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GAME 1-3 // ATLANTA CHALLENGE

Stillwell Baseball Stadium | GSU Baseball Complex | Russ Chandler Stadium



Feb. 15 at Kennesaw State 2:30 p.m. ET

Video Facebook.com/KennesawStateOwls
Stats Statbroadcast.com

Feb. 16 at Georgia State 2 p.m. ET

Audio & Stats GeorgiaStateSports.com

Feb. 17 at Georgia Tech 1 p.m. ET

Video ACC Network Extra, WatchESPN
Stats GeorgiaTech.Statbroadcast.com

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WEST VIRGINIA MOUNTAINEERS

29-27 (9-15 Big 12)	2018 Record	25-30 (11-10 ASUN)
NR / 52	NCBWA / Final 2018 RPI	NR / 125
Randy Mazey (7th)	Head Coach (Season)	Mike Sansing (28th)
189-154 (376-314-2, 13th)	Record at School (Overall, Seasons)	992-581 (1,094-609, 31st)
Darius Hill (79)	2018 Hits Leader	Grant Williams (65)
Kyle Gray (.374)	2018 Avg. Leader (min. 125 AB)	Terence Norman (.333)
Sam Kessler (2.86)	2018 ERA Leader (min. 20.0 IP or 20 app.)	AJ Moore (3.24)
S. Ennis, S. Kessler, K. Strowd (4)	2018 Wins Leader	AJ Moore (5)

KENNESAW STATE OWLS

GEORGIA STATE PANTHERS

26-29 (10-19 Sun Belt)	2018 Record	31-27 (14-16 ACC)
NR / 137	NCBWA / Final 2018 RPI	31 / 56
Greg Frady (13th)	Head Coach (Season)	Danny Hall (26th)
355-324-1 (542-436-1, 19th)	Record at School (Overall, Seasons)	1,019-532-1 (1,227-649-1, 32nd)
Nick Gatewood (64)	2018 Hits Leader	Joey Bart (79)
Brandon Bell (.333)	2018 Avg. Leader (min. 125 AB)	Joey Bart (.359)
Hunter Gaddis (2.95)	2018 ERA Leader (min. 20.0 IP or 20 app.)	Connor Thomas (3.34)
Hunter Gaddis (9)	2018 Wins Leader	Curry Xzavion (8)

GEORGIA TECH YELLOW JACKETS

PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

2018 Stats

Alek Manoah • RHP • Jr. 3-5, 4.00 ERA, 60 K, 28 BB, 54.0 IP	Friday at KSU	Brooks Buckler • RHP • Sr. 4-4, 3.31 ERA, 48 K, 21 BB, 81.2 IP
Jackson Wolf • LHP • So. 1-1, 4.07 ERA, 24 K, 15 BB, 24.1 IP	Saturday at GSU	Jake Rogers • RHP • Sr. 4-6, 4.92 ERA, 47 K, 47 BB, 71.1 IP
Kade Strowd • RHP • Jr. 4-7, 5.74 ERA, 61 K, 36 BB, 62.2 IP	Sunday at Tech	Connor Thomas • LHP • Jr. 7-4, 3.34 ERA, 106 K, 10 BB, 97.0 IP

2019 SCHEDULE

Overall Record: 0-0

Big 12: 0-0 Non-Conference: 0-0
Home: 0-0 Away: 0-0 Neutral: 0-0

Fri., Feb. 15	at Kennesaw State ^	2:30 p.m.
Sat., Feb. 16	at Georgia State ^	2 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 17	at Georgia Tech ^	1 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 22	at Georgia Southern	6 p.m.
Sat., Feb. 23	at Georgia Southern	3 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 24	at Georgia Southern	11:30 a.m.
Fri., March 1	at Oregon State	8:35 p.m.
Sat., March 2	at Oregon State	4:35 p.m.
Sun., March 3	at Oregon State	4:05 p.m.
Fri., March 8	Kent State	3 p.m.
Sat., March 9	Kent State	2 p.m.
Sun., March 10	Kent State	1 p.m.
Tue., March 12	at Morehead State	3 p.m.
Wed., March 13	at Morehead State	3 p.m.
Fri., March 15	at William & Mary	6 p.m.
Sat., March 16	at William & Mary	4 p.m.
Sun., March 17	at William & Mary	1 p.m.
Tues., March 19	Youngstown State	3 p.m.
Fri., March 22	at Baylor * - FCS	7:35 p.m.
Sat., March 23	at Baylor * - FSSW	4:05 p.m.
Sun., March 24	at Baylor * - FSSW	1:05 p.m.
Wed., March 27	at Marshall &	6 p.m.
Fri., March 29	Oklahoma *	6:30 p.m.
Sat., March 30	Oklahoma *	4 p.m.
Sun., March 31	Oklahoma *	1 p.m.
Wed., April 3	Pitt	6:30 p.m.
Fri., April 5	at Oklahoma State * - FCS	7:05 p.m.
Sat., April 6	at Oklahoma State *	3:05 p.m.
Sun., April 7	at Oklahoma State * - FCS	2:05 p.m.
Wed., April 10	at Maryland	4 p.m.
Fri., April 12	Texas Tech *	6:30 p.m.
Sat., April 13	Texas Tech *	4 p.m.
Sun., April 14	Texas Tech *	1 p.m.
Wed., April 17	at Penn State	6:30 p.m.
Fri., April 19	Kansas *	6:30 p.m.
Sat., April 20	Kansas *	4 p.m.
Sun., April 21	Kansas *	1 p.m.
Tues., April 23	Penn State	7 p.m.
Fri., April 26	at Texas* - LHN	7:30 p.m.
Sat., April 27	at Texas* - LHN	3:30 p.m.
Sun., April 28	at Texas* - LHN	1 p.m.
Tues., April 30	Marshall	6:30 p.m.
Fri., May 3	TCU *	6:30 p.m.
Sat., May 4	TCU * - AT&T SportsNet	4 p.m.
Sun., May 5	TCU *	1 p.m.
Wed., May 8	at Virginia Tech	6 p.m.
Fri., May 10	at Kansas State *	7 p.m.
Sat., May 11	at Kansas State *	5 p.m.
Sun., May 12	at Kansas State *	12 p.m.
Tues., May 14	vs. Pitt #	6 p.m.
Thurs., May 16	George Washington	6:30 p.m.
Fri., May 17	George Washington	6:30 p.m.
Sat., May 18	George Washington	2 p.m.
May 22-26	Big 12 Championship %	TBD

* Big 12 Conference Game

^ Atlanta Challenge, Atlanta

& Appalachian Power Park, Charleston, W.Va.

PNC Park, Pittsburgh

% Phillips 66 Big 12 Championship, Oklahoma City

All times Eastern and subject to change

Home games, in **bold**, played at Monongalia County Ballpark



QUICK FACTS

General Information

Location Morgantown, W.Va.
 Founded 1867
 Nickname Mountaineers
 Conference Big 12
 Enrollment 31,442
 Colors Old Gold (PMS 124 C) and Blue (295 C)
 President Dr. E. Gordon Gee (Utah, '68)
 Director of Athletics Shane Lyons (WVU, '87)
 Athletic Department Phone 304-293-5621
 Ticket Office Phone 1-800-WVU GAME

Coaches and Staff

Head Coach Randy Mazey (7th Season)
 Alma Mater Clemson ('88)
 WVU Record 189-154 (7th Season)
 Career Record 376-314-2 (13th Season)
 Assistant Coach Steve Sabins (4th Season)
 Alma Mater Embry-Riddle ('11)
 Assistant Coach Mark Ginther (1st Season)
 Alma Mater Oklahoma State ('13)
 Volunteer Assistant Zach Barger (1st Season)
 Alma Mater West Virginia ('14)
 Strength Coach Sean Healy (1st Season)
 Director of Baseball Operations Pat Crowe
 Dir. of Player Development, Dir. of Camps Jared Fabian

Baseball History

First Season 1892
 Seasons 124th Season (127 Years)
 All-Time Record 2160-1555-19 (.581)
 All-Time Big 12 Record (Since 2013) 64-76
 NCAA Tournaments (Record) 12 (10-24)
 1955, 61, 62, 63, 64, 67, 82, 85, 87, 94, 96, 2017
 Conference Championships 19 (14 Reg, 5 Tourney)
 Regular Season: 1955, 61, 62, 63, 64, 67 (SoCon);
 1981, 82 (Eastern 8); 1984, 85, 86, 87, 88 (A-10);
 1996 (Big East)
 Tournament: 1982 (Eastern 8); 1985, 87, 94 (A-10);
 1996 (Big East)

Monongalia County Ballpark

Capacity 3,500
 First Season 2015
 All-Time Record 57-36
 Playing Surface AstroTurf, Clay Mound
 Dimensions RF/LF - 325, RC/LC - 375, CF - 400

Team Information

Lettermen Returning/Lost 20/10
 Starters Position Players Returning/Lost 7/2
 Position Players Returning/Lost 13/4
 Pitchers Returning/Lost 10/7
 Newcomers 15
 2017 Record (Big 12) 29-27 (9-15, 7th)
 2017 Postseason Big 12 Championship Semifinals

FOLLOWING THE MOUNTAINEERS

Website WVUsports.com
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For official news, notes and more on the Mountaineer baseball team, visit WVUsports.com, the official website of the West Virginia University Mountaineers

Social Media: @WVUBaseball

Don't miss a pitch this season by following and connecting with the Mountaineers on social media. By following @WVUBaseball on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram, fans will get official news and notes, behind-the-scenes updates and an exclusive look at the team both on and off the field.

Online Streaming

Every WVU home game will feature a free video stream on WVUsports.com/Watch and the WVU Gameday App. Links to each broadcast, along with road games being live streamed by the home team, can be found on the baseball schedule page on WVUsports.com.

Fans also can access the video streams via Roku and Apple TV by searching for the "West Virginia Mountaineers" channel.

Additionally, select practices, interviews and more will be broadcast live on Facebook or Periscope and can be accessed by following the team at @WVUBaseball.

MOUNTAINEERS ON THE RADIO

Full Schedule		
Market	Station	Frequency
Morgantown	"Jack-FM" WZST	100.9
Clarksburg	WPDX-FM/AM	104.9/750
Hinton	WMTD-FM	102.3
Richwood	WVAR-AM	600
Summersville	WVAR-FM	98.1
Sutton-Gassaway	WSBG-AM	1490
Sutton-Flatwoods	WSGB-FM	96.5

Partial Season (Check Local Listings)		
Market	Station	Frequency
Charleston	WJYP-AM	1300
Charleston	WMON-AM	1340
Charleston	WSCW-AM	1410
Martinsburg	WRNR-AM/FM	740/106.5
Martinsville	WETZ-AM/FM	1330/93.1

Postseason		
Market	Station	Frequency
Breckley-Fayetteville	WVBD-FM	100.7

Radio

WVU baseball can be heard on the radio throughout the state on the Mountaineer Sports Network from IMG. Dan Zangrilli will have the play-by-play call, while Ernie Galusky provides color commentary.

Radio Schedule

The 35-game radio schedule begins on March 22 with the Big 12 Conference opener at Baylor, and continues with every game through the end of the season, including the postseason.

Listen for Free Online and on Mobile

Fans across the world can listen to every broadcast for free on the WVU Gameday App and the TuneIn App on their mobile device, as well as online at WVUsports.com/Watch.

MEDIA INFORMATION

The West Virginia University Athletic Communications Office will be available throughout the 2019 season to accommodate any media requests.

Interviews During the Week

Any member of the media wishing to interview a student-athlete or member of the coaching staff during the week are asked to contact WVU baseball SID Charlie Healy (Charles.Healy@mail.wvu.edu or 304-293-2821) at least 24 hours in advance.

Postgame Interviews

Postgame interviews for all home games with coach Randy Mazey and select student-athletes will take place on the field 10 minutes following the conclusion of the game.

Receiving Information

Media members may receive press releases, notes and more via e-mail. To be added to the e-mail list, please e-mail Charles.Healy@mail.wvu.edu.

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2019 Season Commences at Atlanta Challenge

The 127th year of West Virginia University baseball begins this weekend at the Atlanta Challenge, from Feb. 15-17, with games at Kennesaw State, Georgia State and Georgia Tech in Atlanta.

Opening day is set for Friday, Feb. 15, at Kennesaw State's Stillwell Baseball Stadium. First pitch has been moved up 90 minutes to 2:30 p.m. ET, due to inclement weather expected in the area. The weekend continues at the GSU Baseball Complex against Georgia State on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 2 p.m., before WVU wraps up the Atlanta Challenge at Russ Chandler Stadium at Georgia Tech on Sunday, Feb. 17, at 1 p.m.

Junior right-handed pitcher Alek Manoah (3-5, 4.00 ERA in 2018) will toe the rubber on Friday night for WVU against KSU senior righty Brooks Buckler (4-4, 3.31 ERA). On Saturday, sophomore left-hander Jackson Wolf (1-1, 4.07 ERA) faces GSU senior right-hander Jake Rogers (4-6, 4.92 ERA). Sunday's finale will see junior righty Kade Strowd (4-7, 5.74 ERA) square off against Tech junior lefty Connor Thomas (7-4, 3.34).

The Mountaineers return 13 of 17 position players from last year's team and seven of nine starters. On the mound, 10 of 17 pitchers are back in 2019. In total, 20 of 30 lettermen return. WVU's 36-man roster features five seniors, 11 juniors, five sophomores and 15 freshmen. With several two-way players, four are catchers, 13 are infielders, eight are outfielders and 21 are pitchers. That includes 17 right-handers and four leftys.

West Virginia is coming off a 29-27 season in 2018 and advanced to the Big 12 Championship semifinals for the third consecutive season. One of two teams to make the last three Big 12 Championship semifinals, WVU was voted to finish sixth in the Big 12 Preseason Coaches' Poll. The Mountaineers have finished in the top four in the final Big 12 standings in three of their first six seasons in the league.

Several players have been recognized with regional or national preseason accolades. Manoah was named to the Golden Spikes Award Watch List and the Baseball America Preseason All-America Second Team, while senior right fielder Darius Hill was named to the Preseason All-Big 12 Team. Additionally, junior righty Sam Kessler was recognized on the preseason watch list for the Stopper of the Year Award.

