



2020-21

Men's Basketball Game Notes

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2020-21 Schedule and Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 27	at Vanderbilt SEC Network	L 77-71
Dec. 1	at UIC! ESPN3	L 66-50
Dec. 4	at Purdue Big Ten Network	L 68-61
Dec. 6	Judson ESPN3	W 85-45
Dec. 9	SIUE ESPN3/+	W 80-58
Dec. 12	at Central Michigan! ESPN3	L 84-79
Dec. 17	Purdue Northwest ESPN3	W 89-71
Dec. 19	at Toledo ESPN3	L 71-57
Jan. 9	Missouri State* ESPN3/+	L 81-68
Jan. 10	Missouri State* ESPN3/+	L 78-68
Jan. 16	at DePaul FS1	L 77-58
Jan. 20	Loyola* Valley on ESPN+ Exclusive	L 75-39
Jan. 23	at Illinois State* Marquee, ESPN3	W 69-60
Jan. 24	at Illinois State* Marquee, ESPN3	W 70-66
Jan. 28	Bradley* Valley on ESPN3 Exc. W 91-85(2ot)	
Jan. 31	at Evansville* Valley on ESPN3 Exclusive	3 p.m.
Feb. 1	at Evansville* ESPN3	6 p.m.
Feb. 6	Drake* ESPN3/+	1 p.m.
Feb. 7	Drake* ESPN3/+	1 p.m.
Feb. 10	Bradley* ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Feb. 13	at UNI* MVC TV Network (NBCSCH)	7 p.m.
Feb. 14	at UNI* NBC Sports Chicago, ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Feb. 17	at Loyola* MVC TV Network (NBCSCH)	7 p.m.
Feb. 21	at SIU* Marquee & ESPN3/+	4 p.m.
Feb. 22	at SIU* Valley on ESPN Exclusive (E3/+)	6 p.m.
Feb. 26	Indiana State* Valley on E3/+ Exclusive	6 p.m.
Feb. 27	Indiana State* ESPN3/+	5 p.m.
March 4-7 MVC Tournament% (St. Louis)		

All times Central.

Home games in bold and played at
Athletics-Recreation Center.

! – multi-team event

% - 2021 MVC Tournament (St. Louis)

* - indicates Missouri Valley Conference game

Valparaiso (6-9, 3-3 MVC)

at Evansville (6-8, 4-4 MVC)

Game No. 16 – Sunday, Jan. 31 – 3 p.m. CT

Game No. 17 – Monday, Feb. 1 – 6 p.m. CT

Ford Center (11,000) – Evansville, Ind.

Next Up in Valpo Basketball: The Valparaiso University men's basketball team will look to continue its winning ways as the program heads to Evansville to clash with the Purple Aces for a Sunday-Monday Missouri Valley Conference series. This will close out a stretch of six games in 13 days and continue a 34-day stretch that features 14 Valpo contests. The Brown & Gold won all three meetings with Evansville last season, but each of those victories were by three points or fewer.

Last Time Out: Valpo registered a memorable, topsy-turvy win on Thursday night at the Athletics-Recreation Center, besting Bradley 91-85 in a double-overtime affair. Valpo erased a 14-point first-half deficit to come away victorious, extending its winning streak to three after opening Missouri Valley Conference play with three straight setbacks. Five Valpo players finished in double figures, four of whom were freshmen or sophomores. Ben Krikke and Sheldon Edwards led the way with 18 points apiece, and 11 of Edwards' 18 came in the overtime sessions. Valpo pulled out the victory despite its top two scorers fouling out of the game.

Following Valpo Basketball: Television/Streaming (Sunday) – The Valley on ESPN Exclusive (ESPN3) – Harry Schroeder (play-by-play) and Marcus Wilson (analyst)

Television/Streaming (Monday) – ESPN3

Radio – WVUR (95.1 FM, Valparaiso) – Todd Ickow (play-by-play) and Brandon Vickrey (analyst)

Twitter updates - @ValpoBasketball

Links for video, audio and live stats will be available at ValpoAthletics.com.

Head Coach Matt Lottich: Matt Lottich (79-69) is in his eighth season overall at Valpo and fifth as head coach in 2020-21. Just two years removed from finishing in last place and being knocked out in the first round of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament as a first-year Valley member, Lottich's team did more than hold its own in 2019-2020, ascending into a tie for sixth in the league standings before finishing as the conference tournament runner-up. Valpo became the first team in the history of Arch Madness to reach the title game after playing in the opening round. Lottich, hired as the 22nd head coach of the Valpo men's basketball program in April 2016, graduated from Stanford University in 2004 and New Trier High School (Illinois) in 2000.

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2020-21 Valparaiso Men's Basketball Roster

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School [Prev. School]
0	Goodnews Kpegeol	G	6-5	200	R-So.	St. Paul, Minn./North [Southwest Mississippi CC/Kansas St]
1	Sigurd Lorange	G	5-11	185	So.	Trondheim, Norway/Metis Videregaende Skole
2	Zion Morgan	G	6-5	190	R-Sr.	Chicago, Ill./Kenwood [Wabash Valley College/UNLV]
3	Steven Helm	G	6-2	180	R-So.	Valparaiso, Ind./Valparaiso [Carroll]
4	Daniel Sackey	G	5-9	175	Jr.	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada/Thornlea
5	Donovan Clay	G/F	6-7	205	So.	Alton, Ill./Alton
10	Eron Gordon	G	6-3	205	R-Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral [Seton Hall]
11	Emil Freese-Vilien	C	6-10	255	So.	Copenhagen, Denmark/Falkonergarden Gymnasium
12	Tyler Fricke	G/F	6-1	170	Fr.	Arlington Heights, Ill. / Buffalo Grove
13	Sheldon Edwards	G	6-4	180	Fr.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Palm Beach Lakes[TLAP Sports Academy]
15	Luke Morrill	G	6-2	200	So.	Lombard, Ill./Montini Catholic
20/21	Brock Pappas	F	6-4	205	Jr.	Valparaiso, Ind./Washington Township
22	Mileek McMillan	F	6-8	230	Sr.	Merrillville, Ind./Merrillville
23	Ben Krikke	F	6-9	230	So.	Edmonton, Alberta, Canada/Jasper Place
25	Nick Robinson*	G	6-5	215	R-Sr.	Chicago, Ill./Kenwood [Saint Joseph's]
34	Jacob Ognacevic	F	6-8	210	Fr.	Sheboygan, Wis./Sheboygan Area Lutheran
35	Connor Barrett	G/F	6-6	200	Fr.	Chicago, Ill./Loyola Academy

*Opted out of the remainder of the 2020-21 season on Jan. 21.

Coaching Staff

Head Coach: **Matt Lottich** (Stanford, 2004) – 5th season
 Associate Head Coach: **Luke Gore** (Bethel [Tenn.], 2001) – 19th season
 Assistant Coaches: **Rob Holloway** (Eastern Illinois, 2005) – 3rd season
 and **Matt Bowen** (Indiana, 1995) – 3rd season, 2nd stint
 Director of Basketball Operations: **Jason Karys** (Valparaiso 2017) – 2nd season
 Graduate Assistant: **Peter Funk** (Valparaiso 2019) – 2nd season

Valpo vs. Evansville

All-time series: Evansville leads 70-20

At Valpo: Evansville leads 28-13

At Evansville: Evansville leads 41-6

At neutral site: Tied 1-1

Current streak: Valpo W3

Current streak at Valpo: Valpo W1

Current streak at Evansville: Valpo W1

Last 10 meetings: Evansville leads 6-4

Last 10 Meetings

Date	Site	W/L	Score
March 5, 2020	St. Louis, Mo.	W	58-55
Jan. 26, 2020	Valparaiso, Ind.	W	67-65
Jan. 4, 2020	Evansville, Ind.	W	81-79(ot)
March 2, 2019	Valparaiso, Ind.	L	65-63
Feb. 2, 2019	Evansville, Ind.	L	64-53
Feb. 7, 2018	Evansville, Ind.	L	63-59
Jan. 24, 2018	Valparaiso, Ind.	L	75-65
Nov. 20, 2013	Evansville, Ind.	L	100-92
Dec. 11, 2007	Valparaiso, Ind.	W	75-67
Dec. 5, 2006	Evansville, Ind.	L	69-64

val-puh-RAY-zo Pronunciation Guide

Matt Lottich - lot-ICK

Mileek McMillan - muh-LEEK

Emil Freese-Vilien – uh MEAL FRACE Vil-ee-EN

Ben Krikke – Crick-E (last part is like the letter E)

Sigurd Lorange – SIG-erd Lor-ANG

Eron Gordon – Aaron

Kpegeol – Peh-gay-OLE (K is silent, last syllable rhymes with mole)

Jacob Ognacevic – Og-NOSS-uh-vic

Tyler Fricke – Frick-E (last part is like the letter E)

Among the MVC Leaders

(Through 1/28)

Individual Leaders

Player	Category	Rank	Value
Ben Krikke	Points/G	14th	12.1
Donovan Clay	Rebounds/G	12th	5.4
Daniel Sackey	Assists/G	2nd	4.5
Daniel Sackey	FT%	8th	85.2
Daniel Sackey	Steals/G	T-8th	1.2
Connor Barrett	3pt FG%	8th	.397
Donovan Clay	Blocks/G	1st	1.6

Team Leaders (among top 3)

Category	Rank	Value
Free Throw %	2nd	.744
Blocked Shots/G	2nd	3.9
Steals/G	2nd	7.6



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With a Victory on Sunday at Evansville, Valpo Would...

- Win back-to-back games at Evansville after previously losing 22 straight when visiting the Aces.
- Win a fourth consecutive game, marking the team's longest winning streak of the season and longest since stringing together five straight wins from Dec. 29, 2018 to Jan. 12, 2019.
- Win its first three conference road games of a season for the first time since joining the Missouri Valley Conference. Valpo started 4-0 in road conference games in 2016-17, its final season in the Horizon League and first year under Matt Lottich.

Comeback Kids Strike Again

It's time to dust off one of our favorite and most frequently-utilized game notes from last season after Valpo continued the program's hallmark of never giving up by erasing a double-figure deficit to prevail for the 16th time in head coach Matt Lottich's tenure (fifth season). Conversely, Valpo has seen a lead of 10 or more points slip away just once during the Lottich Era. Valpo has come from 13 or more down to beat Bradley in each of the Braves' last two trips to the ARC.

Erasing Double-Figure Deficits Under Lottich

Year	Opponent	Largest Deficit	Outcome
2020-21	Bradley	14	W 91-85 (2ot)
2019-20	Loyola	18*	W 74-73 (ot)
2019-20	Bradley	13	W 90-78
2019-20	Illinois State	17	W 65-62
2019-20	Indiana State	11	W 86-77
2019-20	SIUE	10	W 89-76
2019-20	Toledo	14	W 79-77
2018-19	Illinois State	12	W 58-56
2018-19	George Washington	10	W 82-79
2018-19	UNLV	11	W 72-64
2017-18	Bradley	10	W 77-64
2017-18	UNCW	10	W 79-70
2016-17	Wright State	10	W 84-74
2016-17	Cleveland State	12	W 78-67
2016-17	BYU	12	W 92-89
2016-17	Trinity Christian	16	W 89-75

*largest comeback since Jan. 17, 2012 vs. Detroit Mercy

Working Overtime

- In the Jan. 28 victory over Bradley, Valpo played its first double-overtime game since Dec. 22, 2016, an 87-80 home loss to Santa Clara.
- The 91-85 triumph over the Braves marked Valpo's first 2OT victory since beating Miami (Ohio) 99-94 in a BracketBuster game on Feb. 23, 2008.
- The Jan. 28 win vs. Bradley was Valpo's first OT game since the memorable 74-73 win vs. Loyola in last season's MVC Tournament

quarterfinal.

Party Like It's the 90s

- In the Jan. 28 91-85 win vs. Bradley, Valpo reached 90 for the first time since last season's home date with the Braves (90 on Feb. 22).
- The 91 points accounted for Valpo's highest scoring output since 98 on Nov. 27, 2019 vs. Trinity Christian. It was the team's most prosperous scoring showing against a Division-I opponent since 94 at SIUE on Nov. 15, 2017.
- Valpo's 91 points marked its highest total in a league game since joining the Missouri Valley Conference and highest in any conference contest since Jan. 22, 2017, 96 in a Horizon league matchup with UIC.

Other Notes Wrapping Up Jan. 28 (Valpo 91, Bradley 85; 2ot)

- Valpo won when trailing at halftime for the first time this season (previously 0-7).
- Valpo improved to 35-2 under Matt Lottich when scoring 80+ points including a 4-0 mark this season.
- Valpo improved to just 4-25 when allowing 80 or more points during the Matt Lottich Era.
- The home team improved to 10-0 in regular-season matchups between Valpo and Bradley.
- Bradley head coach Brian Wardle incurred his 10th straight loss at the Athletics-Recreation Center spanning his stints at Green Bay and Bradley.
- Valpo had five players score in double figures for the first time since Jan. 18 of last season vs. Indiana State. All five accrued 12 points or more and four of the five were freshmen or sophomores.
- Freshmen Connor Barrett and Sheldon Edwards combined for 32 points and totaled eight made 3s. Edwards scored 11 of his team-high 18 points in overtime, while Ben Krikke also finished with 18, his second straight outing of 18 points or more.
- Daniel Sackey collected a team-high nine rebounds, topping his previous career high of six. He led the team in rebounds for just the third time in his career and first this season. The junior point guard also produced five assists and three steals.
- Eron Gordon was two rebounds shy of a double-double, turning in his seventh straight game with five or more caroms and fifth game in the last six with seven or more.
- Valpo scored an eye-popping 21 points in the second overtime period to prevail despite being outscored 50-22 on points in the paint.
- Valpo went 28-of-38 at (73.3 percent) at the free-throw line, outscoring the Braves 28-9 at the stripe. The 28 made free throws accounted for Valpo's most since Nov. 6, 2018 vs. Concordia Chicago (28). It was Valpo's highest made free-throw total vs. a Division-I opponent since Nov. 25, 2017 (28 vs. UNCW). In addition, the 28 makes were Valpo's most at the charity stripe in a conference game since 32 on Jan. 14, 2017 at Cleveland State.

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2020-21 MVC Standings

(Entering Jan. 30)

Team	MVC		Overall	
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Drake	6-0	1.000	15-0	1.000
Loyola	8-1	.889	13-3	.813
Missouri State	5-3	.625	9-3	.750
Valpo	3-3	.500	6-9	.400
Evansville	4-4	.500	6-8	.429
Indiana State	5-5	.500	8-7	.533
Bradley	3-6	.333	9-9	.500
UNI	2-6	.250	4-10	.286
Illinois State	2-7	.222	5-10	.333
Southern Illinois	1-5	.167	7-5	.583

MVC Schedule

Monday, Jan. 25

Loyola 65, Bradley 58
Indiana State 69, Southern Illinois 66
UNI 70, Coe College 60

Tuesday, Jan. 26

Indiana State 71, Southern Illinois 59
Drake 68, Missouri State 61

Wednesday, Jan. 27

Drake 78, Missouri State 73

Thursday, Jan. 28

Valpo 91, Bradley 85 (2ot)

Saturday, Jan. 30

UNI at Southern Illinois, 3 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 31

Loyola at Missouri State, 2 p.m.
Illinois State at Drake, 2 p.m.
Valpo at Evansville, 3 p.m.
Bradley at Indiana State, 3 p.m.
UNI at Southern Illinois, 5 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 1

Bradley at Indiana State, 3 p.m.
Valpo at Evansville, 6 p.m.
Illinois State at Drake, 6 p.m.
Loyola at Missouri State, 7 p.m.

- Valpo's 38 free-throw attempts marked its most since Feb. 13, 2019 (40 vs. Indiana State).

- Bradley outrebounded Valpo 52-45, pulling down the most rebounds by a Valpo opponent since Green Bay had 53 on Feb. 4, 2017.

Krikke Honored by MVC

- Ben Krikke earned his first career Missouri Valley Conference weekly honor on Jan. 26, when he was named the league's Player of the Week.

- Over his last two games, Krikke has scored 43 points (21.5 ppg). He has scored in double figures in 11 of his 15 games this year.

- The left-handed Canadian became the first Valpo player to earn a weekly Valley honor this season. Previously, Valpo's most recent such distinction came courtesy of Donovan Clay, who was the MVC Newcomer of the Week for the final week of the 2019-20 regular season.

Elite Company

With his 25-point, 15-rebound effort in the Sunday, Jan. 24 win over Illinois State, Ben Krikke became just the third Valpo player in the last 25 years to enjoy a 25&15 game, joining Alec Peters (3x) and Dan Oppland. Overall, he posted just the seventh 25&15 game by a Valpo player in the last 33 seasons (since '89-90). In addition, Krikke accounted for the first such performance by any Missouri Valley Conference player since Missouri State's Alize Johnson over four years ago on Dec. 31, 2016 vs. Indiana State.

Player	Pts-Reb	Date	Opponent
Ben Krikke	25-15	1/24/21	at Illinois State
Alec Peters	29-15	12/17/16	vs. Indiana State
Alec Peters	36-15	11/12/16	vs. Trinity Christian
Alec Peters	25-15	12/28/16	at Green Bay
Dan Oppland	27-16	2/17/05	vs. Southern Utah
Chris Ensminger	34-18	2/20/95	vs. Troy State
Casey Schmidt	25-15	3/7/94	vs. UIC

Senior Leadership

- Over the first nine games of the season, Eron Gordon averaged 5.4 points and 3.6 rebounds per outing. Over the last six games, the fifth-year senior has boasted averages of 12.3 points and 7.5 rebounds, leading the team in rebounding during that span while

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During the week, all player and coach interview requests should be directed to Brandon Vickrey and will be conducted via Zoom or phone. Broadcasters planning to attend practice should call ahead to confirm practice time. Coach Lottich and requested players will be available following the game for a Zoom press conference.

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Season/Career Totals		
	2020-21	Career
10+ Points		
Ben Krikke	11	20
Donovan Clay	8	27
Connor Barrett	6	6
Eron Gordon	6	13
Jacob Ognacevic	4	4
Sheldon Edwards	4	4
Nick Robinson	2	8
Mileek McMillan	1	13
Goodnews Kpegeol	1	1
Daniel Sackey	1	16
Sigurd Lorange	0	1
20+ Points		
Donovan Clay	3	5
Ben Krikke	2	2
Sheldon Edwards	1	1
Nick Robinson	1	1
Jacob Ognacevic	1	1
Daniel Sackey	0	1
Mileek McMillan	0	1
Eron Gordon	0	1
10+ Rebounds		
Donovan Clay	2	2
Eron Gordon	1	1
Ben Krikke	1	1
5+ Assists		
Daniel Sackey	8	21
Steven Helm	1	1
Donovan Clay	1	5
Eron Gordon	1	1
Nick Robinson	0	4
Zion Morgan	0	2
3+ 3-Pointers		
Connor Barrett	5	5
Jacob Ognacevic	1	1
Mileek McMillan	1	7
Sheldon Edwards	2	2
Eron Gordon	1	4
Donovan Clay	1	4
Sigurd Lorange	0	1
Daniel Sackey	0	1
Ben Krikke	0	1
3+ Steals		
Daniel Sackey	3	9
Nick Robinson	2	3
Donovan Clay	1	1
Connor Barrett	1	1
Goodnews Kpegeol	1	1
Eron Gordon	1	4
Mileek McMillan	0	3
Zion Morgan	0	2
Starts - current non-starters		
Mileek McMillan	5	58
Sheldon Edwards	2	2
Zion Morgan	0	1

ranking second in scoring.

- Gordon has scored nine or more points in all six games during that stretch after previously scoring nine just twice over his first nine contests.

- Perhaps most impressive has been Gordon's rebounding surge, as the Indianapolis native has five or more rebounds in seven straight games and seven or more in five of his last six.

Examining the Close Calls

- Entering Jan. 23, Valpo was 0-6 this season in games decided by 15 points or fewer. Over the last three games, the team has turned around its fortunes in close contests.

- All three triumphs during the current winning streak have come by fewer than 10 points, and each of the last two have come by six or fewer.

- The Brown & Gold won a pair of games by fewer than five points in last year's MVC Tournament and overall played in an eye-popping 12 games decided by fewer than five points a year ago.

Series Notes: Evansville

- Valpo topped Evansville all three times last season, recording a three-game sweep of a conference foe for the first time since 2015 against Cleveland State.

- All three of Valpo's victories over Evansville last season came by three points or fewer.

- Valpo went to Evansville and earned an 81-79 overtime victory before winning at home 67-65 and in the first round of Arch Madness 58-55.

- The Purple Aces are Valpo's second most common all-time opponent as the two squad have matched up 90 times. Butler (103) is the only school Valpo has faced more frequently than Evansville down through the years.

- Valpo had dropped five straight to Evansville including four since joining The Valley before the three-game sweep of last year's matchups.

- The Aces still hold a distinct all-time edge with 70 wins in the 90 matchups. Valpo is just 6-41 all-time at Evansville.

- Last year's win at the Ford Center was Valpo's first at Evansville since 1969, snapping a 22-game losing streak when making the trip south to play the Aces.

- Valpo prevailed 58-55 despite not hitting a 3-pointer in the most recent meeting between these two in-state foes, a first-round matchup in the MVC Tournament. That snapped Valpo's streak of 298 straight games with a made 3 that dated back to Nov. 18, 2011.

Inside the Aces

- Picked to finish 10th in the MVC Preseason Poll.

- In the first full season under head coach Todd Lickliter.

- Lickliter previously served as the head coach at Butler from 2001-2007.

Season/Career Totals		
	2020-21	Career
Team Leader in Points		
Donovan Clay	5	10
Eron Gordon	3	3
Ben Krikke	3	6
Nick Robinson	2	2
Jacob Ognacevic	2	2
Mileek McMillan	1	5
Sheldon Edwards	2	2
Daniel Sackey	0	3
Team Leader in Rebounds		
Eron Gordon	5	5
Nick Robinson	2	5
Donovan Clay	3	14
Ben Krikke	3	5
Jacob Ognacevic	1	1
Connor Barrett	2	2
Sheldon Edwards	1	1
Goodnews Kpegeol	1	1
Daniel Sackey	1	3
Zion Morgan	0	1
Team Leader in Assists		
Daniel Sackey	11	31
Donovan Clay	3	8
Steven Helm	1	1
Eron Gordon	1	2
Connor Barrett	1	1
Nick Robinson	0	4
Zion Morgan	0	2
Emil Freese-Vilien	0	1
Ben Krikke	0	1
Mileek McMillan	0	1
Team Leader in Steals		
Daniel Sackey	7	14
Donovan Clay	3	5
Nick Robinson	2	4
Goodnews Kpegeol	2	2
Ben Krikke	1	1
Connor Barrett	1	1
Eron Gordon	1	6
Zion Morgan	0	2
Mileek McMillan	0	4
Team Leader in Blocks		
Donovan Clay	11	28
Ben Krikke	7	11
Eron Gordon	4	5
Mileek McMillan	3	14
Sheldon Edwards	1	1
Nick Robinson	0	6
Zion Morgan	0	4
Emil Freese-Vilien	2	0
Starts - Current starting five		
Donovan Clay	14	48
Ben Krikke	14	15
Daniel Sackey	14	56
Eron Gordon	12	16
Connor Barrett	10	10



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- Have dropped three straight, but prior to the current skid had won four consecutive games including a pair against the team picked to win the league, UNI.

- Led in scoring by Jawaun Newton at 12.5 points per game. He's joined in double figures by Shamar Givance (12.0 ppg) and Noah Frederking (11.6 ppg).

Staying Busy After COVID Disruptions

- Six of Valpo's first eight Missouri Valley Conference games were postponed due to COVID-19.

- Valpo didn't practice from Dec. 20-Jan. 4 leading into the start of the conference season. The team also had a two-week pause shortly before the start of the nonconference slate in November.

- Three nonconference games were cancelled and two were added during a challenging season for schedule-makers.

- In all, Valpo has had nine games either cancelled or postponed. In addition, two Missouri Valley Conference series (at Evansville, at UNI) were pushed back one day from the original dates to make room for makeup games.

- From Jan. 20 (vs. Loyola) to Feb. 21 (at Southern Illinois), Valpo is scheduled for 14 games in a 34-day span. These two games at Evansville close out an especially-busy stretch of six games in 13 days.

A Fountain of Youth

- Valpo has depended upon freshmen and sophomores to account for 704 out of the team's 1,035 points, 68 percent of the scoring.

- With senior Nick Robinson opting out for the remainder of the season, a young team got even younger. Four of the team's top five scorers among active players are freshmen or sophomores. When you take out Robinson's points, 73.2 percent of Valpo's scoring has come from freshmen or sophomores.

- Nationally, the advantage of experience has been magnified this year due to COVID-19 related disruptions to practice time.

Starting Streaks

- Entering the games at Evansville, Donovan Clay has started 48 consecutive games. He made his first start during the third game of his freshman season (2019-20) and has started every game since. The sophomore is poised to start his 50th straight game on Monday.

- Clay, Krikke and Sackey have all started the first 15 games this year. Krikke made only one start as a freshman last season.

- After starting six straight games, freshman Connor Barrett came off the bench on Dec. 16 at DePaul. However, he returned to the starting five on Dec. 20 vs. Loyola and has started each of the last four.

- Senior Eron Gordon came off the bench for the season's first two games, but has made a baker's dozen straight starts.

Oh, Canada

- Edmonton's Ben Krikke and Winnipeg's Daniel Sackey accounted for 41 of Valpo's 70 points (58.6 percent) in the four-point win over Illinois State on Sunday, Jan. 24. The Canadian-born combo produced 26 of the team's 38 first-half points (68.4 percent).

- Krikke's 15 rebounds obliterated his previous personal best of eight, achieved most recently on Dec. 17 of this season vs. Purdue Northwest. This marked the sophomore forward's first career double-double.

- Krikke also established a career high in the scoring column as his 25 points outdid his previous watermark of 21, which came this season vs. Missouri State. He also made 12 field goals, the most by a Valpo player since Javon Freeman-Liberty also had a dozen last January at UNI.

- Krikke's 15 rebounds marked the second most by a Missouri Valley Conference player this season behind Missouri State's Gaige Prim, who had 16 on Jan. 9 at Valpo.

- Sackey had his third eight-assist game of the season, joining Drake's Roman Penn as the only Missouri Valley Conference players with three outings featuring eight or more dimes in 2020-21. Sackey had eight assists in both games against the Redbirds this weekend, one shy of a career high.

