

2007 Mercer Bears Baseball

2007 Schedule & Results

Overall: 4-6

A-Sun: 0-0

Home: 1-1

Away: 3-5

Neutral: 0-0

| Date | Opponent | Time/Result |
|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| Feb. 2 | at Miami, Fla. | W, 6-5 |
| Feb. 3 | at Miami, Fla. | W, 8-5 |
| Feb. 4 | at Miami, Fla. | Rained Out |
| Feb. 10 | at Bethune-Cookman (DH) | L, 5-0; L, 9-2 |
| Feb. 11 | at Bethune-Cookman | L, 5-3 |
| Feb. 14 | Georgia State | W, 8-2 |
| Feb. 16 | at South Alabama | L, 7-5 |
| Feb. 17 | at South Alabama | L, 13-11 |
| Feb. 18 | at South Alabama | W, 9-5 |
| Feb. 21 | Georgia | L, 6-5 |
| Feb. 23 | Florida A&M | 4 p.m. |
| Feb. 24 | Florida A&M | 1 p.m. |
| Feb. 25 | Florida A&M | 1 p.m. |
| Feb. 28 | at Georgia State | 6 p.m. |
| Mar. 2 | Samford | 4 p.m. |
| Mar. 3 | Samford | 1 p.m. |
| Mar. 4 | Samford | 1 p.m. |
| Mar. 7 | at Western Carolina | 3 p.m. |
| Mar. 9 | at Florida A&M | 4 p.m. |
| Mar. 10 | at Florida A&M | 1 p.m. |
| Mar. 11 | at Florida A&M | 1 p.m. |
| Mar. 16 | *Campbell | 6 p.m. |
| Mar. 17 | *Campbell (DH) | noon |
| Mar. 20 | at Georgia | 6 p.m. |
| Mar. 23 | *at Stetson | 7 p.m. |
| Mar. 24 | *at Stetson (DH) | 1 p.m. |
| Mar. 27 | Auburn | 6 p.m. |
| Mar. 30 | *Jacksonville | 6 p.m. |
| Mar. 31 | *Jacksonville (DH) | noon |
| Apr. 4 | at Georgia State | 6 p.m. |
| Apr. 6 | *Lipscomb | 6 p.m. |
| Apr. 7 | *Lipscomb (DH) | noon |
| Apr. 10 | at Auburn | 7 p.m. |
| Apr. 14 | *at Belmont (DH) | 3 p.m. |
| Apr. 15 | *at Belmont | 2 p.m. |
| Apr. 17 | Georgia Southern | 6 p.m. |
| Apr. 21 | *at North Florida (DH) | 1 p.m. |
| Apr. 22 | *at North Florida | 1 p.m. |
| Apr. 24 | Savannah State | 6 p.m. |
| Apr. 27 | *Kennesaw State | 6 p.m. |
| Apr. 28 | *Kennesaw State (DH) | noon |
| May 10 | *at Gardner-Webb | 4:30 p.m. |
| May 11 | *at Gardner-Webb (DH) | 1 p.m. |
| May 15 | at Georgia Southern | 6 p.m. |
| May 17 | *ETSU | 6 p.m. |
| May 18 | *ETSU (DH) | noon |
| May 23-26 | A-Sun Tournament (DeLand, Fla.) | |

*Atlantic Sun Conference game

DH-Doubleheader

All times are Eastern

Home games are **bold**

Schedule is subject to change

Games 12-14 Mercer vs. Florida A&M Feb. 23-25, 2007 Claude Smith Field

Mercer hung tough with SEC foe Georgia on Wednesday, Feb. 21 at Claude Smith Field, but came up short losing 6-5. Each team tallied three runs in the second inning and the Bulldogs tacked on two runs in the fourth and one in the fifth inning, and the Georgia bullpen locked down Mercer allowing only one unearned run in six innings of work in gaining its first win of the season. Georgia out-hit Mercer 14-8, but committed five errors in the game.

Shaughnessy led the way for the Bears finishing 2-for-4 with two RBIs and three runs scored. John Dortch went 2-for-4 with one RBI and Steve Karwatt chipped in with a 2-for-4 effort, including a double to deep-center field. Starting pitcher Boone Webster (2-1) went 4.0 innings and allowed five earned runs on 11 hits. He struck out two and walked one. The bullpen was also solid for the Bears as Justin Boyette (3.0 IP, 1 ER, 3 H, 4 K, 1 BB), Brantley New (1.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 H, 1 K) and Cory Gearrin (1.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 H, 3 K) kept Mercer in the game. Gearrin has yet to allow a hit or run in 8.2 innings this season and has recorded 16 strikeouts.

Mercer Probable Lineup

| Probable Batting Order | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------|-----|------|----|---|-----|
| Pos. | Name | Yr. | Avg. | 2B | R | RBI |
| 1B | Mike Armstrong | Jr. | .317 | 2 | 9 | 7 |
| DH | Tyler Brown | Jr. | .158 | 0 | 6 | 4 |
| C | Josh Thompson | Sr. | .342 | 2 | 7 | 11 |
| 3B | Steve Karwatt | So. | .323 | 3 | 5 | 3 |
| CF | Eric Renfroe | Sr. | .125 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| LF | Jason Lowey | Sr. | .318 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| SS | Billy Shaughnessy | Jr. | .364 | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| 2B | Michael Langley | Fr. | .154 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| RF | John Dortch | Jr. | .300 | 4 | 6 | 3 |

Key Reserves

| | | | | | | |
|----|---------------|-----|------|---|---|---|
| LF | Mark Jarvis | Jr. | .250 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| LF | Matt Crawford | Jr. | .211 | 1 | 6 | 3 |
| 2B | Josh Lowey | Jr. | .182 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C | Casey Stuart | So. | .100 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

Probable Pitching Rotation

| Pos. | Name | Yr. | ERA | W-L | SV | IP | SO |
|------|----------------|-----|-------|-----|----|------|----|
| RHP | Brantley New | Sr. | 7.41 | 0-2 | 0 | 17.0 | 12 |
| RHP | Michael Shaw | Fr. | 16.88 | 0-0 | 0 | 2.2 | 3 |
| RHP | Justin Boyette | So. | 5.62 | 0-1 | 0 | 8.0 | 10 |

Bullpen

| | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----------------|-----|------|-----|---|------|----|
| RHP | Cory Gearrin | Jr. | 0.00 | 1-0 | 2 | 8.2 | 16 |
| RHP | Josh Lowey | Jr. | 0.00 | 0-0 | 0 | 3.1 | 3 |
| RHP | Scott Patterson | Fr. | 1.80 | 0-0 | 0 | 5.0 | 3 |
| RHP | Boone Webster | Jr. | 3.86 | 2-0 | 0 | 14.0 | 7 |
| RHP | Jason Lowey | Sr. | 5.40 | 0-0 | 0 | 3.1 | 4 |
| RHP | Andy Campbell | Jr. | 5.59 | 1-0 | 0 | 9.2 | 5 |

Game Notes

2007 Mercer Bears Baseball

| No. | Name | Pos. | B/T | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Hometown/Previous School |
|-----|-------------------|--------|-----|------|-----|-----|---|
| 2 | Nick DiMauro | INF | R/R | 5-9 | 160 | Fr. | Boca Raton, Fla./Boca Raton HS |
| 3 | Casey Stuart | C | R/R | 6-2 | 180 | So. | Warner Robins, Ga./Houston County HS |
| 4 | Jason Lowey | OF | R/R | 5-10 | 170 | Sr. | Ft. Walton Beach, Fla./Okaloosa-Walton JC |
| 5 | Thomas Carroll | OF/LHP | L/L | 6-2 | 210 | Fr. | Albany, Ga./Deerfield Windsor HS |
| 6 | Blake Quarles | LHP | L/L | 6-3 | 188 | Sr. | Augusta, Ga./Young Harris JC |
| 7 | Michael Langley | INF | R/R | 5-11 | 160 | Fr. | Lilburn, Ga./Parkview HS |
| 8 | Steve Karwatt | INF | R/R | 6-0 | 210 | So. | Sarasota, Fla./Sarasota HS |
| 9 | Billy Shaughnessy | INF | R/R | 5-11 | 180 | Jr. | Roswell, Ga./Lassiter HS |
| 10 | Josh Lowey | INF | R/R | 5-11 | 180 | Jr. | Ft. Walton Beach, Fla./Okaloosa-Walton JC |
| 11 | Tyler McCarty | INF | S/R | 5-10 | 190 | So. | Griffin, Ga./Spalding County HS |
| 12 | Josh Thompson | C | R/R | 6-3 | 210 | Sr. | Pineview, Ga./Fullington Academy |
| 13 | Matt Crawford | OF | S/R | 6-0 | 164 | Jr. | Waycross, Ga./Gordon JC |
| 14 | Mike Armstrong | INF/C | R/R | 6-4 | 225 | Jr. | Evans, Ga./Evans HS |
| 15 | Tyler Brown | INF/C | L/R | 6-0 | 210 | Jr. | Monroe, Ga./Middle Georgia JC |
| 17 | Brantley New | RHP | R/R | 6-3 | 205 | Sr. | Dublin, Ga./Dublin HS |
| 19 | Andrew Einert | INF | L/R | 6-2 | 210 | Sr. | Kennesaw, Ga./North Cobb HS |
| 20 | J.C. Daugherty | LHP | L/L | 6-2 | 220 | Sr. | Clearwater, Fla./North Florida CC |
| 21 | Mark Jarvis | OF | R/R | 6-2 | 205 | Jr. | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Westminister HS |
| 22 | Eric Renfroe | OF | L/R | 6-2 | 205 | Sr. | Macon, Ga./Tattnall Square Academy |
| 23 | Andy Campbell | RHP | R/R | 6-2 | 200 | Jr. | Whitesburg, Ga./Alexander HS |
| 25 | John Daugherty | INF | L/L | 6-2 | 180 | Jr. | Athens, Ga./Clarke Central HS |
| 26 | Cory Gearrin | RHP | R/R | 6-3 | 210 | Jr. | Dayton, Tenn./Young Harris JC |
| 27 | John Dortch | OF | R/R | 6-2 | 180 | Jr. | Tallahassee, Fla./Chiles HS |
| 28 | Justin Boyette | RHP | R/R | 6-1 | 195 | So. | Beaumont, Texas/Okaloosa-Walton JC |
| 29 | Joe Winker | OF | L/L | 6-1 | 190 | Fr. | Orlando, Fla./Bishop Moore HS |
| 30 | Michael Shaw | RHP | R/R | 6-3 | 230 | Fr. | Cumming, Ga./North Forsyth HS |
| 31 | Mike Narveson | RHP | R/R | 6-3 | 191 | Sr. | Savannah, Ga./Savannah Christian HS |
| 33 | David Harden | RHP | R/R | 6-4 | 210 | Fr. | Marietta, Ga./Kennesaw Mountain HS |
| 34 | Scott Patterson | RHP | R/R | 6-0 | 170 | Fr. | Cumming, Ga./North Forsyth HS |
| 35 | Richard Bentley | OF | R/R | 6-3 | 195 | Jr. | Marietta, Ga./Young Harris JC |
| 36 | Kyle Bedrosian | LHP | L/L | 6-0 | 185 | So. | Sharpsburg, Ga./East Coweta HS |
| 38 | Boone Webster | RHP | R/R | 6-2 | 201 | Jr. | Alpharetta, Ga./Young Harris JC |
| 39 | Jerod Northcutt | RHP/OF | R/R | 6-2 | 190 | Fr. | Cochran, Pa./Cochran HS |
| 40 | Justin True | OF | R/R | 6-1 | 190 | So. | Macon, Ga./Tattnall Square Academy |
| 42 | Travis Peyatt | C | R/R | 6-2 | 225 | Fr. | Byron, Ga./Mount de Sales |
| 44 | J.T. Odom | OF | R/R | 6-0 | 180 | Fr. | St. Mary's, Ga./The Bolles School |

