
PLAYER PROFILE JUNIOR



Olsen was **No. 2 IN THE NATION IN SCORING** (24.2) in earning first-team All-America honors last season. She was conference and region **PLAYER OF THE YEAR**. Her freshman college season saw her earn All-Missouri Valley Conference all-freshman recognition.

OVERVIEW:

Signed with the program in April during the 2008 Spring signing period as one of the most highly-sought recruits to sign with Georgia State.

Was first-team junior college All-America pick as a sophomore at Labette (Kan.) CC after having been an All-Missouri Valley Conference Freshman Team pick at Southern Illinois.

Tremendous scorer and complete player, who is a skilled rebounder, passer and defender...A competitor who battles on every possession with a warrior-type mentality.

JUNIOR COLLEGE:

First-team All-America pick who was No. 2 in the nation in scoring with 24.3 points per game for 25-7 team...Shot 57.1 percent from the field and 83.6 percent from the free throw line for Labette CC...Also contributed 7.1 rebounds per game to go with 56 assists and 47 steals.

Was the Conference (Jayhawk) Player of the Year and the Region VI Player of the Year...Was also picked as the National JUCO Player of the Week and the Jayhawk Conference Player of the Week after scoring 100 points in three-game span (35, 38 and 27), while shooting 77 percent (37-of-48) from the floor and 93 percent from the free throw line (26-of-28).

Aggressiveness got her to the free throw line 244 times in 2007-08 and she capitalized with 204 made...Her 778-point season included a game with 32 points and three games with 30 points, in addition to her 100-point week



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listed earlier...In one of those 30-point games (KCKCC), she made 18-of-20 free throws...In 38-point game vs. Fort Scott, Dana was 13-of-17 from the field and 12-of-12 from the free throw line...Had 10-rebound game vs. Clarendon.

Played through stress fractures in her feet for eight weeks in 2007-08 to earn All-America status. Spent spring and summer healing and doing rehabilitation work to be ready for 2008-09.

Coming out of JUCO, Olsen was recruited by SEC, Big 12 and C-USA schools.

COLLEGE:

Heavily recruited out of high school and signed on first day of Fall 2005 with Southern Illinois of the Missouri Valley Conference.

Named to All-Freshman team in the MVC...Became a starter as a freshman on a 21-11 WNIT-bound Saluki postseason team...Played 32 games with 24 starts and 721 minutes (22.5).

Top scoring games were 24 points vs. Murray State and 21 points vs. Indiana State...Averaged 8.4 points and shot 51.8 percent from the field.

Had 10 double-figure games as freshman with one double-double game (13 points, 10 rebounds vs. Indiana of the Big 10)...Just missed second double-double with 16 points and nine rebounds vs. Northern Iowa.

Shot .518 from the field (101-195) and .725 from the charity stripe (66-91)...Had 117 rebounds (3.7) with 34 assists, 18 steals and nine blocked shots...Led team in scoring four times...Scored in double figures in first collegiate game (Missouri of the Big XII on 5-of-6 field goals for 11 points)...Was one of four players who voluntarily left team in July of 2007.

HIGH SCHOOL

Olsen was recognized as a first-team all-state pick in Kansas after a stellar senior season that saw her average 18.8 points, 8.8 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 2.2 steals per game for Shawnee Mission South... Her honor list also included All-Sunflower League and All-Johnson County first



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team recognition under Coach Ron Millard.

During junior year, she excelled with 17.0 points and 8.3 rebounds a game in being named second-team all-state and first-team All-Sunflower League...Selected for the KBCA All-Star game.

As senior, team was fourth in Class 6A playoffs, losing to the eventual state champs...Came within two points of school single-season scoring record that is held by one of her first AAU coaches, Kate Benson, and Dana wears number 40 in her honor...Was a member of the Shawnee Mission South Lady Raiders, a school nickname chosen when the school opened for the then-popular rock band Paul Revere and the Raiders.

First excelled in soccer and trained with the Kansas Olympic Development team, but made the move over to basketball in junior high.

Started a "Wear Pink" night at her school after her coach's wife was diagnosed with breast cancer. The theme, "Will It Be Me?" was for education and fund-raising. That program still continues at Mission South and has spread to 10 additional schools in her league.

Played AAU basketball with Team Exel in 2005 for Coach Todd Baugh and won the Illinois Super Regionals in finishing in the top 20 in nationals...Considers Coach Baugh one of the major influences on her game and her life that developed dramatically under his tutelage...Coach Baugh passed away on June 25, 2008, after a battle with pancreatic cancer and Dana will dedicate her 2008 season in his memory by putting No. 33 on her shoes.

Olsen received recruiting interest out of high school from Southern Illinois, Kansas and Missouri State.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Dana Elizabeth Olsen... Born Feb. 5, 1988 in Overland Park, Kansas... Parents are Lorin and Cindy Olsen... The second of four children, Dana has an older sister, Meredith, a younger sister, Bailey, and a younger brother, Adam...Goes nowhere without her iPod and cell phone...Enjoys scary movies, cats, amusement parks and road trips...Her Aunt Tracy, a former field hockey player and coach, is now a professional softball umpire...Dana will major in special education with a long-term goal of teaching and coaching in high school. Specifically, she'd like to return to coach at her alma mater...Aspires to play pro ball overseas or in the WNBA.

OLSEN'S CAREER BESTS

Pts: 24 vs. Murray State, 11/17/06
21 vs. Indiana State, 1/6/07
16 at Northern Iowa, 1/13/07

(10 double-figure games at SIU)

Rebs: 10 at Indiana Univ., 12/16/06
9 vs. Northern Iowa, 1/13/07
6 two times (Indiana State, Bradley)
5 three times (Murray St., San Francisco and Indiana St.)

Asst: 3 two times (Murray State, Missouri State)

Junior College Bests

Pts: 38 vs. Fort Scott
35 vs. Cowley County
32 vs. Kansas City Kansas College
32 vs. Allen County
30 Three Times

OLSEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G/GS	Min./Avg.	FG-A/FG%	3FG-A/3FG%	FT-A/FT%	O-D	TRb/Avg.	Asts.	Blks.	Stls.	Pts./Avg..
2006-07 SIU	32/24	721/22.5	101-195/.518	2-11/.182	66-91/.725	27-90	117/3.7	34	9	18	270/8.4
2007-08 JC	32/32	n/a	283-476/.595	8-36/.222	204-244/.836	83-144	227/7.1	56	14	47	778/24.3
NCAA Only	32/24	721/22.5	101-195/.518	2-11/.182	66-91/.725	27-90	117/3.7	34	9	18	270/8.4

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Rawls finished No. 3 IN THE CAA IN REBOUNDS (8.3) and had 12 games in double-figure rebounds last year. She has PLAYED ALL 60 GAMES her first two seasons at State and has 14 career double-figure scoring games.

OVERVIEW:

Played all 60 games first two seasons, with 39 starts...Has 16 career double-figure rebounding games and 14 career double-figure scoring games...Has 8 career double-double games...Scored 382 points (6.4 career), pulled down 422 rebounds (7.0), with 47 career steals and 26 career blocked shots...A team-captain in 2007-08...Signed with the program in November 2005 during the early signing period... Aggressive rebounder and physical athlete in the post...Has good hands and good instincts... Great team player... Hard worker and athletic... Runs the floor well... Vocal leader.

