



# SOUTHERN CONFERENCE SOFTBALL

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## QUICK HITS

• Three conference series are on the slate this week, while UNCG hosts Longwood in a nonconference series.

• UNCG was tabbed to win the 2021 SoCon title in voting by the league's head coaches and currently sit atop the league at 16-8 overall.

• Chattanooga infielder Emily Coltharp was named the preseason player of the year, Chattanooga's third-straight preseason POTY selection. Samford pitcher Abby Swaney was selected as the preseason pitcher of the year.

• UNCG is sixth nationally with 1.79 home runs per game & ninth in walks (123), while Samford is fifth in doubles per game (0.60).

## PRESEASON HONORS

### Preseason Poll

Team (First-Place Votes).....	Points
1. UNCG (3).....	31
2. Mercer (1).....	29
3. Chattanooga (2).....	28
4. Samford.....	22
5. ETSU.....	16
6. Furman (1).....	14
7. Western Carolina.....	7

### Preseason Player of the Year

Emily Coltharp, Chattanooga, Jr., IF

### Preseason Pitcher of the Year

Abby Swaney, Samford, R-Fr.

### Preseason First-Team All-SoCon

- P Kelly Schmidt, ETSU, R-Sr.
- P Abby Swaney, Samford, R-Fr.
- C Delaney Cumbie, UNCG, Jr.
- IF Danielle Castleberry, Mercer, R-Sr.
- IF Samantha Lagrama, UNCG, Jr.
- IF Whitney Hinton, Samford, R-Sr.
- IF Emily Coltharp, Chattanooga, Jr.
- OF Kelly Warren, ETSU, Sr.
- OF Allie Jones, Mercer, Sr.
- OF Micayla Rood, Mercer, Sr.
- DP Kayleigh Willis, UNCG, R-Sr.
- DP Kylie Helm, Mercer, So.

### Preseason Second-Team All-SoCon

- P Amber Byrd, Mercer, Sr.
- P Morgan Scott, UNCG, So.
- C Kylie Toler, ETSU, R-Sr.
- IF Julia Fritz, ETSU, Sr.
- IF Natalie Morgan, Furman, Jr.
- IF Timberlyn Shurbutt, Samford, R-Jr.
- IF Jasmine Palmer, UNCG, R-Sr.
- OF Andrea Sarhatt, ETSU, Jr.
- OF Makenna Matthijs, UNCG, Sr.
- OF Hayleigh Weissenbach, Chattanooga, R-Sr.
- DP Emily Bartlett, Furman, Jr.

## 2021 STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE						OVERALL						
	W	L	Pct.	H	A	Stk	W	L	Pct.	H	A	N	Stk
Western Carolina	4	1	.800	3-0	1-1	W4	13	16	.448	7-2	3-8	3-6	W8
Chattanooga	4	1	.800	1-1	3-0	W3	8	16	.333	5-13	3-3	0-0	W3
Furman	2	1	.667	2-1	0-0	L1	9	16	.360	4-4	4-10	1-2	W1
UNCG	3	3	.500	2-1	1-2	W1	17	11	.607	11-7	6-4	0-0	L1
Samford	2	4	.333	2-1	0-3	L3	12	18	.400	8-4	1-10	3-4	L3
Mercer	1	2	.333	0-0	1-2	L1	16	14	.533	8-4	5-7	3-3	W3
ETSU	1	5	.167	0-3	1-2	L3	13	11	.542	8-7	2-4	3-0	L3

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

### Friday, April 9

Longwood at UNCG.....12 p.m.  
Longwood at UNCG.....2 p.m.

### Saturday, April 10

Longwood at UNCG.....12 p.m.  
\*Furman at Samford.....1 p.m.  
\*Chattanooga at Mercer.....1 p.m.  
\*ETSU at Western Carolina.....1 p.m.  
\*ETSU at Western Carolina.....3 p.m.  
\*Chattanooga at Mercer.....3 p.m.  
\*Furman at Samford.....3 p.m.

### Sunday, April 11

\*Furman at Samford.....1 p.m.  
\*Chattanooga at Mercer.....1 p.m.  
\*ETSU at Western Carolina.....1 p.m.

### Tuesday, April 13

Mississippi State at Samford.....6 p.m.

### Wednesday, April 14

Western Carolina at Presbyterian.....2 p.m.  
Furman at South Carolina.....3 p.m.  
Western Carolina at Presbyterian.....4 p.m.  
Charlotte at UNCG.....5 p.m.  
Chattanooga at Austin Peay.....5 p.m.  
Furman at South Carolina.....5:30 p.m.

### Thursday, April 15

Samford at Jacksonville State.....4 p.m.

