



2021-22

Men's Basketball Game Notes

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2021-22 Schedule and Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Oct. 30	Ashland# Radio Only	L 87-78
Nov. 4	Flagler# Radio Only	L 70-67
Nov. 9	Toledo ESPN+	L 69-61
Nov. 13	UIC ESPN3	L 74-70 (ot)
Nov. 17	at Stanford PAC-12 Network	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 22	vs. Coastal Carolina&	7 p.m.
Nov. 23	at Nassau Championship&	TBD
Nov. 24	at Nassau Championship&	TBD
Nov. 27	Trinity Christian	6 p.m.
Dec. 2	at Drake* ESPN3	8 p.m.
Dec. 5	at Western Michigan ESPN3/+	1 p.m.
Dec. 7	East-West University ESPN+	6 p.m.
Dec. 11	Charlotte ESPN+	Noon
Dec. 20	Eastern Michigan ESPN3	6 p.m.
Dec. 22	William & Mary ESPN3	Noon
Dec. 28	Prairie View A&M ESPN3	6 p.m.
Jan. 2	Illinois State* ESPN3/+	1 p.m.
Jan. 5	at UNI* NBC Sports Chicago	8 p.m.
Jan. 8	Southern Illinois* ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Jan. 11	at Loyola* CBS Sports Network	8 p.m.
Jan. 15	Missouri State* MVC Select (E3/E+)	6 p.m.
Jan. 19	UNI* MVC Select (E3/E+)	6 p.m.
Jan. 22	at Indiana State* ESPN3/+	Noon
Jan. 26	Bradley* ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Jan. 29	at Southern Illinois* ESPN3/+	3 p.m.
Feb. 1	Evansville* ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Feb. 5	Indiana State* ESPN3/+	6 p.m.
Feb. 9	at Illinois State* ESPN3/+	7 p.m.
Feb. 12	at Missouri State* NBC Sports Chicago	3 p.m.
Feb. 16	Loyola* NBC Sports Chicago Plus	7 p.m.
Feb. 19	at Evansville* MVC Select (E3/E+)	5 p.m.
Feb. 23	Drake* MVC Select (E3/E+)	6 p.m.
Feb. 26	at Bradley* ESPN3/+	TBD
March 3-6	at State Farm MVC Tournament%	TBD

All times Central.

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

- exhibition game

! - Nassau Championship in Nassau, The
Bahamas

% - 2022 MVC Tournament (St. Louis)

* - indicates Missouri Valley Conference game

Referencing Valpo

In August 2021, Valparaiso University announced that it has adopted Beacons as the University nickname. Acceptable references for our athletic teams, athletic department and University are Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Valpo or Beacons. For more information on the new nickname, visit bit.ly/ValpoBeacons.

Valparaiso (0-2, 0-0 MVC)

at Stanford (1-1*, 0-0 Pac-12)

Game No. 3 – Wednesday, Nov. 17, 7:30 p.m. CT
Maples Pavilion (7,392) – Stanford, Calif.

*Entering Monday vs. San Jose State

Next Up in Valpo Basketball: Valparaiso University head men's basketball coach Matt Lottich will make a return visit to his alma mater this week as the Beacons head to the west coast for a Wednesday evening date with Stanford. This will mark the first time Lottich has coached against his former team as he returns to a place where he enjoyed a standout collegiate playing career that concluded in 2004.

Last Time Out: Valpo outscored UIC 30-25 in the second half to force overtime, but the visiting Flames never trailed in the extra session and prevailed 74-70 on Saturday afternoon at the Athletics-Recreation Center. Thomas Kithier provided Valpo's biggest bright spot, going off for a 28-point, 11-rebound double-double on an efficient 11-of-16 shooting. UIC scored the final seven points of the first half and the first two of the second half to take a seven-point lead, but Valpo orchestrated an 11-0 run early in the second to jump back in front. UIC led by seven with 4:24 to go, but the Beacons held the Flames off the scoreboard for the rest of regulation while going on a 7-0 run. Neither team scored over the final 2:03 of regulation.

Following the Beacons: Streaming – PAC-12 Network – Roxy Bernstein (play-by-play) and Mike Montgomery (analyst)
Valpo Radio – 95.1 FM, WVUR, ValpoAthletics.com, TuneIn Radio App – 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 (83-80) is in his ninth season overall at Valparaiso University and sixth as the head coach of the men's basketball program in 2021-2022. The 2020-2021 season saw Valpo improve its Arch Madness seeding for the fourth straight year as the program continued to make positive strides in each season as a Missouri Valley Conference member. The team earned a first-round bye in the State Farm MVC Tournament for the first time since joining the prestigious league. Valpo upset previously-undefeated Drake, the nation's No. 25 team, 74-57 on Feb. 7, 2021 at the ARC, the fourth win over an AP Top 25 team in program history and second under Lottich. The Bulldogs were one of three undefeated teams in the nation prior to that setback, joining Gonzaga and Baylor. Just two years removed from finishing in last place and being knocked out in the first round of the Missouri Valley Conference

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2021-22 Valparaiso Men's Basketball Roster

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School [Prev. School]
0	Thomas Kithier	F	6-8	235	Sr.	Macomb, Mich./Clarkston [Michigan State]
1	Cam Palesse	G	6-5	190	Fr.	Waukesha, Wis./Waukesha West
2	Preston Ruedinger	G	6-2	180	Fr.	Oshkosh, Wis./Lourdes Academy
3	Connor Barrett	G/F	6-6	200	So.	Chicago, Ill./Loyola Academy
4	Darius DeAveiro	G	6-0	170	Fr.	Kanata, Ottawa, Canada/Orangeville Prep
5	Keyondre Young	G	6-8	180	Fr.	Del City, Okla./Del City
10	Eron Gordon	G	6-3	185	6th	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral [Seton Hall]
11	Emil Freese-Vilien	C	6-10	255	Jr.	Copenhagen, Denmark/Falkonergarden Gymnasium
12	Kevion Taylor	G/F	6-6	210	5th	Milwaukee, Wis./Whitnall [Winona State]
13	Sheldon Edwards	G	6-4	180	So.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Palm Beach Lakes [TLAP Sports Academy]
15	Luke Morrill	G	6-2	195	Jr.	Lombard, Ill./Montini Catholic
20	Tyler Fricke	G/F	6-1	170	So.	Arlington Heights, Ill. / Buffalo Grove
21	Trevor Anderson	G	6-3	205	6th	Stevens Point, Wis./SPASH [Wisconsin]
22	Brock Pappas	F	6-4	235	Sr.	Valparaiso, Ind./Washington Township
23	Ben Krikke	F	6-9	235	Jr.	Edmonton, Alberta, Canada/Jasper Place
32	Joe Hedstrom	C	7-0	240	R-Jr.	Hopkins, Minn./Hopkins
33	Trey Woodyard	F	6-6	190	Fr.	London, Ohio/International Sports Academy
35	Kobe King	G	6-4	205	Sr.	La Crosse, Wis./La Crosse Central [Wisconsin]

Coaching Staff

Head Coach: **Matt Lottich** (Stanford, 2004) – 6th season
 Associate Head Coach: **Luke Gore** (Bethel [Tenn.], 2001) – 20th season
 Assistant Coaches: **Rob Holloway** (Eastern Illinois, 2005) – 3rd season and **Matt Bowen** (Indiana, 1995) – 4th season, 2nd stint
 Director of Basketball Operations: **Peter Funk** (Valparaiso 2019)
 – 1st season as DOBO, 3rd on staff

Valpo vs. Stanford

All-time series: Stanford leads 3-0

At Valpo: 0-0

At Stanford: 0-0

Neutral: Stanford leads 3-0

Current streak: Stanford W3

Current streak at Valpo: N/A

Current streak at Stanford: N/A

Date	Site	W/L	Score
Nov. 29, 1997	Hilo, Hawaii	L	70-65
Dec. 28, 1971	Detroit, Mich.	L	80-66
Dec. 27, 1956	Miami, Fla.	L	68-51

val-puh-RAY-zo Pronunciation Guide

Matt Lottich - lot-ICK

Darius DeAveiro – dee-uh-VAIR-oh (second-to-last syllable rhymes with hair)

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

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

Eron Gordon – Aaron

Thomas Kithier – kith-E-er

Ben Krikke – CRICK-ee

Cam Palesse – puh-LESS-E

Preston Ruedinger – reading-er (like reading a book)

Trey Woodyard – WOOD-yard

Among the MVC Leaders

Through 11/13

Individual Leaders (Overall Stats)

Player	Category	Rank	Value
Thomas Kithier	PPG	3rd	22.0
Thomas Kithier	RPG	4th	8.0
Thomas Kithier	FG%	9th	.704
Kevion Taylor	A/G	T-6th	4.0
Eron Gordon	Steals/G	8th	1.5
Sheldon Edwards	Blocks/G	T-1st	3.0

Team Leaders (among top 5)

Category	Rank	Value
FG% Defense	5th	.427
3pt FG%	5th	.289
Blocked Shots/G	4th	4.5
Turnover Margin/G	4th	+0.00
Assist/TO Ratio	4th	1.0
Defensive R/G	4th	27.5



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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.

Cardinal Connection

- Valpo head coach Matt Lottich enjoyed a standout career at Stanford that spanned from his freshman season in 2000-01 to his senior campaign in 2003-04.
- He still ranks tied for 11th in program history in career made 3-point field goals (169) and tied for eighth on Stanford's single-season chart for made 3s with 79 in 2002-03. To this day, he also owns the ninth-best 3-point field goal percentage by a freshman in program history at .407 in 2000-01.
- Under the direction of head coach Mike Montgomery, Lottich's teams went a combined 105-24 (.814) over his four-year tenure, including a 30-2 mark his senior season. The Cardinal reached the NCAA Tournament in each of his four seasons and won at least one game in each season including an Elite Eight appearance his freshman year.

Double-Double Details

- Michigan State transfer Thomas Kithier was a major bright spot in Valpo's 74-70 overtime loss to UIC on Nov. 13. Kithier posted a double-double of 28 points and 11 rebounds.
- Kithier shattered a rebounding career high after previously squeezing seven boards on four occasions. After owning a personal best of 10 points (vs. Binghamton in 2019-20) during his three-year Spartan career, Kithier has established new career watermarks in each of his first two Valpo games, scoring team highs against both Toledo (16) and UIC (28).
- The 6-foot-8 forward's 28 points were the most by a Valpo player in a single game since Javon Freeman-Liberty scored 29 on March 7, 2020 vs. Missouri State. It was the highest single-game output by a Valpo individual other than Javon since Bakari Evelyn scored 30 on Nov. 25, 2017 vs. UNCW.
- Kithier's 28 points were the most scored by a Valpo player in a double-double since Freeman-Liberty had 30&13 on Nov. 12, 2019 at SIUE.
- The Macomb, Mich. native became the first Valpo player with a 25&10 game at the ARC since Alec Peters on Jan. 27, 2017 vs. Wright State. Kithier joined Peters, Freeman-Liberty and Ben Krikke on the short list of Valpo players with 25-point double-doubles during the Lottich Era.

List of 25-Point Double-Doubles Under Lottich

Player	Date	Opponent	Pts-Reb
Thomas Kithier	11-13-21	vs. UIC	28-11
Ben Krikke	1-24-21	at Illinois State	25-15
Freeman-Liberty	11-12-19	at SIUE	30-13
Alec Peters	1-27-17	vs. Wright State	25-14
Alec Peters	1-22-17	vs. UIC	30-10
Alec Peters	12-22-16	vs. Santa Clara	35-13
Alec Peters	12-17-16	vs. Indiana State	29-15
Alec Peters	12-10-16	at Missouri State	27-11
Alec Peters	11-23-16	vs. BYU	26-12
Alec Peters	11-12-16	vs. Trinity CC	36-15

Facing the Conference of Champions

- Valpo holds a 2-10 all-time record against current members of the Pac-12 Conference.
- This marks Valpo's first game against a Pac-12 team since falling 76-54 at No. 4 Oregon on Nov. 17, 2016.
- The 2015-16 season saw Valpo come up just shy in a 73-67 loss at Oregon before knocking off Oregon State 63-57 on Nov. 24. The program's other victory over a Pac-12 squad came against Washington in the opening round of the 2008 CBI.
- The Missouri Valley Conference and the Pac-12 have the same number of Final Four appearances since 2010 (two each).