Coach Randy Mazey is in his seventh season at WVU and owns a 189-154 record. The fifth coach to eclipse the 100-win mark in program history, he is 376-314-2 in his career.

In the national rankings, Georgia Tech is ranked No. 31 in the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association preseason poll, while the Yellow Jackets are No. 17 according to Collegiate Baseball and receiving votes in the USA Today Coaches Poll. The Mountaineers and KSU are both receiving votes in Collegiate Baseball's preseason rankings.

Following Along

There are a number of ways to follow along with this weekend's action in Atlanta. Direct links to video streams and live stats can be found on the baseball schedule page on WVUsports.com.

- Opening Day at Kennesaw State on Friday will be streamed live on KSU's Facebook page, at Facebook.com/KennesawStateOwls, and live stats can be found at Statbroadcast.com.
- On Saturday, Georgia State will have a live audio stream and stats, both available at GeorgiaStateSports.com.
- Sunday's game at Georgia Tech will be streamed via ACC Network Extra on WatchESPN, and live stats can be found at GeorgiaTech.Statbroadcast.com.
- Additional behind-the-scenes updates, news and notes can be found on social media by following and connecting with the team on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram at @WVUBaseball.

Quick Hits: Key Team Notes

- The 2019 season marks the **127th year of baseball** at West Virginia. Founded in 1892, WVU owns an all-time record of 2,160-1,555-19. The Mountaineers are the second-oldest program in the Big 12.
- **Coach Randy Mazey** is in his seventh season at the helm and owns a 189-154 record in Morgantown. He is the fifth coach in team history to eclipse the 100-win mark and the second to accomplish the feat in his first four seasons. Mazey is 376-314-2 in his career.
- Junior Alek Manoah was named to the **Golden Spikes Award Watch List and the Baseball America Preseason All-America Second Team**. Manoah is the third player in team history named to the Golden Spikes Watch List and the eighth on a preseason All-America team.
- Senior Darius Hill was voted to the **Preseason All-Big 12 Team** by the league's coaches.
- Junior Sam Kessler was recognized on the NCBWA **Stopper of the Year Award** Watch List.
- This year's freshman class is the **highest-ranked recruiting class in program history**. The signing class of 15 student-athletes was ranked No. 26 in the nation by Perfect Game, the best in WVU history and the first in the top 30.
- WVU was **picked to finish sixth in the Big 12 Preseason Coaches' Poll**. West Virginia has advanced to three consecutive Big 12 Championship semifinals and has finished fourth in the final standings in three of its first six years in the league.
- **Four Mountaineers were drafted last year**, and WVU has had 20 draft selection in coach Randy Mazey's six seasons, the most draft picks in a six-year stretch in team history. Highlighting the 2018 draft class was Michael Grove, who was picked by the Los Angeles Dodgers in the second round and became the fourth Mountaineer ever picked in the top two rounds and 11th in the top 10. He is WVU's highest draft pick since 2010.
- A pair of former Mountaineer left-handers **made their Major League debuts last season**, as Harrison Musgrave and John Means were called up by the Colorado Rockies and Baltimore Orioles, respectively. Musgrave made his debut on April 23 and made 35 relief appearances in 2018, while Means pitched in one game, on Sept. 26.
- With Musgrave and Means' debuts, **24 Mountaineers in program history have played in the big leagues**, and Means and Musgrave are the first players coached by Randy Mazey at WVU to earn an MLB call-up.
- Musgrave and Means join fellow Mountaineer and West Virginia native **Jedd Gyorko of the St. Louis Cardinals** currently on an MLB roster. Gyorko will begin his seventh MLB season in 2019.
- A total of **17 former Mountaineers played professional baseball** last season.

Honoring The Mountaineers

Darius Hill

Preseason All-Big 12 Team

College Baseball Daily All-Big 12 Preseason Team

Marques Inman

College Baseball Daily All-Big 12 Preseason

Honorable Mention

Sam Kessler

NCBWA Stopper of the Year Award Watch List

College Baseball Daily All-Big 12 Preseason Team

Alek Manoah

Golden Spikes Award Watch List

Baseball America Preseason All-America

Second Team

College Baseball Daily All-Big 12 Preseason

Honorable Mention



WVU's Record in 2018 When...

	Overall	Big 12
Home	15-8	6-6
Road	10-15	3-9
Neutral	4-4	0-0
Day Games	16-18	4-10
Night Games	13-9	5-5

vs. Top 25	5-3	3-3
Following Loss	15-11	6-8
TV Game	5-7	1-5

WVU Scores First	22-10	5-6
Opponent Scores First	7-17	4-9
WVU Scores in the 1st	17-5	3-2
Opp. Scores in the 1st	7-9	3-5

vs. Right-Handed Starter	19-17	6-11
vs. Left-Handed Starter	10-10	3-4

Hitting One Home Run	10-7	3-2
Hitting 2+ Home Runs	8-5	2-3
Not Hitting a Home Run	11-15	4-10

Shutouts	3-1	2-0
Extra Innings	3-1	0-0

Out-Hit Opponent	23-7	6-3
Equal Number of Hits	1-2	1-1
Get Out Hit by Opponent	5-18	2-11

One-Run Games	8-4	3-1
Two-Run Games	6-1	1-1
Five+ Run Games	9-9	3-5

Leading After 6	21-1	6-1
Trailing After 6	4-24	1-13
Tied After 6	4-2	2-1
Leading After 7	23-0	7-0
Trailing After 7	3-24	0-15
Tied After 7	3-2	2-0
Leading After 8	25-0	9-0
Trailing After 8	0-25	0-15
Tied After 8	4-1	0-0

Commit 0 Errors	10-4	3-3
Commit 1 Error	8-13	3-6
Commit 2+ Errors	11-10	3-6

Score 0-2 Runs	3-12	2-6
Score 3-5 Runs	3-12	1-7
Score 6-9 Runs	13-3	4-2
Score 10 or More Runs	10-0	2-0
Allow 0-2 Runs	8-2	3-1
Allow 3-5 Runs	13-5	4-3
Allow 6-9 Runs	7-14	2-6
Allow 10 or More Runs	1-6	0-5

February	2-5	0-0
March	8-9	1-5
April	12-5	5-4
May	7-8	3-6

Monday	0-0	0-0
Tuesday	4-1	0-0
Wednesday	4-1	0-0
Thursday	2-1	2-0
Friday	8-8	3-5
Saturday	7-9	3-6
Sunday	4-7	1-4

Up Next: At Georgia State

The Mountaineers return to the Peach State next weekend for a three-game set at Georgia State, from Feb. 22-24. The series in Statesboro, Georgia, begins on Friday, Feb. 22, at 6 p.m. ET. First pitch at J.I. Clements Stadium on Saturday is set for 3 p.m., while the series concludes at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday.

Returners in the 2018 NCAA Rankings

Players in the top 50 nationally or top 10 in the Big 12

Statistic	Player	Total	NCAA	Big 12
Walks	Braden Zarbnisky	42	80	4
BB Per Game	Braden Zarbnisky	.86	30	2
Doubles	Darius Hill	20	36	4
	Marques Inman	20	36	4
Doubles/Game	Marques Inman	0.38	31	1
	Darius Hill	0.36	50	5
Hits	Darius Hill	79	91	5
Hits/Game	Darius Hill	1.41	83	4
Sacrifice Bunts	Tyler Doanes	8	114	3
	Braden Zarbnisky	8	114	3
Sac Bunts/Game	Braden Zarbnisky	0.17	101	3
Stolen Bases	Braden Zarbnisky	27	23	3
	Brandon White	22	63	5
SB/Game	Braden Zarbnisky	0.55	20	1
	Brandon White	0.39	79	5
AB/Strikeouts	Darius Hill	12.0	32	2
Triples	Tyler Doanes	4	79	5

The Mountaineers ranked among the NCAA and Big 12 leaders in several categories last season. West Virginia paced the Big 12 and ranked No. 18 nationally with 95 stolen bases, while its .280 batting average was third-best in the conference. Additionally, WVU was No. 4 in the conference in sacrifice bunts (31) and double plays turned (51).

Mazey Climbing Up the Wins Chart

Coach Randy Mazey is in his seventh season at WVU and is 189-154.

- After leading WVU to the NCAA Tournament in 2017, Mazey was named the East Regional Coach of the Year by the American Baseball Coaches Association (ABCA) and the Chuck Tanner College Coach of the Year Award by the Rotary Club of Pittsburgh.
- Mazey became the fifth coach in program history to eclipse the 100-win mark in 2016 and the second to accomplish the feat in his first four seasons.
- Mazey joins Ira Errett Rodgers (1921-42, 46), Steve Harrick (1948-67), Dale Ramsburgh (1968-94) and Greg Van Zant (1995-2012) with at least 100 wins at WVU.
- Along with Mazey, only Van Zant won his 100th game in his fourth season. Harrick won his 100th game in his eighth, and Rodgers and Ramsburgh reached the milestone in their ninth seasons at WVU.
- In his career, Mazey is 376-314-2 and eclipsed the 300-win mark on May 6, 2016.

Homegrown Talent

Three West Virginia natives are on the 2019 roster, tied for the fourth-most represented state on the team, behind Florida and Texas (5) and Ohio (4).

Player	Position	Year	Hometown
Chase Illig	C	r-Jr.	Bluefield
Madison Jeffrey	RHP	Fr.	Barboursville
Beau Lowery	LHP	Fr.	Martinsburg

WVU Fifth in Big 12 Preseason Poll

West Virginia was voted to finish sixth in the 2019 Big 12 Conference preseason coaches' poll.

- WVU is one of two teams to make three consecutive Big 12 Championship semifinal appearances.
- The Mountaineers have finished in the top four in the final Big 12 standings in three of their first six seasons in the league.
- Despite its early success since joining the conference, West Virginia has never been voted better than fifth in the preseason poll.

2019 Big 12 Coaches Preseason Poll

1.	Texas Tech (6)	61
2.	Baylor (2)	58
3.	TCU (1)	48
4.	Texas	40
5.	Oklahoma State	39
6.	West Virginia	31
7.	Oklahoma	23
8.	Kansas	16
9.	Kansas State	8

First-place votes in parentheses. Coaches were not permitted to vote for their own team.

Highest-Ranked Recruiting Class in 2019

This year's freshman class comes to Morgantown as the highest-ranked recruiting class in program history.

- The signing class is ranked No. 26 in the nation by Perfect Game, the best in WVU history and the first in the top 30.
- This year's class eclipses the 2016 class, ranked No. 41 on signing day in 2015.
- The class features Ryan Bergert, Drew Britt, Alec Burns, Austin Davis, Phillip Dull, Brock Helverson, Madison Jeffrey, Gabe Kurtzhals, Jeremy Lapp-Barger, Beau Lowery, Paul McIntosh, Zach Ottinger, Daniel Ouderkirk, JJ Sousa and Tevin Tucker.
- McIntosh comes to West Virginia from Motlow State CC, and he was drafted by the Los Angeles Angels in the 34th round of the 2018 MLB Draft.
- Additionally, WVU's 2019 signing class is ranked No. 38 by Perfect Game, the second-best in WVU history and the second ever to be ranked inside the top 40.

Record-Setting Draft Success

West Virginia has experienced unprecedented success in the Major League Baseball Draft in Randy Mazey's tenure. WVU has had 20 draft picks in Mazey's six seasons, the most in a six-year stretch in team history.

- At least two West Virginia players have been drafted in each of Mazey's six seasons.
- In the 2018 draft, Michael Grove was selected in the second round by the Los Angeles Dodgers, Kyle Gray was drafted in the 14th round by the New York Yankees, junior Jimmy Galusky was picked in the 20th round by the Chicago White Sox and senior BJ Myers was selected by the Tampa Bay Rays in the 35th round.
- Grove became the fourth Mountaineer ever picked in the top two rounds, and 11th in the top 10. He is WVU's highest draft pick since 2010.
- WVU's four draft picks in 2018 are tied for third-most in a single draft in team history.
- There have been 90 Mountaineer draft picks since the first draft was held in 1965.

Series History vs. Kennesaw State

All-Time	First Meeting
Last Meeting	0-0
In Morgantown	0-0
Under Coach Mazey	0-0
In Kennesaw, Ga.	0-0
Neutral Site	0-0

Friday marks the first-ever meeting between Kennesaw State and WVU. The Mountaineers are 13-9 all-time against current members of the Atlantic Sun Conference following a season-opening series at Jacksonville in 2018. West Virginia posted a 5-4 win on Opening Day before JU claimed the last two contests.

Scouting the Owls

Kennesaw State went 25-30 in 2018 and 19-15 at home. The Owls finished 11-10 in Atlantic Sun play and placed third in the conference. Twenty-four players return from last season, which includes 15 returning pitchers and just four newcomers.

Entering his 28th season at KSU, Mike Sansing is the winningest coach in program history. He has led the Owls to seven national tournaments and two national titles, winning the NAIA crown in 1994 and the 1996 NCAA Division II championship. Sansing holds a 992-581 record at KSU and is 1,094-609 overall in 30 years as a head coach.

Series History vs. Georgia State

All-Time	First Meeting
Last Meeting	0-0
In Morgantown	0-0
Under Coach Mazey	0-0
In Atlanta	0-0
Neutral Site	0-0

Saturday marks the first time WVU has faced Georgia State. The Mountaineers are 9-17 all-time against current members of the Sun Belt Conference. West Virginia's last meeting against a Sun Belt team came last season, with a 5-2 loss at Coastal Carolina.

Scouting the Panthers

Georgia State posted a 26-29 record in 2018 and an 18-14 mark at home. The Panthers went 10-19 in Sun Belt play and finished fifth in the league's East Division. GSU returns 19 letterwinners in 2019, including by junior right-handed pitcher Hunter Gaddis, the Sun Belt Preseason Pitcher of the Year.

Greg Frady begins his 13th season at the helm of Georgia State and is the winningest coach in program history. He was named the Panthers' eighth head coach in 2006 and is 355-324-1 at Georgia State and 542-436-1 in 18 seasons as a head coach. Frady led the Panthers to a school-record 39 victories in 2009, capped by GSU's first conference title and NCAA Tournament berth.