Head Coach: Craig Gibson (Fourth season, Mercer '85)

Assistant Coaches: Tim Boeth (Second season, Central Florida '98), Danny McMurtry (First season, Louisiana-Lafayette '03), Ty Megahee (Second season, Mercer '05)

Pronunciations

2 Nick **DiMauro**Di-Mar-oh
 6 Blake **Quarles**Kwarles
 8 Steve **Karwatt**Car-wat
 9 Billy **Shaughnessy**Shaw-nes-ee
 19 Andrew **Einert**I-ner-t
 26 Cory **Gearrin**Gare-in
 27 John **Dortch**Door-ch
 28 Justin **Boyette**Boy-et
 36 Kyle **Bedrosian**Buh-droh-shun
 38 **Boone** WebsterBoon
 42 Travis **Peyatt**Pie-ut
 Tim **Boeth**Booth
 Danny **McMurtry**Mc-Mer-tree
 Ty **Megahee**Muh-gay-hee

Roster Breakdown

By State
 Georgia25
 Florida8
 Pennsylvania1
 Tennessee1
 Texas1

By Year
 Seniors8
 Juniors12
 Sophomores6
 Freshman10

By Position
 Pitchers12 (9 RHP and 3 LHP)
 Catchers3
 Infielders10
 Outfielders11

Game Notes

2007 Mercer Bears Baseball

Craig Gibson Head Coach - Fourth Season



Mercer head coach Craig Gibson has helped put the Bears among the elite squads in the Atlantic Sun Conference heading into 2007. Last season, Gibson led Mercer to its best finish since 1999, earning a 34-26 mark and a third-place finish in the conference. Highlighting the season were victories over No. 1 Florida and No. 1 Clemson. Closer Andrew Urena finished second in the nation in saves with 15, and earned All-America honors from several publications. Urena was chosen by the Chicago White Sox during the 11th round of the June major league baseball draft. Brantley New was also drafted last June in the 27th round by the Boston Red Sox, but elected to return to Mercer for his senior year. The Bears also finished over .500 in back-to-back seasons for the first time since 1982-83. Due to the recent success, Gibson has been able to land top-flight recruits, as *Collegiate Baseball* tabbed Mercer's 2007 recruiting class among the nation's top tier.

In 2005, Gibson guided the Bears back above .500, marking the first time Mercer had finished the season with a winning record since 1999. In the process, the Bears set a new school record with eight shutouts and defeated Southwest Missouri State, who finished the season ranked in the Top 25.

Gibson became the third head coach at Mercer University since 1948 at the start of the 2004 season. Barry Myers hung up his spikes after 26 years at Mercer and the Bears did not have to go far to find their new leader.

In his first campaign as head coach, Gibson led his young

squad to a 20-35 record, a nine-win improvement from the previous season. The 2004 Bears had just three seniors on the roster, and of the eight juniors on the squad, only one had played for Mercer in 2003. The rest of the junior class had transferred to Mercer looking for a chance to win.

Mercer opened the 2004 season with a victory over Florida A&M for Gibson's first career win on January 24, 2004. On March 20, 2004, the Bears defeated Jacksonville 2-0, for Gibson's first Atlantic Sun Conference victory. The Bears won two of three games against Troy on April 23-24, 2004 for the first conference series win during the Craig Gibson Era.

Gibson started his career at Mercer as a player. His junior year, the hard-hitting first baseman earned Atlantic Sun Conference Player of the Year honors, while leading the Bears to the Atlantic Sun Tournament and a second-place finish in the regular season.

Following his playing career, Gibson served as a graduate assistant coach on Myers' staff. He then took over as the head baseball coach at Jupiter Community High School in Jupiter, Fla., for two years before moving over to Suncoast Community High School in Riviera Beach, Fla., for one season. Gibson wrapped up his high school coaching career in 1993 as the head coach at Palm Beach Gardens High School in Palm Beach, Fla.

In August 1993, Gibson got the call to come home and serve as an assistant under Myers. With his strong ties to Mercer and a wealth of coaching experience, it made Athletics Director Bobby Pope's choice an easy one when he elevated Gibson to the head job following Myers resignation.

During his time as an assistant, Gibson coached four players who were drafted by the Major Leagues and helped lead Mercer to two A-Sun divisional titles. The Bears also advanced to the A-Sun Tournament three times, finishing as high as third in 1999. The 1999 team was one of the best Gibson worked with, finishing in a tie for third place in the A-Sun at 19-11 and going 36-24 overall.

Since 1994, he has also been involved in helping fundraising for Mercer athletics, serving as director of the athletic department annual fund.

On top of his victories on the field, Gibson was a winner in the classroom, earning a bachelor's degree in history and health, physical education and recreation, and a master's of education in social science from Mercer.

A native of Macon, Ga., Gibson and his wife Diane have two children, Tyler and Lindsey.

The Gibson File

Coaching Experience

Mercer University

Head Coach

2004-present

(Fourth Season)

Assistant Coach

1994-2003

(10 Seasons)

Graduate Assistant

1986-87

(Two Seasons)

Palm Beach Gardens HS

1991-93

(Three Seasons)

Suncoast Community HS

1990

(One Season)

Jupiter Community HS

1988-89

(Two Seasons)

Playing Experience

Mercer University

1981-85

(Four Seasons)

Education

Mercer University

**B.S. history and health,
physical education and
recreation**

M.S. education in

social science

2007 Mercer Bears Baseball

2007 Atlantic Sun Standings

| Team | Conference | | | | Overall | | |
|---------------|------------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| | W | L | Pct. | GB | W | L | Pct. |
| Belmont | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Stetson | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 6 | 2 | .750 |
| ETSU | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Lipscomb | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 5 | 3 | .625 |
| Jacksonville | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 4 | 5 | .444 |
| Mercer | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| Kennesaw St. | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Gardner-Webb | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 1 | 5 | .167 |
| UNF | 0 | 0 | .000 | - | 0 | 7 | .000 |

2007 Preseason Poll

| Pos. | Team (First-place votes) | Pts. |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|
| 1. | Jacksonville (5) | 91 |
| 2. | Stetson (4) | 91 |
| 3. | Mercer (1) | 80 |
| 4. | North Florida | 72 |
| 5. | ETSU | 60 |
| 6. | Kennesaw State | 42 |
| 7. | Belmont | 41 |
| 8. | Campbell | 27 |
| 9. | Gardner-Webb | 25 |
| 10. | Lipscomb | 21 |

A-Sun Tournament Champion:
Stetson

Preseason Player of the Year:
Josh Thompson (Mercer)

2007 Preseason All-Atlantic Sun Team

| Pos. | Name | Team | Cl. |
|-----------|--------------------------|---------------|------------|
| SP | *Matt Dobbins | Jacksonville | Jr. |
| SP | Chris Ingoglia | Stetson | Sr. |
| SP | Brad Johnson | North Florida | Sr. |
| SP | Brantley New | Mercer | Sr. |
| RP | Robbie Elsemiller | Stetson | Jr. |
| 1B | Mike Armstrong | Mercer | Jr. |
| 2B | Chad Knight | North Florida | Jr. |
| 3B | Braedyn Pruitt | Stetson | Sr. |
| SS | Billy Shaughnessy | Mercer | Jr. |
| OF | Pete Clifford | Jacksonville | Sr. |
| OF | Shane Jordan | Stetson | Sr. |
| OF | Wilson Tucker | Belmont | Sr. |
| C | Josh Thompson | Mercer | Sr. |
| DH | Travis Martin | North Florida | Jr. |
| DH | Jay McConnell | Gardner-Webb | So. |

*Unanimous Selection

This Week in the A-Sun

Feb. 23

Florida A&M at Mercer - 4 p.m.

Campbell at Charlotte - 3 p.m.

Rider at ETSU - 3 p.m.

Canisius at Gardner-Webb - 3 p.m.

Auburn at Jacksonville - 3:30 p.m.

Boston College at Belmont - 4 p.m.

Ball State at Lipscomb - 4 p.m.

Kennesaw State at Samford - 6 p.m.

Louisville at Stetson - 7 p.m.

Towson at UNF - 7 p.m.

Feb. 24

Florida A&M at Mercer - 1 p.m.

Louisville at Stetson - 1 p.m.

Rider at ETSU - 1 p.m.

Towson at UNF - 1 p.m.

Canisius at Gardner-Webb - 1 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Belmont - 2 p.m.

Campbell at Charlotte - 2 p.m.

Jacksonville at South Alabama - 2 p.m.

Kennesaw State at Samford - 2 p.m.

Boston College at Lipscomb - 3 p.m.

Louisville at Stetson - 5 p.m.

Feb. 25

Florida A&M at Mercer - 1 p.m.

Michigan State at Jacksonville - noon

Louisville at Stetson - 1 p.m.

Rider at ETSU - 1 p.m.

Towson at UNF - 1 p.m.

Canisius at Gardner-Webb - 1 p.m.

Ball State at Belmont - 2 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Lipscomb - 2 p.m.

Kennesaw State at Samford - 2 p.m.

Feb. 27

Campbell at Citadel - 3 p.m.

Gardner-Webb at North Carolina - 3 p.m.

Belmont at Mississippi - 4 p.m.

Middle Tennessee at Lipscomb - 4 p.m.

UNF at Florida State - 4 p.m.

Jacksonville State at Kennesaw State - 5 p.m.

Stetson at Bethune-Cookman - 6 p.m.

All Times are Eastern



2007 Mercer Bears Baseball

A Look at the Rattlers

Florida A&M (1-10) has gotten off to a rough start this season and is coming into this series on a five-game losing streak. The Rattlers only win came on Feb. 10 versus Navy, 6-5. FAMU was swept in a three-game series by Florida International last weekend, as they were out-scored 38-19. Also, Florida A&M is 0-6 on the road this season.

Junior infielder Corey McFadden leads the way for FAMU with a .350 batting average and nine runs scored, three RBIs, one double and a home run. McFadden earned All-Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference second team honors last season. The Rattlers are capable of making hay on the base paths, as they have swiped 18-of-25 stolen base attempts.

Leading the pitching rotation is senior left-hander Ben Baylor. Baylor has recorded a pair of losses in his only decisions, but has a 3.60 ERA with 12 strikeouts in 20.0 innings of work.

The Rattlers are coached by Joe Durant who is in his 17th season at the helm of the FAMU program. He entered the season with an overall record of 349-417. Last season's squad finished 13-34 overall and 6-12 in the MEAC, good for a seventh-place finish.

Mercer won two of three versus Florida A&M last season to open the 2006 campaign. The Bears took the first two games, 8-2 and 10-2, but were defeated in the finale, 7-4. Mercer and FAMU will square off six times this season as the Bears will travel to Tallahassee for a three-game set, Mar. 9-11.

