



**Liberty Women's Basketball Supplemental Game Notes**  
**Game No. 31 – March 10, 2012**  
**No. 1 seed Liberty (22-8) vs. No. 5 seed Charleston Southern (17-13)**  
**Big South Women's Basketball Championship Semifinal**  
**High Point, N.C. (Millis Center)**

**Matchup Notes**

- Liberty Head Coach Carey Green is now 308-102 in his 13<sup>th</sup> season with the Lady Flames, including 28-1 against Charleston Southern.
- Charleston Southern Head Coach Julie Goodenough is now 78-103 in her sixth season with the Lady Buccaneers, including 1-12 against Liberty.
- Liberty is 45-6 all-time against Charleston Southern, including 5-0 in the Big South Championship and 2-0 this season.
- The Lady Flames' last meeting with CSU in the Big South Championship was a 74-64 triumph in the 2009 quarterfinal round at the Millis Center.
- In that game, freshman Avery Warley posted eight points and nine rebounds in her Big South Championship debut.
- The only time Liberty and Charleston Southern have squared off in the semifinals came in 2002, when No. 1 seed Liberty defeated No. 8 seed CSU by a 54-41 score at the Roanoke Civic Center in Roanoke, Va.
- Liberty won both of its games against Charleston Southern this season, but both matchups were very competitive.
- On Jan. 16 at CSU, the Lady Buccaneers led by nine points before Liberty came roaring back for a 79-64 victory. Avery Warley and Tolu Omotola led the comeback, combining for 35 second-half points between them.
- Warley finished the game with a season-high 26 points and a game-high 13 rebounds, while shooting a perfect 12-of-12 from the foul line. Twenty-two of her points came during the second half.
- On Feb. 11 at Liberty, the Lady Flames needed double overtime to post a 77-69 win over Charleston Southern.
- Reagan Miller starred in that contest, finishing with a career-high 23 points for the Lady Flames. She had five three-pointers on the day, including one with 53 seconds left in regulation that forced overtime.
- Avery Warley added a career-high 23 rebounds for the Lady Flames, tying the Vines Center record.
- Danika Dale scored nine of her 12 points during the two overtime periods.

### **Big South Championship Notes**

- Liberty has reached the Big South Championship semifinal round for the 16<sup>th</sup> straight year.
- The Lady Flames are 14-3 all-time in the Big South semifinals and have won each of their last four semifinal contests.
- Liberty is 39-1 all-time in the Big South Championship when favored according to seed.
- Liberty is 12-2 at the Millis Center since the start of the 2008-09 season, including 9-1 in the Big South Championship.
- The Lady Flames will look to continue a streak which has seen either Liberty or Radford play in the Big South Championship title game every time it has been contested.
- Head coach Carey Green is now 33-2 all-time in Big South Championship contests.
- Liberty has reached the Big South Championship title game in 11 of Carey Green's first 12 seasons at the helm.

### **A Look Back at Friday's Win over UNC Asheville**

- Liberty never trailed in the game after posting an early 16-0 run on its way to a 71-50 win over UNC Asheville.
- The Lady Flames have now won five straight games overall, 11 straight matchups against Asheville and 16 straight Big South Championship openers.
- Liberty, which leads the nation in rebound margin, outrebounded the Bulldogs by a 48-26 count. The rebounding number included 23 offensive boards, which led to 20 second-chance points.
- Liberty has now outrebounded eight straight opponents and 56 of its last 57, dating back to last season.
- The Lady Flames held Asheville to 34 percent (17-of-50) field goal shooting. Liberty, which ranks No. 8 nationally for field goal percentage defense, has now held 52 straight opponents below 50 percent from the field.
- Liberty's bench outscored Asheville's reserves by a 25-9 count. It was the sixth time this season that the Lady Flames have notched 20 or more bench points against a Big South opponent.
- The Lady Flames tallied 32 points in the paint to the Bulldogs' 14. No Big South opponent has outscored Liberty in the paint this season.

### **Player Notes**

#### **#1 LaKendra Washington**

Stat Line vs. UNC Asheville – 8 points, 1 rebound, 1 assist, 1 steal, 3-5 FG, 2-3 3FG

- In her last three games, Washington is averaging 10.3 ppg and shooting 63.6 percent (7-of-11) from three-point range.
- In her two games at the Millis Center this year, Washington is averaging 9.0 ppg and shooting 66.7 percent (4-of-6) on three-pointers.
- She has made as many three-pointers this year (24) as she had during her first two seasons combined.

### **#3 Ellee Rollins**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 0 points, 3 rebounds, 0-2 FG, 0-1 3FG

- Rollins' three rebounds tied her career high, set Nov. 22 vs. Virginia-Wise.