Series History vs. Georgia Tech

All-Time	Georgia Tech leads, 4-0
Last Meeting	2/21/1999, L, 7-6
In Morgantown	0-0
Under Coach Mazey	0-0
In Atlanta	0-4
Neutral Site	0-0

Date	Site	Result
3/3/1995	Atlanta	L, 11-1
3/4/1995	Atlanta	L, 8-2
2/20/1999	Atlanta	L, 8-2
2/21/1999	Atlanta	L, 7-6

West Virginia is 0-4 all-time against Georgia Tech, with all four meetings coming in Atlanta. The Yellow Jackets claimed a pair of home wins in 1995, 11-1 and 8-2, and the two teams met again in 1999 to open the season. WVU lost the season opener, 8-2, before a 7-6 the following day.

Scouting Yellow Jackets

Georgia Tech went 31-27 and 25-10 at home in 2018. The Yellow Jackets posted a 14-16 record in ACC play and finished fourth in the conference's Atlantic Division. The team was ranked No. 31 in the NCBWA preseason poll, one of seven ACC teams to earn a spot in the preseason rankings.

Entering his 26th season with the Yellow Jackets, Danny Hall is the winningest coach in team history. He has tallied a record of 1,019-532-1 at Georgia Tech, with a career record of 1,227-649-1 in 31 seasons. Hall has led Tech to 20 NCAA Regional appearances in 25 seasons, as well as five ACC regular-season and tournament championships.

Statistical Comparison

(NCAA/Conference Rankings in parentheses)

Record (Conf.)	29-27 (9-15)	25-30 (11-10)	26-29 (10-19)	31-27 (14-16)
Home	15-8	19-15	18-14	25-10
Road (Neutral)	10-15 (4-4)	6-13 (0-2)	8-14 (0-1)	6-14 (0-3)
vs. Top-25	5-3	0-2	0-0	6-14
Win-Loss Pct.	.518 (136/7)	.455 (184/6)	.473 (170/8)	.534 (124/8)
Hitting Statistics				
Batting Average	.280 (76/3)	.274 (115/3)	.262 (191/4)	.293 (33/2)
Hits	540 (89/5)	519 (118/2)	482 (182/7)	593 (32/4)
Runs	319 (130/8)	315 (134/3)	294 (171/6)	375 (49/7)
Runs Per Game	5.7 (134/8)	5.7 (130/3)	5.3 (173/6)	5 (37/3)
Doubles	105 (66/6)	99 (101/2)	88 (164/6)	103 (81/4)
Triples	16 (49/5)	9 (195/5)	8 (214/10)	10 (175/8)
Home Runs	46 (83/6)	39 (133/3)	46 (83/3)	67 (23/3)
On Base Pct.	.364 (129/8)	.354 (177/4)	.358 (156/5)	.376 (70/7)
Slugging Pct.	.423 (71/5)	.397 (127/3)	.393 (133/4)	.450 (28/3)
Walks	230 (116/8)	203 (183/7)	240 (97/5)	248 (80/9)
Stolen Bases	95 (18/1)	43 (189/5)	51 (149/7)	37 (228/12)
SB-Attempts	95-131	43-62	52-69	28-44
Sacrifice Bunts	31 (114/4)	28 (144/5)	34 (80/5)	24 (184/11)
Sacrifice Flies	21 (156/7)	19 (192/6)	19 (192/7)	19 (192/12)
Hit by Pitch	35 (265/9)	45 (216/6)	47 (208/11)	42 (229/13)

Pitching Statistics				
ERA	4.79 (152/6)	5.37 (208/7)	5.22 (195/10)	4.95 (171/10)
K-to-BB Ratio	1.78 (177/5)	1.63 (213/6)	1.54 (235/11)	2.82 (12/1)
K per 9 Inn.	8.5 (86/5)	8.1 (122/3)	8.0 (133/7)	8.8 (48/8)
BB per 9 Inn.	4.76 (230/6)	4.98 (243/7)	5.18 (258/12)	3.13 (24/1)
Hits per 9 Inn.	9.02 (123/6)	8.97 (116/3)	9.04 (125/7)	9.64 (194/13)
WHIP	1.53 (173/6)	1.55 (186/7)	1.58 (200/10)	1.42 (102/10)
Opponent BA	.261	.263	.266	.243
Shutouts	3 (109/6)	0	3 (109/7)	5 (37/3)
Fielding Statistics				
Fielding Pct.	.960 (253/9)	.970 (134/3)	.964 (217/10)	.969 (144/10)
Double Plays	51 (37/4)	39 (167/3)	50 (39/3)	46 (75/3)
Triple Plays	0	0	0	0
National Rankings				
NCBWA	NR	NR	NR	31
USA Today Coaches	NR	NR	NR	RV
Baseball America	NR	NR	NR	NR
Collegiate Baseball	RV	RV	NR	17
D1 Baseball	NR	NR	NR	NR
Final 2018 RPI	52	125	137	56



The Last Time...

A Mountaineer Hitter Had:

Seven At-Bats	Ivan Gonzalez, at Marshall, 4/24/18
Six Hits	Vince Belnome, Cincinnati, 5/10/09
Five Hits	Braden Zarbnisky, at WKU, 3/3/18
Four Hits	Braden Zarbnisky, at WKU, 3/3/18
Five Runs	Grant Buckner, Notre Dame, 5/8/10
Four Runs	Braden Zarbnisky, Big 12 vs. Texas Tech, 5/25/18
Three Doubles	Jackson Cramer, at Coastal Carolina, 2/25/17
Two Doubles	Ivan Gonzalez, at Kansas, 5/5/18
Two Triples	Austin Markel, vs. Pitt, 5/21/09
Grand Slam	Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
Hit For the Cycle	Billy Fleming, at Kansas, 5/11/14
10 RBIs	Grant Buckner, Notre Dame, 5/8/10
Nine RBIs	Vince Belnome, Cincinnati, 5/10/09
Eight RBIs	Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
Seven RBIs	8, Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
Six RBIs	8, Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
10+ Total Bases	12, Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
Four Walks	Braden Zarbnisky, vs Penn State, 4/10/18
Three Walks	Braden Zarbnisky, vs Penn State, 4/10/18
Four Strikeouts	Kyle Gray, Baylor, 5/19/18
Stole Home	Jimmy Galusky, at Marshall, 4/24/18
Three Stolen Bases	Brandon White, Pitt, 4/11/18
Three Home Runs	Kevin Brophy, Illinois, 2/24/18
Two Home Runs	Kyle Gray, at Kansas, 5/5/18

A Mountaineer Pitcher Had:

No-Hitter	Josh Whitlock, Coppin State, 4/3/07
One-Hitter	Zac Cline, Virginia Tech, 5/23/03
Complete Game	Ross Vance, at Kansas State, 4/3/15
9-Inning Complete Game	BJ Myers, Kansas, 4/7/17
15+ Strikeouts	15, David Maust, Cleveland State, 3/11/01
10+ Strikeouts	11, Kade Strowd, at Middle Tennessee, 3/11/18

A WVU Team:

Scored 30+ Runs	30, New Jersey Tech, 3/8/09
Scored 25+ Runs	26, Coppin State, 3/24/08
Scored 20+ Runs	21, at Kansas, 5/4/18
Had 30+ Hits	32, New Jersey Tech, 3/8/09
Had 25+ Hits	29, at Coastal Carolina, 2/25/17
Had 20+ Hits	23, at Kansas, 5/4/18
Had 10+ Doubles	14, Coppin State, 4/21/98
Had 5+ Triples	7, at Kansas, 5/4/18
Had Three Triples	at Nicholls, 3/2/17
Had Seven Home Runs	Duquesne, 1997
Had Six Home Runs	vs Maryland, 6/2/17
Had Five Home Runs	vs Maryland, 6/2/17
Had 10+ Walks	11, at Marshall, 4/24/18
Stole Eight Bases	Pittsburgh, 3/24/06
Had a Shut Out	Kansas State, 4/21/18
Had Two or Less Hits	1, at Jacksonville, 2/18/18
Struck Out 15+ Batters	16, at Marshall, 4/24/15
Was Shut Out – Overall	at Tennessee Tech, 3/13/18
Was Shut Out – At Home	Texas Tech, 5/6/17
Was Shut Out – On the Road	at Tennessee Tech, 3/13/18
Had 50+ At-Bats	50, at Marshall, 4/24/18
Had 20+ RBIs	20, at Kansas, 5/4/18
Had 50+ Total Bases	51, at Coastal Carolina, 2/25/17
Had 30+ Total Bases	36, at Kansas, 5/4/18

Season Preview

The West Virginia University baseball team officially opens the 2019 season on Friday, eager to prove itself against a challenging 53-game schedule in one of the nation's best baseball conferences.

As the season begins at the Atlanta Challenge in Atlanta, seventh-year coach Randy Mazey will have a veteran-laden team with plenty of experience alongside a freshman class that is the highest-ranked recruiting class in program history.

The Mountaineers return 13 of 17 position players from last year's team and seven of nine starters. On the mound, 10 of 17 pitchers are back in 2019. In total, 20 of 30 lettermen return.

"There's no substitute for experience," Mazey said. "I think the guys like (seniors) Darius Hill Ivan Gonzalez, (redshirt junior) Marques Inman, (sophomore) Tyler Doanes and (junior) Brandon White have played a lot in their careers. If you're going to have a good team, you have to look for experience and leadership, and we have it in some areas."

Hill, Gonzalez and White have started more than 100 games in their careers, Hill in right field, Gonzalez at catcher and White in center field, while Inman has 84 career starts, including 51 last year, primarily at first base. Doanes played in 43 games with 29 starts as a freshman and was a consistent presence at third base in the second half of the season.

"Experience is the best teacher; most of the guys in the lineup have been playing since their freshman year, so they've played in every Big 12 stadium," Mazey added. "They're not going to see anything that they haven't seen before. That has a calming effect on the rest of the crowd, when those guys don't get too out of control with their emotions. I'm hoping the experience of this team really helps us."

With plenty of returning star power, the Mountaineers have several players who have been recognized with regional or national preseason accolades. Junior right-hander Alek Manoah was named to the Golden Spikes Award Watch List and the Baseball America Preseason All-America Second Team, while Hill was named to the Preseason All-Big 12 Team. Junior righty Sam Kessler was recognized on the preseason watch list for the Stopper of the Year Award.

Despite those preseason honors and returning experience, not to mention three consecutive Big 12 Championship semifinal appearances, the Mountaineers were picked to finish sixth in the 2019 Big 12 Conference Preseason Coaches' Poll.

The low ranking is just fine with Mazey though.

"That's not very good for everybody else; I think that's really good for us," Mazey said. "I think our guys know we're better than that, and that's going to enable them to play with a chip on their shoulder, something to prove. Any time you get a group of kids with something to prove and they're willing to do it, that can be dangerous for the other team."

That mentality has helped West Virginia in its first six seasons in the Big 12. WVU has finished in the top four in the final Big 12 standings in three of its first six seasons in the league and, despite its early success since joining the conference, has never been voted better than fifth in the preseason poll.

"Just do what we do," Mazey said of his team's success since joining one of the toughest conferences in the country. "We've had a history here of really playing better in the Big 12 than we have in (non-conference games). I'm not worried about our kids as far as that goes, with the experience of this team and the fact that we're not going to get in awe of anybody at this point. We know that we can beat anybody we play on our schedule. We've had a lot of success in the Big 12, and I don't see why this year will be any different."

The Mountaineers' challenging 53-game schedule features 22 home games and 30 road contests, including the Backyard Brawl against Pitt at PNC Park in Pittsburgh, and a matchup with Marshall at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston.

Additionally, nearly half of the schedule, 23 games, is against teams that made the 2018 NCAA Tournament. That includes nine games against teams that advanced to the 2018 College World Series, with a three-game series at Oregon State, the 2018 national champions, along with a home series against Texas Tech and a road set at Texas. NCAA Tournament teams also include Oklahoma and Kent State at home and Baylor, Oklahoma State and Morehead State on the road.

On Opening Day, WVU's 36-man roster will feature five seniors, 11 juniors, five sophomores and 15 freshmen. With several two-way players, four are catchers, 13 are infielders, eight are outfielders and 21 are pitchers. That includes 17 right-handers and four leftys.

NCBWA Poll

Preseason

	Team	2018 Record	Final 2018
1	Vanderbilt	35-27	6
2	LSU	39-27	NR
3	Texas Tech	45-20	5
4	UCLA	38-21	26
5	Oregon State	53-11-1	1
6	Florida	49-21	3
7	North Carolina	44-20	6
8	Stanford	46-12	17
9	Louisville	45-19	27
10	Florida State	43-19	22
11	Ole Miss	48-17	18
12	Georgia	39-21	20
13	Mississippi State	39-29	4
14	East Carolina	44-18	23
15	Arkansas	47-19	2
16	Baylor	37-21	NR
17	Clemson	47-16	19
18	Texas	42-23	7
19	Auburn	43-23	10
20	Oklahoma State	31-26-1	NR
21	TCU	33-23	NR
22	Coastal Carolina	43-19	24
23	Michigan	33-20	NR
24	Cal State Fullerton	36-25	14
25	Duke	45-18	9
26	Southern Miss	44-18	25
27	Minnesota	43-15	15
28	Wake Forest	25-32	NR
29	UC Irvine	32-24	NR
30	NC State	42-18	21
31	Georgia Tech	31-27	NR
32	Arizona	34-22	NR
33	Florida Atlantic	43-19-1	29
34	Washington	35-26	8
35	UConn	37-22-1	NR
36	Missouri State	40-17	NR
37	Indiana	40-19	29
38	Tennessee Tech	53-12	11
39	San Diego State	39-21	NR
40	Houston	38-25	NR

Others receiving votes (Alphabetical):

Arizona State, Dallas Baptist, Elon, Gonzaga, Houston Baptist, Illinois, Kentucky, Louisiana, Louisiana Tech, Miami, North Carolina A&T, Ohio State, **Oklahoma**, Oral Roberts, Oregon, Saint John's, South Alabama, South Carolina, Stetson, Stony Brook, Texas A&M, Troy, UNCW

D1 Baseball Top 25

Preseason

	Team	2018 Record	Final 2018
1	Vanderbilt	35-27	18
2	LSU	39-27	NR
3	Texas Tech	45-20	6
4	Louisville	45-19	NR
5	UCLA	38-21	23
6	Florida	49-21	3
7	North Carolina	44-20	5
8	Oregon State	55-12-1	1
9	Georgia	39-21	19
10	Ole Miss	48-17	15
11	East Carolina	44-18	NR
12	Stanford	46-12	17
13	Florida State	43-19	21
14	Mississippi State	39-29	4
15	Baylor	37-21	NR
16	Arkansas	48-21	2
17	Michigan	33-21	NR
18	Oklahoma State	31-26-1	NR
19	TCU	33-23	NR
20	Wake Forest	25-32	NR
21	Coastal Carolina	43-19	NR
22	Auburn	43-23	13
23	Texas	42-23	7
24	Clemson	47-16	20
25	Cal State Fullerton	36-25	16

WVU opponents listed in **bold**.

