



# Virginia Tech LACROSSE



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**Game 6:** American at Virginia Tech  
Wednesday, March 7 · 1 p.m.  
Blacksburg, Va. · Thompson Field  
**Live Stats:** [www.hokiesports.com](http://www.hokiesports.com)

**Game 7:** Virginia Tech at No. 18/13 Boston College  
Saturday, March 10 · Noon  
Newton, Mass. · Newton Campus Lacrosse Field  
**Live Stats:** [www.bceagles.com](http://www.bceagles.com) (bottom of page)

## 2012 Record Overall: 3-2 ACC: 0-0

2/18	PRESBYTERIAN	W, 21-4
2/22	HIGH POINT	W, 18-8
2/25	WILLIAM & MARY	L, 6-9
2/29	at #13 James Madison L,	7-10
3/3	UC DAVIS	W, 18-14
3/7	AMERICAN	1 p.m.
3/10	at #18 Boston College*	Noon
3/14	DUKE*	3 p.m.
3/17	at Mt. St. Mary's	Noon
3/24	at Old Dominion	1 p.m.
3/27	LIBERTY	6 p.m.
4/1	at North Carolina*	1 p.m.
4/7	VIRGINIA*	1 p.m.
4/11	at Longwood	7 p.m.
4/14	at Maryland*	Noon
4/20-23	ACC Tournament	Durham, N.C.
4/28	COLUMBIA	1 p.m.

CAPS denotes home games  
\* denotes ACC opponents

The Hokies continue home play this week as they host American in a midweek game, before shipping out to Boston to begin conference play. Tech will kick off ACC action on Saturday, traveling to No. 18/13 Boston College. This is a big week for the Hokies as they look to avenge a tough loss at American last season and fight for their first conference victory on the road.

### Series Info: American

Tech holds the all-time series edge as it sits at 6-5 against American. The two teams first met in 1995, the Hokies' first season as a varsity program. Tech is 4-1 at home against the Eagles.

The Hokies suffered one of their worst losses of the season in last year's meeting, as Tech fell 18-7 in the Nation's Capital. The loss ended a five-game winning streak for the Hokies against the Eagles.

### Scouting Report: American

American enters the Wednesday game with a 3-1 record, falling only to Richmond, 12-11. Coming off a 16-10 win over Old Dominion, this will be American's first game away from home this year.

Emily Burton leads the offense with 13 goals and three assists, while Emily Stankiewicz has tallied six ground balls, six caused turnovers and nine draw controls. In goal for American will be Kaska Komosinski, who boasts a 3-1 record, having made 26 saves, good for a .448 percentage.

### Series Info: Boston College

Tech is 4-7 all-time against Boston College, 2-5 since both teams joined the Atlantic Coast Conference. Former conference foes in the BIG EAST, Tech was 2-2 against the Eagles through those four seasons.

The two teams have never matched up outside of conference play and met in the postseason for the first time ever last season. Boston College is the only ACC team the Hokies have ever defeated.

Tech topped the Eagles for the second time since both teams joined the ACC. Boston College clawed its way out of a 9-3 halftime deficit to make it a game again but Tech pulled out the 12-11 win.

The Eagles eventually got revenge on the Hokies for the regular season defeat when they dominated Tech, 17-3, in the first round of the 2011 ACC Tournament.

### Scouting Report: Boston College

Boston College enters the week at 3-1 on the year, but will travel to No. 7/6 Vanderbilt for a midweek game before the Hokies come to town. This will be the ACC opener for both teams.

Mikaela Rix leads the team with 13 goals, while Kristin Igoe has tallied 12 goals and three assists. In goal, Catherine Conway and Emily Mata have split time. Conway boasts a 2-1 record, playing 123 minutes and making three starts. She has made 11 saves and allowed 25 goals. Mata has a 1-0 record in 116 minutes. She has made 19 saves and allowed 24 goals.

## Coaching Staff & Team Info

Head Coach:	Megan Burker, Stanford '06
Career Record:	10-8 (2nd season)
Assistant Coaches:	Lindsay Lewis, Boston Univ. '06 Sarah Jonson, William & Mary '11
2011 Record:	10-8
2011 ACC Record	1-4 (T-3rd)
Starters Returning/ Lost	10/3
Newcomers	8

## School Info

Location	Blacksburg, Va.
Enrollment	31,000
Colors	Chicago maroon & burt orange
Nickname	Hokies
Facility	Thompson Field (2,028)
Conference	Atlantic Coast
President	Charles W. Steger
Director of Athletics	Jim Weaver
SWA	Sharon McClosky

## Program History

First Year:	1995
All-Time Record:	112-161
Home Record:	64-56
Away Record:	43-90
Neutral Record:	3-14
ACC Record:	0-7
Overtime Record:	4-1
Double Overtime:	1-1
vs. Ranked Opponents:	4-66



## Player Spotlight

### Morgan Widlake • Sr. • Midfield • Catonsville, Md.

Senior Morgan Widlake has come on strong for the Hokies since the first game of the season. After not earning a point in the opener, Widlake has scored at least one goal in the past four games and helped lead the Hokies with four scores against UC Davis.