\*Conference contest  
Note: All times Eastern

## SOCON STATS



## NCAA STATS



## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Name	Pos.	School
Feb. 15	Bailey Huneycutt	SS	WCU
Feb. 22	Courtney Ball	3B	UTC
March 1	Nikki Grupp	3B	ETSU
March 8	Jasmine Palmer	OF	UNCG
March 15	Timberlyn Shurbutt	IF	SAM
March 22	Maycin Brown	IF	UNCG
March 29	Whitney Hinton	IF	UNCG
April 5	Hayleigh Weissenbach R-Sr.		UTC
April 12			
April 19			
April 26			
May 4			
May 11			

## PITCHERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Name	Year	School
Feb. 15	Jayne Eilers	So.	WCU
Feb. 22	Abby Swaney	R-Fr.	SAM
March 1	Emily Barnett	Jr.	SAM
March 8	Morgan Scott	So.	UNCG
March 15	Kelly Schmidt	R-Sr.	ETSU
March 22	Kelly Schmidt	R-Sr.	ETSU
March 29	Emily Barnett	Jr.	SAM
April 5	Brooke Parrott	Jr.	UTC
April 12			
April 19			
April 26			
May 4			
May 11			

## PLAYERS OF THE MONTH

Month	Name	Pos.	School
February	Courtney Ball	INF	UTC
March	Maycin Brown	IF	UNCG
April			

## PITCHERS OF THE MONTH

Month	Name	Pos.	School
February	Emily Barnett	RHP	SAM
March	Kelly Schmidt	R-Sr.	ETSU
April			

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## TEAM BREAKDOWNS



### ETSU

Head Coach .....Brad Irwin  
 2020 Record.....9-13  
 2019 Record.....22-27 (7-11 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....5<sup>th</sup>

- The Bucs were picked fifth in the preseason voting after amassing a 9-13 2020 record and finishing 2019 with a 22-27 mark and a 7-11 record in league play.
- ETSU placed five on the preseason all-conference squad, led by first team selections Kelly Schmidt (pitcher) and outfielder Kelly Warren. Catcher Kylie Toler, infielder Julia Fritz and outfielder Andrea Sarhatt were named to the second team.



### Mercer

Head Coach .....Stephanie DeFeo  
 2020 Record.....10-17  
 2019 Record.....27-29 (10-7 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....4<sup>th</sup>

- Mercer was picked to finish second in the preseason coaches poll after finishing 10-7 in league play in 2019. The Bears were 10-17 in the shortened 2020 season.
- The Bears had five players on the preseason All-SoCon team. Infielder Danielle Castleberry, outfielders Allie Jones & Micayla Rood and designated player Kylie Helm were first team selections, while pitcher Amber Byrd earned a spot on the second team.



### Samford

Head Coach ..Mandy Burford-Johnson  
 2020 Record.....10-16  
 2019 Record.....23-31 (11-7 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....2<sup>nd</sup>

- Samford was picked to finish fourth in the preseason coaches poll.
- The Bulldogs placed three on the preseason all-conference teams. Pitcher Abby Swaney was named the preseason pitcher of the year and earned one of two first-team all-conference spots at pitcher. She was joined on the first team by infielder Whitney Hinton and infielder Timberlyn Shurbutt was named to the second team.



### Western Carolina

Head Coach .....Jim Clift  
 2020 Record.....3-13  
 2019 Record.....21-32 (5-12 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....7<sup>th</sup>

- Western Carolina was picked sixth in the preseason poll, voted on by the league coaches.



### Furman

Head Coach .....Wally King  
 2020 Record.....6-19  
 2019 Record.....13-38 (5-12 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....6<sup>th</sup>

- Furman was picked to finish sixth in the preseason poll after a 6-19 2020 record and finishing 13-38 in 2019.
- The Paladins, under the direction of third-year head coach Wally King, placed infielder Natalie Morgan and designated player Emily Bartlett on the preseason all-conference squad.



### UNCG

Head Coach .....Janelle Breneman  
 2020 Record.....15-7  
 2019 Record.....33-23 (12-5 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....1<sup>st</sup>

- The Spartans were picked to win the 2021 SoCon title.
- UNCG tallied a 33-23 (12-5 SoCon) record and won the regular season title, falling to Chattanooga in the championship in 2019 and had a 15-7 record in 2020.
- UNCG had a league-best six players named to the preseason all-conference squad, led by catcher Delaney Cumbie, infielder Samantha Lagrama and DP Kayleigh Willis on the first team.



### Chattanooga

Head Coach .....Frank Reed  
 2020 Record.....7-13  
 2019 Record.....37-17 (11-7 SoCon)  
 2019 Regular-Season Finish.....3<sup>rd</sup>

- Chattanooga, the 2019 SoCon tournament champions, were picked third in the preseason poll and earned two first place votes.
- Junior infielder Emily Coltharp was named the preseason Player of the Year and earned a spot on the preseason all-conference first team, while outfielder Hayleigh Weissenbach was named to the second team.



