves	3-6	1-3	0-0	7	1	7	0 14
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>28-73</b>	<b>7-22</b>	<b>15-27</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>15 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 46, UNC 40; Team Rebounds - BC 2, UNC 5; Turnovers - BC 11, UM 15; Technicals - None; Attendance - 21,750; Officials - Gary Maxwell, Mike Eades, Bob Donato.

**GAME #16 -- January 7, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Harvard 82, Boston College 70**

Sophomore forward **Corey Raji** registered 16 points and eight rebounds and classmate **Joe Trapani** totaled 12 points and nine rebounds to lead the 17th-ranked Eagles in an 82-70 loss to Harvard. Senior **Tyrese Rice** added 14 points. BC scored the game's first five points and extended its lead to six points - 17-11 - just more than midway through the opening half. Harvard answered with a 10-0 to claim a 21-17 margin with 7:08 to play before intermission. BC never regained the lead. BC trailed 33-27 at halftime. The Crimson began the second half with a 10-4 run to gain a 12-point cushion. The Eagles cut the deficit in half - 47-41 - with 12:45 to play, but Harvard didn't relent. The Crimson gained their biggest lead - 16 points (66-50) - with 5:07 remaining. BC never got closer than seven points the rest of the way ... **Game Notes:** Harvard shot 50.0 percent from the floor, including 60.9 percent in the second half. BC shot 43.9 percent from the field ... BC committed 16 turnovers to Harvard's 11 ... BC gained a 38-28 rebounding edge ... The Eagles recorded a season-best nine blocked shots.

**GAME #17 -- January 10, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Miami 77, Boston College 71**

Senior guard **Tyrese Rice** totaled 21 points and eight rebounds - both game highs - to lead the Eagles in a loss to Miami. Sophomore swingman **Rakim Sanders** finished with 18 points, while freshman guard **Reggie Jackson** came off the bench to contribute 14 points. Boston College trailed 38-33 at halftime and twice narrowed the deficit to one point in the second half, but Miami withstood each rally. The Hurricanes led by seven points - 55-48 - with 11:50 to play, before the Eagles used an 8-2 run to close the margin to one point - 57-56 - with 5:23 to play. Miami countered with an 8-3 run - which included two three-pointers - to claim a 65-59 cushion with 4:07 to play. The home team battled back and again narrowed the difference to one point - 70-69 - with 33.9 seconds remaining. Rice netted seven points and Jackson three points in the 10-5 BC rally. Jackson capped the run by stripping Miami's Jack McClinton of the ball, being fouled and sinking the ensuing two free throws. Miami secured the win by sinking 7-of-8 free-throw attempts in the final 33.2 seconds. BC led by as many as six points (22-16) in the opening half, before Miami gained the lead (25-22) after scoring nine consecutive points. The Eagles did even the score at 26-26, before Miami took the lead for good (28-26) on two Dwayne Collins free throws with 4:41 remaining in the opening half.

**GAME #18 -- January 14, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Wake Forest 83, Boston College 63**

Senior guard **Tyrese Rice** scored 20 points and sophomore forward **Joe Trapani** totaled 20 points and 11 rebounds to lead the Eagles in a loss to the second-ranked Demon Deacons. Wake Forest shot 65.5 percent from the field in the first half and 55.4 percent for the game. BC shot 36.7 percent from the floor. The visitors jumped out to a 10-2 lead three minutes into the contest and gained a double-digit advantage -- 18-8 -- seven minutes into the game. BC trailed 47-27 at the break. Wake Forest extended its advantage to 25 points -- 52-27 - two minutes into the second half. The Demon Deacons led by 21 points -- 56-35 -- with 15:33 to play, before BC rallied to get back into the game. The Eagles outscored Wake Forest, 20-8, to trim the margin to just nine points -- 64-55 -- with 8:07 to play. Rice scored eight points in this rally, while **Biko Paris** added six points and Trapani netted five points. Wake thwarted the BC comeback with a 6-1 run. BC never again got the margin to single digits ... **Game Notes:** BC was outrebounded, 40-29 ... BC sank nine three-pointers (on 23 attempts), while Wake Forest made two treys (on six attempts) ... Freshman **Reggie Jackson** provided a lift off the bench, finishing with four points, five rebounds, two assists, two blocked shots and three steals in 25 minutes of action.

**HARVARD 82**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Boehm	2-9	1-6	0-0	3	2	5	1 37
Miller	4-7	0-0	0-0	9	2	8	1 28
Lin	11-16	2-5	3-4	3	5	27	8 34
Housman	1-6	0-2	3-4	1	0	5	0 14
Pusar	5-8	1-3	2-2	4	2	13	3 33
McGeary	1-3	1-3	2-2	1	3	5	1 13
McNally	3-5	1-2	10-11	2	3	17	1 30
Wright	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	2	0 11
TOTALS	28-56	6-21	20-23	28	17	82	15 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 90**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	6-11	0-1	4-4	8	3	16	2 34
Trapani	6-16	0-2	0-3	9	2	12	4 35
Southern	3-5	0-0	0-0	5	1	6	1 27
Rice	4-10	1-3	5-5	3	5	14	3 33
Sanders	3-6	0-2	1-2	4	1	7	2 19
Jackson	4-11	1-3	0-0	6	4	9	3 25
Paris	1-4	0-1	0-0	1	2	1	2 9
Roche	2-3	0-1	0-2	3	0	4	0 13
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 5
TOTALS	29-66	2-13	10-16	38	19	70	16 200

Halftime Score - HU 33, BC 27; Team Rebounds - HU 2, BC 0; Turnovers - HU 11, BC 16; Technicals - None; Attendance - 3,174; Officials - Bernard Clinton, Ray Natili, Michael Stephens.

**MIAMI 77**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
McGowan	0-5	0-1	2-2	4	3	2	0 12
Collins	1-6	0-0	11-14	7	2	13	0 25
Asbury	4-6	0-0	5-7	5	0	13	1 30
Hurdle	2-4	1-1	3-4	1	5	8	2 26
McClinton	4-12	2-5	2-2	3	5	12	3 31
Graham	3-3	0-0	0-0	8	2	6	0 19
Dews	4-11	0-4	4-4	0	1	12	3 23
Thomas	4-6	3-4	0-0	3	3	11	1 24
Jones	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	1 10
TOTALS	22-54	6-15	27-33	35	23	77	11 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 71**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	2-3	0-0	0-0	4	4	4	1 9
Trapani	2-7	1-4	3-4	4	1	8	1 24
Southern	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	2 26
Rice	6-18	3-12	6-8	8	3	21	4 35
Sanders	6-11	4-8	2-3	5	3	18	1 33
Jackson	2-5	1-2	9-10	5	1	14	1 31
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2 4
Roche	1-5	0-1	0-0	2	4	2	1 16
Ravenel	0-1	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	0 5
Elmore	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	0 7
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 10
TOTALS	20-55	9-27	22-27	35	23	71	13 200

Halftime Score - UM 38, BC 33; Team Rebounds - UM 4, BC 2; Turnovers - UM 12, BC 14; Technicals - None; Attendance - 7,623; Officials - Bryan Kersey, Brian Dorsey, Dwayne Gladden.

