



MURRAY ST. RACERS VS. #16 BETHEL LADY WILDCATS

Murray, Ky.; CFSB Center
 Thursday, Dec. 13, 2018; 6 p.m.
 TV/Web: ESPN+
 Live Audio: WNBS 1340 AM
 (PxP - Jeremy Rose)



2018-19 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time /Result
11/1	#LINDSEY WILSON	W 72-51
11/7	EVANSVILLE	W 81-53
11/10	OAKLAND CITY	W 113-55
11/13	at Butler	L 65-86
11/20	LIPSCOMB	W 97-61
11/27	at Arkansas St.	L 63-74
12/1	ALABAMA A&M	L 53-59
12/11	at Illinois	L 52-84
12/13	BETHEL (TN)	6 p.m.
12/18	SOUTHERN ILL.	5 p.m.
12/21	at Kentucky	11 a.m.
12/28	at Tennessee	6 p.m.
1/3	*MOREHEAD ST.	5 p.m.
1/5	*EASTERN KY.	5 p.m.
1/10	*at UT Martin	5:30 p.m.
1/12	*at Southeast Mo.	2 p.m.
1/17	*at Eastern Ill.	5:15 p.m.
1/19	*at SIUE	5:15 p.m.
1/24	*BELMONT	2 p.m.
1/26	*TENNESSEE ST.	5 p.m.
1/31	*at Jacksonville St.	5 p.m.
2/2	*at Tennessee Tech	11:30 p.m.
2/7	*EASTERN ILLINOIS	5:30 p.m.
2/9	*SIUE	5 p.m.
2/14	*at Eastern Ky.	4 p.m.
2/16	*at Austin Peay	2 p.m.
2/21	*UT MARTIN	5 p.m.
2/23	*SOUTHEAST MO.	5 p.m.
2/28	*at Morehead St.	4:05 p.m.
3/1	*AUSTIN PEAY	5 PM
3/6-9	OVC Tournament	TBD

* - OVC Contest
 # - Exhibition

2018-19 OVC STANDINGS

Team	OVC	Overall
Morehead State	0-0	7-2
UT Martin	0-0	6-3
Belmont	0-0	5-3
Tennessee Tech	0-0	5-3
Jacksonville State	0-0	4-3
SIUE	0-0	4-3
Eastern Illinois	0-0	4-4
Austin Peay	0-0	5-5
Southeast Missouri	0-0	4-5
Murray State	0-0	3-4
Eastern Kentucky	0-0	1-8
Tennessee State	0-0	0-9

As of Dec. 12, 2018

MURRAY STATE PROBABLE STARTERS

No.	Name	Pos.	GP/GS	FG%	3FG%	FT%	RPG	APG	PPG
00	Janika Griffith-Wallace	G	6/2	.344	.200	.778	3.7	2.7	9.2
4	Lex Mayes	G	7/7	.373	.457	.800	2.9	1.1	9.4
5	Macey Turley	G	7/7	.396	.250	.929	2.6	5.7	13.3
14	Evelyn Adebayo	F	7/7	.443	.333	.800	10.4	1.0	17.1
32	Alexis Burpo	F/G	7/4	.500	.500	.571	4.3	1.7	5.6

Key Reserves

3	DeAsia Outlaw	G	6/4	.381	1.00	.667	1.3	0.7	3.5
20	Cekeya Mack	F	7/0	.562	.000	.800	4.1	0.3	6.3
31	Brianna Crane	F	7/4	.382	.00	.643	4.6	1.0	5.0
Team			7	.417	.348	.787	41.3	15.6	74.9

BETHEL (TN) PROBABLE STARTERS

No.	Name	Pos.	GP/GS	FG%	3FG%	FT%	RPG	APG	PPG
14	Jayden Green	G	12/12	.300	.429	.625	2.0	2.8	3.2
20	Millie Bryant	G	11/11	.442	.375	.818	4.7	2.4	8.6
21	Morgan Martin	G/F	12/12	.336	.256	.875	8.0	3.4	10.8
34	Myah Taylor	F	12/12	.431	.408	.765	6.5	2.2	21.9
40	Madison Steppe	F	12/12	.375	.250	.471	2.8	0.8	4.3

Key Reserves

11	Tyasia Willis	G	11/0	.535	.000	.707	7.4	0.8	9.5
15	Ashton Hulme	G	12/1	.493	.429	.625	3.0	0.7	7.5
24	Jani Crawford	G	12/0	.300	.261	.750	2.5	0.7	3.3
Team			12	.410	.334	.695	44.2	16.0	76.4

All stats are from 2018-19

2018 RECORD BREAKDOWN

	Record	Home	Away	Neutral	OT
Overall	3-4	3-1	0-3	0-0	0-0
OVC	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

SEASON STREAKS

Overall: Lost 3 Home: Lost 1 Away: Lost 3 Neutral: --- OT: ---

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	WEB	RADIO
Dec. 18	Southern Ill.	Murray, Ky. (CFSB Center)	5 p.m.	ESPN+	1340 AM
Dec. 21	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky. (Memorial Coliseum)	11 a.m.	SECN+	1340 AM
Dec. 29	Tennessee	Knoxville, Tenn. (Thompson-Boling Arena)	6 p.m.	SECN+	1340 AM
Jan. 3	Morehead St.	Murray, Ky. (CFSB Center)	5 p.m.	ESPN+	104.5 FM
Jan. 5	Eastern Ky.	Murray, Ky. (CFSB Center)	5 p.m.	ESPN+	1340 AM

LAST TIME OUT

at Illinois (L 52-84)

Dec. 11 at State Farm Center

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.- The Racers dropped a non-conference affair to Illinois Tuesday, 84-52, in Champaign. The Racers just could not find their offensive stroke in the game, shooting 30-percent or below in each of the first three quarters. In the third quarter, the Racers did outscore the Illini, 18-16, but it was too little, too late, as they fell for third time in as many games on the road this season. Evelyn Adebayo was 3-for-6 from 3-point range and 6-for-6 from the free throw line to lead the Racers with 23 points and 13 rebounds for her fourth double-double of the season. Macey Turley followed with 13 points to go along with four assists.