"The beautiful part about this team is that I think we can win games in a variety of ways," Mazey said. "If the power doesn't show up one day, I think the speed will, and if the speed doesn't show up, the power will. We're pretty multi-dimensional as far as that goes."

Position-by-Position Breakdown

INFIELD

While there will be some turnover in the infield from last season, many of those changes are familiar faces.

Inman, who started 51 games as a redshirt sophomore in 2018, will get the start at first base, where he made 41 starts at the position last season and had an impressive year at the plate. Expected to man second base will be Doanes, who earned his way into a starting role and made 23 starts at third base as a freshman in 2018. Freshman Tevin Tucker is anticipated to be the shortstop, while there are several candidates to play third.

An All-Big 12 Honorable Mention in 2018, Inman led the team with 20 doubles and 40 RBIs, was third with a .319 batting average, 61 hits, six home runs, a .529 slugging percentage and 101 total bases. He was fourth with 20 walks, fifth with 31 runs scored and a .387 on-base percentage.

"Marques Inman has locked down the first base position," Mazey said. "He has a lot of experience there, and is a middle of the lineup hitter. Additionally, Kevin Brophy and Andrew Zitel can back him up if need be."

Doanes was on the Big 12 All-Freshman Team and collected All-Big 12 Honorable Mention accolades in an impressive first-year campaign. In 43 games, Doanes led the team with four triples, was second with a .407 on-base percentage and fourth with a .317 batting average and a .475 slugging percentage with 32 hits, 20 RBIs and five doubles.

"Tyler Doanes, at least for the time being, is going to move to second base, which is a position that suits him a lot better," Mazey said. "He's a great communicator, has great leadership abilities. Right up the middle we can surround those young kids with experience."

A Petersburg, Virginia, native, Tucker comes to WVU from Prince George High, where he helped his team with its first-ever state title in 2019. Tucker was a two-time first team all-conference, first team all-region, second team all-state and all-academic team honoree. He was ranked No. 7 overall and No. 2 among shortstops in Virginia by Perfect Game.

"He's a really dynamic kid, a dynamic kid who's fun to be around," Mazey said. "I just want him to have fun and play baseball. He has a lot of older guys around him at those positions that are going to help calm him down. So, just go do what you do, that's why you're here. We'll live with some mistakes, but that's how you grow, that's what he's going to do."

At third base, junior Kevin Brophy, senior Andrew Zitel and Gonzalez all have experience at the hot corner, while sophomore Tristen Hudson also could see time at third. Brophy is back after suffering a season-ending injury last season. In 18 games with 16 starts, he hit six

home runs and had a .566 slugging percentage with a .226 batting average, 12 hits and 13 RBIs. Fourteen of his 16 starts came at first base, but Brophy saw time at third base as a freshman, where he appeared in 25 games and had three starts at third.

Prior to the 2018 season, Zitel played in a total of 29 career games with four starts. Last season, he played in 44 games with 28 starts and hit .235 with 27 hits, 18 runs scored, 16 RBIs, five doubles, one home run and a .304 slugging percentage.

Primarily a catcher, Gonzalez is another player who could see time at third base. He saw consistent time at the hot corner as a freshman and 20 starts at the position while serving as the backup catcher. He started another six games in 2017 and eight in 2018 at third.

Hudson played in 12 games in the field as a freshman, with six appearances as a pinch runner, four as a pinch hitter and two at second base. He hit .125 with one hit, a double, in eight at-bats with a run scored.

OUTFIELD

Much like three of the four infield positions, right and center field are set by a pair of veterans who have patrolled the outfield nearly every game of their career. Hill will once again be in right, with White in center. There are several options in left field, including redshirt junior TJ Lake and freshman Austin Davis. Senior Braden Zarbnisky, who also is a pitcher, will miss the season with an injury.

"Brandon White and Darius Hill have been experienced starters out there and really good players for us," Mazey said. "With the loss of Braden Zarbnisky in left field, that opens up a spot for somebody. TJ Lake has stepped up and played really well in left field, and I have a young kid named Austin Davis who is pretty dynamic and will probably see some time there as well."

Hill, who ranks in the top-10 in program history in five career statistical categories, is a multiple-time freshman All-American, has been named to two ABCA All-Region teams and three All-Big 12 teams in his career. Last year, he led the team with 79 hits and 20 doubles, was second with a .329 batting average, 41 hits and 115 total bases, third with 36 RBIs and two triples and fourth with a .479 slugging percentage.

White earned All-Big 12 Honorable Mention accolades in each of his first two years as a Mountaineer. While making highlight-reel plays in center, he finished second on the team with 22 stolen bases in 2018, which ranked No. 6 in WVU history. White was third with 33 walks, fourth with 58 hits and a .392 on-base percentage, fifth with a .289 batting average and 72 total bases and had 20 RBIs, 30 runs scored and seven doubles.

Lake played in 45 games as a redshirt freshman in 2017 and 11 of WVU's first 18 games with six starts last season, before he suffered a season-ending injury. Fifteen of his 23 career starts have come in the outfield. In 2017, Lake hit .233 with 17 hits, five RBIs and six stolen bases in eight attempts.

Davis comes to WVU from Orlando, where he



was named a Rawlings-Perfect Game Honorable Mention All-American in 2016 and 2018. He is a two-time all-metro honoree and can play both the infield and outfield.

CATCHER

A freshman All-American and two time- All-Big 12 Honorable Mention honoree, Gonzalez has plenty of experience behind the plate, with 91 starts as catcher, and ranks No. 10 in WVU history with 780 career putouts.

Gonzalez has produced solid offensive numbers throughout his career. As a junior in 2018, he finished fourth on the team with 11 doubles, fifth with 51 hits, 25 RBIs and 18 walks and hit .255 with one home run, 25 runs scored and a .325 slugging percentage.

Sophomores Connor Hamilton and Paul McIntosh will be Gonzalez's backups behind the plate. Redshirt junior Chase Illig will miss the season with an injury.

Hamilton played in 24 games last year with four starts, one as catcher. He hit .132 with five hits and five RBIs. McIntosh comes to West Virginia from Motlow State CC. He hit 16 home runs with 48 RBIs, a .331 batting average, 57 hits and a .680 slugging percentage and a .510 on-base percentage. McIntosh joined the Mountaineers after he was drafted by the Los Angeles Angels in the 34th round of the 2018 MLB Draft.

"Ivan has been a mainstay behind the plate," Mazey said. "We rely heavily on him, but we can't expect him to catch all 56 games. Paul McIntosh is a very talented hitter who does a good job catching. He'll see some time behind home plate, and could also play in left field, while Connor Hamilton is another option we have."

DESIGNATED HITTER

There are several options in the designated hitter spot, and a lot of that depends on who is playing third base and left field. For Mazey, he doesn't have a set way he uses the position. Whoever can help the team score runs and win, he'll use.

"The DH spot for me is anybody who can help you score runs, however they can do it. If they're a bunter and a runner, or a hit-and-run guy that helps the offense, you can slide into that DH spot that way too."

Early candidates include Brophy, Davis Hamilton, Hudson, Lake, McIntosh and Zitel.

PITCHING

Mazey's starting rotation for the opening weekend is set, with Manoah getting the ball on Friday at Kennesaw State. Sophomore left-hander Jackson Wolf will start on Saturday at Georgia State and junior righty Kade Strowd will toe the rubber on Sunday at Georgia Tech.

Manoah's Friday start comes after a strong summer in the Cape Cod League. That followed a sophomore season in which he appeared in 23 games with eight starts. He was second on the team with 60 strikeouts and posted a 3-5 record with two saves and a 4.00 ERA.

"He's been really good so far," Mazey said. "I think he made a decision this summer that he's going to get really serious about playing this game for a living, and I think the results have shown. He's been pitching really well so far this spring. He's going to have to be a workhorse for us, go out and give us 100, 120 pitches every time out.

"He has all three pitches going on really well right now; he has command of all three pitches. The stuff is off the charts; he throws really hard, has a great changeup, great slider, but he's put it all together. And, he's cleaned up his body. That's the first thing he had to do, and he couldn't do that until he made a decision to clean up his body, like we all try to do every day, right? But, he's done that, and I think that's what's enabled him to turn the corner."

Wolf made 17 appearances with two starts as a freshman. He posted a 1-1 record with a 4.07 ERA in 24.1 innings pitched.

Strowd collected All-Big 12 Honorable Mention accolades as a sophomore. He made 15 appearances with a team-best 13 starts and led the team with four wins, going 4-7, 61 strikeouts and 62.2 innings pitched. His ERA was 5.74.

Another candidate to start games is junior Nick Snyder, who made seven appearances last season and pitched 4.0 innings after coming to WVU from Mercer County CC.

"There's some experience with our starters as well," Mazey said. "Kade Strowd has started some games for us last year in Big 12 play. Jackson Wolf has made a jump; he's a big tall left-hander who has been throwing pretty well. Nick Snyder had as good a fall for us as anybody, and he's very capable. Depth is going to be a little bit of an issue between starters and once we get to the back end of the bullpen where Sam Kessler is going to sit. We're going to need some new guys in that role to fill in some quality innings. That'll probably dictate our success, how well those new guys pitch in that role."

Kessler once again will be WVU's closer in 2019, after he earned four wins and four saves last year. His 25 relief appearances as a sophomore tied for fourth-most in a single season in team history. He led the team with a 2.86 ERA and allowed nine earned runs on 25 hits with 32 strikeouts.

Between the starters and Kessler, Mazey notes the relief corps could include freshmen Ryan Bergert, Brock Helverson and Beau Lowery, all who have thrown the ball well in preseason practice.

"Sam Kessler has proven that he can finish games for us," Mazey said. "He has the chance to be a pretty quality closer in this league. We just need to fill the gap between what we feel like are quality starters and quality closers. And that's where the loss of Zarbnisky and some other guys are really going to open the door for some young guys to step in ... Ryan Bergert and Brock Helverson are two freshmen who pitch pretty well who should see some time, and Beau Lowery, a West Virginia kid, has really pitched well this spring as well."



2018 Mountaineer Honors

Kevin Brophy
Big 12 Player of the Week Feb. 26

Tyler Doanes
Big 12 All-Freshman Team
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
Big 12 Newcomer of the Week May 14
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week May 14

Shane Ennis
Academic All-Big 12 Second Team

Ivan Gonzalez
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team

Kyle Gray
Drafted in 14th round by New York Yankees
ABCA All-America Third Team
ABCA East All-Region First Team
All-Big 12 First Team
Big 12 All-Tournament Team
Collegiate Baseball National POTW May 7
Big 12 Player of the Week May 7
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week May 7

Michael Grove
Drafted in 2nd round by Los Angeles Dodgers

Connor Hamilton
Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team

Darius Hill
ABCA East All-Region First Team
All-Big 12 Second Team
Big 12 All-Tournament Team
Academic All-Big 12 First Team

Chase Illig
Academic All-Big 12 Second Team

Marques Inman
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
Big 12 Player of the Week April 9
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week April 9

Isaiah Kearns
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
John Olerud Two-Way Player of the Year Watch List

BJ Myers
Drafted in 35th round by Tampa Bay Rays

Kade Strowd
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
Academic All-Big 12 Second Team

Brandon White
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week May 21

Jackson Wolf
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week April 2

Braden Zarbnisky
All-Big 12 Honorable Mention Team
John Olerud Two-Way Player of the Year Watch List
WVU Student-Athlete of the Week March 5
NCBWA Preseason All-America First Team
NCBWA Stopper of the Year Watch List

A Look Back on 2018

West Virginia reached the Big 12 Championship semifinals for the third consecutive season in 2018, as the Mountaineers went 29-27 on the season. In the Big 12, the No. 2 RPI conference in the country, WVU went 9-15, and became one of two teams to reach the Big 12 semifinals three years in a row.

- The 2018 campaign included a 5-3 mark against top-25 teams, highlighted by a series win over No. 19 Texas. West Virginia also posted a 5-0 record against regional foes, highlighted by a walk-off win in 10 innings at PNC Park to improve to 2-0 at the home of the Pittsburgh Pirates.
- Coach Randy Mazey concluded his sixth season in Morgantown. He is 189-154 at WVU and is the fifth-winningest coach in the program's 126-year history.
- Numerous Mountaineers earned national postseason awards, highlighted by junior second baseman Kyle Gray, who was recognized on the ABCA All-America Third Team. That continued a stretch of four consecutive years with an All-America honor for West Virginia. Gray became the 18th All-American in program history, while the honor was the 16th total in Mazey's tenure.
- Gray was joined by fellow junior Darius Hill on the ABCA East All-Region First Team, marking the sixth consecutive year West Virginia has had a representative on the all-region list and the third year in a row it has had a member on the first team. The pair are the 50th and 51st players in program history to be named to the East All-Region First or Second Team since 1983.
- Nine players were named to an All-Big 12 Team. Gray was named to the All-Big 12 First Team, WVU's sixth first team honoree, and Hill was selected to the second team. The Mountaineers earned a total of 10 All-Big 12 accolades for the third consecutive season, and the seven honorable mention accolades are tied for the most in program history.
- Gray and Hill also added Big 12 All-Tournament Team accolades, marking the third consecutive year West Virginia has had at least two All-Tournament Team selections after it had just one prior to 2016. Additionally, five student-athletes were honored on an Academic All-Big 12 Team.
- WVU also continued its streak of having several players selected in the Major League Baseball Draft, as four Mountaineers were selected. Junior Michael Grove was drafted in the second round by the Los Angeles Dodgers, Gray was selected in the 14th round by the New York Yankees, junior Jimmy Galusky was picked in the 20th round by the Chicago White Sox and senior BJ Myers was drafted by the Tampa Bay Rays in the 35th round.
- Grove became the fourth Mountaineer ever picked in the top two rounds, and 11th in the top 10, and is WVU's highest draft pick since 2010.
- WVU's four selections in 2018 are tied for third-most in a single draft in program history. In Mazey's six seasons, West Virginia has had 20 draft picks, the most in a six-year stretch in program history. At least two players have been drafted every year in that timespan. The Mountaineers have had 90 draft selections in program history, since the first draft was held in 1965.
- The Mountaineers again played in front of record-breaking crowds at Monongalia County Ballpark in 2018. A total of 35,101

fans filled the stands, the third-most in program history, for an average of 1,526 per game, the second-highest in program history. The attendance totals were highlighted by two crowds that ranked in the top-10 all-time and four in the top 25.

