



GAME

#6

MARIST 2-3

VS.

#18-#15 MEMPHIS 4-1

TUESDAY, DEC. 2 - 7 PM CT

FEDEXFORUM - MEMPHIS, TENN.

BY THE NUMBERS...

73.9

• Tigers' winning percentage in month of November in Calipari era (34-12 record); had a 12-game November win streak before loss to Xavier Nov. 23

73.6

• Tigers' winning percentage in month of December in Calipari era (39-14 record); has won last seven December games

4-0

• **John Calipari's** record when facing former assistants; Tuesday's game is 2nd of five former assistants Calipari will meet in 2008-09

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• With a victory Tuesday, **John Calipari** can take over No. 2 spot by himself for most wins by an NCAA coach in his first 17 years

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**MEMPHIS
TIGER
BASKETBALL**

2009

TIGERS ON TV AND RADIO

Television: None (Game to be streamed online at www.gotigersgo.com)

Radio: WREC 600 AM (Dave Woloshin, play-by-play; Matt Dillon, color analyst; Forrest Goodman, studio host)

TIGERS TO HOST MARIST TUESDAY NIGHT AT FEDEXFORUM

The University of Memphis squad (4-1, 0-0 C-USA), ranked No. 18 in the Associated Press poll and No. 15 in ESPN/USA Today poll, returns to action on Tuesday, Dec. 2 after an eight-day layoff with a home contest at FedExForum versus Marist (2-3, 0-0 MAAC). Game time is 7 p.m. (CT).

Memphis last played Nov. 23 when it dropped a 63-58 decision to Xavier in the championship game of the 2008 O'Reilly Auto Parts Tip-Off Classic. The Tigers advanced to the championship game with wins over Chattanooga Nov. 20 (83-71 in quarter-final) and Seton Hall Nov. 21 (84-70 in semifinal). The Tigers began action in the tournament Nov. 15 with a 90-63 opening-round victory over Fairfield at FedExForum (see tournament bracket and final results on page 4).

Memphis, the 2008-09 preseason pick to win Conference USA, returns two starters and eight letterwinners from last year's squad that won an NCAA record 38 games (38-2 record) and advanced to the NCAA Tournament national championship game. En route to the title contest, the Tigers swept the Conference USA regular season and tournament crowns and the NCAA Tournament South Region championship.

Marist, picked to finish 10th in the Metro At-

SCHEDULE-RESULTS

4-1, 0-0 C-USA

NOVEMBER

4	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS (EXH.)	83-52, W
15	FAIRFIELD	90-63, W
17	UMASS (ESPN)	80-58, W
20-23	O'Reilly Auto Parts Puerto Rico Tip-Off	
20	vs. Chattanooga (ESPN2).....	83-71, W
21	vs. Seton Hall (ESPN2).....	84-70, W
23	vs. Xavier (ESPN2).....	58-63, L

DECEMBER

2	MARIST	7 PM
13	at Georgetown (CBS).....	1 pm
17	ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK	7 PM
20	SYRACUSE (ESPN)	5 PM
22	DREXEL	12 PM
29	CINCINNATI (ESPN2)	8 PM
31	NORTHEASTERN (CSS)	1 PM

JANUARY

3	LAMAR (CSS)	7 PM
7	MARSHALL* (CSS)	8 PM
10	at UCF* (CBS C).....	4 pm
13	at Tulsa* (ESPN2).....	6:30 pm
17	UAB* (CBS C)	7 PM
21	RICE* (CSS)	8 PM
24	at Tennessee (CBS).....	2:30 pm
28	at East Carolina* (CSS).....	6 pm
31	HOUSTON* (CBS C)	12 PM

FEBRUARY

4	at SMU* (CBS C).....	8 pm
7	at Gonzaga (ESPN Gameday).....	8 pm
11	TULSA* (CBS C)	7 PM
14	at Southern Miss* (CBS C).....	4 pm
18	SMU* (CBS C)	7 PM
21	at UTEP* (ESPN).....	3 pm
26	at UAB* (ESPN/ESPN2).....	8 pm
28	SOUTHERN MISS* (CSS)	12 PM

MARCH

3	at Houston* (CBS C).....	7 pm
7	TULANE* (CSS)	12 PM
11-14	C-USA Tournament (Memphis, Tenn.)	