### **#5 Reagan Miller**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 10 points, 2 assists, 1 turnover, 2-8 FG, 2-7 3FG, 4-4 FT

- Miller scored all 10 of her points during the second half.
- Her 21 minutes played were her fewest since Nov. 22, when she played 19 minutes against Virginia-Wise.
- She hit a pair of three-pointers, boosting her season total to 55. With two more triples, Miller would move up to No. 4 on Liberty's single-season list. With three triples, she would claim the No. 3 spot on the list.
- Miller has now made her last 12 free throws in a row and 23 of her last 24 tries from the charity stripe.
- The last time she faced Charleston Southern (Feb. 11), Miller scored a career-high 23 points and hit five three-pointers. One of those triples came with 53 seconds left in regulation, tying the game and sending it to overtime.

### **#12 Danika Dale**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 8 points, 7 rebounds, 4 assists, 2 blocks, 3-10 FG, 2-2 FT

- Dale needs only two more points to reach 500 for her career.
- Dale needs five assists to reach 100 this season, after totaling 77 during the first three seasons of her career.
- She now ranks No. 37 in program history with 397 career rebounds, leaving her three shy of 400.
- Dale was the lone Lady Flame to play more than 22 minutes on Friday, finishing with 28 minutes played.
- She played a career-high 41 minutes during Liberty's Feb. 11 double-overtime victory over Charleston Southern, posting 12 points, five rebounds and a career-high seven assists. She had nine of her 12 points during the two overtime sessions.

### **#22 Tolu Omotola**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 5 points, 6 rebounds, 1 steal, 2-3 FG, 1-1 FT

- Omotola's five points tied her with Amber Mays for 50<sup>th</sup> place on Liberty's career scoring list. Omotola has tallied 522 points in her first two seasons with the Lady Flames.
- Omotola is now tied with Angie Johnson for 37<sup>th</sup> place in program history with 389 career rebounds.
- Played well in both games against Charleston Southern this year, posting 15 points and eight rebounds on Jan. 16 and tallying 11 points and nine rebounds on Feb. 11.

### **#23 Avery Warley**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 17 points, 13 rebounds, 2 blocks, 1 steal, 7-11 FG, 3-6 FT

- Warley paced the Lady Flames in both points and rebounds on Friday.
- She passed Katie Feenstra as Liberty's all-time leading rebounder in Big South Championship play. Warley has totaled 113 rebounds in 10 career Big South Championship outings.
- Warley's double-double was her 13<sup>th</sup> of the season and the 45<sup>th</sup> of her career. Liberty is 38-7 when she notches a double-double, including 11-2 this year.
- She became the fifth Lady Flame ever to surpass 1,400 career points. Warley has now totaled 1,413 points.
- Warley has now grabbed 337 rebounds this season. That ranks her No. 3 in program history and No. 4 in Big South history.
- Warley ranks No. 8 nationally in rebounding this season.
- Warley starred in both of Liberty's wins over Charleston Southern this year. On Jan. 16, she scored 22 of her season-high 26 points during the second half and added 13 rebounds. Warley shot 12-of-12 from the free throw line in that game.
- On Feb. 11, Warley finished with 14 points and a career-high 23 rebounds in a double-overtime win over the Lady Buccaneers.
- On Saturday, Warley will try to replicate her performance from last year's Big South semifinal win over High Point. That day, she scored a career-high 28 points, grabbed 13 rebounds and blocked four shots in Liberty's victory. Warley's last point of the game was No. 1,000 of her career.

### **#24 Jasmine Gardner**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 3 points, 1 rebound, 1-4 FG, 1-2 FT

- Gardner gave Liberty a spark in its Jan. 16 win at Charleston Southern, grabbing five rebounds in just six minutes of playing time.

### **#32 Terika Lunsford**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 4 points, 3 rebounds, 3 assists, 1 steal, 2-3 FG

- Lunsford's three assists on Friday set a new career high.
- She has now scored 100 points this season, becoming the ninth Lady Flame to top the 100-point mark in 2011-12.

### **#40 Devon Brown**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 6 points, 1 rebound, 4 assists, 2 blocks, 3 steals, 1-9 FG, 4-6 FT

- Brown's six points on Friday equaled her season low (also Feb. 18 at Winthrop).
- She needs 13 points to become the sixth Lady Flame ever to reach 1,400 career points.
- She needs 14 rebounds to become one of the top 10 rebounders in program history.
- Her two blocked shots against Asheville tied her career high.
- With four assists versus Asheville, Brown now has 83 on the season. That equals her assist total from her first two seasons combined.
- Brown recorded a double-double (12 points, 10 rebounds) during Liberty's double-overtime victory over Charleston Southern on Feb. 11.

#### **#44 Catherine Kearney**

Stat line vs. UNC Asheville – 10 points, 4 rebounds, 1 block, 4-6 FG, 2-2 FT

- Kearney reached double figures in the scoring column for the first time since her last visit to the Millis Center.
- That day (Feb. 6), she also tallied 10 points in a win over High Point.