Valpo vs. Power Conferences

- Valpo's last win over a power-conference opponent was 68-60 vs. Alabama at the Men Who Speak Up Main Event in Las Vegas on Nov. 21, 2016.
- The win over the Crimson Tide marked Valpo's third triumph over a power-conference opponent in a two-year span. During the 2015-16 campaign, the team went on the road to beat Oregon State and then took down Florida State at the ARC in the second round of the NIT.
- Prior to 2015-16, Valpo hadn't beaten a power-5 opponent since the 2008 win over Washington in the CBI.
- Two of Valpo's last four power-5 wins have come against the Pac-12.
- Nine of Valpo's last 12 victories over power-5 opponents have come on neutral courts.

A Golden State Date

- This will mark Valpo's first game in the state of California since falling 73-60 at UC Riverside on Dec. 20, 2017. That closed out a two-game California swing that also featured a 76-68 victory at Santa Clara.
- Prior to the 2017-18 voyage, Valpo had not ventured into the Golden State since competing in a multi-team event at San Francisco back in 1987.

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2021-22 MVC Standings

Team	Through 11/13 MVC		Overall	
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Loyola	0-0	---	2-0	1.000
Drake	0-0	---	1-0	1.000
Indiana State	0-0	---	1-1	.500
Illinois State	0-0	---	1-1	.500
Missouri State	0-0	---	1-1	.500
Southern Illinois	0-0	---	1-1	.500
Evansville	0-0	---	1-2	.333
Valpo	0-0	---	0-2	.000
Bradley	0-0	---	0-2	.000
UNI	0-0	---	0-2	.000

MVC Schedule

Friday, Nov. 12

Eastern Michigan 103, Illinois State 98
Southern Illinois 73, Austin Peay 55
Purdue 92, Indiana State 67

Saturday, Nov. 13

UIC 74, Valpo 70
Loyola 89, Florida Gulf Coast 77
Howard 76, Bradley 74
Belmont 81, Evansville 43
Missouri State 78, Alabama State 60

Sunday, Nov. 14

Hanover at Indiana State, Noon
South Dakota State at Drake, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 16

Murray State at Illinois State
DePauw at Evansville, 6 p.m.
Missouri S&T at Bradley, 7 p.m.
Chicago State at Loyola, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 17

Valpo at Stanford, 7:30 p.m.
UNI at Arkansas, 7 p.m.
Missouri State at Sam Houston State, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 18

Indiana State at Old Dominion, 8 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 19

Indiana State vs. TBD
Bradley vs. Colorado State, noon
Southern Illinois vs. Colorado, 7 p.m.

Glancing Ahead – Bahamas Bound Beacons

- After visiting the U.S. Virgin Islands two years ago and not competing in a multi-team event last season due to the pandemic, this year's MTE will take Valpo to Nassau, The Bahamas for three games following this week's visit to Stanford.

- The Beacons will participate in the Nassau Championship, one of several MTEs being hosted by Baha Mar Hoops in Nassau.

- The team will head to the Bahamas on Saturday in advance of Monday night's game against Coastal Carolina.

- The eight-team field also features Toledo, Charlotte, Drexel, Tulane, Abilene Christian and Jacksonville State.

- Coastal Carolina went 18-8 in the Sun Belt and won a pair of games in the CBI last season. Valpo could end up with a second matchup this season against Toledo, which is coming off a 21-9 record and NIT appearance and won this year's season opener at the ARC.

Abilene Christian won the Southland Conference title last season and upset third-seeded Texas in the NCAA Tournament. Drexel is the defending Colonial Association champion and reached the NCAA Tournament last season. Jacksonville State finished 2020-21 with an 18-9 record and 13-6 mark in Ohio Valley Conference play.

Playing Shorthanded

- Valpo started the season with a pair of close home losses to Toledo and UIC, and there's little question that the absence of leading returning scorer Ben Krikke played a factor.

- Krikke, who left Valpo's opening exhibition game with an ankle injury, was named to the 2021-22 Preseason All-MVC Second Team. He earned All-MVC Third Team, MVC Most-Improved Team and MVC Scholar-Athlete First Team laurels last season, the lone player in the league to receive all three honors.

- Valpo did add depth with the return of sophomore Connor Barrett for the Nov. 13 game vs. UIC after Barrett had missed both exhibition games and the season opener vs. Toledo with a shoulder injury.

- The Beacons are also without Kobe King for the first nine games of the season. The Wisconsin transfer, who averaged 10.0 points per game over 19 starts for the Badgers in 2019-20 including a team-high 12.6 points per game in Big Ten play over nine contests, will become eligible for the Dec. 7 game vs. East-West.

Media Relations Information

Requests to cover home men's basketball games should be made through Brandon Vickrey, Assistant Director of Athletics for Media Relations, by contacting 219.464.5396 or Brandon.Vickrey@valpo.edu. Credentials and media seating are available at the ARC for working media only. Updated statistics and notes from both schools will be distributed via email.

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



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Season/Career Totals		
	2021-22	Career
	Total/Valpo	
10+ Points		
Kevion Taylor	2	83/2
Thomas Kithier	2	3/2
Sheldon Edwards	2	11
Trevor Anderson	1	13/1
Ben Krikke	0	29
Eron Gordon	0	15
Connor Barrett	0	6
Kobe King	0	5/0
20+ Points		
Thomas Kithier	1	1
Kevion Taylor	0	36/0
Ben Krikke	0	2
Sheldon Edwards	0	2
Eron Gordon	0	1
Trevor Anderson	0	1/0
10+ Rebounds		
Thomas Kithier	1	1
Kevion Taylor	0	12/0
Donovan Clay	0	3
Eron Gordon	0	1
Ben Krikke	0	1
5+ Assists		
Trevor Anderson	1	3/1
Kevion Taylor	0	5/0
Eron Gordon	0	2
3+ 3-Pointers		
Kevion Taylor	0	39/0
Connor Barrett	0	5
Sheldon Edwards	0	5
Eron Gordon	0	6
Trevor Anderson	0	6
Ben Krikke	0	1
Kobe King	0	1/0
3+ Steals		
Kevion Taylor	0	7/0
Eron Gordon	0	4
Connor Barrett	0	1
Sheldon Edwards	0	2
Trevor Anderson	0	1/0

Dusting Off the Suitcase

- After a pair of home exhibition games and back-to-back home dates to open the regular season, this will mark the first time Valpo hits the road this season.

- This will mark one of just three true road games over the first 15 games of the season and one of just two true road games on the nonconference docket.

- Last season started in the opposite manner, as Valpo opened up with road trips to Vanderbilt, UIC and Purdue before finally lifting the lid on the home slate.

- This marked the first time Valpo opened up with back-to-back home games since 2017-18 (North Park and Trinity Christian) and the first time the team did so with back-to-back Division-I home contests since 2015-16 (IPFW and Iona).

- This week represents the program's first travel since falling in the opening round of the MVC Tournament in St. Louis last March. The team's last true road game was Feb. 22 of last season at Southern Illinois.

It's Early

- Valpo will look to avoid starting 0-3 for the second straight season, something that previously hadn't occurred since 2004-05. However, there's still a long way to go for this year's edition of the Beacons.

- Valpo is 0-2 with both losses coming at home for the first time since 1997-98. That season turned out quite alright, as the program put together its famous run in the NCAA Tournament, reaching the Sweet Sixteen after victories over Ole Miss and Florida State.

- Valpo has dropped its first two home games in a season for the first time since the 2003-2004. However, it should be noted that the Homer Drew led 2003-2004 squad recovered from the 0-2 home start and eventually won the Mid-Continent Conference title and reached the NCAA Tournament.

Series Notes

- This will mark just the fourth all-time meeting between Valpo and Stanford with the Beacons seeking their first victory.

- These two teams have not hooked up since 1997-98, when the No. 15 Cardinal prevailed 70-65 as part of the Big Island Invitational in Hilo, Hawaii.

- The two teams also met in a multi-team event back on Dec. 28, 1971 with Stanford winning 80-66 as part of the Motor City Tournament in Detroit.

- The first matchup occurred on Dec. 27, 1956, a 68-51 Stanford win as part of the Orange Bowl Classic in Miami.

- This marks Valpo's first visit to Stanford as all three prior showdowns have come on neutral floors.

Season/Career Totals		
	2021-22	Career
Team Leader in Points		
Thomas Kithier	2	2
Ben Krikke	0	12
Eron Gordon	0	3
Sheldon Edwards	0	4
Team Leader in Rebounds		
Thomas Kithier	2	2
Trevor Anderson	1	1
Eron Gordon	0	11
Ben Krikke	0	7
Connor Barrett	0	2
Sheldon Edwards	0	3
Team Leader in Assists		
Kevion Taylor	1	1
Trevor Anderson	1	1
Eron Gordon	0	3
Connor Barrett	0	1
Sheldon Edwards	0	2
Emil Freese-Vilien	0	1
Ben Krikke	0	1
Team Leader in Steals		
Eron Gordon	1	7
Darius DeAveiro	1	1
Trevor Anderson	1	1
Sheldon Edwards	0	7
Ben Krikke	0	2
Connor Barrett	0	1
Starts		
		Total/Valpo
Kevion Taylor	2	92/2
Eron Gordon	2	32/31
Thomas Kithier	2	21/2
Sheldon Edwards	2	14
Trevor Anderson	2	2
Ben Krikke	0	29
Kobe King	0	20/0
Connor Barrett	0	13



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Inside the Cardinal

- Picked to finish ninth of 12 in the Pac-12 preseason poll.
- Opened the season with a 62-50 victory over Tarleton State before falling 88-72 at Santa Clara and hosting San Jose State on Monday night.
- After facing the Beacons, Stanford will visit Baylor, which is under the direction of former Valpo head coach Scott Drew, on Saturday.
- Went 14-13 overall and 10-10 in conference play last season.

Other Notes Wrapping Up Nov. 13: UIC 74, Valpo 70 (OT)

- This marked Valpo's first overtime game since a double-OT affair on Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley, a 91-85 victory. It was Valpo's first OT defeat since Feb. 19, 2020 at Drake (77-75) and the team's first OT loss at home since Feb. 13, 2019 vs. Indiana State (87-72).
- Sixth-year senior Eron Gordon squeezed seven rebounds, while Kevion Taylor had six to go along with his 16 points and team-high four assists.
- Sheldon Edwards was Valpo's third double-figure scorer with 13 while also blocking a career-high four shots. A Valpo player blocked more than three shots in a single game just once last season, when Donovan Clay had five against Purdue Northwest. Edwards' four rejections were the most by a Valpo individual against a D1 team since Jaume Sorolla on Feb. 16, 2019 at Drake.
- Redshirt junior Joe Hedstrom, a Wisconsin transfer, made his Valpo debut, while sophomore Connor Barrett logged his first action this season.
- Valpo was outscored 13-2 on fast-break points.
- The game featured nine ties and nine lead changes.

Superlatives

Double-Digit Scoring:

Valpo - 7
(Individuals - Kithier 2, Taylor 2, Edwards 2, Anderson 1)
Opponents - 6

Double-Digit Rebounding:

Valpo - 1 (Individuals - Kithier 1)
Opponents - 0

Double-Digit Assists:

Valpo - 0 (Individuals -)
Opponents - 1

Double Doubles:

Valpo - 1 (Individuals - Kithier 1)
Opponents - 1

Dunks:

Valpo - 1 (Individuals - Gordon 1)
Opponents - 2

Valpo When...

	2021-22	Under Lottich		2021-22	Under Lottich
Playing at home	0-1	50-22	Outrebounding opponents	0-0	61-16
Playing on the road	0-0	23-48	Outrebounded by opponents	0-1	22-61
Playing at a neutral site	0-0	10-9			
Playing at night (5 p.m. or later local)	0-1	57-56	Better FG% than opponents	0-0	63-15
Playing during the day (noon-4:59 p.m.)	0-0	25-22	Worse FG% than opponents	0-1	19-61
Playing during the morning (before noon)	0-0	0-1	Better FT% than opponents	0-0	56-31
Leading at halftime	0-0	60-17	Worse FT% than opponents	0-1	25-49
Tied at halftime	0-0	5-3	Fewer turnovers than opponents	0-1	46-30
Trailing at halftime	0-1	17-60	More turnovers than opponents	0-0	31-47
Playing overtime	0-0	4-5			
Playing in November	0-1	24-9	Scoring 80 or more points	0-0	35-2
Playing in December	0-0	13-19	Scoring 70-79 points	0-0	29-19
Playing in January	0-0	22-19	Scoring 60-69 points	0-0	15-23
Playing in February	0-0	20-24	Scoring fewer than 60 points	0-0	4-35
Playing in March	0-0	4-7	Opponents score 80 or more points	0-0	4-26
Playing on Sunday	0-0	16-11	Opponents score 70-79 points	0-0	23-25
Playing on Monday	0-0	5-6	Opponents score 60-69 points	0-0	31-21
Playing on Tuesday	0-1	10-9	Opponents score fewer than 60 points	0-0	25-7
Playing on Wednesday	0-0	13-18			
Playing on Thursday	0-0	7-8	Game decided by 5 points or fewer	0-0	20-22
Playing on Friday	0-0	9-7	Game decided by 6-10 points	0-0	20-18
Playing on Saturday	0-0	23-20	Game decided by 11-15 points	0-0	15-20
			Game decided by more than 15 points	0-0	28-20



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Beacon Bits

Random off-the-court facts on each Valpo player.

