

# Men's

# 2006-2007 Georgia Tech

## Projected Starters



### RA' SEAN DICKEY - Center

**Vitals**  
Clio, S.C.  
Year: Junior  
Height: 6-10  
GP: 57  
PPG: 9.1  
APG: 0.4  
RPG: 4.9

Dickey is a second-year starter who came into his own last season by scoring in double figures in each of the last 13 games. He is a career 60 percent shooter and has developed a mid-range jump shot to complement his low-post game.



### JEREMIS SMITH - Forward

**Vitals**  
Fort Worth, Texas  
Year: Junior  
Height: 6-8  
GP: 42  
PPG: 8.3  
APG: 1.5  
RPG: 6.9

After being sidelined for most of his freshman season with a dislocated right kneecap, Smith bounced back with a stellar sophomore campaign. He recorded nine double-doubles, second most in the ACC, and was a strong defensive presence for Tech.



### THADDEUS YOUNG - Forward

**Vitals**  
Memphis, Tenn.  
Year: Freshmen  
Height: 6-8  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A

Ranked as high as No. 5 in the nation among 2006 high school recruits, Young is a highly-touted forward with long arms. He also has the ability to defend the perimeter and should fit in well in Coach Hewitt's offensive



### ANTHONY MORROW - Guard

**Vitals**  
Charlotte, N.C.  
Year: Junior  
Height: 6-5  
GP: 32  
PPG: 10.0  
APG: 1.0  
RPG: 3.0

A sharp-shooter from the outside, Morrow led the conference in three-point percentage last season. He is a long player who has a quick release and good athletic ability. He was the top scorer on the team last season and looks to do the same again.



### JAVARIS CRITTENTON - Guard

**Vitals**  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Year: Freshmen  
Height: 6-5  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A

The highest-rated point guard nationally in the 2006 recruiting class, Crittenton is an explosive and muscular player with size and speed. He has a quick first step, and has the ability to drive the lane and get to the basket while still being able to overpower defenders.

## Paul Hewitt - Head Coach



Paul Hewitt is in his seventh season at Tech. He led the Jackets to the Final Four in 2004 and was named the ACC Coach of the year in 2001. He has compiled a 107-83 (.563) record. This year will present a new set of challenges for Hewitt as his lone senior will be reserve guard Mario West. Last year's team went 11-17, but they welcome the No. 7 recruiting class in the nation.

**Quotable:** "We always try to be sound fundamentally. What we did this year, different from other years, was to get more comfortable with what we're doing offensively. There were times last year when we got off and free-lanced a little more than we normally would."

## Men's Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
11/4/2006	vs. Morehouse (exhibition)	4:00 p.m.
11/10/2006	vs. Elon	8:00 p.m.
11/13/2006	vs. Jackson State	7:00 p.m.
11/16/2006	vs. Georgia State	6:00 p.m.
11/20/2006	vs. Purdue (Maui)	5:00 p.m.
11/21/2006	vs. Oklahoma or Memphis (Maui)	TBA
11/22/2006	vs. TBA (Maui)	TBA
11/28/2006	vs. Penn State	8:00 p.m.
12/3/2006	at Miami	5:30 p.m.
12/9/2006	at Vanderbilt	5:00 p.m.
12/18/2006	vs. Centenary	7:00 p.m.
12/22/2006	vs. Georgia	7:00 p.m.
12/28/2006	vs. Troy	2:00 p.m.
12/30/2006	vs. St. Francis (PA)	8:00 p.m.
1/3/2007	vs. Winston-Salem State	7:00 p.m.
1/6/2007	at Clemson	4:00 p.m.
1/10/2007	vs. Duke	7:00 p.m.
1/13/2007	vs. Florida State	6:00 p.m.
1/20/2007	at North Carolina	9:00 p.m.
1/24/2007	at Maryland	9:00 p.m.
1/28/2007	vs. Virginia Tech	3:30 p.m.
1/30/2007	at Wake Forest	8:00 p.m.
2/3/2007	vs. Clemson	1:00 p.m.
2/6/2007	vs. NC State	7:00 p.m.
2/11/2007	vs. Connecticut	1:00 p.m.
2/13/2007	at Florida State	8:00 p.m.
2/18/2007	at Duke	1:00 p.m.
2/21/2007	vs. Wake Forest	7:00 p.m.
2/24/2007	at Virginia	3:30 p.m.
3/1/2007	vs. North Carolina	9:00 p.m.
3/4/2007	vs. Boston College	3:00 p.m.
03/08/07-3/11/2007	ACC Tournament	TBA

## Reserves



**ALADE AMINU**  
Forward/Center

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Stone Mountain, Ga.  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 6-10  
Weight: 225  
GP: 24  
PPG: 2.4  
APG: 0.3  
RPG: 1.8



**D' ANDRE BELL**  
Guard/Forward

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Los Angeles, Calif.  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 6-5  
Weight: 210  
GP: 28  
PPG: 3.9  
APG: 1.3  
RPG: 2.1



**LEWIS CLINCH**  
Guard

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Cordele, Ga.  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 6-3  
Weight: 195  
GP: 23  
PPG: 8.9  
APG: 2.1  
RPG: 3.0