**WAKE FOREST 83**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Aminu	6-11	0-0	3-7	8	1	15	4 33
Johnson	5-10	0-1	1-2	8	2	11	2 34
McFarland	4-7	0-0	3-6	8	2	11	0 23
Teague	10-17	2-3	7-8	3	2	29	2 34
Williams	3-6	0-1	3-4	3	2	9	2 30
Clark	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	0 3
Hale	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	3	0	0 7
Smith	1-2	0-0	2-3	5	1	4	4 21
Weaver	1-1	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	1 11
Woods	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 4
TOTALS	31-56	2-6	19-30	40	15	83	15 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 63**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	2-7	0-0	0-0	4	0	4	0 18
Trapani	7-18	3-8	3-3	11	2	20	2 37
Southern	2-3	0-0	0-0	2	4	4	1 23
Rice	7-13	4-7	2-2	0	3	20	4 36
Sanders	1-8	1-5	1-2	5	4	4	1 28
Jackson	1-6	0-2	2-4	5	2	4	2 25
Paris	2-4	1-1	2-5	0	2	7	1 13
Roche	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 3
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 17
TOTALS	22-60	9-23	10-16	29	18	63	11 200

Halftime Score - WF 47, BC 27; Team Rebounds - WF 2, BC 2; Turnovers - WF 12, BC 16; Technicals - None; Attendance - 8,606; Officials - Les Jones, Mike Wood, Sean Hull.

**GAME #19 -- January 17, 2009**  
**Cassell Coliseum -- Blacksburg, VA**  
**Virginia Tech 79, Boston College 71**

Sophomore forward **Joe Trapani** scored a career-high 23 points and senior guard **Tyrese Rice** totaled 19 points and five assists to lead the Eagles in a loss to Virginia Tech in Cassell Coliseum. Sophomore swingman **Rakim Sanders** added 14 points. BC used a 14-4 run early in the contest to take a 21-13 lead (12:14 left in first half). The host Hokies answered with a 15-2 run of their own to gain a five-point (28-23) margin with 5:52 left before intermission. Virginia Tech led by eight points with 1:35 left in the half, but BC narrowed the difference to 41-37 at the break thanks to two Trapani treys. Trapani netted 16 first-half points. BC shot 50.0 percent from the floor in the first 20 minutes. The game was tied three times in the first eight minutes of the second half – the last time coming at 54-54 – before the Hokies took the lead for good. BC then went six-plus minutes without a field goal (and just five free throws). The Eagles did close to within two points – 70-68 – on a Trapani three-pointer with 3:09 left, but the visitors didn't score again until a Rice trey with 17 seconds left ... **Game Notes:** BC committed just nine turnovers, equaling its season low ... BC was outrebounded, 38-29 ... BC recorded 14 fast-break points (versus two for Virginia Tech).

**GAME #20 -- January 20, 2009**  
**Alexander Mem. Coliseum -- Atlanta, GA**  
**Boston College 80, Georgia Tech 76 (ot)**

Senior guard **Tyrese Rice** totaled 26 points, including 18 in the second half and six in overtime, to lead the Eagles to an overtime win over the Yellow Jackets. Sophomores **Rakim Sanders** (19 points), **Joe Trapani** (12 points) and **Corey Raji** (10 points) rounded out BC's list of double-figure scorers. BC trailed 31-30 at halftime, but began the second half with a 5-2 run to claim a 35-33 lead. A Rice trey gave BC a double-digit lead -- 49-39 -- with 11:39 to play in regulation. The Eagles gained their largest margin -- 14 points (60-46) -- on a Sanders jumper with 6:41 left. The Yellow Jackets then used an 18-2 run to gain a 64-62 lead with 2:01 to play. Rice tied the game with 1:32 left and gave BC a two-point lead with 27 seconds left. Georgia Tech forced overtime with two tying free throws. The home team scored the first three points of overtime, before BC answered with eight straight points (74-69 lead). Georgia Tech closed to within two points three times, but BC had an answer each time. Rice sealed the win with two free throws with seven seconds left in the extra session ... **Game Notes:** BC shot 81.3 percent (13-for-16) from the foul line ... BC forced 20 turnovers ... BC played the entire overtime period without three starters -- **Josh Southern**, Trapani and Sanders ... Sophomore **Cortney Dunn** logged a career-high 27 minutes.

**GAME #21 -- January 24, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 79, NC State 68**

Senior guard **Tyrese Rice** totaled 25 points and sophomore forward **Joe Trapani** posted 12 points and 10 rebounds to lead the Eagles past North Carolina State. Sophomore **Corey Raji** tallied eight points and 12 rebounds. BC gained a commanding 46-25 rebounding margin. The Eagles grabbed 22 offensive rebounds. BC led 42-27 at halftime and extended its lead to 19 points – 47-28 – before the visiting Wolfpack rallied. NC State scored 16 straight points to narrow the margin to just three points – 47-44 – with 14:21 to play. NC State never got closer than three points. Rice broke the visitor's run with a three-pointer with 13:46 left on the clock. The Wolfpack kept the margin to as few as three points until just less than seven minutes remaining. While BC went more than 5:30 without a field goal (9:42 to 4:15), the Eagles capitalized by shooting 10-for-10 from the line to claim a 64-57 lead with 4:50 to play. After one NC State free throw, Trapani hit a three-pointer and sophomore **Cortney Dunn** converted a Jackson feed into a dunk to give the Eagles an 11-point cushion – 69-58 ... **Game Notes:** Raji recorded six offensive and six defensive rebounds ... The plus-21 rebounding margin was the Eagles' largest advantage since outrebounding New Hampshire 47-20 (plus-27) on Nov. 10, 2006.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 71**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-5	0-0	2-2	3	2	8	1 23
Trapani	7-14	3-8	6-6	10	5	23	0 37
Southern	0-1	0-0	3-4	3	4	3	0 15
Rice	6-19	3-8	4-4	3	4	19	5 34
Sanders	6-13	1-6	1-2	3	3	14	1 36
Jackson	2-4	0-2	0-0	2	2	4	2 23
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 6
Roche	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 3
Ravenel	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 4
Dunn	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1 19
TOTALS	24-59	7-24	16-18	29	23	71	10 200