2007-08:

Full-time starter, who started every game but Senior Day...Led team and finished No. 3 in CAA in rebounds (249, 8.3) and No. 4 in offensive rebounds (110, 3.67)...Had 12 double-figure rebounding games, 11 double-figure scoring games

and 7 double-double games...Was third on team in scoring (8.1), third in minutes played (794) and tied for second on team in blocked shots (15).

Set personal-bests with 15-rebound games vs. Jacksonville State (11/24) and Towson (2/3)...Set personal-bests with 16 points three times, vs. Jackson State (11/27), Mississippi Valley State (12/28) and Winthrop (12/17)...Had first double-double of season in game two win over Gardner-Webb (14-10 on 11/16 in Asheville)...Second double-double was game six vs. Jackson State (16-11, 11/27)...Had back-to-back double-doubles in Georgia State Invitational to earn All-Tournament honors... Had 16 points-12 rebounds in win over Mississippi Valley (12/28) and followed that with 15-10 vs. Alcorn (12/29)... First double-double in CAA game was at VCU (1/13, 12 rebounds, 10 points)...At Hofstra (1/20), scored 10 of her 12 points in second half for double-double (11 rebounds) to go with personal-best 5 steals... Had personal-best eight



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offensive rebounds in that game...Seventh double-double of year was in win over Towson (2/3) with 15 rebounds, 12 points and personal-best 3 blocked shots in 39 minutes...Had 10-rebound games vs. William and Mary (1/17), George Mason (2/14) and at Towson (3/2)...Had three other games with nine rebounds (Florida A&M, at Winthrop and William and Mary in CAA Tournament).

Had one of best free throw streaks in school history when she made 18 consecutive from Dec. 17 at Winthrop (last miss) to Dec. 29 vs. Alcorn...Was a perfect 10-for-10 from the free throw line in the win over Mississippi Valley State (12/29).

2006-07:

Saw action in all 30 games, earning 10 starts along the front court... Started the first seven games and the last three games of the season... Received first collegiate start at Miami (Fla.) (11/10/06), collecting four points and eight rebounds... One of two freshmen this season to start the first game of the regular season since 1997.

Ranked third on the team and 20th in the CAA in rebounding after averaging 6.1 boards per game... Scored 4.6 points per contest... Played 19.8 minutes per outing... Was 45.9 percent (51-of-111) from the floor and 58.1 percent from the free throw line... Totaled 25

steals, 11 blocked shots and 10 assists... Led or tied for the team lead in rebounds six times and once in scoring... Started three of 18 CAA games... Averaged 5.1 points, 6.8 rebounds and 21.4 minutes per contest against conference opponents... Posted double figures in scoring three times and 10 or more rebounds four times.

Recorded first career double-double game at Virginia Commonwealth (2/25/07) with 10 points and 10 rebounds and season-best four steals, playing a season-high full-game 40 minutes... Grabbed season-high 12 boards at William & Mary (2/22/07)... Had 11 points against Hofstra (2/18/07)... Tallied 10 points at Northeastern (2/15/07)... Registered a season-high 12 points at George Mason (1/14/07), going 5-of-6 from the floor and 2-of-3 from the free throw line... Had 11 rebounds at Georgia Tech (11/16/06)... Grabbed six or more rebounds 16 times... Selected CAA Rookie of the Week on Jan. 15.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Four-year varsity letterwinner for head coach Kim Schlein and the Lady Razorbacks... Named a McDonald's All-American basketball nominee entering the 2005-06 season... Averaged 15 points and 12 rebounds as a junior... Led Cross Creek to an 18-7 overall record in 2004-05 and a berth in the state playoffs... Was the Lady Razorbacks' top rebounder for three straight seasons (2002-05).

Suffered a torn ACL and MCL injury prior to the 2005-06 season... Also lettered in volleyball and track and field... Selected Most Valuable Player on her 2005-06 volleyball team... Twice named best female field athlete as a member of the track and field squad.

PERSONAL:

Full name is RaShay Danielle Rawls... Preferred name is Shay... Born Jan. 16, 1988... Parents are Rick Safford and Patricia Rawls Safford... Has one older brother, Domonik Rawls, and one younger brother, Dontez

RAWLS' CAA RANKINGS

2007-08:

Rebound Average No. 3 (8.3)
Off. Reb. Average..... No. 4 (3.67)
Double-Doubles No. 4 (7)

2006-07:

Rebound Average No. 20 (6.1)
CAA Rookie-of-the-Week (Jan. 15, 2007)

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Rawls, and two younger sisters, Taylor Ayers and Dontaisja Rawls.

2007-08 Student Athlete Advisory Council (SAAC) team representative... Fan of the WNBA's Lisa Leslie and NBA's Michael Jordan... Favorite team is the NBA's Miami Heat... Loves to rebound... Aspires to graduate and play professional basketball overseas... Enjoys basketball and listening to the radio... Ken Griffin and Kelvin Powell inspire her the most in sports... Chose Georgia State over Auburn, Charlotte, Florida and South Carolina... Major is psychology.



A SHOOTING STREAK

Rawls made 18 consecutive free throws from Dec. 17-Dec. 29 (over four games).

This streak was highlighted by a perfect 10-for-10 in a one-point win over Mississippi Valley State in the Georgia State Invitational.

SOPHOMORE SEASON

2007-08 Opponent	FG	3FG	FT	REB	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
NOVEMBER											
9 #-FLORIDA A&M	2-6	0-0	5-6	4-5=9	2	9	0	1	2	0	24
16 #-vs. Gardner-Webb	5-7	0-0	4-6	5-5=10	4	14	0	4	0	1	30
17 #-vs. Davidson	1-7	0-0	1-2	5-3=8	4	3	2	1	0	1	32
19 #-at North Carolina	3-4	0-0	0-2	1-5=6	5	6	0	1	0	0	24
24 #-JACKSONVILLE STATE	2-5	0-0	0-0	4-11=15	2	4	0	4	0	1	31
27 #-JACKSON STATE	7-11	0-0	2-2	6-5=11	3	16	1	0	1	0	29
DECEMBER											
7 #-at Alabama State	2-5	0-0	2-2	3-4=7	4	6	2	2	0	0	25
17 #-at Winthrop	6-9	0-1	4-7	4-5=9	4	16	1	1	0	0	25
22 #-GEORGIA TECH	2-3	0-0	1-1	1-1=2	4	5	0	1	2	0	16
28 #-MISS. VALLEY STATE	3-6	0-0	10-10	3-9=12	4	16	0	6	0	3	34
29 #-ALCORN STATE	5-11	0-0	5-8	5-5=10	1	15	0	2	1	0	31
JANUARY											
6 #-OLD DOMINION *	5-7	0-0	3-3	4-3=7	4	13	0	3	0	3	21
10 #-at James Madison *	2-4	0-0	0-1	5-1=6	4	4	0	2	0	1	24
13 #-at VCU *	4-8	0-0	2-2	6-6=12	4	10	0	6	0	1	32
17 #-WILLIAM & MARY *	0-5	0-0	0-0	4-6=10	2	0	1	1	1	0	26
20 #-at Hofstra *	6-11	0-0	0-2	8-3=11	3	12	2	2	0	5	36
24 #-DELAWARE *	4-8	0-0	0-1	3-2=5	4	8	0	2	0	0	18
27 #-NORTHEASTERN *	3-7	0-0	0-1	4-2=6	3	6	0	2	1	0	21
31 #-at Old Dominion *	3-8	0-0	0-0	2-5=7	3	6	1	3	0	1	29
FEBRUARY											
3 #-TOWSON *	5-7	0-0	2-3	4-11=15	3	12	0	4	3	1	39
7 #-at Drexel *	2-6	0-0	0-0	4-1=5	4	4	1	3	0	0	30
10 #-at UNC Wilmington *	4-7	0-0	7-9	2-2=4	5	15	0	1	0	0	24
14 #-GEORGE MASON *	1-4	0-0	3-5	1-9=10	2	5	0	3	0	0	28
17 #-VCU *	0-2	0-0	0-0	2-2=4	4	0	2	2	1	0	21
21 #-UNC WILMINGTON *	3-4	0-0	4-4	2-4=6	4	10	0	2	0	1	21
24 #-at Northeastern *	1-5	0-0	0-0	2-4=6	3	2	0	1	0	0	23
28 #-at Delaware *	4-5	0-0	0-4	2-8=10	3	8	0	2	0	1	26
MARCH											
2 #-at Towson *	3-7	0-0	3-3	5-5=10	4	9	1	2	1	0	36
6 DREXEL *	2-7	0-0	0-0	3-4=7	1	4	1	0	0	2	19
13 #-vs. No. 5 Wm. & Mary %	2-5	0-0	2-3	6-3=9	3	6	0	1	2	1	19

