



2011 Virginia Tech VOLLEYBALL • Match 17 & 18 Notes

2011 Schedule 9-7 Overall, 2-3 ACC

Hokie Tournament		
8/26	CLEVELAND STATE	W, 3-0
8/27	HIGH POINT	W, 3-1
	INDIANA	W, 3-1

Kentucky Classic		
9/2	vs. Ohio	L, 2-3
9/3	vs. Western Kentucky at Kentucky	L, 0-3 L, 0-3

Hokie Invite		
9/9	AMERICAN	W, 3-0
9/10	SETON HALL	W, 3-0
	TENNESSEE	L, 1-3

Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational		
9/16	VIRGINIA*	W, 3-1
9/17	CHATTANOOGA	W, 3-1
	CONNECTICUT	W, 3-1

9/23	#21 MIAMI*	L, 0-3
9/24	#23 FLORIDA STATE*	L, 0-3
9/29	at Boston College*	L, 0-3
10/2	at Maryland*	W, 3-2
10/6	WAKE FOREST*^	7:30 p.m.
10/7	DUKE*	7 p.m.
10/13	at North Carolina*	7 p.m.
10/14	at NC State*	7 p.m.
10/21	GEORGIA TECH*	7 p.m.
10/23	CLEMSON*	1 p.m.
10/28	at Florida State*	7 p.m.
10/30	at Miami*	1 p.m.
11/4	at WakeForest*	7 p.m.
11/5	at Duke*	7 p.m.
11/11	MARYLAND*^	7 p.m.
11/12	BOSTON COLLEGE*^	6 p.m.
11/18	NORTH CAROLINA*^	7 p.m.
11/19	NC STATE*^	6 p.m.
11/25	at Virginia*	7 p.m.

* Denotes ACC matches
CAPS denotes home matches
^ Denotes Hokies All-Access broadcast

This Week: Thursday, Oct. 6 Wake Forest^ 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 7 Duke 7:00 p.m.
Cassell Coliseum • Blacksburg, Va.

Coverage: Live Stats - www.hokiesports.com/volleyball/live
^Live Broadcast - Hokies All-Access - www.hokiesport.com/allaccess

After turning things around at Maryland with a come-from-behind, five-set win on Sunday, the Hokies will look to carry that momentum into this weekend as they return home to host Wake Forest and Duke at Cassell Coliseum. Both of Tech's opponents this weekend will begin their weekend in Blacksburg before traveling to Charlottesville to take on Virginia the following day.

Series Info

Wake Forest - Tech holds the 24-10 series advantage over the Demon Deacons, while also boasting an impressive 13-1 record at Cassell Coliseum. The two teams split the series last season, as the Hokies swept Wake at home and fell in Winston-Salem, 3-1.

The Hokies and Deacons first met in 1977 in Richmond, Va., as Tech took a 2-0 win to open the series. Head Coach Chris Riley is 6-4 all-time against Wake, while the Hokies are 8-6 since the two teams became conference foes in 2004.

Duke- The Blue Devils have had Tech's number since the two teams first met in 1979, Tech's first year as a varsity program. Duke took the first match of the series, 3-0 in Knoxville, Tenn., and currently holds the 22-2 all-time edge. Both of the Hokies' wins have come at home, including a 3-1 victory last season.

Since joining the ACC, Duke boasts a 12-2 record against Tech.

Hokies All-Access

The Hokies will have numerous matches broadcast with live audio and video this season, including this Thursday's match against Wake Forest. Other matches include those against Maryland (11/11), Boston College (11/12), North Carolina (11/18) and NC State (11/19). More information can be found at www.hokiesports.com/allaccess.

VOLLEYBALL FACTS

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PLAYER SPOTLIGHT

Jennifer Wiker • RS-Junior • Outside Hitter • Charlotte, N.C.

Redshirt junior Jennifer Wiker had an impressive outing against Maryland on Sunday as she tallied a new season high with 16 kills, while also hitting at a season-best .441 clip in the five-set victory for the Hokies. Wiker was a big part of the momentum shift for the Hokies as she also added two solo blocks on back-to-back rallies and assisted on another block in the match.

Days before, Wiker tallied a new season high at the net when she assisted on four blocks at Boston College.

Scouting Report

Wake Forest - The Deacons enter Thursday's match with a 4-10 overall record and a 1-4 record in conferece play. Like the Hokies, Wake kicked off ACC action with a victory as it knocked off Duke, 3-1, during the Black & Gold Challenge in Winson-Salem. The Deacons also topped High Point, 3-0, that weekend and have since been on a five-match skid, including four ACC matches.

Kadija Fornah has paced Wake's offense with 158 kills (3.22/s), while Carlin Salmon has thrown down a second-best 128 kills and gotten up for a team-leading 55 blocks (1.12/s). Three Deacons have tallied 100-plus digs, with Dani Thompson leading the way with 174, while Danae Rosendall has been the team's primary setter and leads the way with 431 assists.

Duke - The Blue Devils began the season as the ACC favorite and the only conference team to be ranked in the top 25, but after beginning the season 4-0 they have since struggled. Duke spent last weekend in Florida and fell to both the Seminoles and Hurricanes as they fell to 8-6 overall, 2-3 in league play.

Duke has five players with 100-plus digs as Sophia Dunworth leads the way with 140 (2.69/s) so far this season. Kellie Catanach has tallied 571 assists as the squad's primary setter. Five different players have also racked up double-digit digs this year and Ali McCurdy's 280 (5.28/s) pace the team.

Among the Best

Tech currently ranks among the nation's and ACC's best in blocks and service aces. As a team, the Hokies hold the No. 21 spot in the nation as they average 2.70 blocks per set. The average is also good for second among league teams. Sophomore middle blocker Victoria Hamsher is a big part of

Tech's impressive numbers as she is the only individual to represent Tech nationally, ranking 24th in the nation with a 1.33 blocks per set average.