- Statistically, the Mountaineers stole 95 bases, which led the Big 12, was No. 17 nationally and was third-most in program history. Additionally, WVU's 12 team saves and 462 strikeouts also were No. 3 in the record books. Individually, Myers set the record with 49 career starts and 305.1 innings pitched.
- West Virginia had three walk-off wins in 2018, tied for sixth-most in the country. The victories, two at Monongalia County Ballpark and one at PNC Park, came after WVU played 21 of its first 24 games, including its first 15, on the road thanks to a pair of rain-postponed games. Six of the first seven weeks of the season were spent away from home. However, the Mountaineers followed it up with 16 of their next 18 games at home.
- A challenging 56-game schedule featured 23 games against teams that made the NCAA Tournament in 2018. Three opponents hosted regional contests, three reached the super regionals and two nationally-seeded teams hosted super regionals and advanced to the College World Series. Fourteen of the 23 games against postseason squads came away from Morgantown.
- Gray's 14 home runs tied for sixth-most in a single season in program history and were WVU's most since 2010. The Blanco, Texas, native added a 23-game hit streak, the longest by a Mountaineer since 2009. He led the Big 12 with a .391 batting average, was second with a .759 slugging percentage and 66 total bases, third with eight home runs and fourth with a .460 on-base percentage and 34 hits.
- Hill, from Dallas, led the team and finished second in the Big 12 with 79 hits, was third in the conference with a team-high-tying 20 doubles and was ninth in the league with 115 total bases. He was second on the team with a .329 batting average and 41 runs scored and added four home runs, 36 RBIs, a .479 slugging percentage and a .362 on-base percentage. Hill's 240 at-bats led the team and ranks No. 7 in a single season in team history. In conference action, Hill was sixth in the Big 12 with a .364 batting average and finished second with 36 hits and sixth with nine doubles.
- Along with West Virginia's four draft picks, two former Mountaineers made their MLB debuts in 2018. Harrison Musgrave spent the majority of the year with the Colorado Rockies, and John Means earned a September call-up with the Baltimore Orioles. The duo are the first players coached by Mazey at West Virginia to appear in the majors. A Nutter Fort, West Virginia, native, Musgrave was a Mountaineer from 2011-14, while Means, from Olathe, Kansas, pitched for the Old Gold and Blue from 2013-14.
- The 2018 season marked the 126th year of baseball at West Virginia, and WVU owns an all-time record of 2,160-1,555-19 since 1892.



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Personal

Hometown	Johnstown, Pa.
Alma Mater	Clemson, 1988 (B.S.) Clemson, 1993 (M.S.)
Family	wife, Amanda; son, Weston; daughter, Sierra

Playing Experience

1985-88	Clemson (NCAA)
1988	Burlington (Rookie)
1989	Miami (Class A)

Playing Honors

1986	All-ACC First Team
1987	All-ACC First Team All-ACC Academic Team
1988	All-ACC Second Team All-ACC Academic Team

Postseason Experience

at Clemson	
1990-93	NCAA Regional
1991	College World Series

at Charleston Southern	
1996	NCAA Regional

at Tennessee	
2001	NCAA Regional
2001	NCAA Super Regional
2001	College World Series

at East Carolina	
2003-05	NCAA Regional
2004	NCAA Super Regional

at TCU	
2007-12	NCAA Regional
2009-10, '12	NCAA Super Regional
2010	College World Series

at West Virginia	
2017	NCAA Regional

Coaching Record

Year	School	Pos.	W-L	NCAA
1990	Clemson	AC	43-23	Regional
1991	Clemson	AC	60-10	CWS
1992	Clemson	AC	50-14	Regional
1993	Clemson	AC	45-20	Regional
1994	Char. Southern	HC	19-34	
1995	Char. Southern	HC	17-36	
1996	Char. Southern	HC	30-24-1	Regional
1997	Georgia	AC	28-27	
1998	East Carolina	AC	30-29	
1999	Tennessee	AC	28-28	
2000	Tennessee	AC	40-23	
2001	Tennessee	AC	48-20	CWS
2002	Tennessee	AC	27-28	
2003	East Carolina	HC	34-27-1	Regional
2004	East Carolina	HC	51-13	S. Regional
2005	East Carolina	HC	36-26	Regional
2007	TCU	AC	48-14	Regional
2008	TCU	AC	44-1	Regional
2009	TCU	AC	40-18	S. Regional
2010	TCU	AC	54-14	CWS
2011	TCU	AC	43-19	Regional
2012	TCU	AC	40-22	S. Regional
2013	West Virginia	HC	33-26	
2014	West Virginia	HC	28-26	
2015	West Virginia	HC	27-27	
2016	West Virginia	HC	36-22	
2017	West Virginia	HC	36-26	Regional
2018	West Virginia	HC	29-27	

Total Years – Coaching	29th
Total Years – Head Coach	13th
NCAA Tournaments	16
College World Series	3

Record at WVU	189-154 (.551)
Head Coaching Record	376-314-2 (.545)

2018 Series Hitting Breakdown

Opponent	AVG	R	H	RBI	XBH	BB-SO
Jacksonville	.189	10	18	10	7	8-20
Brittain Invite	.273	19	39	18	13	16-19
Western Kentucky	.324	25	35	21	17	12-22
Middle Tenn.	.319	25	36	24	16	16-22
Tennessee Tech	.115	1	7	1	3	4-11
Canisius	.248	24	31	24	8	15-13
Oklahoma	.179	9	17	8	7	5-31
Texas Tech	.141	7	13	7	4	11-27
Niagara	.412	9	14	6	1	9-8
UNLV	.316	19	31	18	7	13-12
Penn State	.188	3	6	3	0	10-10
Pitt	.429	12	15	12	6	4-7
Oklahoma State	.318	18	35	17	9	12-25
Kansas State	.356	18	37	14	12	12-9
Marshall	.300	11	15	11	6	11-11
Texas	.320	22	33	18	9	15-28
Maryland	.300	9	9	6	5	7-5
Kansas	.322	26	37	25	17	11-31
Virginia Tech	.405	10	17	10	2	1-13
TCU	.283	13	30	12	8	7-23
Baylor	.213	5	20	5	4	11-25
Big 12 Champ.	.319	24	45	17	6	20-25

2018 Series Pitching Breakdown

Opponent	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R-ER	BB-SO
Jacksonville	1-2	3.24	25.0	21	13-9	15-20
Brittain Invite	1-3	5.50	36.0	41	27-22	16-34
Western Kentucky	3-0	4.82	28.0	27	15-15	8-23
Middle Tenn.	2-1	3.81	26.0	21	16-11	12-33
Tennessee Tech	0-2	8.44	16.0	20	17-15	10-12
Canisius	3-1	2.50	36.0	26	15-10	23-33
Oklahoma	0-3	9.75	24.0	41	31-26	14-16
Texas Tech	1-2	3.96	25.0	21	12-11	13-19
Niagara	1-0	5.00	9.0	11	6-5	0-11
UNLV	2-1	4.68	25.0	30	23-13	15-15
Penn State	1-0	0.90	10.0	7	2-1	3-12
Pitt	1-0	1.00	9.0	4	1-1	3-14
Oklahoma State	1-2	5.00	27.0	26	20-15	14-32
Kansas State	2-1	3.33	27.0	22	12-10	22-27
Marshall	1-0	2.77	13.0	12	10-4	9-16
Texas	2-1	5.33	27.0	33	20-16	13-29
Maryland	1-0	4.00	9.0	5	5-4	7-10
Kansas	1-2	6.48	25.0	33	21-18	8-26
Virginia Tech	1-0	5.00	9.0	9	5-5	3-9
TCU	1-2	7.56	25.0	22	21-21	24-17
Baylor	1-2	3.33	27.0	27	11-10	9-21
Big 12 Champ.	2-2	5.29	34.0	34	24-20	19-33

2018 Results Breakdown

29-25 Overall | 9-15 Big 12 | 15-8 Home | 10-15 Away | 2-2 Neutral
 15-17 Day | 12-8 Night | 8-4 One-Run Games | 3-1 Extra Innings | 3-3 vs. Top 25
 Longest Winning Streak: 4 | Longest Losing Streak: 4

Date	Opponent		Score	W	R	H	E	LOB	Opponent	R	H	E	LOB	Inn	Record	Pitcher	Attend	Time
2/16	at Jacksonville	W	5-4	5	10	4	10	4	7	2	9	9	9	1-0	Ennis (1-0)	671	3:10	
2/17	at Jacksonville	L	7-4	4	7	1	4	7	5	1	8	9	9	1-1	Manoah (0-1)	502	3:00	
2/18	at Jacksonville	L	2-1	1	1	1	1	2	9	0	8	9	9	1-2	Strowd (0-1)	515	2:45	
2/23	vs. VCU ^	L	6-2	2	10	1	7	6	11	3	4	11	11	1-3	Dotson (0-1)	172	3:15	
2/24	vs. Illinois ^	W	10-8	10	10	0	6	8	9	0	4	9	9	2-3	Young (1-0)	225	2:48	
2/24	vs. VCU ^	L	8-5	5	10	3	11	8	13	1	11	9	9	2-4	Manoah (0-2)	210	3:04	
2/25	at Coastal Carolina ^	L	5-2	2	9	2	9	5	8	0	9	9	9	2-5	Zarbnisky (0-1)	2,039	3:10	
3/2	at Western Kentucky	W	7-5	7	11	0	7	5	10	0	7	9	9	3-5	Ennis (2-0)	474	2:58	
3/3	at Western Kentucky	W	11-9	11	15	0	7	9	11	1	10	10	10	4-5	Zarbnisky (1-1)	532	3:25	
3/4	at Western Kentucky	W	7-1	7	9	0	6	1	6	2	8	9	9	5-5	Strowd (1-1)	445	2:40	
3/9	at Middle Tennessee	L	8-7	7	11	4	13	8	10	3	5	9	9	5-6	Ennis (2-1)	568	3:24	
3/10	at Middle Tennessee	W	8-4	8	10	1	6	4	6	0	10	9	9	6-6	Young (2-0)	645	2:57	
3/11	at Middle Tennessee	W	10-4	10	15	2	10	4	4	2	8	9	9	7-6	Strowd (2-1)	623	3:12	
3/13	at Tennessee Tech	L	8-0	0	3	1	5	8	9	1	6	9	9	7-7	Kearns (0-1)	108	2:45	
3/14	at Tennessee Tech	L	9-1	1	4	1	5	9	11	1	6	9	9	7-8	Young (2-1)	148	2:38	
3/16	Canisius	W	10-9	10	10	3	7	9	12	2	10	9	9	8-8	Ennis (3-1)	938	2:57	
3/17	Canisius	W	2-0	2	4	0	3	0	3	0	8	9	9	9-8	Manoah (1-2)	933	2:45	
3/18	Canisius	L	4-3	3	8	1	8	4	4	0	11	9	9	9-9	Strowd (2-2)	993	3:05	
3/23	at Oklahoma *	L	19-6	6	9	0	5	19	22	1	10	9	9	9-10	Myers (0-1)	1,107	3:15	
3/24	at Oklahoma *	L	10-2	2	4	2	3	10	12	1	9	9	9	9-11	Manoah (1-3)	1,556	2:30	
3/24	at Oklahoma *	L	2-1	1	4	3	3	2	7	2	11	9	9	9-12	Strowd (2-3)	1,556	2:26	
3/29	at #7 Texas Tech *W		1-0	1	3	0	5	0	5	2	8	9	9	10-12	Wolf (1-0)	3,833	2:27	
3/30	at #7 Texas Tech * L		4-1	1	3	1	6	4	6	3	5	9	9	10-13	Manoah (1-4)	3,989	2:33	
3/31	at #7 Texas Tech * L		8-5	5	7	4	6	8	10	0	6	9	9	10-14	Ennis (3-2)	4,432	2:50	
4/3	Niagara	W	9-6	9	14	1	15	6	11	1	5	9	9	11-14	Kessler (1-0)	933	3:13	
4/6	UNLV	L	11-4	4	10	4	10	11	14	1	10	7	7	11-15	Manoah (1-5)	942	2:51	
4/6	UNLV	W	8-7	8	8	1	5	7	9	0	6	9	9	12-15	Ennis (4-2)	972	2:49	
4/8	UNLV	W	7-5	7	13	3	7	5	7	1	8	9	9	13-15	Zarbnisky (2-1)	1,013	2:52	
4/10	Penn State #	W	3-2	3	6	1	11	2	7	0	8	10	10	14-15	Kessler (2-0)	1,160	3:28	
4/11	Pitt	W	12-1	12	15	0	6	1	4	2	5	9	9	15-15	Kearns (1-1)	1,632	2:49	
4/13	Oklahoma State * L		7-4	4	11	1	12	7	8	0	8	9	9	15-16	Ennis (4-3)	2,085	3:16	
4/14	Oklahoma State * W		10-7	10	13	1	8	7	10	0	11	9	9	16-16	Strowd (3-3)	2,558	3:39	
4/15	Oklahoma State * L		6-4	4	11	1	10	6	8	1	7	9	9	16-17	Wolf (1-1)	1,371	2:56	
4/18	Canisius	W	9-2	9	9	0	4	2	7	1	9	9	9	17-17	Kearns (2-1)	933	2:30	
4/20	Kansas State * W		8-5	8	14	2	10	5	6	3	5	9	9	18-17	Kessler (3-0)	1,180	3:12	
4/21	Kansas State * W		6-0	6	12	0	9	0	4	0	9	9	9	19-17	Strowd (4-3)	2,084	2:46	
4/22	Kansas State * L		7-4	4	11	0	9	7	12	0	11	9	9	19-18	Zarbnisky (2-2)	1,728	3:33	
4/24	at Marshall &	W	11-10	11	15	4	13	10	12	4	17	13	13	20-18	Manoah (2-5)	1,628	5:10	
4/27	#19 Texas *	L	11-6	6	8	2	9	11	15	3	10	9	9	20-19	Zarbnisky (2-3)	1,812	3:13	
4/28	#19 Texas *	W	8-6	8	13	1	8	6	13	0	14	9	9	21-19	Manoah (3-5)	2,618	3:23	
4/29	#19 Texas *	W	8-3	8	12	2	7	3	5	1	8	9	9	22-19	Kearns (3-1)	2,033	2:47	
5/1	Maryland	W	9-5	9	9	2	7	5	5	3	6	9	9	23-19	Young (3-1)	1,663	3:07	
5/4	at Kansas *	W	21-3	21	23	1	14	3	8	4	6	9	9	24-19	Myers (1-1)	1,413	3:25	
5/5	at Kansas *	L	13-3	3	7	1	7	13	17	0	11	9	9	24-20	Strowd (4-4)	1,186	2:53	
5/6	at Kansas *	L	5-2	2	7	0	7	5	8	1	4	9	9	24-21	Kearns (3-2)	932	2:33	
5/9	Virginia Tech	W	10-5	10	17	2	12	5	9	5	10	9	9	25-21	Hudson (1-0)	2,114	3:48	
5/11	at TCU *	W	4-3	4	14	3	15	3	5	4	8	9	9	26-21	Hudson (2-0)	4,287	3:22	
5/12	at TCU *	L	10-4	4	8	1	4	10	13	0	12	9	9	26-22	Strowd (4-5)	4,311	3:22	
5/13	at TCU *	L	8-5	5	8	3	5	8	4	0	9	9	9	26-23	Kearns (3-3)	4,098	3:00	
5/17	Baylor *	W	2-1	2	5	0	2	1	8	1	9	9	9	27-23	Reid (1-0)	1,211	2:24	
5/18	Baylor *	L	4-1	1	8	1	11	4	8	2	12	9	9	27-24	Strowd (4-6)	1,354	3:09	
5/19	Baylor *	L	6-2	2	7	2	10	6	11	2	6	9	9	27-25	Myers (1-2)	2,001	3:05	
5/23	#20 Oklahoma State %W		8-5	8	13	4	8	5	10	5	11	9	9	28-25	Myers (2-2)	4,495	3:56	
5/24	TCU %	L	8-1	1	8	1	9	8	7	0	8	9	9	28-26	Kearns (3-4)	4,055	3:17	
5/25	#6 Texas Tech % W		12-4	12	15	1	11	4	7	5	7	9	9	29-26	Kessler (4-0)	7,583	3:40	
5/26	TCU %	L	7-3	3	9	0	10	7	10	0	6	9	9	29-27	Strowd (4-7)	5,458	3:06	