- **#0 Thomas Kithier** – Is an avid Detroit Lions fan and can name every player on the roster... Mother Jane played college volleyball at Eastern Michigan... Works in Valpo Athletics in ticketing, marketing and sports information.
- **#1 Cam Palesse** – Enjoys building fish-tank ecosystems.
- **#2 Preston Ruedinger** – Is an avid golfer in his spare time... Has an interest in coaching in the future.
- **#3 Connor Barrett** – Is also an avid golfer whose best score is a 73.
- **#4 Darius DeAviero** – Father David is the former head coach at McGill University in Montreal and is now the head coach of the Ryerson Rams.
- **#5 Keyondre Young** – Enjoys observing nature and sightseeing... Enjoys watching movies and lists Blue Chips as his favorite.
- **#10 Eron Gordon** – Comes from a basketball family including brother Eric who has played in the NBA since 2008 and is currently a member of the Houston Rockets... Enjoys editing videos and podcasting.
- **#11 Emil Freese-Vilien** – Civil engineering major who spends a lot of time drawing blueprints and houses... His first basketball practice came at age 14... Played serious badminton growing up.
- **#12 Kevion Taylor** – High school teammates with Tyler Herro of the NBA's Miami Heat.
- **#13 Sheldon Edwards** – Has six siblings... Enjoys listening to music... Played for his uncle Louis Graham at TLAP Sports Academy for one year prior to coming to Valpo.
- **#15 Luke Morrill** – Walk-on who enjoys wakesurfing.
- **#20 Tyler Fricke** – Walk-on whose father Scott coached Matt Lottich in high school and brother Zach pitches for the Valpo baseball team.
- **#21 Trevor Anderson** – Father Scott was his high school coach at SPASH and played at UW-Stevens Point... Enjoys visiting coffee shops, traveling and cheering for the Dallas Cowboys.
- **#22 Brock Pappas** – Walk-on who is majoring in nursing and hopes to one day become a pediatric nurse and work at Riley Children's Hospital.
- **#23 Ben Krikke** – Spent over 100 days in quarantine before and during the 2020-2021 season... Enjoys mountain biking and chess, which he learned from his grandfather... Credits his father's Michael Jordon DVD set for helping hone his skills.
- **#32 Joe Hedstrom** – Is an avid fisherman and Valpo's proximity to Lake Michigan added to his desire to play at Valpo... Grandfather Burt Hedstrom played basketball, football and baseball at Northwestern University (1944-47) and both of his parents played college basketball, mother Sharon (Bethel) and father Peter (St. Olaf).
- **#33 Trey Woodyard** – Maintained a 4.0 GPA throughout high school, earning a place on the honor roll every year.

- **#35 Kobe King** – Father Chris played collegiately at Wake Forest and was a second-round pick of the Seattle SuperSonics in the 1992 NBA Draft. He played professionally from 1993-2008, seeing action for Seattle, Vancouver and Utah in the NBA as well as stints overseas in the CBA... Cousin Jimmy King was a member of the University of Michigan's Fab Five and played professionally for 10 years... Enjoys making music and writing song lyrics.

Notes Wrapping up Nov. 9: Toledo 69, Valpo 61

- Thomas Kithier scored 16 points in his Valpo debut to achieve a collegiate career high. He did it on 8-of-11 shooting and chipped in five rebounds. Kithier's previous career high came on Nov. 10, 2019, when he scored 10 points in a Michigan State game against Binghamton.
- Trevor Anderson hit double figures for the 13th time in his collegiate career (11 points) while reaching the five-assist threshold, pulling down five rebounds and committing no turnovers.
- Kevion Taylor tallied double figures for the 82nd time in his collegiate career with his 12-point showing, while Sheldon Edwards scored 10 points for his 10th career double-figure game.
- Valpo played without Preseason Second Team All-MVC choice Ben Krikke, who missed the game due to an injury.
- Six of the nine Beacons who saw action were newcomers.
- Eron Gordon made his 32nd collegiate start (31st at Valpo) while playing in his 112th college game.

Forward Trajectory

- Valpo has improved its conference tournament seeding in each of its four Missouri Valley Conference seasons.
- The team entered Arch Madness as a No. 10 seed in 2017-18, a No. 9 seed in 2018-19, a No. 7 in 2019-20 and a No. 6 in 2020-21.
- With Year 4 in The Valley now in the books, Valpo has surpassed Loyola's conference win total over its first four seasons in the league. Valpo garnered its 29th MVC victory in the 2020-21 regular-season finale vs. Indiana State.
- The Ramblers went 27-45 over their first four seasons before going 57-16 over the following four seasons.
- Valpo has improved its conference finish in each season during the four-year transitional period after elevating to the prestigious and competitive conference.

More on 2020-21

- The 2020-21 season was highlighted by an upset victory over previously-undefeated Drake, the nation's No. 25 team, 74-57 on Feb. 7, 2021 at the Athletics-Recreation Center, the fourth win over an AP Top 25 team in program history and second under Lottich. The Bulldogs were one of three undefeated teams in the nation prior to that setback, joining Gonzaga and Baylor.
- Valpo came close to two other victories over ranked foes, falling



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80-77 vs. No. 25 Drake on Feb. 6 and 54-52 at No. 22 Loyola on Feb. 17.
- Valpo closed the regular season with a stretch of 16 Missouri Valley Conference games in a 39-day span. By comparison, Valpo had played three games over the previous 31 days before beginning the stretch of seemingly nonstop competition. Six of Valpo's first eight MVC games were postponed due to COVID-19, causing the backlog of makeup games during the busy stretch.

2021-22 Preseason Picks

- Ben Krikke was named to the Preseason All-MVC Second Team.
- Valpo was picked seventh in the 10-team league based on a preseason survey of the conference's head coaches, media members and sports information directors.
- Drake was tabbed the preseason favorite to win the league, while UNI's AJ Green earned Preseason Player of the Year accolades.

Sustained Home Success

- The Athletics-Recreation Center has provided a distinct homecourt advantage over the years as Valpo has not finished with a losing mark at the ARC since 1991-92.
- Thanks to a victory in the 2020-21 home finale vs. Indiana State, the program finished with a record of .500 or better at home for the 29th consecutive season.
- Valpo enjoyed double-figure home win totals in nine of 10 seasons prior to the unusual, pandemic-altered 2020-21 season. Due to health and safety regulations, fans were unable to pack the ARC as they have in years past.
- The ARC is back open to spectators without any capacity restrictions during the 2021-22 season, restoring the home court advantage Valpo has come to expect over the years.

Home-Heavy Schedule

- The historic home success is good news for Valpo this season, as the team will play 17 home games.
- The nonconference slate will be comprised of eight home dates, two road games and three neutral-site contests.
- Valpo most recently played 17 home games during the 2016-17 season. This will mark the team's busiest home calendar since joining the Missouri Valley Conference.

Big Ten U

- Prior to this season, Valpo had just a pair of Big Ten transfers join the program over the last two decades (Bakari Evelyn and Bobby Capobiano).
- This year, the program has been bolstered by four additions from the Big Ten Conference. Trevor Anderson, Joe Hedstrom and Kobe King have all come in from Wisconsin, while Thomas Kithier joins the fold after beginning his career with three seasons at Michigan State.
- Four of the five transfers that have come in join the team from the

Big Ten, while a fifth impact transfer began his career with four seasons at Division-II Winona State. Kevion Taylor was a three-time all-conference performer and was his conference's preseason player of the year in 2020-21.

- King started all 19 games he played at Wisconsin in 2019-20, Anderson appeared in 60 of Wisconsin's 62 games over the last two seasons and Kithier appeared in 86 games and made 19 starts for Tom Izzo's team over his three seasons in East Lansing.

Who's Back

- Although the team features five freshmen and the five aforementioned transfers, five scholarship players do return from last season.
- The squad brings back 47.9 percent of its scoring and 42.4 percent of its rebounding.
- Four of the team's top six scorers are back.
- A pair of MVC postseason award winners remain in the fold for the Beacons as Sheldon Edwards was a member of the 2020-21 MVC All-Freshman Team, while Ben Krikke earned All-MVC Third Team, MVC Most-Improved Team and MVC Scholar-Athlete First Team, the lone player in the league to receive all three honors.
- Seven letter winners are back from last year's team, while nine have departed. Three starters return and three left. (Note: Starters based on top five players in number of games started. Six players were considered starters due to a tie for fifth).

Staff Sidebars

- Associate head coach Luke Gore is in his 20th 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 11 years and was on staff for the three winningest seasons in program history. He serves as the team's defensive coordinator in addition to leading Valpo's scheduling and scouting efforts.
- 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.
- Assistant coach Rob Holloway is back for his fourth season after spending the previous two years on staff at Eastern Illinois, his alma mater. He serves as the "special teams" coordinator, which includes presses, press breaks and out-of-bounds plays.
- Director of Basketball Operations Peter Funk is in his first season in that role after spending the previous two years as a graduate assistant and the three years prior to that as a student manager.
- Bob Brooks is in his 18th year as Valpo Director of Strength & Conditioning at Valpo and returned to oversight of men's



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basketball strength & conditioning in 2020-21. He has worked with Valpo teams since 1994.

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 11 years, including 2019-20 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 four 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, 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.



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Last Time When...

Won in OT..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley W 91-85

Lost in OT..... Nov. 13, 2021 vs. UIC L 74-70

Played 2OT..... Jan. 28, 2021 vs. Bradley W 91-85

Played 3OT..... Nov. 29, 2013 vs. Mercer L 117-108

Beat a Ranked Opponent..... Feb. 7, 2021 vs. #25/25 Drake W 74-57

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..... Feb. 26, 2021 vs. Indiana State (L 58-43)

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..... Jan. 31, 2021 at Evansville (29-48, 60.4%)

Valpo Shot Less Than 30 Percent..... March 5, 2021 (St. Louis, Mo.) vs. Missouri State (18-65, 27.7%)

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 (34)

An Opponent Attempted 30+ 3-Pointers..... Feb. 10, 2021 vs. Bradley (30)

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..... Feb. 10, 2021 vs. Bradley (-24)

+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..... Feb. 1, 2021 at Evansville (16)
Opponent Erases 10-Point Deficit to Win..... Feb. 6, 2021 vs. #25/25 Drake (10)

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..... Jacob Ognacevic on Feb. 27, 2021 vs. Indiana State (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

6th Season * Stanford, 2004

83-80 Overall and at Valpo

Matt Lottich is in his ninth season overall at Valparaiso University and sixth as the head coach of the men's basketball program in 2021-2022.

The 2020-2021 season saw Valpo improve its Arch Madness seeding for the fourth straight year as the program continued to make positive strides in each season as a Missouri Valley Conference member. The team earned a first-round bye in the State Farm MVC Tournament for the first time since joining the prestigious league.

Valpo upset previously-undefeated Drake, the nation's No. 25 team, 74-57 on Feb. 7, 2021 at the ARC, the fourth win over an AP Top 25 team in program history and second under Lottich. The Bulldogs were one of three undefeated teams in the nation prior to that setback, joining Gonzaga and Baylor. Valpo came close to two other victories over ranked foes, falling 80-77 vs. No. 25 Drake on Feb. 6 and 54-52 at No. 22 Loyola on Feb. 17. In addition, Valpo extended its streak to 29 straight seasons without a sub-.500 home record.

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 concerns.

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. 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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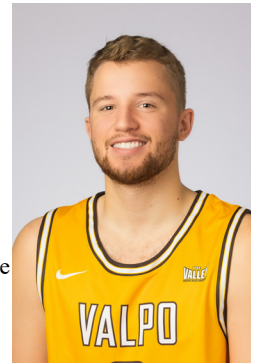
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#0 Thomas Kithier

Forward * 6-8 * Senior * Sports Administration (MA)
Macomb, Mich. * Clarkston (Michigan State)



2021-22: Scored 16 points in his Valpo debut to achieve a collegiate career high. He did it on 8-of-11 shooting and chipped in five rebounds... Had a 28-point, 11-rebound game on Nov. 13 vs. UIC, becoming just the fourth different player during the Matt Lottich Era with a 25-point double-double.