Tech also currently sits at first among conference teams as it averages 1.31 aces per set on the season.

Top Competition

With the Duke Blue Devils coming to town this weekend, the Hokies will have their work cut out for them. As a squad, Duke ranks 39th nationally as it averages 12.89 assists per set, and 50th with a 16.47 digs per set average.

Two Blue Devils also rank among some of the best in the country as the league digs leader, Ali McCurdy's 5.82 digs per set average is also good for 17th nationally. Kellie Catanach boasts the 35th spot in the nation as she averages 10.98 assists per set.

Block Party

The Hokies have made their presence at the net known this season. Tech got up for 30 total blocks, six solo and 48 assisted during the Hokie Invite and bettered that total during the Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational with 35 total blocks, including 60 assisted and five solo.

Terps Turnaround

In true dramatic fashion, the Hokies made a huge turnaround last weekend as they came from behind to top Maryland 3-2 on the road. The victory was Tech's first in the three matches and the first road win of the season for the squad.

Numerous players put up season and career-best numbers in the match as five different Hokies set new highs. As a team, Tech set new season highs in kills (62), assists (56) and digs (87).

Raising the Baar

The ever-improving but already dominant Cara Baarendse has been a staple in Tech's lineup over the past three seasons and has yet to let her guard down. The honorable mention All-American and Preseason All-ACC honoree has ranked in the top 10 among conference members in hitting percentage all season, while also leading the team in eight matches so far.

The Mason, Ohio, native was named Virginia Tech Athlete of the Week as well as Hokie Tournament MVP in the same week earlier this season and recently set new season highs with 14 kills and 16 digs at Maryland. She has tallied two double-doubles this season and seven double-digit kills matches.

Serving Up Greatness

Senior outside hitter Justine Record has had her way with Tech's all-time record books this season as she has rapidly climbed the ranks and will continue to do so this weekend. She has tallied 17 service aces this season and leads the squad with six double-doubles.

The Redwood City, Calif., native tallied a career-high six aces against High Point earlier in the year and is currently in need of one more ace to up her 145 career total and move into sixth place on Tech's all-time list.

Record set a new career high against Maryland as she scooped up 24 digs in the victory, making it her eighth match with double-digit digs this season.

-Sher Thing

Sophomore middle blocker Victoria Hamsher has spearheaded Tech's net game this season as she leads the team with 77 total blocks. Her 1.33 per set average makes her the only player on the team to rank nationally in any category and puts her at

2011 HOKIE HIGHS AND LOWS

Highest Attack%	.313, vs. UConn (9/17)
Lowest Attack%	.063, vs. #23 Florida State (9/24)
Most Kills	62, at Maryland (10/2)
Least Kills	33, at Boston College (9/29)
Most Attempts	187, vs. Ohio (9/2)
Least Attempts	85, vs. American (9/9)
Most Assists	56, at Maryland (10/2)
Least Assists	31, at Boston College (9/29)
Most Aces	12, High Point (8/27)
Least Aces	0, vs. WKU (9/3)
Most Digs	87, at Maryland (10/2)
Least Digs	29, vs. American (9/9)
Most Blocks	16, vs. Ohio (9/2)
Least Blocks	3, vs. #23 Florida State (9/24)

2011 OPPONENTS HIGHS AND LOWS

Highest Attack%	.392, vs. Tennessee (9/10)
Lowest Attack%	.052, vs. Ohio (9/2)
Most Kills	64, vs. Tennessee (9/10)
Least Kills	29, Twice
Most Attempts	182, at Maryland (10/2)
Least Attempts	83, American (9/9)
Most Assists	60, vs. Tennessee (9/10)
Least Assists	25, Twice
Most Aces	7, Twice
Least Aces	1, Three Times
Most Digs	74, Twice
Least Digs	28, vs. American (9/9)
Most Blocks	21, vs. Ohio (9/2)
Least Blocks	4, Connecticut (9/17)

third among league members

The Nazareth, Pa. native has also been a force on offense, as she had a career weekend during the Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational. She tallied double-digit kills in two of the three matches, including a new career high, 16, against Chattanooga. Hamsher also set a new season high of seven blocks in that match, only to later up the total to eight against UConn. For her efforts she was named Virginia Tech Athlete of the Week.

Leaser on the Loose

Senior setter Erin Leaser has been an important part of the Tech offense over the past three seasons, and her final one is no exception. Leaser recently moved into third place on Tech's all-time career assists list against Virginia in the Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational as she easily surpassed the seven assists she needed and upped her three-year total to 4,065 by tournament's end. Leaser leads the squad with 419 assists and her 7.22 average places her at ninth about ACC members.

The Allentown, Pa., native is also tied for team lead with 17 service aces this year.

Big Weekend for Wiker

Redshirt junior Jennifer Wiker tallied double-digit kills twice in the same weekend for the first time this season during the Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational. Wiker threw down 10 against Virginia in the opening match before going for 11 against UConn. The Charlotte, N.C., native just missed against Chattanooga as she tallied nine, while also posting four blocks.

Wiker, who has already earned a degree in Finance and is currently working towards her MBA, recently dominated on the offensive end as she led the team in its come-from-behind win over Maryland. She threw down a season-best 16 kills, hitting at a season-high .441 clip.

Last Line of Defense

Junior libero Morgan O'Neill has been outstanding for the Hokies this season after making the move to libero this season. O'Neill set a new career high earlier in the year against Chattanooga when she scooped up 29 digs, and matched the total in Tech's recent win over Maryland last weekend.

The Atherton, Calif., native averages 4.11 digs per set, good for eighth in the conference, and has led the Hokies in digs in all but four matches this season.