FRESHMAN SEASON

2006-07 Opponent	FG	3FG	FT	REB	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
NOVEMBER											
10 #-at Miami (Fla.)	1-7	0-0	2-2	5-3=8	3	4	0	0	0	0	18
16 #-at Georgia Tech	2-5	0-0	4-6	6-5=11	3	8	0	1	0	2	32
19 #-at Hampton	2-3	0-0	1-2	3-6=9	3	5	1	2	1	2	35
21 #-at Norfolk State	1-3	0-0	1-2	0-4=4	4	3	0	2	1	0	14
25 #-at Jacksonville State	2-2	0-0	3-4	3-2=5	2	7	0	0	0	2	18
28 #-SAMFORD	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1=1	3	0	0	1	0	0	5
DECEMBER											
3 #-at Hofstra *	0-0	0-0	0-2	2-1=3	1	0	0	1	0	0	8
9 SAVANNAH STATE	1-4	0-0	4-5	3-4=7	1	6	1	1	1	1	15
18 vs. Florida A&M	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
19 vs. North Florida	4-7	0-0	1-3	1-0=1	2	9	0	1	2	2	12
29 MISS. VALLEY STATE	0-2	0-0	0-2	1-3=4	4	0	1	2	0	1	12
30 UT-MARTIN	0-0	0-0	0-0	3-2=5	3	0	0	0	0	0	12
JANUARY											
4 NORTHEASTERN *	0-3	0-0	1-2	3-0=3	1	1	0	2	1	0	8
7 JAMES MADISON *	0-2	0-0	2-2	1-1=2	1	2	0	0	0	0	11
11 at Old Dominion *	3-4	0-0	0-0	3-2=5	3	6	1	0	0	0	19
14 at George Mason *	5-6	0-0	2-3	3-4=7	4	12	0	2	0	1	20
18 at UNC Wilmington *	2-3	0-0	0-0	2-4=6	5	4	0	2	0	0	27
21 VCU *	0-2	0-0	1-2	3-5=8	3	1	0	3	0	1	18
25 WILLIAM & MARY *	0-6	0-0	1-2	6-3=9	2	1	0	2	0	0	12
28 DREXEL *	3-4	0-0	0-0	1-1=2	1	6	0	1	0	1	17
FEBRUARY											
1 at Towson *	1-5	0-0	0-0	1-3=4	2	2	3	2	0	2	30
4 at Delaware *	3-5	0-0	2-3	5-2=7	1	8	0	2	0	2	23
8 UNC WILMINGTON *	2-4	0-0	1-2	4-4=8	3	5	1	2	1	0	28
11 TOWSON *	2-2	0-0	2-2	3-5=8	0	6	0	2	1	1	23
15 at Northeastern *	5-7	0-0	0-0	1-7=8	2	10	0	3	0	1	24
18 HOFSTRA *%	1-1	0-0	2-6	6-5=11	4	4	1	3	0	0	24
22 at William & Mary *	4-11	0-0	1-2	9-3=13	3	9	0	3	1	2	34
25 #-at VCU *	5-7	0-0	0-2	5-5=10	4	10	0	5	2	4	40
MARCH											
1 #-OLD DOMINION *	1-4	0-0	2-2	5-4=9	5	4	1	2	0	0	20
8 #-vs. No. 9 Drexel %	1-1	0-0	3-4	0-5=5	1	5	0	1	0	0	27

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CAREER DOUBLE-DOUBLE GAMES

10 points, 10 rebounds at VCU, 2/25/07
 14 points, 10 rebounds vs. Gardner-Webb, 11/16/07
 16 points, 11 rebounds vs. Jackson State, 11/27/07
 16 points, 12 rebounds vs. MVSU, 12/28/07
 15 points, 10 rebounds vs. Alcorn State, 12/29/07
 10 points, 12 rebounds at VCU, 1/13/08
 12 points, 11 rebounds at Hofstra, 1/20/08
 12 points, 15 rebounds vs. Towson, 2/3/08

Put Me In Coach

Rawls heads into 2008-09 having played in 60 consecutive games for Georgia State. She had a 31-game start streak end in the 2007-08 regular season finale when senior Vatai Smith started on the Senior Night in a Lea Henry tradition.



RAWL'S CAREER BESTS

Pts: 16 at Winthrop, 12/17/07
 16 vs. Jackson State, 11/27/07
 16 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07
 15 at UNCW, 2/10/07
 15 vs. Alcorn, 12/29/07
 14 vs. Gardner-Webb, 11/16/07

[14 career double-figure games]

Rebs: 15 vs. Jacksonville St., 11/24/07
 15 vs. Towson, 2/3/08
 12 at William & Mary, 2/22/07
 12 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07
 12 at VCU, 1/13/08
 11 at Georgia Tech, 11/16/06
 11 vs. Hofstra, 2/18/07
 11 vs. Jackson State, 11/27/07
 11 at Hofstra, 1/20/08
 10 five Times [three times, 07-08]

[16 career double-figure games]

Blks: 3 vs. Towson, 2/3/08
 2 Five times

Stls: 5 at Hofstra, 1/20/08
 4 vs. VCU, 2/25/07
 3 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07
 3 vs. Old Dominion, 1/6/08

Asst: 3 at Towson, 2/1/07
 2 Four times

Min: 40 at VCU, 2/25/07
 39 vs. Towson, 2/2/08
 36 at Hofstra, 1/20/08
 36 at Towson, 3/2/08 [OT]

RAWLS' CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G/GS	Min./Avg.	FG-A/FG%	3FG-A/3FG%	FT-A/FT%	O-D	TRb/Avg.	Asts.	Blks.	Stls.	Pts./Avg.
2006-07	30/10	594/19.8	51-111/.459	0-0/.000	36-62/.581	88-94	182/6.1	10	11	25	138/4.6
2007-08	30/29	794/26.5	92-191/.482	0-1/.000	60-87/.690	110-136	240/8.3	15	15	22	244/8.1
Career	60/39	1388/23.1	143-302/.473	0-1/.000	96-149/.644	192-230	422/7.0	25	26	47	382/6.4

PLAYER PROFILE SOPHOMORE



Anderson **PLAYED IN 27 OF 30 GAMES** as a freshman for the Panthers with seven starts. She averaged a double-double 21 points and 15 rebounds as a high school senior in Alabama. An **HONOR STUDENT** in high school, she is majoring in chemistry at Georgia State.