* - Big 12 Conference Game
 ^ - Brittain Resorts Invitational, Conway, S.C.
 # - PNC Park, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 & - Charleston, W.Va.
 % - Big 12 Championship, Oklahoma City



Final 2018 Hitting Statistics

Player	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB	ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
9 Gray, Kyle	.374	55	55	198	45	74	12	3	14	38	134	.677	34	2	41	3	.462	4	1	10	14	95	145	10	.960
31 Hill, Darius	.329	56	56	240	41	79	20	2	4	36	115	.479	12	3	20	3	.362	5	1	2	4	116	3	2	.983
25 Inman, Marques	.319	52	51	191	31	61	20	1	6	40	101	.529	20	3	40	3	.387	3	0	1	1	285	18	10	.968
1 Doanes, Tyler	.317	43	29	101	15	32	5	4	1	20	48	.475	10	6	17	3	.407	1	8	6	7	20	32	10	.839
7 White, Brandon	.289	56	56	201	30	58	7	2	1	20	72	.358	33	2	39	3	.392	1	4	22	33	142	3	1	.993
26 Zarbnisky, Braden	.259	49	49	185	39	48	6	2	0	19	58	.314	42	4	47	0	.403	2	8	27	33	74	5	1	.988
32 Gonzalez, Ivan	.255	53	52	200	25	51	11	0	1	25	65	.325	18	2	24	4	.320	2	1	1	2	348	49	8	.980
3 Galusky, Jimmy	.253	56	56	194	32	49	8	1	7	30	80	.412	18	6	45	2	.332	2	1	13	18	91	118	13	.941
45 Zitel, Andrew	.235	44	28	115	18	27	5	0	1	16	35	.304	12	2	31	0	.318	0	5	5	7	26	50	6	.927
24 Illig, Chase	.206	41	23	102	14	21	4	0	5	17	40	.392	10	0	32	0	.277	0	0	2	4	105	5	0	1.000

41 Kearns, Isaiah	.271	24	12	59	9	16	2	1	0	5	20	.339	5	2	14	0	.348	0	0	4	5	12	3	1	.938
13 Brophy, Kevin	.226	18	16	53	12	12	0	0	6	14	30	.566	10	1	19	1	.354	1	0	1	1	96	7	1	.990
37 Denicola, Nick	.200	9	0	10	2	2	2	0	0	2	4	.400	0	0	5	0	.200	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1.000
12 Lake, TJ	.167	11	6	18	2	3	1	0	0	0	4	.222	1	1	1	0	.250	0	2	1	2	9	1	0	1.000
27 Hamilton, Connor	.132	24	4	38	1	5	1	0	0	5	6	.158	3	0	15	0	.195	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	1.000
17 Hudson, Tristen	.125	12	0	8	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	.250	0	0	3	0	.125	0	0	0	0	4	8	1	.923
47 Manoah, Alek	.077	9	2	13	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	.077	2	1	4	0	.250	0	0	0	0	31	1	6	.842
5 Strowd, Kade	.000	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	1.000
33 Myers, BJ	.000	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	3	13	4	.800
42 Kessler, Sam	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	.714
Totals	.280	56	56	1926	319	540	105	16	46	287	815	.423	230	35	397	22	.364	21	31	95	131	1476	493	81	.960
Opponents	.261	56	56	1892	327	493	110	10	40	293	743	.393	260	69	462	30	.365	28	21	49	70	1488	583	78	.964

LOB - Team (441), Opp (467)

DPs Turned - Team (51), Opp (41)

CI - Team (0), Opp (5)

IBB - Team (5), Gray, K. 2, Illig, C. 2, Inman, M. 1, Opp (11)

Picked Off - White, B. 3, Zarbnisky, B. 1, Galusky, J. 1, Gray, K. 1, Illig, C. 1, Lake, TJ 1

Final 2018 Pitching Statistics

Player	ERA	W	L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
42 Kessler, Sam	2.86	4	0	25	0	0	0	1	4	28.1	25	17	9	12	32	3	0	1	110	.227	3	9	1	2	1
8 Ennis, Shane	3.22	4	3	30	1	0	0	1	3	44.2	36	20	16	32	34	9	0	2	156	.231	3	3	0	0	5
47 Manoah, Alek	4.00	3	5	23	8	0	0	1	2	54.0	53	36	24	28	60	11	0	3	210	.252	7	15	1	4	1
23 Wolf, Jackson	4.07	1	1	17	2	0	0	2	0	24.1	19	15	11	15	24	7	1	2	87	.218	1	4	0	0	1
33 Myers, BJ	4.19	2	2	19	14	0	0	0	1	77.1	86	54	36	25	59	18	3	4	304	.283	5	13	1	5	3
41 Kearns, Isaiah	4.27	3	4	13	11	0	0	1	0	46.1	45	25	22	24	53	5	1	6	177	.254	0	2	1	3	3
26 Zarbnisky, Braden	4.62	2	3	15	4	0	0	0	2	37.0	39	22	19	15	35	13	2	4	138	.283	1	1	1	5	2
4 Wood, Cody	4.70	0	0	15	0	0	0	1	0	23.0	24	12	12	14	14	5	0	2	92	.261	2	1	0	1	0
16 Meadows, Dillon	5.00	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	9.0	8	6	5	5	5	2	0	1	34	.235	1	1	0	0	0
17 Hudson, Tristen	5.13	2	0	24	0	0	0	1	0	26.1	28	20	15	15	25	5	0	1	105	.267	1	5	0	1	3
5 Strowd, Kade	5.74	4	7	15	13	0	0	1	0	62.2	67	41	40	36	61	18	1	3	243	.276	2	7	0	3	1
18 Reid, Zach	5.79	1	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	9.1	8	6	6	2	12	1	1	2	36	.222	0	3	0	0	0
20 Young, Christian	5.88	3	1	17	3	0	0	0	0	33.2	29	23	22	14	35	7	1	6	132	.220	6	4	1	1	0
10 Dotson, Conner	7.20	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	5.0	8	6	4	3	5	2	0	0	20	.400	2	1	0	0	1
40 Potock, Jacob	11.57	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2.1	5	3	3	3	0	1	0	1	12	.417	0	0	0	0	0
6 Troutt, Riley	15.43	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4.2	9	8	8	4	2	2	0	1	21	.429	2	0	0	2	0
50 Snyder, Nick	22.50	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	4	13	10	13	6	1	0	1	15	.267	2	0	0	1	0
Totals	4.79	29	27	56	56	0	3	3	12	492.0	493	327	262	260	462	110	10	40	1892	.261	38	69	6	28	21
Opponents	4.94	27	29	56	56	0	1	1	14	496.0	540	319	272	230	397	105	16	46	1926	.280	37	35	15	21	31

PB - Team (5), Illig, C. 4, Gonzalez, I. 1, Opp (10)

Pickoffs - Team (8), Gonzalez, I. 3, Ennis, S. 3, Myers, BJ 2, Opp (8)

SBA/ATT - Gonzalez, I. (41-61), Ennis, S. (5-10), Strowd, K. (6-9), Manoah, A. (7-9), Myers, BJ (6-9), Kearns, I. (7-9), Illig, C. (7-8), Kessler, S. (6-7), Zarbnisky, B (3-5), Wolf, J. (3-4), Hudson, T. (3-3), Reid, Z. (2-2), Meadows, D. (1-1), Hamilton, C. (1-1), Dotson, C. (0-1), Snyder, N. (0-1).

Career Multi-Hit Games

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Darius Hill	27	20	23		70
Ivan Gonzalez	15	18	12		45
Marques Inman	3	5	20		28
Braden Zarbnisky	6	11	11		28
Brandon White		9	17		26
Chase Illig		7	2		9
Tyler Doanes			9		9
Andrew Zitel	2	0	4		6
Kevin Brophy		2	2		4
TJ Lake		2	1		3
Connor Hamilton			1		1

Career Multi-RBI Games

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Darius Hill	10	13	7		30
Ivan Gonzalez	7	8	6		21
Marques Inman	3	2	12		17
Chase Illig		5	6		11
Braden Zarbnisky	2	2	5		9
Andrew Zitel	2	1	4		7
Brandon White		3	4		7
Tyler Doanes			6		6
Kevin Brophy		1	1		2
Connor Hamilton			1		1

Career Home Runs

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Darius Hill	3	4	4		11
Marques Inman	1	2	6		9
Chase Illig		3	5		8
Kevin Brophy		0	6		6
Ivan Gonzalez	0	5	1		6
Andrew Zitel	0	1	1		2
Braden Zarbnisky	0	1	0		1
Brandon White		0	1		1
Tyler Doanes			1		1

Career Start Chart

Player	Career	2018	Consecutive
Darius Hill	176	56	105
Ivan Gonzalez	139	52	23
Brandon White	105	56	56
Braden Zarbnisky	100	49	41
Marques Inman	84	51	45
Andrew Zitel	32	28	3
Chase Illig	47	23	0
TJ Lake	23	6	0
Tyler Doanes	29	29	19
Kevin Brophy	21	16	0
Kade Strowd	6	6	0
Connor Hamilton	4	4	0
Alek Manoah	3	2	0