Roster

| No. | Name | Pos. | Cl. | Hometown |
|-----|--------------------|--------|-----|-----------------------|
| 1 | Corey McFadden | INF | Jr. | Tampa, Fla. |
| 2 | Joshua Rodriguez | INF | Fr. | Avon Park, Fla. |
| 3 | Stanley Gnat | UTY | Sr. | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 4 | Cyrus Martin | INF | Fr. | Deerfield Beach, Fla. |
| 5 | Peter Guastella | UTY | Sr. | Seminole, Fla. |
| 6 | Ben Baylor | LHP | Sr. | Monticello, Fla. |
| 7 | Adam Gordon | INF | So. | Tallahassee, Fla. |
| 9 | Chris Haynes | OF | Fr. | West Palm Beach, Fla. |
| 10 | Timothy Schalch | INF | So. | Sarasota, Fla. |
| 11 | Jared Jeffries | INF | Fr. | Decatur, Ga. |
| 12 | David James | LHP/IF | Jr. | Tallahassee, Fla. |
| 13 | Drew Cook | RHP | Jr. | Wakulla, Fla. |
| 14 | Cirilo Manego | RHP/IF | Jr. | New Orleans, La. |
| 15 | Patrick Brown | OF | Fr. | Tampa, Fla. |
| 16 | Austin Dill | RHP | Sr. | Madison, Ala. |
| 17 | Jared Grace | OF | So. | Pensacola, Fla. |
| 18 | Miguel Parga | RHP | Fr. | Perry, Fla. |
| 19 | Artist Patton | RHP | Fr. | Harbor City, Calif. |
| 20 | Darryl Evans | OF | Fr. | Merrillville, Ind. |
| 21 | Anthony Mazzeo | OF | Sr. | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 22 | Jesse Cardenas | RHP | Fr. | Richmond Hill, N.Y. |
| 23 | Thaddous McBurrows | LHP | So. | Lake Wales, Fla. |
| 24 | Chris Justin | INF/C | Fr. | New Orleans, La. |
| 26 | Julien Bailey | RHP | Jr. | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 27 | Eddie Thomas | RHP | Fr. | Sasser, Ga. |
| 28 | Elvin Millan, Jr. | C | Jr. | Springfield, N.Y. |
| 29 | Chad Smith | RHP/IF | So. | Vero Beach, Fla. |
| 30 | Antonio Birch | LHP | Fr. | Mobile, Ala. |
| 31 | Chris Fullman | INF | So. | Wilmington, Del. |
| 32 | Jon Paul Reed | RHP | Jr. | Jackson, Miss. |

Head Coach: Joe Durant (17th Season)

Assistant Coaches: Robert Lucas; Brett Richardson

2006 Individual Statistics Leaders

Batting Leaders

| Name | Avg. | 2B | HR | RBI | R |
|----------------|------|----|----|-----|---|
| Corey McFadden | .350 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 9 |
| Anthony Mazzeo | .333 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 6 |
| Darryl Evans | .327 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| Adam Gordon | .297 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 |
| Jared Jeffries | .273 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 3 |

Pitching Leaders

| Name | W-L | ERA | SO | SV | IP |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|----|------|
| *Ben Baylor | 0-2 | 3.60 | 12 | 0 | 20.0 |
| *Cirilo Manego | 1-1 | 4.37 | 19 | 0 | 22.2 |
| *Chad Smith | 0-3 | 11.88 | 7 | 0 | 8.1 |
| Artist Patton | 0-0 | 4.26 | 3 | 1 | 6.1 |

*Probable Starters for this weekend's games



Game Notes

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Current Bear Hitting Streaks

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Billy Shaughnessy |3 |
| John Dortch |2 |
| Eric Renfroe |2 |

Longest Bear Hitting Streaks

| | |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Lowey/Karwatt/Armstrong |5 |
|-------------------------|--------|

Multiple RBI Games

| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5+ | Total |
|-------------------|---|---|---|----|-------|
| Josh Thompson | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 3 |
| Billy Shaughnessy | 3 | | | | 3 |
| Mike Armstrong | 1 | 1 | | | 2 |
| Tyler Brown | 1 | | | | 1 |
| Matt Crawford | 1 | | | | 1 |
| Eric Renfroe | 1 | | | | 1 |

Multiple Hit Games

| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5+ | Total |
|-------------------|---|---|---|----|-------|
| Steve Karwatt | 4 | | | | 4 |
| Mike Armstrong | 1 | 2 | | | 3 |
| Josh Thompson | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 3 |
| Billy Shaughnessy | 2 | | 1 | | 3 |
| John Dortch | 2 | 1 | | | 3 |
| Tyler Brown | 2 | | | | 2 |
| Jason Lowey | 2 | | | | 2 |
| Tyler McCarty | 1 | | | | 1 |
| Eric Renfroe | 1 | | | | 1 |

Inside the Numbers

Mercer hitting when:

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Facing a right-handed pitcher |262 |
| Facing a left-handed pitcher |258 |
| Bases are empty |303 |
| Runners are on base |222 |
| Bases are loaded |000 |
| There are 2 outs |185 |
| Runners in scoring position |208 |
| Overall |261 |

Mercer pitching when:

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Facing a right-handed pitcher |295 |
| Facing a left-handed pitcher |343 |
| Bases are empty |323 |
| Runners on base |314 |
| There are 2 outs |325 |
| Overall |318 |

Individual Highs

| | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Most hits |Two Tied - 4 |
| Most at-bats |Armstrong - 6, Two Times |
| Most runs scored |Six Tied - 3 |
| Most RBIs |Thompson - 4, 2/14 |
| Most stolen bases |Five Tied - 1 |
| Most innings pitched |New - 6.0, 2/10 |
| Most strikeouts |New - 5, 2/10 |

Mercer Home Runs in 2007

| Game | Inning | RBI | Outs |
|--------------------------------|--------|-----|------|
| Josh Thompson | 6th | 1 | 1 |
| 2/2 at Miami (Fla.) | | | |
| Billy Shaughnessy | 4th | 2 | 0 |
| 2/3 at Miami (Fla.) | | | |
| Mike Armstrong | 9th | 2 | 2 |
| 2/3 at Miami (Fla.) | | | |
| Steve Karwatt | 8th | 1 | 2 |
| 2/10 at Bethune-Cookman | | | |
| John Dortch | 3rd | 1 | 0 |
| 2/11 at Bethune-Cookman | | | |
| Josh Thompson | 1st | 2 | 1 |
| 2/14 vs. Georgia State | | | |
| Tyler Brown | 7th | 2 | 1 |
| 2/17 at South Alabama | | | |
| Josh Thompson | 9th | 1 | 1 |
| 2/17 at South Alabama | | | |

2007 Home Run Breakdown

| | |
|----------------|--------|
| Solo HR |4 |
| Two-Run HR |4 |
| Three-Run HR | |
| Grand Slam | |
| First Inning |1 |
| Second Inning |1 |
| Third Inning |1 |
| Fourth Inning |1 |
| Fifth Inning | |
| Sixth Inning |1 |
| Seventh Inning |1 |
| Eighth Inning |1 |
| Ninth Inning |2 |
| With No Outs |2 |
| With One Out |4 |
| With Two Outs |2 |

Rankings: **Miami (Fla.)** is ranked No. 3 in the USA Today/ESPN Top 25, No. 11 in Baseball America's Top 25, No. 14 in the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association Top 35 and No. 16 in the Collegiate Baseball Top 30 ... **Georgia** received votes in the NCBWA poll and the USA Today/ESPN poll ... **Auburn** is No. 29 in the Collegiate Baseball poll, and received votes in the NCBWA poll and the USA Today/ESPN poll ... **Georgia Southern** and **Stetson** each received votes in the NCBWA poll.

Game Notes

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Series-by-Series

Hitting

| Opponent | Avg. | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | HBP | SO | SB-ATT | FLD% |
|------------------|------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|-----|----|--------|-------|
| #2 Miami (Fla.) | .257 | 74 | 14 | 19 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 1-2 | .959 |
| Bethune-Cookman | .179 | 95 | 5 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 2-2 | .935 |
| Georgia State | .229 | 32 | 8 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 1-1 | 1.000 |
| South Alabama | .336 | 107 | 25 | 36 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 23 | 14 | 1 | 21 | 2-3 | .972 |
| Georgia | .261 | 37 | 5 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 2-2 | .951 |
| Florida A&M | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Samford | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Western Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Campbell | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stetson | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Pitching

| Opponent | ERA | W-L | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO | 2B | 3B | HR | Opp. Avg. |
|------------------|------|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----------|
| #2 Miami (Fla.) | 5.00 | 2-0 | 2 | 18.0 | 20 | 10 | 10 | 16 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .290 |
| Bethune-Cookman | 6.00 | 0-3 | 0 | 24.0 | 36 | 19 | 16 | 3 | 16 | 7 | 0 | 1 | .343 |
| Georgia State | 2.25 | 1-0 | 0 | 8.0 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .257 |
| South Alabama | 7.20 | 1-2 | 0 | 25.0 | 32 | 25 | 20 | 12 | 23 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .323 |
| Georgia | 5.72 | 0-1 | 0 | 9.0 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .341 |
| Florida A&M | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Samford | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Western Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Campbell | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stetson | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Mercer Pitcher of the Week

Cory Gearrin

RHP ♦ 6-3 ♦ 210 ♦ Jr. ♦ Dayton, Tenn.



Gearrin has yet to allow a hit or run in 7.2 innings of solid relief this season. Last week, the junior closer pitched 2.0 innings versus Georgia State and struck out three batters in the 8-2 win. In game three at South Alabama, Gearrin picked up his first win as a Bear throwing 2.2 innings and striking out four while also walking four batters.

Other Notables: Boone Webster 1-0, 5.0 IP, 0 ER, 5 Hits, 3 K, 1 BB; Josh Lowey 3.0 IP, 0 ER, 1 Hit, 3 K, 2 BB

Mercer Player of the Week

Josh Thompson

C ♦ 6-3 ♦ 210 ♦ Sr. ♦ Pineview, Ga.



Thompson finished the week going 6-for-13 (.462) with eight RBIs, four runs scored, two home runs, one double, one triple, a .632 on-base percentage and a 1.154 slugging percentage. The preseason all-conference Player of the Year started his week strong with a 3-for-3 evening versus Georgia State with four RBIs, one run scored, one triple and a home run. In game two at USA, the senior catcher was 2-for-3 with two runs scored, a pair of RBIs and a solo home run.

Other Notables: Billy Shaughnessy 7-for-12 (.583), 3 RBI, 2 R, 2 2B; Mike Armstrong 5-for-12 (.417), 5 R, 1 RBI, 2 2B

Game Notes

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Mercer's Record...

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Overall | 4-6 |
| A-Sun | |
| At Home | 1-1 |
| On the Road | 3-5 |
| At a Neutral Site | |
| At Home (A-Sun) | |
| On the Road (A-Sun) | |
| At Home (Non-Conference) | 1-1 |
| On the Road (Non-Conference) | 3-5 |
| Neutral Site (Non-Conference) | |
| In Extra-Inning Games | |
| Vs. Top 25 Teams | 2-0 |
| Playing a Day Game | 2-5 |
| Playing a Night Game | 2-1 |
| In the First Game of a Doubleheader | 0-1 |
| In the Second Game of a Doubleheader | 0-1 |
| In Single Games | 4-4 |
| In One-Run Games | 1-1 |
| In Two-Run Games | 0-3 |
| In Five + Run Games | 1-2 |
| When Scoring First | 2-3 |
| When Opponent Scores First | 2-3 |
| When Leading Entering Final Inning | 3-0 |
| When Trailing Entering Final Inning | 1-6 |
| When Tied Entering Final Inning | |
| When Scoring 10+ Runs | 0-1 |
| When Allowing 10+ Runs | 0-1 |
| When Scoring 5 Runs or Less | 1-5 |
| When Allowing 5 Runs or Less | 4-2 |
| When Out-Hitting Opponent | 2-2 |
| When Matching Opponent with Hits | 1-0 |
| When Out-Hit by Opponent | 1-4 |
| When Hitting a Home Run | 3-3 |
| Vs. Starting LHP | 2-1 |
| Vs. Starting RHP | 2-5 |

Mercer Highs and Lows

| | High | Low |
|----------------------------|------|-----|
| Runs Scored | 11 | 0 |
| Runs Allowed | 13 | 2 |
| Run Differential | 6 | -7 |
| Hits | 17 | 3 |
| At Bats | 40 | 30 |
| RBI's | 11 | 0 |
| Stolen Bases | 2 | 0 |
| Walks | 12 | 0 |
| Assists | 14 | 8 |
| Putouts | 27 | 24 |
| Errors | 3 | 0 |
| Hits Allowed | 17 | 8 |
| Earned Runs Allowed | 9 | 2 |
| Strikeouts | 10 | 4 |
| Walks | 8 | 0 |
| Wild Pitches | 3 | 0 |
| Hit By Pitch | 3 | 0 |



Top 25 Wins: Mercer recorded two wins over **No. 2 Miami (Fla.)** to open the season, but defeating a Top 25 team is no new thing for Coach Gibson's squads. Last season, the Bears defeated **No. 1 Florida**, 3-2, in Gainesville, Fla. on Feb. 15, and scored a win over **No. 1 Clemson**, 3-2, in Clemson, S.C. on Feb. 26. The Bears have registered a win over a Top 25 in each of Gibson's first four seasons. In 2004, Mercer defeated **No. 19 UCF** on May 15, 6-0, and on Apr. 20, 2005, the Bears up-ended **No. 19 College of Charleston**, 10-2.