## SOCON COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Season At School	School Record (Pct.)	SoCon Record (Pct.)	Overall Record (Pct.)
Brad Irwin, ETSU	11 <sup>th</sup>	185-295-2 (.386)	33-58 (.363)	185-295-2 (.386)
Wally King, Furman	4 <sup>th</sup>	64-91 (.413)	17-19 (.482)	64-91 (.413)
Stephanie DeFeo, Mercer	8 <sup>th</sup>	209-186 (.529)	45-44 (.506)	337-341 (.497)
Janelle Breneman, UNCG	9 <sup>th</sup>	198-126 (.611)	77-57 (.575)	338-409-3 (.453)
Mandy Burford-Johnson, Samford	10 <sup>th</sup>	223-277 (.446)	79-79 (.500)	223-277 (.446)
Frank Reed, Chattanooga	21 <sup>st</sup>	656-457 (.589)	244-116 (.678)	1,130-544 (.675)
Jim Clift, Western Carolina	10 <sup>th</sup>	188-287 (.396)	62-100 (.383)	188-287 (.396)

Against Other Conferences	
<b>Conference</b> .....	<b>2021</b>
America East.....	0-2
American .....	0-2
Atlantic Coast.....	1-4
Atlantic Sun .....	2-1
Atlantic 10.....	0-0
Big 12.....	0-0
Big East.....	0-2
Big Sky.....	0-0
Big South .....	15-7
Big Ten.....	0-0
Big West .....	0-0
Colonial.....	11-3
Conference USA .....	5-17
Horizon.....	0-2
Ivy League.....	0-0
Metro-Atlantic .....	3-2
Mid-American .....	0-1
Mid-Eastern Athletic.....	13-1
Missouri Valley .....	4-6
Mountain West .....	0-0
Northeast .....	0-0
Ohio Valley .....	3-10
Patriot .....	0-0
Pac-12 .....	0-0
Southeastern.....	0-11
Southland.....	0-0
Southwestern Athletic.....	3-0
Summit.....	2-2
Sun Belt .....	4-14
Western Athletic .....	0-0
West Coast .....	0-0
Non DI.....	2-0
<b>Overall .....</b>	<b>72-85</b>

## 2021 Softball Championship

The Southern Conference Softball Championship will include the top four seeds and will take place May 13-15 at the highest seed.

<p><b>Thursday, May 13</b>            Game 1 (12:30 p.m.) - No. 1 seed vs. No. 4 seed            Game 2 (3 p.m.) - No. 2 seed vs. No. 3 seed            Game 3 (5:30 p.m.) - Loser game 1 vs. Loser Game 2</p>	<p><b>Friday, May 14</b>            Game 4 (12:30 p.m.) - Winner game 1 vs. Winner game 2            Game 5 (3 p.m.) - Winner game 3 vs. Loser game 4</p> <p><b>Saturday, May 9</b>            Championship (1 p.m.) - Winner game 4 vs. Winner game 5            If necessary game (3 p.m.) - Winner game 6 vs. Loser game 6</p>
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## 2019 Softball Championship Results

May 8-11, 2019 - Frost Stadium (Chattanooga, Tenn.)

<p><b>Wednesday, May 8</b>            Game 1: No. 5 ETSU 5, No. 4 Mercer 1            Game 2: No. 7 Western Carolina 6, No. 2 Samford 4            Game 3: No. 3 Chattanooga 9, No. 6 Furman 5</p> <p><b>Thursday, May 9</b>            Game 4: No. 2 Samford 7, No. 6 Furman 0            Game 5: No. 1 UNCG 9, No. 5 ETSU 1            Game 6: No. 3 Chattanooga 2, No. 7 Western Carolina 1            Game 7: No. 5 ETSU 5, No. 2 Samford 2 (8 innings)</p>	<p><b>Friday, May 10</b>            Game 8: No. 4 Mercer 7, No. 7 Western Carolina 4            Game 9: No. 3 Chattanooga 3, No. 1 UNCG 1            Game 10: No. 4 Mercer 6, No. 5 ETSU 1            Game 11: No. 1 UNCG 9, No. 4 Mercer 7</p> <p><b>Saturday, May 11</b>            Game 12: No. 1 UNCG 4, No. 3 Chattanooga 3            Game 13: No. 3 Chattanooga 10, No. 1 UNCG 1 (5 innings)</p>
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## SoCon Active Career Leaders

