

GEORGIA TECH®

129TH SEASON • 34 NCAA REGIONAL APPEARANCES • 3 COLLEGE WORLD SERIES APPEARANCES • 9 ACC CHAMPIONSHIPS

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GEORGIA TECH BY THE NUMBERS

Overall Record	3-0
ACC Record	0-0
at Mac Nease Baseball Park	3-0
Road Games	0-0
Neutral Site Games	0-0
Streak	W3
Last 10 Games	-

2024 SCHEDULE / RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TV	TIME/RESULT
FEB. 16	RADFORD	ACCNX	W, 21-8
FEB. 17	RADFORD	ACCNX	W, 7-3
FEB. 18	RADFORD	ACCNX	W, 6-3
Feb. 20	@Georgia Southern	ESPN+	6 PM
FEB. 23	CORNELL	ACCNX	4 PM
FEB. 24	CORNELL	ACCNX	2 PM
FEB. 25	CORNELL	ACCNX	1 PM
FEB. 27	GEORGIA STATE	ACCNX	4 PM
MARCH 1	GEORGIA	ACCNX	6 PM
March 2	@Georgia	TBD	2 PM
MARCH 3	VS. GEORGIA^	N/A	3 PM
MARCH 5	NORTHEASTERN	ACCNX	4 PM
MARCH 8	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	ACCNX	6 PM
MARCH 9	YOUNGSTOWN STATE (DH)	ACCNX	1 PM
MARCH 10	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	ACCNX	1 PM
March 12	@Mercer	TBD	6 PM
MARCH 15	NC STATE*	ACCNX	6 PM
MARCH 16	NC STATE*	ACCNX	4 PM
MARCH 17	NC STATE*	ACCNX	1 PM
March 19	@Georgia State	TBD	4 PM
March 22	@North Carolina*	ACCNX	6 PM
March 23	@North Carolina*	ACCNX	2 PM
March 24	@North Carolina*	ACCN	12 PM
March 26	@Kennesaw State	ACCNX	6 PM
MARCH 28	BOSTON COLLEGE*	ACCNX	6 PM
MARCH 29	BOSTON COLLEGE*	ACCNX	6 PM
MARCH 30	BOSTON COLLEGE*	ACCNX	1 PM
APRIL 2	PRESBYTERIAN	ACCNX	6 PM
April 5	@Pitt*	ACCNX	3 PM
April 6	@Pitt*	ACCNX	3 PM
April 7	@Pitt*	ACCN	2 PM
APRIL 9	GEORGIA SOUTHERN	ACCNX	6 PM
APRIL 12	VIRGINIA TECH*	ACCNX	6 PM
APRIL 13	VIRGINIA TECH*	ACCNX	4 PM
APRIL 14	VIRGINIA TECH*	ACCNX	1 PM
April 16	@Auburn	SECN	7 PM
April 19	@Virginia*	ACCNX	6 PM
April 20	@Virginia*	ACCNX	4 PM
April 21	@Virginia*	ACCNX	1 PM
APRIL 23	KENNESAW STATE	ACCNX	6 PM
APRIL 26	MIAMI*	ACCNX	6 PM
APRIL 27	MIAMI*	ACCNX	4 PM
APRIL 28	MIAMI*	ACCNX	1 PM
May 3	@Clemson*	ACCNX	6 PM
May 4	@Clemson*	ACCNX	2 PM
May 5	@Clemson*	ACCNX	1 PM
MAY 7	AUBURN	ACCN	6 PM
MAY 10	DUKE*	ACCNX	6 PM
MAY 11	DUKE*	ACCNX	4 PM
MAY 12	DUKE*	ACCNX	1 PM
MAY 14	MERCER	ACCNX	6 PM
May 16	@Florida State*	ACCNX	6 PM
May 17	@Florida State*	ACCNX	6 PM
May 18	@Florida State*	ACCNX	1 PM
May 21-26	2024 ACC Baseball Championship		

Home Games = Gold all caps * ACC games ^ Lawrenceville, Ga. (Coolray Field)
 @ ACC Tournament (Durham, N.C.)
 Ranks for past/current games = highest ranking at time of game

FEB. 20 AT GEORGIA SOUTHERN | STATESBORO, GA.



GEORGIA TECH YELLOW JACKETS

Record 3-0 (0-0 ACC)
 Ranking.....None
 Last Season..... 30-27 (12-18 ACC)
 Head Coach..... Danny Hall
 Career Record ... 1,381-749-1 (37th season)
 Record at GT1,173-632-1 (31st season)

GEORGIA SOUTHERN EAGLES

Record 1-2 (0-0 Sun Belt)
 Ranking.....None
 Last Season..... 27-29 (16-14 Sun Belt)
 Head Coach..... Rodney Hennon
 Career Record 904-604-1 (27th season)
 Record at GS 823-565 (25th season)

MATCHUPS AT A GLANCE

GS	OFFENSE	GT	GS	PITCHING/DEF.	GT
.185	Batting	.346	3.33	ERA	4.33
.272	Slugging	.740	27.0	IP	28.0
.325	On-Base Pct.	.485	0	CGs	0
5	Doubles	9	1	Saves	2
0	Triples	1	1.86	K/BB	1.81
1	Home Runs	10	.257	OBA	186
18	Walks	25	2	Errors	2
5-6	SB-SBA	5-6	2	Double Plays	0

PROBABLE PITCHERS

FRI: GT RHP Logan McGuire (Jr., 0-0, 0.00 ERA vs. GS LHP Jacob Phillips (Jr., 0-0, 16.20 ERA)

GAME COVERAGE

Date	TV/Stream	Play-by-Play	Analyst	Radio	PxP/Analyst
Feb. 20	ESPN+	Daniel Waugh	David Hulvey	91.1 FM/GT App	Colin Lacy

Live Stats - buzz.gt/BSB-Stats24 Twitter - @GTBaseball | #WreckHavoc x #StingEm

TOP STORYLINES

- After sweeping the Opening Weekend, Georgia Tech baseball heads out on its annual trip to Georgia Southern on Feb. 20 at J.I. Clements Stadium.
- The Eagles are Tech's sixth-most-common opponent, having played 138 times since 1947. The Jackets own a 107-32 record against Southern, including 14-1 in their last 15 matchups.
- Last season, Tech swept the season series, winning 8-6 in Statesboro and 13-7 in Atlanta.
- The Jackets are debuting a retooled club this season as only one position starter from the end of last season returns.
- Tech welcomed in 26 newcomers this offseason, bolstered by a top-5 recruiting class and top-25 transfer class.
- Tech's new-look offense showed it was no worse for wear, putting up a Opening Day school record 21 runs.
- Shortstop **Payton Green** took home ACC Player of the Week for his part in the onslaught, hitting .636 for the week with seven hits, three home runs, seven RBI, four walks and no strikeouts.
- Tech hit seven home runs total on Opening Day, its most in a single game since 2009.
- Also shining was true freshman **Drew Burress**, who hit .429 with three home runs and three doubles.
- Outfielder **Trey Yunger** also showed out, hitting .417, including the first inside-the-park home run for Tech since 2016.
- Making his return to the mound on Tuesday will be Logan McGuire, who was limited to four starts in 2023 due to injury.
- After a tough-luck first inning on Opening Day, Tech's pitching staff rebounded, holding a 2.42 ERA the final 26 innings of the weekend.