TODAY'S OPPONENT:

vs. #16 Bethel (TN) Wildcats


Dec. 13, 2018

6 p.m.

CFSB Center

SERIES HISTORY: The Racers are 7-2 all-time against the Lady Wildcats and have won each of the last seven meetings, including the lone clash in McKenzie. The two wins by Bethel came in the first two meeting of the series back in 1929 and 1930.

SCOUTING REPORT: The 16th-ranked Lady Wildcats enter Thursday at 10-2 on the season with two wins over two NAIA-D1 Top 25 teams, while both losses were to team currently ranked ahead of them in the poll. The Wildcats currently average 76.4 points per game, while allowing 58.5. Myah Taylor currently leads Bethel with 21.9 points per game, while Morgan Martin follows at 10.8. Martin also leads the team in rebounds per game at 8.0, while Taylor follows at 6.5

MURRAY STATE VS. BETHEL (TN)		RACERS - 7 WINS, LADY WILDCATS - 2 WINS	
	Bethel (TN) Quick Facts		
	Founded: 1842 Location: McKenzie, Tenn. Colors: Orange & Blue Enrollment: 7,600	Conference: Southern States (NAIA-I) Arena: Crisp Arena (2,400) 2017-18 Rec.: 20-11 (11-4, 3rd SSAC) Postseason: L 1st Rd. NAIA	Head Coach: Chris Nelson Alma Mater: Bethel (TN) '01 Overall Record (season): 270-134 (13th) BET Record (season): Same
Last 3 vs. BET:	Current Streaks vs. BET:	All-Time vs. BET:	MSU-BET Series Misc.:
11/27/17 @MUR W 81-76 11/18/08 @MUR W 100-68 11/13/07 @MUR W 91-62	Overall: Won 7 Home: Won 7 Away: WOn 1	Home: 6-2 Away: 1-0 Neutral: 0-0	First Meeting: 2/25/29 @MUR L 26-29 Largest MSU Win: 1/6/32 @MUR W 83-14 Largest BET Win: 1/21/30 @MUR L 23-28

2018-19 MURRAY STATE ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Janika Griffith-Wallace	G	5-9	So.	Brampton, Ontario (Tech Academy at Sault Ste Marie)
1	Raegan Blackburn	G	5-8	Fr.	Greenville, Ky. (Muhlenberg County HS)
2	Sadie Hill	F/G	6-0	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Perry Meridian HS)
3	DeAsia Outlaw	G	5-11	Jr.	Henderson, Ky. (Wabash Valley CC)
4	Lex Mayes	G	5-7	Fr.	Murray, Ky. (Murray HS)
5	Macey Turley	G	5-6	Fr.	Murray, Ky. (Murray HS)
11	Paige Barrett	G/F	5-10	So.	Scottsburg, Ind. (Scottsburg HS)
14	Evelyn Adebayo	F	6-0	Jr.	London, England (Gardner-Webb)
20	Cekeya Mack	F	6-0	Jr.	Albany, Ga. (Albany Tech)
31	Brianna Crane	F	6-0	So.	Birmingham, Ala. (Ramsay HS)
32	Alexis Burpo	F/G	5-10	Fr.	Murray, Ky. (Murray HS)
33	Michaela Manley	G	5-10	Sr.	Benton, Ky. (Marshall County HS)
44	Macie Gibson	F	6-1	Fr.	Booneville, Ky. (Owsley County HS)

Head Coach: Rechelle Turner (Murray St., 1996), 2nd Season

Assistant Coaches: Amber Guffey (Murray St., 2009), 2nd Season;
Jauwan Scaife (Ball St., 2012), 1st Season; Monica Evans, 2nd Season

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

JANIKA Griffith-Wallace Juh-nee-kuh
Evelyn ADEBAYO Add-uh-buy-oh
CEKEYA Mack Suh-key-uh
RECHELLE Turner Ruh-shell
JAUWAN Scaife Juh-wahn

2018-19 BETHEL (TN) ROSTER

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown (Previous School)
10	Emma Christiansen	So.	G	5-10	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Providence Christian Academy)
11	Tyasia Willis	Jr.	F	5-10	Camden, MS (Pearl River CC)
14	Jayden Green	Fr.	G	5-5	Gleason, Tenn. (Gleason HS)
15	Ashton Hulme	Fr.	F	5-9	Jackson, Tenn. (University School of Jackson)
20	Millie Bryant	So.	G	5-9	Dresden, Tenn. (Dresden HS)
21	Morgan Martin	Jr.	G/F	5-7	Bradford, Tenn. (Bradford HS)
22	Tasia Jones	Fr.	G	5-5	Martin, Tenn. (Westview HS)
24	Jani Crawford	So.	G	5-8	Dyersburg, Tenn. (Dyersburg HS)
30	Brandi Goodman	Sr.	F/C	6-2	Union City, Tenn. (Memphis)
34	Myah Taylor	Sr.	F	5-10	Dyersburg, Tenn. (UT Martin)
40	Madison Steppee	Sr.	F	6-1	Erin, Tenn. (Houston County HS)
44	Jesica Keith	So.	F	5-10	Huntingdon, Tenn. (Huntingdon HS)