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Freshman Kathryn Caine has been a staple in Tech's starting lineup for much of this season and leads all other newcomers with seven starts so far. The McLean, Va., native recently wiped out all of her previous career highs when she threw down seven kills and hit at a season-best .429 clip. Her four block assists in the match also tied a previous high set earlier in the year.

Setting Up Early Success

Freshman Jordan Fish made the first start of her career against Virginia and rose to the occasion. While splitting time with senior setter Erin Leaser, Fish tallied a career-high 24 assists in the match, along with six digs. Fish nearly matched that total the following night against UConn when she tossed up 21 helpers.

2011 Statistical Leaders

Kills	Cara Baarendse (146)
Kills/Set	Justine Record & Cara Baarendse (2.52)
Hit%	Cara Baarendse (.336)
Assists	Erin Leaser (419)
Assists/Set	Erin Leaser (7.22)
Aces	Justine Record & Erin Leaser (17)
Aces/Set	Erin Leaser (0.33)
Digs	Morgan O'Neill (234)
Digs/Set	Morgan O'Neill (4.11)
BS	Victoria Hamsher (8)
BA	Victoria Hamsher (69)
TB	Victoria Hamsher (77)
Blocks/Set	Victoria Hamsher (1.33)

Individual Match Highs

Kills	Jennifer Wiker, 16 at Maryland (10/2)
Hit%	Victoria Hamsher, .875 vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
Assists	Erin Leaser, 46 vs. Ohio (9/2)
Aces	Justine Record, 6 vs. High Point (8/27)
Digs	Morgan O'Neill, 29 at Maryland (10/2) & vs. Chattanooga (9/17)
BS	Victoria Hamsher, Three Times
BA	Victoria Hamsher, 8 vs. UConn (9/17); Cara Baarendse, 8 vs. Ohio (9/2)
TB	Cara Baarendse, 9 vs. Ohio (9/2)

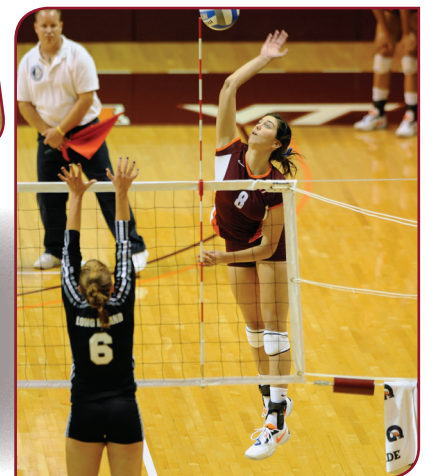
The Last Time...

30-kill match	Lisa Pikalek, 35 at Liberty (9/15/92)
30-dig match	Jill Gergen, 37 vs. Clemson (10/17/09)
60-assist match	Erin Leaser, 62 vs. Miami (10/30/10)
10-block match	Victoria Hamsher, 10 vs. Towson (9/18/10)
5-Ace match	Justine Record, 6 vs. High Point (8/27/11)
Triple-double	Michelle Lang, 13 kills, 22 assists, 10 digs vs. UConn (8/29/08)
500-kill season	Lisa Pikalek, 653 (1992)
500-dig season	Amanda Cloyd, 617 (2007)
1,500-assist season	Kelly Chambliss, 1,698 (1992)
150-block season	Felicia Willoughby, 172 (2007)



Sophomore Samantha Gostling led the Hokies with 12 kills at Boston College. Later in the weekend she also assisted on a career-high six blocks at Maryland.

Junior Morgan O'Neill tied a career high that she set earlier this season as she scooped up 29 digs at Maryland last weekend.



Career Weekend for Tech

Four different upperclassmen wiped out career highs during the Hilton Garden Hokie Invitational. Headlining the top performers was sophomore Victoria Hamsher who tallied 16 kills against Chattanooga and earned season bests in consecutive matches with seven and then eight block assists.

Junior Cara Baarendse's 16 digs against Virginia set a new personal mark, while senior Erin Leaser's four service aces also set a new bar. Junior Morgan O'Neill set a new team season high as she got down for 29 digs against Chattanooga.

Top Tier in Tournaments

The Hokies recently ended a 23-match home tournament winning streak last weekend. The streak dated back to the 2005 season. Tech extended the streak early this year as it swept the competition at the Hokie Tournament and seemed to keep things rolling during the Hokie Invite as it swept American in its first match and later Seton Hall the following day. The final match of the tournament did the Hokies in, though, as they fell 3-1 to a talented Tennessee team.

Historic Happenings

The Hokies made history last season when they earned their first-ever bid to the NCAA Tournament after an impressive regular season. Tech also earned its first tournament victory when it defeated Delaware, 3-0, in the opening round. En route to the post season, the Hokies wrapped up the regular season with the 600th win in program history and the 26th win over in-state rival Virginia, 3-2.

Midway through conference play, Tech claimed its first win over a ranked opponent as it defeated then-No.25 Florida State, 3-2, in Cassell Coliseum.

Double-Digit Kills

Cara Baarendse (7)
14 at Maryland (10/2)
13 vs. Connecticut (9/17)
13 vs. Virginia (9/16)
11 vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
10 vs. Tennessee (9/10)
10 vs. American (9/9)
10 vs. Indiana (8/27)

12 at Boston College (9/29)
12 vs. Indiana (8/27)
11 vs. Connecticut (9/17)
11 vs. High Point (8/27)

Victoria Hamsher (3)
16 vs. Chattanooga (9/17)
10 vs. Virginia (9/16)
10 vs. Indiana (8/27)

Justine Record (7)
14 vs. Ohio (9/2)
13 vs. American (9/9)
13 vs. Kentucky (9/3)
12 vs. #21 Miami (9/23)
11 vs. Tennessee (9/10)
11 vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
11 vs. High Point (8/27)

Alyssa Gammel (1)
10 vs. #23 FSU (9/24)