2024 QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

School.....Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech)
Location.....Atlanta, Ga. 30332
Enrollment.....45,295
Founded.....1885
Nickname.....Yellow Jackets, Ramblin' Wreck
Mascot....."Buzz" the Yellow Jacket
Official Colors.....Tech Gold and White
Conference.....Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC)
President.....Dr. Angel Cabrera
Faculty Athletic Representative.....Dr. Jenna Jordan
Director of Athletics.....J Batt
Website.....www.RamblinWreck.com

BASEBALL STAFF (up to date records)

Head Coach..... Danny Hall (31st season)
Alma Mater, Year..... Miami-Ohio, 1977
Office Phone.....(404) 894-5471
Associate Head Coach / Recruiting.....James Ramsey (6th year)
Alma Mater, Year.....Florida State, 2012
Assistant Coach/Pitching..... Matt Taylor (1st year)
Alma Mater, Year.....Columbus State, 2017
Assistant Coach/Catchers.....Zeke Pinkham (4th year)
Alma Mater, Year.....Louisville, 2019
Director of Baseball Operations..... Tyler Gibson
Strength and Conditioning..... Steve Tamborra
Athletic Trainer.....Paul Wolkoff
Equipment Manager..... Bill Shackelford

HISTORICAL INFORMATION (up to date records)

Record Since 1895.....2,610-1,677-27 (.609)
Record at Mac Nease Baseball Park (1985-present) .. 1,014-331-1 (.753)
ACC Regular Season Record (1980-present)..... 593-446-2 (.571)
ACC Regular Season Championships (Divisional).....9
 1987, 1993, 1997, 2000, 2004, 2005, (2011, 2019, 2021)
ACC Tournament Appearances.....42
ACC Tournament Record.....83-69 (.546)
ACC Tournament Championships.....9
 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 2000, 2003, 2005, 2012, 2014
NCAA Tournament Appearances.....34
 1959, 1971, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991,
 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001,
 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011,
 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2019, 2021, 2022
NCAA Tournament Record.....77-69 (.527)
NCAA Super Regional Appearances.....5
 2000, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006
College World Series Appearances.....3
 1994 (2nd), 2002 (T-5th), 2006 (T-7th)
College World Series Record.....4-5 (.444)

STADIUM INFORMATION

Name.....Mac Nease Baseball Park at Russ Chandler Stadium
Year Opened.....1985
Last Renovated.....2020-21
Capacity.....3,194
Dimensions.....329-382-390-350-334
Fence Height.....10 feet
Address.....Fowler Street & Fifth Street, Atlanta, Ga. 30332

2024 TEAM INFORMATION

Lettermen Returning.....16
Starting Position Player.....1
Starting Pitchers.....1
Newcomers.....26

2023 YEAR IN REVIEW

Overall Record.....30-27
ACC Record.....12-18
ACC Finish.....Sixth - Coastal
ACC Tournament.....0-2
Final Ranking.....N/A

- Looking to contribute early with be true freshman **Drew Burress**, who is the top prospect to arrive on The Flats and has already been named a preseason freshman all-American by *ProspectsLive*.

- Perfect Game* rated Burress as the sixth-best position player to make it to a college campus and the second-best outfielder.

- Other freshmen who impressed in the offseason were **Ryan Jaros**, **Tyler Neises** and **Tate Mckee**.

- Georgia Tech has made three out of the last four NCAA Regionals, snapping a three-year streak last season.

- Tech has finished .500 or better in the ACC three of the last four seasons, snapping a three-year streak last season.

- Georgia Tech is looking to take full advantage of a string of some of the top recruiting classes in Tech history.

- With four straight top-10 classes and the first coming of junior eligibility this season, the mix of youth and experienced, both from transfers and homegrown talent will make for an anticipated season.

JACKETS FROM 2023 NO. 5 RECRUITING CLASS

Name	Hometown	Position
Drew Burress	Pery, Ga.	OF
Nathanael Coupet	Boynton Beach, Fla.	C
Petey Craska	Gibsonia, Pa.	INF
Brett Denby	New Albany, Ind.	INF
Michael Graziano	Marco Island, Fla.	OF
Ryan Jaros	Bayonne, N.J.	INF
Carson Kerce	Marietta, Ga.	INF
Michal Kovalva	Ostrava, Czech Republic	RHP
Vahn Lackey	Suwanee, Ga.	C
Tate Mckee	Kennesaw, Ga.	RHP
Tyler Neises	Dalton, Ga.	INF
Jackson Sobel	Charleston, S.C.	LHP

JACKETS FROM 2022 NO. 3 RECRUITING CLASS

Name	Hometown	Position
Parker Brosius	Suwanee, Ga.	OF
Jackson Gaspard	Flowery Branch, Ga.	UTL/RHP
Tyler Minnick	Marietta, Ga.	C
Demitri Diamant	Las Vegas, Nev.	INF/RHP
Riley Stanford	Gainesville, Ga.	OF/RHP
Nico Senese	Senoia, Ga.	INF
Carsten Sabathia	Alpine, N.J.	INF
Caden Gaudette	Alpharetta, Ga.	RHP
Aidan Jolley	Acworth, Ga.	C
Carson Ballard	Alpharetta, Ga.	RHP

JACKETS FROM 2021 NO. 8 RECRUITING CLASS

Name	Hometown	Position
Dawson Brown	Macon, Ga.	RHP

JACKETS FROM 2020 NO. 4 RECRUITING CLASS

Name	Hometown	Position
John Giesler	Marietta, Ga.	INF
Ben King	Calhoun, Ga.	LHP

CARDIAC JACKETS

- Georgia Tech baseball has been in for exciting baseball since 2019, posting a 31-20 record in one-run games.

- Since 2019, Tech is also a whopping 10-5 in games tied after 8 innings.

- Since 2002, Tech has posted a nearly 60-percent win percentage in one-run games (.583).

GT BASEBALL RECORD IN ONE-RUN GAMES - SINCE 2002

Year	Record	Pct.
2023	4-6	.400
2022	6-3	.667
2021	8-4	.667
2020	2-2	.500
2019	10-5	.667
2018	4-5	.444
2017	3-9	.250
2016	8-5	.615
2015	9-3	.750
2014	8-10	.444
2013	8-6	.571
2012	9-7	.563
2011	5-5	.500
2010	5-2	.714
2009	7-3	.700
2008	9-4	.692
2007	5-5	.500
2006	9-6	.600
2005	9-9	.500
2004	10-5	.667
2003	7-4	.636
2002	10-3	.769
TOTAL	154-110	.583

- Tech is also 46-28 (.622) in games decided by two runs or less since 2019.

IT STARTS AT HOME...

- "It Starts at Home" has been the offseason motto for Georgia Tech, putting an emphasis on getting victories at Mac Nease Baseball Park at Russ Chandler Stadium after going 26-11 in 2019.

- Since 1985, Tech has won a whopping .756 percent of its games at home (993-321-1).

- In 30 home games last season, Tech was 23-7 and hit a blistering .357 with 86 doubles, 10 triples and 63 home runs.

- Tech was excellent at home in 2022, recording a 22-9 record at Mac Nease Baseball Park at Russ Chandler Stadium.

- Since 2002, Tech has only hit below .300 at home in two full season – 2017 and 2021.

- In 2022, Tech hit a gaudy .349 at home.

OFFENSE

• Georgia Tech baseball will once again look to revamp its offense after losing most of its lineup to professional baseball last season.

• Last season, Tech finished in the top 15 nationally in five offensive categories.

GEORGIA TECH — 2023 FINAL NAT'L/ACC RANKS

Category	No.	D1 Rank	ACC Rank
Doubles/Game	2.49	3rd	2nd
Average	.323	4th	2nd
Doubles	142	10th	2nd
Slugging percentage	.538	11th	1st
On-base percentage	.416	15th	3rd

• The last two years have seen Tech's offense become its calling card as 2022 featured an even more potent threat.

GEORGIA TECH — 2022 FINAL NAT'L/ACC RANKS

Category	No.	D1 Rank	ACC Rank
Runs per game	9.4	3rd	1st
Average	.327	1st	1st
On-base percentage	.419	6th	2nd
Slugging percentage	.551	5th	2nd
Home runs	115	10th	3rd

• In 2023, Tech also set the program record for most triples in a single game on Feb. 17 vs. Miami (Ohio) with four.

• Tech also tied the program record for most doubles in a single game on March 14 vs. No. 18 Auburn with eight — hitting six in the third inning alone.

• As Tech looked to revamp its roster, it gained more OPS points than any Power 5 team through the portal this off-season (min. 5 transfers).