**VIRGINIA TECH 79**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Allen	11-16	1-2	7-12	9	3	30	2 38
Davila	1-1	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	0 13
Thompson	0-1	0-0	0-2	2	4	0	2 17
Vassallo	7-15	2-6	0-1	4	2	16	0 37
Delaney	3-8	2-4	11-12	3	3	19	4 32
Bell	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	1 11
Hudson	2-5	1-3	0-2	3	0	5	0 17
Thorns	1-2	1-2	1-2	1	0	4	0 14
Witcher	1-1	0-0	0-0	3	1	2	0 12
Diakite	0-3	0-0	0-0	4	2	0	0 9
TOTALS	26-53	7-17	20-33	38	18	79	9 200

Halftime Score - VT 41, BC 37; Team Rebounds - BC 3, VT 6; Turnovers - BC 9, VT 10; Technicals - None; Attendance - 9,847; Officials - Roger Ayers, Bernard Clinton, Jerry Heater.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 80**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	5-10	0-1	0-1	3	2	10	2 38
Trapani	5-13	2-6	0-0	5	5	12	1 25
Southern	2-4	0-0	0-0	2	5	4	0 18
Rice	7-16	2-8	10-10	3	2	26	5 41
Sanders	7-13	3-3	2-3	1	5	19	5 27
Jackson	4-8	0-1	0-0	9	1	8	3 27
Paris	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2 13
Roche	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0 9
Dunn	0-3	0-0	1-2	6	2	1	0 27
TOTALS	30-68	7-19	13-16	35	22	80	18 225

**GEORGIA TECH 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Lawal	6-8	0-0	2-3	10	2	14	0 39
Peacock	5-12	0-0	1-1	4	2	11	2 27
Aminu	3-6	0-0	2-3	4	2	8	0 28
Clinch	3-12	2-9	0-0	6	2	8	3 38
Shumpert	5-10	1-4	5-8	1	2	16	2 28
Miller	4-10	1-6	4-4	7	2	13	6 35
Foreman	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0 3
Storrs	2-5	2-5	0-0	2	5	6	0 16
Sheehan	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0 11
TOTALS	28-65	6-24	14-19	41	17	76	13 225

Halftime Score - GT 31, BC 30; Regulation: 66-66; Team Rebounds - BC 4, GT 4; Turnovers - BC 16, GT 20; Technicals - None; Attendance - 7,174; Officials - Ed Corbett, Ray Natili, Pat Driscoll.

**NC STATE 68**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Fells	4-10	0-4	2-4	0	0	10	3 31
Costner	2-6	0-1	2-3	4	4	6	1 26
McCauley	7-13	0-0	1-1	6	5	15	1 26
Degand	4-7	2-4	0-0	1	0	10	7 30
Williams	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	1	0	0 11
Ferguson	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	0	0 9
Smith	6-9	0-0	5-8	8	4	17	0 24
Mays	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	3	3	1 10
Thomas	1-2	1-1	2-2	2	0	5	0 14
Horner	0-4	0-1	2-2	2	0	2	1 19
TOTALS	25-56	4-14	14-20	25	18	68	14 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 79**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-10	0-0	2-2	12	1	8	2 30
Trapani	4-12	1-5	3-3	10	1	12	3 33
Southern	3-9	0-0	1-4	7	3	7	0 25
Rice	8-13	3-7	6-6	4	2	25	3 36
Sanders	4-8	2-2	2-2	4	3	12	1 19
Jackson	4-8	0-3	2-2	2	2	10	3 26
Paris	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2 4
Roche	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1 7
Elmore	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	0	3	0 5
Dunn	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	3	2	0 15
TOTALS	28-64	7-19	16-19	46	16	79	15 200

Halftime Score - BC 42, NCS 27; Team Rebounds - NCS 1, BC 6; Turnovers - NCS 10, BC 13; Technicals - BC: Rice; Attendance - 8,167; Officials - Jim Burr, Tim Kelly, Brian Dorsey.

**GAME #22 -- January 27, 2009**  
**Comcast Center -- College Park, MD**  
**Boston College 76, Maryland 67**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** scored a team-high 16 points to lead five BC players in double figures in a come-from-behind road win over the Terrapins. Each of the nine BC players who saw court time played at least 12 minutes. All scored at least one point. Sophomore **Joe Trapani** finished with 10 points and a game-high nine rebounds. The Eagles shot 37.9 percent in the first half (versus Maryland's 52.9 percent) and trailed 40-29 at the halftime break. BC trailed by as many as 16 points -- 38-22 -- late in the first half (3:13 left). BC started the second half with a 7-2 run to trim its deficit to six points. The Terps built their lead back to 10 points -- 49-39 with 14:20 left -- before BC used a 14-5 run to close to within one point with 8:23 to play. **Reggie Jackson** and **Corey Raji** each contributed five points in this rally. The Eagles then took a brief lead on another Raji field goal. After one Maryland basket, BC built a three-point lead only to see a Terp trey even the score at 59-59 with 4:41 left. A Jackson lay-up six seconds later gave the Eagles the lead for good. BC secured the win with two Sanders hoops, one Trapani basket and 9-for-12 shooting from the foul line (6-for-8 by Rice) in the final four minutes ... **Game Notes:** BC sank 50.0 percent (6-for-12) of its long-range attempts ... BC committed just 10 turnovers ... BC shot 60.0 percent (15-for-25) from the floor in the second half.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-8	0-0	1-1	4	1	9	1 26
Trapani	3-6	2-2	2-2	9	0	10	0 28
Southern	5-6	0-0	2-4	6	4	12	2 28
Rice	2-6	0-0	6-8	3	4	10	6 29
Sanders	5-14	1-5	5-6	3	2	16	2 32
Jackson	4-6	1-1	1-1	3	3	10	1 21
Paris	2-5	1-1	0-0	0	2	5	1 12
Roche	1-3	1-3	0-0	2	1	3	1 12
Dunn	0-0	0-0	1-2	3	0	1	0 12
TOTALS	26-54	6-12	18-24	34	17	76	14 200

**MARYLAND 67**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Milbourne	6-13	0-0	2-2	7	3	14	0 32
Neal	2-8	0-2	0-1	6	1	4	0 24
Hayes	1-8	0-5	1-2	1	2	3	3 28
Vasquez	7-20	3-9	1-1	5	5	18	6 37
Bowie	6-11	0-1	0-2	5	3	12	2 38
Dupree	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0 6
Mosley	4-4	0-0	2-2	4	2	10	2 16
Tucker	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Gregory	3-6	0-0	0-0	4	2	6	0 18
TOTALS	29-71	3-17	6-10	41	19	67	13 200

Halftime Score - MD 40, BC 29; Team Rebounds - BC 1, MD 7; Turnovers - BC 10, MD 9; Technicals - None; Attendance - 17,541; Officials - Les Jones, Gary Maxwell, Bernard Clinton.