Head Coach: Chris Nelson (Bethel (TN), 2001), 13th Season

Assistant Coaches: Meagan Price (Mo. Baptist, 2011), 1st Season; Jennifer Nelson (Union [TN]), 4th Season

HOW THEY RANK - TEAM

Statistic	Rank	Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Leader	Value
Assist Turnover Ratio (349 ranked)	65	2	1.04	Oregon	1.93	Morehead St.	1.19
Assists (349 ranked)	205	7	109	Drake	221	Morehead St.	185
Assists Per Game (349 ranked)	80	3	15.6	Baylor	24.3	Morehead St.	20.6
Blocked Shots (346 ranked)	204	6	24	Mississippi St.	72	Southeast Mo. St.	39
Blocked Shots Per Game (349 ranked)	148	5	3.4	Mississippi St.	8.0	Jacksonville St.	4.6
Defensive Rebounds per Game (30 ranked)				Baylor	35		
Fewest Fouls (345 ranked)	6	1	101	Montana	93	Murray St.	101
Fewest Turnovers (349 ranked)	28	3	105	Longwood West Virginia	86 86	SIUE	96
Field-Goal Percentage (349 ranked)	121	3	41.7	Baylor	55.9	Morehead St.	49.5
Field-Goal Percentage Defense (349 ranked)	276	8	42.4	Baylor	29.7	Jacksonville St.	35.2
Free Throw Attempts (349 ranked)	280	8	122	Arkansas St.	262	UT Martin	189
Free Throws Made (349 ranked)	202	7	96	Western Ky.	171	UT Martin	139
Free-Throw Percentage (349 ranked)	17	1	78.7	Oregon	84.8	Murray St.	78.7
Offensive Rebounds per Game (29 ranked)				Troy	22	Tennessee St.	16
Personal Fouls Per Game (349 ranked)	29	1	14.4	Youngstown St.	11.6	Murray St.	14.4
Rebound Margin (349 ranked)	76	2	5.4	Baylor	18.9	Morehead St.	7.1
Rebounds (349 ranked)	264	10	289	Brown	491	Austin Peay	368
Rebounds Per Game (349 ranked)	71	1	41.29	Troy	49.38	Murray St. Jacksonville St.	41.29 41.29
Scoring Defense (349 ranked)	239	8	67.4	Drexel	46.0	Jacksonville St.	54.6
Scoring Margin (349 ranked)	110	5	7.4	Mississippi St.	41.8	Morehead St.	22.6
Scoring Offense (349 ranked)	63	3	74.9	Oregon	93.1	Morehead St.	89.3
Steals (349 ranked)	146	6	72	Western Ill.	134	Morehead St.	124
Steals Per Game (349 ranked)	53	5	10.3	Savannah St.	17.9	Morehead St.	13.8
Three Pt FG Defense (349 ranked)	150	7	30.0	Miami (OH)	19.0	SIUE	21.4
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted (148 ranked)				DePaul	371	Austin Peay	275
Three-Point Field Goals Made (349 ranked)	216	9	46	DePaul	129	Austin Peay	93
Three-Point Field Goals Per Game (349 ranked)	133	7	6.6	DePaul	12.9	Belmont	9.9
Three-Point Field-Goal Percentage (349 ranked)	69	1	34.8	St. Francis Brooklyn	44.8	Murray St.	34.8
Turnover Margin (349 ranked)	100	6	2.43	Kentucky	11.80	Morehead St.	8.00
Turnovers Forced (349 ranked)	151	9	17.43	Prairie View	28.17	Morehead St.	25.33
Turnovers Per Game (349 ranked)	95	4	15.0	Fordham	10.6	SIUE	13.7
Won-Lost Percentage (342 ranked)	232	10	42.9	18 teams tied	100.0	Morehead St.	77.8