The middle has sparked the Hokies on both ends of the field as she is third on the squad in scoring (8), while also leading the way with 10 caused turnovers and nine ground balls. Her 17 draw controls is also good for second on the team.

#### Tech Against The Best

As a member of the Atlantic Coast Conference, the Hokies have the opportunity to face numerous ranked teams every season. In non-conference play, Tech has already taken on then-No. 13 James Madison this season.

This week the Hokies kick off ACC action and will take on back-to-back ranked teams, playing at No. 18/13 Boston College on Saturday and hosting No. 4/3 Duke a week from Wednesday.

Tech is 4-66 all-time against ranked teams, with its last win coming against then No. 16 Boston College last season.

#### Leading the Way

Captaining the Hokies in 2012 are seniors Shannon Bone, Jessica Nonn and Julie Wolfinger. The trio earned team captain honors before the year began and will look to lead their team in their final season.

The three players have combined to start 130 games, scoring 130 goals and assisting on 32 more. On the defensive end, they have scooped up 233 ground balls and caused 131 turnovers through their three previous seasons.

#### Nonn Spearheads Veteran Midfield

Senior Jessica Nonn picked up right where she left off last season. As one of the team's most experienced players, Nonn entered her final season ranking in the top 10 all-time at Tech in goals, draw controls, ground balls and caused turnovers. In the first game of the season she also put her

name on the all-time career points list.

Nonn currently leads the team in scoring, points and draw controls

#### Gale in Goal

Junior Alex Gale has returned as the starter in the cage for the Hokies in 2012. This will be her third season as the primary goalkeeper. The Cicero, N.Y., native has made 21 saves so far this season, good for a .350 percentage. Despite the loss, Gale came up big against William & Mary, blocking all four free position attempts in the game.

#### Widlake Adds to Powerful Midfield

Senior Morgan Widlake adds greatly to the depth and experience in an already veteran midfield for the Hokies. Widlake has been a staple in the starting line-up since arriving at Tech three seasons ago and has been a force on both end of the field. The Catonsville, Md., native paces the team with 10 caused turnovers and nine ground balls, while also ranking in the top three in scoring (8) and draw controls (17).

#### Heaps Helps out on Offense

Junior Julia Heaps has gotten out to a slow start in 2012 but has still remained a staple in the Hokie attack. After not earning a point in the season opener, Heaps scored two goals against High Point. The Street, Md., native tacked on her third point of the season with an assist against William & Mary.

#### Quite the First Impression

Freshmen Megan Will and Jack

Boissonneault have made their names known very early on. Will has started the first three games of her career, while Boissonneault gave the Hokies big minutes off the bench and earned her first start against William & Mary.

Will has scored in all five games, including a five-point performance against High Point. Boissonneault has also excelled on the offensive end, scoring five goals, while also racking up nine ground balls so far this year. Which ties her for team lead.

#### Back Where They Belong

Juniors Brooke Martin and Libby Rosebro have both transitioned back to their original positions this season and have proven they are happy to be back. Rosebro contributed greatly on defense last season but has rejoined the midfield this year due to her offensive success in the off-season. The Richmond, Va., native has tallied five points, seven ground balls and five draws on the year. Martin rejoins the attack this season from the midfield last year. In her first five games she has tallied 11 goals and 14 points, including an impressive six-goal outing against High Point.

#### Defensive Debuts

The Tech defense has a much different look in 2012. In the season opener against PC, Taylor Landry made her collegiate debut after missing last season due to injury. Also making her first career start was junior Charlotte Marsh.