<p><b>Batting Average</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>.354 - Emily Coltharp, Jr., UTC</li> <li>.333 - Danielle Castleberry, R-Sr., MER</li> <li>.319- Kelly Warren, Sr., ETSU</li> <li>.316 - Micayla Rood, Sr., MER</li> <li>.309 - Delaney Cumbie, Jr., UNCG</li> </ul>	<p><b>On-Base Percentage</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>.485 - Delaney Cumbie, Jr., UNCG</li> <li>.454 - Jasmine Palmer, R-Sr., UNCG</li> <li>.445 - Emily Coltharp, Jr., UTC</li> <li>.415 - Danielle Castleberry, R-Sr., MER</li> <li>.392 - Nikki Grupp, Sr., ETSU</li> </ul>
<p><b>Hits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>196 - Whitney Hinton, Sr., SAM</li> <li>163 - Hayleigh Weissenbach, R-Sr., UTC</li> <li>159 - Danielle Castleberry, R-Jr., MER</li> <li>152 - Nikki Grupp, Sr., ETSU</li> <li>149 - Micayla Rood, Sr., MER</li> <li>149 - Jasmine Palmer, R-Sr., UNCG</li> </ul>	<p><b>Runs Batted In</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>131 - Whitney Hinton, Sr., SAM</li> <li>111 - Makenna Matthijs, R-Jr., UNCG</li> <li>110 - Nikki Grupp, Sr., ETSU</li> <li>93 - Jordan Gontram, R-Sr., UNCG</li> <li>91 - Jasmine Palmer, R-Sr., UNCG</li> </ul>
<p><b>Stolen Bases</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>55 - Kelly Warren, R-Jr., ETSU</li> <li>44 - Allie Jones, Sr., MER</li> <li>35 - Micayla Rood, Sr., MER</li> <li>28 - Emily Coltharp, Jr., UTC</li> <li>19 - Danielle Castleberry, R-Sr., MER</li> </ul>	<p><b>Earned Run Average</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.01 - Taylor DeCelles, Sr., SAM</li> </ul>
<p><b>Innings Pitched</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>443.1 - Taylor DeCelles, Sr., SAM</li> <li>359.0 - Kelly Schmidt, R-Sr., ETSU</li> <li>194.0 - MaKenna Gillespie, Jr., SAM</li> <li>182.1 - Taylor Boling, Jr., ETSU</li> <li>169.1 - Emily Barnett, Sr., UNCG</li> </ul>	<p><b>Strikeouts</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>238 - Kelly Schmidt, R-Sr., ETSU</li> <li>218 - Taylor DeCelles, Sr., SAM</li> <li>217 - Morgan Scott, So., UNCG</li> <li>107 - Emily Barnett, Sr., UNCG</li> <li>102 - Taylor Boling, Jr., ETSU</li> </ul>

### SOCON 100TH ANNIVERSARY

The SoCon is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2021. The fifth-oldest NCAA Division I college athletic association, the SoCon contested the first-ever collegiate conference basketball tournament in 1921, tackled freshman eligibility in 1922, became the first conference to adopt the 3-point field goal in basketball in 1980 and developed women's championships in 1984.



**ETSU Buccaneers**

(13-11, 1-5 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/19	at Tennessee Tech	CANC.
2/20	at Tennessee Tech	CANC.
2/20	at Tennessee Tech	CANC.
2/24	Tennessee Tech	W, 3-2
2/24	Tennessee Tech	L, 3-6
2/27	^ at USC Upstate	L, 1-6
2/27	^ vs. SC State	W, 8-0 (5)
2/28	^ vs. SC State	W, 8-0 (5)
2/28	^ at USC Upstate	W, 5-3
3/5	at Presbyterian	CANC.
3/5	at Gardner-Webb	CANC.
3/5	at Gardner-Webb	CANC.
3/6	at Gardner-Webb	CANC.
3/6	at Gardner-Webb	CANC.
3/6	at Gardner-Webb	CANC.
3/9	<b>Appalachian State</b>	<b>W, 2-0</b>
3/9	<b>Appalachian State</b>	<b>L, 1-7</b>
3/13	# Akron	<b>W, 4-0</b>
3/13	# Bradley	<b>L, 3-4</b>
3/14	# Bradley	<b>L, 2-4</b>
3/14	# Akron	<b>W, 11-3 (6)</b>
3/16	Radford	<b>W, 9-1 (6)</b>
3/16	Radford	<b>W, 4-2 (10)</b>
3/21	at N.C. Central	W, 8-0
3/21	at N.C. Central	L, 7-8
3/24	<b>USC Upstate</b>	<b>W, 7-5</b>
3/24	<b>USC Upstate</b>	<b>W, 7-6</b>
3/26	* at UNCG	L, 3-4 (9)
3/26	* at UNCG	L, 3-4
3/27	* at UNCG	W, 7-2
4/2	* Chattanooga	<b>L, 0-1</b>
4/2	* Chattanooga	<b>L, 0-3</b>

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/3	* Chattanooga	<b>L, 2-3 (11)</b>
4/10	* at Western Carolina	1 p.m.
4/10	* at Western Carolina	3 p.m.
4/11	* at Western Carolina	1 p.m.
4/17	* Furman	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/17	* Furman	<b>3 p.m.</b>
4/18	* Furman	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/21	at Appalachian State	4 p.m.
4/21	at Appalachian State	6 p.m.
4/24	* Mercer	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/24	* Mercer	<b>3 p.m.</b>
4/25	* Mercer	<b>1 p.m.</b>
5/1	* at Samford	2 p.m.
5/1	* at Samford	4 p.m.
5/2	* at Samford	2 p.m.