HOW THEY RANK - INDIVIDUAL

Statistic	Player	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
Assist Turnover Ratio (250 ranked)	Macey Turley	117	5	1.90	Jazzmun Holmes, Mississippi St.	5.44	Darby Maggard, Belmont	2.80
Assists (148 ranked)	Macey Turley	90	2	40	Shania Johnson, Stony Brook	90	Darianne Seward, Morehead St.	41
Assists Per Game (242 ranked)	Macey Turley	32	1	5.7	Aisia Robertson, New Mexico	9.3	Macey Turley, Murray St.	5.7
Blocked Shots (139 ranked)					Channon Fluker, CSUN	37	Anacia Wilkinson, Tennessee Tech	21
Blocked Shots Per Game (234 ranked)	Cekeya Mack	195	5	1.14	Jaquanna Murray, South Carolina St.	3.86	Anacia Wilkinson, Tennessee Tech	2.63
Defensive Rebounds per Game (29 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	13	1	8	Regan Magarity, Virginia Tech	12	Evelyn Adebayo, Murray St.	8
Double Doubles (33 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	33	1	4	4 players tied	8	Evelyn Adebayo, Murray St.	4
Field Goal Attempts (147 ranked)					Roxy Barahman, Yale	233	Tesia Thompson, Southeast Mo. St.	128
Field Goals Made (147 ranked)					Megan Gustafson, Iowa	93	Miranda Crockett, Morehead St.	75
Field-Goal Percentage (250 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	200	6	44.3	Naz Hillmon, Michigan	76.1	Miranda Crockett, Morehead St.	60.0
Final Points (194 ranked)					Roxy Barahman, Yale	246	Miranda Crockett, Morehead St.	182
Free Throw Attempts (147 ranked)					Madison Hovren, Army West Point	79	Tesia Thompson, Southeast Mo. St.	68
Free Throws Made (135 ranked)					Cierra Dillard, Buffalo	69	Tesia Thompson, Southeast Mo. St.	47
Free-Throw Percentage (250 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	144	5	80.0	Toshua Leavitt, Texas St.	100.0	Keisha Gregory, Austin Peay	93.8
Minutes Played (150 ranked)					Roxy Barahman, Yale	442:01	Adrianna Murphy, Southeast Mo. St.	309:00
Minutes Played Per Game (150 ranked)					Danielle Sanderlin, Canisius	42.09	Adrianna Murphy, Southeast Mo. St.	34.33
Offensive Rebounds per Game (24 ranked)					Kennedy Nicholas, Sacramento St.	7	Arielle Gonzalez-Varner, Austin Peay	4
Points Per Game (247 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	91	3	17.1	Cierra Dillard, Buffalo	25.8	Miranda Crockett, Morehead St.	20.2
Rebounds (146 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	111	2	73	Regan Magarity, Virginia Tech	130	Arielle Gonzalez-Varner, Austin Peay	89
Rebounds Per Game (250 ranked)	Evelyn Adebayo	32	1	10.4	Regan Magarity, Virginia Tech	14.4	Evelyn Adebayo, Murray St.	10.4
Steals (135 ranked)					Erica Haynes-Overton, ETSU	54	Adrianna Murphy, Southeast Mo. St.	31
Steals Per Game (243 ranked)	Lex Mayes	164	10	2.00	Erica Haynes-Overton, ETSU	4.50	Adrianna Murphy, Southeast Mo. St.	3.44
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted (144 ranked)					Katie Bengan, Harvard	96	Darby Maggard, Belmont	65
					Gabrielle Rush, Princeton	96		
Three-Point Field Goals Made (138 ranked)					Lauren Loven, Denver	41	Darby Maggard, Belmont	24
Three-Point Field Goals Per Game (242 ranked)	Lex Mayes	154	6	2.29	Taylor Robertson, Oklahoma	4.44	Darby Maggard, Belmont	3.00
Three-Point Field-Goal Percentage (239 ranked)	Lex Mayes	38	1	45.7	Shalexus Aaron, Southern California	70.4	Lex Mayes, Murray St.	45.7
Triple Doubles (3 ranked)					Sabrina Ionescu, Oregon	2		
					Ashley Bolston, Portland St.	2		

THE INSIDE TRACK

GAME 8 NOTES - BET

A WIN THURSDAY WOULD...

Snap a three-game skid by the Racers which includes losses at Arkansas State and Illinois and at home against Alabama A&M.

FOUR & COUNTING

Evelyn Adebayo notched her fourth double-double of the season at Illinois with a career-high 23 points and 13 rebounds, which tied her previous career best.

BEST BEHAVIOR

The Racers continue to be one of the most disciplined teams in the nation as they have committed the sixth fewest fouls in the country. The Racers currently have 101 fouls on the season, while leader Montana has 94.

OK, WHAT'S NEXT?

The Racers close out a two-game mini home stand next Tuesday, Dec. 17 when they host region rival Southern Illinois at 5 p.m. The game will mark the Racers final appearance at the CFSB Center in 2018.

GAME 7 NOTES - ILL

A WIN TUESDAY WOULD...

Give the Racers their first win over a Big Ten program. MSU is currently 0-4 against the power five league going with two losses against Indiana and one each against Purdue and Illinois.

DOIN' WORK

Through the first six games this season, Evelyn Adebayo has had three double-doubles. She is currently averaging 16.2 points and 10.0 rebounds per game placing her fourth and second in each category, respectively.

GAME 6 NOTES - AAMU

A WIN SATURDAY WOULD...

Give the Racers just their third 4-0 start at home since 2008-09. The only other previous time the Racer won their first four at The Bank was two seasons ago in 2016-17.

MOVIN' ON UP

With their 18-for-20 performance at the charity stripe Tuesday at Arkansas State, the Racers skyrocketed from 10th to 4th nationally in free throw percentage. MSU is currently shooting 82.2 percent from the free throw line, while DePaul leads the nation at 85.0.

DANGEROUS FROM DOWNTOWN

As a team, Murray State currently has the seventh best three-point shooting percentage in the nation at 41.8 and the nation's 12th-best three-point shooter in Lex Mayes, who is making 55.2-percent of her three-point attempts. St. Francis Brooklyn currently paces the nation in team percentage at 44.4, while Shalexxus Aaron leads individually at 72.7 percent.

BEASTS UNDERNEATH

The Racers currently lead the OVC in both rebounds per game and rebound margin. MSU currently averages 43.0 boards per game, while outrebounding their opponents by an average of 9.6 rebounds per game. Those numbers currently place the Racers 47th nationally in rebounds per game and 27th in rebound margin.