Home Sweet Home: Mercer opened its season with a pair of road wins at Miami, but were swept in three games at Bethune-Cookman and dropped two of three at South Alabama. Mercer opened its home schedule with a win over Georgia State, and starting Feb. 21, the Bears will enjoy a four-game homestand.

Mercer Versus the Top 25 Last Five Years

| | |
|------|-----|
| 2007 | 2-0 |
| 2006 | 2-3 |
| 2005 | 1-2 |
| 2004 | 1-3 |
| 2003 | 0-3 |
| 2002 | 0-9 |

Mercer Records the Last Five Seasons (First 10 Games)

| Year | Overall | Home | Road |
|------|---------|------|------|
| 2007 | 4-6 | 1-1 | 3-5 |
| 2006 | 8-2 | 7-3 | 4-6 |
| 2005 | 9-1 | 10-0 | 3-7 |
| 2004 | 5-5 | 6-4 | 3-7 |
| 2003 | 5-5 | 5-5 | 2-8 |
| 2002 | 4-6 | 7-3 | 2-8 |

Game Notes

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2007 Bear Starting Lineups

| Game (Pitcher) | C | 1B | 2B | SS | 3B | LF | CF | RF | DH |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-------|
| 1. Miami (Fla.) (New) | Thompson | Armstrong | McCarty | Shaughnessy | Jo. Lowey | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |
| 2. Miami (Fla.) (Quarles) | Stuart | Armstrong | McCarty | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Crawford | Renfroe | Thompson | Brown |
| 3. Bethune-Cookman (New) | Thompson | Armstrong | McCarty | Shaughnessy | Jo. Lowey | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |
| 4. Bethune-Cookman (Quarles) | Stuart | Armstrong | McCarty | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Crawford | Renfroe | Thompson | Brown |
| 5. Bethune-Cookman (Boyette) | Thompson | Armstrong | McCarty | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Crawford | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |
| 6. Georgia State (Webster) | Thompson | Armstrong | Jo. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |
| 7. South Alabama (New) | Thompson | Armstrong | Langley | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |
| 8. South Alabama (Quarles) | Stuart | Armstrong | Jo. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Thompson | Brown |
| 9. South Alabama (Shaw) | Thompson | Armstrong | Langley | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Jarvis | Crawford | Dortch | Brown |
| 10. Georgia (Webster) | Thompson | Armstrong | Langley | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Ja. Lowey | Renfroe | Dortch | Brown |

| Game (Pitcher) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|------------------------------|-----------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| 1. Miami (Fla.) (New) | Dortch | McCarty | Brown | Thompson | Renfroe | Armstrong | Shaughnessy | Ja. Lowey | Jo. Lowey |
| 2. Miami (Fla.) (Quarles) | Crawford | McCarty | Brown | Thompson | Renfroe | Armstrong | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Stuart |
| 3. Bethune-Cookman (New) | Dortch | McCarty | Brown | Thompson | Armstrong | Renfroe | Shaughnessy | Ja. Lowey | Jo. Lowey |
| 4. Bethune-Cookman (Quarles) | Crawford | McCarty | Brown | Thompson | Armstrong | Renfroe | Shaughnessy | Karwatt | Stuart |
| 5. Bethune-Cookman (Boyette) | Crawford | McCarty | Brown | Thompson | Armstrong | Renfroe | Karwatt | Shaughnessy | Dortch |
| 6. Georgia State (Webster) | Armstrong | Brown | Thompson | Renfroe | Karwatt | Ja. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Jo. Lowey | Dortch |
| 7. South Alabama (New) | Armstrong | Brown | Thompson | Karwatt | Renfroe | Ja. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Langley | Dortch |
| 8. South Alabama (Quarles) | Armstrong | Brown | Thompson | Karwatt | Renfroe | Ja. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Jo. Lowey | Stuart |
| 9. South Alabama (Shaw) | Armstrong | Brown | Thompson | Karwatt | Dortch | Shaughnessy | Jarvis | Langley | Crawford |
| 10. Georgia (Webster) | Armstrong | Brown | Thompson | Karwatt | Renfroe | Ja. Lowey | Shaughnessy | Langley | Dortch |

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Mercer Season and Career Highs (Hitting)

Returning Letterwinners

#14 Mike Armstrong

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Hits | .3, Two Times | .3, Seven Times |
| At Bats | .6, Two Times | .6, Two Times |
| Runs | .3, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .3, Two Times |
| RBIs | .3, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) | .4, Two Times |
| SB | .1, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07) | .1, Two Times |

#27 John Dortch

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Hits | .3, at South Alabama (2/18/07) | .3, Four Times |
| At Bats | .5, at South Alabama (2/18/07) | .5, Four Times |
| Runs | .3, at South Alabama (2/18/07) | .3, at South Alabama (2/18/07) |
| RBIs | .1, Two Times | .3, Two Times |
| SB | .1, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) | .2, at Georgia Southern (4/11/06) |

#21 Mark Jarvis

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Hits | .1, Two Times | .3, Three Times |
| At Bats | .3, at South Alabama (2/18/07) | .4, Eight Times |
| Runs | .2, Three Times | .2, Three Times |
| RBIs | .1, Two Times | .4, at ETSU (4/15/06) |
| SB | .1, Three Times | .1, Three Times |

#4 Jason Lowey

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Hits | .2, Two Times | .3, at Kennesaw State (3/25/06) |
| At Bats | .5, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .5, Six Times |
| Runs | .1, Two Times | .2, Two Times |
| RBIs | .1, Two Times | .4, vs. Bethune-Cookman (2/18/06) |
| SB | .1, Five Times | .1, Five Times |

#22 Eric Renfroe

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Hits | .2, at South Alabama (2/16/07) | .3, 13 Times |
| At Bats | .5, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) | .6, at Georgia State (3/5/05) |
| Runs | .2, at South Alabama (2/16/07) | .3, Six Times |
| RBIs | .2, at South Alabama (2/18/07) | .5, vs. Alabama State (1/31/04) |
| SB | .1, Two Times | .2, Two Times |

#9 Billy Shaughnessy

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Hits | .4, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .4, Two Times |
| At Bats | .5, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .5, Six Times |
| Runs | .3, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) | .3, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) |
| RBIs | .3, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) | .3, Four Times |
| SB | .1, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) | .2, Three Times |

#25 John Daugherty

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| Hits | .1, Two Times | .2, vs. Alabama State (2/20/05) |
| At Bats | .1, Two Times | .2, vs. Alabama State (2/20/05) |
| Runs | | |
| RBIs | | |
| SB | | |

#19 Andrew Einert

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Hits | .3, Two Times | .3, Two Times |
| At Bats | .1, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) | .5, Six Times |
| Runs | .3, vs. Alabama State (2/20/05) | .3, vs. Alabama State (2/20/05) |
| RBIs | .3, vs. Savannah State (2/28/04) | .3, vs. Savannah State (2/28/04) |
| SB | .1, College of Charleston (4/20/05) | .1, College of Charleston (4/20/05) |

#8 Steve Karwatt

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Hits | .2, Four Times | .3, vs. FAU (3/11/06) |
| At Bats | .4, Five Times | .5, at UAB (3/3/06) |
| Runs | .2, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .2, Two Times |
| RBIs | .1, Three Times | .2, Four Times |
| SB | | |

#11 Tyler McCarty

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Hits | .2, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07) | .3, Five Times |
| At Bats | .5, at Miami (2/2/07) | .6, at ETSU (4/15/06) |
| Runs | .2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) | .2, Five Times |
| RBIs | .1, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) | .3, Two Times |
| SB | .1, Three Times | .1, Three Times |

#2 Casey Stuart

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Hits | .1, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .1, Three Times |
| At Bats | .4, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) | .4, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) |
| Runs | .1, at South Alabama (2/17/07) | .1, Four Times |
| RBIs | .1, vs. VMI (2/10/06) | .1, vs. VMI (2/10/06) |
| SB | | |

#14 Josh Thompson

| | <u>Season-High</u> | <u>Career-High</u> |
|---------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Hits | .4, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) | .4, Three Times |
| At Bats | .5, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) | .6, Two Times |
| Runs | .2, Two Times | .3, Four Times |
| RBIs | .4, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) | .5, at ETSU (4/14/06) |
| SB | .1, Four Times | .1, Four Times |

Newcomers

35 Richard Bentley

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|------------------------------|
| Hits | |
| At Bats | |
| Runs | .1, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) |
| RBIs | |
| SB | |

#2 Nick DiMauro

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------|
| Hits | |
| At Bats | |
| Runs | |
| RBIs | |
| SB | |

#42 Travis Peyatt

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------|
| Hits | |
| At Bats | |
| Runs | |
| RBIs | |
| SB | |

#15 Tyler Brown

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|---------------------------------|
| Hits | .2, Two Times |
| At Bats | .5, Three Times |
| Runs | .3, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) |
| RBIs | .2, at South Alabama (2/17/07) |
| SB | |

#7 Michael Langley

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| Hits | .1, Two Times |
| At Bats | .4, at South Alabama (2/18/07) |
| Runs | .1, at South Alabama (2/18/07) |
| RBIs | .1, at South Alabama (2/16/07) |
| SB | .1, at South Alabama (2/18/07) |

#13 Matt Crawford

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|----------------------------------|
| Hits | .1, Four Times |
| At Bats | .4, Two Times |
| Runs | .2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) |
| RBIs | .2, at South Alabama (2/17/07) |
| SB | .1, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) |

#10 Josh Lowey

| | <u>Season-High</u> |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| Hits | .1, Two Times |
| At Bats | .4, at South Alabama (2/17/07) |
| Runs | |
| RBIs | |
| SB | |

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Mercer Season and Career Highs (Pitching)

Returning Letterwinners

#23 Andy Campbell

Season-High

IP3.1, at South Alabama (2/17/07) . . .3.1, at South Alabama (2/17/07)
K3, at South Alabama (2/17/07)3, Two Times
ER0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP . . .0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP
Hits0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP . . .0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP

Career-High

IP3.1, at South Alabama (2/17/07) . . .3.1, at South Alabama (2/17/07)
K3, at South Alabama (2/17/07)3, Two Times
ER0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP . . .0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP
Hits0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP . . .0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -2 IP

#31 Mike Narveson

Season-High

IP7.2, at Jacksonville (3/19/04)
K5, vs. Georgia State (3/28/06)
ER0, Four Times -2 IP
Hits0, Three Times -2 IP

Career-High

IP7.2, at Jacksonville (3/19/04)
K5, vs. Georgia State (3/28/06)
ER0, Four Times -2 IP
Hits0, Three Times -2 IP

#6 Blake Quarles

Season-High

IP3.0, Three Times9.0, vs. Gardner-Webb (4/22/06)
K3, at South Alabama (2/17/07)9, vs. UNF (4/2/06)
ER0, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) -0.2 IP 0, vs. Georgia St. (3/28/06) -4 IP
Hits2, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) -0.2 IP .0, at Clemson (2/26/06) -2 IP

Career-High

IP3.0, Three Times9.0, vs. Gardner-Webb (4/22/06)
K3, at South Alabama (2/17/07)9, vs. UNF (4/2/06)
ER0, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) -0.2 IP 0, vs. Georgia St. (3/28/06) -4 IP
Hits2, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) -0.2 IP .0, at Clemson (2/26/06) -2 IP

#20 J.C. Daugherty

Season-High

IP7.0, Three Times
K5, Two Times
ER0, Three Times -1 IP
Hits0, vs. FAU (3/11/06) -2 IP