- Sackey's 16-point outburst on Sunday, Jan. 24 accounted for his first double-figure scoring output of the season. It marked the Valpo point guard's second-highest career point total, behind only his personal best of 22 on Nov. 9, 2019 at Saint Louis.

Double-Doubles Galore

- Entering the Jan. 23-24 weekend at Illinois State, Valpo had just three double-doubles in its last 54 games dating back to the 2018-19 season (only one this year). Valpo matched that total with three double-doubles in a two-game span in Normal, Ill.

- Eron Gordon and Ben Krikke both had their first career double-doubles over the weekend, while Donovan Clay enjoyed his second.

- Clay and Gordon became the first Valpo tandem to have double-doubles in the same game since Alec Peters and Tevonn Walker on Jan. 16, 2017 vs. Green Bay. It was the first same-game double-double not involving Peters since Darien Walker and Vashil Fernandez on Nov. 19, 2015 vs. Trinity Christian and the first dual double-double not involving Peters vs. a Division-I opponent since Ryan Broekhoff and Kevin Van Wijk on Feb. 26, 2013 vs. Youngstown State.

- Clay and Krikke became the fourth and fifth players with 20-point, 10-rebound games under Matt Lottich, joining a quality group that also includes Javon Freeman-Liberty, Derrik Smits and Alec Peters.

Bouncing Back on the Boards

- Entering the Jan. 23-24 weekend at Illinois State, Valpo had been outrebounded in seven straight games, 10 out of 12 this season and

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17 of the last 21 dating back to last season. That turned around in a big way as Valpo owned the glass 42-32 on Saturday and 42-34 on Sunday, combining for a +18-rebounding margin in the two games.

- Valpo's highest single-game rebound total in a league contest since joining the Missouri Valley Conference is 43. Entering the weekend in Normal, Valpo had just two games with 42 or more rebounds in conference action since joining The Valley prior to the 2017-18 campaign. The team matched that total in just two games at Redbird Arena with back-to-back 42-rebound performances.

- Valpo owned a rebounding edge of +8 or better in back-to-back games for the first time since the 2018-19 season vs. Indiana State and Drake.

- The Brown & Gold held a combined 27-15 edge on the offensive glass in the two games at Illinois State and outdid the hosts in second-chance points 31-14. Valpo's 16 offensive rebounds on Sunday, Jan. 24 were the team's most since pulling down 18 in the 2019-20 season opener vs. Toledo.

Other Notes Wrapping Up Illinois State (Jan. 23-24)

- Valpo extended its head-to-head winning streak over Illinois State to seven, making the Redbirds the seventh Division-I opponent against which Valpo currently owns a streak of seven victories or more. Valpo has active streaks longer than seven games against just three Division-I programs – Youngstown State (9), Buffalo (8) and Eastern Illinois (8).

- Valpo has won back-to-back road games in conference play for just the second time since joining The Valley and first since 2018-19 (Jan. 5 at Missouri State, Jan. 12 at Southern Illinois).

- Valpo went zero days between road wins after previously going 343 days between road triumphs. Each of Valpo's last three road victories have come at Illinois State.

Superlatives

Double-Digit Scoring:

Valpo - 44

(Individuals - Ben Krikke 11; Donovan Clay 8; Connor Barrett 6; Eron Gordon 6; Jacob Ognacevic 4; Sheldon Edwards 4; Nick Robinson 2; Daniel Sackey 1; Mileek McMillan 1; Goodnews Kpegeol 1)

Opponents - 42

Double-Digit Rebounding:

Valpo - 4 (Donovan Clay 2; Ben Krikke 1; Eron

Gordon 1)

Opponents - 8

Double-Digit Assists:

Valpo - 0 (Individuals -)

Opponents - 1

Double Doubles:

Valpo - 4 (Individuals - Donovan Clay 2; Ben Krikke 1; Eron Gordon 1)

Opponents - 5

Dunks:

Valpo - 12

(Individuals - Jacob Ognacevic 4; Donovan Clay 3; Ben Krikke 3; Sheldon Edwards 2)

Opponents - 18

Valpo When...

	2020-21	Under Lottich		2019-20	Under Lottich
Playing at home	4-3	48-18	Outrebounding opponents	4-0	59-15
Playing on the road	2-6	21-43	Outrebounded by opponents	2-9	20-52
Playing at a neutral site	0-0	10-8			
			Better FG% than opponents	4-3	61-13
Playing at night (5 p.m. or later local)	5-4	55-48	Worse FG% than opponents	1-6	17-54
Playing during the day (noon-4:59 p.m.)	1-5	23-20			
Playing during the morning (before noon)	0-0	0-1	Better FT% than opponents	4-4	53-28
			Worse FT% than opponents	1-5	25-42
Leading at halftime	5-1	57-14			
Tied at halftime	0-1	5-3	Fewer turnovers than opponents	4-4	45-25
Trailing at halftime	1-7	16-53	More turnovers than opponents	0-4	30-42
Playing overtime	0-0	3-5			
			Scoring 80 or more points	4-0	35-2
Playing in November	0-1	24-8	Scoring 70-79 points	1-3	26-18
Playing in December	3-4	13-19	Scoring 60-69 points	1-3	14-20
Playing in January	3-4	22-18	Scoring fewer than 60 points	0-3	4-29
Playing in February	0-0	16-17			
Playing in March	0-0	4-6	Opponents score 80 or more points	1-2	4-25
			Opponents score 70-79 points	1-5	23-22
Playing on Sunday	2-1	14-9	Opponents score 60-69 points	2-2	30-18
Playing on Monday	0-0	5-4	Opponents score fewer than 60 points	2-0	22-4
Playing on Tuesday	0-1	10-8			
Playing on Wednesday	1-1	13-16	Game decided by 5 points or fewer	2-1	19-19
Playing on Thursday	2-0	7-8	Game decided by 6-10 points	1-4	19-16
Playing on Friday	0-2	9-5	Game decided by 11-15 points	0-1	14-17
Playing on Saturday	1-4	21-19	Game decided by more than 15 points	3-4	27-18



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- Clay's 20 points on Saturday, Jan. 23 allowed him to bust out of a rare slump during which he had been held to seven points or fewer in three straight games. Krikke's epic performance on Sunday, Jan. 24 was also of the bounce-back variety as it came just 24 hours after he battled foul trouble and was held to a season-low four points in the first game against Illinois State.

- The win on Saturday snapped a five-game losing streak and an eight-game road skid.

- Valpo displayed good ball movement throughout the Saturday game, matching a season high with 18 assists on 25 made baskets. Valpo improved to 4-1 when the team has 15 or more assists this season.

A Look Back at 2019-20: Just two years removed from finishing in last place and being knocked out in the first round of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament as a first-year Valley member, head coach Matt Lottich's team did more than hold its own, ascending into a tie for sixth in the league standings before finishing as the conference tournament runner-up. Valpo became the first team in the history of Arch Madness to reach the title game after playing in the opening round.

Preseason Picks

- Sophomore Donovan Clay was named to the Preseason MVC Second Team.

- Valpo was picked to finish eighth in the preseason poll based on a survey of the conference's head coaches, media members and sports information directors.

- Valpo exceeded preseason expectations a year ago after being picked to finish ninth. The Brown & Gold tied for sixth in the regular-season standings and went on to finish as the conference tournament runner-up.

Who's Back, Who's New?

- This year's team features 11 returning letter winners (nine scholarship, two walk-on) to go along with six newcomers (four scholarship, two walk-on).

- Three letter winners departed from the 2019-20 squad.

- Valpo returns 59.2 percent of its scoring and 64.3 percent of its rebounding from last season. Both numbers are up from a year ago, when Valpo returned just 40.1 percent of its scoring and 35.7 percent of its rebounding from 2018-19.

- Last season, the entire roster was from either Indiana, Illinois or outside the United States. This year, Valpo has added three additional states to the mix in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Florida.

- Still, six players hail from Illinois and four from Indiana. The six Illinois natives are the most since 2015-16.

- Coincidentally, Valpo's last player from the state of Florida before freshman Sheldon Edwards shares the same last name. Lakeland native Richie Edwards played for the Brown & Gold during the 2011-2012 campaign.

- Newcomer Goodnews Kpegeol is the first Valpo player from the state

of Minnesota since Cory Johnson's final season on campus in 2010-2011.

- Freshman Jacob Ognacevic is Valpo's first player from Wisconsin since Andrew Ferry in 2008-2009.

Arrow Pointed Up

- Valpo made its first conference championship appearance since 2015, doing so after being picked to finish ninth in the preseason poll.

- Valpo reached the conference title game as only a third-year Missouri Valley Conference member. When the Brown & Gold transitioned from the Mid-Continent Conference to the Horizon League prior to the 2007-2008 season, the program didn't reach the conference championship game until Year 5 and followed by winning its first Horizon League Tournament title in Year 6.

- The men's basketball program became the first Valpo team in any sport to reach the Missouri Valley Conference championship game during the department's young tenure in the prestigious league.

- Valpo accepted a postseason tournament invitation for the first time since joining The Valley, agreeing to a CollegeInsider.com Tournament berth before the event was canceled due to the coronavirus.

- The program had its largest win increase from the previous season (four) since jumping from 18 wins in 2013-14 to 28 in 2014-15.

- Valpo finished with a winning record during the nonconference portion of the season for the 10th straight year. In addition, Valpo continued its history of home dominance and hasn't finished with a losing mark at the ARC since 1991-92, extending its streak to 28 seasons. Valpo achieved a double-figure home win total for the ninth time in the last 10 years.

2019-20 Team Statistical Facts

- Led the Missouri Valley Conference in assists per game at 15.2, the first time Valpo led a conference in that area since pacing the Horizon League in 2011-2012. The 15.2 assists per game was Valpo's highest total since 2010-11 (15.8 apg) and the team's second-highest output over the last 13 seasons. The squad ranked 29th nationally in assists per game and 12th in total assists.

- Averaged 7.7 steals per game to rank second in the MVC and totaled 270 steals, a number that checked in at 18th nationally. The team had its highest steals average since 2010-11 and the second-highest over the last 16 seasons.

- The team averaged 72.3 points per game, second in the MVC. That was the team's second-highest scoring average over the last eight seasons. In addition, the team jumped 5.5 points per game from 2018-19 to 2019-20.

- Valpo made 287 3-pointers, the team's second-most since



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2008-09 and the third-most over the last 30 years.

- The team had 922 made field goals, its third most over the last 30 years.
- Valpo committed just 12.7 turnovers per game, the team's lowest total over the last 30 seasons.

2020 Arch Madness Accomplishments

- The Valpo/Loyola quarterfinal was the 18th overtime game in MVC Tournament history and the 20th game decided by a single point. It was the first one-point game in the MVC Tournament since Indiana State's 51-50 victory over Evansville in 2013.
- Valpo's 89 points in the MVC semifinal against Missouri State were the seventh-most in a game in the 30-year history of Arch Madness. It was the highest scoring output in any MVC Tournament contest since Creighton put 99 on Evansville on March 3, 2012.
- Valpo scored 287 points in the MVC Tournament, the third most in the history of the event and the most since Indiana State scored 310 in 1978.
- The team's 138 rebounds were the fourth most in MVC Tournament history and the most since Tulsa had 143 in 1978.
- The 107 made field goals were the third most in MVC Tournament history and the most since Indiana State in 1978.
- The 29 made 3-point field goals tied for the second most in MVC Tournament history (despite going 0-for in the opening round against Evansville), joining 2009 Illinois State (32) and 1999 Evansville (29).
- The 90 3-point field goal attempts shattered the previous tournament record of 76 (Drake 2008, Illinois State 2009).
- Valpo made 10 3-pointers in the conference championship game, tying for the fourth most in the history of the MVC Final just a few days removed from hitting no 3s in a win over Evansville. Valpo became the first team to make zero 3s in an MVC Tournament Game since Southern Illinois went 0-for-6 on March 5, 1994 vs. Missouri State.
- Valpo's 29 3-point attempts in the MVC final tied for the second most in the history of the title game, joining Illinois State in 2009 (35 vs. UNI 2009) and Illinois State in 2012 (29 vs. Creighton).
- Only one team since 1994 had made 15 or more field goals in the first half of an MVC title game (Drake 16 vs. Illinois State in 2008), and Valpo and Bradley had 15 apiece in the first half of last year's championship game.
- Valpo made seven 3s in the first half of the title game against Bradley, tying the MVC Tournament title game record of seven set by Southern Illinois on March 7, 1989 vs. Creighton. Valpo set the conference title game record for 3-point attempts in the first half with 16, eclipsing the previous mark of 15 set by Illinois State on March 8, 2009 vs. UNI.
- Ryan Fazekas' 21 3-point attempts in the MVC Tournament tied for the ninth-most in the history of the event.

Staff Sidebars

- Associate head coach Luke Gore is in his 19th year on staff and has served under four different head coaches. The Valpo veteran has helped the team to eight postseason berths in the last 10 years and was on staff for the three winningest seasons in program history. He oversees the team's post players in addition to leading Valpo's scheduling and scouting efforts.
- Assistant coach Rob Holloway is back for his third season after spending the previous two years on staff at Eastern Illinois, his alma mater.
- Assistant coach Matt Bowen returned to Valpo's staff in 2018-19 after previously spending four seasons with the Brown & Gold from 2002-2006. He was the head coach at the University of Minnesota Duluth from 2012-2018. Bowen coordinates the team's offense.
- Director of Basketball Operations Jason Karys is in his second season in that capacity, but has been around the program in a variety of roles, spending two years as a graduate assistant, one as a walk-on player and three as a manager.
- Bob Brooks is in his 17th year as Director of Strength & Conditioning at Valpo and has returned to oversight of men's basketball strength & conditioning in 2020-21. He has worked with Valpo teams since 1994.
- Graduate Assistant Peter Funk is in his second year in that role after three years as an undergraduate manager.
- Athletic trainer Ken DeAngelis is in his second season full-time at Valpo after previously earning his master's degree from the University in 2012 while spending two years as a graduate assistant athletic trainer.

Tradition of Excellence

- Valpo has 14 NCAA Tournament appearances and four NIT berths in the program's proud history, with the team's postseason success highlighted by a Sweet Sixteen run in 1998.
- The program has produced nine All-Americans, won 18 regular season conference championships and 10 conference tournament crowns.
- Valpo also boasts eight NBA players, 10 conference players of the year and 20 20-win seasons.
- Nine of the team's NCAA appearances have come since 1996.
- Valpo has qualified for the postseason eight times in the last 10 years, including last year where Valpo accepted a postseason berth but the tournament was not played due to COVID-19.
- Valpo has developed a myriad of professional basketball players over the last quarter century, most notably a pair of NBA players in the last three years. Ryan Broekhoff (class of 2013) signed a contract with the Dallas Mavericks in the summer of 2018 after spending five seasons playing internationally in Russia and Turkey. Alec Peters (class of 2017) was the 54th pick in the 2017 NBA Draft by the Phoenix Suns. Peters appeared in 20 games for the Suns in 2017-18,



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highlighted by a 36-point performance in the season finale against Dallas – a new single-game high by a Valpo alum in the NBA. He has gone on to a successful career overseas with CSKA Moscow (2018-2019), Anadolu Efes (2019-2020) and Kirolbet Baskonia (2020-present).

- Valpo has produced over 50 professional players in the last 25 years.

#0 Goodnews Kpegeol, R-So. (St. Paul, Minn.)

- Squeezed a season-high seven rebounds on Jan. 16 at DePaul to share the team lead. Also went 6-for-6 at the free-throw line to finish with eight points in addition to swiping three steals.
- Had the first double-figure scoring output of his collegiate career with 10 points on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE.
- Scored his first collegiate points and finished with nine in 27 minutes of action on Dec. 4 at Purdue.
- Made his Valpo debut in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt.
- Joins the program as a junior college transfer after averaging 12.0 points and 5.8 rebounds at Southwest Mississippi in 2019-20.
- Started the 2018-19 season at Taylor Made Prep in Pensacola, Fla., then transferred to Kansas State at the semester break and sat out the remainder of that season due to transfer rules.
- Was a four-year letter winner at North High School in St. Paul, leading his team to a 22-5 overall mark and 15-1 conference record as a senior.
- Played his high school basketball for Damian Johnson, who played collegiately at the University of Minnesota before going on to a professional career from 2010-2016. Johnson was teammates with Valpo head coach Matt Lottich when both played for the Oita Heat Devils in Japan in 2010-2011.
- First name comes from his parents' belief that he could bring something good into the world.

#1 Sigurd Lorange, So. (Trondheim, Norway)

- Appeared in nine games in 2019-20 before having his rookie season cut short by a hip injury.
- Averaged 2.9 points per contest while shooting a robust 60 percent (6-of-10) from 3-point land in limited action.
- Played a wide variety of sports as a child. His best three sports were soccer, handball and basketball. There were phases of his life where he wanted to pursue soccer or handball, but eventually figured out that basketball was the most fun to him.

#2 Zion Morgan, R-Sr. (Chicago, Ill.)

- Made his season debut on Jan. 28 vs. Bradley after missing the season's first 13 games.
- Appeared in 28 games during his first season at Valpo in 2019-20.
- Joined the program as a junior college transfer after two seasons at Wabash Valley College.
- Started his collegiate career by playing in 27 games and making

five starts at UNLV in 2016-17.

- Was teammates with Valpo's Nick Robinson at Kenwood Academy in Chicago.

#3 Steven Helm III, R-So. (Valparaiso, Ind.)

- Hit four crucial free throws, two in each game, to ice Valpo's victories at Illinois State in the closing seconds on Jan. 23-24.
- Handed out a team-high five assists and scored his first collegiate points in the Dec. 6 victory over Judson.
- Made his Valpo debut on Dec. 4 at Purdue and recorded a plus-minus of +12 to lead the team.
- Spent the last two years in Japan serving a mission for his church, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.
- Started his collegiate career at Carroll College, where he competed in both basketball and track & field.
- Connected at a 47.1 percent clip from 3-point range and a 94.2 percent clip from the foul line at Carroll.
- Qualified for nationals in track & field and helped his basketball team to the national tournament.
- Transferred to Valpo and sat out the 2017-18 basketball season while competing in track & field that spring.
- Led his Valparaiso High School team to a 20-7 record as a senior, averaging a team-high 16.1 points/game along with 3.5 assists/game.
- Mother is an Associate Professor of Kinesiology at Valpo. Father Steve Jr. was an NAIA Third Team All-American at Montana State University-Northern and went on to play for the American Basketball Association's Indiana Legends after his collegiate career. Steve Jr. followed his playing days with a coaching career that featured four seasons as an assistant on the Valpo women's basketball staff.
- Considers himself a "movie buff" and "Star Wars nerd." Saving Private Ryan and Star Wars Episode 3 are his favorite movies.

#4 Daniel Sackey, Jr. (Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada)

- Shattered a career high by squeezing nine rebounds on Jan. 28 vs. Bradley. His previous personal best was six.
- Matched a season high with eight assists in each game on Jan. 23-24 at Illinois State. In the second game against the Redbirds, he poured in 16 points for the second-highest scoring output of his career and highest this season.
- Contributed a season-high nine points and six boards on Jan. 16 at DePaul, equaling a career high on the glass with his fourth career six-rebound game and first this season.
- Finished with his highest assist total since his nine-dime effort on Dec. 18, 2019 by handing out eight helpers on Dec. 9, 2020 vs. SIUE. Also swiped four steals, matching a career high with his second career four-steal effort.



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- Put together a balanced line of six points, five rebounds and six assists in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt - the first time in his collegiate career that he's had five or more in all three categories in the same game. Also swiped four steals, equaling a career high.
- Ranked fifth in the MVC and second among sophomores at 3.6 assists per game last season.
- Had a team-high 121 assists to go along with 6.3 points per game, 2.5 rebounds per game and 35 steals while averaging 25.5 minutes over 34 contests (25 starts) as a sophomore in 2019-20.
- Made a buzzer-beater to upstage Canadian powerhouse Carleton in overtime in August 2019, making an appearance on SportsCenter's Top 10 plays at No. 9 that evening.
- Has been a drummer since elementary school. The basement of his family's home in Canada includes a small recording studio. He has a deep passion for music.
- Became just the sixth Manitoban to earn a scholarship in Division-I men's basketball since the NCAA reorganized into its current competitive format in 1973.

#5 Donovan Clay, So. (Alton, Ill.)

- Enjoyed his second career double-double and first 20-point, 10-rebound effort on Jan. 23 at Illinois State. He became the fourth Valpo player during the Matt Lottich Era with a 20-point double-double, squeezing 12 rebounds in the triumph.
- Enjoyed the fourth 20-point game of his career and his second this season with a season-high 21 points on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State.
- Became the second MVC player with a 13-rebound effort this season on Dec. 19 at Toledo, in the process securing his first career double-double and the first by a Valpo player in 2020-21. He scored a team-high 17 points to complement his effort on the glass.
- Became the first Missouri Valley Conference player with a five-block game this season on Dec. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest, also becoming the first Valpo player to stuff five shots in a game since Jaume Sorolla on Jan. 26, 2019 vs. Drake.
- Enjoyed his first 20-point output of the season and the third of his collegiate career to lead the team on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan. That marked his first 20-point effort in a road game at the collegiate level.
- Led the team in scoring with 12 points on Dec. 1 at UIC.
- Named to the MVC Preseason Second Team.
- Leading into the season, put a lot of time into his shot, agility and ability to run faster and jump higher.
- Was one of two Valpo players to compete in all 35 games and made 33 starts during his freshman campaign.
- Was third on the team in scoring (9.4 ppg) and second in rebounding (4.6 ppg) while leading the team in blocked shots with 36 in 2019-20.
- Earned a place on the MVC All-Freshman Team in 2019-20.
- Scored in double figures on 19 occasions including eight outputs of 15+ points and two of 20+ points. He scored in double figures just once over his first seven games and then did so in 18 of the next 28.

- Is a high-level video game player, following in the footsteps of former Valpo sharp-shooter Ryan Fazekas. Enjoys playing NBA 2K games online all the time. Also enjoys tossing a football or baseball in his spare time.

#10 Eron Gordon, R-Sr. (Indianapolis, Ind.)

- Posted his first career double-double by matching a season high with 14 points and pulling down a personal-best 10 rebounds in the Jan. 23 win at Illinois State.
- Led the team in scoring for a third straight game and rebounding for a fourth straight game with five boards to go along with a season-high 14 points on Jan. 20 vs. Loyola.
- Led the team in rebounding for the third straight game on Jan. 16 at DePaul, pulling down seven boards to go along with a team-high 12 points. He paced Valpo in scoring for the second straight game after not doing so at all in any of his first 44 career contests.
- Shared the team lead with a season-high 13 points on Jan. 10 vs. Missouri State, pacing the squad in scoring for the first time in his Valpo career.
- Posted the eighth double figure scoring output of his Valpo career and his first of the season with 10 points on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE.
- Made his first start of the season, his fifth overall at Valpo and his first since Jan. 29, 2020 at Bradley in the Dec. 4 game at Purdue.
- Led the team on the glass for the first time in his Valpo career by squeezing a career-high eight rebounds in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt.
- Was one of two players on the team who appeared in all 35 games in 2019-20.
- Made the go-ahead layup with three seconds left in overtime in Valpo's 74-73 upset win over Loyola in the MVC quarterfinal to help the Brown & Gold complete an 18-point rally. That was the 25th time since the start of the 1992-93 season that Valpo prevailed on a game-winner in the final five seconds.
- Became the third Valpo player to hit a game-winner in the final five seconds of a conference tournament or postseason game since 1992-93, joining Ryan Broekhoff (2013 vs. Green Bay) and Bryce Drew (1998 vs. Ole Miss).
- Joined the program in 2018-19 but sat out due to transfer rules. Appeared in 48 games over his two years at Seton Hall.
- Oldest brother Eric was the seventh pick of the 2008 NBA Draft and has played 11 seasons in the NBA. Father Eric is one of the top 20 all-time scorers at Liberty. Brother Evan is playing in the CBA after scoring over 1,300 points at the Division-I level at Liberty, Arizona State and Indiana.
- Enjoys filming and editing videos and podcasting.



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- Enjoys travel and features his destinations on one of his YouTube channels.
- Future plans include playing professional basketball, pursuing broadcast journalism and contributing to the family business, E3 Basketball Academy.

#11 Emil Freese-Vilien, So. (Copenhagen, Denmark)

- Appeared in 16 games and averaged 6.6 minutes per contest while totaling 16 points, four blocked shots, five assists and 15 rebounds (six offensive boards) during his rookie campaign in 2019-20.
- Started playing basketball in November 2014 after playing badminton during his younger years.
- Played for Denmark at both the U16 and U18 FIBA Euro Championships in 2015 and 2017, respectively.
- Shortly before coming to Valpo, played for Vaerlose in the Danish Basketligaen, the highest professional league in Denmark.
- Majoring in civil engineering
- Has been very interested in drawing for many years. Wanted to become an architect for a long time and still has that dream in the back of his mind. Spends a lot of time drawing blueprints and houses.

#12 Tyler Fricke, Fr. (Arlington Heights, Ill.)

- Made his collegiate debut and scored his first points with a pair of free throws in the Dec. 6 victory over Judson.
- Joined the Valpo program as a walk-on for the 2020-21 season.
- Father Scott coached Valpo head coach Matt Lottich at New Trier High School during Lottich's playing days.
- Brother Zach pitches for the Valpo baseball team.

#13 Sheldon Edwards, Fr. (West Palm Beach, Fla.)

- Led the team with 18 points, including 11 in the two overtime periods, to lift Valpo to an 91-85 victory over Bradley on Jan. 28.
- Scored 19 points over the two games vs. Missouri State on Jan. 9-10.
- Poured in a personal-best 20 points on an efficient 7-of-9 shooting with eight rebounds on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE.
- Reached double figures for the first time in his Valpo career with a 10-point showing on Dec. 6 vs. Judson.
- Became the seventh Valpo freshman in the last 20 years to start the season opener on Nov. 27 at Vanderbilt.
- Averaged 21.2 points and 7.6 rebounds as a senior at Palm Beach Lakes High School in 2018-19.
- Spent a postgraduate year at TLAP Sports Academy in Port St. Lucie, Fla. during the 2019-20 season, averaging 32 points per game and five rebounds per contest while turning in two games of 40+ points.
- Favorite NBA player is Steph Curry, but he models his game after the likes of Devin Booker, Jayson Tatum and Bradley Beal. When he's not playing basketball, the Valpo freshman spends much of his free time watching it.