^ - WINGS ETC Classic (Spartanburg, S.C.)  
 # - Buccaneer Classic (Johnson City, Tenn.)  
 \* - SoCon game

**Furman Paladins**

(9-16, 2-1 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/12	<b>East Carolina</b>	<b>L, 1-7</b>
2/12	<b>East Carolina</b>	<b>L, 4-12</b>
2/20	# vs. Bowling Green	W, 10-3
2/20	# vs. Stony Brook	L, 4-9
2/21	# vs. Stony Brook	L, 4-5
2/21	# at Winthrop	L, 2-9
2/24	<b>South Carolina State</b>	<b>W, 11-0 (5)</b>
2/26	<b>South Dakota</b>	<b>CANC.</b>
2/27	<b>South Dakota</b>	<b>CANC.</b>
2/27	<b>South Dakota</b>	<b>CANC.</b>
2/28	<b>South Dakota</b>	<b>CANC.</b>
3/6	at Charlotte	L, 1-4
3/6	at Charlotte	L, 1-3
3/7	at Charlotte	L, 4-12 (6)
3/10	at North Carolina A&T	W, 10-2
3/10	at North Carolina A&T	W, 16-0 (5)
3/12	at #25 Clemson	L, 0-8 (6)
3/13	at #25 Clemson	L, 0-5
3/13	at #25 Clemson	L, 1-8
3/20	at UNCW	L, 2-10 (5)
3/20	at UNCW	W, 6-5
3/21	at UNCW	W, 10-0 (6)
3/27	@ at #21 Tennessee	CANC.
3/27	@ vs. Troy	CANC.
3/28	@ vs. Troy	CANC.
3/28	@ at #21 Tennessee	CANC.
3/29	at #21 Tennessee	L, 4-11
3/29	at #21 Tennessee	L, 2-7
3/31	at #17 Georgia	PPD
4/2	* UNCG	<b>W, 4-1</b>
4/2	* UNCG	<b>W, 11-7</b>
4/3	* UNCG	<b>L, 0-4</b>

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/7	<b>USC Upstate</b>	<b>L, 4-8</b>
4/7	<b>USC Upstate</b>	<b>W, 5-2</b>
4/10	* at Samford	2 p.m.
4/10	* at Samford	4 p.m.
4/11	* at Samford	2 p.m.
4/14	at South Carolina	3 p.m.
4/14	at South Carolina	5:30 p.m.
4/17	* at ETSU	1 p.m.
4/17	* at ETSU	3 p.m.
4/18	* at ETSU	1 p.m.
4/20	<b>Charleston Southern</b>	<b>4 p.m.</b>
4/20	<b>Charleston Southern</b>	<b>6 p.m.</b>
4/21	at NC State	1 p.m.
4/21	at NC State	3 p.m.
4/24	* Chattanooga	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/24	* Chattanooga	<b>3 p.m.</b>
4/25	* Chattanooga	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/27	<b>Presbyterian</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
4/28	at Presbyterian	2 p.m.
4/28	at Presbyterian	4 p.m.
5/1	* at Western Carolina	1 p.m.
5/1	* at Western Carolina	3 p.m.
5/2	* at Western Carolina	1 p.m.
5/5	at College of Charleston	1 p.m.
5/5	at College of Charleston	3 p.m.
5/8	* Mercer	<b>1 p.m.</b>
5/8	* Mercer	<b>3 p.m.</b>
5/9	* Mercer	<b>1 p.m.</b>

# - Winthrop Invitational (Rock Hill, S.C.)  
 @ - Lady Vol Challenge (Knoxville, Tenn.)  
 \* - SoCon game

**Mercer Bears**

(16-14, 1-2 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/16	<b>Wesleyan</b>	<b>W, 6-5</b>
2/16	<b>Wesleyan</b>	<b>W, 6-0</b>
2/19	# at Troy	L, 4-12 (5)
2/20	# vs. Austin Peay	L, 1-9 (5)
2/21	# vs. Austin Peay	L, 1-6
2/21	# at Troy	L, 1-9 (6)
2/26	\$ Alabama A&M	<b>W, 7-1</b>
2/26	\$ Pittsburgh	<b>L, 2-7</b>
2/27	\$ Pittsburgh	<b>W, 3-2 (12)</b>
2/27	\$ Alabama A&M	<b>W, 13-1 (5)</b>
2/28	\$ Toledo	<b>L, 1-2 (8)</b>
3/3	<b>Columbus State</b>	<b>PPD</b>
3/4	<b>Columbus State</b>	<b>PPD</b>
3/6	& at #19 Georgia	L, 0-9 (5)
3/6	& vs. UAB	W, 7-2
3/7	& vs. UAB	W, 6-5
3/7	& at #19 Georgia	L, 0-6
3/12	@ Winthrop	<b>W, 5-4</b>
3/12	@ North Dakota	<b>W, 4-0</b>
3/13	@ Winthrop	<b>L, 6-8</b>
3/13	@ Presbyterian	<b>W, 3-1</b>
3/14	@ Southern Miss	<b>L, 1-7</b>
3/17	<b>Georgia Southern</b>	<b>PPD</b>
3/17	<b>Georgia Southern</b>	<b>PPD</b>
3/20	^ vs. Western Illinois	W, 15-3 (5)
3/20	^ at MTSU	W, 10-2 (6)
3/21	^ vs. Western Illinois	L, 2-9
3/21	^ at MTSU	L, 0-1
3/26	* at Samford	L, 0-10 (6)
3/26	* at Samford	W, 6-1
3/27	* at Samford	L, 4-6
4/1	at N.C. Central	W, 9-7
4/2	at N.C. Central	W, 10-3