Jennifer Wiker (5)
16 at Maryland (10/2)
15 vs. Ohio (9/2)
12 vs. Indiana (8/27)
11 vs. Connecticut (9/17)
10 vs. Virginia (9/16)

Samantha Gostling (5)
13 vs. Ohio (9/2)

Double-Digit Digs

Morgan O'Neill (11)
29 at Maryland (10/2)
29 vs. Chattanooga (9/17)
25 vs. Virginia (9/16)
18 vs. Connecticut (9/17)
17 vs. #21 Miami (9/23)
17 vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
14 vs. Indiana (8/27)
13 vs. Kentucky (9/2)
13 vs. Ohio (9/2)
10 at Boston College (9/29)
10 vs. High Point (8/27)

Cara Baarendse (3)
16 at Maryland (10/2)
16 vs. Virginia (9/16)
11 vs. Kentucky (9/3)

Justine Record (8)
24 at Maryland (10/2)
19 vs. Virginia (9/16)
18 vs. Ohio (9/2)
15 vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
12 vs. High Point (8/27)
11 vs. #21 Miami (9/23)
11 vs. Tennessee (9/10)
11 vs. American (9/9)

Erin Leaser (1)
13 vs. Ohio (9/2)

Kirsten Higareda (1)
14 vs. Ohio (9/2)

Double-Doubles

Justine Record (6)
14 kills, 18 digs vs. Ohio (9/2)
13 kills, 11 digs vs. American (9/9)
12 kills, 11 digs vs. #21 Miami (9/23)
11 kills, 11 digs vs. Tennessee (9/10)
11 kills, 15 digs vs. Cleveland State (8/26)
11 kills, 12 digs vs. High Point (8/27)

Erin Leaser (1)
46 assists, 13 digs vs. Ohio (9/2)

Cara Baarendse (2)
14 kills, 16 digs at Maryland (10/2)
13 kills, 16 digs vs. Virginia (9/16)

2011 Virginia Tech Volleyball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown	Last School	Club Team
1	Jessica Wellman	L/DS	5' 4"	Jr.	McKinney, Texas	McKinney North	Premier
2	Kirsty Blue	MB	6' 1"	r-Jr.	Geneva, Fla.	Oviedo	Orlando
3	Allison Munter	S	5' 9"	So.	Chesapeake, Va.	Grassfield	Coastal Virginia
4	Jordan Fish	S	5' 9"	Fr.	North Branch, Mich.	North Branch	Michigan Elite
5	Erin Leaser	S	5' 10"	Sr.	Allentown, Pa.	Allentown Central Catholic	Philadelphia
6	Laura Misiewicz	L/DS	5' 5"	So.	Herndon, Va.	Chantilly	Virginia League
7	Justine Record	OH	5' 8"	Sr.	Redwood City, Calif.	Carlmont	Vision
8	Samantha Gostling	OH	6' 1"	So.	Charlotte, N.C.	Ardrey Kell	Carolina Juniors
9	Liz Trinchere	MB	6' 0"	Jr.	Salem, Va.	Glenvar	Roanoke Juniors
10	Cara Baarendse	MB	6' 1"	Jr.	Mason, Ohio	William Mason	Cincy Classics
11	Alyssa Gammel	OH	5' 9"	Fr.	Bakersfield, Calif.	Centennial	Club Jamba
13	Jennifer Wiker	OH	6' 3"	r-Jr.	Charlotte, N.C.	South Mecklenburg	Carolina Juniors
14	Victoria Hamsher	MB	6' 2"	So.	Nazareth, Pa.	Nazareth	Synergy
15	Delaney Pittari	OH	5' 4"	Fr.	Mandeville, La.	Fontainebleau	Louisiana Volleyball
16	Kirsten Higareda	L/DS	5' 4"	Sr.	Woodbridge, Va.	Forest Park	Ichiban
17	Corrie Sanders	L/DS	5' 8"	So.	Virginia Beach, Va.	Frank W. Cox	Coastal Virginia
18	Bailey Dowd	RS	6' 2"	Fr.	Newtown, Pa.	Council Rock North	Synergy
19	Morgan O'Neill	OH/DS	5' 9"	Jr.	Atherton, Calif.	Archbishop Mitty	Vision
20	Kathryn Caine	MB/RS	6' 1"	Fr.	McLean, Va.	Langley	Northern Virginia
21	Gabrielle Talley	L/DS	5' 9"	Fr.	Orlando, Fla.	Lake Highland	Top Select
22	Kelsey Maloney	MB	6' 3"	Sr.	Centreville, Va.	Wisconsin-Madison	Virginia Elite
32	LaTasha Samson-Akpan	MH	6' 0"	Fr.	Fairlawn, Ohio	Copley	Cleveland Volleyball

Head Coach:

Chris Riley (Jacksonville '93) Sixth season

Assistant Coaches:

Shelbylynn McBride (George Mason '05)

Jen Malcom (Iowa State '08)

Volunteer Assistant:

Joe Jablonski

PRONUNCIATION

Baarendse.....	bar-END-zee
Gostling	GOS-ling
Kirstin Higareda	KEER-stin
.....	hig-are-EE-dah
Misiewicz	mih-SHEH-vitz
Trinchere.....	trin-CHAIR-ee
Wiker	wicker

Virginia Tech Volleyball Quick Facts

University Information

Location.....	Blacksburg, Va.
Founded.....	1872
Enrollment.....	31,000
Colors.....	Chicago maroon & burnt orange
Nickname	Hokies
Facility.....	Cassell Coliseum (10,052)
Conference.....	Atlantic Coast Conference
President.....	Charles W. Steger
Director of Athletics	Jim Weaver
Senior Woman Administrator	Sharon McCloskey

Volleyball Information

2010 Record.....	20-12
Conference Record	10-10 (T-7th, ACC)
Starters Returning/Lost	5/1+Libero
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	8/2
Newcomers.....	8

Volleyball History

First Year of Volleyball	1977
All-Time Record	611-538-3 (.532)
Home Record	303-129 (.701)

Just Virginia Tech, Please - While the full name of the school is Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, the school is commonly referred to as "Virginia Tech". Founded in 1872 as Virginia Agriculture and Mechanical College, the university changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1896. Fans of the athletic department, as well as media covering the Hokies, shortened the name to VPI, but it eventually became Virginia Tech. The "State University" was added to bring the official title to what it is today. Those covering Hokie athletics are asked to refer to the university as simply "Virginia Tech". Virginia Tech University, VPI and SU, VPI&SU, VT or VA Tech are not recognized names and should not be used.