**GAME #23 -- January 31, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 67, Virginia Tech 66**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** converted an offensive rebound into the game-winning basket with 0.4 seconds remaining to lift the Eagles past Virginia Tech. Sanders rebounded a **Tyrese Rice** miss in the lane and, in midair, scored a putback basket to give BC the victory. Virginia Tech had gained a 66-65 on two free throws with 14.5 seconds to play. BC had claimed a 62-58 advantage on two **Joe Trapani** free throws with 2:33 remaining. The Eagles appeared to thwart the Hokies on their next possession when Trapani rebounded the miss of a Hokie shot, but Trapani was whistled for an offensive foul after corraling the rebound (with 2:08 to play). The foul was Trapani's fifth foul. Virginia Tech scored on its next two possessions to even the score at 62-62, and then gained a two-point cushion on two free throws with 51.0 seconds left. BC temporarily regained the lead -- 65-64 -- on a Rice three-point play with 38.4 seconds to play. The host Eagles took a 53-47 advantage when freshman **Reggie Jackson** scored off an offensive rebound with 7:09 remaining. The Hokies used an 8-2 run to tie the game at 55-55 with 4:06 left. Trapani then scored BC's next seven points while the Eagles limited Virginia Tech to one free throw and one field goal, giving BC a 62-58 edge ... The Eagles got a big lift from junior **Tyler Roche** early in the second half. Roche scored the team's first seven points to give BC a 44-39 lead with 11:38 left.

**VIRGINIA TECH 66**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Allen	7-16	0-2	9-13	11	2	23	1 37
Davila	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0 10
Thompson	0-2	0-1	0-0	5	4	0	0 27
Hudson	1-5	1-3	0-0	0	2	3	1 19
Delaney	7-14	2-4	2-2	4	3	18	5 40-
Thorns	0-2	0-1	1-2	0	1	1	4 22
Witcher	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0 3
Diakite	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1 14
Vassallo	7-14	2-5	5-7	5	2	21	1 28
TOTALS	22-55	5-15	17-24	32	17	66	13 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 67**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	2-5	0-0	3-4	9	3	7	1 33
Trapani	5-10	1-4	2-2	4	5	13	1 18
Southern	2-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	0 17
Rice	6-18	1-5	3-3	1	4	16	5 30
Sanders	4-9	1-5	3-4	3	3	12	1 31
Jackson	2-6	0-2	1-2	5	1	5	1 17
Paris	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2 10
Roche	3-5	1-2	3-4	4	1	10	0 21
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	7	2	0	0 23
TOTALS	24-56	4-19	15-19	35	22	67	11 200

Halftime Score - BC 23, VT 21; Team Rebounds - VT 2, BC 1; Turnovers - VT 7, BC 10; Technicals - None; Attendance - 8,428; Officials - Karl Hess, Tim Nestor, Pat Driscoll.

**GAME #24 -- February 4, 2009**  
**JP Jones Arena -- Charlottesville, VA**  
**Boston College 80, Virginia 70**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** and sophomore **Rakim Sanders** each scored 20 points to lead the Eagles past Virginia. Sanders also totaled 10 rebounds. Sophomores **Joe Trapani** and **Biko Paris** each added 12 points. BC shot 68.2 percent from the field in the first 20 minutes to claim a 42-22 halftime lead. BC sank three three-pointers in the opening half, while sinking 9-of-10 free-throw attempts. The score was tied at 6-6 early in the contest before the Eagles used a 14-3 run to claim a 20-9 advantage. Sanders tallied four points in this stretch, while junior **Tyler Roche** nailed one three-pointer. BC extended its margin to 17 points -- 29-12 -- on a Sanders trey with 5:35 left before intermission. The Eagles continued their run and took their largest lead of the night -- 22 points (42-20) -- on two Rice free throws with 42 seconds left in the first half. BC limited Virginia to just six field goals and 21.4 percent shooting from the field in the first 20 minutes. The Eagles maintained a 20-point cushion -- 48-28 -- for first three-plus minutes of the second half, before Virginia used a 12-4 run to narrow the margin to 52-40 with 11:42 to play. BC scored the next five points to claim a 17-point margin. Virginia twice closed to within seven points in the final two minutes, but BC sank 12-of-14 free-throw attempts down the stretch to secure the victory ... **Game Notes:** BC gained a 41-32 rebounding edge ... BC shot 51.1 percent from the field.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 80**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	0 16
Trapani	3-6	1-2	5-6	6	2	12	1 26
Southern	0-2	0-0	2-3	6	2	2	1 30
Rice	5-11	2-7	8-8	6	4	20	6 34
Sanders	8-13	1-3	3-4	10	4	20	2 34
Jackson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 7
Paris	2-5	0-2	8-10	3	4	12	3 28
Roche	3-5	2-3	0-0	3	0	8	0 14
Elmore	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Dunn	1-1	0-0	0-0	4	1	2	0 10
TOTALS	24-47	6-17	26-31	41	22	80	13 200

**VIRGINIA 70**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Tucker	1-3	0-2	1-2	4	1	3	0 13
Scott	1-3	0-0	5-5	0	1	7	0 17
Zeglinski	1-5	0-2	1-2	1	1	3	1 14
Landesberg	13-23	0-2	6-6	6	4	32	3 40-
Diane	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 4
Farrakhan	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	0	0 4
Baker	2-11	0-3	4-6	0	4	8	4 28
Sene	2-6	0-0	1-2	13	3	5	0 28
Jones	2-11	1-4	5-6	5	3	10	0 28
Tat	1-4	0-0	0-0	2	5	2	0 22
Meynsse	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 2
TOTALS	23-69	1-14	23-29	32	26	70	8 200

Halftime Score - BC 42, VA 22; Team Rebounds - BC 2, VA 1; Turnovers - BC 20, VA 6; Technicals - None; Attendance - 9,631; Officials - Mike Wood, Mike Eades, Sean Hull.