Career-High

IP7.0, Three Times
K5, Two Times
ER0, Three Times -1 IP
Hits0, vs. FAU (3/11/06) -2 IP

#17 Brantley New

Season-High

IP6.0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07)9.0, Two Times
K5, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07)9, Four Times
ER0, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -1 IP0, at UAB (3/3/06) -7 IP
Hits0, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -1 IP0, at Savannah State (4/10/04) -4 IP

Career-High

IP6.0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07)9.0, Two Times
K5, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07)9, Four Times
ER0, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -1 IP0, at UAB (3/3/06) -7 IP
Hits0, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -1 IP0, at Savannah State (4/10/04) -4 IP

#4 Jason Lowey

Season-High

IP1.1, at South Alabama (2/18/07)1.1, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
K2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07)2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/18/07)
ER0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) -1 IP . . .0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) -1 IP
Hits1, Two Times -1 IP1, Two Times -1 IP

Career-High

IP1.1, at South Alabama (2/18/07)1.1, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
K2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07)2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/18/07)
ER0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) -1 IP . . .0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07) -1 IP
Hits1, Two Times -1 IP1, Two Times -1 IP

Newcomers

#28 Justin Boyette

Season-High

IP5.0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/11/07)
K4, Two Times
ER1, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -3 IP
Hits3, vs. Georgia (2/21/07) -3 IP

#26 Cory Gearrin

Season-High

IP2.2, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
K4, Two Times
ER0, at South Alabama (2/18/07) -2.2 IP
Hits0, at South Alabama (2/18/07) -2.2 IP

#33 David Harden

Season-High

IP2.0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07)
K2, at South Alabama (2/17/07)
ER0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07) -2 IP
Hits2, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07) -2 IP

#34 Scott Patterson

Season-High

IP3.0, at South Alabama (2/16/07)
K2, at South Alabama (2/16/07)
ER0, at Bethune-Cookman (2/10/07) -2 IP
Hits1, at South Alabama (2/16/07) -3 IP

#30 Michael Shaw

Season-High

IP2.0, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
K2, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
ER2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -0.2 IP
Hits2, at Miami (Fla.) (2/3/07) -0.2 IP

#38 Boone Webster

Season-High

IP5.0, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07)
K2, Two Times
ER0, vs. Georgia State (2/14/07) -5 IP
Hits0, at Miami (Fla.) (2/2/07) -3 IP

#10 Josh Lowey

IP3.0, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
K3, at South Alabama (2/18/07)
ER0, at South Alabama (2/18/07) -3 IP
Hits1, at South Alabama (2/18/07) -3 IP

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The Last Time...

Mercer scored 20 or more runs in a game - March 23, 2001, in Atlanta, Ga., when Mercer pounded out 21 hits in a 23-7 win over Georgia State.

Mercer had 20 or more hits in a game - April 27, 2001, in Birmingham, Ala., when Mercer had 23 hits in a 16-8 win over Samford.

A Mercer player hit a grand slam - April 14, 2006, in Johnson City, Tenn., when Josh Thompson delivered a second-inning jack to center field in a 10-8 win over ETSU.

An opponent hit a grand slam - April 15, 2006, in Johnson City, Tenn., when ETSU's Matt Traylor blasted a fourth-inning shot over the right-field fence. The Bears went on to defeat the Bucs, 10-7.

A Mercer player hit two grand slams in a game - February 23, 2001, in Macon, Ga., when Chris Connelly hit grand slams in the fourth and sixth innings of the Bears' 32-0 victory over Howard University.

Mercer players hit two grand slams in an inning - February 23, 2001, in Macon, Ga., when Luke Jackson and Chris Connelly both hit grand slams with two outs recorded in the Bears' nine-run sixth inning against Howard University. The Bears went on to win 32-0 in the seven inning contest.

Mercer players hit back-to-back home runs - May 21, 2005, in Macon, Ga., when Daniel Hurst and Josh Thompson hit back-to-back solo home runs in the sixth inning of the final game of the season. Mercer would go on to defeat UCF, 8-7.

A Mercer player hit two home runs in a game - April 14, 2006, in Johnson City, Tenn., when Josh Thompson recorded a grand slam in the first inning and added a solo shot in the fourth inning of a 10-8 win over ETSU.

A Mercer player hit a walk-off home run - May 1, 2002, when Kurt Levensgood ended a match-up against Florida A&M in the bottom of the seventh with a two-out, three-run shot to give the Bears a 5-2 victory.

A Mercer pitcher struck out 10 or more batters - February 20, 2004, in Macon, Ga., when Brian Jones struck out 13 Albany State batters in his complete-game, nine-inning shutout, which the Bears won 1-0.

A Mercer pitcher threw consecutive shutouts - February 7, 15 and 20, 2004, when Brian Jones threw three consecutive shutouts against VMI, Florida A&M and Albany State. His consecutive shutout innings streak would last 30.2 innings before falling in the first inning against Savannah State.

A Mercer player stole home - February 11, 2006, in Macon, Ga., when Mike Armstrong and Billy Shaughnessy successfully pulled off a double steal. Armstrong broke from third as Shaughnessy left first to draw a pick-off attempt, and Armstrong beat the throw to the plate. The Bears went on to defeat VMI, 9-4.

A Mercer player had a hitting streak over 15 games - In 2006, junior Josh Thompson registered a 21-game hitting streak from March 24 until April 28.

Team Almanac

| | |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| Longest winning streak |2 |
| Longest losing streak |3 |
| Most runs scored |11, (2/17) |
| Fewest runs scored |0, (2/10) |
| Most runs allowed |13, (2/17) |
| Fewest runs allowed |2, (2/14) |
| Average runs scored |5.7 |
| Average runs allowed |6.2 |

Record by Month

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|----------|----------|
| February |4-6 |
| March |0-0 |
| April |0-0 |
| May |0-0 |

Record by Game

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|----------------|----------|
| Non-Conference |4-6 |
| Atlantic Sun |0-0 |
| Tournament |0-0 |

Record by Day

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|-----------|----------|
| Sunday |1-1 |
| Monday |0-0 |
| Tuesday |0-0 |
| Wednesday |1-1 |
| Thursday |0-0 |
| Friday |1-1 |
| Saturday |1-3 |

Record vs. Conferences

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|-----------------------|------------------|
| Atlantic Coast | 2-0 |
| Miami (Fla.) |2-0 |
| Colonial | 1-0 |
| Georgia State |1-0 |
| Independent | 0-0 |
| Savannah State |0-0 |
| Mid-Eastern | 0-3 |
| Bethune-Cookman |0-3 |
| Florida A&M |0-0 |
| Ohio Valley | 0-0 |
| Samford |0-0 |
| Southeastern | 0-1 |
| Georgia |0-1 |
| Auburn |0-0 |
| Southern | 0-0 |
| Georgia Southern |0-0 |
| Western Carolina |0-0 |
| Sun Belt | 1-2 |
| South Alabama |1-2 |



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Game 1

Mercer 6, No. 2 Miami (Fla.) 5

Feb. 2, 2007-Coral Gables, Fla.

Mark Light Stadium

CORAL GABLES, Fla. - The Mercer baseball squad opened its 2007 campaign with a bang, scoring two runs in the ninth inning to grab a 6-5 decision over No. 2 Miami on Friday night. Preseason A-Sun Player of the Year Josh Thompson led the way going 4-for-4 with three RBIs, two runs scored, one double and a home run.

The 'Canes wasted no time getting on the board, plating a pair of runs in the bottom of the first inning. Mercer right-handed pitcher Brantley New retired the leadoff batter before Roger Tomas and Yonder Alonso followed with back-to-back singles.

With runners at first and third, New struck out right fielder Dennis Raben, but Alonso broke from first and on catcher Josh Thompson's throw to second, Tomas swiped home. Designated hitter Mark Sobolewski then roped an RBI single giving Miami an early 2-0 advantage.

Miami struck again when Alonso added his second hit of the game, a leadoff home run to straight-away center in the third inning.

The Bears played small ball to score their first run of the season in the fourth. Thompson led off with a double to right-center field and advanced to third on a groundout by Eric Renfroe. Mike Armstrong plated Thompson with an infield single, pulling Mercer within two at 3-1.

The 'Canes extended their lead to 5-1 in the fifth as catcher Richard O'Brien laced a two-run single to right, scoring Raben and Gus Menendez.

Mercer cut the deficit to three in the sixth when Thompson belted his first home run of the season over the left-field fence.

Tyler Brown's RBI infield single tacked on another run for the Bears in the seventh and Thompson followed with his third hit of the game, an RBI single to left, pulling Mercer within one at 5-4.

Matt Crawford led off the ninth with a bunt single and Tyler McCarty hit an opposite-field single giving the Bears life in the final frame. Brown advanced Crawford to third with a fielder's choice and Thompson delivered his fourth hit of the night, an RBI single evening up the score, 5-5.

Following a Renfroe stolen base, Mike Armstrong came through with a game-winning RBI single scoring pinch runner Richard Bentley, giving Mercer its first lead of the game, 6-5.

Boone Webster picked up the win throwing three innings of shutout ball while allowing three hits and two strikeouts. Cory Gearrin earned the save in his first appearance as a Bear. Enrique Garcia recorded the loss for Miami giving up two earned runs and four hits in 1.1 innings of work.

Each starter went five innings as New gave up five earned runs on seven hits, and Manny Miguez allowed one earned run and five hits.

Armstrong finished the game 3-for-5 with a pair of RBIs and Jason Lowey went 2-for-4 with one run scored.

Mercer 6, Miami (Fla.) 5

Mercer..... 000 101 202 - 6 14 0

Miami (Fla.).....201 020 000 - 5 10 1

Pitchers: Mercer - New; Webster (6); Gearrin (9).
Miami (Fla.) - Miguez; Kaufman (6); Koronis (6);

Rudman (7); Garcia (8).
Win - Webster (1-0) Save - Gearrin (1)
Loss - Garcia (0-1)
T - 3:23 A - 2593
HR MER - Thompson (1).
HR MIA - Alonso (1).

Game 2

Mercer 8, No. 2 Miami (Fla.) 5

Feb. 3, 2007-Coral Gables, Fla.

Mark Light Stadium

CORAL GABLES, Fla. - The Mercer baseball squad defeated No. 2 Miami, 8-5, on Saturday night. The Bears were out-hit 10-5, but took advantage of their opportunities in starting the season with their second straight win.

For the second straight night, the Hurricanes (0-2) plated a pair of runs in the bottom of the first inning. Senior left-hander Blake Quarles retired the first two batters before Yonder Alonso and Mark Sobolewski delivered back-to-back singles. Following a walk to right fielder Dennis Raben, Gus Menendez recorded a two-run single scoring Alonso and Sobolewski.

Mercer tied the score, 2-2, on Billy Shaughnessy's two-run blast in the fourth inning. Shaughnessy belted senior right-hander Danny Gil's 0-2 offering just inside the foul pole down the left-field line.

Miami took back the lead in the bottom half of the fourth when Jason Lowey came in relief of Quarles. With two outs and the bases loaded, Lowey hit Sobolewski with a pitch, giving the Hurricanes a 3-2 advantage.

The Bears battled back again in the fifth as Matt Crawford led off with a walk and on a nicely executed hit-and-run, Crawford advanced to third on a Tyler McCarty single down the right-field line. With Tyler Brown batting, Gil threw a wild pitch allowing Crawford to score and even up the score at three runs apiece.

Teddy Kaufman relieved Gil with one out in the inning and hit Eric Renfroe with a pitch. The 'Canes then turned to Jason Santana out of the bullpen with the bases loaded and Mike Armstrong at the plate. Armstrong produced an RBI fielder's choice giving Mercer the lead at 4-3.

In the back-and-forth affair, Miami knotted up the score again on a sacrifice fly by Nick Freitas that scored Menendez in the bottom of the fifth. With the score tied a four, the Hurricanes struck again as freshman Ryan Jackson notched his first collegiate hit, scoring Blake Tekotte, and putting Miami back ahead, 5-4.