What is a Hokie, Anyway? - That's the most often-asked question in Virginia Tech athletics. The answer leads all the way back to 1896 when Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute. With the change came the necessity for writing a new cheer and a contest for such a purpose was held by the student body.

Senior O.M. Stull won first prize for his "Hokie" yell which still is used today. Later, when asked if "Hokie" had any special meaning, Stull explained the word was solely the product of his imagination and was used only as an attention-getter for his yell. It soon became a nickname for all Tech teams and for those people loyal to Tech athletics. The official school colors — Chicago maroon and burnt orange — also were introduced in 1896. They were chosen because they made a "unique combination" not worn elsewhere at the time.

Polls & ACC Info

AVCA Coaches' Poll

Rk.	Team	LW
1	Illinois (56)	1
2	UCLA (2)	2
3	Washington (1)	3
4	California	4
5	Southern California (1)	5
6	Nebraska	7
7	Stanford	6
8	Penn State	9
9	Hawai'i	11
10	Texas	8
11	Purdue	12
12	Northern Iowa	14
13	Florida	13
14	Minnesota	10
15	Oregon	15
16	Iowa State	16
17	San Diego	18
18	Michigan	17
19	Tennessee	23
20	Pepperdine	19
21	Miami (FL)	20
22	Oklahoma	25
23	Colorado State	21
24	Florida State	22
25	Ohio State	24

Others Receiving Votes: Western Kentucky 53; Kentucky 26; Louisville 14; Tulsa 14; Duke 10; Texas A&M 9; UC Davis 8; Arizona 7; Long Beach State 7; Kansas State 5; North Carolina 5; Missouri 4; UC Santa Barbara 4; TCU 2

Tech vs. ACC

Hokies.....	Opponent.....	Riley
7-5	Boston College	6-4
6-7	Clemson	3-7
2-12	Duke	1-9
3-11	Florida State	2-8
5-8	Georgia Tech	4-6
7-6	Maryland	7-3
4-10	Miami	3-7
4-9	North Carolina	3-6
13-0	NC State	9-0
7-7	Virginia	7-4
8-6	Wake Forest	6-4
66-81	Total	51-58

All records are in conference play since joining the ACC in 2004.

Around the ACC

Tuesday, Oct. 4

NC State at North Carolina 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 6

Wake Forest at Virginia Tech 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 7

Boston College at Clemson 7:00 p.m.

Duke at Virginia Tech 7:00 p.m.

Florida State at North Carolina 7:00 p.m.

Maryland at Georgia Tech 7:00 p.m.

Miami at NC State 7:00 p.m.

Wake Forest at Virginia 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 8

Maryland at Clemson 6:00 p.m.

Duke at Virginia 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 9

Boston College at Georgia Tech 1:00 p.m.

Florida State at NC State 1:00 p.m.

Miami at North Carolina 1:00 p.m.

ACC Standings

Team	ACC Rec.	Overall Rec.	Streak
Florida State	5-0	11-4	Won 5
North Carolina	4-0	12-3	Won 6
Miami	4-1	13-1	Won 4
Clemson	3-2	11-5	Won 1
Maryland	3-2	9-8	Lost 1
NC State	2-2	14-3	Lost 1
Boston College	2-3	6-10	Won 2
Duke	2-3	8-6	Lost 2
Virginia Tech	2-3	9-7	Won 1
Georgia Tech	1-4	8-7	Lost 2
Wake Forest	1-4	4-10	Lost 5
Virginia	0-5	6-9	Lost 6

ACC Individual Stat Leaders

Player	K/TA	Pct.	Player	Kills	Avg./S
Alexa Rand - CU	138/280	.400	Monique Mead - GT	285	5.09
Elise Walch - FS	97/193	.399	Emily McGee - NC	197	4.02
Margaret Salata - ST	177/345	.388	Simone Asque - VA	193	3.64
Ali Becker - UM	126/313	.361	Lane Carico - UM	149	3.39
Jessica O'Shoney - VA	153/313	.361	Margaret Salata - ST	177	3.34

Player	Assists	Avg./S	Player	Aces	Avg./S
Megan Cyr - ST	616	11.00	Courtney Castle - BC	14	0.37
Katie Gallagher - UM	506	11.00	Kamryn Sherman - CU	20	0.35
Kellie Catanch - DU	571	10.98	Ryan Shaffer - UM	16	0.35
Ali Santi - GT	414	10.89	Justine Record - VT	17	0.33
Beth Wildermuth - VA	547	10.32	Lane Carico - UM	14	0.32

Player	BS	BA	Total	Avg./S	Player	Digs	Avg./S
Ashley Neff - FS	6	74	80	1.54	Ali McCurdy - DU	280	5.28
Alexa Rand - CU	11	74	85	1.42	Brennan Clark - BC	273	4.96
Victoria Hamsher - VT	8	69	77	1.33	Katie Mosher - FS	245	4.71
Margaret Salata - ST	10	54	64	1.21	Ryan Shaffer - UM	207	4.50
Asia Stawicka - GT	7	58	65	1.16	Sarah Harper - MD	293	4.44