**PACO DIAW**  
Guard

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Dakar, Senegal  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 6-6  
Weight: 185  
GP: 19  
PPG: 0.8  
APG: 1.2  
RPG: 0.9



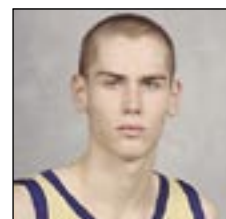
**MOUHAMMAD FAYE**  
Forward

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Dakar, Senegal  
Year: RS Freshman  
Height: 6-10  
Weight: 208  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**ZACH PEACOCK**  
Forward

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Miami, Fla.  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 6-8  
Weight: 235  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**BRAD SHEEHAN**  
Forward

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Latham, N.Y.  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 6-11  
Weight: 220  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**MARIO WEST**  
Guard

**Vitals**  
Hometown: Douglasville, Ga.  
Year: RS Senior  
Height: 6-5  
Weight: 210  
GP: 71  
PPG: 2.6  
APG: 1.1  
RPG: 2.2



# ch Basketball Preview

# Women's

## MaChelle Joseph - Head Coach

MaChelle Joseph enters her fourth season as the head coach of the women's basketball season. Joseph is 41-44 (.482) as the head of the Lady Jackets. The team was 14-15 last year and has been one game under .500 in each of her three seasons. The team will look to replace Kasha Terry after she was drafted by the WNBA. The maturing team will look to fly under the radar in 2006, but they have the potential to upset anyone.

**Quotable:** "I think the fact that we have more experienced players and more talent at each position and a lot more depth we were able to go and put a schedule together that would challenge us early and find out what our weaknesses are and our strengths going into ACC play."



## Women's Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
11/1/2006	South Carolina Upstate (Exh.)	7:00 p.m.
11/10/2006	vs. Mercer	6:00 p.m.
11/14/2006	at Appalachian State	7:00 p.m.
11/16/2006	vs. Georgia State	8:00 p.m.
11/20/2006	at Temple	7:00 p.m.
11/24/2006	at San Diego	10:00 p.m.
12/3/2006	vs. Georgia	2:00 p.m.
12/6/2006	vs. Kennesaw State	7:00 p.m.
12/10/2006	vs. Jacksonville	1:00 p.m.
12/18/2006	at Northwestern	8:00 p.m.
12/20/2006	at College of Charleston	7:00 p.m.
12/29/2006	vs. Alcorn State (Holiday Invit.)	3:00 p.m.
12/30/2006	TBD (Holiday Invitational)	TBA
1/2/2007	vs. North Carolina	7:00 p.m.
1/4/2007	vs. Winston-Salem State	7:00 p.m.
1/7/2007	at Clemson	2:00 p.m.
1/10/2007	at Duke	7:00 p.m.
1/15/2007	vs. Miami	4:30 p.m.
1/18/2007	at North Carolina	7:00 p.m.
1/21/2007	vs. Vanderbilt (Duluth)	3:00 p.m.
1/25/2007	vs. Boston College	7:00 p.m.
1/28/2007	at Wake Forest	1:00 p.m.
2/1/2007	vs. Maryland	7:00 p.m.
2/5/2007	at Virginia Tech	7:00 p.m.
2/9/2007	at Florida State	7:00 p.m.
2/11/2007	vs. North Carolina State	4:00 p.m.
2/15/2007	at Miami	7:00 p.m.
2/19/2007	vs. Clemson	7:00 p.m.
2/22/2007	vs. Virginia	7:00 p.m.
2/25/2007	vs. Longwood	2:00 p.m.
3/1/2007-3/4/2007	ACC Tournament (Greensboro, N.C.)	TBA

## Projected Starters

### DAPHNE MITCHELL - Forward

Mitchell will look to replace Kasha Terry in the middle of the Tech lineup. Mitchell is a recipient of the Top-Six For Service Award for community outreach last season. She was ranked as the No. 3 power forward in the class of 2004 by All Star Girls Report.

#### Vitals

Atlanta, GA  
Year: Junior  
Height: 6-3  
GP: 42  
PPG: 1.5  
APG: 0.1  
RPG: 1.4



### JANIE MITCHELL - Forward

One of the most versatile players on the team, Mitchell can play four of the five positions. She can take work inside and shoot from the outside. She was a 38 percent three-point shooter and was named the most improved player last year.

#### Vitals

Jackson, Miss.  
Year: Junior  
Height: 6-0  
GP: 56  
PPG: 8.5  
APG: 0.4  
RPG: 5.4



### CHIOMA NNAMAKA - Guard

Originally from Sweden, Nnamaka has used her experience abroad and at Tech to become a force in the backcourt. She was the most accurate shooter from three-point range for Tech last season and ranks in the top 10 in Tech's career three-pointers made.

#### Vitals

Uppsala, Sweden  
Year: Junior  
Height: 5-11  
GP: 56  
PPG: 12.6  
APG: 1.1  
RPG: 4.9



### JILL INGRAM - Guard

Ingram played in all 27 games last year, and missed just two games due to injury during her freshman campaign. She has started in 43 of 54 games in her career at Tech and was ranked as the 24th-best player in the nation coming out of high school.