2020-21 (Michigan State): Appeared in 26 games and made 14 starts during his final season in East Lansing, bringing his Michigan State career totals to 86 games and 19 starts... Averaged 2.4 points per game and 2.5 rebounds per game... Shot at a 65 percent clip, going 26-of-40 from the floor to register the team's highest field-goal percentage... Went 10-of-13 (76.9 percent) at the free-throw line... Team reached the NCAA Tournament... Notched a season-high eight points on Dec. 25 vs. Wisconsin... Squeezed a season-high seven boards on Dec. 28 at Minnesota and again on Jan. 5 vs. Rutgers.

2019-20 (Michigan State): Appeared in 29 games, starting five times while helping his team to a share of its second straight Big Ten regular-season crown... Was in the starting lineup the first five games of the season... Finished the season averaging 3.1 points and 3.2 rebounds in 12.4 minutes per game... Averaged 2.1 points and 2.6 rebounds in Big Ten Conference play... Made his first career start against Kentucky in the Champions Classic on Nov. 6, finishing with seven points and three rebounds... Played 24 minutes, adding six points, five rebounds and three assists in a win at Seton Hall (Nov. 14)... Scored in double figures once, finishing with 10 points, three rebounds and three assists against Binghamton (Nov. 10)... Had seven rebounds against Charleston Southern (Nov. 18) and Western Michigan (Dec. 29)... Played 23 minutes and had six points and three rebounds against Maryland (Feb. 15).

2018-19 (Michigan State): Appeared in 31 games for a Spartans team that reached the Final Four... Averaged 1.6 points and 1.3 rebounds in 5.8 minutes per game... Saw action in 15 Big Ten games, averaging 2.4 points and 1.8 rebounds in 7.3 minutes... Connected on 79.3 percent of his field goals (23-of-29)... Made his first appearance against Kansas (Nov. 6) in the Champions Classic... Scored his first basket against Tennessee Tech (Nov. 18)... Played 11 minutes, scoring two points with one assist, against UCLA (Nov. 22) in the Las Vegas Invitational... Scored six points and grabbed a career-high five rebounds in a win at Iowa (Jan. 24)... Registered a career-high eight points and had three rebounds against Minnesota (Feb. 9)... Played at least 10 minutes in six straight games late in the season, including a career-high 19 minutes against Nebraska (March 5), scoring six points and grabbing three rebounds.

Prep: 2017 Detroit Free Press Class A Second Team selection and Detroit News Class A Third Team honoree... Averaged 21 points, 12 rebounds, five assists and three blocks as a prep junior at Macomb Dakota... Led Dakota to a 20-4 record and a district title... 2017 Detroit News All-East Team honoree, 2017 MLive Detroit Dream Team Second Team selection, 2017 Associated Press Class A All-State honorable mention, 2016 Detroit Free Press Class A honorable mention recipient... Transferred to Clarkston High School for his senior year... Played club for the All Ohio Red... Sat out his senior year of high school after transferring schools.

Personal: Son of Karl and Jane Kithier... His mother played college volleyball at Eastern Michigan... Enjoys playing video games... Lists his parents as the most influential people in his life... Lists "The Simpsons" as his favorite TV show and "The Shawshank Redemption" as his favorite movie...

CAREER HIGHS (at MSU =*)

Points	28, UIC (11/13/21)
Rebounds	11, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	3*, 3x (M.R. 11/14/19)
Steals	1, 11x (M.R. 11/13/21)
Blocks	1, 14x (M.R. 11/9/21)
FG Made	11, UIC (11/13/21)
3PT Made	1*, Seton Hall (11/14/19)
FT Made	6, UIC (11/13/21)

Is an avid Detroit Lions fan and can name every player on the roster... Enjoys bike riding... Finished his undergraduate degree in advertising at Michigan State in only three years and is pursuing a master's in sports administration/media at Valpo.

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	28, UIC (11/13/21)
Rebounds	11, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	2, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
Steals	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
Blocks	1, Toledo (11/9/21)
FG Made	11, UIC (11/13/21)
3PT Made	
FT Made	6, UIC (11/13/21)



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#1 Cam Palesse

Guard * 6-5 * Freshman * Business
Waukesha, Wis. * Waukesha West

Prep: Named Senior Wing Award Winner by the Wisconsin Sports Network as a senior... Named to Team Wisconsin following his senior season... A two-time all-conference selection... Also earned all-conference honorable mention as a freshman... Participated in Black Student Union and ran for president of the organization... Competed in volleyball as a freshman and football was his first love as a child... Has been a winner from a young age as his eighth-grade team won a national championship.

Personal: Enjoys building fish-tank ecosystems.



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Points
Rebounds
Assists
Steals
Blocks
FG Made
3PT Made
FT Made



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#2 Preston Ruedinger

Guard * 6-2 * Freshman * Business
Oshkosh, Wis. * Lourdes Academy



2021-22: Joined the program as a nonscholarship student-athlete for the 2021-22 season.

Prep: An Associated Press First Team All-State Selection in 2020-21... Led Lourdes to its first WIAA state championship by averaging 25.8 points, 6.9 rebounds, five assist and 2.5 steals per game... Third Team All-State choice as a junior in 2019-20 after averaging 27.2 points per game... Shot 3-pointers at a 45.3 percent clip throughout his career and is 12th on the state of Wisconsin's all-time scoring list with 2,349 career points... Team won a state championship on a buzzer-beater that capped off a 20-point comeback in 2020-21... His high school coach was his father, Dennis... Also competed in football and golf and was a two-time first-team all-league wide receiver on the gridiron.

Personal: Is an avid golfer in his spare time... Pursuing a degree in business... Has an interest in coaching in the future... Son of Dennis and Kellie Ruedinger.

2021-2022 SEASON HIGHS

Points
Rebounds
Assists
Steals
Blocks
FG Made
3PT Made
FT Made



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#3 Connor Barrett

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



2021-22: Did not play in the Nov. 9 season opener due to an injury... Made his season debut on Nov. 13 vs. UIC.

2020-21: Played in 18 games and made 13 starts as a rookie before missing time with an injury... Scored 6.5 points and pulled down 2.5 rebounds per game while shooting 77.8 percent from the foul line and ranked second on the team by shooting 39.7 percent from beyond the 3-point arc... Scored in double figures six times and made three or more 3-pointers on five occasions... 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... Made his final appearance of the season on Feb. 6 vs. Drake before missing the remainder of the season with an ankle injury.

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.

CAREER 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)

2021-2022 SEASON HIGHS

Points	
Rebounds	1, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	
3PT Made	
FT Made	



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#4 Darius DeAveiro

Guard * 6-0 * Freshman * Sports Management
Kanata, Ottawa, Canada * Orangeville Prep



2021-22: Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 9 season opener vs. Toledo.

Before Valpo: Helped his team to Ontario Scholastic Basketball Association (OSBA) championships in 2018, 2019 and 2020 and earned 2020 Academy Defensive Player of the Year... Received First Team All-State status at the 2019 Canadian National Championships while leading his team to a silver medal... Was a multi-year Team Ontario captain and earned a place in the 2019 U19 Junior National Team Camp... Led the OSBA in assists and steals in 2019... In 2018, earned a bronze medal at the Canadian National Championships after garnering a gold medal at the event in 2017... A 2018 Biosteel Future All-Canadian game selection... Member of the 2015-2016 Canada Basketball Junior Academy... Averaged 7.2 points and 5.4 assists while shooting 41.9 percent from the 3-point line for Orangeville Prep as a junior... Did not play games during his senior season as games were not held in Canada during the COVID-19 pandemic... Served as a team captain during his senior season... Played for Team Canada during the U19 world cup in Canada during the 2021 summer.

Personal: Father David is the former head coach at McGill University in Montreal, is now the head coach of the Ryerson Rams and has a long-standing relationship with the Valpo coaching staff... Was teammates with Ben Krikke on the Canadian national team... Is an avid football fan... Also played soccer until his freshman year of high school, when he gave up the sport to focus on basketball... Played on the state team for soccer at age 13. He traveled significantly for the sport, including a trip to England... Enjoys golf, tennis and numerous other sports... Majoring in sports management.

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	5, UIC (11/13/21)
Rebounds	4, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	1, Toledo (11/9/21)
Steals	2, UIC (11/13/21)
Blocks	
FG Made	2, UIC (11/13/21)
3PT Made	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
FT Made	



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#5 Keyondre Young

Guard * 6-8 * Freshman * Communication
Del City, Okla. * Del City



2021-22: Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 9 season opener vs. Toledo.

Prep: Named the Super 5 Player of the Year by the Oklahoman following his senior season in 2020-2021... Scored 26 points in the 6A Oklahoma state championship game to lead Del City to its first basketball state title since 1980, a 47-44 win over Edmond Memorial... Helped his high school team finish his senior season with 16 straight wins including the state title game... Named to the Big All-City First Team by the Oklahoman after averaging 20.0 points per game as a senior... Also named to the Oklahoman Super 5 First Team and 6A All-State following his senior season... Team finished as the state runner-up during his sophomore season in 2018-19 and was in line to win the state title during his junior campaign in 2019-20 before the season was cut short by the COVID-19 pandemic... Del City was 24-1 at the time of the COVID-19 stoppage in 2019-20 and was ranked No. 1 in the state of Oklahoma after winning every tournament it participated in... Earned All-State Honorable Mention as a junior after averaging 12.8 points per game... Named Faith 7 Basketball Bowl (Oklahoma vs. Texas) Team Oklahoma MVP after a 17-point, nine-rebound performance... Earned Oklahoma Basketball Coaches Association Player of the Year honors.

Personal: Enjoys watching movies and lists Blue Chips as his favorite... Enjoys observing nature and sightseeing.

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	3, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
Rebounds	3, Toledo (11/9/21)
Assists	1, UIC (11/13/21)
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
3PT Made	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
FT Made	



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#10 Eron Gordon

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



2020-21: Appeared in all 28 games and made 26 starts while ranking second on the team in minutes per game at 29.0... Scored 6.8 points per game, shot 33.3 percent from the 3-point line and hit at a 39.6 percent clip from the floor... Ranked third on the team in steals with 22, third in blocks with 11 and third in assists with 45... Ranked second on the team with 5.1 rebounds per game, over doubling his rebounding average of 2.3 from the previous season... Averaged 7.1 points and 5.6 rebounds in conference play... Ranked sixth in the MVC in defensive rebounds per game at 4.8, second in the league among guards... Led the team in scoring on three occasions and rebounding 11 times after he did not pace the squad in rebounding at all the previous season... Posted eight double-figure scoring outputs including six in a seven-game stretch from Jan. 10-31... Registered seven or more rebounds on 11 occasions... 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... Named the Valparaiso University Male Unsung Hero as part of the athletic department's annual ARC Awards.

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.

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

CAREER HIGHS

Points	20, at High Point (12/18/19)
Rebounds	10, at Illinois State (1/23/21)
Assists	5, twice (M.R. 2/22/21)
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)

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 contributing to the family business, E3 Basketball

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	2, Toledo (11/9/21)
Rebounds	7, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	1, UIC (11/13/21)
Steals	2, Toledo (11/9/21)
Blocks	
FG Made	1, Toledo (11/9/21)
3PT Made	
FT Made	

Academy... Graduated from Valpo in May 2020 with a degree in journalism... Pursuing a master's degree in sports administration.



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#11 Emil Freese-Vilien

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



2020-21: Appeared in two games while battling injuries over the course of the season... Made his season debut on Feb. 10 vs. Bradley before also seeing action on Feb. 13 at UNI.

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)

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	4, Toledo (11/9/21)
Rebounds	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
Assists	1, UIC (11/13/21)
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	2, Toledo (11/9/21)
3PT Made	
FT Made	



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#12 Kevion Taylor

Guard / Forward * 6-6 * 5th * Sports Administration (MA)
Milwaukee, Wis. * Whitnall (Winona State)



2021-22: Tallied 12 points on 4-of-9 shooting in his Valpo debut on Nov. 9 vs. Toledo

2020-21 (Winona State): Started all 13 games during the COVID-shortened season... Led the team in scoring at 20.5 points per game while posting an .892 free-throw percentage, knocking down a team-high 35 3s and ranking second on the squad in rebounding at 5.8 per game... Ranked third in the conference in scoring while also ranking 19th in rebounding, third in 3-point field goals per game, fifth in 3-point field goal percentage, 18th in field-goal percentage, third in free-throw percentage and fifth in minutes per game (34.9)... Posted a season-high 30 points on Feb. 5 against Minnesota State... Scored in double figures in 12 of his 13 contests and had 10 outputs of 20+ points... Drained seven 3s on both Jan. 23 against Augustana and Feb. 6 vs. Minnesota State... Had a season-high nine rebounds on two occasions, Jan. 17 against Upper Iowa and Jan. 20 against Wayne State (NE)... Ranked 31st nationally in NCAA Division II in free-throw percentage... Finished his Winona State career with 1,632 points, cracking the Top 10 in program history... Started 73 of 74 games over his final three seasons at Winona State... Started the year as the NSIC South Division Preseason Player of the Year and finished it as a First Team All-NSIC choice.