GAME 5 NOTES - ASU

A WIN TUESDAY WOULD...

Give the Racers their first win over a program that sponsors FBS football since 2012 when they defeated Ball State at home, 63-53.

RANK AND FILE

Murray State currently ranks in the top 10 nationally in three separate categories. They are 10th in free throw percentage at 80.0, eighth in scoring offense at 89.0 and fifth in fewest fouls at 54.

EIGHT IS GREAT

In three of their four games this season, the Racers have limited their opponents to just eight points in the opening stanza. They did so against Evansville, Oakland City and Lipscomb and went 3-0 in those contests.

THREE FOR ALL

Macey Turley kept Murray State's streak of winning a weekly award alive Tuesday when she was named as the OVC Freshman of the Week for the second time this season.

A FRIENDLY FACE

Arkansas State assistant Todd Buchanan is no stranger to the Racers, as he is a 1995 graduate of Murray State. In addition to his time as a student at Murray State, Buchanan served as an assistant for the Racer women from 1992-1995 and also coached at three local high schools; Lyon County, Calloway County and Murray.

GAME 4 NOTES - LIP

A WIN TUESDAY WOULD...

Give the Racers their first three-game win-streak at home since 2016-17 when they posted wins over MacMurray, Tennessee State and Eastern Illinois (Dec. 12 -Jan. 11).

BACK-TO-BACK

Although she did come up just short of her third straight double-double against Butler, Evelyn Adebayo was named as the OVC Newcomer of the Week, giving the Racers a weekly winner in each of the first two weeks of the season. Macey Turley was the first winner for Murray State, taking home freshman honors last week.

TURNOVER TROUBLE

The Racers committed a season-high 23 turnovers against Butler, leading directly to 27 points for the Bulldogs. The game also marked the first-time this year that MSU had finished a game with more turnovers than assists (11).

GAME 3 NOTES - BUT

DOUBLE YOUR FUN

For the second time in as many games, Evelyn Adebayo notched a double-double. Through two games this season she is averaging 18.0 points per game and 11.5 rebounds.

BIG NUMBERS

The Racers scored 113 points against Oakland City Saturday for the fourth most points in school single-game history. In addition, the Racers' 40-made field goals is the 11th most in program history.

SPREADING THE LOVE

All 12 eligible players played for the Racers with 11 of them tallying points. Of the 11 players that scored in the game, seven reached double digits.

GAME 2 NOTES - OAK

OPENING STATEMENT

MSU's win Wednesday was the first in a season opener against a Division I team since beating the Purple Aces to start the 2011-12 season, as well as the largest margin of victory against any Division I opponents since a 32 point win over Alabama A&M in 2016-17.

THE INSIDE TRACK

HISTORIC DEBUT

With game-highs of 18 points and 10 rebounds, Evelyn Adebayo became the first known Racer to debut with a double-double (single-game records dating back to 1997-98) Wednesday versus Evansville.

QUICK TURNAROUND

In Wednesday's opener, the Racers addressed two areas of concerns from the exhibition Thursday night, three-point and free throw shooting. The Racers were just 1-for-13 (7.7%) from three and 19-for-35 (54.3%) in their lone exhibition. However, on Wednesday, MSU was 7-for-10 (70.0%) from the stripe and 10-for-20 (50.0 %) from beyond the arc.

GAME 1 NOTES - UE

LIFTING THE LID

Murray State opens its 52nd season of women's basketball Wednesday and is 22-30 all-time in season openers and 26-23 in home openers. The Racers are 4-4 all-time against UE in season openers and 3-3 against the Purple Aces in home openers.

SHAKING THE DUST OFF

The Racers won their only exhibition of the year last Thursday, 72-51 over Lindsey Wilson. After sitting out last season due to NCAA transfer rules, Evelyn Adebayo easily got back in the groove and led MSU with 21 points, while Janika Griffith-Wallace posted a double-double with 13 points and 11 rebounds.

NEXT ONE UP

The Racers return just 20.4 percent of their scoring from last year with the most notable loss being the 2017-18 OVC Player of the Year, Ke'Shunna James. Brianna Crane will lead all returners this season after averaging 7.2 points and 5.7 rebounds per game last season.

HEAD COACH RECEHELLE TURNER

2ND SEASON AT MSU/2ND SEASON OVERALL

TURNER'S CAREER YEAR-BY-YEAR COACHING RECORD

Year	Team	OVERALL			OVC			POSTSEASON		
		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2017-18	Murray St.	11	19	.367	7	11	.389	0	1	.000
2018-19	Murray St.	3	4	.429	---	---	.000	-	-	.000
TOTAL		14	23	.378	7	11	.389	0	1	.000
OT		0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	1	.000

TURNER VS. THE COMPETITION

OPPONENT	RECORD	OPPONENT	RECORD
Austin Peay*	1-1	Lipscomb	1-1
Alabama	1-0	Louisville	0-1
Alabama A&M	0-2	Mississippi Valley St.	1-0
Arkansas St.	0-1	Morehead St.*	0-2
Belmont*	0-2	UNC Greensboro	1-0
Bethel (TN)	1-0	Oakland City	1-0
Butler	0-2	Northern Kentucky	1-0
Evansville	1-1	Southern Illinois	0-0
ETSU	0-1	SIUE*	0-2
Eastern Illinois*	2-0	Southeast Missouri*	0-2
Eastern Kentucky*	1-0	Tennessee	0-0
Illinois	0-1	Tennessee State*	1-0
Jacksonville State*	0-2	Tennessee Tech*	2-0
Kentucky	0-0	UT Martin*	0-2

2018 Opponents Listed In BOLD

*Indicates OVC Opponent

THE RACERS ARE....