#### Vitals

Charlotte, N.C.  
Year: Junior  
Height: 5-9  
GP: 54  
PPG: 7.7  
APG: 2.9  
RPG: 3.8



### STEPHANIE HIGGS - Guard

A quick, aggressive and talented guard, Higgs is an experienced senior that can push the tempo and can drive the lane. She was named to the second team All-ACC Tournament team last year and was named Tech's co-offensive player of the year.

#### Vitals

Lawrenceville, Ga.  
Year: Senior  
Height: 5-9  
GP: 81  
PPG: 10.0  
APG: 1.5  
RPG: 3.8



## Reserves



**GIULIETA ANCORA**  
Guard

#### Vitals

Hometown: Melbourne, Australia  
Year: Junior  
Height: 5-11  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**BRIDGETTE ARDOZZI**  
Forward

#### Vitals

Hometown: Melbourne, Australia  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 6-2  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**TIFFANY BLACKMON**  
Center

#### Vitals

Hometown: Gastonia, N.C.  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 6-2  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**ANGEL BUIE**  
Guard

#### Vitals

Hometown: Sanford, N.C.  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 5-7  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**NIA JOSIAH**  
Guard/Forward

#### Vitals

Hometown: Frederick, Md.  
Year: Freshman  
Height: 6-0  
GP: N/A  
PPG: N/A  
APG: N/A  
RPG: N/A



**TABITHA TURNER**  
Forward

#### Vitals

Hometown: Miami, Fla.  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 6-1  
GP: 8  
PPG: 0.1  
APG: 0.0  
RPG: 0.6



**JACQUA WILLIAMS**  
Guard

#### Vitals

Hometown: Seattle, Wash.  
Year: Sophomore  
Height: 5-7  
GP: 27  
PPG: 4.0  
APG: 1.2  
RPG: 2.3



**KENTRINA WILSON**  
Forward

#### Vitals

Hometown: Deerfield Beach, Fla.  
Year: Senior  
Height: 6-0  
GP: 69  
PPG: 3.7  
APG: 0.8  
RPG: 3.2



## Monday, November 6

### ***Adaptive Technology Fair***

11:00 AM-1 PM, Piedmont Room, Student Center Commons  
Come learn how technology can aid people with disabilities. This fair has a special focus on technologies developed by faculty and departments at Georgia Tech. Also, the winner of T-shirt Design contest will be announced. Co-sponsored by A.D.A.P.T.S., CATEA and the GT MSPO Program

### ***The Plainsmen: A Native American Dance Troupe and Drum***

11:00 AM, Student Center Commons Stage  
Experience the beauty and mystery of American Indian culture through dances and songs from many tribes.

## Tuesday, November 7

### ***"Psychological Disabilities: Creating Understanding, Fostering Support"***

11:00 AM – Noon, Student Services, Room 217-A  
Participants will receive general information on psychological disabilities and how they may impact GT students. We will also provide some tips on how to work more effectively with these students.  
Presenters: Dr. Ruperto Perez, Director GT Counseling Center and Tameeka Hunter, Disability Services Specialist, A.D.A.P.T.S.

### ***Numerology***

5:00 PM, Student Center Commons, Piedmont Room  
This workshop will open participant's minds to the benefits of Numerology and its importance in our everyday lives. Our presenter had continuous dreams that guided him in the understanding there is a mathematical design to our lives. Mr. Hun believes that Numerology provides a way for us to understand a little more about our lives at present and future mathematically. He has assisted people with their business decisions which have advanced them in their careers as well as family decisions. Mr. Hun will do a sample reading for one lucky audience member. If you are interested in having a sample reading, please contact Stephanie Ray at [sray@gatech.edu](mailto:sray@gatech.edu) by October 31.  
Presenter: Mr. Sidara Hun

## Wednesday, November 8

### ***"Master of Science in Prosthetics and Orthotics: Research/Design and Clinical Opportunities for Scientists and Engineers"***

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM, Student Services, Room 217-A  
Learn about the latest technological advancements in the growing field of prosthetics and orthotics. Find out how you can participate in and contribute to this exciting field through the Georgia Tech MSPO program!  
Presented by the Masters in Science in Prosthetics and Orthotics faculty and graduate students

### ***2nd Annual La Unidad Latina Poetry Slam***

8:00 PM, Student Center Theatre  
La Unidad Latina, Lambda Upsilon Lambda Fraternity Inc. would like to invite you to its Second Annual Poetry Slam. The Slam provides a venue for college students to express their creativity in the form of poetry, spoken word or song. First Prize will be \$250. No profanity allowed. Email Michael Boyce at [mboyce@gatech.edu](mailto:mboyce@gatech.edu) to register today!

## Thursday, November 9

### ***Safe Space Training***

11:00 AM - Noon, After registering on-line, [www.safespace.gatech.edu](http://www.safespace.gatech.edu) participants will be given a location. Individuals will be trained to be able to provide support and information about resources to Tech's GLBT community.

### ***"Comparisons between Christianity and Islam: Similarities and Differences"***

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM, Boggs 6A Auditorium  
Presenter: Dr. William Lane Craig  
Dr. William Lane Craig is Research Professor of Philosophy at Talbot School of Theology in La Miranda, CA. He has authored or edited over thirty books, as well as over a hundred articles in professional journals of philosophy and theology.  
This program co-sponsored by the Christian Faculty/Staff Forum and Campus Crusade for Christ

### ***Conversational Sign Language for Beginners***

4:00 PM, Student Services, Room 117  
Instructor, Sheryl Ballenger, Director, Access Center, Georgia Highlands College  
This is a fun, interactive workshop on the use of American Sign Language. You will learn basic conversational sign language in a relaxed environment with no grading. This is a great opportunity to learn more about Deaf culture and communication.