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/2	at N.C. Central	W, 3-2
4/7	at Georgia State	PPD
4/7	at Georgia State	PPD
4/10	* Chattanooga	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/10	* Chattanooga	<b>3 p.m.</b>
4/11	* Chattanooga	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/17	* Western Carolina	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/17	* Western Carolina	<b>3 p.m.</b>
4/18	* Western Carolina	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/21	Florida A&M	<b>4 p.m.</b>
4/21	Florida A&M	<b>6 p.m.</b>
4/24	* at ETSU	1 p.m.
4/24	* at ETSU	3 p.m.
4/25	* at ETSU	1 p.m.
5/1	* UNCG	<b>1 p.m.</b>
5/2	* UNCG	<b>3 p.m.</b>
5/2	* UNCG	<b>1 p.m.</b>
5/8	* at Furman	1 p.m.
5/8	* at Furman	3 p.m.
5/9	* at Furman	1 p.m.

# - Troy Invitational (Troy, Ala.)  
 \$ - Black & Orange Challenge (Macon, Ga.)  
 & - Bulldog Classic (Athens, Ga.)  
 @ - Mercer Bears Classic (Macon, Ga.)  
 ^ - MTSU Tournament (Murfreesboro, Tenn.)  
 \* - SoCon game

**UNCG Spartans**

(17-11, 3-3 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/19	#13 Kentucky	<b>L, 2-7</b>
2/19	#13 Kentucky	<b>L, 4-14 (5)</b>
2/20	<b>Appalachian State</b>	<b>L, 5-9</b>
2/21	<b>Appalachian State</b>	<b>L, 5-7</b>
2/21	<b>Appalachian State</b>	<b>W, 9-5</b>
2/26	at North Carolina A&T	W, 10-2 (5)
2/27	<b>North Carolina A&amp;T</b>	<b>W, 8-0</b>
2/27	<b>North Carolina A&amp;T</b>	<b>W, 11-2 (5)</b>
3/5	UNCW	<b>W, 9-0 (5)</b>
3/5	UNCW	<b>W, 13-8</b>
3/6	UNCW	<b>W, 9-3</b>
3/10	at Elon	W, 13-3
3/12	<b>College of Charleston</b>	<b>L, 0-2</b>
3/13	<b>College of Charleston</b>	<b>W, 9-1 (5)</b>
3/13	<b>College of Charleston</b>	<b>W, 4-2</b>
3/20	<b>Elon</b>	<b>W, 11-3</b>
3/20	<b>Elon</b>	<b>L, 4-6</b>
3/21	at Elon	W, 15-7 (6)
3/21	at Elon	W, 9-6
3/24	at Radford	L, 9-10
3/24	at Radford	W, 4-3
3/26	* ETSU	<b>W, 4-3 (9)</b>
3/26	* ETSU	<b>W, 4-3</b>
3/27	* ETSU	<b>L, 2-7</b>
4/2	* at Furman	L, 1-4
4/2	* at Furman	L, 7-11
4/3	* at Furman	W, 4-0
4/7	at Appalachian State	L, 3-4
4/9	<b>Longwood</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>
4/9	<b>Longwood</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
4/10	<b>Longwood</b>	<b>3:30 p.m.</b>
4/14	<b>Charlotte</b>	<b>5 p.m.</b>
4/17	* at Chattanooga	1 p.m.