3-4	...Overall	1-3	...Bench outscored by Opp. bench	3-2	...in November
	...vs. OVC		...Tied, bench scoring	0-2	...in December
3-4	...vs. Non-Conference	3-1	...Outrebound Opponent		...in January
		0-3	...Outrebounded by Opponent		...in February
			...Tied, rebounds		...in March
		4-2	...More FTM than Opponent		
3-0	...Leading at Half		...Less FTM than Opponent		...on Mondays
0-4	...Trailing at Half	0-1	...Tied, FTM	1-3	...on Tuesdays
	...Tied at Half	3-1	...More 3FGM than Opponent	1-0	...on Wednesdays
	...In Overtime	0-3	...Less 3FGM than Opponent		...on Thursdays
3-0	...Outshoot Opponent (%)		...Tied, 3FGM		...on Fridays
0-4	...Outshot by Opponent (%)	0-3	...More turnovers than Opponent	1-1	...on Saturdays
	...Tied opponent, shooting (%)	3-1	...Less turnovers than Opponent		...on Sundays
3-1	...Shoot .400 or better		...Tied, turnovers		
0-3	...Shoot under .400	0-2	...Score ≤ 60		...in the Afternoon (Before 4 p.m.)
0-3	...Opponent shoot .400 or better	3-0	...Score 75+	3-4	...in the Evenings (4 p.m. or After)
3-1	...Opponent shoot under .400	2-1	...Opponents Score ≤ 60		
2-1	...Bench outscores Opp. bench	0-2	...Opponents Score 75+		

2018 SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	OT	Total
Murray St.	118	120	144	142	524	472
Avg.	16.9	17.1	20.6	20.3	0.0	74.9
Opponents	91	138	129	114	0	472
Avg.	13.0	19.7	18.4	16.3	0.0	64.7

BENCH SCORING

RACERS	OPPONENTS
Season Avg.: 25.3	Season Avg.: 28.0
Team High: 60 (OCU, 11/10)	Team High: 36 (ASU, 11/27)
Team Low: 8 (ASU, 11/27)	Team Low: 13 (AAMU, 12/1)
Individual High: 14 - Burpo (OCU, 11/10)	Individual High: 17 - Hammaker (LIP, 11/20)

2018 WON-LOST MARGINS

Margin	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Won By															
Lost By						1					1				
Margin	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30+
Won By													1		2
Lost By						1									1

2018-19 TEAM HIGHS & LOWS - RACERS

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Total Points	113 - OCU, 11/10	52 - ILL, 12/11
Points In A Quarter	33 - [3rd, 4th] OCU, 11/10	6 - [2nd] AAMU, 12/1; [1st] ILL, 12/11
Overtime Points	---	---
FG Made	40 - OCU, 11/10	19 - ILL, 12/11
FG Attempted	79 - OCU, 11/10	55 - BUT, 11/13
FG%	50.7 - LIP, 11/20	27.1 - ILL, 12/11
3PT FG Made	14 - LIP, 11/20	0 - AAMU, 12/1
3PT FG Attempted	26 - LIP, 11/20	11 - ASU, 11/27; AAMU, 12/1
3PT FG%	58.3 - LIP, 11/20	0.0 - AAMU, 12/1
FT Made	28 - OCU, 11/10	7 - UE, 11/7
FT Attempted	34 - OCU, 11/10	10 - UE, 11/7; BUT, 11/13
FT%	90.0 - ASU, 11/27	65.0 - AAMU, 12/1
Rebounds	57 - OCU, 11/10	29 - BUT, 11/13
Offensive Rebounds	20 - OCU, 11/10	7 - AAMU, 12/1
Defensive Rebounds	37 - OCU, 11/10	19 - BUT, 11/13
Assists	23 - OCU, 11/10	9 - LIP, 11/20; ASU, 11/27
Steals	24 - OCU, 11/10	4 - UE, 11/7
Turnovers	23 - BUT, 11/13; ASU, 11/27	9 - LIP, 11/20
Blocked Shots	5 - LIP, 11/20	1 - ILL, 12/11
Assist/Turnover Ratio	2.5 - LIP, 11/20	0.4 - ASU, 11/27
Fouls	25 - ASU, 11/27	9 - ILL, 12/11

2018-19 TEAM HIGHS & LOWS - OPPONENTS

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Total Points	86 - BUT, 11/13	53 - UE, 11/7
Points In A Quarter	28 - [2nd] ILL, 12/11	8 - 3 Times
Overtime Points	---	---
FG Made	36 - BUT, 11/13	19 - OCU, 11/10
FG Attempted	68 - BUT, 11/13	58 - AAMU, 12/1
FG%	56.5 - ILL, 12/11	32.2 - OCU, 11/10
3PT FG Made	8 - ILL, 12/11	3 - 3 Times
3PT FG Attempted	24 - ILL, 12/11	10 - AAMU, 12/1
3PT FG%	43.8 - ASU, 11/27	20.0 - UE, 11/7; OCU, 11/10
FT Made	17 - ASU, 11/27	6 - UE, 11/7; ILL, 12/11
FT Attempted	30 - ASU, 11/27	8 - UE, 11/7
FT%	81.8 - LIP, 11/20	56.7 - ASU, 11/27
Rebounds	44 - AAMU, 12/1	27 - OCU, 11/10
Offensive Rebounds	16 - ASU, 11/27	6 - OCU, 11/10
Defensive Rebounds	34 - AAMU, 12/1	20 - BUT, 11/13
Assists	23 - ILL, 12/11	6 - UE, 11/7
Steals	17 - BUT, 11/13	4 - LIP, 11/20; ILL, 12/11
Turnovers	32 - OCU, 11/10	11 - ILL, 12/11
Blocked Shots	8 - ILL, 12/11	0 - LIP, 11/20
Assist/Turnover Ratio	2.1 - ILL, 12/11	0.3 - OCU, 11/10; LIP, 11/20
Fouls	21 - OCU, 11/10; ASU, 11/27	12 - BUT, 11/13; ILL, 12/11