#### 2012 Team Game Highs & Lows

Most Points.....	31 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Least Points .....	8 at James Madison (2/29)
Most Goals.....	21 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Least Goals.....	6 vs William & Mary (2/25)
Most Assists.....	10 vs PC (2/18), vs HPU (2/22)
Least Assists .....	1 at James Madison (2/29)
Most Shots.....	37 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Least Shots.....	17 vs William & Mary (2/25)
Most Ground Balls.....	21 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Least Ground Balls .....	12 at James Madison (2/29)
Most Turnovers .....	16 at James Madison (2/29)
Least Turnovers .....	13 vs High Point (2/22)

#### 2012 Team Opponent Highs & Lows

Most Points.....	19 vs UC Davis (3/3)
Least Points .....	5 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Most Goals.....	14 vs UC Davis (3/3)
Least Goals.....	4 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Most Assists.....	7 vs High Point (2/22)
Least Assists .....	1 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Most Shots.....	24 at James Madison (2/29)
Least Shots.....	6 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Most Ground Balls.....	15 vs William & Mary (2/25)
Least Ground Balls .....	10 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Most Turnovers .....	22 vs Presbyterian (2/18)
Least Turnovers .....	10 vs William & Mary (2/25)

## 2012 Statistical Leaders

### Goals

Nonn/ Martin.....	11
Megan Will .....	10
Morgan Widlake .....	8

### Assists

Ryan Rotanz.....	7
Jessica Nonn.....	5
Three Hokies.....	3

### Points

Jessica Nonn.....	16
Martin/ Rotanz.....	14
Megan Will .....	12

### Shots

Jessica Nonn.....	24
Brooke Martin .....	19
Morgan Widlake .....	16

### Draw Controls

Jessica Nonn .....	18
Morgan Widlake .....	17
Brooke Martin.....	6

### Ground Balls

Boissonneault/ Widlake.....	9
Three Hokies.....	7

### Caused Turnovers

Morgan Widlake .....	10
Boissonneault/ Gale .....	4
Nonn/ Rosebro .....	3

### Saves

Alex Gale.....	21
Alexis Carey.....	3

At then-No. 13 James Madison, the defense took on a new look as redshirt junior Christina Patten and freshman Ann Wallace Tazewell made their first starts of the season.

### Fresh Start

All eight of the team's freshmen saw action in the season-opening win over Presbyterian College, while newcomer Megan Will also started the game. Will led all newcomers with three points in the game as she buried the first three goals of her career. Also earning their first points were Jack Boissonneault (2g), Maddy Hess (1g, 1a), Rachel Skay (1g), Cawley Bromley (1a) and Meg Bartley (1a).

### Changing Things Around

Tech will see a number of players switch positions this season or return to positions they previously played. Junior Libby Rosebro spent much of last season on the defensive end but will return to the midfield this year after emerging as an offensive threat in the offseason. Senior leader Shannon Bone, who has served as somewhat of a utility player for the Hokies and also saw a lot of time on the defensive end last year, will also reposition herself into the midfield.

Junior Brooke Martin will move out of the midfield, where she gave the Hokies great minutes off the bench last season and get back to her original position on attack. Also moving out of the midfield will be Taylor Landry. Landry missed last season due to injury and saw some time in the offseason as a middle, but really excelled on the defensive end.

### New Additions for 2012

On top of adding new assistant coach Sarah Jonson to the staff in the offseason, the Virginia Tech lacrosse team has welcomed eight freshmen this season in Maddy Hess, Cawley Bromley, Jack Boissonneault, Ann Wallace Tazewell, Meg Bartley, Rachel Skay, Caroline Boucher and Megan Will. The class represents six different states, with only two players hailing from the same state, as well as Canada.

## 2012 Single-Game Highs

### Goals

Brooke Martin.....	6
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Assists

Rotanz, Widlake .....	3
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(vs. PC, 2/18, vs HPU, 2/22)

### Points

Brooke Martin.....	7
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Shots

Brooke Martin.....	11
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Draw Controls

Jessica Nonn .....	8
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Ground Balls

Morgan Widlake.....	4
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Caused Turnovers

Morgan Widlake.....	4
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(vs. High Point, 2/22)

### Saves

Alex Gale .....	7
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(at No. 13 James Madison, 2/29)

## Streaks

### Scoring

Player	Games
Jessica Nonn .....	5
(PC, HPU, W&M, JMU, UCD)	
Megan Will .....	5
(PC, HPU, W&M, JMU, UCD)	
Morgan Widlake .....	4
(HPU, W&M, JMU, UCD)	
Shannon Bone .....	2
(JMU, UCD)	



Freshman Meg Bartley led the Hokies against UC Davis last weekend with five points in the game, via four goals and an assist. She entered the game with just one point on the year.