#15 Luke Morrill, So. (Lombard, Ill.)

- Joined the program as a walk-on prior to the 2019-20 season.

- Saw action in five games, totaling nine minutes and accruing five points and two rebounds during his first season on campus.
- Majoring in computer engineering.
- Considers Valpo teammate Donovan Clay "like a brother" to him after the two were roommates as freshmen and during the spring 2020 COVID-19 quarantine.
- Enjoys fishing and wakesurfing, which is surfing in the boat's wake without being directly pulled by the boat.

#20/21 Brock Pappas, Jr. (Valparaiso, Ind.)

- Made his season debut on Dec. 6 vs. Judson.
- Nursing major who joined the program as a walk-on in 2018-19.
- Is a Valparaiso, Ind. native and a graduate of nearby Washington Township.
- Mother (Lisa) has worked on Valpo's campus for 32 years, currently serving as an administrative assistant in the Department of Education. Brother (Bryce) and father (Steve) are both Valpo graduates.
- Is the first boys basketball player in Washington Township High School history to play at the Division-I level.
- Grew up attending Valpo games and remembers being a young child who looked up to Valpo basketball players.
- Has always been interested in working with children. Initially wanted to be a teacher but decided pediatric nursing is the field for him.

#22 Mileek McMillan, Sr. (Merrillville, Ind.)

- Drained four 3s on his way to a team-high 18 points on opening night at Vanderbilt on Nov. 27, when he finished two points shy of a career high and equaled a personal best with seven made field goals.
- Was named to the MVC Most-Improved Team after upping his scoring average from 2.8 points per game as a sophomore to 8.8 points per game as a junior in 2019-20.
- Started all 34 games that he played as a junior after making just one start and averaging 8.1 minutes per game as a sophomore.
- Over doubled his rebounding average from the previous season, going from 1.5 to 3.2 in 2019-20. After making 10 3-pointers as a sophomore, he made 40 during his junior campaign and shot 42.3 percent from distance during conference play.
- Enjoys playing with his dog, roller skating and playing chess... Likes to look at the sky, especially prior to rainfall or during a sunset... Is a big fan of nature and the sound of trains.
- Twin brother Mahquese attends Cal State Los Angeles.
- Was cut from his middle school basketball team in seventh



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grade, made the "B" team in eighth grade and missed his freshman year of high school with an injury.

#23 Ben Krikke, So. (Edmonton, Alberta, Canada)

- Was named the Missouri Valley Conference player of the week on Jan. 26, the first weekly conference honor of his collegiate career.
- Became just the third Valpo player in the last 25 years with a 25-point, 15-rebound game on Jan. 24 at Illinois State.
- Shattered his previous season high by halftime with 17 first-half points on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State on his way to a career-high 21. He joined Javon Freeman-Liberty, Tevonn Walker and Alec Peters as the only four Valpo players with 17+ points in a first half during Matt Lottich's head coaching tenure (fifth season).
- Posted 16 points and seven rebounds on 8-of-11 shooting in the Dec. 19 game at Toledo. The eight field goals marked a career high and the 16-point game was two shy of a personal best.
- Tied a career high with seven rebounds on Dec. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest.
- Had his fourth double-figure scoring output in the season's first six games with 12 points to go along with a career-high three blocked shots on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan. He became the first Valpo player with three blocked shots in a game this season.
- Scored in double figures in each of the first two games of the 2020-21 season (at Vanderbilt, at UIC), the first set of back-to-back double-figure outputs in the sophomore's collegiate career. His second straight double-figure showing featured 11 points on an efficient 4-of-5 shooting on Dec. 1 at UIC.
- Made his second career start and first against a Division-I opponent in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt. Finished with 13 points, all in the second half, in a career-high 34 minutes.
- Leading into the season, spent time working on improving his shooting and hitting shots at a higher rate, especially from 3. Also worked on bulking up and improving his strength, dribbling and ball-handling. Hopes to be versatile enough to play on the perimeter if needed.
- Appeared in 33 games and made one start during his freshman season... Averaged 6.7 points per game and 2.9 rebounds per contest while blocking 15 shots, coming away with 15 steals, shooting 79.2 percent at the foul line, draining 14 3s and handing out 22 assists... Shot 55.0 percent from the field, finishing fifth in the conference and second among freshmen in field-goal percentage.
- Hails from Edmonton, a very devout hockey city, but says basketball there is on the upswing.
- Never played ice hockey, but did compete in badminton, volleyball and various track & field events.
- Loves to go fishing in the summer. Also enjoys mountain biking and chess, which he learned from his grandfather.

#25 Nick Robinson, R-Sr. (Chicago, Ill.)

- Opted out of the remainder of the season on Jan. 21.

- Scored a career-high 21 points on Nov. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest while also notching his fourth career three-steal game, shooting at an efficient 7-of-8 clip and drawing seven fouls.

- Led the team in scoring for the first time in his Valpo career with 15 points on Dec. 4 at Purdue. That marked his highest scoring output since Dec. 30, 2019 vs. Loyola (15) and was four shy of his career high (Nov. 12, 2019 at SIUE). He also squeezed six rebounds to share the team lead.

- Pulled down a team-high six rebounds on Dec. 1 at UIC, leading the team in rebounding for the fourth time in his collegiate career and first since Dec. 8, 2019 (9 vs. Central Michigan).

- Played in 25 games and made 19 starts while missing nine games due to a back injury.

- Joined the program as a transfer in 2018-19 and sat out due to transfer rules after playing two seasons at Saint Joseph's and appearing in 62 games, starting 30 times.

- High school teammate of Valpo's Zion Morgan at Kenwood.

- Enjoys taking photos of nature in his spare time.

- Career interests include business, investing and real estate.

#34 Jacob Ognacevic, Fr. (Sheboygan, Wis.)

- Shared team high honors with 13 points in just 12 minutes on an efficient 4-of-7 shooting on Jan. 10 vs. Missouri State.

- Went off for 20 points in the home opener on Dec. 6 vs. Judson. This marks the seventh consecutive year that at least one Valpo player has scored 20+ points in the home opener. He and Connor Barrett became the first freshman tandem to each score 17+ points in the same game in over 20 years.

- Drained four triples in just 14 minutes of action to achieve double figures for the first time in his collegiate career with 12 on Dec. 4 at Purdue.

- Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt, knocking down a 3 with his only shot attempt of the game to account for his first career points.

- Named to The Associated Press All-State First Team following his senior season at Sheboygan Lutheran in 2019-20 while also earning Herald Times Player of the Year, All-Big East Conference Player of the Year and Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association All-State First-Team status.

- Was a finalist for Wisconsin Mr. Basketball.

- Led his team to a 27-2 record and the state championship in Wisconsin Division 5 during his junior season in 2018-19 and was on the way to a repeat before the 2019-20 season was cut short due to COVID-19.

- Became the 38th player in the history of Wisconsin high school basketball to accumulate 2,000 career points, reaching the milestone on Jan. 23, 2020 with a 54-point game against Ozaukee.



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- Shattered the Sheboygan Lutheran scoring record that was previously held by Sam Dekker, who played in the NBA from 2015-2019 with the Houston Rockets, Los Angeles Clippers, Cleveland Cavaliers and Washington Wizards.
- Is a big fan of mixed martial arts and roots for all Boston professional sports teams.

#35 Connor Barrett, Fr. (Chicago, Ill.)

- Finished with 12 points thanks to four made 3s on Jan. 23 at Illinois State, his fifth double-figure output as a freshman and his fourth game with three or more 3-pointers.
- Had five steals on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State, joining the short list of Valpo players with five or more steals in a game during the Matt Lottich Era (fifth season): Javon Freeman-Liberty (3), Lexus Williams (3) and Tevonn Walker (2).
- Scored 14 points on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan, his second double-figure scoring output in a three-game span. That effort was highlighted at the foul line, where he went 6-for-6.
- Knocked down five 3s in the home opener vs. Judson on Dec. 6, becoming the first freshman with five treys in a game since 2013-2014 and the first Valpo player to do so in the first four games of his freshman season since 2006-07.
- Accrued his first collegiate points (3), rebounds (3) and assists (2) on Dec. 1 at UIC. His 3-pointer marked Valpo's lone made triple of the contest.
- One of three Valpo freshmen to make his collegiate debut on Nov. 27 at Vanderbilt.
- Spent a postgraduate year at Brewster Academy in New Hampshire during the 2019-20 season.
- Averaged 11.9 points and 3.7 rebounds per game at Loyola Academy as a high school senior during the 2018-19 season while knocking down 64 3-pointers and shooting at a 37.9 percent clip.
- Led his high school team to back-to-back regional championships and sectional final appearances. Winning roots go back to his middle school days, when his team won three straight championships in sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Says winning at a young age helped him mature for the next level.
- Is an avid golfer whose best score is 73.



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Last Time When...

Won in OT..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley W 91-85
Lost in OT..... Feb. 19, 2020 at Drake L 77-75
Played 2OT..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley W 91-85
Played 3OT..... Nov. 29, 2013 vs. Mercer L 117-108

Beat a Ranked Opponent..... Nov. 29, 2016 65-62 vs. #21/25 Rhode Island

Valpo Scored 100 Points..... Nov. 6, 2018 vs. Concordia Chicago W 121-65
Valpo Scored 100 vs. D1..... Nov. 29, 2013 vs. Mercer L 117-108 (3ot)
An Opponent Scored 100 Points..... Nov. 29, 2013 vs. Mercer L 117-108 (3ot)

Valpo Scored 90 Points..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley W 91-85(2ot)
An Opponent Scored 90 Points..... March 7, 2016 vs. Green Bay (in Detroit) L 99-92(ot)

Valpo Scored Fewer Than 50 Points..... Jan. 20, 2021 vs. Loyola L 75-39
An Opponent Scored Fewer Than 50 Points..... Dec. 6, 2020 vs. Judson W 85-45

Valpo Scored Fewer Than 40 Points..... Jan. 20, 2021 vs. Loyola L 75-39
An Opponent Scored Fewer Than 40 Points..... Feb. 12, 2020 vs. Southern Illinois W 55-38

Valpo Shot at Least 60 Percent..... Dec. 12, 2018 vs. UC Riverside (33-55, 60%)
An Opponent Shot at Least 60 Percent..... Dec. 3, 2019 at Eastern Michigan (27-44, 61.4)

Valpo Shot Less Than 30 Percent..... Feb. 5, 2020 vs. UNI (16-57, 28.1)
An Opponent Shot Less Than 30%..... Feb. 12, 2020 vs. Southern Illinois (13-55, 23.6)

Valpo Made 15+ 3-Pointers..... Feb. 22, 2020 vs. Bradley (18)
An Opponent Made 15+ 3-Pointers..... March 4, 2011 (Milwaukee, Wis.) vs. Detroit (15)

Valpo Failed to Make a 3-Pointer..... March 5, 2020 vs. Evansville (St. Louis)
An Opponent Failed to Make a 3-Pointer..... Feb. 7, 2009 at Detroit

Valpo Attempted 30+ 3-Pointers..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley (11)
An Opponent Attempted 30+ 3-Pointers..... Dec. 19, 2020 vs. Toledo (31)

Valpo Made 30 Free Throws..... Jan. 14, 2017 at Cleveland State (32)
An Opponent Made 30 Free Throws..... Jan. 13, 2018 at UNI (31)

Valpo Attempted 50+ Free Throws..... March 3, 1997 (Moline, Ill.) vs. Northeastern Illinois (51)
An Opponent Attempted 50+ Free Throws..... March 7, 2016 (Detroit) vs. Green Bay (52)
Valpo Attempted 40+ Free Throws..... Feb. 13, 2019 vs. Indiana State (40)
An Opponent Attempted 40+ Free Throws..... Dec. 20, 2017 at UC Riverside (42)

Valpo Had 50+ Rebounds..... Dec. 29, 2018 vs. Purdue Northwest (50)
An Opponent Had 50+ Rebounds..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley (52)

Valpo Had 30+ Assists..... Nov. 28, 2005 vs. IU South Bend (36)
Valpo Had 20+ Assists..... March 7, 2020 (St. Louis) vs. Missouri State (20)

Valpo Blocked 10+ Shots..... March 15, 2016 vs. Texas Southern (10)
An Opponent Blocked 10+ Shots..... Feb. 13, 2015 vs. Green Bay (11)

Valpo Had 15+ Steals..... Dec. 17, 2020 vs. Purdue Northwest (17)
An Opponent Had 15+ Steals..... March 29, 2016 (New York) vs. BYU (16)

Scoring Margins

+20..... Dec. 9, 2020 vs. SIUE (+22)
-20..... Jan. 20, 2021 vs. Loyola (-36)
+30..... Dec. 6, 2020 vs. Judson (+40)
+30 vs. D1..... Nov. 19, 2017 vs. Southeastern Louisiana (+33)
-30..... Jan. 20, 2021 vs. Loyola (-36)
+40..... Dec. 6, 2020 vs. Judson (+40)
+40 vs. D1..... Feb. 18, 1999 vs. Chicago State (+42)
-40..... March 3, 1992 at Green Bay (-44)



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Last Time When... (Cont.)

Comebacks

Valpo Erases 20-Point Deficit to Win..... Jan. 17, 2013 at Detroit (22)
Valpo Erases 15-Point Deficit to Win..... March 6, 2020 (St. Louis) vs. Loyola (18)
Valpo Erases 10-Point Deficit to Win..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley (14)
Opponent Erases 20-Point Deficit to Win..... Jan. 28, 2006 vs. IUPUI (22)
Opponent Erases 15-Point Deficit to Win..... Jan. 4, 2014 at Oakland (15)
Opponent Erases 10-Point Deficit to Win..... Dec. 4, 2020 at Purdue (11)

Individual

Valpo Player Scored 30+ Points..... Javon Freeman-Liberty on Nov. 25, 2019 (U.S. Virgin Islands) vs. Cincinnati (32)
Opponent Scored 30+ Points..... Tyreke Key on Feb. 13, 2019 vs. Indiana State (32)

Valpo Player Scored 40+ Points..... Bruce Lindner on Feb. 24, 1970 at Evansville (50)
Opponent Scored 40+ Points..... Reggie Hamilton on Dec. 17, 2011 vs. Oakland (41)

Valpo Player Shot 100% (min. 8 FGA)..... Donovan Clay on Dec. 30, 2019 vs. Loyola (8-8)
Opponent Shot 100% (min. 8 FGA)..... Bennett Koch on Feb. 20, 2018 vs. UNI (8-8)

Valpo Player Made Five 3s..... Connor Barrett on Dec. 6, 2020 vs. Judson (5)
Opponent Made Five 3s..... Keith Clemons on March 6, 2020 (St. Louis) vs. Loyola (5)

Valpo Player 15+ Rebounds.... Ben Krikke on Jan. 24, 2021 at Illinois State (15)
Opponent 15+ Rebounds..... Gaige Prim on Jan. 9, 2021 vs. Missouri State (16)
Valpo Player 20+ Rebounds..... Bill Jenkins on Feb. 24, 1997 vs. Troy State (21)
Opponent 20+ Rebounds..... Scott VanderMeer on Jan. 24, 2008 vs. UIC (21)

Valpo Player 10+ Assists..... Deion Lavender on Dec. 8, 2018 at Georgia Washington (10)
Opponent 10+ Assists..... Teyvion Kirk on Dec. 1, 2020 at UIC (14)

Valpo Player Blocked 5+ Shots..... Donovan Clay on Dec. 17, 2020 vs. Purdue Northwest (5)
Opponent Blocked 5+ Shots..... Liam Robbins on Feb. 19, 2020 at Drake (5)

Valpo Player 5+ Steals..... Connor Barrett on Jan. 9, 2021 vs. Missouri State (5)
Opponent 5+ Steals..... Marreon Jackson on Nov. 5, 2019 vs. Toledo (5)

Five Valpo Players in Double Figures..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley
No Valpo Players in Double Figures..... March 4, 2017 vs. Milwaukee (Detroit)

Valpo Game-Winner in Final Five Seconds..... Eron Gordon on March 6, 2020 vs. Loyola (St. Louis)



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Matt Lottich

Head Coach

5th Season * Stanford, 2004

79-69 Overall and at Valpo

Matt Lottich is in his eighth season overall at Valparaiso University and fifth as the head coach of the men's basketball program in 2020-2021.

Just two years removed from finishing in last place and being knocked out in the first round of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament as a first-year Valley member, Lottich's team did more than hold its own in 2019-2020, ascending into a tie for sixth in the league standings before finishing as the conference tournament runner-up. Valpo became the first team in the history of Arch Madness to reach the title game after playing in the opening round.

Lottich led the program to its first conference championship game appearance since 2015 during the 2019-2020 campaign, doing so after being picked to finish ninth of 10 in the preseason poll. Valpo reached the conference title game as only a third-year MVC member, becoming the first Valpo team in any sport to do so during the department's young tenure in the prestigious league. After finishing with its highest conference win total, highest overall win total and highest finish in the league standings since joining The Valley, Valpo accepted a postseason tournament invitation to play in the CollegeInsider.com Tournament. The event was ultimately canceled due to COVID-19.

During the 2019-2020 season, Lottich led the program to its largest win increase from the previous season (four) since jumping from 18 wins in 2013-14 to 28 in 2014-15. Valpo finished with a winning record during the nonconference portion of the season for the 10th straight year. In addition, the program continued its history of home dominance and hasn't finished with a losing mark at the ARC since 1991-92, extending its streak to 28 seasons. Valpo achieved a double-figure home win total for the ninth time in the last 10 years.

The 2019-2020 team's finest hour came on the biggest stage, as Lottich led the squad to three victories in as many days at Arch Madness, the 2020 State Farm MVC Men's Basketball Tournament in St. Louis. Lottich's team came from 18 down to upset Loyola in the MVC quarterfinal, tying for the second-biggest comeback in MVC Tournament history. During his time guiding the program, Lottich has instilled a no-quit attitude, as his team has erased double-figure deficits to win 15 times over his first four seasons while coughing up a double-figure advantage just once in that span. The Loyola comeback marked the sixth time in 2019-2020 that Valpo came from double figures down to win. On 11 occasions, Valpo trailed by at least 10 points and eventually tied the game or took the lead. Valpo also became just the second team in the long history of the Missouri Valley Conference to come from 17 or more down to win twice in one season, joining Creighton from 2007-2008.

Working with a young team that featured just five returning players from the previous season, Lottich mentored a 2019-2020 First Team All-MVC selection, MVC All-Defensive Team choice, MVC All-Freshman Team honoree, MVC All-Bench pick, MVC Scholar-Athlete Second Team selection and a pair of MVC All-Tournament Team performers. Perhaps most noteworthy of all, the program's emphasis on player development paid dividends as Valpo accounted for 40 percent of the MVC Most-Improved Team. Two of the program's five returning players found themselves honored on the five-player most-improved squad.

Lottich's team committed just 12.7 turnovers per game in 2019-2020 while ranking second in the league with 72.3 points per game, second with 7.7 steals per game and first with 15.2 assists per contest, leading a league in that category for the first time since 2011-12.

Other noteworthy feats for Lottich's squad in 2019-2020 included making 18 3-pointers in a game against Bradley to set the league-only MVC record, holding Southern Illinois to 38 points to set the program record for the fewest allowed against a Division-I opponent since the advent of the shot clock, snapping a 22-game losing streak in games at Evansville that had dated back to 1969, breaking through with its first win over Loyola since joining The Valley after previously going 0-7 against the program's Chicagoland rival and twice turning a double-figure defeat from the first half of the MVC double-round robin into a double-figure victory in the second meeting with that opponent.

The 2018-2019 season saw Lottich lead Valpo to 15 wins. The season was headlined by road victories over UNLV and George Washington during the nonconference portion of the schedule, as well as a 4-0 start to Missouri Valley Conference play.

Lottich led Valpo to 15 victories in his second season in charge in 2017-2018 and guided the team through the move to the MVC, which ended the campaign ranked eighth nationally in conference RPI.

In his first season at the helm of the Valpo men's basketball program, Lottich guided the team to its fifth Horizon League regular season championship in a six-year span as he led Valpo to 24 wins and an at-large berth into the NIT. Lottich's inaugural season as head coach was highlighted by a home win over a nationally-ranked Rhode Island squad as well as neutral-site triumphs over Alabama and BYU to capture the MGM Grand Main Event.

Lottich coached the Horizon League Player of the Year and an NABC Third Team All-American in Alec Peters, guiding the senior as he closed out one of the top careers in program history. Peters enjoyed his finest season as a senior, ranking among the Top 20 in the nation in both scoring and rebounding and breaking five of Valpo's career records.

Lottich was hired as the 22nd head coach of the Valpo men's basketball program in April 2016. After spending the previous three seasons on staff as an assistant coach, he became just the fifth Valpo head coach in a 36-year span.

Lottich arrived at Valparaiso University in summer 2013 and helped guide the team to 78 victories over his three seasons as an assistant. Valpo won two Horizon League regular season championships and one league tournament title over those three years.

The team recorded the top two victory totals in program history over Lottich's final two years as an assistant. Valpo broke the previous school record for wins in a season during the 2014-2015 campaign, winning 28 games and earning a berth in the NCAA Tournament. Then, the 2015-2016 season saw Valpo win a program-record 30 games and advance to the NIT championship game at Madison Square Garden.

Lottich brings nearly a decade of professional playing experience to the head coaching position at Valparaiso University. He spent eight years playing professionally in Japan for the Oita Heat Devils and the Osaka Evessa, earning All-Star recognition four times. He also played one season in Germany in the Bundesliga for the Dusseldorf Giants, played one season in New Zealand in the NBL for the Harbor Heat and was a member of the New Jersey Nets summer league team in 2004.

Lottich played collegiately at Stanford University from 2000-2004. As a senior in 2003-2004, he helped lead the Cardinal to the Pac-10 title while earning NABC All-Star plaudits, awarded to the Top 15 seniors in college basketball. He was also a member of the Wooden Award midseason watch list and was an Honorable Mention All Pac-10 selection as a senior. Lottich was a member of the program's conference championship squad as a freshman in 2000-2001 and still ranks among Stanford's single-season and career leaders in 3-pointers made.

Off the court, Lottich came to Valpo from the National Collegiate Scouting Association, where he started in January 2013. Lottich ascended to the position of head scout during his time with the NCSA, which helps high school athletes navigate the world of college recruiting. Lottich also co-founded the TEAM Life Skills basketball camp in 2004 and spent nine years managing and developing the camp.

Lottich played his prep basketball at New Trier [Ill.] H.S., where he was named the Chicago Tribune Athlete of the Year in 2000 and holds the distinction of being the program's all-time leading scorer. Lottich graduated from Stanford University in 2004 and currently resides in Valparaiso with his wife, Kylan, and their four children: Grace, Matthan, Christian and Landon.



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Guard * 6-5 * RS Sophomore * Psychology
St. Paul, Minn. * North HS (SW Mississippi CC / Kansas St)

2020-21: Made his Valpo debut in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt... Scored his first collegiate points and finished with nine in 27 minutes of action on Dec. 4 at Purdue... Had the first double-figure scoring output of his collegiate career with 10 points on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE... Squeezed a season-high seven rebounds on Jan. 16 at DePaul to share the team lead. Also went 6-for-6 at the free-throw line to finish with eight points in addition to swiping three steals.

2019-20 (Southwest Mississippi): Averaged 12.0 points, 5.8 rebounds and 2.6 assists per game during his junior college season.

2018-19 (Taylor Made Prep, Kansas State): Following his four-year high school career, spent postgraduate time at Taylor Made Prep in Pensacola, Fla... Averaged 15.6 points, 5.6 rebounds and 4.2 assists at Taylor Made... Was rated among the Top 100 shooting guards (No. 71) in the country and was the No. 27 prospect in Florida, according to 247Sports.com... Joined the Kansas State program at the semester break, and sat out the remainder of the season.

Prep: Was a four-year letter winner at North High School in St. Paul, leading his team to a 22-5 overall mark and 15-1 conference record as a senior.... Averaged a team-best 18.2 points per game over 19 contests during the 2017-18 campaign, his senior year. He surpassed 20 points on nine occasions... During his sophomore season, North made its first trip to the Class 4A State Tournament in 17 years and finished with a 24-6 mark... Played for head coach Damian Johnson, who played collegiately at the University of Minnesota before going on to a professional basketball career from 2010-2016. Johnson was teammates with Valpo head coach Matt Lottich in Japan when both played for the Oita Heat Devils in 2010-2011.

Personal: Son of Charity and Letom... Has a sister, Peace, and three brothers, Confidence, Bright and Wisdom... Majoring in psychology... His first name comes from his parents' belief that he could bring something good into the world... Never plays video games.



2020-21 SEASON HIGHS

Points	10, SIUE (12/9/20)
Rebounds	7, at DePaul (1/16/21)
Assists	1, 5x (M.R. 1/20/21)
Steals	3, at DePaul (1/16/21)
Blocks	1, Loyola (1/20/21)
FG Made	4, SIUE (12/9/20)
3PT Made	1, at Purdue (12/4/20)
FT Made	6, at DePaul (1/16/21)



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#1 Sigurd Lorange

Guard * 5-11 * Sophomore * Sports Management
Trondheim, Norway * Metis Videregaende Skole



2019-20: Appeared in nine games before having his rookie season cut short by a hip injury... Averaged 2.9 points per contest while shooting a robust 60 percent (6-of-10) from 3-point land in limited action... Made his collegiate debut on Nov. 9 at Saint Louis... Scored his first collegiate basket on Nov. 12 at SIUE, a 3-pointer at the buzzer to end the first half... Set season highs in points (11) and assists (four) while knocking down four of his six shots and canning three 3s on Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian.

Before Valpo: Played for Gimle Basketball in the BLNO, Norway's top professional basketball league... Helped lead Gimle to a league runner-up finish, averaging nearly 20 points and better than four assists per game... Represented Norway internationally three straight years, playing at the 2016 U16 European Championships and the 2017 and 2018 U18 European Championships... Averaged 17.8 points, 4.9 rebounds and 3.9 assists per game for Norway at the U18s in 2018... Was quickly recognized as one of the best players in Norway from a young age... Was able to compete for youth championships starting at age 15.