OVERVIEW:

Played in 27 of 30 games as a freshman, with seven starts in her 318 minutes played...Had one double-figure game...Signed with the program in November during the 2006 early signing period... Is a very physical and aggressive player who uses her strength to advantage on the boards... Can contribute at both forward positions...Is an excellent student.

2007-08:

Scored 51 points (1.9) with 59 rebounds (2.2) and 10 blocked shots in her freshman campaign...Played in 27 of the 30 games and drew seven starting assignments.

Had first double-figure game against top-10 ranked North Carolina with 13 points, four rebounds and two blocked shots in her 28 minutes against the Tar Heels. Was 5-of-9 from field and 3-of-4 from the line in that game.

Had personal-best 8 rebounds vs. Delaware (1/24) with six of those on the offensive end...Played season-high 37 minutes vs. Towson (2/3) and had eight points (4-of-7 field

goals), four rebounds, three assists, a block and a steal...Also had eight points vs. Jacksonville State (11/24) on 4-of-7 shooting with three rebounds in 20 minutes...Had five rebounds in 18 minutes at VCU (1/13)...Grabbed five rebounds at Drexel (2/7) in 21 minutes...Grabbed 3 rebounds in her four minutes in the CAA Tournament game vs. W & M (3/13).

HIGH SCHOOL:

Three-year varsity letterwinner for head coach Roger Grantham and the Panthers... Averaged 21 points, 15 rebounds, five assists and five blocked shots as a senior... Totaled 32 points, 19 rebounds, eight assists and six blocked shots in her first game of the 2006-07 season... Selected Bi-City All-Region as a sophomore and a junior... Received the Wendy's Heisman Award in 2006-07... Was a 2007 All-American nominee... Averaged 20 points, 15 rebounds, five blocked shots and three assists per game as a junior... Selected to the Bi-City All-Star game... As a junior, was named to the South



McDonald's aged 20 points, and three assists per game as a junior... Selected to the Bi-City All-Star game... As a junior, was named to the South

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team by the Alabama High School Athletic Association (AHSAA) for the North-South All-Star game... Garnered "Page 1" nominee honors in 2006-07... Averaged 19 points, 12 rebounds, five blocked shots and two assists per game as a sophomore and 15 points, 10 rebounds and three blocked shots per game as a freshman.

Voted team most valuable player for four consecutive seasons... Selected a 2005-06 Class 6A second team All-Star by the Alabama Independent Schools Association... Member of a squad that ended a 20-year losing streak to Smiths Station's rival high school... Also played on the first Smiths Station team to make the state playoffs... Team finished 21-5 that season.

Earned one varsity letter in track and field... Selected Bi-City all-Region in track and field as a senior... Finished third in the state in the javelin at the 2007 AHSAA Track and Field Championships... Made the honor roll every year... Attended the Scholars Banquet for Bi-City.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Danielle Beaulah Anderson... Born Sept. 8, 1988, in Columbus, Ga.... Parents are Connie and Thomas Anderson... Has a younger sister, Ashley... Mother, Connie, was a star player in basketball at Chattahoochee Valley Community College.

Enjoys reading novels, writing, watching movies and spending time with friends... Fan of Dwayne Wade, Candace Parker and the Miami Heat... Plans on attending graduate school... Her mother, Connie, inspires her the most in sports... Current goal is to consistently become starter and post double-doubles... Chose Georgia State because she felt like a part of the team, loved the atmosphere and felt honored to play for Coach Henry... Also received interest (academically and athletically) from Troy, Florida A&M, South Alabama, South Carolina, Old Dominion, Vanderbilt, Middle Tennessee and Southern Mississippi.

Majoring in chemistry and intending to minor in pharmacy.

A Panther For Life

Anderson's playing career has always been as a Panther since her high school team carried that nickname before she became a Georgia State Panther.



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ANDERSON'S CAREER BESTS

Pts:	13 at North Carolina, 11/19/07 8 vs. Jacksonville St., 11/24/07 8 vs. Towson, 2/3/08 6 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08
Rebs:	8 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08 5 at VCU, 1/13/08 5 at Drexel, 2/7/08 4 at North Carolina, 11/19/07 4 at James Madison, 1/10/08 4 vs. Towson, 2/3/08 4 at UNCW, 2/10/08
Blks:	2 at North Carolina, 11/19/07 1 Nine times
Assts:	3 vs. Towson, 2/3/08 3 at Drexel, 2/7/08
Stls:	2 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08
Mins:	37 vs. Towson, 2/3/08 29 at Alabama State, 12/7/07 28 at North Carolina, 11/19/07

FRESHMAN SEASON

2007-08 Opponent	FG	3FG	FT	REB	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
NOVEMBER											
9 FLORIDA A&M	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	0	0	1	0	0	4
16 vs. Gardner-Webb	did not play										
17 vs. Davidson	did not play										
19 at North Carolina	5-9	0-1	3-4	1-3=4	1	13	0	1	2	0	28
24 JACKSONVILLE STATE	4-7	0-0	0-0	1-2=3	0	8	1	3	1	0	20
27 #JACKSON STATE	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-2=2	0	0	2	3	1	0	10
DECEMBER											
7 #at Alabama State	1-5	0-0	0-0	2-1=3	5	2	0	3	0	0	29
17 at Winthrop	2-6	0-0	1-1	0-2=2	3	5	1	3	0	0	18
22 GEORGIA TECH	did not play										
28 MISS. VALLEY STATE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
29 ALCORN STATE	0-4	0-0	0-0	1-0=1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
JANUARY											
6 OLD DOMINION *	1-2	0-0	0-0	2-1=3	0	2	0	2	0	0	14
10 at James Madison *	1-6	0-0	0-0	1-3=4	1	2	0	1	0	1	18
13 at VCU *	0-3	0-0	0-0	2-3=5	4	0	0	1	1	1	18
17 WILLIAM & MARY *	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-2=2	1	0	0	2	1	0	8
20 at Hofstra *	0-2	0-0	0-1	0-1=1	1	0	0	0	1	0	9
24 DELAWARE *	2-8	0-0	2-3	6-2=8	0	6	0	0	1	2	17
27 #NORTHEASTERN *	1-2	0-0	1-2	2-1=3	2	3	2	0	0	0	14
31 #at Old Dominion *	0-3	0-0	0-0	1-1=2	3	0	1	2	0	0	14
FEBRUARY											
3 #TOWSON *	4-7	0-0	0-0	2-2=4	2	8	3	5	1	1	37
7 #at Drexel *	0-4	0-0	0-0	0-5=5	1	0	3	2	1	0	21
10 #at UNC Wilmington *	1-4	0-0	0-0	3-1=4	1	2	0	1	0	1	14
14 GEORGE MASON *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5
17 VCU *	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	0	0	2	1	1	4
21 UNC WILMINGTON *	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
24 at Northeastern *	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
28 at Delaware *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
MARCH											
2 at Towson *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
6 DREXEL *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
13 vs. No. 5 William & Mary%	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-1=3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4

#- Started Game % - Tournament Game



ANDERSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G/GS	Min./Avg.	FG-A/FG%	3FG-A/3FG%	FT-A/FT%	O-D	TRb/Avg.	Asts.	Blks.	Stls.	Pts./Avg.
2007-08	27/7	318/11.8	22-83/.265	0-1/.000	7-11/.636	26-33	59/2.2	15	10	8	51/1.9
Career	27/7	318/11.8	22-83/.265	0-1/.000	7-11/.636	26-33	59/2.2	15	10	8	51/1.9

PLAYER PROFILE SOPHOMORE



Traci Haltiwanger

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Guard • 5-9
Sophomore
Summerville, S.C.
Summerville H.S.