2019-20 (Winona State): Started all 30 games for the Warriors... Led the team in minutes played with 1,073 on the year... Hit a program-record 109 3-pointers, good for a 39.6 percent clip from behind the arc... Made 85 3s in league play... Was the only player in the conference to rank in the Top 10 in total scoring, 3-pointers per game and rebounding... Also led the squad in free-throw shooting, hitting 87-of-102, an .853 average... Was second on the team in total points with 576... Hit for 28 vs. Wayne State and notched 27 points on three occasions, vs. Clarke (Nov. 13), vs. MSU-Moorhead (Jan. 3), and Southwest Minn. State (Jan. 24)... Scored 20 points or more on 16 occasions... Was perfect from the free-throw line in 13 different games, including Clarke (7-for-7) and Bethany Lutheran (10-for-10)... Grabbed 17 rebounds vs. Upper Iowa (Nov. 30), while also notching seven assists in the game... Had double-digit boards on seven occasions, all in conference play... Was an NSIC First Team All-Conference selection.

2018-19 (Winona State): Played in all 31 games (30 starts)... Led the team in minutes per game (30.6), scoring (16.6 ppg) and rebounding (6.5)... Ranked ninth in the NSIC in rebounding average and 11th in scoring... Added 50 assists, 21 steals and eight blocks to his stat line... Shot 47.2 percent (179-379) from the field and 42.9 percent (76-177) from downtown... Was an 82.5 percent (80-98) free-throw shooter... Scored a season-best 32 points at Bemidji State... Had a season-high 13 rebounds at Upper Iowa... His season-best six assists came vs. Sioux Falls... Went 4-of-4 from downtown at home vs. Wayne State and knocked down 5-of-8 from beyond the arc at Wayne State... Recorded four double-doubles... Scored at least 20 points in nine games, including four straight efforts in January... NSIC South Player of the Week... Earned Second Team All-NSIC recognition.

2017-18 (Winona State): Burst onto the scene as a freshman, playing in all 29 games... Made 17 starts, including each of the final 15 games... Played 21.4 minutes per game... Averaged 9.6 points and 4.9 rebounds per contest... Totaled 42 assists with a season-best seven vs. Moorhead... Recorded 15 double-digit scoring efforts... Posted a season-best 21 points vs. SMSU while knocking down a season-high four 3-pointers... First career double-double came vs. SMSU with 11 boards... Shot 48.2 percent from the field and 36.3 percent from downtown... Shot 80.4 percent from the free throw line... Won the school's Male Freshman Athlete of the Year Award.

Prep: First team All-Conference... All-Star team... All-Suburban team... High school teammates with Tyler Herro of the NBA's Miami Heat and the two remain close friends.

Personal: Son of Kevin Taylor and Geneka Walton... Graduated from Winona State with an undergraduate degree in communication and is pursuing a master's in sports administration at Valpo.

CAREER HIGHS (inc. Winona St.)

Points	32*, at Bemidji State (1/19/19)
Rebounds	17*, at Upper Iowa (11/30/19)
Assists	7*, twice (M.R. 11/30/19)
Steals	3*, 6x (M.R. 2/19/21)
Blocks	3*, Minnesota State (2/23/19)
FG Made	13*, at Bemidji State (M.R. 1/19/19)
3PT Made	7*, twice (M.R. 2/6/21)
FT Made	11*, at Upper Iowa (1/17/21)

2021-2022 SEASON HIGHS

Points	16, UIC (11/13/21)
Rebounds	6, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	4, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
Steals	1, Toledo (11/9/21)
Blocks	1, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
FG Made	6, UIC (11/13/21)
3PT Made	2, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)
FT Made	2, twice (M.R. 11/13/21)



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#13 Sheldon Edwards

Guard * 6-4 * Sophomore * Sports Management

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



2021-22: Had a career-high four blocks on Feb. 13 vs. UIC.

2020-21: Named to the MVC All-Freshman Team after appearing in 27 games and making 12 starts during his rookie campaign... Scored 8.1 points per game while averaging 2.9 rebounds and knocking down a team-most 36 3-pointers... Ranked second on the squad with 24 steals... Scored in double figures on nine occasions and had seven games with multiple steals... Led the team in scoring four times... Averaged 8.4 ppg and shared the team lead with 19 steals in conference-only games while knocking down a team-high 28 3s in league play... Helped Valpo extend its streak to three straight seasons with a member of the All-Freshman Team and four straight years with either an All-Freshman or All-Newcomer Team honoree... 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 a 91-85 victory over Bradley on Jan. 28... Matched a season high with 20 points on Feb. 6 vs. No. 25 Drake before adding 11 on Feb. 7 in an upset victory over the Bulldogs. In the Feb. 7 triumph, he slammed home a thunderous dunk that ranked No. 7 on SportsCenter's Top 10 plays that evening. For his efforts, Edwards was named the MVC Newcomer of the Week on Feb. 8 while also earning College Sports Madness MVC Player of the Week honors... Had his third straight game in double figures and his fourth straight multi-steal game with 10 points and three swipes on Feb. 10 vs. Bradley... Tied a season high with four made triples in the final game of the campaign on March 5 vs. Missouri State, also equaling a personal best with eight rebounds to go along with his 17 points in the MVC Tournament opener against the Bears.

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 brothers Joshua (14) and Elijah (10)... Favorite NBA player is Steph Curry, but he models his game after the likes of

CAREER HIGHS

Points	20, twice (M.R. 2/6/21)
Rebounds	8, twice (M.R. 3/5/21)
Assists	4, UIC (11/13/21)
Steals	3, twice (M.R. 2/10/21)
Blocks	2, Toledo (11/9/21)
FG Made	7, SIUE (12/9/20)
3PT Made	4, 3x (M.R. 3/5/21)
FT Made	4, Drake (2/6/21)

Devin Booker, Jayson Tatum and Bradley Beal. When he's not playing basketball, the Valpo freshman spends much of his free time watching it.

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	13, UIC (11/13/21)
Rebounds	6, UIC (11/13/21)
Assists	4, UIC (11/13/21)
Steals	
Blocks	2, Toledo (11/9/21)
FG Made	6, UIC (11/13/21)
3PT Made	2, UIC (11/13/21)
FT Made	2, UIC (11/13/21)



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#15 Luke Morrill

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



2020-21: Did not see game action while being sidelined by a knee injury for much of the season.

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... 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 Tyler Fricke

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



2020-21: Saw action in five games in his first season as a walk-on... Made his collegiate debut on Dec. 6 vs. Judson, going 2-for-2 at the free-throw line while also recording his first career rebound and steal... Grabbed another rebound on Dec. 9 vs. SIUE... Also saw action on Feb. 10 vs. Bradley, Feb. 13 at UNI and Feb. 27 vs. Indiana State.

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.

CAREER 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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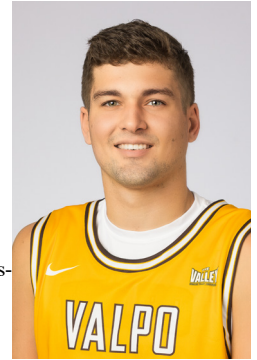
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#21 Trevor Anderson

Guard * 6-3 * 6th * Sports Administration (MA)
Stevens Point, Wis. * SPASH (Wisconsin)



2021-22: Scored 11 points on 5-of-8 shooting to go along with five rebounds and five assists in his Valpo debut on Nov. 9 vs. Toledo.

2020-21 (Wisconsin): Appeared in 29 of the team's 31 games, averaging 14.2 minutes per contest... Shot at a 53.2 percent clip and a 54.2 percent rate from 3-point territory... Averaged 3.1 points and 1.4 rebounds per game... Scored a season-high 11 points on Dec. 19 vs. Louisville, draining three treys... Registered a season-high four rebounds on Nov. 27 vs. Arkansas Pine Bluff and handed out four assists on Feb. 14 vs. Michigan.

2019-20 (Wisconsin): Appeared in all 31 games as part of a Badgers team that won the 2019-20 Big Ten regular season championship, averaging 12.2 minutes per outing... Scored 1.8 ppg and 1.3 rpg with 38 assists on the season, the most by any Wisconsin reserve... Had his best performance of the season at Rutgers (Dec. 11), where he scored 11 points on 4-of-5 shooting, including 2-of-3 shooting from 3-point range while adding two assists and a rebound.

2018-19 (Wisconsin): Appeared in the first eight games of the season before suffering a season-ending knee injury on Nov. 30... Averaged 1.6 points and 1.1 rebounds per game in 6.9 minutes of action... Scored a season-high five points in a win over N.C. State on Nov. 27.

2017-18 (Wisconsin): Sat out due to NCAA transfer rules after transferring from Green Bay.

2016-17 (Green Bay): Started the first 20 games of the season as a freshman at Green Bay before a back injury sidelined him for the rest of the season... Averaged 9.8 points, 2.9 rebounds and 2.7 assists per game with the Phoenix... Shot 40 percent from the field, 37.6 percent from 3 and 80.4 percent from the free-throw line... Scored in double figures in each of his first five games and had a career-high 23 points (5-for-8 from 3-point range) in a win over SIUE... Played 33 minutes, accounting for three points and four rebounds in Green Bay's 73-59 loss at Wisconsin on Dec. 14, 2016 before taking on another one of his future teams on Jan. 16, when he started and saw 23 minutes of action at the ARC in an 80-56 Valpo victory.

Prep: Finished his standout high school career at Stevens Point Area Senior High School (SPASH) as the all-time leading scorer with 2,360 points, the eighth-most points in the history of Wisconsin high school basketball... Compiled a 100-6 career record and helped lead SPASH to the WIAA Division I State Championship in back-to-back years (2015-16)... Recorded 20 points and four assists in the WIAA State Championship game his senior season and scored 25 points in the WIAA State Championship game his junior year... As a senior in 2016, named Wisconsin's Mr. Basketball and Associated Press Player of the Year... Averaged 24.6 points, 4.4 assists, 64 percent shooting, 55 percent 3-point shooting and 87.6 percent free-throw shooting during his senior campaign... As a junior in 2015, averaged 23 points, five assists, 63 percent field-goal shooting and 89 percent free-throw shooting... Finished his junior season with 75 consecutive made free throws... Two-time AP First Team All-State selection (senior [unanimous], junior) and an AP Second Team All-State selection (sophomore)... Three-time WBCA First Team All-State honoree (senior, junior, sophomore)... Four-time conference player of the year and four-time first team all-conference... two-time Central Wisconsin Gannett Newspaper Area Player of the Year (senior, sophomore)... Team MVP all four seasons of high school... recognized for his senior season with the Wisconsin Hall of Fame Male Athlete of the Year award... won six NY2LA championships and five MVP awards in AAU.

Personal: Son of Scott and Amy Anderson... Father, Scott, played basketball at UW-Stevens Point and coached Trevor as the head coach at SPASH... Has an older sister, Haley, and a younger sister, Ava... Earned his undergraduate degree in communication from Wisconsin and is pursuing a master's in sports administration at Valpo... Enjoys visiting coffee shops, traveling and cheering for the Dallas Cowboys.

CAREER HIGHS (**-at UW; *-at GB)

Points	23*, SIUE (12/19/16)
Rebounds	7*, twice (M.R. 11/20/16)
Assists	7*, at Youngstown State (12/31/16)
Steals	3*, vs. UMKC (12/21/16)
Blocks	1**, twice (M.R. 1/24/20)
FG Made	6*, twice (M.R. 12/19/16)
3PT Made	5*, SIUE (12/19/16)
FT Made	7*, Milwaukee (1/6/17)

2021-22 SEASON HIGHS

Points	11, Toledo (11/9/21)
Rebounds	5, Toledo (11/9/21)
Assists	5, Toledo (11/9/21)
Steals	2, UIC (11/13/21)
Blocks	
FG Made	5, Toledo (11/9/21)
3PT Made	1, UIC (11/13/21)
FT Made	1, Toledo (11/9/21)



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#22 Brock Pappas

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



2020-21: Saw action in six games, playing a season-high seven minutes on Dec. 6 vs. Judson... Pulled down a career-best four rebounds in that game against the Eagles... Also received run vs. SIUE (Dec. 9), vs. Purdue Northwest (Dec. 17), vs. Bradley (Feb. 10), at UNI (Feb. 13) and vs. Indiana State (Feb. 27).