Home games in **bold** SMALL CAPS *C-USA Game

PROBABLE STARTERS-TOP RESERVES VS. MARIST

(BASED ON PREVIOUS GAME STARTERS)

	No.	Name	Pos	Yr	Ht/Wt	PPG	RPG	Hometown
MEMPHIS STARTERS	0	Shawn Taggart	F	r-Jr.	6-10/238	9.4	9.4	Richmond, Va.
	2	Robert Dozier	F	Sr.	6-9/220	13.2	6.8	Lithonia, Ga.
	5	Antonio Anderson	G	Sr.	6-6/214	9.8	5.6apg	Lynn, Mass.
	12	Tyreke Evans	G	Fr.	6-6/219	14.6	5.8	Chester, Pa.
	20	Doneal Mack	G	Jr.	6-5/181	12.8	2.4	Charlotte, N.C.
— Reserves —								
	1	Willie Kemp	G	Jr.	6-2/184	5.2	1.8apg	Bolivar, Tenn.
	4	Pierre Henderson-Niles	F	Jr.	6-8/300	2.8	3.4	Memphis, Tenn.
	11	Wesley Witherspoon	F/G	Fr.	6-8/200	6.0	2.8	Atlanta, Ga.

	No.	Name	Pos	Yr	Ht/Wt	PPG	RPG	Hometown
MARIST STARTERS	23	Lawrence Williams	F	r-So.	6-7/220	10.8	7.0	Staten Island, N.Y.
	44	Ryan Schneider	F	r-Sr.	6-7/200	13.0	10.0	Yorktown Hgts., N.Y.
	11	Dejuan Goodwin	G	r-So.	6-2/171	7.2	4.0	Baltimore, Md.
	24	David Devezin	G	r-Jr.	6-0/180	14.4	4.0apg	Houston, Texas
	33	Javon Parris	G	r-Jr.	6-4/180	6.2	3.4	Brooklyn, N.Y.
— Reserves —								
	10	R.J. Hall	G	Fr.	5-10/165	8.8	2.0	Bloomfield, N.J.
	21	Kaylen Gregory	G/F	r-Sr.	6-3/195	2.0	2.6	St. Thomas, Virgin Isl.
	41	Korey Bauer	F	So.	6-9/225	3.8	2.8	Whitehall, Pa.

NATIONAL POLLS

*Associated Press
(Dec. 1)*

1.	North Carolina (72).....	7-0
2.	Connecticut.....	6-0
3.	Pittsburgh.....	7-0
4.	Duke.....	7-0
5.	<i>Gonzaga</i>	5-0
6.	Oklahoma.....	6-0
7.	Notre Dame.....	5-1
8.	Texas.....	5-1
9.	Purdue.....	5-1
10.	<i>Tennessee</i>	5-1
11.	Louisville.....	2-1
12.	UCLA.....	4-1
13.	Michigan State.....	4-1
14.	<i>Xavier</i>	6-0
15.	Wake Forest.....	6-0
16.	Villanova.....	6-0
17.	<i>Syracuse</i>	6-0
18.	Memphis	4-1
19.	Arizona State.....	5-1
20.	<i>Georgetown</i>	4-1
21.	Miami, Fla.....	4-1
22.	Davidson.....	5-1
23.	Florida.....	5-1
24.	Baylor.....	6-1
25.	Marquette.....	5-1

ARV: #37 UAB

*ESPN/USA Today Coaches
(Dec 1)*

1.	North Carolina (31).....	7-0
2.	Connecticut.....	6-0
3.	Pittsburgh.....	7-0
4.	Duke.....	7-0
5.	<i>Gonzaga</i>	5-0
6.	Oklahoma.....	6-0
7.	Notre Dame.....	5-1
8.	Texas.....	5-1
9.	UCLA.....	4-1
10.	Purdue.....	5-1
11.	Louisville.....	2-1
12.	Michigan State.....	4-1
13.	<i>Tennessee</i>	5-1
14.	<i>Xavier</i>	6-0
15.	Memphis	4-1
16.	Villanova.....	6-0
17.	Wake Forest.....	6-0
18.	<i>Georgetown</i>	4-1
19.	Arizona State.....	5-1
20.	<i>Syracuse</i>	6-0
21.	Florida.....	5-1
22.	Miami, Fla.....	4-1
23.	Wisconsin.....	5-1
24.	Davidson.....	5-1
25.	Kansas.....	4-1