Mercer took advantage on a pair of Miami miscues in the seventh. McCarty scored when Shaughnessy was hit by a pitch, and Steven Karwatt followed with a high fly ball in front of home plate. Catcher Jason Haggerty and relief pitcher Carlos Gutierrez had some communication problems on the play, and Gutierrez dropped the ball allowing Brown to score the go-ahead run and give the Bears a 6-5 lead.

Armstrong added some insurance with a two-run home run in the ninth.

Andy Campbell registered the win for Mercer throwing two innings of no-hit, shutout relief. Raben was charged with the loss allowing one unearned run in 0.2 innings of work. Cory Gearrin came in and notched his second save in as many days striking out four in the final 1.2 innings

Quarles went three innings and allowed two earned runs on six hits and Hurricanes' starter Danny Gil no-

hit the Bears through 3.2 innings, but only retired two more batters before his departure. He allowed four earned runs on three hits while striking out four batters.

Armstrong finished the game 1-for-3 with three RBIs, two runs scored and a home run, and Shaughnessy chipped in three RBIs, one run scored and one home run.

Before yesterday's victory, Mercer's last win over Miami came in 1975 and they were 1-27 all-time versus the Hurricanes. The Bears two wins ensures a series' victory and they will look for a sweep in game three Sunday afternoon at Mark Light Field. First pitch is slated for 1 p.m.

The last time Miami lost its opening series of the season was in 1967 against Florida State.

Mercer 8, Miami (Fla.) 5

Mercer..... 000 220 202 - 8 5 3

Miami (Fla.).....200 120 000 - 5 10 3

Pitchers: Mercer - Quarles; Ja. Lowey (4); Shaw (5); Campbell (5); Jo. Lowey (7); Gearrin (8).
Miami (Fla.) - Gil; Kaufman (5); Santana (5); Raben (7); Bellamy (7); Gutierrez (7); Rudman (8).
Win - Campbell (1-0) Save - Gearrin (2)
Loss - Raben (0-1)
T - 3:45 A - 2345
HR MER - Shaughnessy (1); Armstrong (1).

Game 3-4

Bethune-Cookman 5, Mercer 0

Bethune-Cookman 9, Mercer 2

Feb. 10-Daytona, Fla.

Daytona Beach CC Stadium

DAYTONA, Fla. - The Bears (2-2) struggled to get their offense going on Saturday as they were defeated by Bethune-Cookman 5-0 in game one and 9-2 in the second half of the doubleheader at Daytona Beach CC Stadium.

Game one was a pitcher's duel early on as Mercer senior right-hander Brantley New and BCC senior left-hander Francisco Rodriguez went toe-to-toe.

The Wildcats (3-2) got on the board first with an unearned run in the bottom of the fifth inning. First baseman Alejandro Jimenez laced a one-out double down the left-field line to get things going. With two outs, New struck out left fielder Justin Hoyte, but the ball got away from catcher Josh Thompson. New's throw to first hit Hoyte in the back allowing Jimenez to score from second base.

BCC tacked on three runs in the sixth, taking a 4-0 lead. Jose Ortiz-Rivera led off the inning with a single to left field and Luis Gonzalez followed with a bunt single. Designated hitter Angel Negron notched an RBI-single and following a Mercer error, shortstop Chris Henault drove in Bethune-Cookman's second run of the inning with a single to left. Jimenez capped the scoring with a fielder's choice, bringing in the Wildcats' third run of the inning.

Henault doubled home a run in the eighth, adding some insurance and putting BCC up 5-0.

New picked up the loss for the Bears in his first decision of the season. He allowed seven hits and four runs, three earned, while striking out five batters. Rodriguez registered a complete game, five-hit shutout for the Wildcats. He struck out eight batters and walked one.

Bethune-Cookman did not waste anytime in game

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two, plating five runs in the bottom of the first inning. The first two runs came off a double to left-center field by Negron. Two batters later, Jimenez delivered a RBI-base hit and Patrick Jones followed with an opposite-field single. Catcher Drew Clark recorded BCC's third straight hit, a two-run single giving the Wildcats a 5-0 advantage. Bethune-Cookman finished the opening frame with seven hits.

Jones led off the third for BCC with a walk and scored on Ortiz-Rivera's RBI-single. In the sixth inning, Negron struck again for the Wildcats blasting a two-run shot over the right-field fence, extending their lead to 8-0.

The Bears finally got on the board following 16 straight scoreless innings with a Steven Karwatt solo home run in the eighth inning. Bethune-Cookman tacked on an unearned run in the bottom of the eighth and Mercer scored an unearned run of its own in the ninth for the final margin.

Senior left-hander Blake Quarles registered his first loss on the season going 3.0 innings and allowing six earned runs on 10 hits. Quarles struck out one and walked two batters. Dustin Blackwell moved to 2-0 for Bethune-Cookman pitching 8.0 innings of two-hit ball and striking out four.

Tyler McCarty went 2-for-4 in game two and scored one run.

Bethune-Cookman 5, Mercer 0

 Mercer.....000 000 000 - 0 5 3
 Bethune-Cookman.....000 013 01X - 5 9 0

Pitchers: Mercer - New; Harden (7).
 Bethune-Cookman - Rodriguez.
 Win - Rodriguez (1-0)
 Loss - New (0-1)
 T - 2:03 A - 144

Bethune-Cookman 9, Mercer 2

 Mercer.....000 000 011 - 2 3 3
 Bethune-Cookman.....501 002 01X - 9 17 3

Pitchers: Mercer - Quarles; Campbell (4); Patterson (7).
 Bethune-Cookman - Blackwell; Guzman (9).
 Win - Blackwell (2-0)
 Loss - Quarles (0-2)
 T - 2:04 A - 121
 HR BCC - Negron (1).

Game 5

Bethune-Cookman 5, Mercer 3

Feb. 11-Daytona, Fla.

Daytona Beach CC Stadium

DAYTONA, Fla. - The Wildcats pushed across four runs in the second and went on to defeat the Bears, 5-3, on Sunday afternoon at Daytona Beach CC Stadium.

The series finale started much better for the Bears (2-3) as Tyler McCarty got things going in the first inning with a RBI-single scoring Matt Crawford giving Mercer a 1-0 advantage.

The Wildcats (4-2) took the lead in the bottom of the second inning registering six hits. Justin Hoyte started the scoring with a double down the left-field line allowing Alejandro Jimenez to score. Two batters later Jose Almonte drove in Hoyte with a single up the middle, and following a single by Jose Ortiz-Rivera,

Luis Gonzalez laced a RBI-single to right. Angel Mercado followed with a run-scoring single giving Bethune-Cookman a 4-1 lead.

John Dortch led off the third inning with a solo home run, his first of the season, narrowing the margin to two runs. Mercer continued to chip away in the fourth when an infield single by Billy Shaughnessy produced the Bears' third run of the afternoon.

The Bears had a chance to tie the score in the sixth with runners at the corners and only one out, but BCC right-hander Felix Machado induced Shaughnessy to groundout into an inning-ending double play.

In the bottom of the sixth, Bethune-Cookman tacked on another run, extending its lead to 5-3, with a RBI-ground out by Ortiz-Rivera.

Junior right-hander Justin Boyette recorded the loss in his first start as a Bear. He worked around a four-run second inning and allowed eight hits while striking out four in 5.0 innings of work.

Sophomore right-hander Hiram Burgos made the start for BCC and went 3.2 innings. Burgos gave up three earned runs on seven hits and struck out one. Machado picked up the win supplying 2.1 innings of shutout relief. He allowed one hit and walked one batter. Francisco Gomez registered his second save of the season for the Wildcats.

Bethune-Cookman 5, Mercer 3

 Mercer.....101 100 000 - 3 9 1
 Bethune-Cookman.....040 001 00X - 5 10 2

Pitchers: Mercer - Boyette; Webster (6); Ja. Lowey (8).
 Bethune-Cookman - Burgos; Machado (4); Enright (7); Gomez (9).
 Win - Machado (1-0)
 Loss - Boyette (0-1)
 T - 2:36 A - 143

Game 6

Mercer 8, Georgia State 2

Feb. 14-Macon, Ga.
 Claude Smith Field

MACON, Ga. - The Mercer baseball squad defeated in-state rival and former conference foe Georgia State 8-2 on Wednesday evening at Claude Smith Field. The Bears put the game away with a four-run seventh inning and received solid pitching in winning their home opener.

"It is nice to be back home and have the bats come alive," said head coach Craig Gibson. "Josh (Thompson) had a great game and our bullpen was solid. It was a great team effort tonight."

The Bears (3-3) wasted no time getting on the board, plating a pair of runs in the bottom of the first inning. Senior Josh Thompson belted a one-out home run to center field, scoring Tyler Brown on the play.

Mercer added a run in the second as center fielder Eric Renfroe walked with the bases loaded. Two innings later, the Bears loaded the bases with one out. Brown scored his second run of the game on a RBI-ground out by Steve Karwatt, putting Mercer up 4-0.

The Panthers (0-4) notched two runs in the seventh inning cutting the Bears' advantage to two runs. Catcher Aeden McQueary laced a two-run single to left field, scoring Chase Childers and Jean-Michel Rochon-Salvas.

Mercer struck back in the bottom of the seventh, scoring four runs in taking a commanding 8-2 lead.

John Dortch got things going with a RBI-double down the left-field line. Mike Armstrong followed with his first hit of the game, plating Dortch on the play, and putting the Bears on top 6-2. Thompson then delivered his third hit of the game, a two-run triple, giving Mercer a six-run advantage.

Thompson led the way going 3-for-3 with four RBIs and one run scored. Brown scored three runs and Billy Shaughnessy chipped in with a 2-for-3 night and a run scored. Dortch finished the game 2-for-4 with one RBI and two runs scored for Mercer.

The Bears recorded 10 hits and were aided by 12 walks from the Panthers' pitching staff, but left 14 stranded on base.

Junior Boone Webster made his first start as a Bear and registered the win, moving his record to 2-0 on the season. He pitched 5.0 innings of shutout ball giving up five hits and one walk while striking out three batters. Cory Gearrin closed the door with 2.0 innings of no-hit, no-run ball while striking out three.

GSU left-hander Andy Reid made the start and lasted only 1.2 innings. He recorded the loss while allowing three earned runs on two hits and walking five batters.

Mercer 8, Georgia State 2

 Georgia State.....000 000 200 - 2 9 0
 Mercer.....210 100 40X - 8 10 0

Pitchers: Mercer - Webster; Quarles (6); Campbell (6); Gearrin (8).
 Georgia State - Reid; Reeves (2); Compton (4); Dooley (7); Grant (8).
 Win - Webster (2-0)
 Loss - Reid (1-0)
 T - 3:06 A - 357

Game 7

South Alabama 7, Mercer 5

Feb. 16-Mobile, Ala.
 Stanky Field

MOBILE, Ala. - The Bears out-hit the Jaguars 11-9, but stranded seven base runners in a 7-5 loss at Stanky Field on Friday afternoon.

Game one had a crazy beginning as four runs crossed the plate courtesy of wild pitches in the first two innings. In the top of the first inning, Josh Thompson drew a two-out walk and advanced to third on a single by Steve Karwatt. With Eric Renfroe batting, USA's starting right-hander Dan Goldberg threw a wild pitch, allowing Thompson to score and give Mercer an early 1-0 lead.

The Jaguars came right back in the bottom half of the first. Mercer right-hander Brantley New walked the leadoff man Ray Kruml. Kruml then advanced to second base on a sacrifice bunt and moved to third on a base hit by Ryne Jernigan. South Alabama benefited from a pair of wild pitches by New as Kruml and Jernigan scored giving USA a 2-1 advantage.

In the second inning, Jason Lowey led off with a double for the Bears, but was stranded on third base following a pair of strikeouts to end the frame.