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... Brother was named after Bryce Drew... 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	

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#23 Ben Krikke

Forward * 6-9 * Junior * Finance
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada * Jasper Place



2021-22: Did not play the Nov. 9 season opener vs. Toledo or the Nov. 13 game vs. UIC due to an injury.

2020-21: Earned MVC Scholar-Athlete First Team, MVC Most-Improved Team and All-MVC Third Team, the only player in the conference to receive all three honors... Also named to the CoSIDA Academic All-District First Team, one of six honorees in District 5 spanning the states of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio, becoming the third player in program history to achieve that honor, joining Alec Peters (three times) and Dan Oppland (twice)... Featured in the MVC Scholar-Athlete Spotlight on Dec. 16... Started all 28 games, the only Valpo player to do so... Led the team in scoring both overall (12.3 ppg) and in conference-only action (13.1 ppg)... Boosted his scoring average by 5.6 ppg from the previous season... Is on pace to become a 1,000-point scorer as he has 563 career points through two seasons... Shot at a 51.9 percent clip overall and 52.7 percent mark in conference play... Ranked eighth in the MVC in free-throw percentage at 79.7 and ninth in blocked shots with 23... Scored in double figures 21 times during the season including seven of the team's last eight games... Led the team in scoring nine times and paced the squad on the glass in five contests... 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... 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 at that time... 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... Enjoyed his third straight game of 18+ points by scoring 18 on 7-of-9 shooting to lead the team on Jan. 31 at Evansville, then equaled a career high with four assists on Feb. 1 in the second game of the back-to-back against the Purple Aces... Scored in double figures for the 20th time this season in the Feb. 27 regular-season finale, scoring 14 points in the win over Indiana State... Rounded out his season with a 12-point performance in the MVC Tournament opener on March 5 vs. Missouri State... Received Valparaiso University Presidential Academic Honors and member of MVC Academic Honor Roll.

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.

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

CAREER HIGHS

Points	25, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Rebounds	15, at Illinois State (1/24/21)
Assists	4, 3x (M.R. 2/1/21)
Steals	2, 6x (M.R. 1/16/21)
Blocks	3, twice (M.R. 2/7/21)
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)

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 finance... 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.

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#32 Joe Hedstrom

Center * 7-0 * RS Junior * Communications
Hopkins, Minn. * Hopkins (Wisconsin)



2021-22: Made his Valpo debut on Nov. 13 vs. UIC.

2020-21 (Wisconsin): Appeared in nine games during his third year on Wisconsin's campus... Drained his only 3-point attempt of the season, which came on Dec. 19 vs. Louisville.

2019-20 (Wisconsin): Appeared in six games in his second season with the Badgers... Scored the first two points of his career and grabbed a rebound in a win over Green Bay on Nov. 21... Underwent successful knee surgery on Dec. 21, forcing him to miss the remainder of the season.

2018-19 (Wisconsin): Did not see game action and redshirted during his first year of college.

Prep: Averaged 14.6 points and 6.3 rebounds per game as a senior at Hopkins, helping the Royals to a record of 26-2 and a final national rank of No. 38... Named a Minnesota Basketball Coaches Association All-Star... Averaged 8.5 points per game as a junior and 12.0 points and 9.0 rebounds per game with his AAU team, the Minnesota Comets, in 2017... Was prep teammates with former Minnesota standout and current Los Angeles Clippers guard Amir Coffey.

Personal: Son of Peter and Sharon Hedstrom... Has three older sisters, Bethany, Emily and Andrea, and an older brother, Eric... Father, Peter, played basketball at St. Olaf College and mother, Sharon, played basketball at Bethel University... Aunt, Mary Hedstrom, and cousin, Joanna Hedstrom, played basketball at the University of Minnesota... Grandfather, Burt Hedstrom, played basketball, football and baseball at Northwestern University (1944-47)... Majoring in communication with a strong interest in radio, TV and film... Plans to finish his undergraduate degree at Valpo as quickly as possible and hopes to pursue a master's before finishing out his time on campus... Is an avid fisherman and Valpo's proximity to Lake Michigan added to the attractiveness of continuing his career with the Brown & Gold.

CAREER HIGHS (*- at UW)

Points	3*, Louisville (12/19/20)
Rebounds	1*, 5x (M.R. 2/10/21 at Nebraska)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	
FG Made	1*, twice (M.R. 12/19/20)
3PT Made	1*, Louisville (12/19/20)
FT Made	1*, Arkansas Pine Bluff (11/27/20)

2021-2022 SEASON HIGHS

Points	
Rebounds	1, UIC (11/13/21)
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#33 Trey Woodyard

Forward * 6-6 * Freshman * Exercise Science
London, Ohio * International Sports Academy

2021-22: Made his collegiate debut in the Nov. 9 season opener vs. Toledo.

Prep: Poured in 15.7 points per game as a junior at London High School while averaging 4.7 assists, 7.5 rebounds, 2.0 steals and 1.0 blocks... Scored 16.7 points per game as a sophomore to go along with 3.7 assists, 5.9 rebounds, 2.0 steals and 0.4 blocks... Two-time all-state selection who was named the Central Buckeye Conference (CBC) Player of the Year last season... A two-time first team all-conference honoree... Two-time McDonald's Christmas Tournament Most Valuable Player and a two-time First Team All-District choice.

Personal: Maintained a 4.0 GPA throughout high school, earning a place on the honor roll every year... Earned all-academic team recognition and a member of National Honor Society.



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#35 Kobe King

Guard * 6-4 * Senior * Sociology/Kinesiology
La Crosse, Wis. * La Crosse Central (Wisconsin)



2021-22: Will sit out early-season games before becoming eligible.

2020-21: Did not play college basketball.

2019-20 (Wisconsin): Started all 19 games he played and averaged 10.0 points per game... Averaged a team-high 12.6 points per game during Big Ten play over nine contests, all starts... Shot a robust 52.2 percent from the floor in conference action, hitting 48 of his 92 attempts... Scored a career-high 24 points in a victory over Indiana on Dec. 7... Followed that up with an 18-point output at Rutgers on Dec. 11... Poured in 21 points on 10-of-13 shooting on Jan. 8 against Illinois... Finished his Wisconsin tenure having seen action in 63 games and making 20 starts.

2018-19 (Wisconsin): Appeared in all 34 games, making one start ... Averaged 4.2 ppg and 2.1 rpg in 19.0 mpg... Tallied 13 points on 5-of-10 shooting against Michigan State (March 16) in the Big Ten Tournament... Made first career start vs. Savannah State on Dec. 13, finishing with 10 points in 23 minutes... Hauled in six rebounds to go with five points and two assists vs. NC State on Nov. 27... Scored 14 points, including 3-for-5 from behind the arc, in Wisconsin's win over Oklahoma on Nov. 22.

2017-18 (Wisconsin): Played in the first 10 games before an injury sidelined him for the remainder of the season... Averaged 5.2 points (45.7 percent shooting) and 1.4 rebounds... Scored 10 points vs. Ohio State on Dec. 2 in the first Big Ten game of his career... Finished with 9 points vs. No. 23 UCLA on Nov. 21.

High School: Enjoyed a senior season to remember at La Crosse Central, being named Wisconsin's Mr. Basketball, Gatorade Player of the Year and a unanimous selection for Associated Press Player of the Year after leading the Red Raiders to a 26-2 record and the program's first state championship since 1925... Scored 28 points (21 in the second half alone) in Central's 55-53 victory over Cedarburg in the WIAA Division 2 title game at the Kohl Center... In his senior season, the 6-foot-4 guard averaged 28.0 points, 8.9 rebounds and 3.2 assists per game while shooting 61 percent from the field and 45 percent from 3... As a junior, he averaged 25.5 points and 10.0 rebounds per game while shooting 56 percent from the field and 84 percent from the free-throw line... Named Mississippi Valley Conference Player of the Year, La Crosse Tribune Coulee Region Player of the Year and also earned All-State honors during his junior campaign ... As a sophomore, took home all-conference accolades after tallying 16.0 points and 6.0 rebounds per game... Scored 2,060 points during his prep career at Central... Was also a standout in track & field, winning the Mississippi Valley Conference in the high jump (6-8 ½) and long jump (22-10).

CAREER HIGHS (*-at UW)

Points	14* vs. Oklahoma (11/22/18)
Rebounds	6*, NC State (11/27/18)
Assists	3*, at Iowa (11/30/18)
Steals	2*, at Penn State (1/6/19)
Blocks	1*, 5x (M.R. 3/2/19)
FG Made	5*, twice (M.R. 3/16/19)
3PT Made	3*, vs. Oklahoma (11/22/18)
FT Made	4*, Grambling (12/22/18)

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Blocks
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FT Made



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Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Valparaiso	62	58	11	131
Opponents	69	59	15	143

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds													
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
0	KITHIER, Thomas	2-2	71:18	35.7	19-27	.704	0-1	.000	6-9	.667	2	14	16	8.0	7	0	4	4	1	2	44	22.0		
12	TAYLOR, Kevion	2-2	79:40	39.8	10-23	.435	4-12	.333	4-6	.667	2	7	9	4.5	4	0	8	5	2	1	28	14.0		
13	EDWARDS, Sheldon	2-2	59:44	29.9	8-27	.296	2-12	.167	5-8	.625	0	6	6	3.0	2	0	3	3	6	1	23	11.5		
21	ANDERSON, Trevor	2-2	66:15	33.1	7-14	.500	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	0	6	6	3.0	2	0	5	1	0	2	16	8.0		
4	DEAVEIRO, Darius	2-0	53:35	26.8	3-7	.429	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	5	6	3.0	3	0	1	2	0	3	8	4.0		
5	YOUNG, Keyondre	2-0	17:57	9.0	2-7	.286	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.5	2	0	1	1	0	0	6	3.0		
11	FREESE-VILIEN, Emil	2-0	09:35	4.8	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1.0	4	0	1	0	0	0	4	2.0		
10	GORDON, Eron	2-2	47:17	23.6	1-9	.111	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	10	11	5.5	3	0	1	3	0	3	2	1.0		
32	HEDSTROM, Joe	1-0	03:07	3.1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0		
33	WOODYARD, Trey	2-0	07:23	3.7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0		
3	BARRETT, Connor	1-0	09:08	9.1	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0		
Team											2	1	3				2							
Total		2	425		52-119	.437	11-38	.289	16-24	.667	10	55	65	32.5	29	0	24	23	9	12	131	65.5		
Opponents		2	425		53-124	.427	15-43	.349	22-29	.759	20	59	79	39.5	29	0	26	23	6	10	143	71.5		

Team Statistics

	VALPO	OPP
Scoring	131	143
Points per game	65.5	71.5
Scoring margin	-6.0	-
Field goals-att	52-119	53-124
Field goal pct	.437	.427
3 point fg-att	11-38	15-43
3-point FG pct	.289	.349
3-pt FG made per game	5.5	7.5
Free throws-att	16-24	22-29
Free throw pct	.667	.759
F-Throws made per game	8.0	11.0
Rebounds	65	79
Rebounds per game	32.5	39.5
Rebounding margin	-7.0	-
Assists	24	26
Assists per game	12.0	13.0
Turnovers	23	23
Turnovers per game	11.5	11.5
Turnover margin	0.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.1
Steals	12	10
Steals per game	6.0	5.0
Blocks	9	6
Blocks per game	4.5	3.0
Winning streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-
Attendance	5446	0
Home games-Avg/Game	2-2723	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/09/2021	Toledo	L	61-69	2824
11/13/2021	UIC	Lot	70-74	2622



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				Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds											
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
Toledo	11/09/2021	61-69	L	26-60	.433	5-23	.217	4-7	.571	5	23	28	28.0	15	13	10	4	5	61	61.0	
UIC	11/13/2021	70-74	Lot	26-59	.441	6-15	.400	12-17	.706	5	32	37	32.5	14	11	13	5	7	70	65.5	
Total		131		52-119	.437	11-38	.289	16-24	.667	10	55	65	32.5	29	24	23	9	12	131	65.5	
Opponents		143		53-124	.427	15-43	.349	22-29	.759	20	59	79	39.5	29	26	23	6	10	143	71.5	