**GAME #25 -- February 8, 2009**  
 Memorial Coliseum -- Winston-Salem, N.C.  
 Wake Forest 93, Boston College 76

Sophomore **Joe Trapani** scored 19 points and senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 18 points to lead the Eagles in a loss to seventh-ranked Wake Forest. Sophomore **Corey Raji** contributed 14 points, seven rebounds and three assists, while classmate **Josh Southern** added 12 points and six rebounds. The Eagles trailed 17-11 just more than five minutes into the game, before scoring 13 straight points – nine by Trapani – to claim a 24-17 lead. The host Demon Deacons then used a 10-2 run to reclaim the lead. Wake Forest extended the margin to four points – 34-30 – before BC answered with an 11-3 rally of its own to gain a 41-37 advantage with 3:02 left in the first half. The home team evened the score at 41-41, but BC finished the half with a 47-46 lead when Trapani converted one free throw with 2.7 seconds left. BC took a 52-50 lead on a Trapani dunk with 18:28 to play, before Wake Forest ran off seven straight points to take the lead for keeps. BC closed to within three points – 64-61 – on a Rice trey with 12:52 left, but the Demon Deacons answered with another 7-0 rally to gain a double-digit advantage. BC scored the next four points, before Wake Forest extended the margin further with a 10-2 run ... **Game Notes:** BC gained a 21-11 rebounding margin in the first half. Wake Forest gained a 20-10 edge in the second half ... BC scored 20 second-chance points, 16 in the first half ... The lead changed hands 15 times in the game. The score was tied nine times.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-5	0-0	6-9	7	3	14	3 40-
Trapani	6-8	3-5	4-5	3	1	19	3 33
Southern	4-4	0-0	4-4	6	4	12	2 28
Rice	7-17	3-7	1-2	6	4	18	0 30
Sanders	0-7	0-3	1-3	1	4	1	0 22
Jackson	2-8	0-4	0-0	1	2	4	0 13
Paris	1-4	0-1	4-4	1	1	6	5 15
Roche	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	0	0 7
Dunn	0-1	0-0	2-2	4	3	2	0 12
TOTALS	24-55	6-21	22-29	31	23	76	13 200

**WAKE FOREST 93**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Aminu	8-9	1-1	9-11	7	3	26	1 36
Johnson	5-11	0-1	2-3	10	3	12	2 32
McFarland	0-5	0-1	2-2	4	3	2	0 22
Teague	6-12	4-6	11-12	3	3	27	8 38
Williams	5-7	1-2	0-0	1	3	11	2 29
Clark	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 2
Hale	0-	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 2
Smith	3-4	0-0	1-1	1	0	7	3 23
Walker	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Weaver	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0 3
Woods	4-5	0-0	0-1	3	3	8	0 12
TOTALS	31-54	6-11	25-30	31	22	93	16 200

Halftime Score - BC 47, WF 46; Team Rebounds - BC 2, WF 2; Turnovers - BC 15, WF 12; Technicals - None; Attendance - 11,185; Officials - Karl Hess, Michael Stephens, Tim Nestor.

**GAME #26 -- February 10, 2009**  
 Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA  
 Clemson 87, Boston College 77

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** tallied 23 points and eight rebounds and senior **Tyrese Rice** totaled 17 points to lead the Eagles in a loss to 12th-ranked Clemson. The Eagles led 39-35 at halftime and twice extended the margin to six points early in the second half, before Clemson ran off seven straight points to gain a 44-43 lead with 18:02 to play. BC answered with baskets from **Joe Trapani** and **Corey Raji** to reclaim the advantage (47-44). The two teams traded the lead a couple of times over the next three-plus minutes. Sanders evened the score at 55-55 with an offensive-rebound basket with 13:29 remaining, and **Biko Paris** followed with two free throws with 12:55 left to give BC its final advantage. Clemson tied the game on a Trevor Booker dunk and took the lead for good on a Terrence Oglesby four-point play with 11:54 left in the contest. The Tigers gained a double-digit lead – 71-61 – with 9:00 to play, before BC rallied to close the margin. BC used a 10-4 run – sparked by eight points from Rice (two field goals and four free throws) – to close within four points (75-71) with 5:54 left. Clemson answered with four straight points to thwart the BC comeback bid ... **Game Notes:** Sophomore **Cortney Dunn** finished with a career-high eight points (3-for-3 FG). He also recorded four rebounds and two blocked shots ... Rice picked up his fifth foul with 34.1 seconds left in the game.

**CLEMSON 87**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Rivers	6-17	3-8	2-2	6	2	17	2 34
Booker	8-15	0-2	5-8	13	0	21	3 33
Sykes	5-11	0-0	2-4	9	2	12	1 30
Stitt	3-7	1-3	4-6	4	4	11	2 35
Oglesby	7-13	6-10	1-1	1	3	21	6 28
Smith	1-2	1-1	2-2	0	3	5	1 12
Young	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	0	0 5
Potter	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	0 14
Grant	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	4	0	0 9
TOTALS	30-67	11-25	16-23	38	20	87	15 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 77**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-5	0-0	0-0	3	1	6	0 17
Trapani	2-7	0-2	1-3	3	1	5	0 18
Southern	1-4	0-0	1-1	3	4	3	0 16
Rice	5-11	1-2	6-7	4	5	17	4 38
Sanders	9-15	3-4	2-3	8	2	23	3 28
Jackson	1-3	0-1	3-4	1	0	5	2 15
Paris	1-4	0-2	3-4	1	0	5	4 23
Roche	2-4	1-3	0-0	2	0	5	1 22
Dunn	3-3	0-0	2-3	4	2	8	0 23
TOTALS	27-56	5-14	18-25	35	16	77	14 200

Halftime Score - BC 39, CL 35; Team Rebounds - CL 1, BC 4; Turnovers - CL 10, BC 14; Technicals - None; Attendance - 6,126; Officials - Les Jones, Joe Lindsay, Mike Stuart.