### ***The Diversity Forum's Panel on Business Strategies for Successful Corporations and Leaders***

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM, ISYE Executive Classroom  
Dialogue with corporate leaders to find out how work force diversity and inclusion can keep top companies on the cutting edge. Panelists include:  
Frank McCloskey, Vice President for Diversity and Corporate Relations, Georgia Power;  
Melanie Harrington, Executive Director American Institute of Managing Diversity, and  
Kevin Clayton, Corporate Vice President, Russell Corporation and founder of Axxis Consulting

## Friday, November 10

### ***"Working More Effectively with Black Students"***

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM, Student Services, Room 117  
Moderator: Gordon Moore, OMED Managing Partner  
A panel of Black student leaders will share their experiences and cultural needs to promote cultural awareness and sensitivity.



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## Upset from page 29

Saturday night. The Jackets defeated the Demon Deacons to improve their ACC record to 5-8 for the year.

Gray was impressive with a career high 21 kills and 15 digs on Saturday night.

Sophomore Talisa Kellogg added to the effort by recording 19 kills in the match.

"It's that time of the season when you start playing conference teams a second time around."

The first game of Saturday night ended with an intense match up between the teams.

Gray and junior Ulrike Stegemann led a 5-0 run to capture game one for the Jackets.

"If we made a mistake, we simply said 'No big deal; we can get the next serve.' We definitely did not hold on to the past and be so hard on ourselves. We have been working on the fundamental techniques and the basics all season. All of the hard work

is finally paying off," Gray said.

The second game led to another Tech win for the night. Kellogg led the offense with eight kills, and Showers led the defense with six digs. Despite a three-point lead and nine kills delivered by Gray, the Deacons sneaked by the Jackets and forced a fourth game.

This did not have too much effect on the Jackets' self-esteem, though.

"We wanted another win after game three. We told ourselves 'Let's get it done and get out of here,'" Gray said. "We just brushed our shoulders off after game three because we knew that we could win the next game. The night was so exciting," Gray said.

In game four on Saturday night, the Jackets led the scoreboard the entire time.

After letting the Deacons close the gap to a single point, the Jackets swarmed past Wake Forest to take the victory.

Miller became the third Tech

player this season to be awarded the ACC Volleyball Player of the Week. She added 27 kills and 10 blocks to her impressive season statistics.

The Tech volleyball organization raised money for the support of breast cancer awareness and research. "Dig for the Cure." last weekend's charity event, raised several thousand dollars for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

"The fundraising during the weekend did not add any extra pressure. It just gave us even more motivation to win and to make big money for the Breast Cancer Foundation in the Dig for the Cure event. There was big money to earn for the cure. That's a big motivation and makes us work even harder. Everyone's tired, and Sunday is our day off before we get ready to hit the road this weekend," Gray said.

The Jackets will play against the University of Miami in Coral Gables, Fla. on Friday at 4 p.m. and against Florida State in Tallahassee, Fla. on Sunday at 1 p.m.



By Lt. Perry Solomon

**Tech grads fly high:** Lt. Perry Solomon (CE '99) and Lt. Jeff Latham (IE '99) conducted a flyby before the Homecoming game against Miami on Saturday. Tech won the game 30-23.

# Salsa Fiesta

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## sliver

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Stinger drivers shouldn't talk on cell phones.  
Betch.  
Freshmen need to learn to walk to Howey and leave the bus open for those who go all the way across campus  
Stupid Freshmen  
Stupid Boy. Stupid Boy.  
Brittain had good food today.  
The world will now end.  
To the kid that I saw dressed up as Link in the student center... you totally made my day!  
Hong Still Hearts the Dong LUE 402 forever  
Why are there creepy people everywhere?  
Go Hellenic Societyyyy!!  
How can I convince my CM to test my bed ... with me?  
Vote for Sonny Perdue on November 7!  
Just frelling vote, k?  
Why can't it be a holiday at the dining hall every day?! It goes from bad to decent!  
Gianluca, the coffee cart girls will miss you dearly!  
They ARE together!  
The Howell Mill Wal-Mart is NOT the first one inside the perimeter and hasn't been for a couple years (there's one about 3 miles away on I-20E) so what's the big deal?

See page 29 for more Slivers!

# Jackets stun No. 25 Duke



By Michael Skinner/STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

Senior defensive specialist Abby Showers records one of Tech's 80 digs to help defeat No. 25 Duke and "Dig for the Cure" Friday night.

By Randy Darnowsky  
Contributing Writer

The volleyball team stunned ACC opponents with wins over No. 25 Duke (23-30, 30-27, 15-30, 30-28, 24-22) and Wake Forest (30-25,

30-27, 25-30, 30-25) at the O'Keefe Gymnasium this past weekend.

"I believe one of the major factors going into this weekend was that we knew that we could feed off of the crowd. We knew that there would be a big turnout, thanks to our die-

hard volleyball fans and leftover sports fans from the homecoming football game," said Lindsey Gray, Outside Hitter.