2018-19 INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

CATEGORY	MURRAY STATE	OPPONENT
Total Points	23 - Adebayo (ILL, 12/11)	24 - Jennings (BUT, 11/13)
Points In A Quarter	11 [4th] - Adebayo (ILL, 12/11)	11 [1st] - Jennings (BUT, 11/13)
Overtime Points	---	---
FG Made	9 - Adebayo (UE, 11/7)	11 - Wittinger (ILL, 12/11)
FG Attempted	22 - Adebayo (ILL, 12/11)	14 - Westbrook (ASU, 11/27)
3PT FG Made	5 - Mayes (BUT, 11/13)	3 - 3 Players
3PT FG Attempted	7 - Turley (BUT, 11/13); Mayes (LIP, 11/20)	8 - Kmec (LIP, 11/20)
FT Made	6 - 3 Players	5 - Pye (AAMU, 12/1)
FT Attempted	7 - Adebayo (OCU, 11/10)	7 - Pittman (OCU, 11/10)
Rebounds	13 - Adebayo (OCU, 11/10), (ILL, 12/11)	11 - Dotson (AAMU, 12/1)
Offensive Rebounds	5 - Mack (ASU, 11/27)	4 - 3 Players
Defensive Rebounds	10 - Adebayo (AAMU, 12/1)	7 - Morrow (LIP, 11/20)
Assists	9 - Turley (UE, 11/7)	9 - Dotson (AAMU, 12/1)
Steals	4 - Mack (OCU, 11/10)	5 - Weaver, Jennings (BUT, 11/13)
Turnovers	6 - Griffith-Wallace (OCU, 11/10); Adebayo (ASU, 11/27)	10 - Sanford (OCU, 11/10)
Blocks	3 - Mack (ASU, 11/27)	4 - Coffman (UE, 11/7); Elder (ASU, 11/27)
Minutes	39 - Turley (ASU, 11/27)	40 - Westbrook (ASU, 11/27)

2018-19 GAME-BY-GAME INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Game	Points	Rebounds	Assists	Steals	Blocks
11/7 - Evansville	18 - Adebayo	10 - Adebayo	9 - Turley	3 - Turley	1 - 4 Players
11/10 - Oakland City	18 - Adebayo	13 - Adebayo	7 - Turley	4 - Mack	1 - 2 Players
11/13 - at Butler	15 - Adebayo, Mayes	9 - Adebayo	5 - Turley	3 - Outlaw, Turley	2 - Mack
11/20 - Lipscomb	21 - Turley	9 - Adebayo	6 - Turley	3 - Griffith-Wallace	2 - Burpo
11/27 - at Arkansas St.	18 - Adebayo	9 - Adebayo	5 - Turley	2 - Burpo, Crane	3 - Mack
12/1 - Alabama A&M	15 - Adebayo	10 - Adebayo	4 - Turley	3 - Mayes	1 - 3 Players
12/11 - at Illinois	23- Adebayo	13 - Adebayo	4 - Turley	2 - Mayes, Adebayo	1 - Manley
12/13 - Bethel (TN)					
12//18 - Southern Ill.					
12/21 - at Kentucky					
12/28 - at Tennessee					
1/3 - Morehead St.					
1/5 - Eastern Ky.					
1/10 - at UT Martin					
1/12 - at Southeast Mo.					
1/17 - at Eastern Ill.					
1/19 - at SIUE					
1/24 - Belmont					
1/26 - Tennessee St.					
1/31 - at Jacksonville State					
2/2 -at Tennessee Tech					
2/7 - Eastern Ill.					
2/9 - SIUE					
2/14 - at Eastern Ky.					
2/116 - at Austin Peay					
2/21 - UT Martin					
2/23 - Southeast Mo.					
2/28 - at Morehead St.					
3/2 - Austin Peay					

Bold Italics Indicates Team Season-High

2018-19 STARTERS BY GAME

Game	1 - G	2 - G	3 - G/F	4 - F	5 - C
11/7 - Evansville	Turley	Mayes	Outlaw	Crane	Adebayo
11/10 - Oakland City	Turley	Mayes	Griffith-Wallace	Crane	Adebayo
11/13 - at Butler	Turley	Mayes	Outlaw	Crane	Adebayo
11/20 - Lipscomb	Turley	Mayes	Outlaw	Burpo	Adebayo
11/27 - at Arkansas St.	Turley	Mayes	Outlaw	Burpo	Adebayo
12/1 - Alabama A&M	Turley	Mayes	Crane	Burpo	Adebayo
12/11 - at Illinois	Turley	Mayes	Griffith-Wallace	Burpo	Adebayo
12/13 - Bethel (TN)					
12/18 - Southern Ill.					
12/21 - at Kentucky					
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1/31 - at Jacksonville State					
2/2 - at Tennessee Tech					
2/7 - Eastern Ill.					
2/9 - SIUE					
2/14 - at Eastern Ky.					
2/16 - at Austin Peay					
2/21 - UT Martin					
2/23 - Southeast Mo.					
2/28 - at Morehead St.					
3/2 - Austin Peay					