**GAME #27 -- February 15, 2009**  
 Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA  
 Boston College 80, Duke 74

Senior **Tyrese Rice** totaled 21 points and sophomore **Joe Trapani** tallied 20 points to lead the Eagles past sixth-ranked Duke. BC shot 58.8 percent from the field in the contest -- 58.3 percent in the first half and 59.3 percent in the second half. Sophomore **Rakim Sanders**, who finished with 14 points, scored nine of BC's first 11 points. BC trailed 19-16 midway through the first half, before Duke used an 8-0 run to claim a 27-16 lead with 6:28 remaining in the half. BC trailed 37-24 with 2:26 to go, before closing the half with its own 8-0 run. Junior Tyler Roche sank a three-pointer, before Rice sank a trey and a two-pointer. In the second half, a field goal from freshman **Reggie Jackson** tied the game at 49-49 with 12:58 to play. After the teams twice traded hoops, Duke briefly held a 55-53 lead, before a Jackson trey gave BC the advantage with 9:23 to play. Sanders and Jackson then added field goals to lift the Eagles to a five-point lead (60-55). Duke recovered and twice regained the lead -- 70-69 and 72-71. Rice nailed a long-range three-pointer with 1:32 left to give BC a two-point cushion (74-72). Duke evened the score with 1:11 to play, before a Jackson field goal with 47.2 seconds left gave BC the lead for good -- 76-74. Rice and Trapani each added two free throws to secure the win ... **Game Notes:** BC's reserves outscored Duke's reserves, 23-7.

**DUKE 74**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Singler	8-17	3-6	6-8	8	4	25	1 37
Henderson	8-21	0-2	4-4	4	1	20	3 36
Paulus	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	4	2	2 25
Scheyer	3-12	0-6	2-2	4	0	8	3 36
Thomas	6-6	0-0	0-0	5	5	12	1 26
Smith	0-6	0-2	1-2	1	2	1	0 19
McClure	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	3	2	2 13
Zoubek	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	0	4	0 8
TOTALS	29-68	3-16	13-16	32	19	74	12 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 80**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	1-1	0-0	0-0	2	3	2	1 21
Trapani	7-14	1-5	5-5	7	0	20	2 37
Southern	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	0	2 8
Rice	7-13	3-7	4-6	6	3	21	6 34
Sanders	6-8	1-2	1-2	5	3	14	1 36
Jackson	6-8	1-1	2-4	5	3	15	3 22
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	2 6
Roche	3-4	2-3	0-0	1	2	8	1 24
Dunn	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 12
TOTALS	30-51	8-18	12-17	28	19	80	18 200

Halftime Score - DU 37, BC 32; Team Rebounds - DU 3, BC 1; Turnovers - DU 11, BC 19; Technicals - None; Attendance - 8,606; Officials - Bryan Kersey, Bernard Clinton, Pat Driscoll.

**GAME #28-- February 21, 2009**  
**BankUnited Center -- Miami, FL**  
**Miami 69, Boston College 58**

Sophomore **Joe Trapani** scored a team-high 17 points and classmate **Corey Raji** grabbed a career-high 15 rebounds to lead the Eagles in a loss at Miami. Senior **Tyrese Rice** finished with 11 points, while freshman **Reggie Jackson** totaled 10 points, five rebounds and seven assists. Miami scored the game's first seven points. After BC narrowed the difference to two points, Miami ran off 13 straight points -- including four three-pointers -- to claim a 20-5 lead. The host Hurricanes led 24-8, before BC used a 13-6 rally to trim its deficit to nine points -- 30-21 -- with 5:45 left in the half. BC trailed 44-32 at halftime. The Eagles narrowed the margin to nine points just more than eight minutes into the second half and to eight points twice - on a Raji free throw with 9:06 left and on a Rice trey with 5:52 to play. BC never got any closer ... **Game Notes:** BC shot 36.2 percent from the floor, while Miami sank 52.1 percent of its attempts ... BC outrebounded Miami, 38-28. The Eagles grabbed 20 offensive rebounds ... Miami sank 11 three-pointers, nine in the opening half.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 58**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	1-7	0-0	3-6	15	2	5	2 32
Trapani	7-12	3-7	0-1	4	0	17	0 26
Southern	3-5	0-0	0-0	5	4	6	1 22
Rice	3-15	2-8	3-4	2	1	11	0 34
Sanders	0-2	0-0	2-2	3	2	1	17
Jackson	4-9	1-2	1-2	5	1	10	7 30
Paris	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	2 7
Roche	2-5	1-4	0-0	0	0	5	0 20
Dunn	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	3	0	0 12
TOTALS	21-58	7-21	9-15	38	14	58	13 200

**MIAMI 68**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Graham	2-3	0-0	2-4	4	3	6	2 27
Collins	1-4	0-0	1-4	4	0	3	1 22
Asbury	5-7	1-2	1-2	5	0	12	3 29
Dews	4-8	4-6	2-4	4	3	14	3 30
McClinton	8-16	4-7	2-2	4	2	22	4 35
Hurdle	3-6	1-2	0-0	3	2	7	1 25
McGowan	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0 4
Thomas	1-2	1-2	0-0	3	4	3	1 26
Jones	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0 2
TOTALS	25-48	11-20	8-16	28	15	69	15 200

Halftime Score - UM 44, BC 32; Team Rebounds - BC 2, UM 1; Turnovers - BC 15, UM 13; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,979; Officials - Jamie Luckie, Mike Wood, Roger Ayers.

**GAME #29-- February 24, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 72, Florida State 67**

Sophomore **Joe Trapani** scored a team-high 19 points and classmate **Rakim Sanders** totaled 16 points and nine rebounds to lead the Eagles past #23 Florida State. Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 11 points, none more important than his three-point field goal that gave BC a 71-67 lead with 20.5 seconds to play in the game. Sophomore **Biko Paris** added 10 points off the bench. The Seminoles used an 11-0 run to claim a 16-4 advantage with 12:24 left in the first half. The visitors held a 10-point lead (20-10) with 8:20 left in the half, before BC closed with a 14-5 rally to trail by just one point -- 25-24 -- at halftime. Included in that final stretch was a 10-0 run, keyed by five Sanders points. The Eagles extended their lead with a 16-6 run to open the second half. Sanders led the way with six points, while **Josh Southern** added five points in this rally. FSU fought back to within one point -- 48-47 -- with 11:06 to play, before BC answered with seven straight points to reclaim an eight-point cushion. The Seminoles battled back and twice trailed by just one point -- with 3:09 and with 2:41 to play. Rice's late trey increased the BC margin to four points. Sanders added one free throw with 10.1 seconds to play ... **Game Notes:** Tyler Roche missed the game because of illness ... The victory gave BC its 20th win of the season, marking the seventh time in the last nine years that BC has recorded 20 or more wins.