The match-up against Duke went into a fifth game after the two teams split the first four. The Jackets overcame an 11-point deficit to win game four by a score of 30-28 and force a game five against the tired Blue Devils.

"On Friday, there was excellent passing all around. [Duke] smoked us at their place and we wanted to get revenge," Gray said.

The Jackets defeated their opponent in a close fifth game 24-22. Gray had five of her 10 kills in the game. Callie Miller had a career high 18 kills and finished the night with a .412 hitting percentage.

"We have been working so hard on defensive plays: hitting the heck out of the ball. Abby [Showers] has been getting the ball out and delivering key plays," Gray said.

Following the homecoming football game, the Jackets were more than ready for Wake Forest on

See **Upset**, page 28



By Matt Emerick/STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

**Lady Jackets Tip-off:** The women basketball team opened up their season by defeating South Carolina Upstate 90-46 in an exhibition game at Alexander Memorial Coliseum Wednesday.

## sliver

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DDL is the poorest planned class at tech  
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Callie is a stick!

[Maniacal Laughter]

"My whammy fell on you...and it was strong (so strong so stron so strong)"

The end of the Miami game was the most fun since the Auburn game a few years back.

"Oh Oh it's MAGIC! you know..."

See page 30 for more Slivers!

# SECOND APPLICATION DEADLINE:

# Sunday, November

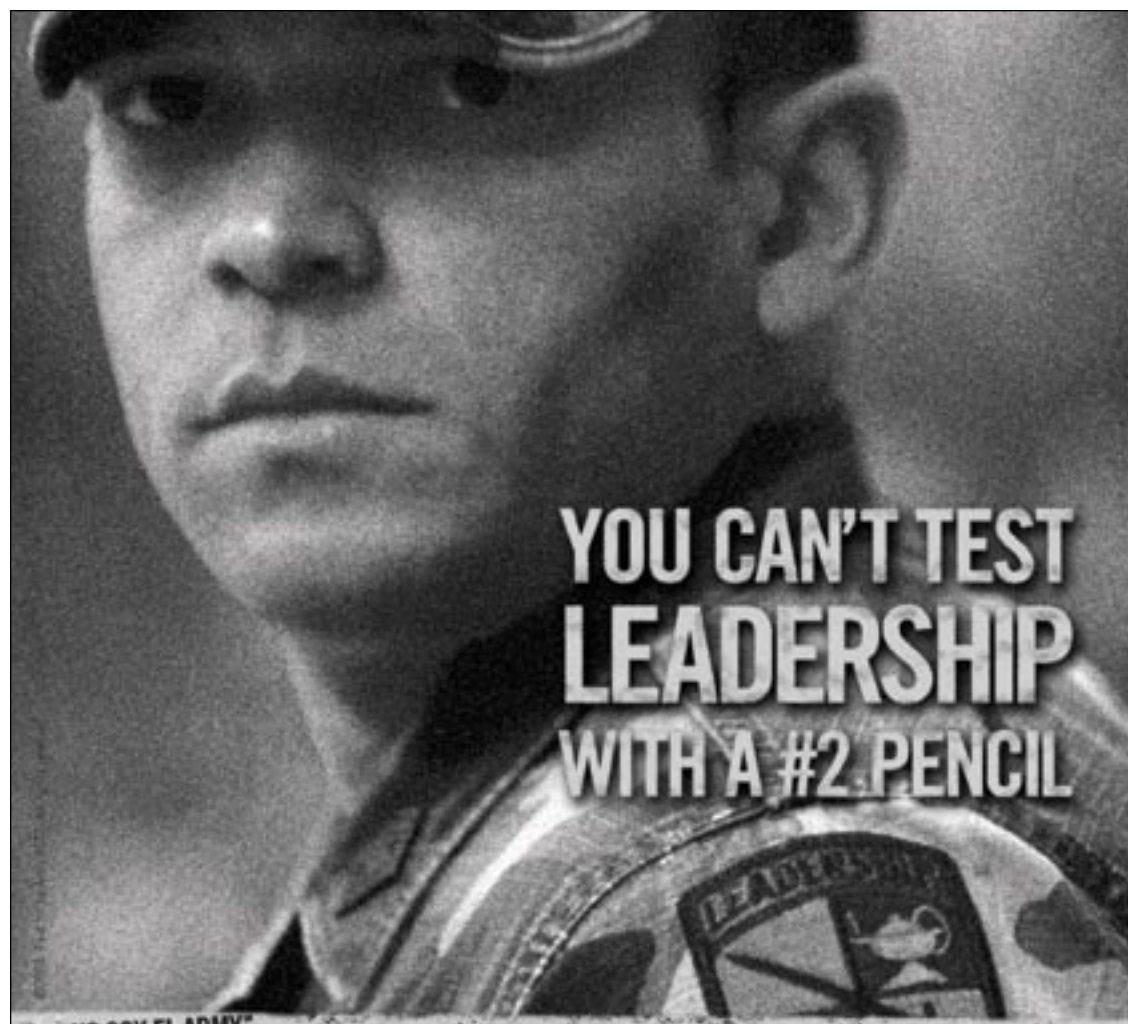
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**A different view:** Two naval aviators excited the homecoming crowd by flying over Bobby Dodd Stadium after the national anthem.