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/17	* at Chattanooga	3:30 p.m.
4/17	* at Chattanooga	2 p.m.
4/21	<b>East Carolina</b>	<b>5 p.m.</b>
4/24	* Samford	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/24	* Samford	<b>3:30 p.m.</b>
4/25	* Samford	<b>1 p.m.</b>
4/28	at Charlotte	4 p.m.
5/1	* at Mercer	1 p.m.
5/1	* at Mercer	3 p.m.
5/2	* at Mercer	1p.m.
5/8	* Western Carolina	<b>1 p.m.</b>
5/8	* Western Carolina	<b>3:30 p.m.</b>
5/9	* Western Carolina	<b>1 p.m.</b>

# - Carolina Classic (Columbia, S.C.)  
 \* - SoCon game

Samford Bulldogs

(12-18, 2-4 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/12	#13 Kentucky	L, 0-4
2/12	#13 Kentucky	L, 3-15 (5)
2/13	#13 Kentucky	L, 9-12
2/21	Jacksonville State	W, 5-4 (9)
2/21	Jacksonville State	W, 5-2
2/24	at Troy	L, 2-3
2/24	at Troy	L, 1-7
2/26	\$ Northern Iowa	W, 1-0
2/27	\$ Louisiana Monroe	W, 2-1
2/27	\$ Northern Iowa	W, 9-2
2/28	\$ Louisiana Monroe	W, 5-2
3/5	% at Ole Miss	L, 0-3
3/5	% at Ole Miss	L, 0-8 (5)
3/6	% vs. Indiana State	L, 5-6 (8)
3/6	% vs. Indiana State	W, 3-2
3/7	% vs. North Dakota St.	L, 3-4
3/12	^ vs. Ball State	W, 1-0
3/12	^ at UAB	L, 0-2
3/13	^ vs. Southern Illinois	W, 2-0
3/13	^ vs. Ball State	L, 6-9
3/14	^ vs. Southern Illinois	L, 0-3
3/20	at Southern Miss	L, 0-4
3/20	at Southern Miss	L, 2-6
3/21	at Southern Miss	W, 8-2
3/23	Alabama State	CANC.
3/23	Alabama State	CANC.
3/26	* Mercer	W, 10-0 (6)
3/26	* Mercer	L, 1-6
3/27	* Mercer	W, 6-4
4/2	* at Western Carolina	L, 0-8
4/2	* at Western Carolina	L, 1-4
4/3	* at Western Carolina	L, 3-5

Western Carolina Catamounts

(13-16, 4-1 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/12	# at Alabama State	W, 7-0
2/13	# vs. North Alabama	W, 4-1
2/13	# vs. Tennessee Tech	L, 1-2
2/14	# vs. Tennessee Tech	L, 2-9
2/19	% at Troy	L, 1-9 (5)
2/20	% vs. Austin Peay	L, 2-6
2/20	% at Troy	L, 0-4
2/21	% vs. Austin Peay	L, 5-7
2/27	^ at Charlotte	L, 4-15 (5)
2/27	^ at Charlotte	L, 3-4
2/28	^ at Charlotte	L, 2-9
2/28	^ vs. Longwood	W, 6-4
3/3	at Presbyterian	PPD
3/3	at Presbyterian	PPD
3/5	at Radford	L, 8-9 (10)
3/5	at Radford	L, 8-12
3/13	@ vs. Southern Miss	L, 0-2
3/13	@ vs. Presbyterian	W, 7-2
3/14	@ vs. Southern Miss	L, 0-2
3/14	@ vs. Winthrop	W, 6-4
3/15	USC Upstate	PPD
3/15	USC Upstate	PPD
3/23	Appalachian State	L, 1-5
3/23	Appalachian State	L, 3-4 (10)
3/27	* at Chattanooga	PPD
3/27	* at Chattanooga	L, 0-8 (5)
3/28	* at Chattanooga	W, 2-0
3/30	Radford	W, 5-4
3/30	Radford	W, 4-3
4/2	* Samford	W, 8-0
4/2	* Samford	W, 4-1
4/2	* Samford	W, 5-3

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/7	Alabama A&M	4 p.m.
4/7	Alabama A&M	6 p.m.
4/10	* Furman	2 p.m.
4/10	* Furman	4 p.m.
4/11	* Furman	2 p.m.
4/13	Mississippi State	TBA
4/15	at Jacksonville State	5 p.m.
4/21	Tennessee State	5 p.m.
4/21	Tennessee State	7 p.m.
4/24	* at UNCG	1 p.m.
4/24	* at UNCG	3:30 p.m.
4/25	* at UNCG	1 p.m.
4/28	UAB	7 p.m.
5/1	* ETSU	2 p.m.
5/1	* ETSU	4 p.m.
5/2	* ETSU	2 p.m.
5/8	* at Chattanooga	2 p.m.
5/8	* at Chattanooga	4 p.m.
5/9	* at Chattanooga	2 p.m.