2018 Home Run Breakdown

No.	Player	Gm#	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	On Base	Inn	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1.	Chase Illig	1	2/16	at Jacksonville	Chris Gau	0	5	1	1-1	W, 4-3	W, 5-4
2.	Jimmy Galusky	2	2/17	at Jacksonville	Austin Temple	1	8	0	1-1	L, 7-1	L, 7-4
3.	Kevin Brophy	3	2/18	at Jacksonville	Mike Cassala	0	2	2	3-1	0-0	L, 2-1
4.	Kevin Brophy	5	2/24	vs. Illinois	Quinn Snarskis	2	1	2	0-0	W, 1-0	W, 10-8
5.	Kevin Brophy	5	2/24	vs. Illinois	Zak Devermann	0	6	1	0-1	W, 5-0	W, 10-8
6.	Kevin Brophy	5	2/24	vs. Illinois	Quinten Sefcik	3	7	1	1-0	6-6	W, 10-8
7.	Kevin Brophy	6	2/24	vs. VCU	Sean Thompson	0	5	1	0-0	3-3	L, 8-5
8.	Jimmy Galusky	6	2/24	vs. VCU	Michael Dailey	0	8	0	0-1	L, 7-4	L, 5-8
9.	Jimmy Galusky	7	2/25	at Coastal Carolina	Anthony Veneziano	0	7	0	3-1	L, 4-1	L, 5-2
10.	Kyle Gray	7	2/25	at Coastal Carolina	Anthony Veneziano	0	7	0	3-1	L, 4-1	L, 5-2
11.	Chase Illig	8	3/2	at Western Kentucky	Conner Boyd	2	8	0	3-1	L, 4-3	W, 7-5
12.	Darius Hill	8	3/2	at Western Kentucky	Devon Loomis	0	9	1	1-1	W, 6-5	W, 7-5
13.	Kyle Gray	9	3/3	at Western Kentucky	Taylor Colby	0	4	0	1-2	W, 3-0	W, 11-9
14.	Chase Illig	9	3/3	at Western Kentucky	Malcolm Grady	1	5	1	3-2	W, 5-4	W, 11-9
15.	Kyle Gray	9	3/3	at Western Kentucky	Malcolm Grady	0	5	2	3-1	W, 7-4	W, 11-9
16.	Kevin Brophy	9	3/3	at Western Kentucky	Ben Morrison	0	9	0	1-1	8-8	W, 11-9
17.	Kyle Gray	10	3/4	at Western Kentucky	Maddex Richardson	0	9	1	0-1	W, 5-1	W, 7-1
18.	Kyle Gray	11	3/9	at Middle Tennessee	Zach Keenan	0	5	2	1-0	L, 7-4	L, 8-7
19.	Jimmy Galusky	12	3/10	at Middle Tennessee	Carson Lester	0 >	5	0	2-1	W, 2-0	W, 8-4
20.	Marques Inman	12	3/10	at Middle Tennessee	Carson Lester	2	5	1	1-0	W, 4-0	W, 8-4
21.	Darius Hill	13	3/11	at Middle Tennessee	Peyton Wigginton	0 >	5	0	1-0	W, 5-4	W, 10-4
22.	Jimmy Galusky	15	3/14	at Tennessee Tech	Nic Dye	0	7	1	3-2	L, 6-0	L, 9-1
23.	Andrew Zitel	16	3/16	Canisius	Jared Kennedy	1	1	1	0-0	W, 2-1	W, 10-9
24.	Brandon White	16	3/16	Canisius	Andrew Kneussle	2	7	2	0-0	L, 8-6	W, 10-9
25.	Chase Illig	17	3/17	Canisius	Charlie Sobieraski	1	1	1	1-0	0-0	W, 2-0
26.	Marques Inman	26	4/6	UNLV	Alan Strong	0	3	1	0-0	L, 7-1	L, 11-4
27.	Marques Inman	27	4/6	UNLV	Chase Maddux	0	6	1	2-2	L, 7-1	W, 8-7
28.	Marques Inman	28	4/8	UNLV	Garrett Poole	1	1	2	0-1	L, 1-0	W, 7-5
29.	Kyle Gray	31	4/13	Oklahoma State	Joe Lienhard	0 >	4	0	0-0	L, 7-2	L, 7-4
30.	Marques Inman	32	4/14	Oklahoma State	Reza Aleaziz	1	8	2	1-1	W, 8-7	W, 10-7
31.	Darius Hill	35	4/20	Kansas State	Alex Belch	1	8	0	3-2	W, 6-5	W, 8-5
32.	Chase Illig	36	4/21	Kansas State	Caleb Littlejim	1	4	0	1-1	W, 2-0	W, 6-0
33.	Kyle Gray	38	4/24	at Marshall	Ryan Falls	1	3	2	0-2	L, 3-2	W, 11-10
34.	Darius Hill	38	4/24	at Marshall	Hunter Sexton	0 >	8	0	0-1	L, 10-9	W, 11-10
35.	Kyle Gray	40	4/28	#19 Texas	Chase Shugart	0	3	2	0-1	L, 3-2	W, 8-6
36.	Kyle Gray	40	4/28	#19 Texas	Chase Shugart	1	5	2	0-0	3-3	W, 8-6
37.	Jimmy Galusky	42	5/1	Maryland	Grant Burleson	0 >	8	0	3-2	W, 8-5	W, 9-5
38.	Kyle Gray	43	5/4	at Kansas	Jonah Ulane	2	5	2	0-0	W, 10-2	W, 21-3
39.	Marques Inman	43	5/4	at Kansas	Casey Douglas	1	8	0	2-2	W, 14-2	W, 21-3
40.	Kyle Gray	44	5/5	at Kansas	Ryan Zeferjahn	1	2	0	1-2	0-0	L, 13-3
41.	Kyle Gray	44	5/5	at Kansas	Ryan Cyr	0	8	1	1-1	L, 13-2	L, 13-3
42.	Kyle Gray	45	5/6	at Kansas	Zack Leban	0 >	9	0	2-2	L, 5-1	L, 5-2
43.	Ivan Gonzalez	48	5/12	at TCU	Jake Eissler	2	4	2	0-1	L, 5-0	L, 10-4
44.	Kyle Gray	48	5/12	at TCU	Jake Eissler	0	6	2	1-1	L, 7-3	L, 10-4
45.	Jimmy Galusky	49	5/13	at TCU	Haylen Green	0 >	3	0	0-1	1-1	L, 8-5
46.	Tyler Doanes !	49	5/13	at TCU	Sean Wymer	0	4	2	0-0	L, 4-2	L, 8-5

> - leadoff home run

! - inside the park home run



Hitting Streaks

Player	Longest		
	Career	2018	Current
Darius Hill	17	17	6
Ivan Gonzalez	11	8	0
Braden Zarbnisky	9	7	7
Andrew Zitel	9	9	2
Marques Inman	9	9	0
Brandon White	8	7	7
Tyler Doanes	8	8	0
Chase Illig	6	6	0
Kevin Brophy	5	5	0
TJ Lake	3	1	0
Alek Manoah	1	1	0
Connor Hamilton	1	1	0
Tristen Hudson	1	1	0

Reached Base Streaks

Player	Longest		
	Career	2018	Current
Darius Hill	25	25	6
Marques Inman	22	22	0
Braden Zarbnisky	20	20	7
Brandon White	16	13	8
Ivan Gonzalez	16	11	11
Andrew Zitel	11	10	4
Chase Illig	10	6	2
TJ Lake	9	2	0
Tyler Doanes	8	8	5
Kevin Brophy	7	5	0
Connor Hamilton	2	2	0
Alek Manoah	1	1	0
Tristen Hudson	1	1	0

2018 Game-Winning RBI

No.	Player (#)	Gm#	Date	Opponent	Runs	Outs	Count	Inning	Final	Play
1.	Chase Illig (1)	1	2/16	at Jacksonville	1	1	1-1	5	5-4	HR to RC
2.	Kevin Brophy (1)	5	2/24	vs. Illinois ^	4	1	1-0	7	10-8	GS to LC
3.	Chase Illig (2)	8	3/2	at Western Kentucky	3	0	3-1	8	7-5	HR to RC
4.	Braden Zarbnisky (1)	9	3/3	at Western Kentucky	1	1	1-2	10	11-9	1B to LF
5.	N/A >	10	3/4	at Western Kentucky	1	0	1-0	4	7-1	Passed Ball
6.	Marques Inman (1)	12	3/10	at Middle Tennessee	3	1	1-0	5	8-4	HR to RF
7.	Connor Hamilton (1)	13	3/11	at Middle Tennessee	2	1	1-1	4	10-4	2B RF Line
8.	Isaiah Kearns (1) !	16	3/16	Canisius	1	2	3-2	9	10-9	1B to LF
9.	Chase Illig (3)	17	3/17	Canisius	2	1	1-0	1	2-0	HR to RF
10.	Darius Hill (1)	22	3/29	at #7 Texas Tech *	1	0	1-0	6	1-0	1B up MI
11.	Andrew Zitel (1)	25	4/3	Niagara	1	1	2-0	6	9-6	1B to LF
12.	Kyle Gray (1) !	27	4/6	UNLV	1	2	1-1	9	8-7	1B to CF
13.	Ivan Gonzalez (1)	28	4/8	UNLV	2	2	3-2	6	7-5	1B up MI
14.	Chase Illig (4) !	29	4/10	Penn State #	1	2	3-1	10	3-2	1B to LC
15.	Darius Hill (2)	30	4/11	Pitt	1	0	0-0	1	12-1	GO to SS
16.	Marques Inman (2)	32	4/14	Oklahoma State *	1	1	1-1	6	10-7	GO to 3B
17.	Marques Inman (3)	34	4/18	Canisius	2	2	0-2	3	9-2	2B LF Line
18.	N/A >	35	4/20	Kansas State *	1	0	3-1	8	8-5	WP on BB
19.	Brandon White (1)	36	4/21	Kansas State *	1	1	0-1	3	6-0	SF to RF
20.	Kyle Gray (2)	38	4/24	at Marshall &	1	0	2-2	13	11-10	1B thru RS
21.	Brandon White (2)	40	4/28	#19 Texas *	1	1	3-2	8	8-6	1B to 1B
22.	N/A >	41	4/29	#19 Texas *	1	2	0-0	6	8-3	Wild Pitch
23.	Marques Inman (4)	42	5/1	Maryland	2	1	1-0	2	9-5	2B to CF
24.	Braden Zarbnisky (2)	43	5/4	at Kansas *	2	1	0-1	2	21-3	1B up MI
25.	Jimmy Galusky (1)	46	5/9	Virginia Tech	1	1	1-1	3	10-5	1B to SS
26.	Darius Hill (3)	47	5/11	at TCU *	1	1	2-0	8	4-3	1B thru LS
27.	Tyler Doanes (1)	50	5/17	Baylor *	1	0	0-0	7	2-1	SF to RF
28.	Darius Hill (4) >	53	5/23	#20 Oklahoma State %3	0	0	0-1	4	8-5	1B to SS, E6-T
29.	Tyler Doanes (2)	55	5/25	#6 Texas Tech %	2	2	3-2	3	12-4	1B to RC

Totals by Player:

Chase Illig - 4
 Marques Inman - 4
 Darius Hill - 4
 Kyle Gray - 2
 Brandon White - 2
 Braden Zarbnisky - 2
 Tyler Doanes - 2
 Kevin Brophy - 1
 Jimmy Galusky - 1
 Ivan Gonzalez - 1
 Connor Hamilton - 1
 Isaiah Kearns - 1
 Andrew Zitel - 1

> - No RBI credited on the play

! - Walk-off hit

* - Big 12 Conference Game

^ - Brittain Resorts Invitational, Conway, S.C.

- PNC Park, Pittsburgh, Pa.

& - Charleston, W.Va.

% - Big 12 Championship, Oklahoma City

2018 Hitting Breakdown

Player	Multi-Hit Games					Multi-RBI Games					Home Runs					Career Game Highs		
	Total	2	3	4	5+	Total	2	3	4	5+	Total	Solo	2	3	GS	Hits	RBI	HR
Kevin Brophy	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 (8)	6	4	0	1	1	3	8	3
Nick Denicola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Tyler Doanes	9	8	1	0	0	6	3	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	4	0
Jimmy Galusky	13	10	3	1	0	7	5	1	1	0	7	6	1	0	0	5	4	1
Ivan Gonzalez	12	11	0	1	0	6	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	3	1
Kyle Gray	23	18	3	2	0	8	4	2	2	0	14	10	3	1	0	4	4	2
Connor Hamilton	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Tristen Hudson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Darius Hill	23	16	4	3	0	7	5	1	0	1 (5)	4	3	1	0	0	4	5	1
Chase Illig	2	2	0	0	0	6	4	2	0	0	5	1	3	1	0	2	4	1
Marques Inman	20	15	4	1	0	12	7	4	1	0	6	2	3	1	0	4	4	2
Isaiah Kearns	6	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1
TJ Lake	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
Alek Manoah	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Brandon White	17	13	2	2	0	4	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	3	1
Braden Zarbnisky	11	6	4	1	1 (5)	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	1
Andrew Zitel	4	4	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	2	1

2018 Starter Stats

Pitcher	Starts	IP	W-L	ERA	B/AV
BJ Myers	14	64.2	2-2	5.01	.299
Kade Strowd	13	58.0	4-5	5.74	.270
Isaiah Kearns	11	43.1	3-4	4.15	.251
Alek Manoah	8	30.2	1-5	4.70	.267
Braden Zarbnisky	4	18.0	1-2	4.00	.269
Christian Young	3	12.2	1-1	4.26	.174
Jackson Wolf	2	7.0	0-0	2.57	.269
Shane Ennis	1	3.0	0-1	12.00	.250

2018 Run Support

Pitcher	Starts	Total Runs	Avg.
BJ Myers	14	100	7.14
High: 21, at Kansas (5/4)			
Low: 2, vs. VCU (2/23), vs. Baylor (5/17, 5/19)			
Christian Young	3	20	6.66
High: 9, vs. Maryland (5/1)			
Low: 1, at Tennessee Tech (3/13)			
Kade Strowd	13	78	6.00
High: 10, vs. Ill. (2/24), at MTSU (3/11), vs. OSU (4/14)			
Low: 1, at Oklahoma (3/24)			
Jackson Wolf	2	12	6.00
High: 9, vs. Niagara (4/2)			
Low: 3, vs. Penn State (4/10)			
Isaiah Kearns	11	51	4.64
High: 12, vs. Pitt (4/11)			
Low: 0, at Tennessee Tech (3/13)			
Alek Manoah	8	37	4.63
High: 11, at Western Kentucky (3/3)			
Low: 2, vs. Canisius (3/17), at Oklahoma (3/24)			
Braden Zarbnisky	4	17	4.25
High: 7, vs. UNLV (4/8)			
Low: 2, at Coastal Carolina (2/25)			
Shane Ennis	1	4	4.00
High: 4, vs. Oklahoma State (4/13)			
Low: 4, vs. Oklahoma State (4/13)			

Career Quality Starts

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Alek Manoah		2	1		3

Career Record

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Braden Zarbnisky	4-0	6-2	2-3		12-5
Kade Strowd		1-3	4-7		5-10
Sam Kessler		1-2	4-0		5-2
Alek Manoah		1-1	3-5		4-6
Cody Wood		2-0	0-0		2-0
Tristen Hudson			2-0		2-0
Jackson Wolf			1-1		1-1
Zach Reid			1-0		1-0
Nick Snyder			0-0		0-0

Career Saves

Player	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total
Braden Zarbnisky	0	6	2		8
Sam Kessler		1	4		5
Alek Manoah		2	2		4
Cody Wood		1	0		1