By Lt. Perry Solomon

## Canes from page 32

Tashard Choice said. For the second consecutive year, the Jackets were able to put pressure on Miami quarterback Kyle Wright throughout the game. During those two games, the Jackets have sacked him 13 times, six of which came last Saturday.

“We just came out at them the best that we could. I think we confused their line a little bit, and [Wright] was not prepared for us this year, just like last year,” linebacker Philip Wheeler said.

Tech has been shaky on special teams this year, especially in kickoff coverage and field goals. Last Saturday, the entire special teams unit put

together a complete effort.

Junior transfer punter Durant Brooks averaged 50.8 yards per punt on six punts and helped change field position in favor of the Jackets. The Hurricanes also fumbled two of Brooks’ longer punts. The first was recovered by the Hurricanes pinning them inside of their own 15, and the second was recovered by Tech on the way to sealing the victory.

“When the other team gets into the red zone, we have to tighten things up. Everyone plays with more urgency.”

**Adamm Oliver**  
Tech defensive end

Kicker Travis Bell hit all three of his field goals for the day. Going into the game, he was only 4-9. While the first two field goals were straight and true, the third just found its way inside the left upright.

“Yeah, I knew it was good the whole time. I just had to keep the crowd on their toes,” Bell said.

## Miami - Georgia Tech

Miami	10	3	3	7	—23
Georgia Tech	3	10	0	17	—30

### First Quarter

UM - G. Cook 19-yd fumble recovery (Peattie kick), 14:34  
UM - J. Peattie 38-yd field goal, 8:36  
GT - T. Bell 39-yd field goal, 4:00

### Second Quarter

UM - J. Peattie 36-yd field goal, 11:21  
GT - J. Johnson 46-yd pass from R. Ball (Bell kick), 8:07  
GT - T. Bell 39-yd field goal, 0:39

### Third Quarter

UM - J. Peattie 26-yd field goal, 1:28

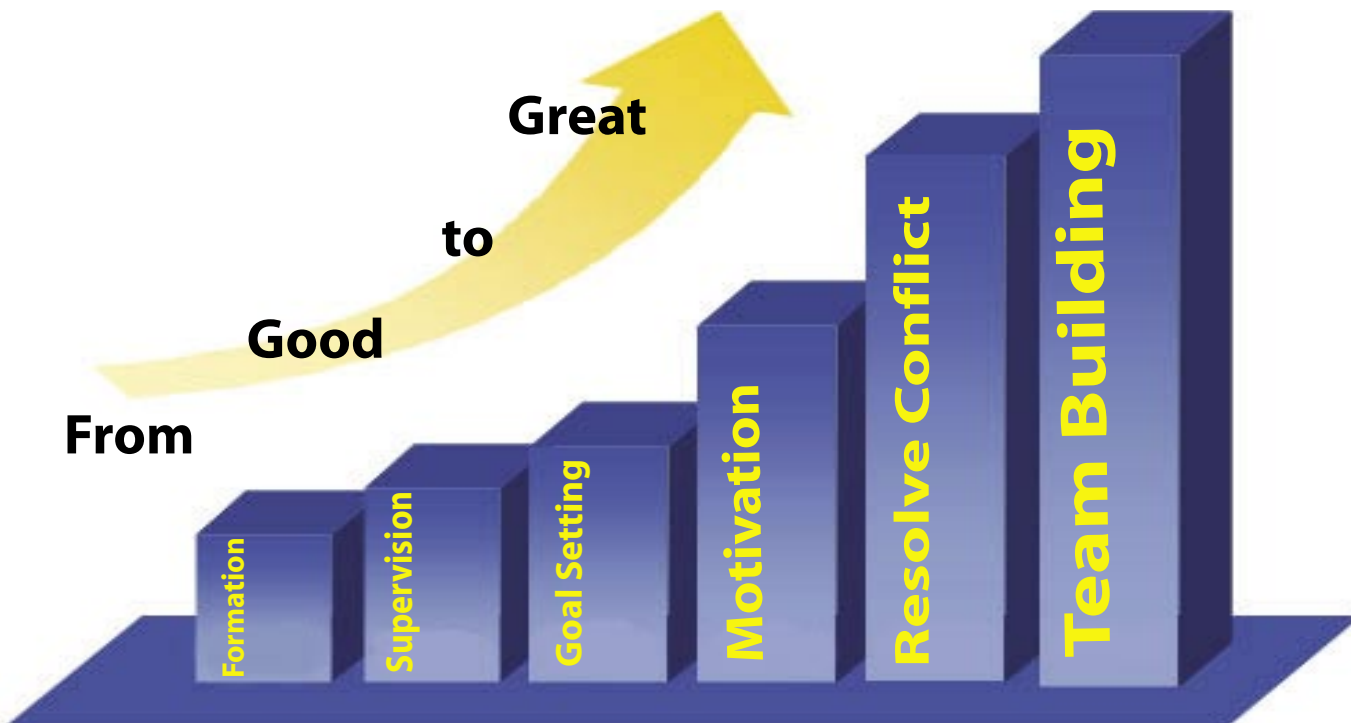
### Fourth Quarter

GT - T. Bell 39-yd field goal, 14:02  
GT - C. Johnson 1-yd pass from R. Ball (Bell kick), 6:18  
GT - T. Choice 24-yd run (Bell kick), 3:49  
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## N.C. STATE (3-5, 2-3) VS. No. 20 TECH (6-2, 4-1)

By Michael Clarke and Asif Heerji



North Carolina State has been plagued with inconsistent play over the course of the year. After starting the season 1-2, the Wolfpack anointed a new quarterback, red-shirt sophomore Daniel Evans, who led them on two game winning drives to defeat then No. 20 Boston College and then No. 16 Florida State.