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
2	65.5	43.7	28.9	66.7	32.5	12.0	11.5	1.0	6.0	4.5



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				Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds											
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
Toledo	11/09/2021	61-69	L	24-55	.436	6-15	.400	15-18	.833	9	29	38	38.0	15	13	11	2	3	69	69.0	
UIC	11/13/2021	70-74	Lot	29-69	.420	9-28	.321	7-11	.636	11	30	41	39.5	14	13	12	4	7	74	71.5	
Total		143		53-124	.427	15-43	.349	22-29	.759	20	59	79	39.5	29	26	23	6	10	143	71.5	
Valparaiso		131		52-119	.437	11-38	.289	16-24	.667	10	55	65	32.5	29	24	23	9	12	131	65.5	

Opponents Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
2	71.5	42.7	34.9	75.9	39.5	13.0	11.5	1.1	5.0	3.0



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Opponent	Date	Score		0 KITHIER, TH	3 BARRETT, CO	4 DEAVEIRO, D	5 YOUNG, KEYO	10 GORDON, ERO	11 FREESE-VIL	12 TAYLOR, KEV	13 EDWARDS, SH	21 ANDERSON, T	32 HEDSTROM, J	33 WOODYARD, T
Toledo	11/09/2021	61-69	L	16-5-2	DNP	3-2-1	3-3-0	2-4-0	4-1-0	12-3-4	10-2-1	11-5-5	DNP	0-1-0
UIC	11/13/2021	70-74	Lot	28-11-2	0-1-0	5-4-0	3-0-1	0-7-1	0-1-1	16-6-4	13-4-2	5-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0



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				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2018-19	Wisc	8-0	55/6.9	6-10	.600	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1	8	9	1.1	3-0	3	1	0	0	13	1.6
2019-20	Wisc	31-0	380/12.2	19-49	.388	7-25	.280	11-14	.786	7	34	41	1.3	18-0	38	17	1	4	56	1.8
2020-21	Wisc	29-0	412/14.2	33-62	.532	13-24	.542	12-18	.667	8	33	41	1.4	23-0	36	13	0	6	91	3.1
2021-22	VALPO	2-2	66/33.1	7-14	.500	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	0	6	6	3.0	2-0	5	1	0	2	16	8.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		2-2	66/33.1	7-14	.500	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	0	6	6	3.0	2-0	5	1	0	2	16	8.0
TOTAL		70-2	913/13.0	65-135	.481	22-54	.407	24-33	.727	16	81	97	1.4	46-0	82	32	1	12	176	2.5

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	11	at Rutgers 12/11/19, vs Louisville 12/19/20, vs Toledo 11/09/21
Rebounds	5	vs Toledo 11/09/21
Assists	5	vs Toledo 11/09/21
Steals	2	vs Ark.-Pine Bluff 11/27/20, vs UIC 11/13/21
Blocks	1	at Purdue 01/24/20
FG Made	5	vs Toledo 11/09/21
FG Attempts	8	vs Toledo 11/09/21
3FG Made	3	vs Louisville 12/19/20
3FG Attempts	3	6 times
FT Made	3	vs Penn St. 02/02/21
FT Attempts	3	vs Penn St. 02/02/21

BARRETT, Connor

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	18-13	398/22.1	36-89	.404	31-78	.397	14-18	.778	13	32	45	2.5	44-1	11	9	0	15	117	6.5
2021-22	VALPO	1-0	9/9.1	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		19-13	407/21.4	36-90	.400	31-79	.392	14-18	.778	13	33	46	2.4	45-1	11	9	0	15	117	6.2

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



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DEAVEIRO, Darius

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	VALPO	2-0	54/26.8	3-7	.429	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	5	6	3.0	3-0	1	2	0	3	8	4.0
TOTAL		2-0	54/26.8	3-7	.429	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	5	6	3.0	3-0	1	2	0	3	8	4.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	5	vs UIC 11/13/21
Rebounds	4	vs UIC 11/13/21
Assists	1	vs Toledo 11/09/21
Steals	2	vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Made	2	vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Attempts	4	vs UIC 11/13/21
3FG Made	1	vs Toledo 11/09/21, vs UIC 11/13/21
3FG Attempts	2	vs Toledo 11/09/21

EDWARDS, Sheldon

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	27-12	577/21.4	79-206	.383	36-120	.300	25-34	.735	12	67	79	2.9	26-0	35	34	7	24	219	8.1
2021-22	VALPO	2-2	60/29.9	8-27	.296	2-12	.167	5-8	.625	0	6	6	3.0	2-0	3	3	6	1	23	11.5
TOTAL		29-14	636/21.9	87-233	.373	38-132	.288	30-42	.714	12	73	85	2.9	28-0	38	37	13	25	242	8.3

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	vs SIUE 12/09/20, vs Drake 02/06/21
Rebounds	8	vs SIUE 12/09/20, vs Missouri St. 03/05/21
Assists	3	4 times
Steals	3	vs Bradley 02/10/21, vs Drake 02/07/21
Blocks	4	vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Made	7	vs SIUE 12/09/20
FG Attempts	16	vs Missouri St. 03/05/21
3FG Made	4	vs Bradley 01/28/21, vs Drake 02/06/21, vs Missouri St. 03/05/21
3FG Attempts	10	vs Drake 02/06/21, vs Missouri St. 03/05/21
FT Made	4	vs Drake 02/06/21, vs UIC 11/13/21
FT Attempts	7	vs Drake 02/06/21



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FREESE-VILIEN, Emil

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	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
2020-21	VALPO	2-0	2/1.1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	1	1	0	0	0	0.0
2021-22	VALPO	2-0	10/4.8	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1.0	4-0	1	0	0	0	4	2.0
TOTAL		20-0	118/5.9	9-26	.346	2-10	.200	0-1	.000	7	10	17	0.9	12-0	7	6	4	1	20	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, vs Toledo 11/09/21
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

FRICKE, Tyler

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	5-0	8/1.6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0.4	1-0	0	0	0	1	2	0.4
TOTAL		5-0	8/1.6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0.4	1-0	0	0	0	1	2	0.4

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



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GORDON, Eron

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	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	28-26	811/29.0	59-149	.396	29-87	.333	44-66	.667	9	133	142	5.1	40-0	45	43	11	22	191	6.8
2021-22	VALPO	2-2	47/23.6	1-9	.111	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	10	11	5.5	3-0	1	3	0	3	2	1.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		65-32	1482/22.8	120-296	.405	58-158	.367	77-111	.694	28	206	234	3.6	85-1	65	77	16	51	375	5.8
TOTAL		113-33	1802/15.9	147-360	.408	65-186	.349	85-128	.664	38	235	273	2.4	123-1	94	94	16	58	444	3.9

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	20	at High Point 12/18/19
Rebounds	10	at Illinois St. 01/23/21
Assists	5	at Southern Ill. 02/22/21, 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

HEDSTROM, Joe

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Wisc	6-0	13/2.2	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0.3	3-0	0	1	0	0	2	0.3
2020-21	Wisc	9-0	15/1.7	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	1-2	.500	2	1	3	0.3	4-0	0	0	0	0	4	0.4
2021-22	VALPO	1-0	3/3.1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		1-0	3/3.1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		16-0	31/2.0	2-6	.333	1-1	1.000	1-2	.500	3	3	6	0.4	8-0	0	2	0	0	6	0.4

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	3	vs Louisville 12/19/20
Rebounds	1	6 times
FG Made	1	vs Green Bay 11/21/19, vs Louisville 12/19/20
FG Attempts	3	vs Louisville 12/19/20
3FG Made	1	vs Louisville 12/19/20
3FG Attempts	1	vs Louisville 12/19/20
FT Made	1	vs Ark.-Pine Bluff 11/27/20
FT Attempts	2	vs Ark.-Pine Bluff 11/27/20



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KING, Kobe

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2017-18	Wisc	10-0	190/19.0	21-46	.457	7-21	.333	3-3	1.000	8	6	14	1.4	10-0	6	3	2	2	52	5.2
2018-19	Wisc	34-1	648/19.1	55-123	.447	15-49	.306	19-29	.655	20	53	73	2.1	27-0	17	17	3	9	144	4.2
2019-20	Wisc	19-19	542/28.5	73-159	.459	7-28	.250	37-55	.673	22	32	54	2.8	27-0	30	29	6	10	190	10.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		0-0	0/0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		63-20	1381/21.9	149-328	.454	29-98	.296	59-87	.678	50	91	141	2.2	64-0	53	49	11	21	386	6.1

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	24	vs Indiana 12/07/19
Rebounds	6	vs NC State 11/27/18, vs Eastern Ill. 11/08/19
Assists	5	vs Nebraska 01/21/20
Steals	3	vs Eastern Ill. 11/08/19
Blocks	1	11 times
FG Made	10	vs Indiana 12/07/19, vs Illinois 01/08/20
FG Attempts	15	vs Indiana 12/07/19
3FG Made	3	vs Oklahoma 11/22/18
3FG Attempts	5	vs Oklahoma 11/22/18, vs Ohio St. 12/02/17
FT Made	8	vs Eastern Ill. 11/08/19
FT Attempts	10	vs Eastern Ill. 11/08/19



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KITHIER, Thomas

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2018-19	MSU	31-0	179/5.8	23-29	.793	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	14	26	40	1.3	25-0	5	7	3	3	49	1.6
2019-20	MSU	29-5	363/12.5	41-61	.672	1-2	.500	6-13	.462	41	51	92	3.2	63-0	22	12	6	2	89	3.1
2020-21	MSU	26-14	283/10.9	26-40	.650	0-0	.000	10-13	.769	33	31	64	2.5	62-1	18	12	4	4	62	2.4
2021-22	VALPO	2-2	71/35.7	19-27	.704	0-1	.000	6-9	.667	2	14	16	8.0	7-0	4	4	1	2	44	22.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		2-2	71/35.7	19-27	.704	0-1	.000	6-9	.667	2	14	16	8.0	7-0	4	4	1	2	44	22.0
TOTAL		88-21	896/10.2	109-157	.694	1-3	.333	25-41	.610	90	122	212	2.4	157-1	49	35	14	11	244	2.8

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	28	vs UIC 11/13/21
Rebounds	11	vs UIC 11/13/21
Assists	3	vs Oakland 12/21/18, vs Binghamton 11/10/19, at Seton Hall 11/14/19
Steals	1	11 times
Blocks	1	14 times
FG Made	11	vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Attempts	16	vs UIC 11/13/21
3FG Made	1	at Seton Hall 11/14/19
3FG Attempts	2	at Seton Hall 11/14/19
FT Made	6	vs UIC 11/13/21
FT Attempts	9	vs UIC 11/13/21

KRIKKE, Ben

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	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	28-28	789/28.2	140-270	.519	8-30	.267	55-69	.797	39	79	118	4.2	65-1	27	35	23	16	343	12.3
TOTAL		61-29	1304/21.4	222-419	.530	22-71	.310	97-122	.795	78	135	213	3.5	112-1	49	62	38	31	563	9.2

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, at Evansville 02/01/21
Steals	2	7 times
Blocks	3	at Central Mich. 12/12/20, vs Drake 02/07/21
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



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MORRILL, Luke

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	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

PAPPAS, Brock

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	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	6-0	14/2.3	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	0.7	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		12-0	23/1.9	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	5	5	0.4	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



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TAYLOR, Kevion

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2017-18	WSU	29-17	621/21.4	106-220	.482	29-80	.363	37-46	.804	39	102	141	4.9	60-2	42	32	3	19	278	9.6
2018-19	WSU	31-30	950/30.6	179-379	.472	76-177	.429	80-97	.825	43	157	200	6.5	65-1	50	48	8	21	514	16.6
2019-20	WSU	30-30	1070/35.7	190-449	.423	109-275	.396	87-102	.853	40	179	219	7.3	45-0	60	51	2	31	576	19.2
2020-21	WSU	13-13	453/34.8	87-205	.424	35-104	.337	58-65	.892	14	62	76	5.8	21-0	29	35	3	12	267	20.5
2021-22	VALPO	2-2	80/39.8	10-23	.435	4-12	.333	4-6	.667	2	7	9	4.5	4-0	8	5	2	1	28	14.0
TOTAL FOR VALPO		2-2	80/39.8	10-23	.435	4-12	.333	4-6	.667	2	7	9	4.5	4-0	8	5	2	1	28	14.0
TOTAL		105-92	3174/30.2	572-1276	.448	253-648	.390	266-316	.842	138	507	645	6.1	195-3	189	171	18	84	1663	15.8