2018 Starter Game-By-Game

Pitcher	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	NP	Score	Final
BJ Myers	2/16	at Jacksonville	ND	4.1	4	4	1	1	4	83	W, 5-3	W, 5-4
Alek Manoah	2/17	at Jacksonville	L	3.1	1	2	1	5	4	80	L, 2-0	L, 7-4
Isaiah Kearns	2/18	at Jacksonville	ND	2.2	6	1	1	1	4	53	1-1	L, 2-1
BJ Myers	2/23	vs. VCU ^	ND !	6.1	5	2	2	0	5	85	2-2	L, 6-2 (11)
Kade Strowd	2/24	vs. Illinois ^	ND	5.0	4	2	2	2	3	71	W, 6-2	W, 10-8
Alek Manoah	2/24	vs. VCU ^	L	4.2	8	5	4	1	4	96	W, 4-3	L, 8-5
Braden Zarbnisky	2/25	at Coastal Carolina ^	L	3.0	2	2	1	2	6	54	L, 2-0	L, 5-2
BJ Myers	3/2	at Western Kentucky	ND	5.0	7	4	4	1	2	84	2-2	W, 7-5
Alek Manoah	3/3	at Western Kentucky	ND	4.0	4	4	4	3	5	83	W, 5-4	W, 11-9 (10)
Kade Strowd	3/4	at Western Kentucky	W	5.2	4	1	1	2	4	79	W, 5-1	W, 7-1
BJ Myers	3/9	at Middle Tennessee	ND	5.2	8	7	4	2	3	110	L, 7-6	L, 8-7
Alek Manoah	3/10	at Middle Tennessee	ND	3.0	0	0	0	0	5	40	W, 2-0	W, 8-4
Kade Strowd	3/11	at Middle Tennessee	W	5.2	4	4	3	4	11	105	W, 6-4	W, 10-4
Isaiah Kearns	3/13	at Tennessee Tech	L	4.0	4	2	2	2	1	60	L, 2-0	L, 8-0
Christian Young	3/14	at Tennessee Tech	L	4.1	4	4	4	2	5	64	L, 2-0	L, 9-1
BJ Myers	3/16	Canisius	ND	3.0	9	8	4	1	3	87	L, 8-6	W, 10-9
Alek Manoah	3/17	Canisius	W !	7.0	3	0	0	4	7	119	W, 2-0	W, 2-0
Kade Strowd	3/18	Canisius	L	2.1	1	2	2	5	2	60	1-1	L, 4-3
BJ Myers	3/23	at Oklahoma *	L	3.0	9	7	7	2	3	77	L, 7-0	L, 19-6
Alek Manoah	3/24	at Oklahoma *	L	3.2	6	7	2	4	4	80	L, 4-2	L, 10-2
Kade Strowd	3/24	at Oklahoma *	L	5.0	4	2	2	2	4	71	1-1	L, 2-1
Isaiah Kearns	3/29	at #7 Texas Tech *	ND	3.0	2	0	0	2	2	55	0-0	W, 1-0
Alek Manoah	3/30	at #7 Texas Tech *	L	4.0	6	4	4	3	3	76	L, 3-0	L, 4-1
Kade Strowd	3/31	at #7 Texas Tech *	ND	4.0	4	1	1	0	2	65	W, 3-1	L, 8-5
Jackson Wolf	4/3	Niagara	ND	2.0	4	2	1	0	3	38	L, 2-1	W, 9-6
Alek Manoah	4/6	UNLV	L	1.0	4	5	1	2	0	43	L, 5-1	L, 11-4
Kade Strowd	4/6	UNLV	ND	5.0	9	7	7	1	2	84	L, 7-1	W, 8-7
Braden Zarbnisky	4/8	UNLV	W	5.0	6	2	1	0	3	66	W, 5-2	W, 7-5
Jackson Wolf	4/10	vs. Penn State #	ND	5.0	3	1	1	1	5	71	W, 2-1	W, 3-2 (10)
Isaiah Kearns	4/11	Pitt	W	5.0	2	0	0	3	8	89	W, 6-0	W, 12-1
Shane Ennis	4/13	Oklahoma State *	L	3.0	3	4	4	4	3	78	L, 4-2	L, 7-4
Kade Strowd	4/14	Oklahoma State *	W	5.0	5	3	3	2	10	110	W, 6-2	W, 10-7
Braden Zarbnisky	4/15	Oklahoma State *	ND	6.0	5	4	4	2	5	94	4-4	L, 6-4
Isaiah Kearns	4/18	Canisius	W	4.0	5	2	2	1	8	76	W, 5-2	W, 9-2
BJ Myers	4/20	Kansas State *	ND !	6.0	5	5	3	5	6	107	L, 4-3	W, 8-5
Kade Strowd	4/21	Kansas State *	W	5.2	2	0	0	7	7	103	W, 6-0	W, 6-0
Braden Zarbnisky	4/22	Kansas State *	L	4.0	5	2	2	1	1	53	1-1	L, 7-4
Isaiah Kearns	4/24	at Marshall &	ND	2.1	4	5	3	2	4	46	W, 6-3	W, 11-10 (13)
BJ Myers	4/27	#19 Texas *	ND !	6.0	8	3	3	3	6	100	W, 6-3	L, 11-6
Kade Strowd	4/28	#19 Texas *	ND	5.1	7	3	3	3	4	103	W, 5-3	W, 8-6
Isaiah Kearns	4/29	#19 Texas *	W !	6.1	4	3	2	3	5	88	W, 4-2	W, 8-3
Christian Young	5/1	Maryland	W	5.0	2	0	0	1	4	70	W, 8-0	W, 9-5
BJ Myers	5/4	at Kansas *	W !	7.0	7	2	1	1	3	104	W, 18-2	W, 21-3
Kade Strowd	5/5	at Kansas *	L	4.1	8	5	5	2	4	69	L, 3-2	L, 13-3
Isaiah Kearns	5/6	at Kansas *	L	5.0	5	3	3	1	9	79	L, 3-1	L, 5-2
Christian Young	5/9	Virginia Tech	ND	3.1	2	2	2	1	4	55	W, 7-0	W, 10-5
BJ Myers	5/11	at TCU *	ND	5.1	4	3	3	4	3	100	W, 3-2	W, 4-3
Kade Strowd	5/12	at TCU *	L	1.1	3	3	3	1	1	42	L, 1-0	L, 10-4
Isaiah Kearns	5/13	at TCU *	L	3.0	3	4	4	1	2	49	L, 4-2	L, 8-5
BJ Myers	5/17	Baylor *	ND	3.0	3	1	1	0	2	37	1-1	W, 2-1
Isaiah Kearns	5/18	Baylor *	ND	3.0	3	1	1	0	1	30	L, 1-0	L, 4-1
BJ Myers	5/19	Baylor *	L	3.0	3	1	1	0	1	40	L, 1-0	L, 6-2
BJ Myers	5/23	#20 Oklahoma State %W	3.0	3	0	0	0	0	2	46	W, 6-0	W, 8-5
Isaiah Kearns	5/24	TCU %	L	5.0	4	2	2	3	5	95	L, 2-1	L, 8-1
BJ Myers	5/25	#6 Texas Tech %	ND	4.0	3	3	2	3	2	80	W, 8-1	W, 12-4
Kade Strowd	5/26	TCU %	L	3.2	5	5	5	3	5	83	L, 2-1	L, 7-3

> - Complete Game

! - Quality Start

* - Big 12 Conference Game

^ - Brittain Resorts Invitational, Conway, S.C.

- PNC Park, Pittsburgh, Pa.

& - Charleston, W.Va.

% - Big 12 Championship, Oklahoma City



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	B/T	Hometown	High School/Last School
39	Ryan Bergert	RHP	6-2	195	Fr.	R/R	Canton, Ohio	GlenOak HS
20	Drew Britt	RHP	6-5	220	Fr.	R/R	Downingtown, Pa.	Downingtown West HS
13	Kevin Brophy	INF	6-3	215	Jr.	L/R	Randolph, N.J.	Morristown Beard School
44	Alec Burns	1B	6-4	220	Fr.	R/R	Amherst, N.H.	Souhegan HS
21	Austin Davis	INF/OF	5-10	160	Fr.	R/R	Orlando, Fla.	Conrad Academy
1	Tyler Doanes	INF	5-10	175	So.	R/R	Fayetteville, Ga.	Whitewater HS
17	Phillip Dull	INF/RHP	6-0	192	Fr.	R/R	Alum Bank, Pa.	Chestnut Ridge HS
32	Ivan Gonzalez	C/3B	5-9	190	Sr.	R/R	Round Rock, Texas	Stony Point HS
27	Connor Hamilton	C	6-1	220	So.	R/R	Forestport, N.Y.	Adirondack HS
19	Brock Helverson	RHP	6-3	180	Fr.	R/R	Schwenksville, Pa.	Perkiomen Valley HS
31	Darius Hill	OF	6-1	190	Sr.	L/L	Dallas, Texas	Dallas Jesuit
9	Tristen Hudson	RHP/INF	6-3	178	So.	S/R	Seneca, S.C.	Seneca HS
24	Chase Illig	C	6-0	210	R-Jr.	S/R	Bluefield, W.Va.	IMG Academy / College of Charleston
25	Marques Inman	INF	6-1	215	R-Jr.	R/R	Elyria, Ohio	Elyria HS
33	Madison Jeffrey	RHP	6-0	190	Fr.	L/R	Barboursville, W.Va.	Cabell Midland HS
42	Sam Kessler	RHP	6-1	192	Jr.	R/R	Mount Sinai, N.Y.	Mount Sinai HS
6	Gabe Kurtzhals	RHP	5-9	160	Fr.	R/R	Fort Worth, Texas	Boswell HS
12	TJ Lake	OF/INF	6-1	185	R-Jr.	L/R	Toledo, Ohio	St. John's Jesuit
15	Jeremy Lapp-Barger	RHP	6-0	180	Fr.	R/R	Sykesville, Md.	Century HS
10	Trey Lowe III	OF	6-2	210	R-Fr.	R/R	Collierville, Tenn.	Bolivar Central
30	Beau Lowery	LHP	6-0	225	Fr.	R/L	Martinsburg, W.Va.	Mercersburg Academy
47	Alek Manoah	RHP	6-6	260	Jr.	R/R	Miami, Fla.	South Dade Senior HS
34	Paul McIntosh	C	6-1	220	So.	R/R	Miami Gardens, Fla.	Dade Christian HS / Motlow St. CC
16	Dillon Meadows	RHP	6-2	185	R-Jr.	R/R	Paradise, Texas	Paradise HS / Weatherford College
37	Zach Ottinger	RHP	6-1	180	Fr.	L/R	Marietta, Ga.	Lassiter HS
43	Daniel Ouderkirk	RHP	6-9	225	Fr.	R/R	Penn Laird, Va.	Spotswood HS
18	Zach Reid	LHP	5-11	165	R-Sr.	L/L	Montgomery, Ala.	Trinity Presbyterian School / Tennessee
35	Nick Snyder	LHP	6-7	220	Jr.	L/L	Marlton, N.J.	Cherokee HS / Mercer County CC
11	JJ Sousa	INF/OF	6-1	155	Fr.	L/R	Palm Coast, Fla.	Matanzas HS
5	Kade Strowd	RHP	6-2	175	Jr.	R/R	Fort Worth, Texas	Mansfield Legacy
2	Tevin Tucker	INF	6-0	175	Fr.	R/R	Petersburg, Va.	Prince George HS
7	Brandon White	OF	5-11	160	Jr.	R/R	Winter Springs, Fla.	Winter Springs HS
23	Jackson Wolf	LHP	6-7	205	So.	L/L	Gahanna, Ohio	Gahanna Lincoln HS
4	Cody Wood	RHP	6-3	195	R-Jr.	R/R	Denver, Colo.	Cherry Creek HS
26	Braden Zarbnisky	RHP/OF	6-3	185	Sr.	L/R	Marietta, Ga.	Pope HS
45	Andrew Zitel	INF	6-2	207	Sr.	R/R	Hillsborough, N.J.	Hillsborough HS

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.
1	Tyler Doanes	INF
2	Tevin Tucker	INF
4	Cody Wood	RHP
5	Kade Strowd	RHP
6	Gabe Kurtzhals	RHP
7	Brandon White	OF
9	Tristen Hudson	RHP/INF
10	Trey Lowe III	OF
11	JJ Sousa	INF/OF
12	TJ Lake	OF/INF
13	Kevin Brophy	INF
15	Jeremy Lapp-Barger	RHP
16	Dillon Meadows	RHP
17	Phillip Dull	INF/RHP
18	Zach Reid	LHP
19	Brock Helverson	RHP
20	Drew Britt	RHP
21	Austin Davis	INF/OF
23	Jackson Wolf	LHP
24	Chase Illig	C
25	Marques Inman	INF
26	Braden Zarbnisky	RHP/OF
27	Connor Hamilton	C
30	Beau Lowery	LHP
31	Darius Hill	OF
32	Ivan Gonzalez	C/3B
33	Madison Jeffrey	RHP
34	Paul McIntosh	C
35	Nick Snyder	LHP
37	Zach Ottinger	RHP
39	Ryan Bergert	RHP
42	Sam Kessler	RHP
43	Daniel Ouderkirk	RHP
44	Alec Burns	1B
45	Andrew Zitel	INF
47	Alek Manoah	RHP

COACHES AND STAFF

Head Coach: Randy Mazey – 7th season

Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coord.: Steve Sabins – 4th season

Assistant Coach: Mark Ginther – 1st season

Volunteer Assistant: Zach Barger – 1st season

Strength Coach: Sean Healy - 1st Season

Director of Baseball Operations: Pat Crowe

Director of Player Development, Dir. of Camps: Jared Fabian

Athletic Trainer: Cole Stembridge

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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 Tyler **Doanes** Doenz
 Ivan **Gonzalez** I-ven
 Chase **Illig** Ill-ig
Marques Inman Marcus
 Gabe **Kurtzhals** Kurtz-Alls
 Jeremy **Lapp-Barger** Lap-Barg-er
 Alek **Manoah** Mu-Noh-ah
 Paul **McIntosh** Mac-In-tosh
 Zach **Ottinger** Otting-Ger
 Daniel **Ouderkirk** Ow-dur-kirk
 Braden **Zarbnisky** Zarb-NIS-key
 Andrew **Zitel** Zie-TELL

Randy **Mazey** may-Zee
 Zach **Barger** Barge-err-on
 Jared **Fabian** Fay-bee-en

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

By Class

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By Position

Catchers 4
 Infielders 13
 Outfielders 8
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 New Hampshire, South
 Carolina, Tennessee 1