# 2012 Virginia Tech Lacrosse Roster

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Hometown	High School
00	Alex Gale	Jr.	G	Cicero, N.Y.	Cicero North-Syracuse
2	Kelly Naslonski	So.	A	East Setauket, N.Y.	Ward Melville
3	Christina Patten	r-Jr.	D	Chantilly, Va.	Chantilly
4	Morgan Toland	So.	A	Cockeysville, Md.	St. Paul's School for Girls
5	Taylor Landry	So.	D	Whitby, Ontario, Canada	Sinclair Secondary
6	Shannon Bone	Sr.	M	Pylesville, Md.	North Harford
7	Maddy Hess	Fr.	M	Lancaster, Pa.	Penn Manor
8	Lindsay Roche	So.	M	Sykesville, Md.	Century
10	Charlotte Marsh	Jr.	D	Reading, Mass.	Reading Memorial
11	Ryan Rotanz	Sr.	A	Salem, Va.	Salem
12	Jessica Nonn	Sr.	M	Catonsville, Md.	Catonsville
13	Cawley Bromley	Fr.	A	Cary, N.C.	Apex
14	Julie Wolfinger	Sr.	D	Finksburg, Md.	Westminster
15	Morgan Widlake	Sr.	M	Catonsville, Md.	Seton Keough
16	Becca Niles	So.	D	Columbus, Ohio	Upper Arlington
17	Jack Boissonneault	Fr.	M	Brooklin, Ontario, Canada	Donald A. Wilson
19	Meg Bartley	Fr.	A	Lewes, Del.	Cape Henlopen
20	Ann Wallace Tazewell	Fr.	D	Richmond, Va.	Collegiate
21	Rachel Skay	Fr.	M	North Bethesda, Md.	Walter Johnson
22	Caroline Boucher	Fr.	M	San Diego, Calif.	Torrey Pines
23	Katie Grogan	Jr.	D	Woodbine, Md.	Glenelg
24	Libby Rosebro	Jr.	M	Richmond, Va.	Collegiate School
25	Brooke Martin	Jr.	A	Hunt Valley, Md.	Dulaney
26	Julia Heaps	Jr.	A	Street, Md.	North Harford
27	Kristin Semones	Jr.	D	Westminster, Md.	Westminster
28	Sammi Mosketti	So.	D	Fallston, Md.	Fallston
32	Kate Sistare	Jr.	M	Ashburn, Va.	Broad Run
33	Kimberly Patten	Jr.	D	Chantilly, Va.	Chantilly
34	Alexis Carey	Jr.	G	Charlottesville, Va.	Albemarle
35	Megan Will	Fr.	A	Bel Air, Md.	C. Milton Wright

**Head Coach:** Megan Burker (Stanford '06) Second Season

**Assistant Coaches:** Lindsay Lewis (Boston University '06)

Sarah Jonson (William & Mary '11)

## Pronunciation Guide

Naslonski ..... naz-lawn-ski  
 Wolfinger..... wolf-in-jur  
 Boissonneault ..... bwah-son-oh  
 Tazewell ..... taz-well  
 Boucher..... bow-cher  
 Rosebro ..... rose-bro  
 Semones..... sem-oh-nes  
 Cawley ..... Kaw-lee



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# Around the ACC

## Sunday, March 4

Maryland 11, Hofstra 4  
Penn State 14, Virginia 7

## Monday, March 5

Duke 9, Stony Brook 8

## Tuesday, March 6

North Carolina 16, Lehigh 8

## Wednesday, March 7

American at Virginia Tech 1 p.m.  
Boston College at Vanderbilt 1 p.m.

## Saturday, March 10

Virginia Tech at Boston College Noon  
Georgetown at Duke 1 p.m.  
North Carolina at Virginia 1 p.m.  
Syracuse at Maryland 1 p.m.

# ACC Standings

Team	ACC Record	Overall Record	Streak
Duke	1-0	6-2	Won 3
Maryland	1-1	5-1	Won 2
North Carolina	0-0	7-0	Won 7
Boston College	0-0	3-1	Won 2
Virginia Tech	0-0	3-2	Won 1
Virginia	0-1	3-2	Lost 2



# National Polls

## IWLCA/ Under Armour Poll

Rk.	Team	LW
1.	Northwestern (19)	1
2.	North Carolina (1)	2
3.	Maryland	3
4.	Duke	5
5.	Florida	4
6.	Syracuse	9
7.	Vanderbilt	11
8.	Virginia	6
9.	Pennsylvania	7
10.	Notre Dame	14
11.	Ohio State	10
12.	Penn State	19
13.	James Madison	13
14.	Princeton	8
15.	Georgetown	18
16.	Dartmouth	15
17.	Loyola	12
18.	Boston College	17
19.	Towson	RV
20.	Stanford	16