Personal: Majoring in sports management... Played all kinds of sports as a child. His best three sports were soccer, handball and basketball. There were phases of his life where he wanted to pursue soccer or handball, but eventually figured out that basketball was the most fun sport for him.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	11, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Rebounds	2, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
Assists	4, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Steals	1, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Blocks	
FG Made	4, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
3PT Made	3, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
FT Made	2, twice (M.R. 12/17/20)

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	6, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
Rebounds	2, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
Assists	2, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
Steals	1, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	2, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
3PT Made	1, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
FT Made	2, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)



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#2 Zion Morgan

Guard * 6-5 * RS Senior * Sports Management
Chicago, Ill. * Kenwood HS [Wabash Valley / UNLV]



2019-20: Appeared in 28 games and made one start during his first season at Valpo... Averaged 1.9 points per game and 2.1 rebounds per contest while accruing 32 assists and 12 steals... Made his Valpo debut on Nov. 5 vs. Toledo... Had season highs in points (seven), assists (five) and steals (four) on Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian... Pulled down four rebounds in just 10 minutes in a Dec. 8 victory over Central Michigan... Grabbed a season-high nine rebounds in only 13 minutes on Dec. 21 at Arkansas, also tossing in four points... Pulled down six rebounds on Jan. 7 at Southern Illinois, his second-highest total of the season... After a healthy DNP in the previous game, responded with five points, two steals and a team-high five assists on Jan. 15 at UNI. That equaled his season high in helpers... Made his first Valpo start on Jan. 18 vs. Indiana State, pulling down six rebounds in just 18 minutes... Scored seven points and squeezed five rebounds in 12 minutes of action in a Feb. 1 win over Illinois State. The point total was his D1 best and matched his overall career high set against Trinity Christian... Made his season debut on Jan. 28 vs. Bradley after missing the season's first 13 games.

2018-19 (Wabash Valley College): Helped lead the Warriors to a 25-8 record, a berth in the national Top 25 poll and a spot in the Region 24 championship game... Season was highlighted by a 25-point, seven-rebound effort against eventual national champion Vincennes... Averaged 7.8 points, 4.6 rebounds and 4.0 assists in 29 games, 20 starts.

2017-18 (Wabash Valley College): Sat out due to an injury.

2016-17 (UNLV): Appeared in 27 games and made five starts with the Runnin' Rebels... Averaged 2.8 points per game while playing 12.0 minutes per contest.

Prep: Was teammates with Valpo's Nick Robinson at Kenwood Academy in Chicago... Graduated from Kenwood Academy in 2016... Averaged 14.7 point, 5.0 assists and 2.0 steals as a senior for the Broncos... Led his team to 22 wins, conference and regional titles and a berth in the city championship game... Was part of back-to-back conference championship teams... Was named to the Chicago Sun-Times All-City Team as a senior... Lettered all four years of high school... Played under coach Marlo Finner.

Personal: Birthday is Nov. 18... Son of Addison and Dionne Morgan... Has a brother Addison and a sister Sanerra... Also has two half brothers: Jaquan Dailey and David Mack... Uncle Mardy Gilyard was a wide receiver at Cincinnati and was drafted by the NFL's St. Louis Rams in the fourth round of the 2010 NFL Draft... Proximity to Valpo factored into his decision to attend the University as he lives 50 minutes away... Enjoys making music as "Z-Mo" in his spare time.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	7, twice (M.R. 2/1/20)
Rebounds	9, at Arkansas (12/21/19)
Assists	5, twice (M.R. 1/15/20)
Steals	4, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Blocks	1, 5x (most recent 2/29/20)
FG Made	2, five times (M.R. 2/5/20)
3PT Made	
FT Made	3, Illinois State (2/1/20)

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	2, Bradley (1/28/21)
Rebounds	2, Bradley (1/28/21)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	
3PT Made	
FT Made	2, Bradley (1/28/21)



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#3 Steven Helm

Guard * 6-2 * RS Sophomore * Digital Media
Valparaiso, Ind. * Valparaiso (Carroll)



2020-21: Made his Valpo debut on Dec. 4 at Purdue and recorded a plus-minus of +12 to lead the team... Handled out a team-high five assists and scored his first collegiate points in the Dec. 6 victory over Judson... Hit four crucial free throws, two in each game, to ice Valpo's victories at Illinois State in the closing seconds on Jan. 23-24.

2018-19 & 2019-20: Spent two years in Japan serving a mission for his church, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints... Called it the toughest grind he has been through in his life, but also the most rewarding, spiritual and uplifting thing he's done... Woke up at 6:30 a.m. each day, went for a run or did some pushups, got ready, studied the language for about an hour, studied with his companion and then served by teaching others and finding people to teach... Held a leadership position, so had to hop on a train and head back to mission headquarters for a full day of meetings on occasion... Did not have many chances to pick up a basketball during those two years. Did "hoop" a bit at the park in his suit and tie and "got a couple dunks in wearing church shoes."... Made his Valpo debut on Dec. 4 at Purdue and recorded a plus-minus of +12 to lead the team.

2018 (Track): Competed on the Valpo track & field team during the 2018 spring season... On Day 2 of the outdoor MVC Championships, ran his best 400-meter dash time with a 49.91... Was a part of the program record-breaking 4x400 relay team that clinched a seventh-place finish, scoring two points with a time of 3:17.07. That time replaced the previous school mark of 3:20.3 set in 1974.

2017-18 (Basketball): Was a member of Valpo's program... Sat out due to NCAA transfer requirements.

Carroll College: Averaged 6.3 points per game in 17.8 minutes per game as a freshman in 2016-17... scored in double figures on 10 occasions... sharpshooter connected at a 47.1 percent clip from 3-point range and a 94.2 percent clip from the foul line... also ran track and field, helping 4x400m relay squad to a sixth-place finish at outdoor nationals... Carroll is in the same conference as Montana State, where Steven's father is a Hall of Famer... Steven was born in the state of Montana... Didn't miss a free throw during Carroll's national tournament run. Carroll was regular season and conference champions and reached the national tournament, where he hit back-to-backs 3s late in a game to help his team to victory.

Prep: Product of Valparaiso High School... led team to a 20-7 record as a senior, averaging a team-high 16.1 points/game along with 3.5 assists/game... led state of Indiana in free throw shooting, connecting at a 94 percent rate from the foul line... team MVP as a senior... named to the NWI Times All-Area Team, the Post-Tribune All-Area Second Team and to the Hoosier Basketball Top 60 in 2016... All-Conference honoree in both basketball and track and field... sectional champion in the 400m dash outdoors as a senior ... member of National Honor Society.

Personal: Son of Steve Jr. and Kelly Helm ... mother is an Associate Professor of Kinesiology at Valpo... Father Steve Jr. was an NAIA Third Team All-American at Montana State University-Northern and went on to play for the American Basketball Association's Indiana Legends after his collegiate career. Steve Jr. followed his playing days with a coaching career that featured four seasons as an assistant on the Valpo women's basketball staff... Frequently attended Valpo games and got to know former Valpo stars like Ryan Broekhoff, Erik Buggs and E. Victor Nickerson. Broekhoff was one of his mom's students... Considers himself a "movie buff" and "Star Wars nerd." Saving Private Ryan and Star Wars Episode 3 are his favorite movies... Is an eagle scout.

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	3, twice (M.R. 1/28/21)
Rebounds	1, Judson (12/6/20)
Assists	5, Judson (12/6/20)
Steals	1, Judson (12/6/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	1, Judson (12/6/20)
3PT Made	
FT Made	3, Bradley (1/28/21)



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#4 Daniel Sackey

Guard * 5-9 * Junior * Sports Management
Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada * Thornlea HS



2020-21: Put together a balanced line of six points, five rebounds and six assists in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt - the first time in his collegiate career that he's had five or more in all three categories in the same game. Also swiped four steals, equaling a career high... Finished with his highest assist total since his nine-dime effort on Dec. 18, 2019 by handing out eight helpers on Dec. 9, 2020 vs. SIUE. Also swiped four steals, matching a career high with his second career four-steal effort... Contributed a season-high nine points and six boards on Jan. 16 at DePaul, equaling a career high on the glass with his fourth career six-rebound game and first this season... Matched a season high with eight assists in each game on Jan. 23-24 at Illinois State. In the second game against the Redbirds, he poured in 16 points for the second-highest scoring output of his career and highest this season... Shattered a career high by squeezing nine rebounds on Jan. 28 vs. Bradley. His previous personal best was six.

2019-20: Ranked fifth in the MVC and second among sophomores at 3.6 assists per game... Had a team-high 121 assists to go along with 6.3 points per game, 2.5 rebounds per game and 35 steals while averaging 25.5 minutes over 34 contests (25 starts)... Scored in double figures nine times while handing out five or more assists on 10 occasions... Led the team in scoring twice, rebounding twice, assists 13 times and steals four times... Months before the college basketball season officially began, started the year with an appearance on SportsCenter's Top 10 plays, checking in at No. 9 after knocking down a buzzer-beating triple to upstage Carleton 83-80 in overtime on Aug. 8, helping Valpo top a Canadian team that had won 15 straight against NCAA competition and was coming off its 14th USports National Championship... Averaged 15.0 points per game during the four-game summer trip to his native land, helping Valpo finish the foreign tour with an unblemished record... Dished out eight assists in the regular-season opener on Nov. 5 vs. Toledo... Had usurped his career scoring watermark by halftime and finished the Nov. 9 game at Saint Louis with personal bests in points (22), made field goals (7), made 3-pointers (3) and made free throws (5). Became the first player to go perfect from beyond the arc with three or more attempts since Max Joseph on Jan. 20, 2018, the only other player to do so in the last four seasons... Led the team in assists for the fourth straight game on Nov. 17 vs. North Dakota, enjoying his third game with six assists or more... Made four critical free throws down the stretch and pulled down a significant rebound to put Valpo over the top in a 78-74 victory over Grand Canyon on Nov. 22 in the Paradise Jam opener. He finished the game with 12 points, six rebounds, four assists and three steals including a 6-of-7 showing at the foul line. The six boards were a season watermark... Had his second straight six-rebound effort on Nov. 25 vs. Nevada, equaling a personal best... Handed out eight assists and had a season-high four steals on Dec. 3 at Eastern Michigan... Became the second player in the Missouri Valley Conference with three or more eight-assist games and the first with a nine-assist, no-turnover performance during the 2019-20 season on Dec. 18 at High Point. He set a career high in the assist area while also scoring 11 points, going 6-of-8 at the foul line and drawing six fouls... Despite battling an illness leading into the game and missing morning shootaround, had 10 points on Jan. 15 at UNI, his first double-figure output since Dec. 18 at High Point and his fourth of the season... Had his third straight double-figure scoring game on Jan. 26 vs. Evansville, posting a dozen points for his highest scoring output since late November in the U.S. Virgin Islands... Came off the bench for the first time in 2019-20 on Feb. 9 at Loyola... After coming off the bench in five straight games, returned to the starting lineup on Feb. 25 vs. Missouri State and posted 14 points, the second-highest total of his career... Turned in his second straight game in double figures by sharing the team lead with 11 points while dishing out a team-high five assists on Feb. 29 at Indiana State... Finished in double figures for the third time in a four-game span and matched his season high in rebounds with a 13-point, six-board effort in Valpo's MVC quarterfinal upset over Loyola on March 6 in St. Louis... Had seven points in the MVC semifinal and eight in the championship game.

2018-19: Appeared in all 33 games for Valpo as a freshman, starting 17 times ... played nearly 18 minutes per game, averaging 4.1 points and 1.8 assists per contest ... scored in double figures six times... led Valpo in assists on seven occasions, scoring twice and steals twice ... debuted with 13 points, including 5-of-6 from the foul line, four rebounds and three assists in a Nov. 6 win over Concordia Chicago... four rebounds marked a season high, matched Dec. 2 in win over UC Riverside and Dec. 29 in victory against Purdue Northwest ... also dished out a season-best six assists in the victory over PNW... Tallied six assists Jan. 8 in win over Bradley and Feb. 5 in win at Illinois State... kicked off stretch of three straight games in double figures in scoring with team-best 13 points against Drake Jan. 26... also recorded a season-best four steals against the Bulldogs to pace Valpo... scored 10 points in season-high 40 minutes of action against Missouri State on Jan. 29, going 4-of-6 from the field and 2-of-2 from the line ... totaled 10 points at Evansville Feb. 2... posted 10 points and team-high four steals Feb. 13 against Indiana State... closed season with a team-best 11 points in MVC quarterfinal against Loyola March 8.

Prep: Played final season of prep basketball for Thornlea Secondary School in Thornhill, Ontario ... earned First Team All-Star honors from the Ontario Scholastic Basketball Association ... ranked #16 in his class in Canada by North Pole Hoops ... selected to the 2018 BioSteel All-Canadian Game ... won the Slam Dunk Contest in the festivities leading up to the game, and then finished with 17 points on 7-of-9 shooting to go with five rebounds and four assists as a starter in the All-Canadian Game ... has represented Canada on the international level as well... played with the Canadian u17 squad at the 2016 FIBA u17 World Championship in Spain, helping the team to a 6-1 record and a fifth-place finish at the tournament.

Personal: Son of David and Mercy Sackey... Majoring in sports management... Parents moved to Canada from their native Ghana in the 1990s... Father is a custodian with the Winnipeg School Division and mother is a vice principal at Lord Nelson School... Mother is a pastor... Has two older brothers and an older sister... Older brother Desmond is a recent graduate of nutritional science program at the University of Manitoba... Twins Clement and Tina went to University of Manitoba and University of Winnipeg for degrees in education... Three older siblings all played high school basketball and Clement was a shot-put athlete for the track & field team at Manitoba... Has a deep passion for music... The basement of his family home in Canada includes a small recording studio... Has been a drummer since elementary school and his family band plays at various church events... His family traveled to Ghana in 2012 on a church mission trip to distribute food and school supplies to folks in need... Family went to Jamaica in 2013 on a charitable mission trip... Became just the sixth Manitoban to earn a scholarship in Division I men's basketball since the NCAA reorganized into its current competitive format in 1973.

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS

Points	16, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Rebounds	9, Bradley (1/28/21)
Assists	8, 3x (M.R. 1/24/21)
Steals	4, twice (M.R. 12/9/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	6, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
3PT Made	1, twice (M.R. 1/24/21)
FT Made	5, at DePaul (1/16/21)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	22, at Saint Louis (11/9/19)
Rebounds	9, Bradley (1/28/21)
Assists	9, at High Point (12/18/19)
Steals	4, 4x (M.R. 11/27/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	7, at Saint Louis (11/9/19)
3PT Made	3, at Saint Louis (11/9/19)
FT Made	6, twice (M.R. 12/18/19)



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#5 Donovan Clay

Guard/Forward * 6-7 * Sophomore * Sports Management
Alton, Ill. * Alton

2019-20 MVC All-Freshman; 2020-21 MVC Preseason Second Team

2020-21: Named to the MVC Preseason Second Team... Leading into the season, put a lot of time into his shot, agility and being able to run faster and jump higher... Led the team in scoring with 12 points on Dec. 1 at UIC... Enjoyed his first 20-point output of the season and the third of his collegiate career to lead the team on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan. That marked his first 20-point effort in a road game at the collegiate level... Became the first Missouri Valley Conference player with a five-block game this season on Dec. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest, also becoming the first Valpo player to stuff five shots in a game since Jaume Sorolla on Jan. 26, 2019 vs. Drake... Became the second MVC player with a 13-rebound effort this season on Dec. 19 at Toledo, in the process securing his first career double-double and the first by a Valpo player in 2020-21. He scored a team-high 17 points to complement his effort on the glass... Enjoyed the fourth 20-point game of his career and his second this season with a season-high 21 points on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State... Enjoyed his second career double-double and first 20-point, 10-rebound effort on Jan. 23 at Illinois State. He became the fourth Valpo player during the Matt Lottich Era with a 20-point double-double, squeezing 12 rebounds in the triumph.



2019-20: Was one of two Valpo players to compete in all 35 games and made 33 starts during his freshman campaign... Was third on the team in scoring (9.4 ppg) and second in rebounding (4.6 ppg) while leading the team in blocked shots with 36... Earned a place on the MVC All-Freshman Team... Finished seventh in the MVC in blocks per game at 1.0... Scored in double figures on 19 occasions including eight outputs of 15+ points and two of 20+ points... Scored in double figures just once over his first seven games and then did so in 18 of the next 28... Had seven or more rebounds 11 times including 10 times in the final 21 games of the season after doing so just once in the first 14 games... Had multiple blocked shots in 11 contests while dishing out four or more assists in eight instances... Led the team in scoring five times, rebounding 11 times and assists on five occasions... Paced the squad in assists just twice in 31 regular-season games, but did so in three straight outings at the MVC Tournament in St. Louis... Started conference play sixth on the team at 7.8 points per game, then scored 10.9 points per game in Valley action, third on the squad... Made his collegiate debut and scored his first collegiate basket on Nov. 5 vs. Toledo... Made his first career start in a game near his hometown of Alton, Ill. on Nov. 12 at SIUE, scoring five points and grabbing three boards... Had the first double-figure scoring output of his collegiate career in a win over Grand Canyon on Nov. 22... Scored in double figures in five straight games from Nov. 27 to Dec. 18... Became the first Valpo player since 1998 to go perfect from the field with eight or more field-goal attempts while scoring a team-high 21 points on Dec. 30 vs. Loyola, the first MVC game of his collegiate career... Reached double figures for the seventh time in eight games on Jan. 4 at Evansville, contributing 10 points to go along with a team-high seven rebounds... Established a season best with nine rebounds, including six offensive boards, on Jan. 7 at Southern Illinois... Enjoyed an 18-point, seven-rebound performance on Jan. 11 vs. Drake, leading the team in both areas. He went 7-for-7 at the free-throw line after entering that game just 4-of-13 at the stripe all season... Scored 18 points on Jan. 18 vs. Indiana State, making it three straight conference home games with 18 points or more... Finished with a team-high eight rebounds while notching his fifth multi-block game of the season on Jan. 23 at Missouri State... Scored 13 second-half points to finish with 15 on his birthday on Jan. 29 at Bradley. It was the highest scoring output in a road game in his collegiate career to that point... Had five assists and did not commit a turnover, pacing the team in assists in the Feb. 12 win over Southern Illinois... Reached double figures for the fourth time in seven games by posting 15 points on Feb. 19 at Drake... Led Valpo in scoring with a career-high 22 points on 11-of-17 shooting while also pacing the team with seven rebounds in a Feb. 25 win over Missouri State... Shared the team lead with 11 points while pulling down five rebounds in the Feb. 29 regular-season finale at Indiana State... Named the MVC Newcomer of the Week on March 1 after averaging 16.5 points and 6.0 rebounds over the final two games of the regular season, leading the team in both areas... Scored in double figures in each of the first three games of the MVC Tournament in St. Louis, making it five straight overall of 10+ points... Also had seven or more rebounds in each of the first three MVC Tournament contests and dished out a season-high seven assists in the MVC semifinal upset of Loyola.

Prep: Earned 4A First Team All-State honors from the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association as a senior... Member of the 2019 All-Metro First Team... Was honorable mention all-state by the Associated Press after his senior season... Named the Riverbend Boys Basketball Player of the Year, the Telegraph Large-Schools Boys Basketball Player of the Year and the biggest "sleeper" in the state of Illinois by the Chicago Sun-Times in 2018-19... Was also tabbed the Gallatin Boys Basketball Player of the Year following the 2018-19 season, an award previously won by former Valpo player Deion Lavender in 2014... Led Alton in scoring at 17.8 points per game, rebounding at 5.8 and blocks at 1.0 as a senior... Was second on the team in assists at 1.9 per contest and had 13 games of over 20 points while posting six double-doubles during his senior campaign... Scored a season-high 27 points in a 58-49 loss to East St. Louis... Converted a tip-in at the buzzer to clinch a 59-57 win over Collinsville at home... Helped lead the Redbirds to a 23-11 record, a Chick-fil-A Classic title and a 4A Collinsville Regional championship during the 2018-19 season... Named MVP of the Chick-Fil-A Classic... Shot 37 percent from 3-point range and 73 percent from the foul line... Entered high school as a 6-foot point guard and grew to 6-3 by his junior year before shooting up to 6-7 by graduation... Developed an ability to play the three perimeter positions... Led the Centralia Holiday Tournament in both scoring and rebounding, averaging 19.5 points and 9.0 rebounds over four games while blocking nine shots and going 8-of-17 from beyond the arc... Had a 21-point, 11-rebound performance in a win over Evanston, where he went 10-of-13 from the field... Three-year varsity player... Made a significant leap while playing AAU with the Southwestern Illinois Jets prior to his senior season.

Personal: Spent time playing football and baseball growing up, but basketball was always his top sport... Father Dexter Clay, who played college basketball at Rend Lake Junior College, serves as his role model... Majoring in sport management... Is a high-level video game player, following in the footsteps of former Valpo sharp-shooter Ryan Fazekas. Enjoys playing NBA 2K games on-line... Also enjoys tossing a football or baseball in his spare time.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	22, Missouri State (2/25/20)
Rebounds	13, at Toledo (12/19/20)
Assists	7, vs. Loyola (3/6/20)
Steals	3, Judson (12/6/20)
Blocks	5, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
FG Made	11, Missouri State (2/25/20)
3PT Made	4, twice (M.R. 1/9/21)
FT Made	7, Drake (1/11/20)

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS

Points	21, Missouri State (1/9/21)
Rebounds	13, at Toledo (12/19/20)
Assists	5, Missouri State (1/9/21)
Steals	3, Judson (12/6/20)
Blocks	5, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
FG Made	10, Illinois State (1/23/21)
3PT Made	4, Missouri State (1/9/21)
FT Made	6, Bradley (1/28/21)



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#10 Eron Gordon

Guard * 6-3 * RS Senior * Sports Administration
Indianapolis, Ind. * Cathedral (Seton Hall)



2020-21: Led the team on the glass for the first time in his Valpo career by squeezing a career-high eight rebounds in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt... Made his first start of the season, his fifth overall at Valpo and his first since Jan. 29, 2020 at Bradley in the Dec. 4 game at Purdue... Posted the eighth double figure scoring output of his Valpo career and his first of the season with 10 points on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE... Shared the team lead with a season-high 13 points on Jan. 10 vs. Missouri State, pacing the squad in scoring for the first time in his Valpo career... Led the team in rebounding for the third straight game on Jan. 16 at DePaul, pulling down seven boards to go along with a team-high 12 points. He paced Valpo in scoring for the second straight game after not doing so at all in any of his first 44 career contests... Led the team in scoring for a third straight game and rebounding for a fourth straight game with five boards to go along with a season-high 14 points on Jan. 20 vs. Loyola... Posted his first career double-double by matching a season high with 14 points and pulling down a personal-best 10 rebounds in the Jan. 23 win at Illinois State.

2019-20: Was one of two players on the team who appeared in all 35 games... Saw 17.8 minutes per game while making four starts... Averaged 5.2 points and 2.3 rebounds per game while adding 26 steals and shooting 42 percent (29-69) from beyond the 3-point arc... Scored in double figures on seven occasions... Made his Valpo debut on Nov. 5 vs. Toledo, seeing six minutes of action... Knocked down all three of his shot attempts and totaled nine points and three steals on Nov. 25 in an overtime loss vs. Cincinnati... Reached double figures for the first time in his Valpo career on Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian, scoring 10 points on 4-of-6 shooting while draining a pair of 3s... Had 14 points while going perfect from both the floor (4-for-4) and the foul line (4-for-4) in 20 quality minutes off the bench in a Dec. 8 victory over Central Michigan... Had his first five-rebound game in a Valpo uniform on Dec. 16 at Charlotte... Knocked down six 3-pointers and scored a season-high 20 points on Dec. 18 at High Point. He became just the sixth Missouri Valley Conference player to net six treys in a single game in 2019-20 and the first Valpo player with more than four in a contest during the campaign... Went 4-of-5 from the field and drained three 3s in an 11-point, five-rebound performance on Jan. 4 at Evansville. That allowed him to reach double figures for the fifth time in an eight-game span... Led the team with a personal-best four steals on Jan. 7 at Southern Illinois... Scored 12 points and handed out a season-high three assists despite playing much of the game with a bandage after suffering a cut to the head in the first half of the Jan. 18 game vs. Indiana State... Had his second four-steal game of the season on Jan. 23 at Missouri State... Went 4-for-4 from 3, all in the first half, to contribute to Valpo's MVC record-setting 18 made 3s on Feb. 22 vs. Bradley. He finished with 13 points... Made the go-ahead layup with three seconds left in overtime in Valpo's 74-73 upset win over Loyola in the MVC quarterfinal to help the Brown & Gold complete an 18-point rally. That was the 25th time since the start of the 1992-93 season that Valpo prevailed on a game-winner in the final five seconds... Became the third Valpo player to hit a game-winner in the final five seconds of a conference tournament or postseason game since 1992-93, joining Ryan Broekhoff (2013 vs. Green Bay) and Bryce Drew (1998 vs. Ole Miss).

2018-19: Joined the program as a transfer and sat out due to transfer rules... Has two seasons of eligibility remaining starting with the 2019-20 campaign.

Seton Hall: Appeared in 48 games over his two years (2016-18) as a Pirate, earning one starting assignment ... scored 69 points – including a career-best seven points as a sophomore against NJIT – grabbed 39 rebounds, and handed out 29 assists over his two seasons.

Prep: Standout in the Indianapolis area... played his final two years at Cathedral H.S., where he averaged 24.5 points as a junior and 19.0 points as a senior... an Indiana All-Star selection following his senior year... finalist for Indiana's Mr. Basketball award... ranked #6 among Indiana Class of 2016 prospects... previously played two years at North Central H.S., where he averaged 14 ppg as a sophomore.

Personal: Son of Denise and Eric Gordon ... comes from a family of basketball standouts... his father, Eric, is one of the top-20 scorers all-time at Liberty... his oldest brother, Eric, was the seventh pick in the 2008 NBA Draft and has played 11 seasons in the NBA ... his second-oldest brother, Evan, scored over 1,300 points at the Division I level while playing for Liberty, Arizona State and Indiana... Enjoys filming and editing videos and podcasting... Enjoys travel and features his destinations on one of his YouTube channels... Future plans include playing professional basketball, pursuing broadcast journalism and

CAREER HIGHS

Points	20, at High Point (12/18/19)
Rebounds	10, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Assists	5, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Steals	4, twice (M.R. 1/23/20)
Blocks	2, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
FG Made	7, at High Point (12/18/19)
3PT Made	6, at High Point (12/18/19)
FT Made	6, twice (M.R. 1/28/21)

contributing to the family business, E3 Basketball Academy... Graduated from Valpo in May 2020 with a degree in journalism... Pursuing a master's degree in sports administration.