The sophomore running back tandem of Toney Baker and Andre Brown have been the staple of the Wolfpack offense.

Each has carried the ball exactly 92 times and scored four touchdowns on the year. Five players from the 2005 squad were taken in the NFL draft last year, including three first-round selections.

Despite the losses, the Pack's starting defense is composed of all juniors and seniors with the exception of the left end, a red-shirt sophomore, but this is his third year in the North Carolina State system. The Wolfpack will need to have a strong defensive performance to beat the Jackets tomorrow.

"[The problems] were on both sides of the ball. I have the coaches critique every game, and save it as useless knowledge."

**Chuck Amato**

N.C. State Head Coach said on his weekly radio show

### Four Key Questions

• **Can Tech avoid a letdown against the Wolfpack?**

The Jackets have had to play against two formidable foes on back-to-back weeks. Now they must focus their attention on a team capable of an upset. North Carolina State has defeated Florida State and Boston College, but they have lost games to Akron and Southern Mississippi. With a win on Saturday, the Jackets would need a victory over either Duke or North Carolina left on the conference schedule.

• **Can Tech continue their dominance of N.C. State?**

The Jackets have defeated the WolfPack nine of the last 11 years, and they will look to continue that trend this weekend. Last year, N.C. State ended a run of four consecutive years of losing to Tech. During that time, the Jackets ended the National Championship hopes of the No. 8 Wolfpack and Philip Rivers in 2002. Chuck Amato's squad was 8-0 when former Tech quarterback A.J. Suggs led the fourth quarter comeback for the Jackets.

• **Will Reggie Ball be healthy enough to provide a dual threat for Tech's offense in Raleigh?**

When Reggie Ball is healthy, there are very few quarterbacks that are more of a threat to opposing defenses. With an injured foot, Ball is essentially a drop back passer. Ball was only three of 16 in the first half of Saturday's game against Miami, but he hit James Johnson for a touchdown pass and threw for 101 yards. In the second half of the game, Ball completed eight of 11 passes for 87 yards and a touchdown pass to Calvin Johnson. Ball was only able to run one draw during the game, but rolled out of the pocket on numerous occasions.

• **Will the Daniel Evans that played in his first two starts quarterback the WolfPack?**

In Daniel Evan's first two starts, he threw four touchdowns and only one interception. In those games, N.C. State defeated Boston College and Florida State. Since then, the Wolfpack has dropped three consecutive games to Wake Forest, Maryland and Virginia. In those games, Evans has thrown four interceptions and only one touchdown. If Evans is able to manage the game, the Jackets could have a tough time in Raleigh this weekend.

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With a victory over Miami last Saturday, Tech controls their own destiny in the ACC Coastal division with a 4-1 record. The Jackets have a one-game lead over Virginia, Virginia Tech and Miami, who each have two conference losses. In addition, Tech earned the tiebreaker over the three teams by defeating them earlier in the season. In essence, Tech has some wiggle room down the stretch.

Against a team that is very inconsistent, that wiggle room may prove helpful this week as Tech wraps up the conference season against North Carolina and Duke that are winless in the conference. Running back Tashard Choice has rushed for 100 yards in three of the last four games while receiver James Johnson stepped up to complement Calvin Johnson. J. Johnson has hauled in 10 catches for 144 yards and two touchdowns in the last two games. Reggie Ball will need an early score or two to lower the enthusiasm of an N.C. State team that is looking to save their coaches job.

"You have to be on your toes at all times because they have every formation and motion in the book, so you have to pay attention to what is going on out there."