\$ - Samford Tournament (Birmingham, Ala.)  
 % - Ole Miss Tournament (Oxford, Miss.)  
 ^ - UAB Classic (Birmingham, Ala.)  
 \* - SoCon game

# - Stinger Classic (Montgomery, Ala.)  
 % - Troy Invitational (Troy, Ala.)  
 ^ - Green & White Classic (Charlotte, N.C.)  
 @ - Mercer Bears Classic (Macon, Ga.)  
 \* - SoCon game

Chattanooga Mocs

(8-16, 4-1 SoCon)



Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/19	# Western Kentucky	L, 0-8
2/19	# Indiana State	L, 5-7
2/20	# Indiana State	W, 16-11
2/20	# Kennesaw State	W, 7-5
2/21	# Kennesaw State	L, 2-13 (5)
2/24	UT Martin	L, 7-10
2/25	Tennessee Tech	W, 5-4
2/25	Tennessee Tech	W, 6-5
2/27	\$ Tennessee Tech	CANC.
2/27	\$ Evansville	CANC.
2/28	\$ Evansville	CANC.
2/28	\$ Tennessee Tech	CANC.
3/6	Butler	L, 0-1
3/6	Green Bay	L, 2-5
3/7	Green Bay	L, 0-5
3/7	Butler	L, 0-5
3/10	Eastern Kentucky	L, 0-10 (5)
3/13	at Georgia State	L, 2-6
3/13	at Georgia State	L, 2-8
3/20	Marshall	L, 8-9
3/20	Marshall	L, 2-9
3/21	Marshall	L, 1-8
3/24	at Tennessee Tech	L, 0-7
3/27	* Western Carolina	PPD
3/27	* Western Carolina	W, 8-0 (5)
3/28	* Western Carolina	L, 0-2
4/2	* at ETSU	W, 1-0
4/2	* at ETSU	W, 3-0
4/3	* at ETSU	W, 3-2 (11)
4/10	* at Mercer	1 p.m.
4/10	* at Mercer	3 p.m.
4/11	* at Mercer	1 p.m.
4/14	at Austin Peay	5 p.m.

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
4/17	* UNCG	1 p.m.
4/17	* UNCG	3 p.m.
4/18	* UNCG	2 p.m.
4/21	Auburn	6 p.m.
4/24	* at Furman	1 p.m.
4/24	* at Furman	3 p.m.
4/25	* at Furman	1 p.m.
4/30	Oklahoma	4 p.m.
4/30	Oklahoma	6 p.m.
5/1	Oklahoma	1 p.m.
5/8	* Samford	1 p.m.
5/8	* Samford	3 p.m.
5/9	* Samford	2 p.m.

# - Chattanooga Challenge (Chattanooga, Tenn.)  
 \$ - Frost Classic (Chattanooga, Tenn.)  
 \* - SoCon game

COMPOSITE CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

<b>Friday, March 26</b> UNCG 4, ETSU 3 (9) Samford 10, Mercer 0 (6) UNCG 4, ETSU 3 Mercer 6, Samford 1	<b>Saturday, April 17</b> Furman at ETSU.....1 p.m. Western Carolina at Mercer.....1 p.m. UNCG at Chattanooga.....1 p.m. UNCG at Chattanooga.....3 p.m. Western Carolina at Mercer.....3 p.m. Furman at ETSU.....3 p.m.
<b>Saturday, March 27</b> Western Carolina at Chattanooga - PPD ETSU 7, UNCG 2 Samford 6, Mercer 4	<b>Sunday, April 18</b> Furman at ETSU.....1 p.m. Western Carolina at Mercer.....1 p.m. UNCG at Chattanooga.....2 p.m.
<b>Sunday, March 28</b> Chattanooga 8, Western Carolina 0 (5) Western Carolina 2, Chattanooga 0	<b>Saturday, April 24</b> Chattanooga at Furman.....1 p.m. Mercer at ETSU.....1 p.m. Samford at UNCG.....1 p.m. Samford at UNCG.....3 p.m. Mercer at ETSU.....3 p.m. Chattanooga at Furman.....3 p.m.
<b>Friday, April 2</b> Furman 4, UNCG 1 Western Carolina 8, Samford 0 Chattanooga 1, ETSU 0 Furman 11, UNCG 7 Western Carolina 4, Samford 1 Chattanooga 3, ETSU 0	<b>Sunday, April 25</b> Chattanooga at Furman.....1 p.m. Mercer at ETSU.....1 p.m. Samford at UNCG.....1 p.m.
<b>Saturday, April 3</b> Chattanooga 3, ETSU 2 (11 innings) Western Carolina 5, Samford 3 UNCG 4, Furman 0	<b>Saturday, May 1</b> Furman at Western Carolina.....1 p.m. UNCG at Mercer.....1 p.m. ETSU at Samford.....1 p.m. ETSU at Samford.....3 p.m. UNCG at Mercer.....3 p.m. Furman at Western Carolina.....3 p.m.
<b>Saturday, April 10</b> Chattanooga at Mercer.....1 p.m. ETSU at Western Carolina.....1 p.m. Furman at Samford.....2 p.m. ETSU at Western Carolina.....3 p.m. Chattanooga at Mercer.....3 p.m. Furman at Samford.....4 p.m.	<b>Sunday, May 2</b> Furman at Western Carolina.....1 p.m. UNCG at Mercer.....1 p.m. ETSU at Samford.....1 p.m. home team underlined
<b>Sunday, April 11</b> Chattanooga at Mercer.....1 p.m. ETSU at Western Carolina.....1 p.m. Furman at Samford.....2 p.m.	