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS

Points	14, twice (M.R. 1/23/21)
Rebounds	10, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Assists	5, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Steals	3, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Blocks	2, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
FG Made	4, 4x (M.R. 1/23/21)
3PT Made	3, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
FT Made	6, twice (M.R. 1/28/21)



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#11 Emil Freese-Vilien

Center * 6-10 * Sophomore * Civil Engineering
Copenhagen, Denmark * Falkonergardens Gymnasium



2019-20: Appeared in 16 games and averaged 6.6 minutes per contest while totaling 16 points, four blocked shots, five assists and 15 rebounds (six offensive boards) during his rookie campaign... Made his collegiate debut on his birthday in the Nov. 5 opener vs. Toledo by contributing four points, three rebounds and two assists... Knocked down his first career triple on Nov. 22 vs. Grand Canyon... Had a season-best five points on Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian.

Before Valpo: Started playing basketball in November 2014... Played badminton during his younger years... Played for Denmark at both the Under-16 and the U18 FIBA Euro Championships in 2015 and 2017, respectively... Shortly before coming to Valpo, played for Vaerlose in the Danish Basketligaen, the highest professional league in Denmark. Came off the bench for much of the season at age 19, averaging 4.2 points and 2.2 rebounds in 12.3 minutes of action... Averaged 7.8 points and 3.0 rebounds in 18.5 minutes at the 2017 FIBA U18 Championships.

Personal: Majoring in civil engineering... His very first basketball practice came when he had just turned 14. At that time, he was still playing badminton four times per week. Started taking basketball seriously about a year later, when he got asked to a training camp by the U15 national team. Soon after, he began playing basketball exclusively... Has been very interested in drawing for many years. Wanted to become an architect for a long time and still has that dream in the back of his mind... Spends a lot of time drawing blueprints and houses.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	5, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Rebounds	3, twice (M.R. 11/27/19)
Assists	2, Toledo (11/5/19)
Steals	1, vs. Cincinnati (11/25/19)
Blocks	2, at Saint Louis (11/9/19)
Assists	1, three times (M.R. 11/25/19)
FG Made	2, twice (M.R. 11/27/19)
3PT Made	1, twice (M.R. 11/27/19)

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#12 Tyler Fricke

Guard / Forward * 6-1 * Freshman * Accounting
Arlington Heights, Ill. * Buffalo Grove



2020-21: Joined the Valpo program as a walk-on for the 2020-21 season... Made his collegiate debut and scored his first points with a pair of free throws in the Dec. 6 victory over Judson.

Prep: Starter at Buffalo Grove, where he helped his team to a conference championship and a 24-win season... Shot 50 percent from the field as a senior... Played basketball, baseball and golf in all four years of high school... Helped his team to a sectional title in baseball during his sophomore season... Honor roll student... Won his school's Trustworthy Award as a senior... Favorite high school basketball memory is guarding a five-star recruit while helping his team to a victory over Rowling Meadows in front of a large crowd in a battle of undefeated teams during his senior year.

Personal: Majoring in accounting... Son of Scott and Katie Fricke... Has a brother, Zach and a sister, Hannah... Father Scott coached Valpo head coach Matt Lottich at New Trier High School during Lottich's playing days... Brother Zach pitches for the Valpo baseball team.

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	2, Judson (12/6/20)
Rebounds	twice (M.R. 12/9/20)
Assists	
Steals	1, Judson (12/6/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	
3PT Made	
FT Made	2, Judson (12/6/20)



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#13 Sheldon Edwards

Guard * 6-4 * Freshman * Sports Management

West Palm Beach, Fla. * Palm Beach Lakes (TLAP Sports Academy)



2020-21: Became the seventh Valpo freshman in the last 20 years to start the season opener on Nov. 27 at Vanderbilt... Reached double figures for the first time in his Valpo career with a 10-point showing on Dec. 6 vs. Judson... Poured in a personal-best 20 points on an efficient 7-of-9 shooting with eight rebounds on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE... Scored 19 points over the two games vs. Missouri State on Jan. 9-10... Led the team with 18 points, including 11 in the two overtime periods, to lift Valpo to an 91-85 victory over Bradley on Jan. 28.

Before Valpo: Averaged 21.2 points and 7.6 rebounds as a senior at Palm Beach Lakes High School in 2018-19... Spent a postgraduate year at TLAP Sports Academy in Port St. Lucie, Fla. during the 2019-20 season, averaging 32 points per game and five rebounds per contest while turning in two games of 40+ points... 2018-19 first-team all-state honoree and All-State Game MVP in the state of Florida... Watched about 75 percent of Valpo's games on TV or via internet while in prep school during the 2019-20 season... TLAP Sports Academy coach Louis Graham says stopping for him is a "tough task" and said "You want to watch him; he's a guy who sells tickets." Graham, also Edwards' uncle, put a basketball in his crib as a young child. "He loves the game."

Personal: Majoring in sports management... Hobbies include listening to music... Favorite artists are Drake and J. Cole... Son of Sheldon Edwards Sr. and Leticia Graham... Has six siblings – sisters Kham, Kiarra, Aaniyah, Jayden and younger brothers Joshua and Elijah ... Favorite NBA player is Steph Curry, but he models his game after the likes of Devin Booker, Jayson Tatum and Bradley Beal. When he's not playing basketball, the spends much of his free time watching it.

2020-21 SEASON HIGHS

Points	20, SIUE (12/9/20)
Rebounds	8, SIUE (12/9/20)
Assists	3, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
Steals	2, twice (M.R. 12/17/20)
Blocks	
FG Made	7, SIUE (12/9/20)
3PT Made	4, Bradley (1/28/21)
FT Made	3, 3x (M.R. 1/23/21)



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#15 Luke Morrill

Guard * 6-2 * Sophomore * Computer Engineering
Lombard, Ill. * Montini Catholic

2019-20: Joined the program as a walk-on prior to the season... Saw action in five games, totaling nine minutes and accruing five points and two rebounds... Made his collegiate debut by playing the final four minutes of a Nov. 27 victory over Trinity Christian, scoring four points and pulling down two rebounds... Made a free throw on Feb. 25 vs. Missouri State for his first career point against a Division-I opponent.... Also played vs. Central Michigan (Dec. 8), at High Point (Dec. 18) and vs. Southern Illinois (Feb. 12).



Prep: Played at Montini Catholic High School in Lombard, Ill. under the late Coach Daryl Thomas... Senior captain averaged 10 points, 5 rebounds, and 3 assists a game... Four-year IHSA all-academic team.... Also played baseball and football during his time at Montini Catholic.

Personal: Birthday is March 11... Majoring in computer engineering... Parents are Daniel and Kristine Morrill... Has two sisters, Tori and Rylie... Considers Valpo teammate Donovan Clay "like a brother" to him after the two were roommates as freshmen and during the spring 2020 COVID-19 quarantine... Likes the small class sizes that Valpo offers... Enjoys fishing and wakesurfing, which is surfing in the boat's wake without being directly pulled by the boat.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	4, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Rebounds	2, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	1, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)
3PT Made	
FT Made	2, Trinity Christian (11/27/19)

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#20/21 Brock Pappas

Forward * 6-4 * Junior * Nursing
Valparaiso, Ind. * Washington Township



2020-21: Made his season debut on Dec. 6 vs. Judson.

2019-20: Joined the program as a walk-on for the 2019-20 season... Made his collegiate debut on Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian, playing the final four minutes of a win over the Trolls... Grabbed his first career rebound in a Dec. 8 triumph over Central Michigan... Appeared in five games – Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian, Dec. 8 vs. Central Michigan, Dec. 18 at High Point, Feb. 12 vs. Southern Illinois and Feb. 25 vs. Missouri State – totaling nine minutes of action.

Prep (Athletic): Averaged 12.3 points, 5.0 assists, 8.1 rebounds, 1.3 steals and 1.8 blocks per game... Was a four-year varsity starter... Was an all-conference selection as a junior and senior... Led his team to regular-season conference titles as both a junior and senior... Also played baseball and was a four-year starter, hitting .316 while helping his team to three sectional titles and a regional championship... Earned all-conference honors in baseball his junior year... Was a four-year starter and three-year all-conference honoree in volleyball, helping his team to a conference tournament title as a junior... Earned the IHSAA Mental Attitude Award in volleyball as a senior... Played three sports all year around for all four years of high school.

Prep (Academic): Was a four-year member of National Honor Society, a two-year Health Occupation Students of America member, and a three-year Student Council member... Earned academic and technical honors... Was a two-time academic all-conference award recipient... Earned the Top 10 award for his class.

Personal: Majoring in nursing... Wants to become a pediatric nurse and hopes to one day work at Riley Children's Hospital... Son of Steve and Lisa Pappas and has one older brother, Bryce... Father and brother both graduated from Valpo... Mother has worked on campus for 32 years, currently serving as an administrative assistant in the Department of Education... Favorite pro team is the Chicago Bulls... Love of the game stems from when he picked up a basketball for the first time at age 4... Has always been interested in working with kids. Initially wanted to be a teacher but decided pediatric nursing is the field for him... Grew up attending Valpo games and remembers being a young child who looked up to Valpo basketball players... Is the first boys basketball player in Washington Township High School history to play at the Division-I level... Part of a graduating class of only 80 students at Washington Township.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	
Rebounds	4, Judson (12/6/20)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	
3PT Made	
FT Made	

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	
Rebounds	4, Judson (12/6/20)
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Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	
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#22 Mileek McMillan

Forward * 6-8 * Senior * Sports Management

Merrillville, Ind. * Merrillville *2019-20 MVC Most-Improved Team*



2020-21: Drained four 3s on his way to a team-high 18 points on opening night at Vanderbilt on Nov. 27, when he finished two points shy of a career high and equaled a personal best with seven made field goals.

2019-20: Was named to the MVC Most-Improved Team after upping his scoring average from 2.8 points per game as a sophomore to 8.8 points per game as a junior... Finished fourth on the squad in scoring after ranking ninth on the team the year prior... Started all 34 games that he played after making just one start and averaging 8.1 minutes per game as a sophomore... Over doubled his rebounding average from the previous season, going from 1.5 to 3.2... After making 10 3-pointers as a sophomore, he made 40 during his junior campaign and shot 42.3 percent from distance during conference play... Had 11 double-figure scoring outputs, six games with five or more rebounds and three multi-block performances... Led the team in scoring four times, all coming in a nine-game span from Jan. 23 to Feb. 19... Was the team's top rebounder in a pair of contests... Started the season opener on Nov. 5 vs. Toledo and turned in a double-figure output of 11 points to go along with four rebounds... Posted 13 points on Nov. 12 at SIUE... Set then a career high for the second straight game with 16 points vs. North Dakota on Nov. 17, his third double-figure output in the first four games of the season... Topped his previous rebounding career high with nine, coming just shy of a double-double in a 14-point effort on Dec. 21 at Arkansas... Made three key 3-pointers in the second half on Jan. 4 at Evansville, his first 2019-20 game with multiple made triples... Swiped three steals on Jan. 11 vs. Drake, establishing a season high... Led his team in scoring for the first time in his collegiate career, posting 12 points on Jan. 23 at Missouri State while draining three 3s... Had 16 points and three blocked shots on Jan. 26 vs. Evansville to lead Valpo in scoring for the second straight game after previously not doing so in any of his first 70 career games. He recorded a game-saving blocked shot in the final minute of a two-point win over the Aces... Made four 3s and finished with a team-high 14 points in just 16 minutes on Feb. 9 at Loyola, leading the team in scoring for the third time in six games... Posted a career-high 20 points in an overtime defeat on Feb. 19 at Drake. That performance included six 3s, allowing him to tie for the most made triples by a Valpo player in 2019-20 and become just the fourth Missouri Valley Conference player with six 3s or more in a league game during the season. He led the team in scoring for the fourth time in a nine-game span... Had his second straight game with 15+ points by scoring 16 in a Feb. 22 victory vs. Bradley. That marked his seventh time in a 12-game span scoring in double figures.

2018-19: Saw action in 30 games as a sophomore, playing 8.1 minutes/game ... averaged 2.8 points and 1.5 rebounds per game ... tallied a pair of assists and blocked two shots in season-opening win over Concordia Chicago Nov. 6 ... played season-high 26 minutes against Western Kentucky Nov. 15, scoring seven points ... came up with two steals in Dec. 8 win at George Washington ... finished with season highs of nine points and six rebounds in just 13 minutes of action in win over Purdue Northwest Dec. 29 ... grabbed four rebounds Jan. 8 in MVC win over Bradley ... matched season best with nine points, including a 6-for-6 effort from the foul line, Jan. 15 at Loyola ... scored seven points against Drake Jan. 26 ... knocked down both of his 3-point attempts for six points Feb. 13 versus Indiana State ... notched four rebounds in 13 minutes in regular season finale against Evansville March 2 ... blocked two shots in MVC quarterfinal against Loyola March 8.

2017-18: Appeared in all 32 games as a freshman, starting each of the season's final 18 games ... played 10.6 minutes/game, averaging 3.2 points and 1.4 rebounds per contest ... shot 36.4% from 3-point range for the season ... debuted for Valpo with eight points and a season-high seven rebounds Nov. 10 in win over North Park ... hit all three of his field goal attempts to finish with seven points in win over Samford Nov. 21 ... tallied six points at UC Riverside Dec. 20 ... debuted in MVC play with six points in 30 minutes of action Dec. 31 against Missouri State ... enjoyed best shooting performance of his rookie year Jan. 24 against Evansville, knocking down 4-of-5 3-point attempts for a season-best 12 points ... averaged 6.7 ppg over stretch of three MVC games Feb. 14-20.

Prep: Played AAU for Indiana Elite ... key contributor to Merrillville's success as a junior, averaging nearly seven rebounds per game for the Pirates as they finished the year with a 22-2 record ... stood out at the Indiana Top 80 camp, being named the camp's Mr. Defender.

Personal: Son of Greg Lewis and Latina Cross ... major is sports management... Was cut from his middle school basketball team in seventh grade, made the "B" team in eighth grade and missed his freshman year of high school with an injury... Twin brother Mahquese attends Cal State Los Angeles... One of four brothers... Enjoys playing with his dog, roller skating and playing chess... Likes to look at the sky, especially prior to rainfall or during a sunset... Is a big fan of nature and the sound of trains.

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	18, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
Rebounds	4, twice (M.R. 1/28/21)
Assists	2, Bradley (1/28/21)
Steals	1, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Blocks	2, at Toledo (12/19/20)
FG Made	7, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
3PT Made	4, at Vanderbilt (11/27/20)
FT Made	1, Bradley (1/28/21)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	20, at Drake (2/19/20)
Rebounds	9, at Arkansas (12/21/19)
Assists	4, at Drake (2/19/20)
Steals	3, three times (M.R. 2/15/20)
Blocks	3, Loyola (12/30/19)
FG Made	7, twice (M.R. 11/27/20)
3PT Made	6, at Drake (2/19/20)
FT Made	6, at Loyola (1/15/19)



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#23 Ben Krikke

Forward * 6-9 * Sophomore * Business
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada * Jasper Place



2020-21: Leading into the season, spent time working on improving his shooting and hitting shots at a higher rate, especially from 3. Also worked on bulking up and improving his strength, dribbling and ball-handling. Hopes to be versatile enough to play on the perimeter if needed... Made his second career start and first against a Division-I opponent in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt. Finished with 13 points, all in the second half, in a career-high 34 minutes... Scored in double figures in each of the first two games of the 2020-21 season (at Vanderbilt, at UIC), the first set of back-to-back double-figure outputs in the sophomore's collegiate career. His second straight double-figure showing featured 11 points on an efficient 4-of-5 shooting on Dec. 1 at UIC... Had his fourth double-figure scoring output in the season's first six games with 12 points to go along with a career-high three blocked shots on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan. He became the first Valpo player with three blocked shots in a game this season... Tied a career high with seven rebounds on Dec. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest... Posted 16 points and seven rebounds on 8-of-11 shooting in the Dec. 19 game at Toledo. The eight field goals marked a career high and the 16-point game was two shy of a personal best... Shattered his previous season high by halftime with 17 first-half points on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State on his way to a career-high 21. He joined Javon Freeman-Liberty, Tevonn Walker and Alec Peters as the only four Valpo players with 17+ points in a first half during Matt Lottich's head coaching tenure (fifth season)... Became just the third Valpo player in the last 25 years with a 25-point, 15-rebound game on Jan. 24 at Illinois State... Was named the Missouri Valley Conference player of the week on Jan. 26, the first weekly conference honor of his collegiate career.

2019-20: Appeared in 33 games and made one start during his freshman season... Averaged 6.7 points per game and 2.9 rebounds per contest while blocking 15 shots, coming away with 15 steals, shooting 79.2 percent at the foul line, draining 14 3s and handing out 22 assists... Shot 55.0 percent from the field, finishing fifth in the conference and second among freshmen in field-goal percentage... Scored in double figures nine times including three games with 15+ points... Had eight instances of five or more rebounds... Led the team in scoring in three games, rebounds in two and assists in one... Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 5 season opener vs. Toledo... Didn't make a field goal over the first three games of his career, but he knocked down five on 11 attempts against North Dakota on Nov. 17. He finished with 11 points, one of four Valpo players in double figures... Scored a team-high 18 points to establish a season watermark in the Nov. 27 win over Trinity Christian. Also had four boards and four assists while snatching two steals against the Trolls... Collected five rebounds on Dec. 18 at High Point, marking his second five-rebound effort in a three-game span... Reached double figures for the first time since Nov. 27 vs. Trinity Christian, scoring 10 points on 4-of-8 shooting in a Jan. 4 win at Evansville... Drained three 3s on Jan. 15 at UNI to finish with 13 points, his highest total against a Division-I opponent. That equaled his previous season total for made 3s, as he entered the evening 3-of-14 for the season... Became the first Valpo freshman since at least the start of the 1989-90 season to lead the team outright in points, rebounds and assists in a single game on Feb. 1 vs. Illinois State. He set Division-I season highs in all three areas and surpassed his overall season high in rebounds with his line of 17 points, eight boards and four assists... Had a team-high 15 points and tied for the team lead with seven rebounds on Feb. 12 vs. Southern Illinois, his third time this season and second in a four-game span leading the team in scoring... Had two double-figure outputs in the MVC Tournament including an 11-point effort that featured seven made free throws in the March 7 MVC semifinal vs. Missouri State.

Prep: Led Jasper Place H.S. to the Alberta Schools' Athletic Association provincial championship... Earned a spot on the BioSteel All-Canadian game roster... Was the MVP of the Alberta Basketball All-Star Showcase, scoring 37 points... Competed internationally for Team Canada at the 2018 FIBA U17 World Cup in Argentina, averaging 9.9 points per game and 4.4 rebounds per game while helping Canada to a fourth-place finish. He was the only player from outside of Quebec or Ontario to make the roster.

Personal: Credits his father's Michael Jordan DVD set for helping hone his skills. DVDs include Jordan's greatest games, plays and Top 10 dunks... Father Kent is a physical education teacher and former college basketball player. He has run a basketball camp in Alberta for over 20 years... Hobbies include fishing with his dad and cheering on the Toronto Raptors, his favorite pro team... Majoring in business... Hails from Edmonton, a very devout hockey city, but says basketball there is on the upswing... Never played ice hockey, but did compete in badminton, volleyball and various track & field events... Enjoys mountain biking and chess, which he learned from his grandfather.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	25, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Rebounds	15, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Assists	4, twice (M.R. 2/1/20)
Steals	2, 6x (M.R. 1/16/21)
Blocks	3, at Central Michigan (12/12/20)
FG Made	12, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
3PT Made	3, at UNI (1/15/20)
FT Made	7, vs. Missouri State (3/7/20)

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	25, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Rebounds	15, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Assists	2, 3x (1/16/21)
Steals	2, 4x (M.R. 1/16/21)
Blocks	3, at Central Michigan (12/12/20)
FG Made	12, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
3PT Made	2, Missouri State (1/9/21)
FT Made	5, SIUE (12/9/20)



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#25 Nick Robinson*

Guard * 6-5 * RS Senior * Management
Chicago, Ill. * Kenwood (Saint Joseph's)

***Opted out of the remainder of the 2020-21 season on Jan. 21.**



2020-21: Pulled down a team-high six rebounds on Dec. 1 at UIC, leading the team in rebounding for the fourth time in his collegiate career and first since Dec. 8, 2019 (9 vs. Central Michigan)... Led the team in scoring for the first time in his Valpo career with 15 points on Dec. 4 at Purdue. That marked his highest scoring output since Dec. 30, 2019 vs. Loyola (15) and was four shy of his career high (Nov. 12, 2019 at SIUE). He also squeezed six rebounds to share the team lead... Scored a career-high 21 points on Nov. 17 vs. Purdue Northwest while also notching his fourth career three-steal game, shooting at an efficient 7-of-8 clip and drawing seven fouls.

2019-20: Played in 25 games and made 19 starts while missing nine games due to a back injury... Averaged 6.2 points, 3.9 rebounds and 2.2 assists per game... Had six games in double figures in scoring including three with 15+ points... Had three or more assists on eight occasions including three games with seven or more helpers... Had nine games with five or more rebounds including four with seven or more... Led the team in rebounds three times and assists four times... Posted nine points, five rebounds, three assists and three steals in his Valpo debut, a victory over Toledo in the Nov. 5 season opener... Had a season-best 19 points to go along with eight rebounds and went 8-for-8 at the free-throw line on Nov. 12 at SIUE... Topped the team with seven rebounds, four of which occurred on the offensive glass, on Dec. 3 at Eastern Michigan... Boasted six assists and a season-high nine rebounds while scoring 13 points to help Valpo top Central Michigan on Dec. 8... Had 15 points and seven assists while setting season highs in made field goals (six) and made 3-pointers (three) on Dec. 30 vs. Loyola... Dished out seven assists for the second consecutive game on Jan. 4 at Evansville... Made his first start since Jan. 15 at UNI on Feb. 9 at Loyola and passed out nine assists, matching the most by any Valpo player in 2019-20 and establishing a personal best.

2018-19: Joined the program as a transfer and sat out due to transfer rules... Has two seasons of eligibility remaining starting with the 2019-20 campaign.

Saint Joseph's: Appeared in 62 games over his two seasons (2016-18), starting 30 times... averaged 6.4 points and 4.4 rebounds per game for his career with the Hawks... averaged 7.7 points and 5.2 rebounds per game in 2017-18 as a sophomore ... named the Robert O'Neill Award winner as the team's Most Improved Player... closed his sophomore year strong, bumping his averages to 9.5 points and 5.7 rebounds per game in Atlantic 10 play... scored in double figures in each of his final seven games of the season, averaging 14.1 points and 7.1 rebounds over that stretch.

Prep: A product of Kenwood Academy in Chicago... Second Team All-State selection from both the Associated Press and the IBCA as a senior... led the Broncos to 22 wins in 2015-16, averaging 17 points and nine rebounds per game... helped Kenwood to its first city championship game as a senior... led Kenwood to consecutive Public League Red-Central titles in his final two seasons... a three-star recruit out of high school and a consensus top-10 player in his class in the state of Illinois.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	21, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
Rebounds	9, Central Michigan (12/8/19)
Assists	9, at Loyola (2/9/20)
Steals	3, 4x (M.R. 12/17/20)
Blocks	3, vs. Cincinnati (11/25/19)
FG Made	7, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
3PT Made	3, Loyola (12/30/19)
FT Made	8, at SIUE (11/12/19)

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	21, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
Rebounds	6, twice (M.R. 12/4/20)
Assists	3, twice (12/9/20)
Steals	3, twice (M.R. 12/17/20)
Blocks	1, 4x (M.R. 12/17/20)
FG Made	7, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
3PT Made	2, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
FT Made	5, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)



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#34 Jacob Ognacevic

Forward * 6-8 * Freshman * Business
Sheboygan, Wis. * Sheboygan Area Lutheran



2020-21: Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 27 season opener at Vanderbilt, knocking down a 3 with his only shot attempt of the game to account for his first career points... Drained four triples in just 14 minutes of action to achieve double figures for the first time in his collegiate career with 12 on Dec. 4 at Purdue... Went off for 20 points in the home opener on Dec. 6 vs. Judson. This marks the seventh consecutive year that at least one Valpo player has scored 20+ points in the home opener. He and Connor Barrett became the first freshman tandem to each score 17+ points in the same game in over 20 years... Shared team high honors with 13 points in just 12 minutes on an efficient 4-of-7 shooting on Jan. 10 vs. Missouri State.

Prep: Named to The Associated Press All-State First Team following his senior season at Sheboygan Lutheran in 2019-20 while also earning Herald Times Player of the Year, All-Big East Conference Player of the Year and Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association All-State First-Team status... Was a finalist for Wisconsin Mr. Basketball... Led his team to a 27-2 record and the state championship in Wisconsin Division 5 during his junior season in 2018-19 and was on the way to a repeat before the 2019-20 season was cut short due to COVID-19... Became the 38th player in the history of Wisconsin high school basketball to accumulate 2,000 career points, reaching the milestone on Jan. 23, 2020 with a 54-point game against Ozaukee. Needed those 54 points to reach the milestone at home... Led the state in scoring at 39.4 points per game as a senior and finished his prep career with 2,501 points, sixth in the history of the state of Wisconsin... Averaged 16 rebounds per game during his senior season... Had a season low of 24 points as a senior and poured in at least 40 points on 14 occasions including three 50-point showings... Became just the third player in the history of Wisconsin High School basketball to score more than 1,000 points in a single season, finishing his senior year with 1,024 and would have likely set the state's single-season record if it weren't for the COVID-19 shutdown... Shattered the Sheboygan Lutheran scoring record that was previously held by Sam Dekker, who played in the NBA from 2015-2019 with the Houston Rockets, Los Angeles Clippers, Cleveland Cavaliers and Washington Wizards... Averaged 30.2 points, 15.7 rebounds and 1.9 blocks per game while shooting 69 percent from the field, 32 percent from 3 and 83.5 percent from the free-throw line during his junior campaign... Was 5-10 in eighth grade and finished high school at 6-8. Shot up to 6-2 as a freshman and 6-5 as a sophomore... Played AAU for the Wisconsin Playground Warriors... High school coach Nick Verhagen said Ognacevic's work ethic was unlike anyone he'd ever seen except for Sam Dekker. "Valparaiso has a special player."

Personal: Majoring in business... Son of Brian and Shannon Ognacevic... Has two younger sisters, Maddie and Katherine... Is a big fan of mixed martial arts and roots for all Boston professional sports teams.