TOP 10 OPS GAINED ON D1 TRANSFERS TO POWER 5 SCHOOLS

Rk.	School	OPS
1.	Georgia Tech	+.244
2.	TCU	+.243
3.	Oklahoma	+.235
4.	Texas Tech	+.194
5.	Washington State	+.152
6.	Baylor	+.130
7.	Kansas State	+.084
8.	Texas A&M	+.079
9.	Georgia	+.050
10.	Missouri	+.042

• Tech looked true to form in again being one of the top powerhouse offenses in the ACC on Opening Weekend, setting the school record for runs scored on Opening Day (21).

• Part of the season-opening onslaught was seven home runs for Tech, the most in a single game for the first time since 2009.

MOST HOME RUNS, SINGLE GAME -- GT HISTORY (SINCE 2000)

Rk.	HRs	Opponent	Date
1.	8	at Mercer	April 22, 2008
2.	7	vs. Radford	Feb. 16, 2024
	7	vs. Presbyterian	May 3, 2009
	7	vs. Alabama St.	March 26, 2008

INFELDERS

• The veteran on the team and the lone returning position player from the end of last season, **John Giesler** will be looked after a terrific junior campaign.

• Giesler started the season at third base and looked good at the plate, finishing with three hits - two doubles and a triple - to finish hitting .273 on the weekend.

• Giesler is the second-best returning ACC hitter in conference games by OPS behind Wake Forest's Nick Kurtz.

• Last season, Giesler hit .333 in 47 games and 41 starts, recording 52 hits, 13 doubles, two triples and eight home runs, also driving in 37 runs. He reached base at a .422 clip in 2023.

• Playing first base Opening Weekend was transfer **Cam Jones** from Georgia State.

• A two-way star, Jones was the 2022 John Olerud Award runner up who was named first-team all-Sun Belt three times with the Panthers.

• For his career in Panthersville, Jones hit .341 with 75 RBI and 106 runs and finished second in program history with 50 career stolen bases.

• On the opposite corner, one of the leading contenders for third base has been true freshman **Ryan Jaros**.

• Jaros was an all-state New Jersey high school third baseman, displaying terrific defensive skill with a solid offensive package.

• He finished his prep career with 100 career hits in 213 at-bats (three seasons due to Covid-19) and was rated the top third baseman in New Jersey and No. 4 third baseman overall by *Perfect Game*.

• Up the middle, Tech will look to a completely new grouping acquired in the offseason.

• Transfer **Mike Becchetti** will likely hold down second base, coming off a career at Fairfield that featured multiple all-conference selections.

• Becchetti hit .300 in his first action as a Yellow Jacket, finishing with three hits and a home run for three RBI. He also reached base at a .500 clip.

• Becchetti led the MAAC in fielding percentage as a plus defender and has been graded highly on toughness and his ability to turn double plays.

• In 2023, Becchetti was first-team all-conference and named second team all-region in the northeast, batting .329 with 73 hits, 66 runs scored, 13 home runs and 54 RBI.

• In 2023, Becchetti had a career-high 20-game hitting streak — good for second-longest in Fairfield history.

• Transfer **Payton Green** brings 110 career starts with him at shortstop from NC State.

• Green was sensational in his first weekend on The Flats, earning ACC Player of the Week honors (Feb. 19).

• Green hit a gaudy .636 with seven hits and three home runs for seven RBI.

• In addition to slugging 1.455, he also drew four walks and failed to strike out for a .733 on-base percentage.

• His first eight plate appearances included six hits and two walks.

• Green's calling card has been plus defensive skill with upside to his offense and had a great fall on The Flats.

JACKETS IN THE POLLS

WEEK	BA	USA	NCBWA	D1	PG
Preseason	-	-	-	-	-
Feb. 19	-	-	-	-	-
Feb. 26	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 5	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 12	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 19	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 26	-	-	-	-	-
Apr. 4	-	-	-	-	-
Apr. 11	-	-	-	-	-
Apr. 18	-	-	-	-	-
Apr. 25	-	-	-	-	-
May 1	-	-	-	-	-
May 8	-	-	-	-	-
May 15	-	-	-	-	-
May 22	-	-	-	-	-
May 29	-	-	-	-	-

BA = Baseball America, USA = USA Today,
NCBWA = NCBWA, D1= D1Baseball.com, PG = Perfect Game
N/A = poll not out before release of notes
rv = receiving votes

OFFENSE

- In 2023 at NC State, he batted .274 with 57 hits, 12 doubles, 10 homers and 45 RBI while also leading the Wolfpack with nine stolen bases.
- Known as #CatcherU, Georgia Tech once again has two dependable catchers behind the dish for the 2023 campaign.
- Adding in the offseason as a grad transfer, **Matthew Ellis** looks to be the Opening Day starter behind the dish.
- Ellis started the season well, hitting .357 with five hits and three doubles over Opening Weekend.
- Ellis was limited due to injury in his last season at Indiana, but in 2022, the backstop tied Kyle Schwarber's home run record with 18.
- Ellis' long history of home-run power and on-base percentage makes him a deadly contender in the middle of Tech's revamped lineup.
- Another option behind the dish for Tech is blue-chip recruit **Tyler Minnick**, who appeared in 27 games and made 24 starts last season.
- Minnick hit .263 for the year, recording 21 hits, six doubles and two home runs, driving in 14 runs.
- Minnick was rated a top-35 catcher nationally and the No. 2 catcher in the state of Georgia for the 2023 class before reclassifying and enrolling mid-year at Tech.
- Also getting a chance Opening Weekend is true freshman **Vahn Lackey**.
- Lackey made his first appearance on Opening Day, in a pinch-hit situation, and drove his first collegiate hit out of the park to become the fifth Yellow Jacket since 2015 to homer in his first career plate appearance.

HOME RUN IN FIRST CAREER PLATE APPEARANCE -- GT HISTORY (SINCE 2015)

Player	Opponent	Year
Vahn Lackey	vs. Radford	2024
Nicholas Romano	vs. Wright State	2022
Drew Compton	vs. St. Peter's	2020
Michael Guldberg	vs. Dartmouth	2018
Blake Johnson	vs. St. John's	2015

- Other Jackets in the mix in the infield this season are returners **Demitri Diamant**, **Nico Senese** and **Carsten Sabathia**, as well as freshmen **Tyler Neises** and **Brett Denby**.

• Sabathia's first collegiate hit in 2023 was a three-run mammoth home run against Georgia.

• He is the son of MLB great C.C. Sabathia.

OUTFIELDERS

• For the second year in a row, Georgia Tech will debut a completely new-look outfield when compared to last year's opening day lineup.

• The lone familiar face in the outfield will be **Parker Brosius**, who returns for his sophomore season at Tech.

• Brosius was a breakout star in the Northwoods League this summer, hitting .292 with a .446 on-base percentage and a gaudy 42 stolen bases.

• He has tremendous speed and great bat-to-ball skill who can play all three positions in the outfield, but will more than likely wind up in left field.

• In very limited action in 2023, Brosius hit .182 with two hits in 11 at-bats over 30 appearances (often as a pinch runner).

• Also looking to contribute early will be true freshman **Drew Burress**, who is the top prospect to arrive on The Flats and has already been named a preseason freshman all-American by *ProspectsLive*.

• Burress became the first Georgia Tech true freshman to bat leadoff on Opening Day since Kyle Wren led off 2011.
• Burress showed no freshman slump in his collegiate debut, hitting .429 with three doubles and three home runs, slugging 1.286 for the weekend.

• *Perfect Game* rated Burress as the sixth-best position player to make it to a college campus and the second-best outfielder.

• Many media outlets have touted him as the favorite or top-2 favorite in the preseason to win ACC Freshman of the Year.

• Also a threat in the outfield and at the plate is transfer **Trey Yunger**.

• Yunger began the season in left field and was Tech's third-best hitter Opening Weekend, hitting .417 with five hits, six RBI and an inside-the-park home run.