Haltiwanger had 10 double-figure scoring games as a freshman and led the team with 31 three-point baskets. She **STARTED 17 OF THE FINAL 19** games last season. She overcame a foot injury that sidelined her the first three months of school.

OVERALL:

Played all 30 games as a freshman and started 17 of final 19 games at two-guard...Led the team with 31 three-point baskets and had 10 games of scoring in double figures...Was third on team with 51 assists...Was third on team with 35 steals...Understands both guard positions... Athletic and skilled player.

2007-08:

As a freshman, she injured her foot badly and missed more than three months of gaining experience and conditioning time...But, she responded and battled back to join team just a week before the exhibition game and then went on to assume starter's role in her freshman campaign...Played 660 minutes, fifth most on the team, and scored 209 points, fourth most on the team.

Her 10 double-figure games started when she came off the bench in game nine to score 15 points (6-of-12 FG) against Georgia Tech (12/22) with a pair of three-point baskets...Made first collegiate start in game 12 (1/6) in the CAA home opener with nationally-ranked Old Dominion (5 points, 5 assists)...Against William and Mary (1/17), had then personal-best six assists and 10 points... In game 17 (1/24) against Delaware, hit four three-

point baskets en route to a 13-point day... Versus Northeastern (1/27) she earned a personal-best seven assists to go with seven points and a personal-best four steals in her season-high 37 minutes...At UNC Wilmington (2/21), she tied her best of four steals, scored 11 points and had four assists...Made three treys in a 13-point game at Northeastern (2/24) and had a personal-best six rebounds in that game.

Had memorable finish at Towson (3/2) when she scored five points in the final 25 seconds to send the game into overtime. She hit a trey, stole the inbounds pass, and banked home a second basket in a matter of a few seconds...Had 57 rebounds to rank sixth on team.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Four-year varsity letterwinner and four-year starter for head coach Nena Causey and the Green Wave... Averaged 17.6 points, 8.3 rebounds and 6.3 steals per game as senior... Led the Green Wave to the 2007 state

TRACI HALTIWANGER

playoffs... Tabbed to the Region 8-AAAA All-State team by the South Carolina Basketball Coaches Association (SCBCA)... Garnered all-Lowcountry honors from the Post and Courier as a senior... Made the High School Sports Report All-Star team in 2006-07... Named a SCBCA all-Region pick in 2007, 2006 and 2005... Selected to participate in the 2007 Carolinas Classic All-Star basketball game as a member of the South Carolina squad.

Concluded her four-year career with 1,196 points... Guided Summerville to a 19-8 record and second place finish in Region 8-AAAA in 2005-06... Played for the Lowcountry Ballers AAU team for three seasons... Received Rick Hendrick Player of the Month honors... Averaged 15.8 points, five rebounds and six assists per game as a junior.

Selected one of the top five seniors in South Carolina by the SCBCA entering the 2006-07 season... Named to the 2006 Hilton Head Invitational all-tournament team... Earned Post and Courier Player of the Week honors as a junior... Once totaled 40 points, 10 assists and eight steals in a game... Selected one of the top 5 seniors in South Carolina... Also earned three letters in track and field.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Traci Nicole Haltiwanger... Born Nov. 9, 1989 in Columbia, S.C... Nickname is "T-Mac"... Parents are Pamular Greene and Gerald Haltiwanger... Stepfather is Joey Greene... Has three brothers, Alsaliene, Az-raaiyl and Bernard, and two sisters, Tearra and Aasima... Fan of Sheryl Swoopes, Rebecca Lobo, Steve Nash and LeBron James... Favorite teams are the Phoenix Suns and Georgia State Panthers.

Enjoys bowling, listening to music and dancing... Her coach, the late Louis Mulkey, inspired her the most to play sports... Aspires to

play in the WNBA and then be a coach and high school teacher... Plans on attending graduate school... Chose Georgia State because she loves the city and the family atmosphere within the Georgia State basketball family... Also received interest from Kansas State, Old Dominion, Florida, Charleston Southern and South Carolina State... Majoring in psychology.



At Summerville High, Traci was the leading scorer on the women's Green Wave team and good friends with the leading scorer and shooting guard (20.2 ppg) on the men's team, A. J. Green. Now, they're both in Georgia as Green signed on with the University of Georgia football team. The 6-4 Green was one of the 10 highest-ranked recruits in the nation and, by some, as the best receiver in the nation after his 279 catches for 5,373 yards that are fourth most in national high school history. Summerville has had at least six players go on to NFL careers (Stanford Jennings, Bengals; Keith Jennings, Bears; Kevin Long, Titans; Jamar Nesbit, Saints; Ian Rafferty, Jets; Dustin Fry, Rams).

Four of a Kind

Haltiwanger made four three-point baskets in a game on Jan. 24 vs. Delaware in the Sports Arena.

She had a pair of four-steal games on defense last year with four thefts against Northeastern and at UNCW.

She had four double-figure scoring games in January, the month she became a starter. That was in four of her first six games as a starter.

TRACI HALTIWANGER

HALTIWANGER'S CAREER BESTS

Pts:	15 vs. Georgia Tech, 12/22/07
	13 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08
	13 at Northeastern, 2/24/08
	12 at Towson, 3/2/08
	12 vs. Drexel, 3/6/08
	11 at UNCW, 2/10/08
	10 four times
Rebs:	6 at Northeastern, 2/24/08
	5 at Towson, 3/2/08
	4 Four Times
3 FGs:	4 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08
	3 at Northeastern, 2/24/08
	2 Four time
Asst:	7 vs. Northeastern, 1/27/08
	6 vs. William and Mary, 1/17/08
	5 vs. Old Dominion, 1/6/08
Stls:	4 vs. Northeastern, 1/27/08
	4 at UNCW, 2/10/08
Min:	34 at Northeastern, 2/24/08
	33 at Towson, 3/2/08 (OT)
	32 William & Mary, 1/17/08