Career & 2011 Season Highs

Career	Cara Baarendse	2011 Season
25, Clemson (10/1/10)	Kills	14, at Maryland (10/2/11)
51, Clemson (10/1/10)	TA	33, vs. Virginia (9/16/11)
1,000, Norfolk State (9/5/09)	Pct.	.643, vs. American (9/9/11)
3, Twice	Aces	3, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)
5, Xavier (8/28/10)	Assists	2, vs. Connecticut (9/17/11)
16, Twice	Digs	16, Twice
2, WKU (9/10/10)	BS	1, Twice
9, American (9/12/09)	BA	8, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
10, American (9/12/09)	TB	9, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)

Career	Kirsty Blue	2011 Season
14, Wake Forest (10/17/08)	Kills	2, Cleveland State (8/26/11)
31, Wake Forest (10/17/08)	Attempts	4, Cleveland State (8/26/11)
.571, Marshall (9/5/08)	Pct.	.500 vs. #21 Miami (9/23/11)
1, Yale (9/12/09)	Aces	N/A
2, Miami (10/25/08)	Assists	N/A
4, Twice	Digs	2, at Boston College (9/29/11)
2, Three Times	BS	1, Cleveland State (8/26/11)
4, Wake Forest (10/17/08)	BA	2, Cleveland State (8/26/11)
5, Winston-Salem St. (8/30/08)	TB	3, Cleveland State (8/26/11)

Career	Kirsten Higareda	2011 Season
1, Three Times	Kills	N/A
2, Twice	Attempts	1, Twice
1,000, Norfolk State (9/5/09)	Pct.	N/A
2, Three Times	Aces	1, Twice
3, Boston College (10/10/10)	Assists	1, vs. WKU (9/3/11)
18, Florida State (10/29/10)	Digs	14, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)

Career	Erin Leaser	2011 Season
9, Wake Forest (10/15/10)	Kills	5, High Point (8/27/11)
17, Twice	Attempts	13, High Point (8/27/11)
1,000, Twice	Pct.	.375, vs. WKU (9/3/11)
4, vs. Virginia (9/16/11)	Aces	4, vs. Virginia (9/16/11)
68, Florida State (10/29/10)	Assists	46, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
14, Virginia (9/17/10)	Digs	13, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
1, Ten Times	BS	1, at Boston College (9/29/11)
6, Chattanooga (8/27/10)	BA	5, Indiana (8/27/11)
6, Chattanooga (8/27/10)	TB	5, Indiana (8/27/11)

Career	Morgan O'Neill	2011 Season
12, North Carolina (10/9/09)	Kills	1, vs. American (9/9/11)
41, North Carolina (10/9/09)	Attempts	2, vs. American (9/9/11)
.278, Boston College (10/23/09)	Pct.	N/A
2, Four Times	Aces	1, Three Times
7, High Point (8/27/11)	Assists	7, High Point (8/27/11)
29, Twice	Digs	29, Twice
1, Georgia Tech (10/16/09)	BS	N/A
3, North Carolina (10/9/09)	BA	N/A
3, North Carolina (10/9/09)	TB	N/A

Career	Liz Trinchere	2011 Season
3, Boston College (11/5/10)	Kills	N/A
6, Boston College (11/5/10)	Attempts	4, vs. #21 Miami (9/23/11)
.500, Coastal Carolina (9/3/10)	Pct.	N/A
2, Norfolk State (9/5/09)	Assists	N/A
2, Boston College (11/5/10)	Digs	1, vs. American (9/9/11)
1 vs. American (9/9/11)	BS	1 vs. American (9/9/11)
	BA	N/A
1 vs. American (9/9/11)	TB	1 vs. American (9/9/11)

Career	Jessica Wellman	2011 Season
2, UNC Greensboro (8/29/09)	Digs	1, vs. American (9/9/11)

Program History	Team	2011 Season
97, Twice	Kills	62, at Maryland (10/2/11)
272, So. Miss (11/7/92)	Attempts	187, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
.688, Coppin State (9/12/98)	Pct.	.313, vs. Connecticut (9/17/11)
22, Davidson (9/8/89)	Aces	12, High Point (8/27/11)
90, Liberty (10/17/00)	Assists	56, at Maryland (10/2/11)
143, South Florida (10/14/94)	Digs	87, at Maryland (10/2/11)
13, Twice	BS	4, Twice
42, West Virginia (10/5/01)	BA	24, Twice
22, West Virginia (10/5/01)	TB	16, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)

Career	Jennifer Wiker	2011 Season
23, Clemson (11/13/10)	Kills	16, at Maryland (10/2/11)
51, Clemson (11/13/10)	TA	42, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
.500, Albany (9/19/09)	Pct.	.441, at Maryland (10/2/11)
1, Nine Times	Assists	N/A
6, Tennessee (8/28/10)	Digs	3, vs. WKU (9/3/11)
4, WKU (9/10/10)	BS	2, at Maryland (10/2/11)
5, Three Times	BA	4, at Boston College (9/29/11)
6, Twice	TB	4, Three Times

Career	Samantha Gostling	2011 Season
15, Clemson (10/1/10)	Kills	13, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
41, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)	Attempts	41, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
1,000, Twice	Pct.	.389, vs. Seton Hall (9/10/11)
2, Twice	Aces	1, Twice
1, Three Times	Assists	1, vs. #21 Miami (9/23/11)
5, Three Times	Digs	5, Twice
1, High Point (8/27/11)	BS	1, High Point (8/27/11)
6, at Maryland (10/2/11)	BA	6, at Maryland (10/2/11)
6, at Maryland (10/2/11)	TB	6, at Maryland (10/2/11)