• Yunger's inside-the-park home run was the first by a Yellow Jacket since Austin Wilhite in 2018.

INSIDE-THE-PARK HOME RUNS -- GT HISTORY (SINCE 2005)

Player	Opponent	Date
Trey Yunger	at Mercer	April 22, 2008
Austin Wilhite	vs. Florida State	April 8, 2018
Coleman Poje	vs. Savannah State	May 10, 2016
Kyle Wren	vs. Clemson	April 28, 2012
Tyler Greene	vs. Wake Forest	March 11, 2005

• Yunger brings 178 games and 157 starts of experience from three years at Wofford.

• For his career, he totaled a .329 average with 196 hits, four home runs, 114 RBI, 142 runs scored and 65 stolen bases.

• In 2023, Yunger hit .360 in 58 starts with 81 hits, four homers, 49 RBI and 26 steals.

• Also competing for the outfield or designated hitter spot is transfer **Bobby Zmarzlak**.

• Zmarzlak began the season as Tech's designated hitter, hitting .250 with two hits and four RBI.

• At Maryland in 2022, Zmarzlak launched 15 home runs but had strikeout issues. In 2023, the production dipped slightly but the strikeout rate was cut in half.

• In the Maryland single-season record book, Zmarzlak ranks No. 7 in runs (64), No. 14 in home runs (15), No. 17 in at-bats (234) and No. 20 in hit-by-pitch (20).

PITCHING/DEFENSE

• After struggling last year on the mound, Tech brought in new pitching coach **Matt Taylor** as its pitching coach and **Jason Richman** as director of pitching to lead this season.

• Taylor joins the Yellow Jackets after earning an opportunity to be the minor league pitching coordinator for the Atlanta Braves following three years as the pitching coach and recruiting coordinator at nearby Georgia State.

• In three seasons at Georgia State, Taylor's time in downtown Atlanta culminated in 2022 when he helped coach the Panthers to their first 30-win season in seven years as his staff had a 5.21 ERA (4.67 ERA in Sun Belt Conference play), a program-record 505 strikeouts and 17 saves – good for second-most in program history.

• Richman joins the Yellow Jackets after a three-year stint as the pitching coach at USC Aiken. He helped the Pacers to an 11-year improvement in 2022, reaching the PBC Tournament semifinals after a 20-10 conference season. He tutored multiple all-conference and all-region selections.

• Prior to USC Aiken, Richman was the player development coach at his alma mater, Georgia Southern for three seasons. As a player in Statesboro, Richman was tabbed the 2014 Southern Conference Most Outstanding Player and was the Tom Walter/Pete Frates College Baseball Inspiration Award Winner.

• Despite a lackluster performance last season, one of the biggest storylines in 2023 was the injuries to key pitchers for Georgia Tech, including all three of the weekend rotation.

• In days between appearances, Tech pitchers have missed a combined 140 days from games and practices due to nagging injuries.

DAYS MISSED DUE TO INJURY, GEORGIA TECH 2023

Days	Player	Injury
65+	Logan McGuire	Upper body
30+	Dawson Brown	Upper body
30+	Camron Hill	Lower body
15+	Jackson Finley*	Upper body

*was able to hit and play first base

• Now with three of those four back and healthy (Finley drafted), Tech is looking for deeper starts and more consistent performances from its arms.

• Outside of a tough-luck opening inning in which the Jackets surrendered six runs, Tech's remaining arms over the final 26 innings of the weekend worked to a 2.42 ERA.

STARTERS

• Georgia Tech's starting lineup for Opening Weekend will be **Terry Busse** on Friday, **Aeden Finateri** on Saturday and transfer **Mason Patel** on Sunday.

• Busse earned the Friday night role after being one of the nation's top closers a season ago.

• Busse was a midseason All-American, but as injuries continued to plague the Jackets, was forced into the starting rotation, which affected his numbers.

• Busse finished 2023 with nine saves, ranking tied for sixth all-time in Georgia Tech single-season history and was the most since Matthew Gorst (2016).

PITCHING/DEFENSE

MOST SAVES IN A SINGLE-SEASON -- GT HISTORY

Saves	Player	Year
1. 14	Brett Binkley	1993
2. 12	Tucker Barr	1995
	Matthew Gorst	2016
4. 11	Mike Hostetler	1989
5. 10	Jim Poole	1987
6. 9	Terry Busse	2023
	Jim Poole	1988
	Chris Hicks	2008
9. 8	Keith Fleming	1986
	Chris Myers	1992
	Mark Pope	2009
	Brian Burks	2003
	Andrew Robinson	2010
	Luke Bard	2011
	Sam Clay	2014

- Finateri got the Saturday start after being one of Tech's top competitors on the mound last season and finishing with the second-best ERA.

- He was sensational in his first start of 2024, carving up Radford's hitters to the tune of 6.0 innings and a career-high eight strikeouts. He allowed just one run and one walk.

- Finateri sported a 4.64 ERA over 23 appearances and four starts in 2023, striking out 56 hitters in 50.2 innings.

- As a lower slot righty with a 88-91 mph sinker, Finateri has been dangerous no matter what his role has been.

- Patel joined Tech after a terrific three seasons at Georgia State, where he recorded a 3.47 career ERA with 60 strikeouts in 59.2 innings and a .247 average against.

- Patel's 2023 season was cut short after just 15.2 innings and three starts due to a season-ending injury.

- Patel had two sun-aided "hits" foil his first start at Georgia Tech as three runs crossed against him in the first three innings.

- In total, three hits went against both Radford and Georgia Tech pitchers on Sunday due to getting lost in the sun.

- If healthy, Tech's weapon this season is depth in that multiple pitchers should make cases for starting, whether on weekends or in midweeks.

- Other starters in contention include **Cam Hill**, **Logan McGuire** and true freshman **Tate McKee**.

- Hill was the Cape Cod Pitcher of the Year in 2023, taking a big jump forward from a spring season that saw his ERA at 7.98.

- Hill worked a quick and efficient 2.0 innings of hitless baseball on Sunday vs. Radford, striking out three.

- McGuire was very promising to start in 2023, but was shut down and limited to just four starts on the season due to injury.

- McKee has been one of the top freshman arms, working up to 96 in the fall with solid command.

- McKee looked terrific in his first action of his college career, pitching 2.1 innings of work and allowing just one hit.

- McKee was a top-35 right-handed pitcher in the country, according to Perfect Game after being a four-year letterwinner at Mount Paran, playing both shortstop and pitcher.

- McGuire returns to the mound for the first time in 2024 on Tuesday, getting his first start since April 11, 2023.

- McGuire was one of Tech's top pitchers going into the season, but nagging injuries limited his action to the tune of just four starts between Feb. 18 and April 11 before getting shut down the rest of the year.

RELIEVERS

- Where the Jackets had some success last season was its bullpen, but fatigue set in as it had to cover so many innings due to short starts.

- **Ben King** returns as the veteran stopper of the group after a sensational second season.

- King was once again reliable as he was first out of the bullpen on Friday night, setting the game for 2.0 innings scoreless after six scored in the first against Tech.

- King had two runs cross against him in the third inning before getting relieved.

- In his first year back from elbow surgery, King led the Jackets with a 3.73 ERA, 55 strikeouts and 6-2 record on the year.

- In just his relief appearances alone, he recorded a 2.72 ERA with a 6-1 record.

- Another relief arm that Tech will rely on will be transfer **Brett Thomas**.

- Thomas pitched a hitless inning on Opening Weekend vs. Radford.

- Thomas is finally healthy after battling several injuries at South Carolina and sat mid-90s with nasty breaking pitches.

- Thomas made just six appearances in 2023 for the Gamecocks due to injury.

- Also making his debut was redshirt freshman Carson Ballard, who pitched 4.0 innings hitless in less than 50 pitches, walking none and striking out two to get his first career save.

- A true freshman to watch will be **Michal Kovala** out of the Czech Republic.