South Alabama did not relent, tacking on three more runs in the second. Eric Shortell led off the inning with a single to center and Joel Collins was hit by a pitch. Bill Kleinschrodt successfully sacrificed the runners over and New followed with another wild pitch allowing Shortell to score. Russell Harben then followed with a RBI-single and Clint Toomey added

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a RBI-base hit of his own making the score 5-1.

The Bears were able to push across a run in the third, narrowing the Jaguars' advantage to three. Mike Armstrong led the inning off with a double and scored on Thompson's double two batters later.

A RBI-ground out by Kleinschrodt extended South Alabama's lead to 6-2 in the fifth inning.

Mercer began chipping away in the sixth inning, starting the frame with three consecutive singles. Karwatt led off with his second hit of the day and Renfroe followed with a base hit to right field. The next batter, Jason Lowey, drove in Karwatt with a single to left and Billy Shaughnessy continued the inning by sacrificing Renfroe to third and Lowey to second with one out. Freshman Michael Langley notched his first collegiate hit earlier in the game and came up with his first run batted in on a ground out to the shortstop. Renfroe scored on the play pulling the Bears within two at 6-4.

The Jaguars came right back adding an insurance run in the bottom of the sixth. Kruml registered another leadoff walk and proceeded to steal second base. Following a sacrifice bunt, Jernigan scored Kruml on a sacrifice fly.

With two innings remaining, the Bears showed life and added another run making the score 7-5. Renfroe led off the frame with an infield base hit and advanced to third on a pair of groundouts. Mark Jarvis came off the bench and produced a big pinch-hit, run-scoring single.

The Bears were unable to get anything going in the ninth inning and lost their fourth straight on the road.

Karwatt, Renfroe and Lowey each finished the contest 2-for-4 from the plate.

New recorded his second loss of the season giving up six earned runs on eight hits in 5.0 innings of work, while striking out three and walking one.

Goldberg picked up the win for South Alabama throwing 6.0 innings and giving up four earned runs on eight hits. Goldberg struck out five batters and walked one. Chris LaGrow registered the save for the Jaguars. After allowing a leadoff double to John Dortch in the ninth, he set down the next three batters, the final two by strikeouts.

South Alabama 7, Mercer 5

Mercer.....101 002 010 - 5 11 0
South Alabama.....230 011 00X - 7 9 1

Pitchers: Mercer - New; Patterson (6).
South Alabama - Goldberg; Kerns (7); Turner (7); LaGrow (9).
Win - Goldberg (1-0)
Loss - New (0-2)
Save - LaGrow (1)
T - 2:51 A - 321

Game 8

South Alabama 13, Mercer 11

Feb. 17-Mobile, Ala.

Stanky Field

MOBILE, Ala. - In a game that featured 24 runs and 32 hits, South Alabama out-lasted Mercer, 12-10, on Saturday afternoon at Stanky Field.

Leading the offensive attack for the Bears were Mike Armstrong (3-for-6, 3 runs scored) and Billy Shaughnessy (4-for-5, two RBIs). Tyler Brown and Matt Crawford each chipped in a pair of RBIs and Steve Karwatt finished the game 2-for-3 with two doubles, one RBI and two runs scored.

Aided by three walks, the Bears (3-5) grabbed an early three-run lead in top of the first inning. After an Armstrong single to lead off the game, South Alabama right-hander Kevin Nabors walked three of the next four batters. Eric Renfroe received the third free pass of the frame with the bases loaded, forcing in Armstrong. Jason Lowey followed with a sacrifice fly and Shaughnessy capped the first-inning output with a RBI-single.

South Alabama (2-0) did not waste anytime getting back into the game in the bottom of the first, cutting the deficit to one. For the second straight day USA lead off man Ray Kruml opened the game by reaching base. Kruml advanced to second on a wild pitch and following a walk to Bunky Kateon, each runner moved up a base on a ground out. Jeff Cunningham registered the Jaguars' first big hit of the day with a run-scoring single and an error by Josh Thompson allowed Kateon to cross the plate on the play.

The Bears tacked on a pair of runs in the second inning as catcher Casey Stuart led off with his first hit of the season. Armstrong then laced a double down the left-field line advancing Stuart to third base. Thompson pushed across the Bears' fourth run of the day with a sacrifice fly and Karwatt continued his recent hot streak with a RBI-double to deep center field, giving Mercer a 5-2 cushion early on.

The Jaguars opened their half of the third inning with back-to-back singles by Kateon and Ryne Jernigan. Cunningham delivered another run batted in with a sacrifice fly to right field and Michael Cart added a RBI-ground-out in the inning, pulling South Alabama within one at 5-4. USA had a chance to tie the game later in the inning on a wild pitch by Mercer left-hander Blake Quarles, but David Doss was thrown out at the plate as Stuart hustled after the ball and Quarles applied the tag.

Mercer looked to increase its lead in the fourth, loading the bases with no outs, but USA reliever Stephen Boyd struck out the next two batters and then induced an inning-ending ground out to escape the inning unscathed.

Bill Kleinschrodt opened the South Alabama fourth with a triple and scored on Sean Laird's ground out, evening up the score at five runs apiece.

One inning later, South Alabama put up a six-spot on the scoreboard. Four of the runs were unearned off of two Mercer errors. Doss, Joel Collins and Jernigan each delivered one RBI in the inning and Kaeton plated a pair of runs with a single up the middle.

The high-scoring affair continued in the sixth as Crawford roped a two-run double, scoring Thompson and Karwatt. Two batters later, Crawford scored on Shaughnessy's RBI-single, narrowing the South Alabama lead to three.

Mercer struck again in the seventh on Tyler Brown's first home run of the season. The two-run shot brought Mercer within one, making the score 11-10.

South Alabama added a pair of insurance runs in the seventh as Kleinschrodt got things started with a lead off home run. Once again Kruml gave the Bears fits on the base paths, swiping second and third following his seeing-eye single through the right side. Kateon then delivered his third RBI of the day on a ground out, giving USA a lead it would not relinquish.

The Bears put together a rally in the ninth as Thompson hit a solo home run with one out making the score 13-11. Karwatt then walked and advanced to third base courtesy of a wild pitch and a ground out, but was stranded at third to end the game.

Quarles went 3.0 innings and allowed four earned

runs on six hits. He struck out three and walked one batter. David Harden (0-1) picked up the loss for Mercer giving up seven runs, three earned, on five hits in 1.2 innings of work. Harden registered two strikeouts and one walk.

Nabors lasted only 1.0 inning for South Alabama after allowing five earned runs on four hits while striking out one and walking three batters. Boyd (1-0) picked up Nabors throwing 4.0 innings of two-run, four-hit ball. Boyd struck out four and walked four. Freshman Chris LaGrow recorded his second save in as many outings for the Jaguars.

South Alabama 13, Mercer 11

Mercer.....320 003 201 - 11 17 3
South Alabama.....202 160 20X - 13 15 1

Pitchers: Mercer - Quarles; Harden (4); Campbell (5).
South Alabama - Nabors; Boyd (2); Kerns (6); Turner (7); Doss (8); LaGrow (9).

Win - Boyd (1-0)
Loss - Harden (0-1)
Save - LaGrow (2)
T - 3:15 A - 543

Game 9

Mercer 9, South Alabama 5

Feb. 18-Mobile, Ala.

Stanky Field

MOBILE, Ala. - The Mercer (4-5) baseball squad posted seven runs in the last three innings, pulling out a come-from-behind 9-5 victory over South Alabama (2-1) on Sunday afternoon at Stanky Field.

The Bears took an early lead for the second consecutive day as John Dortch got things going in the second inning with a lead-off single. Following a sacrifice bunt by Billy Shaughnessy, Mark Jarvis, making his first start of the season, came through with a run-scoring single.

South Alabama responded as they had all weekend with three runs in the bottom of the second. Mercer right-hander Michael Shaw retired the lead-off man, but the next four USA batters registered singles. Joel Collins and Bill Kleinschrodt recorded back-to-back RBI-singles and Ray Kruml capped the scoring with a sacrifice fly to center field.

Mercer took advantage of South Alabama miscues an inning later. Mike Armstrong led off with a single and following a pair of wild pitches advancing Armstrong to third, Josh Thompson notched a sacrifice fly pulling the Bears within one at 3-2.

Both pitching staff buckled down over the next three innings allowing no runs on only two hits. This was a rarity in the three-game series that saw both teams combine for 50 runs and 68 hits.

The Bears rallied to take a 5-3 lead in the seventh. Billy Shaughnessy started the rally with a lead-off double and three batters later, Shaughnessy scored on a fielder's choice by Matt Crawford. Freshman Michael Langley, who earlier in the series recorded his first career hit and RBI, scored on another fielder's choice groundout, this time by Tyler Brown. Jaguars' shortstop Russell Harben threw the ball away on the play and Crawford scored an unearned run giving Mercer the lead.

In this back-and-forth series, South Alabama countered again in the bottom of the seventh. Clint Toomey recorded a RBI-single and Kruml scored on a ground out by Ryne Jernigan evening the score at five runs apiece.

Game Notes

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Mercer took the lead for good in the eighth inning as Dortch led off with a double down the left-field line. Eric Renfroe plated Dortch with a fielder's choice and Armstrong produced another run with a sacrifice fly giving the Bears a 7-5 lead.

Closer Cory Gearrin entered the game in the bottom of the seventh and shut down the Jaguars the rest of the way in picking up his first win as a Bear. He struck out four and walked four, while pitching 2.2 innings of no-hit, shutout ball. Gearrin has yet to allow a hit or run in 7.2 innings of solid relief.

The Bears tacked on some insurance in the ninth spearheaded by Dortch's second double and run scored in as many innings. Shaughnessy drove in Steve Karwatt with a sacrifice fly and Renfroe drove in his second run of the day with a single up the middle.

Shaw went 2.0 innings for Mercer and allowed three earned runs on four hits while striking out two. South Alabama starter Joey Doan pitched a solid game going 6.2 innings while giving up five runs, four earned, on five hits. Doan walked none and struck out five batters. Travis Johnson was tagged with the loss allowing two earned runs in 0.2 innings of work.

Dortch finished the game 3-for-5 with three runs scored and two doubles. Seven Bears picked up a run batted in led by Renfroe's two RBIs.

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Mercer.....011 000 322 - 9 8 0
South Alabama.....030 000 200 - 5 8 3

Pitchers: Mercer - Shaw; Jo. Lowey (3); Ja. Lowey (6); Gearrin (7).
South Alabama - Doan; Johnson (7); Dunning (8); Baxter (8); Nickerson (8); Clarke (9).
Win - Gearrin (1-0)
Loss - Johnson (0-1)
T - 3:16 A - 511

Game 10

Georgia 6, Mercer 5

Feb. 21-Macon, Ga.

Claude Smith Field

MACON, Ga. - The Bears gave the Bulldogs all they could handle Wednesday night at Claude Smith Field, but were defeated 6-5 in front of a standing-room only crowd. The Georgia bullpen held Mercer in check over the final five innings, allowing only one unearned run, and stranding seven runners on base.

Mercer (4-6) received a big lift as right-hander Boone Webster escaped a jam in the first inning. With the bases loaded and two outs, Webster struck out Ryan Peisel to end the inning.

A wild second inning began when Georgia (1-3) notched four consecutive hits with one out to take a 3-0 lead. Matt Cerione delivered a RBI-double and Gordon Beckham scored two more runs on his double down the left-field line.

The Bears came right back as Eric Renfroe got things going with a one-out double and Jason Lowey followed with a walk. Billy Shaughnessy came through with a big two-run single and he scored on an error by right fielder Cerione to tie the game at three. Dortch drove a single to the opposite-field and Shaughnessy was held by head coach Craig Gibson at third, but Cerione attempted to throw behind the runner and air-mailed the ball to the fence, allowing Shaughnessy to cross the plate.