Career	Victoria Hamsher	2011 Season
16, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)	Kills	16, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)
22, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)	Attempts	22, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)
.875, Cleveland State (8/26/11)	Pct.	.875, Cleveland State (8/26/11)
3, High Point (8/27/11)	Aces	3, High Point (8/27/11)
1, Four Times	Assists	1, Twice
6, Two Times	Digs	5, vs. #21 Miami (9/23/11)
2, Five Times	BS	2, Three Times
10, Towson (9/18/10)	BA	8, vs. Connecticut (9/17/11)
10, Towson (9/18/10)	TB	8, vs. Connecticut (9/17/11)

Career	Justine Record	2011 Season
26, Twice	Kills	14, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
60, North Carolina (10/9/08)	TA	46, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)
.600, vs. American (9/9/11)	Pct.	.600, vs. American (9/9/11)
6, Two Times	Aces	6, High Point (8/27/11)
5, Xavier (8/28/10)	Assists	1, Six Times
24, at Maryland (10/2/11)	Digs	24, at Maryland (10/2/11)
2, NC State (11/7/08)	BS	1, Three Times
4, Duke (10/14/10)	BA	3, Twice
5, Duke (10/14/10)	TB	4, vs. Connecticut (9/17/11)

Career	Laura Misiewicz	2011 Season
1, BC (10/10/10)	Kills	N/A
2, Georgia Tech (10/2/10)	Attempts	N/A
1,000, BC (10/10/10)	Pct.	N/A
3, Georgia Tech (10/2/10)	Aces	N/A
2, Twice	Assists	2, Indiana (8/27/11)
21, Clemson (10/1/10)	Digs	8, High Point (8/27/11)

Career	Allison Munter	2011 Season
N/A	Kills	N/A
1, BC (11/5/10)	Attempts	N/A
N/A	Pct.	N/A
N/A	Aces	N/A
15, vs. UK (9/3/11)	Assists	15, vs. UK (9/3/11)
3, vs. UK (9/3/11)	Digs	3, vs. UK (9/3/11)



Alyssa Gammel

Kills 10, vs. #23 FSU(9/24/11)
 TA..... 27, vs. #23 FSU (9/24/11)
 Pct..... .500 vs. UConn (9/17/11)
 Aces..... 1, vs. #23 FSU (9/24/11)
 Assists..... 1 vs. UConn (9/17/11)
 Digs5, at Boston College (9/29/11)
 BS..... N/A
 BA..... 1, Twice
 TB..... 1, Twice

Kathryn Caine

Kills 7, at Maryland (10/2/11)
 TA..... 14, at Maryland (10/2/11)
 Pct..... .429, at Maryland (10/2/11)
 Digs 2, at Maryland (10/2/11)
 BS..... 1, Four Times
 BA..... 4, Twice
 TB..... 4, Twice

Jordan Fish

TA..... 2 vs. #21 Miami (9/23/11)
 Aces..... 4, vs. Chattanooga (9/17/11)
 Assists..... 24, vs. Virginia (9/16/11)
 Digs 6, Twice

LaTasha Samson-Akpan

TA..... 2, High Point (8/27/11)
 BA..... 1, High Point (8/27/11)
 TB..... 1, High Point (8/27/11)

Kelsey Maloney

Kills 2, Twice
 TA..... 8, at UK (9/3/11)
 Pct..... 1.000, vs. American (9/9/11)
 Digs 2, at UK (9/3/11)
 BA..... 6, at UK (9/3/11)
 TB..... 6, at UK (9/3/11)

Delaney Pittari

Digs 1, vs. Ohio (9/2/11)

Match-by-Match Leaders

MATCH	Kills	Hit Pct. (<i>min. 7 att.</i>)	Service Aces	Digs	Blocks
Cleveland State	Baarendse/ Record (11)	Hamsher (.875)	Three Hokies (1)	O'Neill (17)	Hamsher (6)
High Point	Gostling/ Record (11)	Baarendse (.500)	Record (6)	Record (12)	Hamsher (6)
Indiana	Gostling/ Wiker (12)	Baarendse (.400)	Hamsher/ Record (1)	O'Neill (14)	Hamsher (6)
vs. Ohio	Wiker (15)	Hamsher (.227)	Baarendse/ Record (2)	Record (18)	Baarendse (9)
vs. Western Kentucky	Baarendse (8)	Baarendse/ Leaser (.375)	None	O'Neill (7)	Baarendse (5)
at Kentucky	Record (13)	Baarendse (.350)	Baarendse/ Wiker (1)	O'Neill (13)	Maloney (6)
American	Record (13)	Baarendse (.643)	Record (3)	Record (11)	Hamsher (5)
Seton Hall	Baarendse (10)	Baarendse (.421)	Baarendse (2)	Baarendse (9)	Hamsher (4)
Tennessee	Record (11)	Record (.417)	Leaser (3)	O'Neill/ Record (11)	Hamsher (4)
Virginia	Baarendse (13)	Hamsher (.444)	Leaser (4)	O'Neill (25)	Hamsher (4)
Chattanooga	Hamsher (16)	Hamsher (.682)	Fish (4)	O'Neill (29)	Hamsher (7)
Connecticut	Baarendse (13)	Baarendse (.462)	Three Hokies (1)	O'Neill (18)	Hamsher (8)
#21 Miami	Record (12)	Wiker (.227)	Fish (1)	O'Neill (17)	Four Hokies (2)
#23 Florida State	Gammel (10)	Baarendse (.429)	Three Hokies (1)	O'Neill (9)	Hamsher (3)
at Boston College	Gostling (12)	Hamsher (.250)	Leaser (1)	O'Neill (10)	Three Hokies (4)
at Maryland	Wiker (16)	Wiker (.441)	Leaser (2)	O'Neill (29)	Gostling (6)
Wake Forest					
Duke					
at North Carolina					
at NC State					
Georgia Tech					
Clemson					
at Florida State					
at Miami					
at Wake Forest					
at Duke					
Maryland					
Boston College					
North Carolina					
NC State					
at Virginia					