FRESHMAN SEASON

2007-08 Opponent	FG	3FG	FT	REB	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
NOVEMBER											
9 FLORIDA A&M	3-4	2-3	0-0	1-0=1	3	8	0	0	0	1	11
16 vs. Gardner-Webb	3-9	0-2	0-0	0-1=1	2	6	1	1	0	0	11
17 vs. Davidson	1-6	1-4	0-0	0-1=1	0	3	2	0	0	1	15
19 at North Carolina	0-3	0-2	0-0	0-2=2	0	0	0	3	1	1	8
24 JACKSONVILLE STATE	2-6	1-3	0-0	0-0=0	0	5	0	1	0	1	11
27 JACKSON STATE	1-2	1-1	2-2	2-1=3	1	5	0	4	0	0	13
DECEMBER											
7 at Alabama State	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1=1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
17 at Winthrop	0-3	0-1	1-2	0-1=1	1	1	1	0	0	0	9
22 GEORGIA TECH	6-12	2-3	1-2	3-0=3	1	15	4	4	0	3	31
28 MISS. VALLEY STATE	3-8	0-4	0-0	2-2=4	4	6	0	5	0	1	28
29 ALCORN STATE	0-6	0-4	1-2	1-3=4	3	1	2	2	0	1	30
JANUARY											
6 #OLD DOMINION *	1-7	1-3	2-2	1-1=2	1	5	5	5	0	0	26
10 #at James Madison *	5-9	0-4	0-0	0-0=0	2	10	1	4	0	0	24
13 #at VCU *	2-7	2-5	0-0	1-1=2	0	6	1	3	0	0	21
17 #WILLIAM & MARY*	4-13	2-8	0-0	0-0=0	3	10	6	4	0	2	32
20 #at Hofstra *	4-7	2-3	0-0	2-2=4	3	10	2	5	0	3	21
24 #DELAWARE *	4-11	4-10	1-4	0-1=1	2	13	2	5	0	1	28
27 #NORTHEASTERN *	2-10	1-7	2-3	2-2=4	1	7	7	2	1	4	37
31 #at Old Dominion*	3-9	1-3	0-0	0-1=1	1	7	1	1	0	0	26
FEBRUARY											
3 #TOWSON *	3-10	1-5	2-2	0-2=2	3	9	2	4	0	3	24
7 #at Drexel *	2-8	1-5	1-1	1-0=1	0	6	2	2	1	0	26
10 #at UNC Wilmington *	5-12	1-8	0-0	1-0=1	2	11	4	6	0	4	32
14 GEORGE MASON *	1-3	0-2	0-0	0-0=0	3	2	0	1	0	0	6
17 VCU *	5-14	0-7	0-1	0-0=0	4	10	1	2	0	1	26
21 #UNC WILMINGTON*	3-9	2-7	0-0	0-3=3	1	8	1	5	1	3	28
24 #at Northeastern *	5-10	3-6	0-1	2-4=6	0	13	1	5	1	0	34
28 #at Delaware *	1-5	1-4	0-0	0-1=1	5	3	2	1	0	1	18
MARCH											
2 #at Towson *	4-8	1-5	3-4	2-3=5	0	12	2	3	0	3	33
6 #DREXEL *	4-14	0-5	4-4	1-0=1	4	12	1	0	0	1	25
13 #vs. No. 5 Wm. & Mary%	1-2	1-2	2-2	0-2=2	0	5	0	3	0	0	24

#- Started Game %- Tournament Game



HALTIWANGER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G/GS	Min./Avg.	FG-A/FG%	3FG-A/3FG%	FT-A/FT%	O-D	TRb/Avg.	Asts.	Blks.	Stls.	Pts./Avg..
2007-08	30/17	660/22.0	78-228/.342	31-127/.244	22-32/.688	22-35	57/1.9	51	5	35	209/7.0
Career	30/17	660/22.0	78-228/.342	31-127/.244	22-32/.688	22-35	57/1.9	51	5	35	209/7.0

PLAYER PROFILE SOPHOMORE



Harris played all 30 games and was fourth on the team in rebounds. She enjoyed her first three double-figure scoring games and had a pair of double-double games for State. Second member of family to play Division I basketball as father played in the Big 12 Conference.

Overview:

Played in all 30 games as a freshman and gained 430 minutes college experience... Scored 97 points, grabbed 95 rebounds during first season... Had two double-double games and three double-figure scoring games for Georgia State... Signed with the program in November during the 2006 early signing period... An athletic post player ... Can score from the post and runs the floor extremely well... She is a good rebounder and made an immediate impact in the low post... A strong student in the classroom.

2007-08:

Harris was fourth on the team with 95 rebounds (3.2 per game), sixth in scoring with 97 points... She blocked 11 shots to rank fourth of the team... Season-best for scoring was her 13-point game (5-of-8 FG) vs. Northeastern (1/27), to go with her 10 rebounds and two blocks in 19 minutes off the bench.

Her first double-figure game was a 10-point effort vs. Mississippi Valley on 12/28, to go with her 10 rebounds. Seven of those 10 rebounds

were on the offensive end... In the CAA Tournament vs. William and Mary, Harris had her third double-figure game with 11 points on 5-of-7 FG in 16 minutes... Harris logged her most minutes with 30 vs. Georgia Tech on 12/22 and had six points, three rebounds, two assists and two steals... Had eight games with five or more rebounds, including a seven-board day vs. Drexel on 3/6 and six-rebound effort vs. Delaware on 1/24... High for blocked shots was two each vs. Gardner-Webb on 11/16 and Northeastern on 1/27.

High School:

Four-year varsity letterwinner for head coach Alvin Copeland and the Raiders... Averaged 18 points, 11 rebounds, four assists and five blocked shots as a senior.

Selected Most Valuable Player of North-South All-Star game, as well as MVP of the Middle Georgia Classic and her high school team... Named Bibb County Player of the Year in 2006-07... Chosen Female Athlete of the Year at



CHANDRA HARRIS

Northeast High... Team was Region 4-AAA champions in 2006-07 and advanced to the Elite Eight in the GHSA state playoffs... In second round playoff game, led team with 17 of its 48 points and seven assists in the win to advance to elite eight... Team finished with 24-7 record... Averaged 15 points, 10 rebounds, four blocked shots and three steals per game as a junior... Averaged 10 points, 10 rebounds per game as a sophomore and 15 points per game as a freshman.

Lettered for the Northeast Raiders' cross country squad for four years and the track team for three years... Finished tied for third in the state in the high jump with a 5-foot-2-inch leap... Earned honor roll certificate all four years in high school.

Personal:

Full name is Chandra Toleah Harris... Born July 12, 1989 in Macon, Ga... Parents are Linda and Charles Harris... Has an older sister, Charlyn, and younger twin brothers, Charles and Gregory.

A Harris COURT Case

Chandra's father, Charles, played four years at Iowa State as a 6-foot-2 guard. Now, 6-foot-2 Chandra is trying to make a better court statistical case than her father.

Dad had 184 career rebounds, but Chandra had 95 as a freshman.

Dad scored 538 points, while Chandra started with 97 as a freshman.

Dad had 41 steals his final two years; Chandra made her first 24 thefts.

Dad had 249 assists, daughter has 13.

Dad blocked 5 shots, Chandra already has 11 blocks.

Father, Charles, played basketball at Iowa State from 1977-81. Her dad, a 6-2 guard, scored 538 points, made 249 assists and had 184 rebounds for the Cyclones at Iowa State... Dad was all-state at Mt. DeSales and averaged 30 points a game... Enjoys shopping, spending time with family and friends and laughing... Fan of Dwayne Wade and the Miami Heat... Also fan of actress Sanaa Lathan... Plans on attending graduate school... Her mother, Linda, and her uncle, Tommy, inspire her the most in sports.