**Chan Gailey**

Tech Head Coach

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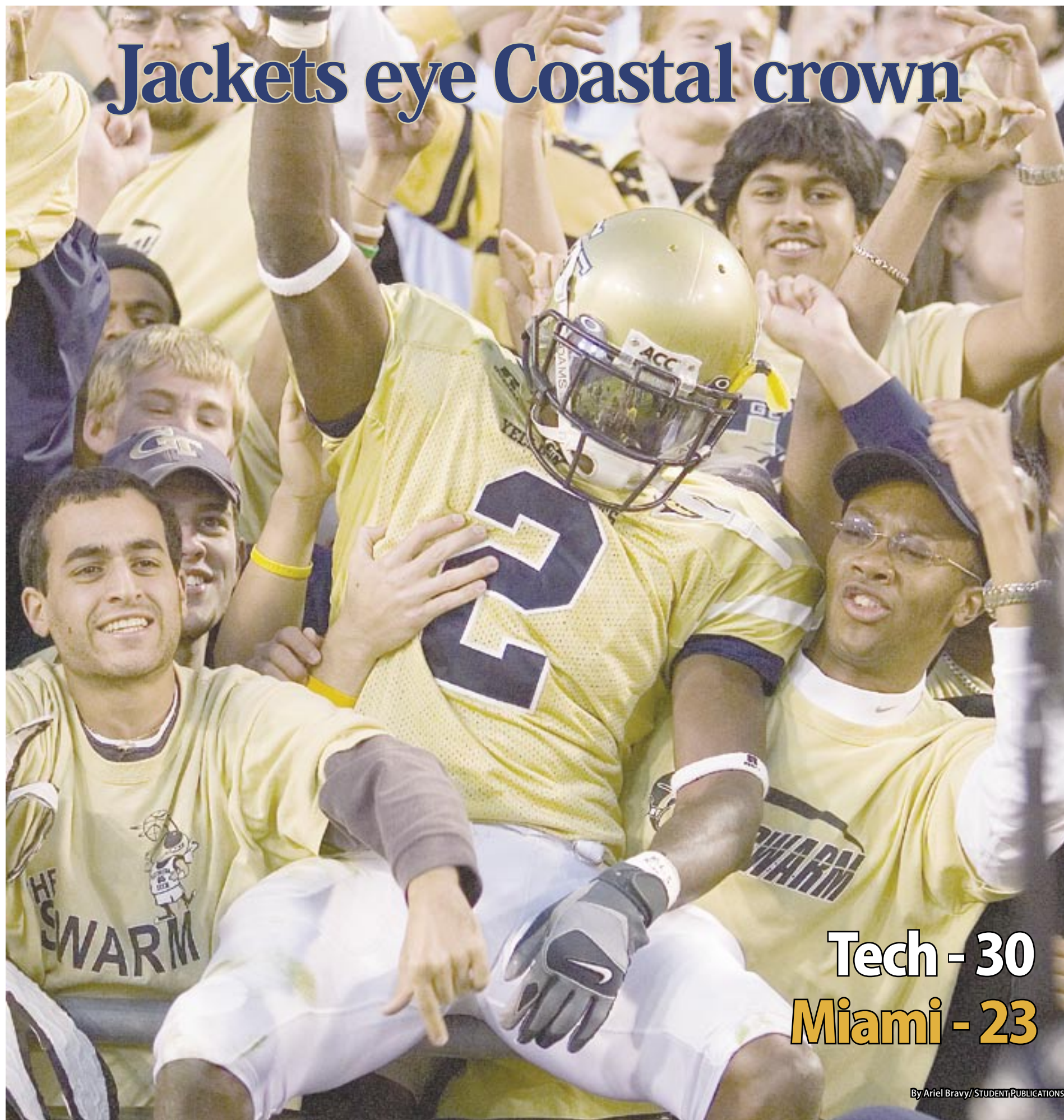
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## NIGERIA ON THE WEB

Master's student Jarome Hall is working to give students in Nigeria Internet Access. Page 11

## READY FOR BASKETBALL?

Both the men and the women hit the hardwood this week as Tech opens up the 2007 basketball season. Page 16



# Jackets eye Coastal crown

**Tech - 30**  
**Miami - 23**

By Ariel Bravy/STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

By William Bretherton  
Senior Staff Writer

Tech came into last Saturday's game with an opportunity to essentially clinch the ACC Coastal division and a spot in the ACC championship game with a win against the Miami Hurricanes. The No. 20 ranked Jackets did just that on homecoming day with a 30-23 victory.

"This was a game that we needed to have, it wasn't one that we just wanted, we needed to have it," said Head Coach Chan Gailey.

The Hurricanes would not go down easily, however. On the opening play of the game, quarterback

Reggie Ball fumbled after defensive end Calais Campbell hit him from behind. The ball bounced right into the hands of linebacker Glenn

**"This was a game that we needed to have."**

**Chan Gailey**  
Tech Head Coach

Cook on his way to an 18-yard fumble recovery for a touchdown. Miami tacked on another field goal to give the Hurricanes the early

10-0 lead.

"[We] train for tough games like these, and how to get through them," Ball said.

The Jackets battled back in the second quarter to tie the game at 13 after picking up two field goals and a 46-yard strike from Ball to James Johnson in the back of the endzone.

The Jackets defense was tested in the third quarter. The Hurricanes had the ball on one drive for 20 plays that took 7:03 off of the game clock and only resulted in a 26-yard field goal.

"When the other team gets into the red zone, we have to tighten things up. Everyone plays with more

urgency," defensive end Adamm Oliver said.

Tech tied the game again with a 39-yard field goal. The fourth quarter

**"Everyone understood that we had to score."**

**Tashard Choice**  
Tech running back

belonged to the Jackets offense. After going three for 16 in the first half, quarterback Reggie Ball recovered finishing the game eight for 11.

After a one-yard touchdown pass from Ball to Calvin Johnson, the Jackets took the 23-16 lead. After linebacker KaMichael Hall forced a fumble at the Miami 27-yard line. Running back Tashard Choice put the Hurricanes away with a 24-yard touchdown run to put Tech up 30-16, and push himself over 100 yards. It was the first time this season the Miami defense had allowed a 100 yard rusher.

"They kept getting third downs and eventually we got a chance to get back on the field. When we got back out there, everyone understood that we had to score," running back

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