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	32	at Bemidji St. 01/19/19
Rebounds	17	at Upper Iowa 11/30/19
Assists	7	vs MSU Moorhead 02/02/18, at Upper Iowa 11/30/19
Steals	3	7 times
Blocks	3	vs Minnesota St. 02/23/19
FG Made	13	at Bemidji St. 01/19/19
FG Attempts	27	vs Wayne St. (NE) 01/10/20
3FG Made	7	at Minnesota St. 02/06/21, at Augustana (SD) 01/23/21
3FG Attempts	15	at Augustana (SD) 01/23/21
FT Made	11	at Upper Iowa 01/17/21
FT Attempts	12	vs Wayne St. (NE) 01/10/20, at Upper Iowa 01/17/21

WOODYARD, Trey

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	VALPO	2-0	7/3.7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL		2-0	7/3.7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Rebounds	1	vs Toledo 11/09/21



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YOUNG, Keyondre

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	VALPO	2-0	18/9.0	2-7	.286	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.5	2-0	1	1	0	0	6	3.0
TOTAL		2-0	18/9.0	2-7	.286	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.5	2-0	1	1	0	0	6	3.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	3	vs Toledo 11/09/21, vs UIC 11/13/21
Rebounds	3	vs Toledo 11/09/21
Assists	1	vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Made	1	vs Toledo 11/09/21, vs UIC 11/13/21
FG Attempts	5	vs Toledo 11/09/21
3FG Made	1	vs Toledo 11/09/21, vs UIC 11/13/21
3FG Attempts	2	vs Toledo 11/09/21



Official Basketball Box Score - Final
UIC at Valparaiso
 11/13/21 Athletics-Recreation Center, Valparaiso
 2021-22 Men's Basketball

Game Time: 12:00 PM
 Game Duration: 1:58
 Attendance: 2,622

Officials: Randy Heimerman, Brad Gaston, Chance Moore

UIC - 74 Record: 1-1

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	
2	Michael Diggins	F	33:46	2-10	1-5	0-0	3	5	8	3	3	5	0	1	2	3	1	-2
23	Zion Griffin	F	34:30	5-8	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	1	1	10	0	1	0	0	1	3
3	Damaria Franklin	G	38:01	8-16	1-4	6-9	5	6	11	3	4	23	2	3	2	0	1	7
13	Kevin Johnson	G	42:23	7-15	3-7	0-1	0	1	1	1	4	17	9	2	2	0	0	3
20	Jamie Ahale	G	27:18	3-8	2-7	0-0	0	6	6	1	0	8	0	2	0	1	0	4
0	Jace Carter		05:12	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
5	Jalen Warren		15:20	1-5	1-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	3	2	2	0	0	2	0
4	Brandon Battle		17:11	2-3	0-0	1-1	2	4	6	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	6
50	Filip Skobalj		11:19	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	-1
Team							0	1	1			0		0				
Totals				29-69	9-28	7-11	11	30	41	14	14	74	13	12	7	4	5	4

Technical Fouls::NONE

Dead Ball Rebounds: 1, 0

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	13-30	43.3%
	3PT%	5-17	29.4%
	FT%	3-5	60%
2 nd	FG%	10-32	31.3%
	3PT%	4-11	36.4%
	FT%	1-1	100%
OT	FG%	6-7	85.7%
	3PT%	0-0	0.0%
	FT%	3-5	60%
GM	FG%	29-69	42.0%
	3PT%	9-28	32.1%
	FT%	7-11	63.6%

Valparaiso - 70 Record: 0-2

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	
0	Thomas Kithier	F	37:46	11-16	0-1	6-9	2	9	11	4	7	28	2	3	1	0	1	-3
12	Keion Taylor	F	42:47	6-14	2-6	2-2	2	4	6	1	1	16	4	2	0	1	0	-6
10	Eron Gordon	G	28:55	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	7	7	2	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	-2
13	Sheldon Edwards	G	30:13	4-12	1-3	4-6	0	4	4	2	3	13	2	1	1	4	2	6
21	Trevor Anderson	G	33:01	2-6	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	1	5	0	1	2	0	1	2
3	Connor Barrett		09:08	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-7
4	Darius DeAveiro		27:39	2-4	1-1	0-0	0	4	4	2	0	5	0	2	2	0	0	-6
11	Emil Freese-Vilien		04:07	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1
33	Trey Woodyard		02:13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
5	Keyondre Young		06:04	1-2	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	-5
32	Joe Hedstrom		03:07	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Team							1	0	1			0		1				
Totals				26-59	6-15	12-17	5	32	37	14	14	70	11	13	7	5	4	-4

Technical Fouls::NONE

Dead Ball Rebounds: 3, 0

Shooting By Period			
1 st	FG%	12-29	41.4%
	3PT%	3-8	37.5%
	FT%	2-3	66.7%
2 nd	FG%	12-24	50.0%
	3PT%	2-5	40.0%
	FT%	4-8	50%
OT	FG%	2-6	33.3%
	3PT%	1-2	50.0%
	FT%	6-6	100%
GM	FG%	26-59	44.1%
	3PT%	6-15	40.0%
	FT%	12-17	70.6%

	UIC	VAL
Biggest lead	7 (2 nd 19:02)	5 (1 st 8:42)
Best Scoring Run	9 (2 nd 19:02)	11 (2 nd 14:46)
Lead Changes	9	
Times Tied	9	
Time with Lead	18:22	17:23

Points from	UIC	VAL
Turnovers	14	10
Paint	36	40
Second Chance	6	8
Fast Breaks	13	2
Bench	11	8

Period by Period Scoring				
	1st	2nd	OT1	TOT
UIC	34	25	15	74
VAL	29	30	11	70



Officials: Shane Staggs, Ervin Wilson, Eric Lowe

Toledo - 69

Record: 2-0

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	
4	Setric Millner Jr.	F	32:49	3-7	1-2	3-4	0	3	3	3	2	10	2	2	1	0	0	11
32	JT Shumate	F	31:30	7-11	4-6	2-2	3	6	9	3	3	20	3	2	2	2	0	3
0	Ra'Heim Moss	G	28:24	2-4	0-0	2-2	1	5	6	4	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	-3
5	Ryan Rollins	G	32:53	6-16	0-2	3-4	0	3	3	2	2	15	2	3	0	0	3	13
10	RayJ Dennis	G	33:10	2-8	0-4	3-4	1	5	6	1	5	7	4	2	0	0	1	6
3	Elijah Wilson		14:21	2-2	1-1	0-0	2	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	12
12	Kooper Jacobi		12:42	0-2	0-0	2-2	0	3	3	1	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	-4
1	Jamere Hill		06:50	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
13	Mihai Carcoana		02:59	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
2	EJ Farmer		04:22	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	-6
Team							1	2	3			0		0				
Totals				24-55	6-15	15-18	9	29	38	15	15	69	13	11	3	2	4	8

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	14-31	45.2%
3PT%	3-8	37.5%
FT%	4-4	100%
2 nd FG%	10-24	41.7%
3PT%	3-7	42.9%
FT%	11-14	78.6%
GM FG%	24-55	43.6%
3PT%	6-15	40.0%
FT%	15-18	83.3%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

Technical Fouls: Moss 1st 14:11

Valparaiso - 61

Record: 0-1

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	
0	Thomas Kithier	F	33:32	8-11	0-0	0-0	0	5	5	3	2	16	2	1	1	1	0	-2
12	Keveon Taylor	F	36:53	4-9	2-6	2-4	0	3	3	3	5	12	4	3	1	1	0	-8
10	Eron Gordon	G	18:22	1-5	0-2	0-0	1	3	4	1	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	-2
13	Sheldon Edwards	G	29:31	4-15	1-9	1-2	0	2	2	0	1	10	1	2	0	2	1	-1
21	Trevor Anderson	G	33:15	5-8	0-2	1-1	0	5	5	1	1	11	5	0	0	0	0	-14
4	Darius DeAveiro		25:56	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	1	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	-2
5	Keyondre Young		11:53	1-5	1-2	0-0	1	2	3	2	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	-2
11	Emil Freese-Vilien		05:28	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	-5
33	Trey Woodyard		05:10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-4
Team							1	1	2			0		1				
Totals				26-60	5-23	4-7	5	23	28	15	14	61	13	10	5	4	2	-8

Shooting By Period		
1 st FG%	14-31	45.2%
3PT%	2-13	15.4%
FT%	3-4	75%
2 nd FG%	12-29	41.4%
3PT%	3-10	30.0%
FT%	1-3	33.3%
GM FG%	26-60	43.3%
3PT%	5-23	21.7%
FT%	4-7	57.1%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 3, 0

Technical Fouls: NONE

	TOL	VAL	Points from		TOL	VAL	Period by Period Scoring			
Biggest lead	10 (1 st 6:06)	1 (1 st 14:02)	Turnovers		10	12		1st	2nd	TOT
Best Scoring Run	9 (2 nd 0:27)	10 (1 st 3:16)	Paint		32	34	TOL	35	34	69
Lead Changes	4		Second Chance		13	7	VAL	33	28	61
Times Tied	10		Fast Breaks		18	9				
Time with Lead	34:25	01:56	Bench		11	10				

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics

Valparaiso vs Stanford

11/29/97 7:45 p.m. at Hilo, Hawaii (Afook-Chinen Auditorium)

Valparaiso 65 • 1-3

#	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
33	VISKOVIC, Zoran	f	5-7	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	5	10	0	2	0	0	22
44	JENKINS, Bill	f	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	5	6	5	2	2	3	0	0	26
52	VILCINSKAS, Antanas	c	2-4	0-0	6-7	2	1	3	5	10	1	3	0	0	24
10	SYKES, Jamie	g	0-3	0-1	1-2	1	2	3	2	1	3	2	0	2	34
24	DREW, Bryce	g	8-14	5-7	4-4	2	2	4	4	25	2	5	0	1	18
03	PHIFER, Jay		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
20	PUNDA, Marko		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	6
21	NUNESS, Jared		2-2	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	5	4	1	0	2	21
25	THOMASON, Aaron		0-2	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	10
30	GORDON, Monte		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
32	JENKINS, Jason		2-3	2-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	6	1	0	0	0	12
43	JENKINS, Bob		1-3	0-0	3-4	0	1	1	5	5	2	3	0	0	27
Team						2	5	7							
Totals			21-42	8-13	15-19	8	21	29	34	65	16	19	0	5	200

FG % 1st Half: 10-23 43.5% 2nd half: 11-19 57.9% Game: 21-42 50.0%
 3FG % 1st Half: 1-4 25.0% 2nd half: 7-9 77.8% Game: 8-13 61.5%
 FT % 1st Half: 4-4 100.0% 2nd half: 11-15 73.3% Game: 15-19 78.9%

Deadball
Rebounds
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Stanford 70 • 3-0

#	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
05	SAUER, Peter	f	1-6	0-2	4-4	1	2	3	3	6	1	2	0	0	19
45	MADSEN, Mark	f	1-1	0-0	9-14	1	2	3	3	11	0	1	0	0	23
55	YOUNG, Tim	c	4-8	0-0	9-11	2	5	7	4	17	2	3	2	1	26
03	WEEMS, Kris	g	1-7	1-4	5-6	1	0	1	1	8	3	1	0	0	18
11	LEE, Arthur	g	3-6	1-2	4-4	1	2	3	3	11	2	0	0	0	21
04	McDONALD, Michael		1-3	0-1	0-1	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	14
21	MOSELEY, David		1-4	1-4	1-2	1	0	1	1	4	1	1	0	2	17
31	COLLINS, Jarron		0-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	10
32	MENDEZ, Ryan		0-4	0-4	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	15
35	TSHIONYI, Kamba		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	8
40	VAN ELSWYK, Pete		0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	9
44	SEATON, Mark		4-4	0-0	2-4	5	1	6	0	10	0	1	1	0	20
Team						3	1	4							
Totals			16-45	3-17	35-48	17	15	32	19	70	10	14	3	3	200

FG % 1st Half: 9-24 37.5% 2nd half: 7-21 33.3% Game: 16-45 35.6%
 3FG % 1st Half: 3-7 42.9% 2nd half: 0-10 0.0% Game: 3-17 17.6%
 FT % 1st Half: 12-18 66.7% 2nd half: 23-30 76.7% Game: 35-48 72.9%

Deadball
Rebounds
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Officials: Richard Byrum, Norm Barucki, Steve Trout

Technical fouls: Valparaiso-TEAM. Stanford-None.

Attendance:

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Valparaiso	25	40	65
Stanford	33	37	70