Goal is to get her college degree in sports medicine... Chose Georgia State because of its cultural diversity and its proximity to her hometown... Also received interest from Georgia Tech, Miami (Fla.) and Eastern Kentucky... Beginning studies towards a degree in kinesiology and health.

A Best of the Best

In high school in Macon, she won multiple awards.

Harris was named the Most Valuable Player of the Georgia North-South All-Star game, the Middle Georgia Classic and the Female Athlete of the Year at Northside High.

She was named the Bibb County Player of the Year.

In the spring, she was third in the state championship meet in the high jump.

CHANDRA HARRIS

HARRIS' CAREER BESTS

Pts:	13 vs. Northeastern, 1/27/08 11 vs. W & M, 3/13/08 [CAA] 10 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07 9 vs. William & Mary, 1/17/08 6 Four Times (UNC, Ga. Tech, Jackson State, NU)
Rebs:	10 vs. Northeastern, 1/27/08 10 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07 7 vs. Drexel, 3/6/08 6 vs. Delaware, 1/24/08 5 vs. Davidson, 11/17/07 5 vs. Old Dominion, 1/6/08 5 at Old Dominion, 1/31/08 5 at Northeastern, 2/24/08
Assists:	2 vs. Georgia Tech, 12/22/07 2 vs. Gardner-Webb, 11/16/07, 2 vs. MVSU, 12/28/07
Blocks:	2 vs. Gardner-Webb, 11/16/07 2 vs. Northeastern, 1/27/08
Steals:	3 vs. Gardner-Webb, 11/16/07, 3 vs. MVSU, 12/28
Min:	30 vs. Georgia Tech, 12/22/07

FRESHMAN SEASON

2007-08 Opponent	FG	3FG	FT	REB	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
NOVEMBER											
9 FLORIDA A&M	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	0	1	1	1	0	15
16 vs. Gardner-Webb	1-6	0-0	0-0	1-3=4	1	2	2	2	2	3	21
17 vs. Davidson	2-6	0-0	0-0	3-2=5	4	4	0	2	0	1	24
19 at North Carolina	3-8	0-0	0-0	0-3=3	4	6	0	4	0	2	22
24 JACKSONVILLE STATE	1-2	0-0	2-2	0-1=1	2	4	1	1	0	1	10
27 JACKSON STATE	2-4	0-0	2-2	0-1=1	1	6	0	0	0	2	15
DECEMBER											
7 at Alabama State	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0=0	2	0	1	0	0	0	6
17 at Winthrop	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-2=3	0	0	1	0	0	0	10
22 GEORGIA TECH	3-6	0-0	0-0	0-3=3	5	6	2	0	1	2	30
28 MISS. VALLEY STATE	4-10	0-0	2-6	7-3=10	2	10	2	1	0	3	28
29 #ALCORN STATE	1-5	0-0	0-0	1-3=4	0	2	0	2	0	0	11
JANUARY											
6 OLD DOMINION *	0-1	0-0	2-2	1-4=5	0	2	1	0	1	1	15
10 at James Madison *	0-1	0-0	1-2	0-2=2	2	1	0	2	0	0	10
13 at VCU *	0-2	0-0	0-0	2-2=4	2	0	0	4	0	0	16
17 WILLIAM & MARY *	3-4	0-0	3-4	2-1=3	1	9	0	2	0	0	18
20 at Hofstra *	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-1=2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
24 DELAWARE *	0-1	0-0	1-2	4-2=6	3	1	1	2	0	2	20
27 NORTHEASTERN *	5-8	0-0	3-5	4-6=10	2	13	1	1	2	0	19
31 at Old Dominion *	0-1	0-0	1-2	2-3=5	2	1	0	3	1	2	17
FEBRUARY											
3 TOWSON *	0-1	0-0	1-2	0-3=3	0	1	0	2	0	0	5
7 at Drexel *	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-2=3	0	0	0	1	0	0	8
10 at UNC Wilmington *	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	2	0	2	0	1	8
14 GEORGE MASON *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
17 VCU *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1=1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
21 UNC WILMINGTON *	1-2	0-0	2-2	1-0=1	3	4	0	1	0	2	18
24 at Northeastern *	3-7	0-0	0-0	1-4=5	2	6	0	3	0	1	21
28 at Delaware *	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0=0	1	0	0	1	0	0	7
MARCH											
2 at Towson *	1-2	0-0	0-2	0-1=1	0	2	0	1	1	0	5
6 DREXEL *	2-6	0-0	0-0	4-3=7	1	4	0	0	1	1	18
13 vs. No. 5 Wm. & Mary%	5-7	0-0	1-2	3-0=3	4	11	0	1	1	0	16

#- Started Game %- Tournament Game



HARRIS' CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G/GS	Min./Avg.	FG-A/FG%	3FG-A/3FG%	FT-A/FT%	O-D	TRb/Avg.	Asts.	Blks.	Stls.	Pts./Avg.
2007-08	30/1	430/14.3	38-94/.404	0-0/.000	21-38/.553	39-56	95/3.2	13	11	24	97/3.2
Career	30/1	430/14.3	38-94/.404	0-0/.000	21-38/.553	39-56	95/3.2	13	11	24	97/3.2

PLAYER PROFILE FRESHMAN



Bennett led two different high schools to State District Championships in Texas. She averaged **DOUBLE-DOUBLE SEASONS IN SCORING AND REBOUNDING**. She has always worn a uniform with her favorite number 4 on it in some way.

OVERVIEW:

Signed with the program in April during the 2008 Spring signing period... Post player with career double-double season averages.

Physical post player with scoring, rebounding and defensive skills that can grow into college game... Has aggressive attitude combined with solid work ethic... Was committed in classroom and may pursue a career in medicine.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Impressive athlete who was named first-team all-district for Jesse H. Jones High in Houston after spending most of first three years at Dulles High in Sugar Land in the Fort Bend District... Helped lead Falcons of Jones High and Coach Quincy Shelton to 20-4 record in 2007-08.

Led Dulles Vikings of Coach Doug Letchenberg to District title... She was on three teams that won the District Tournament... Was also a National Honor Society honor student in the classroom.

As senior, averaged 14.3 points, 11.7 rebounds, plus 3.3 blocks and 2.5 steals... Produced a 28-point, 18-rebound game in 2007-08.

At Dulles as a junior, had top game of 20 rebounds with 14 points and three blocked shots.

Played both center and power forward during career and has worn a uniform with her lucky number 4 in it her ca-



KYLA BENNETT

reer, and will continue with No. 14 at Georgia State.

Played two years AAU ball with the Houston Cobras, ranked No. 15 nationally and one year with the Houston Insiders, ranked No. 25 nationally.

Houston's Jones High has produced nationally-known alumnae like this year's NFL Hall of Fame DB Darrell Green, Denver Broncos DE Alfred Williams, NBC-TV reporter/White House correspondent Rosiland Jordan and actress Jobeth Williams (Kramer v. Kramer, Poltergeist, The Big Chill). Dulles High is where pitcher Roger Clemens first started before transferring, and is alma mater of Grammy winner Billy Stritch.

Being recruited, Bennett also received interest from the University of Tulsa and Blinn (Texas) College.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Kyla Anty'nese Bennett... Born Dec. 12, 1989 in Houston, Texas... Nickname was K.K..

Parents are James Simmons and Rose Bennett...Has a son, Kaleb...Father played basketball at Wiley College and then in Chicago Bulls camp.