ARV: None

** Tiger opponents in italics*

**MEMPHIS-MARIST
SERIES INFORMATION**

Overall series.....Memphis leads 1-0
Last Memphis win..... UofM 75, MC 57
 Dec. 30, 1987
 New York, N.Y.
 ECAC Holiday Festival
Calipari vs. Marist..... First Meeting

MARIST QUICK FACTS

Location..... Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
 Enrollment..... 4,256
 Founded..... 1929
 Nickname..... Red Foxes
 Colors..... Red, White & Black
 Arena/Capacity..... McCann Center/3,200
 Conference..... Metro Atlantic Athletic
 Head Coach..... Chuck Martin
 Record at School..... 2-3/1st year

lantic Athletic Conference (MAAC) in the coaches' preseason poll, is off to a 2-3 start to the 2008-09 campaign. The Red Foxes have won two of their last three games with victories over Robert Morris 72-55 and New Hampshire 63-61.

Last year, Marist posted an 18-14 overall record and an 11-7 MAAC mark. The Red Foxes finished in a tie for fourth place in the MAAC.

SCOUTING THE RED FOXES

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**MEMPHIS-MARIST
STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

Statistic	U of M	MC
Record	4-1	2-3
RPI (as of 12/1)	51	284
Sagarin (as of 11/30)	9	240
Scoring Offense	79.0	66.6
Scoring Defense	65.0	68.8
Scoring Margin	+14.0	-2.2
Free Throw Percentage	.667	.689
Field Goal Percentage	.427	.414
Field Goal Pct. Defense	.389	.405
3-Point Field Goal Pct.	.257	.365
3-Point FG Pct. Defense	.307	.317
Rebounding Offense	41.0	37.8
Rebounding Defense	37.4	38.6
Rebounding Margin	+3.6	-0.8
Blocked Shots	6.0	3.2
Assists	16.6	8.6
Steals	12.0	5.8

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Redshirt junior guard David Devezin leads three players averaging in double figures at 14.4 ppg. Red-shirt senior Ryan Schneider (13.0 ppg) and redshirt sophomore Lawrence Williams (10.8) are also averaging double digits for the Red Foxes. Schneider leads Marist on the glass with a 10.0 rebounding average, while Williams is second at 7.0 rpg. Devezin is tops on the team with 20 assists (4.0 apg).

The Red Foxes are shooting 41.4 percent from the field, 36.5 percent from the three-point line and 68.9 percent from the charity stripe. Opponents are out-rebounding Marist by a slim 0.8 margin (38.6-37.8).

Chuck Martin is in his first season as head coach of the Marist program. Martin makes his return to Memphis, where he helped lead the Tiger program to a 71-6 record from 2006-08 and the 2008 NCAA

TIGER TRACKING

FOLLOWING MEMPHIS IN THE POLLS

	PS	N-17	N-24	D-1	D-8	D-15	D-22	D-29	J-5	J-12	J-19
AP	13	13	18	18							
Coaches	12	12	17	15							
	J-26	F-2	F-9	F-16	F-23	M-2	M-9	M-16	PT		

AP
Coaches

PS — preseason ranking; PT — post-tournament ranking

TIGER RECORD WITH STARTERS

Record	Games	Starters
1-0	Fairfield	Anderson, Dozier, Kemp, Mack, Taggart
1-0	UMass	Anderson, Dozier, Evans, Kemp, Taggart
2-1	Chattanooga, Seton Hall, Xavier	Anderson, Dozier, Evans, Mack, Taggart

The last time Memphis played a MAAC school was just over two weeks ago when the Tigers defeated Fairfield 90-63 on Nov. 15. The contest was the season opener for both schools, and was also an opening round game of the 2008 O'Reilly Auto Parts Puerto Rico Tip-Off.

CALIPARI VS. THE MAAC

Memphis head coach **John Calipari** has a perfect 8-0 record versus members of the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference (MAAC). Calipari has coached against Fairfield (1-0), Manhattan (2-0), Saint Peter's (1-0) and Siena (4-0).