**FLORIDASTATE 67**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Singleton	3-7	1-3	1-2	5	4	8	1 25
Echefe	2-3	0-0	0-0	4	1	4	0 16
Alabi	4-13	0-0	8-8	7	0	16	2 34
Kitchen	6-10	2-3	0-0	5	1	14	3 33
Douglas	5-16	5-8	4-4	6	3	19	3 38
Gibson	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 2
Demercy	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	3	0	2 22
Loucks	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	0	1 8
Dulkys	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0 4
Reid	2-5	0-0	2-2	7	1	6	0 18
TOTALS	22-57	8-16	15-16	38	14	67	12 200

**BOSTON COLLEGE 72**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-11	0-0	0-0	2	0	8	1 25
Trapani	7-14	3-6	2-2	7	3	19	1 36
Southern	3-5	0-0	2-3	3	5	8	1 22
Rice	3-9	3-5	2-3	4	2	11	6 32
Sanders	5-16	2-8	4-5	9	3	16	1 33
Jackson	0-3	0-1	0-0	2	0	0	0 15
Paris	4-7	0-1	2-3	4	0	10	1 20
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 17
TOTALS	26-65	8-21	12-16	36	15	72	11 200

Halftime Score - FSU 25, BC 24; Team Rebounds - FSU 3, BC 5; Turnovers - FSU 18, BC 12; Technicals - None; Attendance - 4,968; Officials - Gary Maxwell, Ed Corbett, Sean Hull.

**GAME #30-- March 4, 2009**  
**RBC Center -- Raleigh, NC**  
**NC State 74, Boston College 69**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** scored a game-high 21 points and senior **Tyrese Rice** totaled 14 points and a season-best 10 assists to lead the Eagles in a loss at NC State. The Eagles started strongly, jumping out to a 17-9 lead just five minutes into the contest. **Corey Raji** led the early run with six points. The host Wolfpack answered and evened the score at 20-20 with 11:42 left in the half. NC State continued its rally by scoring the game's next seven points to claim a 27-20 lead. NCSU, which shot 59.3 percent in the first 20 minutes, led 43-34 at halftime. BC began the second half with a 12-2 run to take a brief 46-45 lead -- on a **Joe Trapani** three-pointer -- with 14:40 to play. NC State answered with a three-pointer to gain a two-point margin. **Josh Southern** tied the game at 48-48 with two free throws with 13:52 left. The Wolfpack then ran off five straight points to gain a lead it would never relinquish. BC twice narrowed its deficit to one point -- at 53-52 and 55-54 -- but could never draw even ... **Game Notes:** Each team committed nine turnovers ... BC shot 51.9 percent in the first half and 44.0 percent in the second half ... Sanders added three steals and three assists in 32 minutes ... BC was outrebounded, 30-26.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 69**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-7	0-0	0-0	5	2	8	3 32
Trapani	3-8	3-7	2-2	6	4	11	0 29
Southern	2-4	0-0	2-2	4	3	6	1 23
Rice	5-12	0-5	4-5	2	3	14	10 38
Sanders	7-11	4-7	3-5	3	2	21	1 32
Jackson	2-5	0-1	0-0	0	1	4	0 16
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 2
Roche	1-4	1-4	0-0	2	3	3	0 11
Dunn	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	0 17
TOTALS	25-52	8-24	11-14	26	18	69	15 200

**NC STATE 74**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Fells	4-6	3-3	0-0	0	1	11	1 18
Gonzalez	2-5	1-4	0-1	5	4	5	6 24
Smith	5-8	0-0	4-6	5	1	14	0 28
Costner	3-8	1-5	1-4	3	1	8	0 35
McCauley	7-12	0-0	6-7	6	0	20	2 29
Harris	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	1 10
Degand	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	3 16
Williams	2-2	0-0	1-2	2	0	5	0 17
Horner	4-9	3-5	0-0	5	3	11	3 23
TOTALS	27-51	8-17	12-20	30	14	74	16 200

Halftime Score - NCS 43, BC 34; Team Rebounds - BC 3, NCS 2; Turnovers - BC 9, NCS 9; Technicals - None; Attendance - 15,111; Officials - Les Jones, Karl Hess, Brian Dorsey.

**GAME #31 -- March 7, 2009**  
**Conte Forum -- Chestnut Hill, MA**  
**Boston College 67, Georgia Tech 66**

Sophomore swingman **Rakim Sanders** scored a game-high 19 points, including the game-winning baseline jump shot with 1.7 seconds left, to lift the Eagles to a 67-66 win over Georgia Tech before a sellout crowd in Conte Forum. Sanders' decisive hoop capped a stretch of six lead changes in the game's final three minutes. Georgia Tech had gained a 66-65 lead on two free throws by Lewis Clinch with 12.4 seconds to play. BC claimed a four-point lead - 61-57 - on a **Reggie Jackson** put-back dunk with 3:49 remaining in the contest. The visiting Yellow Jackets then scored five straight points - on three Iman Shumpert free throws and an Alade Aminu field goal - to gain a 62-61 advantage with 2:15 left. Senior **Tyrese Rice**, who shot a career-best 12-for-12 from the foul line in his final Conte Forum contest, sank two free throws to give BC the lead with 1:18 to play. After Georgia Tech answered with a Gani Lawal field goal (with 44.9 seconds left), Rice hit another two free throws (with 26.6 seconds left) to put BC in front, 65-64 ... BC led 30-25 at halftime. Georgia Tech started the second half with a 14-4 run to claim its biggest lead - 39-34 - with 13:57 to play ... **Game Notes:** BC gained a 14-13 edge on points scored off turnovers ... The game featured 12 ties and 10 lead changes.

**GEORGIA TECH 66**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Lawal	8-12	0-0	0-0	7	4	16	0 29
Peacock	3-6	1-1	1-2	2	1	8	1 21
Clinch	5-17	2-12	4-5	3	1	16	3 36
Shumpert	0-5	0-2	5-6	2	4	5	2 23
Miller	3-3	2-2	2-3	3	3	10	1 21
Foreman	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	3	0	0 13
Storrs	0-4	0-3	0-0	0	2	0	5 25
Sheehan	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1 7
Aminu	4-11	0-0	3-7	11	2	11	1 25
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23-59</b>	<b>5-21</b>	<b>15-23</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>14 200</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 67**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-8	0-1	0-0	4	0	6	0 21
Trapani	1-8	0-2	0-0	5	0	2	2 21
Southern	4-4	0-0	4-5	9	3	12	1 31
Rice	2-9	1-5	12-12	3	2	17	4 34
Sanders	8-15	1-6	2-4	6	3	19	3 37
Jackson	4-6	1-2	2-2	6	0	11	0 22
Paris	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1 6
Roche	0-2	0-2	0-0	2	4	0	2 19
Dunn	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	3	0	0 9
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22-53</b>	<b>3-18</b>	<b>20-23</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>13 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 30, GT 25; Team Rebounds - GT 1, BC 3; Turnovers - GT 9, BC 19; Technicals - None; Attendance - 8,606; Officials - Bryan Kersey, Jamie Luckie.