Has older sister, Wyntress Bennett, 20, and younger brother, Justin Bennett, 15. Sister, who was a year ahead of her in school, played basketball and got her started playing in seventh grade ...Grew up a basketball fan of Michael Jordan, Paul Pierce and Allen Iverson... Favorite teams are the Celtics, Pistons and Georgia State Panthers..

Her hobbies include drawing, etching designs of clothing, and reading. Likes to draw cartoons, people and places she visits.

Chose Georgia State because of respect for coaching staff and chance to contribute immediately, as well as all the opportunities the city of Atlanta has to offer...Plans to start with classes and a major in biology leading toward a career in medicine.



PLAYER PROFILE FRESHMAN



Johnson led her teams to **THREE STRAIGHT FINAL FOURS** and earned **FIRST-TEAM ALL-STATE ALL THREE YEARS**. She was Most Valuable Player of a Holiday Tournament when she scored 75 points in the three Blue Wave wins.

OVERVIEW:

Signed with the program in November during the 2007 Fall signing period... Three-time first-team all-state pick in Florida.

Excellent point guard and team leader on squad that advanced to final four in each of last three years... Skilled athlete who can contribute in multiple ways, whether as a passer, a scorer or a defender...Potential to make an immediate impact on team.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Versatile athlete who was named first-team 3A all-state for three consecutive years as well as three-time all-area honoree for north Florida.

Led the Blue Wave of Yonge High and Coach Willie Powers to 26-4 record in 2007-08 and three straight 20-plus win seasons during career...Team advanced to Final Four her final three years.

Heading into senior campaign was listed as the No. 16 best overall player in Florida in all classifications by HoopGurlz... Was a nominee for the McDonald's All-American squad.

As senior, averaged 22 points, seven rebounds, four assists and three steals per game for a team ranked number three in the state... During the 16-team Perry and Mark McGriff State Farm December Holiday Tournament,

Johnson was Most Valuable Player after games of 27, 25 and 23 points. In the 25-point game, she stepped up with 23 in the second half and in the 23-point game, she produced 17 in the second half.



CRYSTAL JOHNSON



Her final high school game was in the state semi-finals where she scored a team-best 16 points, eight rebounds in a 57-50 game.

Johnson led her team with a 21-point game when they beat Lake Highland Prep for the Region title and led the team with 23 points in the district title win over Wiliston...Scored a career-best 34 points in a 61-47 win over Lake Butler. That was 56 percent of her team's points.

Played AAU ball with Essence International team out of Tallahassee that won the Nike Nationals in the fall of 2007.

Her high school coach noted "She is capable of scoring 30 points a game, but is unselfish and gives up personal numbers for team victories."

A highly-sought prospect, Johnson also received interest from Florida State, University of South Florida, Saint Joseph's and Central Michigan.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Crystal Maranda Danielle Johnson... Born Dec. 23, 1989 in Gainesville, Fla... Parents are Lopez (step-father, a correctional officer) and Janice Nelson.

Has one older brother, James Hobdy, who played guard at Yonge High and helped teach Crystal basketball... Mom works in a library and helped stress the importance of education as Crystal won a Scholar-Athlete of the Week award.

Enjoys the challenge of playing Xbox 360...Grew up a basketball fan of Michael Jordan and Kobe Bryant... Favorite teams are the Los Angeles Lakers and Georgia State Panthers.

Chose Georgia State because of respect for the coaching staff and a chance to contribute immediately to the program...Major is undecided.

PLAYER PROFILE FRESHMAN



Tylisa Williams

Guard • 5-8
Freshman
Atlanta, Ga.
Stephenson H.S.

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Williams was the **LEADING SCORER** on a **STATE CHAMPIONSHIP** team. Her overall game skills enabled her to be chosen the **METRO ATLANTA PLAYER OF THE YEAR** for all divisions. She is one of the most-sought after recruits signed in Georgia State history.

OVERVIEW:

Signed with the program in April during the 2008 Spring signing period... Metro Atlanta Player of the Year... Outstanding all-around player who comes from state championship program.

Superior athlete who can contribute in multiple ways, whether as a scorer, a playmaker or a defender...Potential to become a true outstanding guard at Georgia State with her energy and determination on both ends of the court.

HIGH SCHOOL:

The Atlanta Tipoff Club chose Williams as the Metro Atlanta Player of the Year for all divisions and the Atlanta Journal Constitution selected her as the Georgia 5A Player of the Year.

Played for head coach Dennis Watkins and the Jaguars of Stephenson High as the leading scorer on the 2007-08 state champion 29-3 team.

Averaged 18 points a game in 2007-08 for a team-oriented program that had never had a player average 15 points or more a game before she did...Had top scoring games of 34 and 33 points with a nine-steal game and four games with seven or more assists.

As a senior, averaged 4.0 steals per game, 3.6 assists and shot 76 percent from the free throw line...Once made 16-of-18 free throws in a game...Stepped up in the biggest games of the year (the state semifinal win over the No. 1 seed and the state championship game) by leading her team in scoring with 20 and 15 points, respectively, while

holding the other team's leading scorer to nine points...In that tournament win over the top seed, Williams fueled a defensive full-court press and scored 17 of her 20 points in the fourth quarter.

Finished as the all-time leading scorer in Stephenson his-



JYLISA WILLIAMS

tory ...Her teams won the Region 2 championship and advanced to the final four round all four years...Averaged 15.2 per game as a junior with 6.1 rebounds, 3.7 steals for the 31-1 Jaguars.

Among her other honors was being named Most Valuable Player at the Beach Ball Classic in Myrtle Beach, S.C., the MVP of the Gregg Street All-Star Classic and the two-time MVP of the DeKalb County Thanksgiving Classic.

Jylisa competed in volleyball for two years at Stephenson, ran track for two years (400 meters and 4x400 relay) and played one year of softball as a catcher.

She began athletic competition as a youth playing AAU soccer for three years, winning a championship, before taking up basketball in sixth grade...She was her track team's MVP at Stephenson Middle School. She played AAU basketball with the Georgia Peaches, the Georgia Metros and the Dream Team.

A highly-sought prospect, Williams also received interest from Alabama, LSU, Jacksonville State, VCU, UNC Wilmington and Alabama State. She made a campus visit to CAA rival VCU.

PERSONAL:

Full name is Jylisa Richelle Williams... Born Dec. 12, 1989 in Atlanta... Nickname is "Jeezy"... Parents are Joe Williams and Felecia Williams... Has two older brothers, Joe and Keith, and one older sister, Karmen.

Oldest brother Keith, 25, played college football at Florida A&M and professional football in the Canadian Football League. He was in the Montreal Alouettes camp in 2007 and signed with the Edmonton Eskimos in 2008.

Jylisa played the saxophone at Stephenson Middle School and was first chair...Fan of LeBron James, Paul Pierce and Kobe Bryant... Favorite teams are the Boston Celtics and Georgia State Panthers... Enjoys listening to music (favorite performer is Atlanta-based Grammy nominee Keyshia Cole) and watching or participating in most sports... Chose Georgia State because she loves her hometown city and wanted to represent the city and state...Aspires to become a basketball coach...Has worked as a volunteer assistant coach with an 11 & under team at Browns Mill Recreation Center...Plans to major in kinesiology and health.