Calipari is 3-0 versus MAAC foes during his time at Memphis. He coached the Tigers to a 77-59 win over Manhattan in the 2006-07 campaign and a 102-58 victory over Siena in the 2007-08 season. Calipari picked up his third victory over a MAAC foe just over two weeks ago when his Tigers defeated Fairfield 90-63 on Nov. 15 in the 2008-09 season opener.

CONNECTIONS AND STORYLINES

The media usually loves storylines within a game. Well, it has a couple in Tuesday's game with Memphis and Marist. The following lists those:

John Calipari, Memphis Head Coach

- Hired Chuck Martin to join his staff prior to the 2006-07 season
- Hired Tyrone Weeks to join his staff prior to the 2007-08 season
- Recruited Weeks to play at UMass; Weeks was a member of the 1995-96 UMass team that went to the NCAA Final Four

Chuck Martin, Marist Head Coach

- Served as an assistant for John Calipari at Memphis from 2006-08
- Tigers posted a 71-6 record in his two years in Memphis
- Also was an assistant at Drexel for Bruiser Flint, who was an assistant for John Calipari at UMass

Tyrone Weeks, Marist Asst. Coach

- Served on John Calipari's staff at Memphis for the 2007-08 season
- Recruited to play at UMass by then-Minuteman head coach John Calipari
- Was a member of the 1995-96 UMass squad that advanced to the NCAA Final Four

CALIPARI VERSUS FORMER ASSISTANTS

John Calipari doesn't like to play former assistants, but one couldn't tell that from the Tigers' schedule in 2008-09. Tuesday's game against UMass is the second of five games in which Calipari will match wits versus a former assistant.

Entering this season, Calipari is a perfect 3-0 versus former assistants. He has coached against Tony Barbee (UTEP) twice and Steve Roccaforte (Lamar) once.

This year, Calipari faced his first former assistant coach in Derek Kellogg when the Tigers hosted

UMass Nov. 17 at FedExForum. Memphis posted an 80-58 victory over UMass to improve Calipari's record to 4-0 when matching wits with former assistants. The following shows the former assistants Calipari will face in 2008-09 and the ones he has already played and those results:

2008-09 Calipari vs. Former Assistants

Opponent	Former Asst.	Date/Result
UMass	Derek Kellogg	80-58, W
Marist	Chuck Martin	Dec. 2
Drexel	Bruiser Flint	Dec. 22
Lamar	Steve Roccaforte	Jan. 3
UTEP	Tony Barbee	Feb. 21

Past Results

Opponent	Former Asst.	Result
UTEP	Tony Barbee	70-64, W*
UTEP	Tony Barbee	78-67, W#