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	20, Judson (12/6/20)
Rebounds	6, Judson (12/6/20)
Assists	1, 3x (M.R. 1/20/21)
Steals	1, twice (M.R. 1/9/21)
Blocks	1, Purdue Northwest (12/17/20)
FG Made	7, Judson (12/6/20)
3PT Made	4, at Purdue (12/4/20)
FT Made	4, Judson (12/6/20)



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#35 Connor Barrett

Guard/Forward * 6-6 * Freshman * Business
Chicago, Ill. * Loyola Academy



2020-21: One of three Valpo freshmen to make his collegiate debut on Nov. 27 at Vanderbilt... Accrued his first collegiate points (3), rebounds (3) and assists (2) on Dec. 1 at UIC. His 3-pointer marked Valpo's lone made triple of the contest... Knocked down five 3s in the home opener vs. Judson on Dec. 6, becoming the first freshman with five treys in a game since 2013-2014 and the first Valpo player to do so in the first four games of his freshman season since 2006-07... Scored 14 points on Dec. 12 at Central Michigan, his second double-figure scoring output in a three-game span. That effort was highlighted at the foul line, where he went 6-for-6... Had five steals on Jan. 9 vs. Missouri State, joining the short list of Valpo players with five or more steals in a game during the Matt Lottich Era (fifth season): Javon Freeman-Liberty (3), Lexus Williams (3) and Tevonn Walker (2)... Finished with 12 points thanks to four made 3s on Jan. 23 at Illinois State, his fifth double-figure output as a freshman and his fourth game with three or more 3-pointers.

Before Valpo: Spent a postgraduate year at Brewster Academy in New Hampshire during the 2019-20 season... Averaged 11.9 points and 3.7 rebounds per game at Loyola Academy as a high school senior during the 2018-19 season while knocking down 64 3-pointers and shooting at a 37.9 percent clip... Led his high school team to back-to-back regional championships and sectional final appearances... Winning roots go back to his middle school days, when his team won three straight championships in sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Says winning at a young age helped him mature for the next level... Garnered all-Catholic Blue honors, was a team captain and was a 3A/4A all-state special mention by the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association as a senior in 2018-19... High school coach was Tom Livatino, who coached Matt Lottich as a football assistant at New Trier High School during the Valpo head coach's younger years... Livatino praises Barrett's shooting ability, work ethic, defensive ability and basketball IQ... Favorite high school memory was the sectional final versus Evanston. His team lost and he has watched the game back multiple times on film. "It's hard to watch, but you love the moment..." Watched most of Valpo's regular season and MVC Tournament games while he was at Brewster during the 2019-20 season.

Personal: Majoring in business... Is an avid golfer whose best score is 73... Son of Colleen Cassell and Bob Barrett.

2020-2021 SEASON HIGHS

Points	17, Judson (12/6/20)
Rebounds	6, Judson (12/6/20)
Assists	3, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Steals	5, Missouri State (1/9/21)
Blocks	
FG Made	5, Judson (12/6/20)
3PT Made	5, Judson (12/6/20)
FT Made	6, at Central Michigan (12/12/20)



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Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	6-9	4-3	2-6	0-0
CONFERENCE	3-3	1-3	2-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-6	3-0	0-6	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Valparaiso	470	536	29	1035
Opponents	470	569	23	1062

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds														
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG			
23	KRIKKE, Ben	15-15	399:39	26.6	78-147	.531	2-11	.182	29-39	.744	26	45	71	4.7	38	1	11	19	14	11	187	12.5			
5	CLAY, Donovan	15-15	476:35	31.8	66-157	.420	12-55	.218	29-43	.674	22	61	83	5.5	42	2	35	36	24	16	173	11.5			
25	ROBINSON, Nick	8-0	195:46	24.5	24-50	.480	7-19	.368	18-22	.818	6	23	29	3.6	21	1	16	14	4	12	73	9.1			
10	GORDON, Eron	15-13	413:23	27.6	36-97	.371	18-57	.316	33-51	.647	4	72	76	5.1	19	0	23	24	6	13	123	8.2			
13	EDWARDS, Sheldon	14-2	243:00	17.4	38-98	.388	13-51	.255	13-16	.813	8	26	34	2.4	12	0	14	11	4	6	102	7.3			
35	BARRETT, Connor	15-10	318:50	21.3	32-79	.405	27-68	.397	14-16	.875	12	26	38	2.5	34	1	10	6	0	14	105	7.0			
4	SACKEY, Daniel	15-15	422:45	28.2	30-92	.326	2-25	.080	26-33	.788	6	40	46	3.1	29	0	68	34	0	20	88	5.9			
34	OGNACEVIC, Jacob	15-0	166:20	11.1	26-49	.531	12-25	.480	15-21	.714	10	18	28	1.9	12	0	3	5	1	4	79	5.3			
0	KPEGEOL, Goodnews	9-0	113:42	12.6	9-29	.310	1-7	.143	14-17	.824	5	15	20	2.2	17	0	5	11	1	9	33	3.7			
22	MCMILLAN, Mileek	13-5	153:00	11.8	18-58	.310	8-31	.258	1-4	.250	2	22	24	1.8	28	1	3	20	5	2	45	3.5			
1	LORANGE, Sigurd	5-0	34:19	6.9	4-16	.250	1-13	.077	2-2	1.000	2	2	4	0.8	2	0	4	1	0	1	11	2.2			
12	FRICKE, Tyler	2-0	04:41	2.3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1.0			
2	MORGAN, Zion	2-0	15:21	7.7	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0			
3	HELM, Steven	12-0	82:31	6.9	1-8	.125	0-6	.000	10-12	.833	2	2	4	0.3	5	0	10	3	0	2	12	1.0			
20	PAPPAS, Brock	3-0	10:09	3.4	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1.3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0			
Team											21	30	51					9							
Total		15	3050		362-884	.410	103-369	.279	208-280	.743	128	388	516	34.4	262	6	202	195	59	111	1035	69.0			
Opponents		15	3050		382-883	.433	104-311	.334	194-276	.703	156	427	583	38.9	275	5	213	222	39	98	1062	70.8			

Team Statistics

	VALPO	OPP
Scoring	1035	1062
Points per game	69.0	70.8
Scoring margin	-1.8	-
Field goals-att	362-884	382-883
Field goal pct	.410	.433
3 point fg-att	103-369	104-311
3-point FG pct	.279	.334
3-pt FG made per game	6.9	6.9
Free throws-att	208-280	194-276
Free throw pct	.743	.703
F-Throws made per game	13.9	12.9
Rebounds	516	583
Rebounds per game	34.4	38.9
Rebounding margin	-4.5	-
Assists	202	213
Assists per game	13.5	14.2
Turnovers	195	222
Turnovers per game	13.0	14.8
Turnover margin	+1.8	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.0
Steals	111	98
Steals per game	7.4	6.5
Blocks	59	39
Blocks per game	3.9	2.6
Winning streak	3	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	528	200
Home games-Avg/Game	7-75	8-25
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/27/2020	at Vanderbilt	L	71-77	0
12/01/2020	at UIC	L	50-66	0
12/04/2020	at Purdue	L	61-68	200
12/06/2020	Judson (IL)	W	85-45	66
12/09/2020	SIUE	W	80-58	60
12/12/2020	at Central Mich.	L	79-84	0
12/17/2020	Purdue Northwest	W	89-71	74
12/19/2020	at Toledo	L	57-71	0
01/09/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-81	76
01/10/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-78	80
01/16/2021	at DePaul	L	58-77	0
01/20/2021	Loyola Chicago	L	39-75	95
01/23/2021	at Illinois St.	W	69-60	0
01/24/2021	at Illinois St.	W	70-66	0
01/28/2021	Bradley	Wot2	91-85	77



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Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-3	1-3	2-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	3-3	1-3	2-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Valparaiso	185	191	29	405
Opponents	197	225	23	445

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds															
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG				
23	KRIKKE, Ben	6-6	176:41	29.4	41-75	.547	2-4	.500	8-11	.727	15	19	34	5.7	15	1	4	3	7	0	92	15.3				
5	CLAY, Donovan	6-6	213:14	35.5	27-69	.391	5-21	.238	15-22	.682	14	22	36	6.0	17	1	17	12	9	4	74	12.3				
10	GORDON, Eron	6-6	198:16	33.0	15-49	.306	11-34	.324	22-31	.710	1	41	42	7.0	6	0	10	12	3	5	63	10.5				
13	EDWARDS, Sheldon	6-0	119:10	19.9	17-44	.386	9-27	.333	8-11	.727	5	6	11	1.8	7	0	7	3	3	2	51	8.5				
35	BARRETT, Connor	6-6	190:28	31.7	13-38	.342	13-36	.361	4-6	.667	6	13	19	3.2	13	0	5	4	0	9	43	7.2				
4	SACKEY, Daniel	6-6	192:38	32.1	12-43	.279	1-13	.077	11-15	.733	4	20	24	4.0	10	0	31	17	0	9	36	6.0				
34	OGNACEVIC, Jacob	6-0	44:12	7.4	6-13	.462	3-8	.375	4-6	.667	3	5	8	1.3	2	0	1	0	0	1	19	3.2				
22	MCMILLAN, Mileek	6-0	73:50	12.3	7-27	.259	3-14	.214	1-2	.500	1	12	13	2.2	13	0	2	3	2	2	18	3.0				
3	HELM, Steven	6-0	13:28	2.2	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	7-8	.875	1	1	2	0.3	1	0	2	1	0	0	7	1.2				
2	MORGAN, Zion	2-0	15:21	7.7	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0				
0	KPEGEOL, Goodnews	1-0	12:41	12.7	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2.0	3	0	1	3	1	1	0	0.0				
Team											8	11	19					5								
Total		6	1250		138-366	.377	47-159	.296	82-114	.719	59	153	212	35.3	88	2	80	65	25	33	405	67.5				
Opponents		6	1250		170-356	.478	39-110	.355	66-93	.710	49	187	236	39.3	107	1	83	72	16	36	445	74.2				

Team Statistics

	VALPO	OPP
Scoring	405	445
Points per game	67.5	74.2
Scoring margin	-6.7	-
Field goals-att	138-366	170-356
Field goal pct	.377	.478
3 point fg-att	47-159	39-110
3-point FG pct	.296	.355
3-pt FG made per game	7.8	6.5
Free throws-att	82-114	66-93
Free throw pct	.719	.710
F-Throws made per game	13.7	11.0
Rebounds	212	236
Rebounds per game	35.3	39.3
Rebounding margin	-4.0	-
Assists	80	83
Assists per game	13.3	13.8
Turnovers	65	72
Turnovers per game	10.8	12.0
Turnover margin	+1.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.2	1.2
Steals	33	36
Steals per game	5.5	6.0
Blocks	25	16
Blocks per game	4.2	2.7
Winning streak	3	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	328	0
Home games-Avg/Game	4-82	2-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
01/09/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-81	76
01/10/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-78	80
01/20/2021	Loyola Chicago	L	39-75	95
01/23/2021	at Illinois St.	W	69-60	0
01/24/2021	at Illinois St.	W	70-66	0
01/28/2021	Bradley	Wot2	91-85	77



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				Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds											
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
at Vanderbilt	11/27/2020	71-77	L	28-66	.424	11-35	.314	4-8	.500	9	25	34	34.0	20	18	17	5	10	71	71.0	
at UIC	12/01/2020	50-66	L	20-53	.377	1-14	.071	9-16	.563	4	26	30	32.0	17	9	10	2	3	50	60.5	
at Purdue	12/04/2020	61-68	L	19-46	.413	8-26	.308	15-19	.789	4	28	32	32.0	32	13	17	3	3	61	60.7	
Judson (IL)	12/06/2020	85-45	W	31-66	.470	10-32	.313	13-17	.765	12	30	42	34.5	13	18	11	3	14	85	66.8	
SIUE	12/09/2020	80-58	W	29-61	.475	7-25	.280	15-19	.789	12	24	36	34.8	21	16	18	3	16	80	69.4	
at Central Mich.	12/12/2020	79-84	L	26-61	.426	7-25	.280	20-24	.833	12	19	31	34.2	20	11	13	4	7	79	71.0	
Purdue Northwest	12/17/2020	89-71	W	29-54	.537	5-18	.278	26-32	.813	5	26	31	33.7	13	18	19	7	17	89	73.6	
at Toledo	12/19/2020	57-71	L	24-58	.414	4-20	.200	5-8	.625	4	32	36	34.0	22	9	9	3	1	57	71.5	
Missouri St.	01/09/2021	68-81	L	23-56	.411	11-27	.407	11-19	.579	3	21	24	32.9	14	11	7	5	9	68	71.1	
Missouri St.	01/10/2021	68-78	L	23-65	.354	7-26	.269	15-19	.789	11	22	33	32.9	18	13	9	3	4	68	70.8	
at DePaul	01/16/2021	58-77	L	18-53	.340	3-15	.200	19-23	.826	7	25	32	32.8	16	10	16	4	7	58	69.6	
Loyola Chicago	01/20/2021	39-75	L	15-49	.306	3-20	.150	6-9	.667	3	23	26	32.3	15	10	16	4	3	39	67.1	
at Illinois St.	01/23/2021	69-60	W	25-60	.417	9-29	.310	10-13	.769	11	31	42	33.0	14	18	10	5	6	69	67.2	
at Illinois St.	01/24/2021	70-66	W	26-65	.400	6-23	.261	12-16	.750	16	26	42	33.6	11	13	11	4	7	70	67.4	
Bradley	01/28/2021	91-85	Wot2	26-71	.366	11-34	.324	28-38	.737	15	30	45	34.4	16	15	12	4	4	91	69.0	
Total		1035		362-884	.410	103-369	.279	208-280	.743	128	388	516	34.4	262	202	195	59	111	1035	69.0	
Opponents		1062		382-883	.433	104-311	.334	194-276	.703	156	427	583	38.9	275	213	222	39	98	1062	70.8	

Valparaiso Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
15	69.0	41.0	27.9	74.3	34.4	13.5	13.0	1.0	7.4	3.9



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Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	6-9	4-3	2-6	0-0
CONFERENCE	3-3	1-3	2-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-6	3-0	0-6	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.	High Points	High Rebounds
11/27/2020	at Vanderbilt	L	71-77	0	(18) MCMILLAN, Mileek	(8) GORDON, Eron
12/01/2020	at UIC	L	50-66	0	(12) CLAY, Donovan	(6) ROBINSON, Nick
12/04/2020	at Purdue	L	61-68	200	(15) ROBINSON, Nick	(6) ROBINSON, Nick
						(6) CLAY, Donovan
12/06/2020	Judson (IL)	W	85-45	66	(20) OGNACEVIC, Jacob	(6) OGNACEVIC, Jacob
						(6) BARRETT, Connor
12/09/2020	SIUE	W	80-58	60	(20) EDWARDS, Sheldon	(8) EDWARDS, Sheldon
12/12/2020	at Central Mich.	L	79-84	0	(20) CLAY, Donovan	(6) KRIKKE, Ben
12/17/2020	Purdue Northwest	W	89-71	74	(21) ROBINSON, Nick	(8) KRIKKE, Ben
12/19/2020	at Toledo	L	57-71	0	(17) CLAY, Donovan	(13) CLAY, Donovan
01/09/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-81	76	(21) CLAY, Donovan	(5) GORDON, Eron
					(21) KRIKKE, Ben	(5) BARRETT, Connor
01/10/2021	Missouri St.	L	68-78	80	(13) GORDON, Eron	(7) GORDON, Eron
					(13) OGNACEVIC, Jacob	
01/16/2021	at DePaul	L	58-77	0	(12) GORDON, Eron	(7) GORDON, Eron
						(7) KPEGEOL, Goodnews
01/20/2021	Loyola Chicago	L	39-75	95	(14) GORDON, Eron	(5) GORDON, Eron
01/23/2021	at Illinois St.	W	69-60	0	(20) CLAY, Donovan	(12) CLAY, Donovan
01/24/2021	at Illinois St.	W	70-66	0	(25) KRIKKE, Ben	(15) KRIKKE, Ben
01/28/2021	Bradley	Wot2	91-85	77	(18) KRIKKE, Ben	(9) SACKKEY, Daniel
					(18) EDWARDS, Sheldon	

Attendance Summary

	Games	Attend	Avg/Game
Home	7	528	75
Away	8	200	25
Neutral	0	0	0
Total	15	728	49



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Opponent	Date	Score		0 KPEGEOL,GO	1 LORANGE,SI	2 MORGAN,ZIO	3 HELM,STEVE	4 SACKEY,DAN	5 CLAY,DONOV	10 GORDON,ERO	12 FRICKE,TYL	13 EDWARDS,SH	20 PAPPAS,BRO	22 MCMILLAN,M
at Vandy	11/27/2020	71-77	L	0-1-1	3-2-1	DNP	DNP	6-5-6	14-5-2	6-8-2	DNP	5-1-3	DNP	18-3-1
at UIC	12/01/2020	50-66	L	0-1-0	2-1-1	DNP	DNP	8-1-2	12-1-2	4-3-0	DNP	2-3-0	DNP	2-3-0
at Purdue	12/04/2020	61-68	L	9-3-1	DNP	DNP	0-1-2	4-3-5	10-6-1	3-3-1	DNP	0-1-0	DNP	0-1-0
Judson	12/06/2020	85-45	W	0-0-1	DNP	DNP	3-1-5	3-1-2	4-5-2	5-5-3	2-1-0	10-4-1	0-4-0	2-2-0
SIUE	12/09/2020	80-58	W	10-4-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-1	7-1-8	6-4-2	10-2-0	0-1-0	20-8-1	0-0-0	0-0-0
at CMU	12/12/2020	79-84	L	2-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	8-2-3	20-5-3	6-1-0	DNP	4-3-0	DNP	DNP
Pur-NW	12/17/2020	89-71	W	DNP	6-1-2	DNP	2-0-0	7-2-6	9-7-3	5-1-3	DNP	4-1-1	0-0-0	DNP
at UT	12/19/2020	57-71	L	4-1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1-2	17-13-1	9-4-3	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-0-0
MSU	01/09/2021	68-81	L	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	2-1-1	21-1-5	1-5-1	DNP	9-2-2	DNP	3-4-0
MSU	01/10/2021	68-78	L	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	7-3-6	3-5-3	13-7-1	DNP	10-5-1	DNP	7-1-0
at DePaul	01/16/2021	58-77	L	8-7-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	9-6-3	7-1-2	12-7-1	DNP	6-2-1	DNP	2-2-0
Loyola	01/20/2021	39-75	L	0-2-1	DNP	DNP	0-1-0	2-4-3	6-2-3	14-5-0	DNP	2-1-1	DNP	0-1-0
at ISU	01/23/2021	69-60	W	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-1-2	4-4-8	20-12-2	14-10-5	DNP	9-1-1	DNP	4-1-0
at ISU	01/24/2021	70-66	W	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	2-0-0	16-3-8	9-8-1	9-7-1	DNP	3-1-0	DNP	3-2-0
Brad	01/28/2021	91-85	Wot2	DNP	DNP	2-2-0	3-0-0	5-9-5	15-8-3	12-8-2	DNP	18-1-2	DNP	1-4-2

Opponent	Date	Score		23 KRIKKE,BEN	25 ROBINSON,N	34 OGNACEVIC,	35 BARRETT,CO
at Vandy	11/27/2020	71-77	L	13-3-0	3-2-2	3-0-0	0-0-0
at UIC	12/01/2020	50-66	L	11-2-1	6-6-1	0-3-0	3-3-2
at Purdue	12/04/2020	61-68	L	6-4-1	15-6-2	12-1-0	2-2-0
Judson	12/06/2020	85-45	W	10-1-0	9-2-3	20-6-0	17-6-1
SIUE	12/09/2020	80-58	W	9-3-1	6-4-3	3-5-0	9-1-0
at CMU	12/12/2020	79-84	L	12-6-2	5-3-2	8-2-0	14-5-0
Pur-NW	12/17/2020	89-71	W	12-8-0	21-2-1	11-3-1	12-0-1
at UT	12/19/2020	57-71	L	16-7-0	8-4-2	0-0-0	0-0-1
MSU	01/09/2021	68-81	L	21-4-1	DNP	0-1-0	11-5-1
MSU	01/10/2021	68-78	L	12-4-2	DNP	13-4-0	3-2-0
at DePaul	01/16/2021	58-77	L	6-3-2	DNP	3-0-1	5-2-0
Loyola	01/20/2021	39-75	L	12-3-0	DNP	3-2-1	0-2-1
at ISU	01/23/2021	69-60	W	4-4-0	DNP	0-1-0	12-3-0
at ISU	01/24/2021	70-66	W	25-15-0	DNP	0-0-0	3-3-3
Brad	01/28/2021	91-85	Wot2	18-4-1	DNP	3-0-0	14-4-0



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	GP-GS	MIN/G	FG%	3FG%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G	GP-GS	MIN/G	FG%	3FG%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G
BARRETT, Connor	15-10	21.3	.405	.397	.875	2.5	0.7	14	0	7.0	15-10	21.3	.405	.397	.875	2.5	0.7	14	0	7.0
CLAY, Donovan	15-15	31.8	.420	.218	.674	5.5	2.3	16	24	11.5	50-48	29.6	.441	.263	.660	4.9	1.9	36	60	10.0
EDWARDS, Sheldon	14-2	17.4	.388	.255	.813	2.4	1.0	6	4	7.3	14-2	17.4	.388	.255	.813	2.4	1.0	6	4	7.3
FRICKE, Tyler	2-0	2.3	.000	.000	1.000	1.0	0.0	1	0	1.0	2-0	2.3	.000	.000	1.000	1.0	0.0	1	0	1.0
GORDON, Eron	15-13	27.6	.371	.316	.647	5.1	1.5	13	6	8.2	50-17	20.7	.409	.373	.688	3.1	0.8	39	11	6.1
HELM, Steven	12-0	6.9	.125	.000	.833	0.3	0.8	2	0	1.0	12-0	6.9	.125	.000	.833	0.3	0.8	2	0	1.0
KPEGEOL, Goodnews	9-0	12.6	.310	.143	.824	2.2	0.6	9	1	3.7	9-0	12.6	.310	.143	.824	2.2	0.6	9	1	3.7
KRIKKE, Ben	15-15	26.6	.531	.182	.744	4.7	0.7	11	14	12.5	48-16	19.1	.541	.308	.772	3.5	0.7	26	29	8.5
LORANGE, Sigurd	5-0	6.9	.250	.077	1.000	0.8	0.8	1	0	2.2	14-0	6.8	.394	.304	1.000	0.4	0.6	2	0	2.6
MCMILLAN, Mileek	13-5	11.8	.310	.258	.250	1.8	0.2	2	5	3.5	109-58	12.3	.423	.341	.706	2.1	0.5	30	32	4.9
MORGAN, Zion	2-0	7.7	.000	.000	1.000	1.0	0.0	0	0	1.0	30-1	8.9	.333	.000	.500	2.0	1.1	12	6	1.8
OGNACEVIC, Jacob	15-0	11.1	.531	.480	.714	1.9	0.2	4	1	5.3	15-0	11.1	.531	.480	.714	1.9	0.2	4	1	5.3
PAPPAS, Brock	3-0	3.4	.000	.000	.000	1.3	0.0	0	0	0.0	9-0	2.2	.000	.000	.000	0.6	0.0	0	0	0.0
ROBINSON, Nick	8-0	24.5	.480	.368	.818	3.6	2.0	12	4	9.1	33-19	23.5	.404	.295	.722	3.8	2.2	34	15	6.9
SACKEY, Daniel	15-15	28.2	.326	.080	.788	3.1	4.5	20	0	5.9	82-57	22.9	.355	.246	.703	2.2	3.0	79	1	5.3

Scoring

Player	Season Statistics									Career Statistics								
	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	PTS	PTS/G		FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	PTS	PTS/G	
BARRETT, Connor	32-79	.405	27-68	.397	14-16	.875	105	7.0		32-79	.405	27-68	.397	14-16	.875	105	7.0	
CLAY, Donovan	66-157	.420	12-55	.218	29-43	.674	173	11.5		198-449	.441	44-167	.263	62-94	.660	502	10.0	
EDWARDS, Sheldon	38-98	.388	13-51	.255	13-16	.813	102	7.3		38-98	.388	13-51	.255	13-16	.813	102	7.3	
FRICKE, Tyler	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2	1.0		0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2	1.0	
GORDON, Eron	36-97	.371	18-57	.316	33-51	.647	123	8.2		96-235	.409	47-126	.373	66-96	.688	305	6.1	
HELM, Steven	1-8	.125	0-6	.000	10-12	.833	12	1.0		1-8	.125	0-6	.000	10-12	.833	12	1.0	
KPEGEOL, Goodnews	9-29	.310	1-7	.143	14-17	.824	33	3.7		9-29	.310	1-7	.143	14-17	.824	33	3.7	
KRIKKE, Ben	78-147	.531	2-11	.182	29-39	.744	187	12.5		160-296	.541	16-52	.308	71-92	.772	407	8.5	
LORANGE, Sigurd	4-16	.250	1-13	.077	2-2	1.000	11	2.2		13-33	.394	7-23	.304	4-4	1.000	37	2.6	
MCMILLAN, Mileek	18-58	.310	8-31	.258	1-4	.250	45	3.5		189-447	.423	74-217	.341	77-109	.706	529	4.9	
MORGAN, Zion	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2	1.0		21-63	.333	0-9	.000	13-26	.500	55	1.8	
OGNACEVIC, Jacob	26-49	.531	12-25	.480	15-21	.714	79	5.3		26-49	.531	12-25	.480	15-21	.714	79	5.3	
PAPPAS, Brock	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0		0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0	
ROBINSON, Nick	24-50	.480	7-19	.368	18-22	.818	73	9.1		76-188	.404	23-78	.295	52-72	.722	227	6.9	
SACKEY, Daniel	30-92	.326	2-25	.080	26-33	.788	88	5.9		150-422	.355	35-142	.246	102-145	.703	437	5.3	