- Kovala pitched in the World Baseball Classic for his home country and was the top European prospect, according to *Perfect Game*.

- Kovala pitched four scoreless to close with a narrow 7-4 lead in a win-or-go-home WBC game against Germany, ending the game by inducing a ground-ball double play from former Big Leaguer Bruce Maxwell.

- Tech will also look to enjoy the services of a healthy **Dawson Brown** this season.

- A veteran arm, Brown had been hampered by nagging injuries all season in 2023, making only 12 appearances after beginning the first seven weeks of the season as the Friday night starter.

- Fully healthy, Brown looked terrific in his first action of the season, striking out the side in his inning of work Opening Weekend against Radford.

MISCELLANEOUS

ATOP THE CONFERENCE

• Georgia Tech baseball ranks among the most prolific winners in ACC history.

MOST ACC TOURNAMENT TITLES, SINCE 2000

	Titles	Years
Florida State	6	2002, 2004, 2010, 2015, 2017, 2018
Georgia Tech	5	2000, 2003, 2005, 2012, 2014
North Carolina	4	2007, 2013, 2019, 2022
Clemson	3	2006, 2016, 2023
Virginia	2	2009, 2011

MOST ACC REGULAR-SEASON, DIVISIONAL TITLES SINCE 1994

	Titles	Regular-Season Years (Divisional)
Florida State	14	1996, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003 (2007, 2008, 2009, 2010*, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014)
Georgia Tech	7	1997, 2000, 2004, 2005 (2011, 2019, 2021)
North Carolina	7	(2006, 2007, 2009, 2012, 2013, 2017, 2018)
Louisville	5	(2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2022)
Clemson	5	1994, 1995 (2006, 2010*, 2018)
Miami	4	(2008, 2014, 2015, 2016)

*co-champion

• Tech will play all of its most commonly played opponents.

GEORGIA TECH'S MOST COMMON OPPONENTS

	Games	First Meeting	Series Record
Georgia	387	1898	UGA leads 217-168-2
Auburn	245	1897	AU leads 126-113-5
Mercer	174	1897	GT leads 116-58
North Carolina	155	1901	GT leads 83-72
Duke	139	1903	GT leads 99-40
Ga. Southern	138	1947	GT leads 107-32
Clemson	138	1902	CU leads 117-119-3
NC State	137	1921	GT leads 78-59
Virginia	135	1924	GT leads 77-63-2
Wake Forest	123	1898	GT leads 76-46-1



2024 ACC PRESEASON POLL

OVERALL CHAMPION

Wake Forest

ATLANTIC DIVISION POINTS

1. Wake Forest (10)	95
2. Clemson (2)	79
3. NC State	68
4. Florida State	54
5. Louisville	48
6. Notre Dame	31
7. Boston College	17
<i>(first-place votes)</i>	

COASTAL DIVISION POINTS

1. Virginia (7)	88
2. North Carolina (6)	86
3. Duke (1)	71
4. Miami	56
5. Georgia Tech	40
6. Virginia Tech	34
7. Pitt	17
<i>(first-place votes)</i>	

2024 HONORS

MIKE BECCHETTI

Preseason Top 100 Second Basemen (D1Baseball) (Feb. 2)

DREW BURRESS

Preseason All-American (Prospects Live) (Feb. 13)

Preseason Top 50 Outfielders (D1Baseball) (Feb. 7)

TERRY BUSSE

Preseason Top 100 Starting Pitcher (D1Baseball) (Feb. 8)

MATTHEW ELLIS

Preseason Top 50 Catchers (D1Baseball) (Feb. 6)

JOHN GIESLER

Preseason Top 50 First Basemen (D1Baseball) (Jan. 31)

PAYTON GREEN

Preseason Top 50 Shortstops (D1Baseball) (Feb. 6)

ACC Player of the Week (Feb. 19)

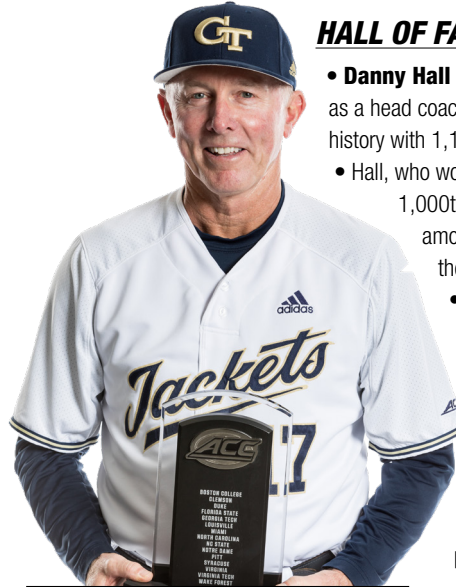
CAM HILL

Preseason Top 100 Starting Pitcher (D1Baseball) (Feb. 8)

2024 RECORD BREAKDOWN

	ACC	Overall
Overall	0-0	3-0
Home	0-0	3-0
Road	0-0	0-0
Neutral	0-0	0-0
Day Games	0-0	0-0
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	0-0	0-0
Yellow Jackets Score First	0-0	1-0
Opponent Scores First	0-0	2-0
Yellow Jackets Score in 1st inning	0-0	2-0
Walk-off Victories	0-0	0-0
As a Ranked Team (All Polls)	0-0	0-0
vs. Ranked Team (All Polls)	0-0	0-0
vs. LHP (starter)	0-0	1-0
vs. RHP (starter)	0-0	2-0
Yellow Jacket Starter 6+ IP	0-0	1-0
Yellow Jacket Starter 7+ IP	0-0	0-0
Yellow Jacket Starter 8+ IP	0-0	0-0
Hitting A Home Run	0-0	3-0
Not Hitting A Home Run	0-0	0-0
Out Hit Opponent	0-0	2-0
Get Out Hit By Opponent	0-0	1-0
Equal Number of Hits	0-0	0-0
February	0-0	3-0
March	0-0	0-0
April	0-0	0-0
May	0-0	0-0
June	0-0	0-0
Monday	0-0	0-0
Tuesday	0-0	0-0
Wednesday	0-0	0-0
Thursday	0-0	0-0
Friday	0-0	1-0
Saturday	0-0	1-0
Sunday	0-0	1-0
One-Run Games	0-0	0-0
Two-Run Games	0-0	0-0
Three-Run Games	0-0	1-0
Four+ Run Games	0-0	2-0
Leading After 6	0-0	3-0
Trailing After 6	0-0	0-0
Tied After 6	0-0	0-0
Leading After 7	0-0	3-0
Trailing After 7	0-0	0-0
Tied After 7	0-0	0-0
Leading After 8	0-0	3-0
Trailing After 8	0-0	0-0
Tied After 8	0-0	0-0
Shutouts	0-0	0-0
Extra Innings	0-0	0-0
Score 0-5 Runs	0-0	0-0
Score 6+ Runs	0-0	3-0
Allow 0-5 Runs	0-0	2-0
Allow 6+ Runs	0-0	1-0
Commit 0 Errors	0-0	1-0
Commit 1 Error	0-0	2-0
Commit 2+ Errors	0-0	0-0

HALL OF FAME COACH



• **Danny Hall** is in his 31st season at Georgia Tech and his 37th overall as a head coach in 2024. He is the winningest baseball coach in Tech history with 1,173 wins.

- Hall, who won his 1,300th career game on April 25, 2021 and his 1,000th win at Georgia Tech on March 20, 2018, stands first among active Division I coaches in career victories entering the 2024 season.
- Prior to the 2024 season, Hall was named to the ABCA Hall of Fame.
- In his career – both as an assistant and head coach – Hall has been part of over 1,600 victories and seven trips to the College World Series.
- Hall has led Tech to the NCAA Tournament on 22 occasions and guided the Jackets to the NCAA College World Series in 1994, 2002 and 2006 -- the program's only three berths.