The 'Dogs took the lead for good in the top of the fourth, as Beckham picked up another run batted in with a single to left field and Jonathan Wyatt followed with a run-scoring single.

Mercer would not go quietly tacking on a run in its half of the fourth, making the score 5-4. Shaughnessy once again was clutch notching a lead-off double. The Bears played small ball as Shaughnessy advanced to third on a sacrifice bunt and scored on Dortch's second hit of the night.

Georgia added some insurance an inning later when Mike Freeman registered the game-winning RBI on a double down the left-field line.

In the eighth inning, the Bears pulled to within one at 6-5. Shaughnessy scored his third run of the game on a heads-up play. Mike Armstrong hit a routine grounder to the shortstop, but Beckham was unable to make the play. While first baseman Ryan Peisel was trying to gather the ball, Shaughnessy alertly took off from third and dove around catcher Joey Lewis's tag.

Matt Crawford kept the game alive for Mercer, recording a bunt single with two outs in the final frame. Lowey followed with a walk, but Georgia's hard-throwing closer Josh Fields notched his third strikeout of the inning to pick up his first save of the season.

Webster (2-1) went 4.0 innings and allowed five earned runs on 11 hits. He struck out one and walked five batters. Nick Montgomery (1-0) picked up starter Dean Weaver and threw 3.0 innings of no-run, one-hit ball. Montgomery fanned three and walked one.

Shaughnessy led the Bears at the plate as he went 2-for-4 with two RBIs to go along with his three runs scored. Dortch finished the game 2-for-4 with one RBI and Steve Karwatt was 2-for-4 with a double to deep-center field in the seventh inning.

"We gave it our best shot and played well," said Gibson. "We need to get more two-out hits against a team of Georgia's caliber. This game should help us down the road when we get into our conference schedule."

Georgia 6, Mercer 5

Georgia.....030 210 000 - 6 14 5
Mercer.....030 100 010 - 5 8 2

Pitchers: Mercer - Webster; Boyette (5); New (8); Gearrin (9).
Georgia - Weaver; Montgomery (4); McRee (7); Dodson (8); Fields (9).
Win - Montgomery (1-0)
Loss - Webster (2-1)
Save - Fields (1)
T - 2:55 A - 1157

The Automated ScoreBook
Overall Statistics for Mercer (as of Feb 21, 2007)
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 4-6 Home: 1-1 Away: 3-5 Conference: 0-0

| 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% |
|----------------------|------|-------|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|-----|----|-----|------|----|----|--------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| SHAUGHNESSY, Billy.. | .364 | 10-10 | 33 | 6 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 19 | .576 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | .405 | 1 | 6 | 1-1 | 17 | 26 | 4 | .915 |
| THOMPSON, Josh..... | .342 | 10-10 | 38 | 7 | 13 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 26 | .684 | 7 | 1 | 13 | 0 | .438 | 2 | 0 | 0-0 | 61 | 6 | 2 | .971 |
| KARWATT, Steven..... | .323 | 9-8 | 31 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 16 | .516 | 7 | 1 | 6 | 0 | .462 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 9 | 14 | 1 | .958 |
| LOWEY, Jason..... | .318 | 6-6 | 22 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 10 | .455 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 0 | .385 | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| ARMSTRONG, Mike..... | .317 | 10-10 | 41 | 9 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 18 | .439 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 0 | .396 | 1 | 0 | 1-1 | 87 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 |
| MCCARTY, Tyler..... | .313 | 5-5 | 16 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | .375 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .421 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 6 | 14 | 1 | .952 |
| DORTCH, John..... | .300 | 9-7 | 30 | 6 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 16 | .533 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | .300 | 0 | 0 | 2-2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 |
| JARVIS, Mark..... | .250 | 6-1 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | .250 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | .250 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 |
| CRAWFORD, Matt..... | .211 | 8-4 | 19 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | .263 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .318 | 0 | 0 | 1-1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | .917 |
| LOWEY, Josh..... | .182 | 7-4 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .182 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | .182 | 0 | 0 | 0-1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | .714 |
| BROWN, Tyler..... | .158 | 10-10 | 38 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 9 | .237 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 0 | .319 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| LANGLEY, Michael.... | .154 | 6-3 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | .154 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | .267 | 0 | 1 | 1-1 | 6 | 19 | 1 | .962 |
| RENFROE, Eric..... | .125 | 10-9 | 32 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | .156 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 0 | .222 | 0 | 0 | 2-3 | 20 | 0 | 1 | .952 |
| STUART, Casey..... | .100 | 3-3 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .100 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | .100 | 0 | 1 | 0-0 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| DAUGHERTY, John..... | .000 | 4-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | .500 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| WEINERT, Andrew..... | .000 | 1-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| BENTLEY, Richard.... | .000 | 3-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Totals..... | .261 | 10-10 | 345 | 57 | 90 | 21 | 1 | 8 | 50 | 137 | .397 | 40 | 11 | 66 | 1 | .352 | 5 | 8 | 8-10 | 255 | 105 | 15 | .960 |
| Opponents..... | .318 | 10-10 | 349 | 62 | 111 | 14 | 2 | 3 | 55 | 138 | .395 | 35 | 15 | 71 | 0 | .399 | 5 | 10 | 21-23 | 267 | 96 | 19 | .950 |

LOB - Team (86), Opp (97). DPs turned - Team (5), Opp (8). CI - Team (0), Opp (1). IBB - Team (0), Opp (3). Picked off - THOMPSON 1, LOWEY,JO 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

| 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 |
|----------------------|-------|-----|-----|----|----|---------|----|------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-------|----|-----|----|-----|-----|
| GEARRIN, Cory..... | 0.00 | 1-0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 2 | 8.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 | .000 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| LOWEY, Josh..... | 0.00 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 3.1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | .182 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PATTERSON, Scott.... | 1.80 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 5.0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | .235 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| WEBSTER, Boone..... | 3.86 | 2-1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 14.0 | 20 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 57 | .351 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| LOWEY, Jason..... | 5.40 | 0-0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 3.1 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 | .357 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| CAMPBELL, Andy..... | 5.59 | 1-0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 9.2 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 40 | .250 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| BOYETTE, Justin..... | 5.62 | 0-1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 8.0 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 35 | .314 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HARDEN, David..... | 7.36 | 0-1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 3.2 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 20 | .350 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| NEW, Brantley..... | 7.41 | 0-2 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 17.0 | 22 | 15 | 14 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 71 | .310 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| QUARLES, Blake..... | 11.17 | 0-1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 9.2 | 24 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 48 | .500 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| SHAW, Michael..... | 16.88 | 0-0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 2.2 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | .500 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals..... | 5.72 | 4-6 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0/0 | 2 | 85.0 | 111 | 62 | 54 | 35 | 71 | 14 | 2 | 3 | 349 | .318 | 9 | 15 | 2 | 5 | 10 |
| Opponents..... | 5.16 | 6-4 | 10 | 10 | 1 | 1/0 | 4 | 89.0 | 90 | 57 | 51 | 40 | 66 | 21 | 1 | 8 | 345 | .261 | 11 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 8 |

PB - Team (5), THOMPSON 4, STUART 1, Opp (2). Pickoffs - Team (1), NEW 1, Opp (2). SBA/ATT - THOMPSON (16-18), STUART (5-5), NEW (5-5), WEBSTER (3-4), GEARRIN (3-4), PATTERSON (3-3), CAMPBELL (3-3), SHAW (2-2), BOYETTE (2-2).

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(All games Sorted by Fielding pct)

| Player | C | PO | A | E | FLD% | Dps | SBA | CSB | SBA% | PB | CI |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-------|----|----|
| ARMSTRONG, Mike..... | 92 | 87 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 | 5 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| STUART, Casey..... | 17 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 | 1 | 0 |
| LOWEY, Jason..... | 16 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| DORTCH, John..... | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| WEBSTER, Boone..... | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .750 | 0 | 0 |
| QUARLES, Blake..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| PATTERSON, Scott.... | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 |
| HARDEN, David..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| BOYETTE, Justin..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 |
| JARVIS, Mark..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| THOMPSON, Josh..... | 69 | 61 | 6 | 2 | .971 | 0 | 16 | 2 | .889 | 4 | 0 |
| LANGLEY, Michael.... | 26 | 6 | 19 | 1 | .962 | 2 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| KARWATT, Steven..... | 24 | 9 | 14 | 1 | .958 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| RENFROE, Eric..... | 21 | 20 | 0 | 1 | .952 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| MCCARTY, Tyler..... | 21 | 6 | 14 | 1 | .952 | 3 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| CRAWFORD, Matt..... | 12 | 11 | 0 | 1 | .917 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| SHAUGHNESSY, Billy.. | 47 | 17 | 26 | 4 | .915 | 4 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| NEW, Brantley..... | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | .833 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 |
| CAMPBELL, Andy..... | 4 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .750 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 |
| LOWEY, Josh..... | 7 | 1 | 4 | 2 | .714 | 1 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| BROWN, Tyler..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| DAUGHERTY, John..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| EINERT, Andrew..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| SHAW, Michael..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 |
| BENTLEY, Richard.... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| GEARRIN, Cory..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .750 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals..... | 375 | 255 | 105 | 15 | .960 | 5 | 21 | 2 | .913 | 5 | 0 |
| Opponents..... | 382 | 267 | 96 | 19 | .950 | 8 | 8 | 2 | .800 | 2 | 1 |

The Automated ScoreBook
 Game Results for Mercer (as of Feb 21, 2007)
 (All games)

| Game date | Opposing team | Score | r | h | e/ | r | h | e | Inns | Overall | Conference | Pitcher of record | Attend | Time | |
|--------------|--------------------|---------|-------------|----|------|------|-------|-------|------|---------|------------|-------------------|--------|-------|-------|
| ----- | ----- | ---- | -----/----- | | | ---- | ----- | ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Feb. 2, 2007 | at Miami (Fla.) | W 6-5 | 6 | 14 | 0/ | 5 | 10 | 1 | 9 | 1- | 0- 0 | WEBSTER (W 1-0) | 2593 | 3:23 | |
| Feb. 3, 2007 | at Miami (Fla.) | W 8-5 | 8 | 5 | 3/ | 5 | 10 | 3 | 9 | 2- | 0- 0 | CAMPBELL (W 1-0) | 2345 | 3:45 | |
| Feb. 10,2007 | at Bethune-Cookman | 0-5 L | 0 | 5 | 3/ | 5 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 2- | 1- 0 | NEW (L 0-1) | 144 | 2:03 | |
| Feb. 10,2007 | at Bethune-Cookman | 2-9 L | 2 | 3 | 3/ | 9 | 17 | 3 | 9 | 2- | 2- 0 | QUARLES (L 0-1) | 121 | 2:04 | |
| Feb. 11,2007 | at Bethune-Cookman | 3-5 L | 3 | 9 | 1/ | 5 | 10 | 2 | 9 | 2- | 3- 0 | BOYETTE (L 0-1) | 143 | 2:36 | |
| Feb. 14,2007 | Georgia State | W 8-2 | 8 | 10 | 0/ | 2 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 3- | 3- 0 | WEBSTER (W 2-0) | 357 | 3:06 | |
| Feb 16, 2007 | at South Alabama | 5-7 L | 5 | 11 | 0/ | 7 | 9 | 1 | 9 | 3- | 4- 0 | NEW (L 0-2) | 321 | 2:51 | |
| Feb 17, 2007 | at South Alabama | 11-13 L | 11 | 17 | 3/13 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 3- | 5- 0 | HARDEN (L 0-1) | 543 | 3:15 | |
| Feb 18, 2007 | at South Alabama | W 9-5 | 9 | 8 | 0/ | 5 | 8 | 3 | 9 | 4- | 5- 0 | GEARRIN (W 1-0) | 511 | 3:16 | |
| Feb. 21,2007 | Georgia | 5-6 L | 5 | 8 | 2/ | 6 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 4- | 6- 0 | WEBSTER (L 2-1) | 1157 | 2:55 | |

() extra inning game