Totals

Player	Season Statistics									Career Statistics								
	O-REB	D-REB	TOTAL	PF	FO	A	TO	A/TO		O-REB	D-REB	TOTAL	PF	FO	A	TO	A/TO	
BARRETT, Connor	12	26	38	34	1	10	6	1.7		12	26	38	34	1	10	6	1.7	
CLAY, Donovan	22	61	83	42	2	35	36	1.0		70	175	245	107	2	94	76	1.2	
EDWARDS, Sheldon	8	26	34	12	0	14	11	1.3		8	26	34	12	0	14	11	1.3	
FRICKE, Tyler	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0.0		1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	
GORDON, Eron	4	72	76	19	0	23	24	1.0		22	135	157	61	1	42	55	0.8	
HELM, Steven	2	2	4	5	0	10	3	3.3		2	2	4	5	0	10	3	3.3	
KPEGEOL, Goodnews	5	15	20	17	0	5	11	0.5		5	15	20	17	0	5	11	0.5	
KRIKKE, Ben	26	45	71	38	1	11	19	0.6		65	101	166	85	1	33	46	0.7	
LORANGE, Sigurd	2	2	4	2	0	4	1	4.0		2	4	6	2	0	9	4	2.3	
MCMILLAN, Mileek	2	22	24	28	1	3	20	0.2		48	176	224	250	11	56	137	0.4	
MORGAN, Zion	1	1	2	1	0	0	2	0.0		16	45	61	26	0	32	23	1.4	
OGNACEVIC, Jacob	10	18	28	12	0	3	5	0.6		10	18	28	12	0	3	5	0.6	
PAPPAS, Brock	0	4	4	1	0	0	0	0.0		0	5	5	3	0	0	1	0.0	
ROBINSON, Nick	6	23	29	21	1	16	14	1.1		36	91	127	67	1	71	53	1.3	
SACKEY, Daniel	6	40	46	29	0	68	34	2.0		23	159	182	133	1	250	160	1.6	



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POINTS	91		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	89		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	85		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	80		SIUE (12/09/2020)
	79		at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	31		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	29		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	29		SIUE (12/09/2020)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	71		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	66		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	66		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.537	(29-54)	Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	.475	(29-61)	SIUE (12/09/2020)
3 PT FG MADE	11		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	11		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	11		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	35		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	34		Bradley (01/28/2021)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.407	(11-27)	Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	.324	(11-34)	Bradley (01/28/2021)
FREE THROWS MADE	28		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	26		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	38		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	32		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.833	(20-24)	at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	.826	(19-23)	at DePaul (01/16/2021)
REBOUNDS	45		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	42		at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	42		at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	42		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
ASSISTS	18		at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	18		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	18		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	18		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
STEALS	17		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	16		SIUE (12/09/2020)
BLOCKED SHOTS	7		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	5		at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	5		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	5		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
TURNOVERS	19		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	18		SIUE (12/09/2020)
FOULS	32		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	22		at Toledo (12/19/2020)



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POINTS	85		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	84		at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	81		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	78		Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	77		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	77		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	36		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	30		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	78		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	74		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.547	(29-53)	Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	.540	(27-50)	Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
3 PT FG MADE	10		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	9		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	9		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	9		at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	9		at UIC (12/01/2020)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	31		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	26		at UIC (12/01/2020)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.600	(9-15)	at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	.412	(7-17)	at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
FREE THROWS MADE	24		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	23		at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	23		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	37		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	30		at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.852	(23-27)	at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	.786	(11-14)	at UIC (12/01/2020)
REBOUNDS	52		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	44		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	44		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
ASSISTS	19		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	19		at UIC (12/01/2020)
STEALS	12		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	11		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
BLOCKED SHOTS	6		SIUE (12/09/2020)
	4		at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	4		at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
TURNOVERS	28		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	25		SIUE (12/09/2020)
FOULS	30		Bradley (01/28/2021)
	26		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)



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POINTS	39		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	50		at UIC (12/01/2020)
	57		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	58		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	61		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	15		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	18		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	46		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	49		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.306	(15-49)	Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	.340	(18-53)	at DePaul (01/16/2021)
3 PT FG MADE	1		at UIC (12/01/2020)
	3		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	3		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	14		at UIC (12/01/2020)
	15		at DePaul (01/16/2021)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.071	(1-14)	at UIC (12/01/2020)
	.150	(3-20)	Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
FREE THROWS MADE	4		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	5		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	8		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	8		at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.500	(4-8)	at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	.563	(9-16)	at UIC (12/01/2020)
REBOUNDS	24		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	26		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
ASSISTS	9		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	9		at UIC (12/01/2020)
STEALS	1		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	3		Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	3		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	3		at UIC (12/01/2020)
BLOCKED SHOTS	2		at UIC (12/01/2020)
	3		Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	3		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	3		SIUE (12/09/2020)
	3		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	3		at Purdue (12/04/2020)
TURNOVERS	7		Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	9		Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	9		at Toledo (12/19/2020)
FOULS	11		at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	13		Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	13		Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)



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POINTS	45	Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	58	SIUE (12/09/2020)
	60	at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	66	at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	66	at UIC (12/01/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	19	Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	19	at Purdue (12/04/2020)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	50	Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	53	Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	53	at UIC (12/01/2020)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.352	(19-54) Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	.352	(19-54) at Purdue (12/04/2020)
3 PT FG MADE	2	SIUE (12/09/2020)
	4	Bradley (01/28/2021)
	4	Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	13	Bradley (01/28/2021)
	15	at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.118	(2-17) SIUE (12/09/2020)
	.211	(4-19) Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
FREE THROWS MADE	3	Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	6	SIUE (12/09/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	9	Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	10	at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.273	(3-11) Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	.462	(6-13) SIUE (12/09/2020)
REBOUNDS	32	at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	34	at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	34	SIUE (12/09/2020)
	34	Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	34	at Purdue (12/04/2020)
ASSISTS	9	at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	10	at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
STEALS	2	Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	2	at Toledo (12/19/2020)
BLOCKED SHOTS	0	Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	1	at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	1	at UIC (12/01/2020)
TURNOVERS	4	at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	9	Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	9	at Purdue (12/04/2020)
FOULS	11	at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	12	Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	12	at Toledo (12/19/2020)



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POINTS	25		Ben Krikke at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	21		Donovan Clay vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	21		Ben Krikke vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	21		Nick Robinson vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	20		Donovan Clay at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	20		Donovan Clay at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	20		Sheldon Edwards vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
	20		Jacob Ognacevic vs Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	12		Ben Krikke at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	10		Donovan Clay at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	20		Ben Krikke at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	20		Donovan Clay at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	.875	(7-8)	Nick Robinson vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	.778	(7-9)	Sheldon Edwards vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
3 PT FG MADE	5		Connor Barrett vs Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	4		Connor Barrett vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	4		Sheldon Edwards vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	4		Connor Barrett at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	4		Donovan Clay vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	4		Jacob Ognacevic at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	4		Mileek McMillan at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	10		Connor Barrett vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	9		Eron Gordon at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	9		Connor Barrett at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(2-2)	Ben Krikke vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	1.000	(2-2)	Nick Robinson vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
FREE THROWS MADE	6		Eron Gordon vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	6		Donovan Clay vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	6		Eron Gordon vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	6		Goodnews Kpegeol at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	6		Connor Barrett at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	9		Eron Gordon vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	9		Donovan Clay vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(6-6)	Donovan Clay vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	1.000	(6-6)	Goodnews Kpegeol at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	1.000	(6-6)	Connor Barrett at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	1.000	(5-5)	Eron Gordon at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	1.000	(4-4)	Ben Krikke vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	1.000	(4-4)	Daniel Sackey at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	1.000	(3-3)	Daniel Sackey at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Sheldon Edwards at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Jacob Ognacevic vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Ben Krikke vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Sheldon Edwards vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
REBOUNDS	15		Ben Krikke at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	13		Donovan Clay at Toledo (12/19/2020)
ASSISTS	8		Daniel Sackey at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	8		Daniel Sackey at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	8		Daniel Sackey vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
STEALS	5		Connor Barrett vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	4		Daniel Sackey vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
	4		Daniel Sackey at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
BLOCKED SHOTS	5		Donovan Clay vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	3		Ben Krikke at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)



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TURNOVERS	6	Daniel Sackey vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	5	Daniel Sackey vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	5	Donovan Clay at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	5	Mileek McMillan at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	5	Donovan Clay at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	5	Daniel Sackey vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	5	Mileek McMillan at Purdue (12/04/2020)
FOULS	5	Ben Krikke vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	5	Donovan Clay vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	5	Connor Barrett at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	5	Mileek McMillan at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	5	Donovan Clay at Purdue (12/04/2020)
	5	Nick Robinson at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)



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POINTS	29		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	29		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	27		Elijah Childs vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	27		Devontae Lane at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	25		Scotty Pippen Jr. at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FIELD GOALS MADE	11		Elijah Childs vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	11		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	11		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	22		Elijah Childs vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	18		Terry Nolan Jr. vs Bradley (01/28/2021)
	18		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	.875	(7-8)	Cameron Krutwig vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	.714	(5-7)	Mike Adewunmi vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
3 PT FG MADE	5		Devontae Lane at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	4		DJ Horne at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	4		Marreon Jackson at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	4		Sasha Stefanovic at Purdue (12/04/2020)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	12		Marreon Jackson at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	9		Sasha Stefanovic at Purdue (12/04/2020)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(3-3)	Howard Fleming Jr. at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	.833	(5-6)	Devontae Lane at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
FREE THROWS MADE	14		Travon Broadway Jr. at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	14		Scotty Pippen Jr. at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	17		Travon Broadway Jr. at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	14		Scotty Pippen Jr. at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(14-14)	Scotty Pippen Jr. at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	1.000	(6-6)	Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	1.000	(6-6)	Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	1.000	(4-4)	Marquise Kennedy vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	1.000	(4-4)	Gaige Prim vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	1.000	(4-4)	Ryan Rollins at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	1.000	(4-4)	Issac McBride at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
	1.000	(3-3)	Tom Welch vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Ja'Monta Black vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	1.000	(3-3)	Michael Diggins at UIC (12/01/2020)
REBOUNDS	16		Gaige Prim vs Missouri St. (01/09/2021)
	16		Vincent Miszkiewicz vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
ASSISTS	14		Teyvion Kirk at UIC (12/01/2020)
	6		Tom Welch vs Loyola Chicago (01/20/2021)
STEALS	5		DJ Horne at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	4		Darius Hall at DePaul (01/16/2021)
	4		Anthony Barnard vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
BLOCKED SHOTS	3		Sidney Wilson vs SIUE (12/09/2020)
	2		Abdou Ndiaye at Illinois St. (01/24/2021)
	2		Josiah Strong at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	2		Abdou Ndiaye at Illinois St. (01/23/2021)
	2		Spencer Littleton at Toledo (12/19/2020)
	2		Thomas Donati vs Judson (IL) (12/06/2020)
	2		Dylan Disu at Vanderbilt (11/27/2020)
TURNOVERS	7		Mikell Cooper vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	6		Isiah Mosley vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	6		Meikkel Murray at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)



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FOULS	5	Demarcus Sharp vs Missouri St. (01/10/2021)
	5	Gregory Boyle vs Purdue Northwest (12/17/2020)
	5	Malik Muhammad at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	5	Aundre Polk at Central Mich. (12/12/2020)
	5	Shamar Wright vs SIUE (12/09/2020)



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BARRETT, Connor

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Valpo	15-10	319/21.3	32-79	.405	27-68	.397	14-16	.875	12	26	38	2.5	34-1	10	6	0	14	105	7.0
TOTAL		15-10	319/21.3	32-79	.405	27-68	.397	14-16	.875	12	26	38	2.5	34-1	10	6	0	14	105	7.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	17	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Rebounds	6	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Assists	3	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
Steals	5	vs Missouri St. 01/09/21
FG Made	5	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FG Attempts	11	vs Bradley 01/28/21
3FG Made	5	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
3FG Attempts	10	vs Bradley 01/28/21
FT Made	6	at Central Mich. 12/12/20
FT Attempts	6	at Central Mich. 12/12/20

CLAY, Donovan

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	35-33	1004/28.7	132-292	.452	32-112	.286	33-51	.647	48	114	162	4.6	65-0	59	40	36	20	329	9.4
2020-21	Valpo	15-15	477/31.8	66-157	.420	12-55	.218	29-43	.674	22	61	83	5.5	42-2	35	36	24	16	173	11.5
TOTAL		50-48	1481/29.6	198-449	.441	44-167	.263	62-94	.660	70	175	245	4.9	107-2	94	76	60	36	502	10.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	22	vs Missouri St. 02/25/20
Rebounds	13	at Toledo 12/19/20
Assists	7	vs Loyola Chicago 03/06/20
Steals	3	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Blocks	5	vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
FG Made	11	vs Missouri St. 02/25/20
FG Attempts	20	at Illinois St. 01/23/21
3FG Made	4	vs Loyola Chicago 12/30/19, vs Missouri St. 01/09/21
3FG Attempts	7	vs Drake 01/11/20, at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
FT Made	7	vs Drake 01/11/20
FT Attempts	9	vs Missouri St. 01/09/21



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EDWARDS, Sheldon

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds										Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
2020-21	Valpo	14-2	243/17.4	38-98	.388	13-51	.255	13-16	.813	8	26	34	2.4	12-0	14	11	4	6	102	7.3	
TOTAL		14-2	243/17.4	38-98	.388	13-51	.255	13-16	.813	8	26	34	2.4	12-0	14	11	4	6	102	7.3	

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	vs SIUE 12/09/20
Rebounds	8	vs SIUE 12/09/20
Assists	3	at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
Steals	2	vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
Blocks	1	4 times
FG Made	7	vs SIUE 12/09/20
FG Attempts	12	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
3FG Made	4	vs Bradley 01/28/21
3FG Attempts	8	vs Bradley 01/28/21
FT Made	3	vs SIUE 12/09/20, vs Missouri St. 01/10/21, at Illinois St. 01/23/21
FT Attempts	5	vs Missouri St. 01/10/21

FREESE-VILIEN, Emil

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	16-0	106/6.6	7-21	.333	2-10	.200	0-1	.000	6	9	15	0.9	8-0	5	5	4	1	16	1.0
TOTAL		16-0	106/6.6	7-21	.333	2-10	.200	0-1	.000	6	9	15	0.9	8-0	5	5	4	1	16	1.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	5	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Rebounds	3	vs Toledo 11/05/19, vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Assists	2	vs Toledo 11/05/19
Steals	1	vs Cincinnati 11/25/19
Blocks	2	at Saint Louis 11/09/19
FG Made	2	vs Toledo 11/05/19, vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FG Attempts	6	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
3FG Made	1	vs Grand Canyon 11/22/19, vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
3FG Attempts	3	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FT Attempts	1	vs Nevada 11/24/19



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FRICKE, Tyler

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Valpo	2-0	5/2.3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	1	2	1.0
TOTAL		2-0	5/2.3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	1	2	1.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	2	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Rebounds	1	vs SIUE 12/09/20, vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Steals	1	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FT Made	2	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FT Attempts	2	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20

GORDON, Eron

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2016-17	SHU	18-0	73/4.1	10-26	.385	1-11	.091	2-2	1.000	5	10	15	0.8	13-0	6	5	0	3	23	1.3
2017-18	SHU	30-1	247/8.2	17-38	.447	6-17	.353	6-15	.400	5	19	24	0.8	25-0	23	12	0	4	46	1.5
2019-20	Valpo	35-4	624/17.8	60-138	.435	29-69	.420	33-45	.733	18	63	81	2.3	42-1	19	31	5	26	182	5.2
2020-21	Valpo	15-13	413/27.6	36-97	.371	18-57	.316	33-51	.647	4	72	76	5.1	19-0	23	24	6	13	123	8.2
TOTAL FOR Valpo		50-17	1037/20.7	96-235	.409	47-126	.373	66-96	.688	22	135	157	3.1	61-1	42	55	11	39	305	6.1
TOTAL		98-18	1357/13.8	123-299	.411	54-154	.351	74-113	.655	32	164	196	2.0	99-1	71	72	11	46	374	3.8

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	at High Point 12/18/19
Rebounds	10	at Illinois St. 01/23/21
Assists	5	at Illinois St. 01/23/21
Steals	4	at Southern Ill. 01/07/20, at Missouri St. 01/23/20
Blocks	2	at Saint Louis 11/09/19, at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
FG Made	7	at High Point 12/18/19
FG Attempts	12	vs Missouri St. 01/10/21, at DePaul 01/16/21
3FG Made	6	at High Point 12/18/19
3FG Attempts	9	at Illinois St. 01/23/21
FT Made	6	vs Loyola Chicago 01/20/21, vs Bradley 01/28/21
FT Attempts	9	vs Loyola Chicago 01/20/21



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HELM, Steven

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Valpo	12-0	83/6.9	1-8	.125	0-6	.000	10-12	.833	2	2	4	0.3	5-0	10	3	0	2	12	1.0
TOTAL		12-0	83/6.9	1-8	.125	0-6	.000	10-12	.833	2	2	4	0.3	5-0	10	3	0	2	12	1.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	3	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20, vs Bradley 01/28/21
Rebounds	1	4 times
Assists	5	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Steals	1	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20, vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
FG Made	1	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FG Attempts	5	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
3FG Attempts	3	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FT Made	3	vs Bradley 01/28/21
FT Attempts	4	vs Bradley 01/28/21

KPEGEOL, Goodnews

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Valpo	9-0	114/12.6	9-29	.310	1-7	.143	14-17	.824	5	15	20	2.2	17-0	5	11	1	9	33	3.7
TOTAL		9-0	114/12.6	9-29	.310	1-7	.143	14-17	.824	5	15	20	2.2	17-0	5	11	1	9	33	3.7

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	10	vs SIUE 12/09/20
Rebounds	7	at DePaul 01/16/21
Assists	1	5 times
Steals	3	at DePaul 01/16/21
Blocks	1	vs Loyola Chicago 01/20/21
FG Made	4	vs SIUE 12/09/20
FG Attempts	7	at Toledo 12/19/20, at DePaul 01/16/21
3FG Made	1	at Purdue 12/04/20
3FG Attempts	3	at Purdue 12/04/20
FT Made	6	at DePaul 01/16/21
FT Attempts	6	at Purdue 12/04/20, at DePaul 01/16/21



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KRIKKE, Ben

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	33-1	515/15.6	82-149	.550	14-41	.341	42-53	.792	39	56	95	2.9	47-0	22	27	15	15	220	6.7
2020-21	Valpo	15-15	400/26.6	78-147	.531	2-11	.182	29-39	.744	26	45	71	4.7	38-1	11	19	14	11	187	12.5
TOTAL		48-16	915/19.1	160-296	.541	16-52	.308	71-92	.772	65	101	166	3.5	85-1	33	46	29	26	407	8.5

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	25	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
Rebounds	15	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
Assists	4	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Illinois St. 02/01/20
Steals	2	7 times
Blocks	3	at Central Mich. 12/12/20
FG Made	12	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
FG Attempts	20	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
3FG Made	3	at UNI 01/15/20
3FG Attempts	5	at UNI 01/15/20
FT Made	7	vs Missouri St. 03/07/20
FT Attempts	9	vs Illinois St. 02/01/20

LORANGE, Sigurd

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	9-0	60/6.7	9-17	.529	6-10	.600	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	0.2	0-0	5	3	0	1	26	2.9
2020-21	Valpo	5-0	34/6.9	4-16	.250	1-13	.077	2-2	1.000	2	2	4	0.8	2-0	4	1	0	1	11	2.2
TOTAL		14-0	95/6.8	13-33	.394	7-23	.304	4-4	1.000	2	4	6	0.4	2-0	9	4	0	2	37	2.6

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	11	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Rebounds	2	at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
Assists	4	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Steals	1	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
FG Made	4	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FG Attempts	6	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
3FG Made	3	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
3FG Attempts	6	at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
FT Made	2	at SIUE 11/12/19, vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
FT Attempts	2	at SIUE 11/12/19, vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20



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MCMILLAN, Mileek

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2017-18	Valpo	32-18	338/10.6	36-87	.414	16-44	.364	14-18	.778	8	38	46	1.4	64-2	11	36	7	5	102	3.2
2018-19	Valpo	30-1	244/8.1	23-60	.383	10-32	.313	27-37	.730	12	33	45	1.5	51-1	7	19	4	3	83	2.8
2019-20	Valpo	34-34	610/17.9	112-242	.463	40-110	.364	35-50	.700	26	83	109	3.2	107-7	35	62	16	20	299	8.8
2020-21	Valpo	13-5	153/11.8	18-58	.310	8-31	.258	1-4	.250	2	22	24	1.8	28-1	3	20	5	2	45	3.5
TOTAL		109-58	1345/12.3	189-447	.423	74-217	.341	77-109	.706	48	176	224	2.1	250-11	56	137	32	30	529	4.9

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	at Drake 02/19/20
Rebounds	9	at Arkansas 12/21/19
Assists	4	at Drake 02/19/20
Steals	3	vs Drake 01/10/18, at Illinois St. 02/15/20, vs Drake 01/11/20
Blocks	3	vs Evansville 01/26/20, vs Loyola Chicago 12/30/19
FG Made	7	at Drake 02/19/20, at Vanderbilt 11/27/20
FG Attempts	13	vs Toledo 11/05/19, at Drake 02/19/20, vs Drake 01/11/20
3FG Made	6	at Drake 02/19/20
3FG Attempts	8	at Drake 02/19/20
FT Made	6	at Loyola Chicago 01/15/19
FT Attempts	6	4 times

MORGAN, Zion

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	28-1	252/9.0	21-60	.350	0-9	.000	11-24	.458	15	44	59	2.1	25-0	32	21	6	12	53	1.9
2020-21	Valpo	2-0	15/7.7	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	1.0	1-0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0
TOTAL		30-1	268/8.9	21-63	.333	0-9	.000	13-26	.500	16	45	61	2.0	26-0	32	23	6	12	55	1.8

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	7	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Illinois St. 02/01/20
Rebounds	9	at Arkansas 12/21/19
Assists	5	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, at UNI 01/15/20
Steals	4	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Blocks	1	6 times
FG Made	3	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FG Attempts	7	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
3FG Attempts	2	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Illinois St. 02/01/20, at Arkansas 12/21/19
FT Made	3	vs Illinois St. 02/01/20
FT Attempts	5	at Southern Ill. 01/07/20



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MORRILL, Luke

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	5-0	9/1.9	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	3-4	.750	0	2	2	0.4	1-0	0	1	0	0	5	1.0
TOTAL		5-0	9/1.9	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	3-4	.750	0	2	2	0.4	1-0	0	1	0	0	5	1.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	4	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
Rebounds	2	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FG Made	1	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FG Attempts	2	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
3FG Attempts	1	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Central Mich. 12/08/19
FT Made	2	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19
FT Attempts	2	vs Missouri St. 02/25/20, vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19

OGNACEVIC, Jacob

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Valpo	15-0	166/11.1	26-49	.531	12-25	.480	15-21	.714	10	18	28	1.9	12-0	3	5	1	4	79	5.3
TOTAL		15-0	166/11.1	26-49	.531	12-25	.480	15-21	.714	10	18	28	1.9	12-0	3	5	1	4	79	5.3

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Rebounds	6	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Assists	1	vs Loyola Chicago 01/20/21, vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20, at DePaul 01/16/21
Steals	2	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
Blocks	1	vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
FG Made	7	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FG Attempts	11	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
3FG Made	4	at Purdue 12/04/20
3FG Attempts	5	at Purdue 12/04/20
FT Made	4	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FT Attempts	5	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20



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PAPPAS, Brock

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Valpo	6-0	9/1.6	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.2	2-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
2020-21	Valpo	3-0	10/3.4	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1.3	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		9-0	20/2.2	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	5	5	0.6	3-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Rebounds	4	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
FG Attempts	1	vs Trinity Christian 11/27/19, vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20
3FG Attempts	1	vs Judson (IL) 12/06/20

ROBINSON, Nick

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2016-17	SJU	31-19	724/23.4	52-146	.356	10-44	.227	46-81	.568	27	86	113	3.6	74-1	60	49	15	14	160	5.2
2017-18	SJU	31-11	804/25.9	81-175	.463	16-46	.348	61-76	.803	34	127	161	5.2	92-1	77	46	12	30	239	7.7
2019-20	Valpo	25-19	579/23.2	52-138	.377	16-59	.271	34-50	.680	30	68	98	3.9	46-0	55	39	11	22	154	6.2
2020-21	Valpo	8-0	196/24.5	24-50	.480	7-19	.368	18-22	.818	6	23	29	3.6	21-1	16	14	4	12	73	9.1
TOTAL FOR Valpo		33-19	775/23.5	76-188	.404	23-78	.295	52-72	.722	36	91	127	3.8	67-1	71	53	15	34	227	6.9
TOTAL		95-49	2303/24.2	209-509	.411	49-168	.292	159-229	.694	97	304	401	4.2	233-3	208	148	42	78	626	6.6

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	21	vs Purdue Northwest 12/17/20
Rebounds	11	vs Duquesne 02/17/18
Assists	9	at Loyola Chicago 02/09/20
Steals	4	at Rhode Island 02/27/18
Blocks	3	vs Duquesne 02/17/18, vs Cincinnati 11/25/19
FG Made	8	at Richmond 02/24/18
FG Attempts	12	at Richmond 02/24/18, vs Loyola Chicago 12/30/19
3FG Made	3	vs George Mason 03/09/18, vs Loyola Chicago 12/30/19
3FG Attempts	6	at Drake 02/19/20, vs Loyola Chicago 12/30/19, vs Cincinnati 11/25/19
FT Made	11	vs VCU 01/03/18
FT Attempts	14	vs VCU 01/03/18



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SACKEY, Daniel

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2018-19	Valpo	33-17	587/17.8	48-133	.361	9-40	.225	30-47	.638	4	48	52	1.6	36-0	61	56	0	24	135	4.1
2019-20	Valpo	34-25	867/25.5	72-197	.365	24-77	.312	46-65	.708	13	71	84	2.5	68-1	121	70	1	35	214	6.3
2020-21	Valpo	15-15	423/28.2	30-92	.326	2-25	.080	26-33	.788	6	40	46	3.1	29-0	68	34	0	20	88	5.9
TOTAL		82-57	1878/22.9	150-422	.355	35-142	.246	102-145	.703	23	159	182	2.2	133-1	250	160	1	79	437	5.3

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	22	at Saint Louis 11/09/19
Rebounds	9	vs Bradley 01/28/21
Assists	9	at High Point 12/18/19
Steals	4	5 times
Blocks	1	vs Evansville 01/26/20
FG Made	7	at Saint Louis 11/09/19
FG Attempts	14	at Illinois St. 01/24/21
3FG Made	3	at Saint Louis 11/09/19
3FG Attempts	5	vs Loyola Chicago 03/08/19, at UNI 01/15/20, vs Loyola Chicago 03/06/20
FT Made	6	vs Grand Canyon 11/22/19, at High Point 12/18/19
FT Attempts	10	vs Drake 01/26/19

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Valparaiso Team Game-by-Game Comparison (as of Jan 29, 2021)
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Opponent	1st	2nd	Score	Mar	Total FG	FG Pct	3-Pointers	3FG Pct	Free Throws	FT Pct	Rebounds	Assist	T/Over	Block	Steal	Fouls
Vanderbilt	34/34	37/43	71-77	(6)	28-66/23-57	.424/.404	11-35/8-24	.314/.333	4-8/23-27	.500/.852	34/44 (10)	18/14	17/19	5/3	10/10	20/11
UIC	19/28	31/38	50-66	(16)	20-53/23-53	.377/.434	1-14/9-26	.071/.346	9-16/11-14	.563/.786	30/35 (5)	9/19	10/10	2/1	3/3	17/16
Purdue	34/23	27/45	61-68	(7)	19-46/19-54	.413/.352	8-26/6-23	.308/.261	15-19/24-37	.789/.649	32/34 (2)	13/13	17/9	3/1	3/4	32/21
JUDSON (IL)	39/23	46/22	85-45	+40	31-66/19-54	.470/.352	10-32/4-19	.313/.211	13-17/3-11	.765/.273	42/34 +8	18/11	11/24	3/2	14/9	13/20
SIUE	33/22	47/36	80-58	+22	29-61/25-57	.475/.439	7-25/2-17	.280/.118	15-19/6-13	.789/.462	36/34 +2	16/11	18/25	3/6	16/8	21/20
Central Mich.	30/44	49/40	79-84	(5)	26-61/26-54	.426/.481	7-25/9-15	.280/.600	20-24/23-30	.833/.767	31/36 (5)	11/14	13/16	4/2	7/5	20/23
PURDUE NORTHWEST	45/32	44/39	89-71	+18	29-54/28-74	.537/.378	5-18/8-24	.278/.333	26-32/7-9	.813/.778	31/43 (12)	18/17	19/28	7/2	17/12	13/26
Toledo	25/26	32/45	57-71	(14)	24-58/22-62	.414/.355	4-20/10-31	.200/.323	5-8/17-23	.625/.739	36/44 (8)	9/16	9/4	3/3	1/2	22/12
MISSOURI ST.	37/41	31/40	68-81	(13)	23-56/29-53	.411/.547	11-27/9-22	.407/.409	11-19/14-18	.579/.778	24/40 (16)	11/15	7/12	5/0	9/2	14/18
MISSOURI ST.	29/38	39/40	68-78	(10)	23-65/27-50	.354/.540	7-26/7-22	.269/.318	15-19/17-22	.789/.773	33/39 (6)	13/17	9/15	3/3	4/4	18/17
DePaul	26/41	32/36	58-77	(19)	18-53/27-62	.340/.435	3-15/9-22	.200/.409	19-23/14-19	.826/.737	32/43 (11)	10/15	16/15	4/3	7/9	16/19
LOYOLA CHICAGO	16/37	23/38	39-75	(36)	15-49/30-56	.306/.536	3-20/5-18	.150/.278	6-9/10-14	.667/.714	26/39 (13)	10/19	16/9	4/2	3/11	15/12
Illinois St.	36/23	33/37	69-60	+9	25-60/23-59	.417/.390	9-29/7-18	.310/.389	10-13/7-10	.769/.700	42/32 +10	18/10	10/10	5/4	6/7	14/16
Illinois St.	38/26	32/40	70-66	+4	26-65/25-60	.400/.417	6-23/7-17	.261/.412	12-16/9-12	.750/.750	42/34 +8	13/9	11/11	4/4	7/7	11/14
BRADLEY	29/32	33/30	91-85	+6	26-71/36-78	.366/.462	11-34/4-13	.324/.308	28-38/9-17	.737/.529	45/52 (7)	15/13	12/15	4/3	4/5	16/30

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category



Official Basketball Box Score - Final
Bradley at Valparaiso
 01/28/21 Athletics-Recreation Center, Valparaiso
 2020-21 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 6:00 PM
 Game Duration: 2:38
 Attendance: 77

Officials: Brooks Wells, Owen Shortt, K.B. Burdett Jr.