**WINNINGEST ACTIVE DIVISION I
 BASEBALL COACHES
 ENTERING 2024 SEASON**

- 1. Danny Hall, Georgia Tech.....1,378**
2. Keith Guttin, Missouri State..... 1,373
3. John Anderson, Minnesota..... 1,365
4. Gary Gilmore, Coastal Carolina..... 1,335
5. Elliott Avent, NC State 1,222
6. Dave Van Horn, Arkansas..... 1,210
7. Rich Hill, Hawaii 1,136
8. Steve Owens, Rutgers..... 1,018
9. Rick Heller, Iowa..... 1,010
10. Tim Corben, Vanderbilt..... 989

HALL BY THE NUMBERS

1,381	career wins as a head coach
1,173	wins at Georgia Tech
159	total draft picks coached at Tech
141	all-ACC honors
119	all-American selections by 45 GT players
52	Tech's school record for wins set in 2002
28	freshman all-Americans
23	NCAA Regional appearances at Tech
18	top-two ACC offensive finishes
19	Academic all-America honors by GT players
15	Yellow Jackets drafted in the first round
7	ACC regular season/division titles ('97, '00, '04, '05, '11, '19, '21)
6	NCAA Super Regional appearances at Tech
5	ACC tournament titles (2000, 2003, 2005, 2012, 2014)
3	College World Series appearances (only three in Tech history)

GAME HIGHS

TEAM BATTING

At bats:	43	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Runs scored:	21	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hits:	20	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
RBIs:	21	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Doubles:	5	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Triples:	1	vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Home runs:	7	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Total bases:	44	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Walks:	13	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Strikeouts:	10	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Sac hits:	1	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Sac flies:	1	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Stolen bases:	3	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hit by pitch:	3	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Caught stealing:	1	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Runners LOB:	16	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hit into DP:	1	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
	1	vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)

TEAM FIELDING

Putouts:	27	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	27	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
	27	vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Assists:	6	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	6	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
	6	vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Errors:	1	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	1	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)

TEAM PITCHING

Innings pitched:	9.0	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	9.0	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
	9.0	vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Runs allowed:	8	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Earned runs:	8	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Walks allowed:	9	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Strikeouts:	11	vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Hits allowed:	8	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Doubles allowed:	3	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Wild pitches:	2	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hit batters:	1	vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

At bats:	6	Trey Yunger vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Runs scored:	4	Payton Green vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hits:	4	Trey Yunger vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	4	Payton Green vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
RBIs:	6	Trey Yunger vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Doubles:	2	John Giesler vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	2	Matthew Ellis vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
	2	Drew Burress vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Triples:	1	John Giesler vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Home runs:	2	Drew Burress vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Total bases:	8	Drew Burress vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Walks:	2	(7 games)
Strikeouts:	2	(4 games)
Sac hits:	1	Cam Jones vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Sac flies:	1	Carsten Sabathia vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Stolen bases:	2	Cam Jones vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hit by pitch:	2	Mike Becchetti vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Caught stealing:	1	Drew Burress vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)

INDIVIDUAL FIELDING

Putouts:	11	Matthew Ellis vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Assists:	3	Payton Green vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Errors:	1	Ben King vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	1	Payton Green vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Innings pitched:	6.0	Aeden Finateri vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Runs allowed:	6	Terry Busse vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Earned runs:	6	Terry Busse vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Walks allowed:	3	Terry Busse vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Strikeouts:	8	Aeden Finateri vs Radford (Feb 17, 2024)
Hits allowed:	6	Mason Patel vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Doubles allowed:	2	Mason Patel vs Radford (Feb 18, 2024)
Wild pitches:	1	Ben King vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
Hit batters:	1	Caden Gaudette vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)
	1	Terry Busse vs Radford (Feb 16, 2024)

SERIES BY SERIES STATS

HITTING	W-L	Avg.	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	SB
Radford	3-0	.346	34	36	9	1	10	33	25	20	5

PITCHING	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	Opp. Avg.
Radford	3-0	4.33	27.0	18	14	13	16	29	.186

MONTH-BY-MONTH

UNDER COACH DANNY HALL (1994-present)

Year	Jan./Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May/June	Final
1994	6-2	15-2	13-6	16-7	50-17
1995	7-3	11-6	13-6	7-7	38-22
1996	4-6	15-3	11-8	10-7	40-24
1997	9-0	18-2	9-8	10-5	46-15
1998	8-4	13-5	11-8	9-5	41-22
1999	8-4	15-2	8-9	7-5	38-20
2000	8-3	13-5	16-3	13-5	50-16
2001	10-1	12-6	11-7	8-6	41-20
2002	8-1	14-3	14-5	16-7	52-16
2003	7-0	14-5	11-6	12-7	44-18
2004	6-3	10-8	9-6	19-4	44-21
2005	7-2	14-3	10-7	14-7	45-19
2006	10-0	12-4	11-8	17-6	50-18
2007	6-5	12-6	9-6	5-8	32-25
2008	5-1	17-4	9-8	10-8	41-21
2009	6-1	12-3	10-7-1	10-8	38-19-1
2010	7-1	15-2	13-5	12-7	47-15
2011	5-3	16-2	10-8	11-8	42-21
2012	7-2	11-8	8-9	12-7	38-26
2013	8-1	13-5	7-10	9-11	37-27
2014	5-4	10-9	11-6	11-8	37-27
2015	7-3	11-7	8-7	6-6	32-23
2016	7-0	12-5	10-9	9-11	38-25
2017	7-1	7-9	7-11	6-7	27-28
2018	6-2	10-9	8-10	7-6	31-27
2019	5-3	14-6	11-5	11-4	43-16
2020	7-3	4-2	-	-	11-5
2021	6-1	7-6	7-10	11-7	31-25
2022	7-1	10-8	10-8	9-7	36-24
2023	8-0	9-9	9-9	4-9	30-27
2024	3-0				

TOTALS	210-61	293-215-1	1173-632-1
		367-154	301-201

GAME-WINNING PLAYS

Game-winning plays are ones that give Tech the lead or break a tie en route to win

Game	Play	Inn.	Final
RAD 1	Burress solo HR	3	21-8
RAD 2	Green RBI single	1	7-3
RAD 3	Green Grand Slam	3	6-3

GAME WINNING RBI LEADERS

	2024	CAREER
John Giesler	-	2
Payton Green	2	2
Drew Burress	1	1
Tyler Minnick	-	1
Demitri Diamant	-	1
Nico Senese	-	1

CAREER WALK-OFF HITS

Player (Date)	Play	Inn.	Final
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*Run-Rule Walkoff

2024 MLB #PROJACKETS

Charlie Blackmon, OF	Rockies
Joey Bart, C	Giants
Buck Farmer, RHP	Reds
Xzavion Curry, RHP	Guardians
Amos Williamham, RHP	Nationals

YELLOW JACKETS BIG INNINGS

* FOUR OR MORE RUNS

DATE	OPPONENT	INN.	BATTERS	R	H	E	GT RESULT
2/16	Radford	1	10	5	3	0	GT, 21-8
		3	9	5	7	0	
		7	11	6	2	0	
2/18	Radford	3	6	4	1	0	W, 6-3

2023 RECORD WITH A BIG INNING: 2-0

OPPONENT BIG INNINGS

* FOUR OR MORE RUNS

DATE	OPPONENT	INN.	BATTERS	R	H	E	GT RESULT
2/16	Radford	1	10	6	3	0	GT, 21-8

RECORD WHEN ALLOWING A BIG INNING: 1-0

GAMES STARTED (POSITION PLAYERS)

Player	2023	CAREER	CURRENT STREAK
John Giesler	44	50	12
Tyler Minnick	25	25	1
Nico Senese	12	12	-
Mike Becchetti	3	3	3
Drew Burress	3	3	3
Parker Brosius	3	3	3
Demitri Diamant	3	3	-
Matthew Ellis	3	3	3
Payton Green	3	3	3
Cam Jones	3	3	3
Jeff Lovett	3	3	-
Trey Yunger	3	3	3
Bobby Zmarzlak	2	2	-