## Inside Lacrosse/ deBeer Poll

Rk.	Team	LW
1.	Northwestern	1
2.	North Carolina	2
3.	Duke	3
4.	Maryland	4
5.	Syracuse	11
6.	Vanderbilt	9
7.	Florida	5
7.	Notre Dame	15
9.	Dartmouth	10
10.	Pennsylvania	8
11.	Virginia	6
12.	Georgetown	17
13.	Boston College	14
14.	Penn State	NR
15.	Ohio State	12
16.	Loyola (Md.)	13
17.	Princeton	8
18.	Albany	19
19.	Massachusetts	NR
20.	Towson	NR

Also receiving votes: Cornell, Johns Hopkins, Massachusetts, Stony Brook, Temple



Freshman Megan Will has started every game of her young career, while also scoring in every game she has played. She is one of just two players to have scored in each of Tech's five games this season.

# 2012 Virginia Tech Lacrosse Season Stats

## The Automated ScoreBook Virginia Tech Combined Team Statistics All games (as of Feb 27, 2012)

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-2	3-1	0-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-2	3-1	0-1	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	##	PLAYER	GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	Gw	GB	DC	TO	CT
Feb 11	PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE	w 21-4	437	12	Jessica Nonn	5	11	5	16	24	1	7	18	9	3
Feb 22	HIGH POINT	w 18-8	224	25	Brooke Martin	5	11	3	14	19	0	3	6	4	1
Feb 25	W&M	L 6-9	253	11	Ryan Rotanz	5	7	7	14	11	1	3	0	9	1
Feb 29	at #13 James Madison	L 7-10	138	35	Megan Will	5	10	2	12	13	0	4	1	6	0
Mar. 4	UCDAVIS	w 18-14	0	15	Morgan Widlake	5	8	3	11	16	0	9	17	7	10
				19	Meg Bartley	4	4	2	6	6	0	3	5	3	1
				17	J. Boissonneault	5	5	0	5	7	0	9	4	4	3
				6	Shannon Bone	5	4	1	5	15	1	4	4	7	1
				24	Libby Rosebro	5	2	3	5	9	0	7	5	5	3
				26	Julia Heaps	4	3	1	4	5	0	2	1	2	0
				7	Maddy Hess	1	1	1	2	2	0	3	1	2	1
				8	Lindsay Roche	4	1	0	1	3	0	3	0	3	2
				21	Rachel Skay	2	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
				32	Kate Sistare	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
				2	Kelly Naslonski	2	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0
				13	Cawley Bromley	5	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1
				34	Alexis Carey	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				33	Kimberly Patten	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				28	Sammi Mosketti	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				27	Kristin Semones	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				23	Katie Grogan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
				22	Caroline Boucher	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				20	Ann Wallace Tazewell	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1
				16	Becca Niles	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				14	Julie Wolfinger	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2
				10	Charlotte Marsh	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
				5	Taylor Landry	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	2
				4	Morgan Toland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
				3	Christina Patten	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	1
				00	Alex Gale	5	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	3	4
					Total	5	70	29	99	135	3	79	68	71	39
					Opponents	5	45	20	65	86	2	62	50	78	26

### TEAM STATISTICS

	VT	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	70-135	45-86
Goals scored per game	14.00	9.00
Shot pct.	.519	.523
Shots on goal-Attempts	104-135	69-86
SOG pct.	.770	.802
Shots/Game	27.0	17.2
Assists	29	20
Free position made-Att	11-25	2-14
Free position pct.	.440	.143
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Total Goals	70	45
Free-position	11	2
Unassisted	41	25
Overtime	0	0
Goals scored average	14.00	9.00
GROUND BALLS	79	62
DRAW CONTROLS	68	50
TURNOVERS	71	78
CAUSED TURNOVERS	39	26
CLEARs	54-59	46-50
Clear Pct.	.915	.920
ATTENDANCE		
Total	914	138
Dates/Avg Per Date	4/228	1/138
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Save	Pct	W-L-T
00	Alex Gale	5	270:46	39	8.64	21	.350	3-2-0
34	Alexis Carey	2	29:09	6	12.35	3	.333	0-0-0
	Total	5	299:55	45	9.00	24	.348	3-2-0
	Opponents	5	299:55	70	14.00	34	.327	2-3-0

### Goals by Period

	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	42	28	70
Opponents	22	23	45

### Saves by Period

	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	12	12	24
Opponents	18	16	34

### Shots by Period

	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	80	55	135
Opponents	46	40	86

### Shots on Goal

	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	60	44	104
Opponents	34	35	69