Bradley - 85

Record: 9-8 (3-5)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
10	Elijah Childs	F	43:20	11-22	1-2	4-6	3	7	10	4	4	27	0	2	2	0	0	-5
51	Rienk Mast	F	29:47	0-1	0-1	0-2	1	7	8	3	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
4	Terry Nolan Jr.	G	37:55	9-18	2-5	0-2	0	1	1	3	2	20	2	1	0	1	2	3
5	Sean East II	G	36:17	6-14	1-3	0-0	0	5	5	4	1	13	2	4	0	0	1	-7
23	Ville Tahvanainen	G	23:42	1-4	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3
22	Ja'Shon Henry		24:23	3-9	0-1	4-6	4	5	9	3	6	10	0	1	1	0	1	-4
00	Danya Kingsby		36:02	3-7	0-1	1-1	0	4	4	3	1	7	2	1	2	1	0	-11
35	Darius Hannah		09:45	3-3	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	4	0	6	0	3	0	1	0	0
2	Antonio Thomas		07:49	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	-5
20	Jayson Kent		01:00	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-4
Team							5	1	6			0			0			
Totals				36-78	4-13	9-17	16	36	52	30	15	85	13	15	5	3	4	-6

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	14-27	51.9%
3PT%	2-6	33.3%
FT%	2-4	50%
2 nd FG%	12-35	34.3%
3PT%	1-6	16.7%
FT%	5-9	55.6%
OT FG%	10-16	62.5%
3PT%	1-1	100.0%
FT%	2-4	50%
GM FG%	36-78	46.2%
3PT%	4-13	30.8%
FT%	9-17	52.9%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 3, 0

Technical Fouls: Nolan Jr. 1st 3:31 Childs 2nd 0:28

Valparaiso - 91

Record: 6-9 (3-3)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	37:27	4-11	1-4	6-6	5	3	8	5	6	15	3	3	0	1	0	-3
23	Ben Krikke	F	33:33	8-15	0-1	2-4	1	3	4	5	4	18	1	0	0	1	1	-1
4	Daniel Sackey	G	43:13	1-8	0-2	3-6	2	7	9	2	3	5	5	5	3	0	0	1
10	Eron Gordon	G	44:14	2-9	2-7	6-8	0	8	8	0	4	12	2	2	0	1	0	1
35	Connor Barrett	G	39:51	4-11	4-10	2-2	1	3	4	1	4	14	0	0	0	0	1	10
13	Sheldon Edwards		26:15	6-11	4-8	2-2	1	0	1	1	1	18	2	0	1	0	0	8
22	Mileek McMillan		13:54	0-4	0-2	1-2	1	3	4	2	2	1	2	1	0	1	1	0
2	Zion Morgan		08:20	0-1	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
34	Jacob Ognacevic		02:33	1-1	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	7
3	Steven Helm		00:40	0-0	0-0	3-4	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
Team							3	2	5			0			1			
Totals				26-71	11-34	28-38	15	30	45	16	28	91	15	12	4	4	3	6

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	8-29	27.6%
3PT%	1-12	8.3%
FT%	12-16	75%
2 nd FG%	12-32	37.5%
3PT%	6-14	42.9%
FT%	3-4	75%
OT FG%	6-10	60.0%
3PT%	4-8	50.0%
FT%	13-18	72.2%
GM FG%	26-71	36.6%
3PT%	11-34	32.4%
FT%	28-38	73.7%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 4, 1

Technical Fouls: Clay 2nd 0:28

	BRD	VALPO
Biggest lead	14 (1 st 8:03)	9 (2 nd 11:33)
Best Scoring Run	10 (2 nd 0:49)	16 (2 nd 16:52)
Lead Changes	5	
Times Tied	5	
Time with Lead	20:00	24:01

Points from	BRD	VALPO
Turnovers	4	10
Paint	50	22
Second Chance	19	14
Fast Breaks	9	9
Bench	23	27

Period by Period Scoring					
	1st	2nd	OT1	OT2	TOT
BRD	32	30	8	15	85
VALPO	29	33	8	21	91



Valparaiso at Illinois State

01/24/21 Redbird Arena, Normal, Ill.
2020-21 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 5:00 PM

Game Duration: 1:51

Officials: Kelly Self, Antinio Petty, Amy Bonner

Valparaiso - 70

Record: 5-9 (2-3)

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
							OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	36:52	3-7	0-1	3-5	3	5	8	2	5	9	1	5	1	2	0	1
23	Ben Krikke	F	33:10	12-20	0-0	1-2	9	6	15	2	2	25	0	0	0	2	2	5
4	Daniel Sackey	G	36:07	6-14	1-4	3-3	0	3	3	1	2	16	8	2	2	0	2	6
10	Eron Gordon	G	34:54	2-9	2-8	3-4	1	6	7	1	3	9	1	1	1	0	0	-2
35	Connor Barrett	G	29:51	1-5	1-4	0-0	1	2	3	3	0	3	3	0	1	0	0	3
13	Sheldon Edwards		15:14	1-6	1-4	0-0	1	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	5
2	Zion Morgan		07:01	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
22	Mileek McMillan		06:26	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	-1
34	Jacob Ognacevic		00:24	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Steven Helm		00:01	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Team							1	2	3			0		1				
Totals				26-65	6-23	12-16	16	26	42	11	14	70	13	11	7	4	4	4

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	14-34	41.2%
	3PT%	3-11	27.3%
	FT%	7-8	87.5%
2 nd	FG%	12-31	38.7%
	3PT%	3-12	25.0%
	FT%	5-8	62.5%
GM	FG%	26-65	40.0%
	3PT%	6-23	26.1%
	FT%	12-16	75.0%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

Illinois State - 66

Record: 5-10 (2-7)

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
							OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
21	Dusan Mahorcic	F	23:04	3-4	0-0	2-3	1	2	3	1	2	8	2	3	0	0	0	-6
0	DJ Horne	G	34:23	8-14	2-3	2-2	0	4	4	3	2	20	3	2	5	1	1	1
2	Josiah Strong	G	19:27	1-7	0-3	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0
3	Howard Fleming Jr.	G	27:43	3-6	3-3	0-0	1	5	6	4	2	9	0	1	0	0	0	-2
12	Antonio Reeves	G	34:23	6-14	1-3	5-7	1	4	5	1	5	18	3	0	0	0	1	-3
1	Dedric Boyd		18:45	0-5	0-4	0-0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-8
4	Abdou Ndiaye		16:56	1-4	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	1	1	2	0	2
23	Harouna Sissoko		07:41	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	-12
10	Emon Washington		17:38	3-4	1-1	0-0	1	5	6	1	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	8
Team							2	0	2			0		1				
Totals				25-60	7-17	9-12	9	25	34	14	11	66	9	11	7	4	4	-4

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	9-29	31.0%
	3PT%	5-12	41.7%
	FT%	3-3	100%
2 nd	FG%	16-31	51.6%
	3PT%	2-5	40.0%
	FT%	6-9	66.7%
GM	FG%	25-60	41.7%
	3PT%	7-17	41.2%
	FT%	9-12	75.0%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 3, 0

	VAL	ILS
Biggest lead	16 (1 st 2:51)	3 (1 st 19:42)
Best Scoring Run	9 (1 st 2:51)	6 (2 nd 15:42)
Lead Changes	3	
Times Tied	4	
Time with Lead	32:07	03:20

Points from	VAL	ILS
Turnovers	9	8
Paint	36	26
Second Chance	18	9
Fast Breaks	14	2
Bench	8	9

Period by Period Scoring			
	1st	2nd	TOT
VAL	38	32	70
ILS	26	40	66



Valparaiso at Illinois State

01/23/21 Redbird Arena, Normal, Ill.
2020-21 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 5:00 PM

Game Duration: 1:53

Officials: Winston Stith, Brad Ferrie, Tommy Johnson

Valparaiso - 69

Record: 4-9 (1-3)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	39:17	10-20	0-3	0-1	4	8	12	3	3	20	2	2	1	2	0	11
23	Ben Krikke	F	23:23	1-4	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	3	1	4	0	3	0	1	1	10
4	Daniel Sackey	G	36:43	2-5	0-3	0-0	1	3	4	1	4	4	8	2	0	0	1	8
10	Eron Gordon	G	33:48	4-11	3-9	3-4	0	10	10	1	2	14	5	2	3	1	0	14
35	Connor Barrett	G	31:45	4-9	4-9	0-0	0	3	3	3	1	12	0	0	2	0	0	-2
22	Mileek McMillan		12:27	2-5	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	-6
13	Sheldon Edwards		15:08	2-5	2-5	3-3	0	1	1	1	3	9	1	1	0	1	0	2
3	Steven Helm		03:19	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	0	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	3
34	Jacob Ognacevic		04:10	0-1	0-0	0-1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Team							2	3	5			0			0			
Totals				25-60	9-29	10-13	11	31	42	14	16	69	18	10	6	5	4	9

Technical Fouls:McMillan 2nd14:45

Illinois State - 60

Record: 5-9 (2-6)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
21	Dusan Mahorcic	F	31:03	6-10	0-0	3-5	3	2	5	2	7	15	1	2	2	0	0	0
23	Harouna Sissoko	F	16:03	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	-12
0	DJ Horne	G	33:01	6-16	4-8	3-4	0	1	1	2	1	19	1	0	2	0	1	2
2	Josiah Strong	G	34:15	3-11	1-3	0-0	0	3	3	4	0	7	2	3	0	2	1	-16
12	Antonio Reeves	G	31:07	4-9	1-3	1-1	0	6	6	0	1	10	2	2	0	0	1	-6
1	Dedric Boyd		08:00	2-4	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	3	1	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
3	Howard Fleming Jr.		31:30	1-5	0-1	0-0	0	10	10	3	2	2	4	1	2	0	1	0
25	Alex Kotov		08:22	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-5
4	Abdou Ndiaye		04:43	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	-6
10	Emon Washington		01:56	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2
Team							2	1	3			0		0				
Totals				23-59	7-18	7-10	6	26	32	16	13	60	10	10	7	4	5	-9

Technical Fouls::NONE

	VAL	ILS							
Biggest lead	13 (1 st 0:05)	0 (1 st 20:00)	Points from	VAL	ILS	Period by Period Scoring			
Best Scoring Run	8(1 st 17:28)	8(2 nd 9:04)	Turnovers	9	12		1st	2nd	TOT
Lead Changes	0		Paint	26	24	VAL	36	33	69
Times Tied	0		Second Chance	13	5				
Time with Lead	39:02	00:00	Fast Breaks	8	8	ILS	23	37	60
			Bench	15	7				

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	12-30	40.0%
3PT%	6-16	37.5%
FT%	6-8	75%
2 nd FG%	13-30	43.3%
3PT%	3-13	23.1%
FT%	4-5	80%
GM FG%	25-60	41.7%
3PT%	9-29	31.0%
FT%	10-13	76.9%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 1, 0

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	10-30	33.3%
3PT%	2-6	33.3%
FT%	1-1	100%
2 nd FG%	13-29	44.8%
3PT%	5-12	41.7%
FT%	6-9	66.7%
GM FG%	23-59	39.0%
3PT%	7-18	38.9%
FT%	7-10	70.0%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0



Officials: Kelly Self, Gerry Pollard, Randy Heimerman

Evansville - 55

Record: 9-23

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
							OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
10	Evan Kuhlman	F	34:50	3-6	2-3	0-0	0	3	3	4	1	8	3	1	1	3	0	0
3	Jawaun Newton	G	34:54	2-7	0-3	1-1	2	6	8	1	3	5	1	1	1	0	0	-2
20	Sam Cunliffe	G	24:21	3-8	1-3	3-4	0	5	5	2	2	10	0	3	0	0	0	1
30	Noah Frederking	G	31:56	6-11	1-4	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	13	2	0	3	0	1	-1
33	K.J. Riley	G	36:31	6-14	1-2	4-8	2	2	4	4	8	17	1	5	0	0	2	-3
5	Shamar Givance		25:04	0-3	0-2	2-2	1	2	3	2	1	2	2	3	2	0	1	-4
35	John Hall		11:08	0-3	0-3	0-0	0	4	4	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	-6
2	Artur Labinowicz		01:16	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team							2	2	4			0		1				
Totals				20-52	5-20	10-15	8	25	33	15	15	55	10	15	7	3	4	-3

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	9-28	32.1%
	3PT%	2-12	16.7%
	FT%	5-7	71.4%
2 nd	FG%	11-24	45.8%
	3PT%	3-8	37.5%
	FT%	5-8	62.5%
GM	FG%	20-52	38.5%
	3PT%	5-20	25.0%
	FT%	10-15	66.7%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

Valparaiso - 58

Record: 17-15

NO.	Name		Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
							OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	32:28	6-12	0-1	4-4	1	6	7	2	5	16	0	1	1	2	1	3
22	Mileek McMillan	F	14:06	3-6	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	2	1	6	0	3	0	0	0	-3
33	John Kiser	F	31:00	3-5	0-1	0-0	0	5	5	1	1	6	1	0	1	1	0	0
00	Javon Freeman-Liberty	G	36:15	4-15	0-3	0-1	0	7	7	2	2	8	6	5	4	1	1	0
35	Ryan Fazekas	G	18:01	2-4	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	3	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	-4
10	Eron Gordon		16:31	1-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	8
23	Ben Krikke		25:05	4-5	0-0	2-2	3	2	5	2	2	10	0	2	1	0	0	4
4	Daniel Sackey		26:34	2-4	0-1	2-3	2	2	4	3	3	6	2	0	0	0	0	7
Team							1	0	1			0		1				
Totals				25-55	0-10	8-10	7	27	34	15	15	58	10	13	9	4	3	3

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	14-30	46.7%
	3PT%	0-7	0.0%
	FT%	3-4	75%
2 nd	FG%	11-25	44.0%
	3PT%	0-3	0.0%
	FT%	5-6	83.3%
GM	FG%	25-55	45.5%
	3PT%	0-10	0.0%
	FT%	8-10	80.0%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 0, 0

	UE	VALPO							
Biggest lead	2 (1 st 14:15)	11 (1 st 4:38)	Points from	UE	VALPO	Period by Period Scoring			
Turnovers				11	10		1st	2nd	TOT
Best Scoring Run	7(2 nd 14:11)	9(1 st 11:28)	Paint	24	38	UE	25	30	55
Lead Changes	10		Second Chance	10	6		VALPO	31	27
Times Tied	6		Fast Breaks	8	6				
Time with Lead	03:19	34:27	Bench	2	18				



Official Basketball Box Score - Final
Evansville at Valparaiso
 01/26/20 Athletics-Recreation Center, Valparaiso
 2019-20 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 10:00 PM
 Game Duration: 2:01
 Attendance: 3,044

Officials: James Durham, Gene Grimshaw, Brooks Wells

Evansville - 65

Record: 9-12 (0-8)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
10	Evan Kuhlman	F	29:33	0-5	0-2	1-2	2	3	5	3	3	1	3	0	0	0	1	2
35	John Hall	F	19:00	4-8	0-4	1-1	0	1	1	2	1	9	0	1	0	1	0	-4
3	Jawaun Newton	G	19:54	4-5	2-2	2-2	0	2	2	2	1	12	0	2	1	0	0	-4
20	Sam Cunliffe	G	31:30	6-17	3-6	1-2	3	5	8	2	5	16	0	1	1	0	1	-1
33	K.J. Riley	G	27:22	5-11	0-0	2-2	1	2	3	4	6	12	4	0	0	0	3	-4
2	Artur Labinowicz		12:19	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	2	2	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	-5
30	Noah Frederking		29:57	4-9	3-6	0-0	1	2	3	2	0	11	1	2	1	0	1	1
42	Peace Ilegomah		04:01	0-1	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	-5
5	Shamar Givance		22:53	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	4	4	2	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	15
1	Marcus Henderson		03:31	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	-5
Team							3	2	5			0		4				
Totals				24-60	9-22	8-11	11	25	36	20	19	65	13	12	3	1	8	-2

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st FG%	9-28	32.1%	
3PT%	2-9	22.2%	
FT%	3-4	75%	
2 nd FG%	15-32	46.9%	
3PT%	7-13	53.8%	
FT%	5-7	71.4%	
GM FG%	24-60	40.0%	
3PT%	9-22	40.9%	
FT%	8-11	72.7%	

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

Valparaiso - 67

Record: 11-10 (4-4)

NO.	Name		Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD					BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	27:07	2-5	0-1	2-2	1	6	7	0	1	6	0	0	1	2	0	3
22	Mileek McMillan	F	25:29	6-9	2-4	2-4	0	3	3	4	2	16	1	1	0	3	0	12
0	Javon Freeman-Liberty	G	29:53	2-10	0-6	8-11	1	6	7	2	8	12	4	2	0	0	0	-8
4	Daniel Sackey	G	25:57	4-6	2-3	2-2	0	1	1	3	2	12	2	0	1	1	0	-2
10	Eron Gordon	G	17:36	0-1	0-1	2-2	0	2	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
23	Ben Krikke		10:49	1-4	0-2	1-1	0	1	1	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	1	-5
25	Nick Robinson		19:47	1-5	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	4	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	3
33	John Kiser		19:57	1-3	0-2	0-0	0	3	3	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	2
35	Ryan Fazekas		18:29	3-5	2-3	0-0	1	1	2	1	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	-5
2	Zion Morgan		04:56	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	6
Team							1	2	3			0		1				
Totals				22-51	6-23	17-22	5	26	31	19	20	67	11	8	5	8	1	2

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st FG%	12-24	50.0%	
3PT%	4-13	30.8%	
FT%	8-11	72.7%	
2 nd FG%	10-27	37.0%	
3PT%	2-10	20.0%	
FT%	9-11	81.8%	
GM FG%	22-51	43.1%	
3PT%	6-23	26.1%	
FT%	17-22	77.3%	

Dead Ball Rebounds: 4, 0

	UE	Valpo
Biggest lead	0 (1 st 20:00)	18 (1 st 5:38)
Best Scoring Run	9 (1 st 2:34)	13 (1 st 5:38)
Lead Changes	0	
Times Tied	0	
Time with Lead	00:00	39:39

Points from	UE	Valpo
Turnovers	10	11
Paint	30	28
Second Chance	10	3
Fast Breaks	9	18
Bench	15	19

Period by Period Scoring			
	1st	2nd	TOT
UE	23	42	65
Valpo	36	31	67



Valparaiso at Evansville

01/05/20 Ford Center, Evansville
2019-20 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 12:00 AM

Game Duration: 2:08

Attendance: 5,615

Officials: Zelton Steed, Jeff Campbell, Brian McAnally

Valparaiso - 81

Record: 8-7 (1-1)

NO.	Name		Min	FG		3P		FT		Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD							BS	BA	
5	Donovan Clay	F	39:00	4-10	2-5	0-0	1	6	7	0	1	10	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	12
22	Mileek McMillan	F	11:56	3-6	3-4	0-0	0	2	2	5	0	9	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	4
25	Nick Robinson	F	32:39	2-7	0-1	3-4	0	6	6	2	2	7	7	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	2
00	Javon Freeman-Liberty	G	36:45	8-19	3-8	6-6	1	3	4	3	7	25	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	4
4	Daniel Sackey	G	35:46	3-7	1-3	0-0	0	2	2	2	1	7	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
23	Ben Krikke		16:47	4-8	0-1	2-2	2	1	3	2	1	10	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	-7	-7
10	Eron Gordon		27:01	4-5	3-4	0-0	1	4	5	1	0	11	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	7	7
33	John Kiser		19:23	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	-14	-14	-14
2	Zion Morgan		03:00	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	-3	-3	-3
11	Emil Freese-Vilien		02:43	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	-1
Team										1	2	3			0		0				
Totals				29-66	12-26	11-12	6	26	32	16	15	81	13	10	4	1	3	2			

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st FG%	14-30	46.7%	
3PT%	6-13	46.2%	
FT%	2-2	100%	
2 nd FG%	12-29	41.4%	
3PT%	6-11	54.5%	
FT%	4-4	100%	
OT FG%	3-7	42.9%	
3PT%	0-2	0.0%	
FT%	5-6	83.3%	
GM FG%	29-66	43.9%	
3PT%	12-26	46.2%	
FT%	11-12	91.7%	

Dead Ball Rebounds: 0, 0

Evansville - 79

Record: 9-6 (0-2)

NO.	Name		Min	FG		3P		FT		Rebounds			Fouls		TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks		+/-
				M-A	M-A	M-A	M-A	OR	DR	TOT	PF	FD							BS	BA	
13	DeAndre Williams	F	41:43	11-13	3-3	3-4	1	5	6	1	4	28	3	2	1	3	0	-4	-4	-4	-4
35	John Hall	F	27:25	2-9	0-4	0-0	1	3	4	0	0	4	2	1	2	0	0	-10	-10	-10	-10
2	Artur Labinowicz	G	36:22	5-7	3-5	3-6	1	1	2	1	4	16	3	4	1	0	0	-7	-7	-7	-7
20	Sam Cunliffe	G	28:39	6-11	3-7	0-0	1	3	4	3	0	15	2	1	0	0	0	-4	-4	-4	-4
33	K.J. Riley	G	34:19	0-3	0-0	12-14	1	9	10	4	8	12	2	3	1	0	0	-3	-3	-3	-3
10	Evan Kuhlman		11:47	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	8	8	8	8
30	Noah Frederking		10:08	0-4	0-3	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	-4	-4	-4	-4
5	Shamar Givance		16:48	0-4	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	2	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	-1	-1	-1	-1
3	Jawaun Newton		14:54	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	14	14
1	Marcus Henderson		02:55	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
Team										0	3	3			0		0				
Totals				26-55	9-25	18-24	7	31	38	15	16	79	17	14	6	3	1	-2	-2	-2	-2

Technical Fouls::NONE

Shooting By Period			
1 st FG%	11-25	44.0%	
3PT%	4-13	30.8%	
FT%	5-8	62.5%	
2 nd FG%	12-24	50.0%	
3PT%	4-8	50.0%	
FT%	11-14	78.6%	
OT FG%	3-6	50.0%	
3PT%	1-4	25.0%	
FT%	2-2	100%	
GM FG%	26-55	47.3%	
3PT%	9-25	36.0%	
FT%	18-24	75.0%	

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 1

	VALPO	EVAN
Biggest lead	10 (1 st 13:04)	8 (2 nd 3:54)
Best Scoring Run	9 (1 st OT 3:25)	10 (1 st 5:08)
Lead Changes	5	
Times Tied	5	
Time with Lead	31:25	08:34

Points from	VALPO	EVAN
Turnovers	11	15
Paint	28	30
Second Chance	6	11
Fast Breaks	8	16
Bench	23	4

Period by Period Scoring				
	1st	2nd	OT1	TOT
VALPO	36	34	11	81
EVAN	31	39	9	79