Virginia Tech Volleyball
Virginia Tech Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 04, 2011)
All matches

Overall record: 9-7 Conf: 2-3 Home: 8-3 Away: 1-2 Neutral: 0-2

##	Player	sp	Attack				Set		Serve			re	Dig		Blocking					points		
			k	k/s	e	ta	pct	a	a/s	sa	se		sa/s	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s		be	bhe
10	Cara Baarendse	58	146	2.52	29	348	.336	5	0.09	11	4	0.19	1	104	1.79	2	49	51	0.88	1	0	-
2	Kirsty Blue	6	4	0.67	1	9	.333	0	0.00	0	2	0.00	0	2	0.33	1	3	4	0.67	0	0	-
14	Victoria Hamsher	58	116	2.00	42	255	.290	2	0.03	10	18	0.17	0	22	0.38	8	69	77	1.33	3	0	-
20	Kathryn Caine	29	22	0.76	9	53	.245	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	4	0.14	4	23	27	0.93	3	1	-
13	Jennifer Wiker	54	123	2.28	47	356	.213	1	0.02	1	2	0.02	1	19	0.35	6	28	34	0.63	5	1	-
7	Justine Record	52	131	2.52	73	374	.155	8	0.15	17	32	0.33	12	170	3.27	3	20	23	0.44	6	1	-
8	Samantha Gostling	58	126	2.17	76	387	.129	1	0.02	3	7	0.05	7	36	0.62	1	38	39	0.67	2	0	-
5	Erin Leaser	58	21	0.36	14	82	.085	419	7.22	17	22	0.29	0	99	1.71	1	17	18	0.31	1	15	-
11	Alyssa Gammel	16	30	1.88	23	91	.077	1	0.06	2	11	0.12	3	23	1.44	1	3	4	0.25	0	0	-
3	Allison Munter	5	0	0.00	0	0	.000	19	3.80	0	0	0.00	0	4	0.80	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
15	Delaney Pittari	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
1	Jessica Wellman	2	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	0.50	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
32	LaTasha Samson-Akpa	1	0	0.00	0	2	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1	1.00	0	0	-
9	Liz Trinchere	1	0	0.00	0	2	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	1	0	1	1.00	0	0	-
18	Bailey Dowd	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
16	Kirsten Higareda	24	0	0.00	0	2	.000	1	0.04	2	7	0.08	2	49	2.04	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
6	Laura Misiewicz	20	0	0.00	0	0	.000	5	0.25	0	2	0.00	2	28	1.40	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
4	Jordan Fish	32	0	0.00	0	7	.000	142	4.44	9	14	0.28	1	38	1.19	0	0	0	0.00	0	8	-
22	Kelsey Maloney	6	4	0.67	5	16	-.062	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.33	0	6	6	1.00	0	0	-
19	Morgan O'Neill	57	1	0.02	2	11	-.091	44	0.77	4	8	0.07	18	234	4.11	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
VIRGINIA TECH		58	724	12.48	321	1995	.202	648	11.17	76	130	1.31	57	837	14.43	28	257	156.5	2.70	21	26	-
Opponents		58	684	11.79	341	2015	.170	617	10.64	57	143	0.98	76	822	14.17	20	219	129.5	2.23	28	18	-

Team Statistics	VT	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	724	684
Errors	321	341
Total Attacks	1995	2015
Attack Pct	.202	.170
Kills/Set	12.5	11.8
SET		
Assists	648	617
Assists/Set	11.2	10.6
SERVE		
Aces	76	57
Errors	130	143
Aces/Set	1.3	1.0
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	57	76
Errors/Set	1.0	1.3
DEFENSE		
Digs	837	822
Digs/Set	14.4	14.2
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	28	20
Block Assist	257	219
Total Blocks	156.5	129.5
Blocks/Set	2.7	2.2
Block Errors	21	28
Ball handling errors	26	18
ATTENDANCE		
Total	5055	1603
Dates/Avg Per Date	11/460	3/534
Neutral site #/Avg	2/384	
Current win streak	1	-
Home win streak	0	-

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
Aug 27	INDIANA	w 3-1	21-25,25-18,25-22,25-22	575
Aug 27	HIGH POINT	w 3-1	25-16,24-26,25-13,25-12	501
Aug 26	CLEVELAND STATE	w 3-0	25-15,25-20,33-31	517
Sep 02	vs OHIO	L 2-3	25-16,23-25,25-15,23-25,14-16	367
Sep 03	vs Western Kentucky	L 0-3	20-25,16-25,20-25	401
Sep 03	at Kentucky	L 0-3	22-25,22-25,27-29	1188
Sep 10	TENNESSEE	L 1-3	25-20,21-25,16-25,17-25	516
*Sep 16	VIRGINIA	w 3-1	25-18,25-21,22-25,25-15	650
Sep 16	CHATTANOOGA	w 3-1	25-15,25-17,20-25,25-15	313
Sep 17	CONNECTICUT	w 3-1	25-14,21-25,25-19,26-24	534
Sep 09	AMERICAN	w 3-0	25-22,25-21,25-15	313
Sep 10	SHU	w 3-0	25-22,25-18,25-21	312
*Sep 24	#23 FLORIDA STATE	L 0-3	16-25,21-25,11-25	313
*Sep 23	#21 MIAMI	L 0-3	23-25,20-25,20-25	511
*Sep 29	at Boston College	L 0-3	25-27,18-25,18-25	122
*Oct 02	at Maryland	w 3-2	22-25,25-27,25-22,25-16,15-10	293

Record in 3-set matches:3-5 • Record in 4-set matches:5-1 • Record in 5-set matches:1-1