2018-19 DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Player	Game	Category 1	Category 2
Evelyn Adebayo	Evansville	18 Points	10 Rebounds
Evelyn Adebayo	Oakland City	18 Points	13 Rebounds
Evelyn Adebayo	Alabama A&M	15 Points	10 Rebounds
Ev elyn Adebayo	Illinois	23 Points	13 Rebounds

2018-19 HONORS

Evelyn Adebayo OVC Newcomer of the Week - 11/20	Macey Turley OVC Freshman of the Week - 11/13 OVC Freshman of the Week - 11/27	

2018-19 STATISTICS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-4	3-1	0-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-4	3-1	0-3	0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
14	Adebayo, Evelyn	7-7	194	27.7	43-97	.443	6-18	.333	28-35	.800	16	57	73	10.4	12	1	7	19	1	8	120	17.1
05	Turley, Macey	7-7	226	32.3	36-91	.396	8-32	.250	13-14	.929	6	12	18	2.6	16	0	40	21	2	12	93	13.3
04	Mayes, Lex	7-7	211	30.1	19-51	.373	16-35	.457	12-15	.800	6	14	20	2.9	15	0	8	7	2	14	66	9.4
00	Griffith-Wallace, J.	6-2	146	24.3	22-64	.344	4-20	.200	7-9	.778	6	16	22	3.7	8	0	16	16	0	9	55	9.2
44	Gibson, Macie	2-0	25	12.5	5-6	.833	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	3	4	7	3.5	2	0	2	0	1	0	13	6.5
20	Mack, Cekeya	7-0	103	14.7	18-32	.563	0-0	.000	8-10	.800	11	18	29	4.1	13	0	2	4	8	7	44	6.3
32	Burpo, Alexis	7-4	129	18.4	15-30	.500	5-10	.500	4-7	.571	11	19	30	4.3	9	0	12	9	3	3	39	5.6
31	Crane, Brianna	7-4	146	20.9	13-34	.382	0-0	.000	9-14	.643	10	22	32	4.6	5	0	7	10	2	6	35	5.0
33	Manley, Michaela	5-0	52	10.4	6-16	.375	4-11	.364	2-2	1.000	0	6	6	1.2	2	0	6	3	1	3	18	3.6
03	Outlaw, DeAsia	7-4	107	15.3	8-22	.364	1-2	.500	4-6	.667	4	4	8	1.1	11	0	4	8	1	6	21	3.0
11	Barrett, Paige	5-0	24	4.8	3-7	.429	0-1	.000	6-6	1.000	5	2	7	1.4	4	0	1	2	1	2	12	2.4
01	Blackburn, Raegan	3-0	9	3.0	1-3	.333	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	1.0
02	Hill, Sadie	6-0	27	4.5	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.5	3	0	4	0	2	2	5	0.8
	Team										14	20	34					5				
	Total.....	7	1399		191-458	.417	46-132	.348	96-122	.787	92	197	289	41.3	101	1	109	105	24	72	524	74.9
	Opponents.....	7	1402		183-432	.424	36-120	.300	70-103	.680	71	180	251	35.9	116	-	89	122	24	53	472	67.4

TEAM STATISTICS	MUR	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	524	472	11/07/18	EVANSVILLE	w 81-53	585
Points per game	74.9	67.4	11/10/18	OAKLAND CITY	w 113-55	938
Scoring margin	+7.4	-	11/13/18	at Butler	L 65-86	484
FIELD GOALS-ATT	191-458	183-432	11/20/18	LIPSCOMB	w 97-61	448
Field goal pct	.417	.424	11/27/18	at Arkansas St.	L 63-74	719
3 POINT FG-ATT	46-132	36-120	12/01/18	ALABAMA A&M	L 53-59	762
3-point FG pct	.348	.300	12/11/18	at Illinois	L 52-84	986
3-pt FG made per game	6.6	5.1	* - OVC game			
FREE THROWS-ATT	96-122	70-103				
Free throw pct	.787	.680				
F-Throws made per game	13.7	10.0				
REBOUNDS	289	251				
Rebounds per game	41.3	35.9				
Rebounding margin	+5.4	-				
ASSISTS	109	89				
Assists per game	15.6	12.7				
TURNOVERS	105	122				
Turnovers per game	15.0	17.4				
Turnover margin	+2.4	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	0.7				
STEALS	72	53				
Steals per game	10.3	7.6				
BLOCKS	24	24				
Blocks per game	3.4	3.4				
ATTENDANCE	2733	2189				
Home games-Avg/Game	4-683	3-730				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
Murray St.	118	120	144	142	524
Opponents	91	138	129	114	472



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G ■ 5-9 ■ So.
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G ■ 5-8 ■ Fr.
Greenville, Ky.



**SADIE
HILL**
G/F ■ 6-0 ■ Fr.
Indianapolis, Ind



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OUTLAW**
G ■ 5-11 ■ Jr.
Henderson, Ky.



**LEX
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G ■ 5-7 ■ Fr.
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