CAREER HOME RUNS

* – Leadoff ITP – Inside-the-Park GS – Grand Slam

MIKE BECCHETTI	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	* 0 . . .	3	0	3-2	5-6	W, 21-8

DREW BURRESS	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	0 . . .	3	1	2-2	6-6	W, 21-8
2. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	0 . . .	4	1	3-1	10-8	W, 21-8
3. Feb. 18, 2024	Radford	* 0 . . .	5	0	2-2	5-3	W, 6-3

JOHN GIESLER	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 25, 2022	Gardner-Webb	. 1 . . .	7	2	3-0	12-0	W, 14-0
2. April 2, 2023	Boston College	* 0 . . .	4	0	3-2	3-5	L, 12-24
3. April 2, 2023	Boston College	0 . . .	9	1	3-2	10-24	L, 12-24
4. April 21, 2023	No. 17 Miami (Fla.)	. 1 . . .	5	1	0-0	0-3	L, 2-4
5. April 23, 2023	No. 17 Miami (Fla.)	. 1 . . .	3	1	2-2	4-2	W, 9-5
6. April 28, 2023	Gardner-Webb	0 . . .	4	2	2-1	8-3	W, 15-5
7. May 7, 2023	Pitt	0 . . .	6	2	3-2	9-2	W, 15-3
8. May 12, 2023	at No. 10 Duke	. 1 . . .	1	2	2-1	2-0	W, 8-5
9. May 23, 2023	vs. North Carolina	0 . . .	6	2	2-2	1-4	L, 5-11

PAYTON GREEN	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	* 0 . . .	6	0	0-2	11-8	W, 21-8
2. Feb. 17, 2024	Radford	* 0 . . .	3	0	1-1	3-1	W, 7-3
3. Feb. 18, 2024	Radford	. . . 3	2	2	2-0	0-3	W, 6-3

CAM JONES	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	. 1 . . .	4	1	3-1	10-8	W, 21-8

VAHN LACKEY	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	0 . . .	8	2	1-0	20-8	W, 21-8

JETT LOVETT	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Mar. 19, 2022	Wake Forest	. 1 . . .	9	0	0-2	5-27	L, 7-27

TYLER MINNICK	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 21, 2023	at Georgia Southern	. . 2 .	2	1	1-0	1-5	W, 8-6
2. April 16, 2023	at Virginia Tech	0 . . .	8	2	0-0	1-9	L, 2-9

CARSTEN SABATHIA	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. March 4, 2023	Georgia	. . 2 .	9	1	2-0	3-16	L, 6-16

TREY YUNGER	Opponent	On Base	Inning	Outs	Count	Score	Final
1. Feb. 16, 2024	Radford	ITP . 1 . . .	6	2	2-0	12-8	W, 21-8

STARTERS

STARTING PITCHER RECORDS

PITCHER	2024 STARTS	2024	CAREER
Dawson Brown	-	-	1-2
Terry Busse	1	0-0	0-1
Aeden Finateri	1	1-0	0-3
Camron Hill	-	-	0-1
Ben King	-	-	0-1
Logan McGuire	-	-	2-1

* CAREER RECORD IS RECORD AS A STARTER (NOT OVERALL)

STARTING PITCHERS GAME-BY-GAME

PITCHER	DATE	OPPONENT	DEC.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	NP	SCORE	FINAL
											W/LEFT	SCORE
Terry Busse	2/16	Radford	ND	1.0	3	6	6	3	0	40	5-6	21-8
Aeden Finateri	2/17	Radford	W	6.0	4	1	1	1	8	85	5-1	7-3
Mason Patel	2/18	Radford	ND	3.0	6	3	3	1	4	63	4-3	6-3

BULLPEN GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	DATE	W-L-S	PITCHERS	INN.	IP	H	R-ER	BB-SO
Radford	2/16	1-0-0	King (W), McKee, Brown, Gaudette	2nd	8.0	5	2-2	6-10
Radford	2/17	0-0-1	Thomas, Diamant, Jones (S)	7th	3.0	0	2-1	4-3
Radford	2/18	1-0-1	Hill (W), Ballard (S)	4th	6.0	0	0-0	1-4

OUT OF THE BULLPEN *

* DOES NOT INCLUDE STARTS

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
Carson Ballard	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	1	4.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Tate McKee	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.1	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	.125	0	0	0	0	0
Cam Jones	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	1	2.0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Camron Hill	0.00	1-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Caden Gaudette	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	.143	0	1	0	0	0
Dawson Brown	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Brett Thomas	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Ben King	6.75	1-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.2	3	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	.300	1	0	0	0	0
Demitri Diamant	99.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1.59	2-0	3	0	0	0/0	2	17.0	5	4	3	11	17	2	0	0	.089	1	1	0	0	0
Opponents	10.59	0-1	3	0	0	0/0	0	17.0	26	21	20	18	12	7	1	8	.356	0	3	0	1	0

STARTING PITCHERS STATS *

* STATS AS A STARTER in 2023, NOT OVERALL

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
Aeden Finateri	1.50	1-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	6.0	4	1	1	1	8	1	0	0	.190	0	0	0	0	0
Mason Patel	9.00	0-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	3.0	6	3	3	1	4	2	0	0	.429	0	0	0	0	0
Terry Busse	54.00	0-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	1.0	3	6	6	3	0	1	0	0	.500	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	9.00	1-0	3	3	0	0/0	0	10.0	13	10	10	5	12	4	0	0	.317	0	1	0	0	0
Opponents	16.71	0-2	3	3	0	0/0	0	7.0	10	13	13	7	8	2	0	2	.323	4	1	0	0	1



GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

PITCHER OF RECORD

DATE	OPPONENT	W-L	SCORE	ATT.	GT PITCHER	OPP. PITCHER	RECORD	NOTES
2/16	Radford	W	21-8	970	Ben King	Trey Ludy	1-0	Fall beind 6-0; GT hits 7 HR; Opening Day record 21 runs
2/17	Radford	W	7-4	1,012	Aeden Finateri	Dylan Howard	2-0	Finateri shoves 6 IP of 1 R, career-high 8 K;
2/18	Radford	W	6-3	1,015	Camron Hill	Jordan Irizarry	3-0	Green hits third-inning grand slam; Hill/Ballard combine for 6 hitless

[] game in doubleheader

() extra inning game

* ACC games

@ ACC Tournament

^ NCAA Tournament

Coolray Field (Lawrenceville, Ga.)