**GAME #32 -- March 12, 2009**  
**Georgia Dome -- Atlanta, GA**  
**Boston College 76, Virginia 63**

Sophomore **Rakim Sanders** scored a career-high 25 points and classmate **Josh Southern** equaled his career high with 13 points to lead the sixth-seeded Eagles past Virginia in the opening round of the ACC Tournament. Southern also grabbed a team-high nine rebounds. Virginia took its only lead of the night on the game's opening basket. BC scored the next five points and never allowed the Cavaliers to draw even. BC held a six-point lead - 21-15 - midway through the half, before running off eight consecutive points to gain a 29-15 cushion. After Virginia answered with six straight points, the Eagles closed the half with an 8-4 spurt. BC led 37-25 at the break. The Eagles recorded 24 points in the paint in the first half. Virginia trimmed the BC margin to eight points four times in the second half - the first time at 45-37 with 13:10 left - but could get no closer. BC took its largest lead - 15 points - on a **Joe Trapani** lay-up with 16:43 to play. Virginia last trimmed the lead to eight points at 71-63 with 1:40 left, but BC closed the door with five free throws to secure the victory ... **Game Notes:** **Tyrese Rice** scored nine points, snapping his streak of consecutive double-figure efforts at 21. Rice handed out six assists ... Sanders shot 11-for-12 from the foul line. Both his makes and attempts were career highs.

**VIRGINIA 63**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Diane	8-13	4-6	4-4	3	4	24	1 35
Scott	1-5	0-0	1-3	12	5	3	0 31
Soroye	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 9
Baker	2-12	0-3	0-0	2	5	4	6 25
Landesberg	3-9	0-1	5-8	7	1	11	5 37
Farrakhan	2-5	1-2	0-2	2	1	5	0 14
Sene	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	3	0	0 9
Tucker	4-7	2-4	3-3	4	3	13	0 22
Zeglinski	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 5
Sherrill	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
Jones	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	0	3	1 10
Tat	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0 2
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>21-56</b>	<b>8-18</b>	<b>13-20</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>13 200</b>

**BOSTON COLLEGE 76**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	4-10	0-0	3-3	2	4	11	0 20
Trapani	3-8	1-4	5-6	5	3	12	1 21
Southern	5-7	0-0	3-5	9	2	13	0 32
Rice	1-6	0-2	7-8	6	3	9	6 28
Sanders	7-11	0-1	11-12	7	2	25	1 32
Jackson	0-4	0-0	2-2	0	3	2	0 27
Paris	0-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2 13
Roche	1-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	2	1 19
Dunn	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0 8
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22-52</b>	<b>1-8</b>	<b>31-36</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>11 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 37, VA 25; Team Rebounds - VA 2, BC 5; Turnovers - VA 20, BC 14; Technicals - None; Attendance - 26,352; Officials - Les Jones, Mike Wood, Bernard Clinton.

**GAME #33 -- March 13, 2009**  
**Georgia Dome -- Atlanta, GA**  
**Duke 66, Boston College 63**

Senior **Tyrese Rice** scored 17 points and sophomore **Biko Paris** tallied a season-high 15 points off the bench to lead the Eagles in a loss to ninth-ranked Duke in the quarterfinal round of the ACC Tournament. Sophomore **Joe Trapani** contributed 12 points and nine rebounds. BC took an early 2-1 lead only to see Duke run off 10 straight points. BC broke an eight-minute (7:58) scoreless streak on a **Corey Raji** lay-in. That bucket began a 17-6 BC run that put the Eagles on top 19-17 with 3:46 left in the half. Duke answered with four straight points, before BC closed the half with a 10-1 rally and led 29-22 at the break. Trapani had five points in this late stretch. Duke used a 13-5 run to begin the second half to gain a one-point edge with 15:32 left. The two teams traded the lead/ties several times before another Duke spurt resulted in an eight-point BC deficit (54-46) with 8:13 left. After each team hit a trey, BC responded with a 14-6 run - led by eight Paris points - to even the score at 63-63 on a Paris three-pointer with 1:39 to play. After Duke took a one-point lead on a Kyle Singler free throw, Trapani hit two free throws with 52 seconds left to give BC a 65-64 lead. Duke's Gerald Henderson scored the decisive hoop with 34 seconds left. BC missed two field-goal attempts (including a **Rakim Sanders** trey at the buzzer) and committed one turnover in the final half-minute ... **Game Notes:** Each team scored 53 points from the field.

**BOSTON COLLEGE 63**

NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Raji	3-9	0-1	1-1	9	2	7	1 24
Trapani	4-12	1-3	3-4	9	3	12	1 35
Southern	3-6	0-0	1-1	4	2	7	1 25
Rice	5-15	2-5	5-7	3	3	17	4 39
Sanders	3-12	1-7	0-0	3	3	7	2 27
Jackson	0-1	0-1	0-0	2	1	0	0 5
Paris	5-5	3-3	2-3	0	1	15	2 24
Roche	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0 17
Dunn	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0 4
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23-60</b>	<b>7-20</b>	<b>12-16</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>11 200</b>

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NAME	FG	3FG	FT	R	PF	TP	AMIN
Singler	10-15	3-6	3-5	9	1	26	1 40
Scheyer	4-9	4-9	2-3	6	4	14	2 39
Thomas	1-1	0-0	3-4	5	1	5	1 25
Henderson	5-12	1-2	5-10	1	3	16	2 22
Williams	1-4	0-1	0-0	8	4	2	1 36
Smith	1-5	1-2	0-0	1	1	3	0 18
Paulus	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 1
McClure	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	2	0	1 14
Zoubek	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0 5
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22-47</b>	<b>9-20</b>	<b>13-22</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>8 200</b>

Halftime Score - BC 29, DU 22; Team Rebounds - BC, 3, DU 0; Turnovers - BC 12, DU 12; Technicals - None; Attendance - 26,352; Officials - Gary Maxwell, Tim Nestor, Sean Hull.