2024 GEORGIA TECH BASEBALL ROSTERS

No.	Name	Position	B/T	Height	Weight	Elig.	Hometown/High School (Prev. School)
0	Mike Becchetti	"buh-chet-tee"	INF	R/R	5-8	180	Sr. Eastchester, N.Y./Archbishop Stepinac (Farfield)
1	Parker Brosius	"bro-shush"	OF	R/L	6-2	193	So. Suwanee, Ga./Lambert HS
2	Cam Jones		LHP/OF	R/L	6-1	190	Sr. Kathleen, Ga./Houston County HS (Georgia State)
3	Jackson Gaspard		UTL/RHP	R/R	6-0	183	RS Fr. Flowery Branch, Ga./Buford HS
4	Tyler Minnick		C	R/R	6-4	228	So. Marietta, Ga./Mount Paran Christian
5	Demitri Diamant	"die-mont"	INF/RHP	R/R	5-11	188	So. Las Vegas, Nev./Bishop Gorman HS
6	Carson Kerce		INF	R/R	6-1	200	Fr. Marietta, Ga./Pope HS
7	Jett Lovett		OF	L/R	5-11	180	Jr. Newnan, Ga./Newnan HS
8	Drew Burress		OF	R/R	5-9	182	Fr. Perry, Ga./Houston County HS
9	Payton Green		INF	R/R	6-3	192	Jr. Cary, N.C./Pro5 Baseball Academy (NC State)
10	Ryan Jaros		INF	R/R	6-3	218	Fr. Cranford, N.J./Cranford HS
12	Bobby Zmarzlak		OF	R/R	6-5	212	Sr. Stamford, Conn./Westhill HS (Maryland)
14	Camron Hill	"cameron"	LHP	L/L	6-6	215	Jr. Fayetteville, Ga./Whitewater HS
15	Riley Stanford		OF/RHP	R/R	6-4	236	RS Fr. Gainesville, Ga./Buford HS
16	Nico Senese	"suh-neese"	INF	R/R	6-3	185	So. Senoia, Ga./East Coweta HS
18	Trey Yunger		INF/OF	R/R	5-9	180	Sr. Atlanta, Ga./IMG Academy (Wofford)
20	JD Smith		RHP	R/R	5-11	182	So. Valdosta, Ga./Valdosta HS (College of Central Florida)
21	Ben King		RHP	R/T	6-3	215	RS Jr. Calhoun, Ga./Calhoun HS
22	Tate McKee		RHP	R/R	6-3	200	Fr. Kennesaw, Ga./Mount Paran Christian
24	Carsten Sabathia		INF	R/R	6-4	232	So. Alpine, N.J./Bergen Catholic HS
25	Vahn Lackey		C	R/R	6-2	200	Fr. Suwanee, Ga./Collins Hill HS
26	Brett Denby		INF	R/R	5-11	172	Fr. New Albany, Ind./Jefferson HS
27	Dawson Brown		RHP	R/R	6-1	200	Sr. Macon, Ga./Tattnall Square Academy
28	Logan McGuire		RHP	R/R	6-3	215	Jr. Acworth, Ga./Allatoona HS
29	Mason Patel	"puh-tell"	RHP	R/R	6-1	196	Sr. Knoxville, Tenn./The Webb School (Georgia State)
30	Brett Thomas		RHP	R/R	6-5	248	Sr. Atlanta, Ga./Riverwood HS (South Carolina)
32	Brett Barfield		LHP	L/L	6-2	203	So. Cumming, Ga./North Forsyth HS (Florida State)
34	Aeden Finateri		RHP	R/R	6-0	222	Jr. Watertown, Conn./Avon Old Farms
35	Michael Graziano		OF	R/R	6-3	212	Fr. Marco Island, Fla./Naples HS
36	Aidan Jolley		C	R/R	5-9	186	So. Acworth, Ga./Allatoona HS
37	Caden Gaudette		RHP	R/R	6-0	207	So. Alpharetta, Ga./Milton HS
38	Carson Ballard		RHP	R/R	6-1	195	RS Fr. Alpharetta, Ga./Wesleyan HS
39	Tyler Neises		INF	L/R	6-3	216	Fr. Dalton, Ga./Dalton HS
40	John Giesler	"gees-ler"	INF	R/R	6-3	220	Sr. Marietta, Ga./Walton HS
43	Jackson Vaughan		RHP	R/R	5-8	180	Sr. Bakersfield, Calif./Bakersfield HS (University of Pacific)
45	Michal Kovala	"michael" "co-vaul-a"	RHP	L/R	6-0	183	Fr. Czech Republic/P27 Academy
46	Camren Landry		RHP	R/R	6-3	191	Sr. Johns Creek, Ga./Centennial HS (Georgia State)
48	Jackson Sobel	"sow-bull"	LHP	L/L	6-2	196	Fr. Charleston, S.C./Oceanside Collegiate Academy
50	Petey Craska		INF	L/R	6-0	243	Fr. Gibsonsia, Pa./Mars Area HS
51	Terry Busse	"bus-ee"	RHP	R/R	6-3	217	Jr. Valparaiso, Ind./Valparaiso HS (John A. Logan JC)
55	Matthew Ellis		C	L/R	6-4	248	Sr. Waddy, Ky./Shelby County (Indiana)
77	Reed Schaefer		LHP	L/L	6-3	203	Jr. Las Vegas, Nev./Desert Oasis HS (Arizona)

ALPHABETICAL	
No.	Name
38	Carson Ballard
32	Brett Barfield
0	Mike Becchetti
1	Parker Brosius
27	Dawson Brown
8	Drew Burress
51	Terry Busse
50	Petey Craska
26	Brett Denby
5	Demitri Diamant
55	Matthew Ellis
34	Aeden Finateri
3	Jackson Gaspard
37	Caden Gaudette
40	John Giesler
35	Michael Graziano
9	Payton Green
14	Camron Hill
10	Ryan Jaros
36	Aidan Jolley
2	Cam Jones
6	Carson Kerce
21	Ben King
45	Michal Kovala
25	Vahn Lackey
46	Camren Landry
7	Jett Lovett
28	Logan McGuire
22	Tate McKee
4	Tyler Minnick
39	Tyler Neises
29	Mason Patel
24	Carsten Sabathia
77	Reed Schaefer
16	Nico Senese
20	JD Smith
48	Jackson Sobel
15	Riley Stanford
30	Brett Thomas
43	Jackson Vaughan
18	Trey Yunger
12	Bobby Zmarzlak

COACHES & STAFF

Head Coach:	17 Danny Hall (Miami, Ohio '77), 31st year at Tech
Associate Head Coach/Hitting:	13 James Ramsey (Florida State '12), 6th year
Assistant Coach/Pitching:	99 Matt Taylor (Columbus State '07), 1st year
Volunteer Assistant Coach:	54 Zeke Pinkham (Louisville '19), 5th year
Undergraduate Assistant Coach:	Deck McGuire, 1st year
Director of Baseball Operations:	Tyler Gibson
Athletic Trainer:	Paul Wolkoff (Georgia Tech, '93), 17th year
Strength & Conditioning:	Steve Tamborra (Florida State '94), 26th year
Equipment Manager:	Bill Shackelford, 1st year

BY STATE/COUNTRY

Georgia (25)	Alpharetta
Carson Ballard	Alpharetta
Parker Brosius	Suwanee
Brett Barfield	Cumming
Dawson Brown	Macon
Drew Burress	Perry
Jackson Gaspard	Flowery Branch
Caden Gaudette	Alpharetta
John Giesler	Marietta
Camron Hill	Fayetteville
Aidan Jolley	Acworth
Cam Jones	Kathleen
Carson Kerce	Marietta
Vahn Lackey	Suwanee
Camren Landry	Johns Creek
Ben King	Calhoun
Jett Lovett	Newnan
Logan McGuire	Acworth
Tate McKee	Kennesaw
Tyler Minnick	Marietta
Tyler Neises	Dalton

Nico Senese	Senoia
JD Smith	Valdosta
Riley Stanford	Gainesville
Brett Thomas	Atlanta
Trey Yunger	Atlanta
New Jersey (2)	
Ryan Jaros	Cranford
Carsten Sabathia	Alpine
Connecticut (2)	
Aeden Finateri	Watertown
Bobby Zmarzlak	Stamford
California (1)	
Jackson Vaughan	Bakersfield
Florida (1)	
Michael Graziano	Marco Island
Indiana (1)	
Terry Busse	Laparaizo

Kentucky (1)	
Matthew Ellis	Waddy
Nevada (1)	
Demitri Diamant	Las Vegas
New York (1)	
Mike Becchetti	Eastchester
North Carolina (1)	
Payton Green	Cary
Pennsylvania (1)	
Petey Craska	Gibsonia
South Carolina (1)	
Jackson Sobel	Charleston
Czech Republic (1)	
Michal Kovala	Czech Republic

BY ELIGIBILITY

Seniors (11): Becchetti, Brown, Ellis^, Giesler, C. Jones^, Landry^, Patel^, Thomas^, Vaughan^, Yunger^, Zmarzlak^

Juniors (8): Busse^, Finateri, Green^, Hill, King^, Lovett, McGuire, Schaefer^

Sophomores (9): Barfield^, Bosius, Diamant, Gaudette, Jolley, Minnick, Sabathia, Senese, Smith^

Freshman (14): Ballard*, Burress, Craska, Denby, Gaspard*, Graziano, Jaros, Kerce, Kovala, Lackey, McKee, Neises, Sobel, Stanford*

* redshirt ^transfer