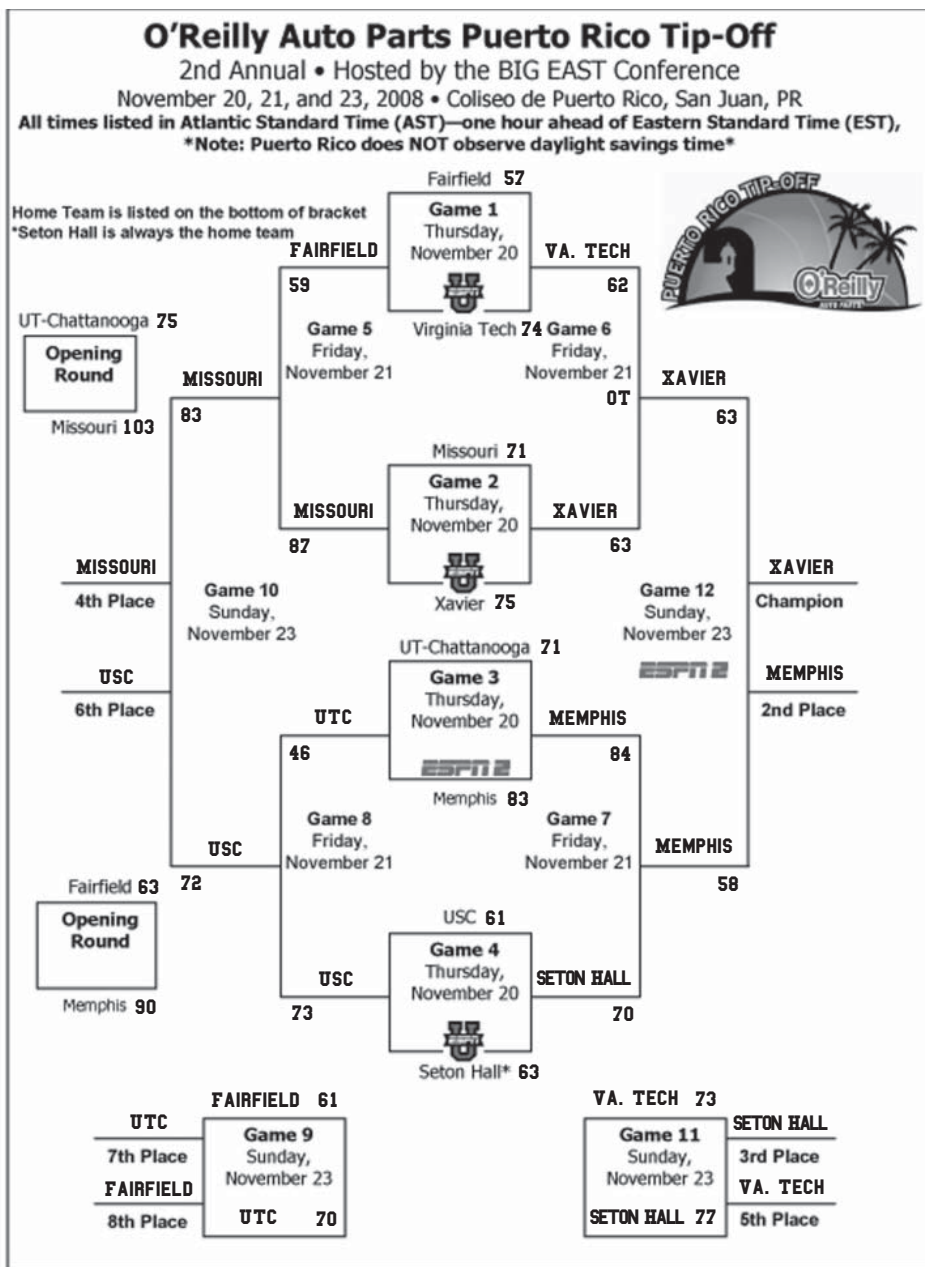
Lamar Steve Roccaforte 87-62, W#
 * 2007-08 season
 # 2006-07 season

NOVEMBER, PLEASE DON'T GO...

While head coach **John Calipari** focuses on March and prepares teams to make postseason runs, his Tiger squads have done quite well in the month of November. Since taking over in 2000-01, Memphis has a 34-12 record (.739 winning percentage) in November.

One reason for the 12 early setbacks is the rugged national schedule the Tigers have played in the Calipari era. Of the 12 November losses, nine were to nationally-ranked teams.

The Tigers are 23-5 in November since the 2005-06 campaign, with four of the five setbacks coming to ranked opponents. Prior to the Nov. 23 loss to Xavier in the Puerto Rico Tip-Off champion-



ship game, Memphis had won 12-straight games in the month of November, dating back to the 2006-07 season. The following breaks down Memphis' November record under Calipari:

Year	Nov. Rec.	Losses to Ranked Teams
2008-09	4-1	0
2007-08	6-0	0
2006-07	4-1	1
2005-06	5-1	1
2004-05	4-2	2
2003-04	2-1	1
2002-03	2-1	0
2001-02	5-2	2
2000-01	2-3	2
Totals	34-12	9

...BUT, DECEMBER HAS ALSO BEEN GOOD TO TIGERS UNDER CALIPARI

Under head coach **John Calipari**, the Tigers have a 39-14 record (.736 winning percentage) when playing in the month of December. Memphis was 5-0 last December and has won 18 of its last 20 December contests, dating back to the 2004-05 season.

TIGER SUCCESS AT FEDEXFORUM

After a rough first year at their new home in 2004-05, the Tigers have bounced back quite nicely and made FedExForum one of the toughest arenas for opponents to play in. Since the 2005 Conference USA Tournament, Memphis has won 66 of its last 69 home games (.957 winning percentage).

Overall, the Tigers have a 76-9 record (.894 winning percentage) at FedExForum. Memphis had a perfect 19-0 home mark in 2006-07, and was 20-1 at FedExForum in 2007-08.

NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS

Memphis has had a long history of success in non-league games, and that has continued under head coach **John Calipari**. Since Calipari took over in 2000-01, the Tigers have a non-conference record (including postseason) of 114-35 for a 76.5 winning percentage.

In 2007-08, Memphis had a 22-2 record against non-conference opponents (including postseason).

CALIPARI AMONG COACHING ELITE

John Calipari already counted himself among the coaching elite in terms of coaching wins in the first nine, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 years. Well, just a few games into 2008-09 — his 17th season as a head coach — he is already in the top five for most wins by an NCAA Division I coach in his first 17 years.

Calipari is currently tied with former Louisville head coach and Hall of Famer Denny Crum for the No. 2 spot on that list. With his next victory, Calipari will be alone in the No. 2 position. The following lists the coaches with the most victories in their first 17 years:

Coach/School(s)/Yrs	Wins (First 17 yrs)
1. Roy Williams, Kansas, N.C.	470 1989-2005
2. John Calipari, UMass, Memphis**	412 1989-96, 2001-09
t. Denny Crum, Louisville.....	412 1972-88
4. Jim Boeheim, Syracuse	411 1977-93

CHINESE COACHES JOINS TIGER STAFF AS PART OF CBA EXCHANGE PROGRAM

University of Memphis head coach **John Calipari** started an exchange program with the Chinese Basketball Association in September of 2007, and it will continue through 2012.

The first year of the program in 2007-08 was a huge success. Last year, **Cui Wanjun** stayed with the Tigers and was a part of Memphis' magical ride to the NCAA championship game. In June 2008, Calipari took a team of Conference USA All-Stars to China for a three-game exhibition tour. During pregame ceremonies before the final game, the Tigers' **Robert Dozier** presented Wanjun with his NCAA Final Four ring.

The CBA exchange program continues for the 2008-09 season with the additions of Chinese coaches **Zheng Wu** and **Hu Weidong** to the Tiger staff.

Weidong, a 6-foot-6 guard, is a two-time MVP of the CBA and helped lead China to a bronze medal at the 1994 Goodwill Games. He had offers to play in the NBA in 1998 and 2000, but injuries halted both attempts. Weidong played on the Chinese National Team that competed in the 1992, 1996 and 2000 Olympics.

Wu is a 6-foot-7 guard who played for the Chinese National Team in the 1992 and 1996 Olympics.

FEDEXFORUM
THE HOME OF THE TIGERS

The 2008-09 season marks the fifth for the Tigers in their home arena, FedExForum, which officially opened in September, 2004. Located just a few feet off Beale Street on historic Highway 61, FedExForum rises to extend the heart of the Memphis entertainment district.

Memphis plays all of its 2008-09 home contests in the 18,400-seat arena and also hosts its C-USA rivals during the 2009 C-USA Tournament. At 135 feet high, FedExForum provides a new backdrop for historic Beale Street. The 805,850 square-foot arena, covering 13.8 acres, features five levels as well as state-of-the-art locker rooms and facilities for sports teams, as well as an exceptional dining and entertainment experiences for its patrons.

Capacity: 18,400

Open House: Sept. 6, 2004

First Event: Usher concert, Sept. 17, 2004

First Memphis Tiger event: Midnight Madness, Oct. 15, 2004

First Memphis exhibition game: vs. Christian Brothers, Nov. 6, 2004 (81-70, W)

First Memphis regular season game: vs. Savannah State, Coaches vs. Cancer, Nov. 11, 2004 (102-40, W)

Memphis record in FedExForum: 76-9 (.894 winning percentage)



5. Nolan Richardson, Tulsa, Ark.....409
1981-97
6. Tubby Smith, Tulsa, Ga., Ky.....407
1992-2008
7. Jerry Tarkanian, Long Bch, UNLV.....403
1969-85
8. John Thompson, G'town.....399
1973-89
9. Rick Pitino, Boston U., Prov., Ky.,.....396
Louisville/1979-83, 1986-87, 1990-97, 2002-03
10. Bob Huggins, Walsh, Akron,388
Cincinnati, 1981-98

*** Calipari's 17th season is 2008-09*

MAKE ROOM FOR TWO MORE SOON

The Memphis 1,000-point is already 43 players strong, but soon, two more Tigers will join that elite group. Seniors **Antonio Anderson** and **Robert Dozier** are closing in on that milestone and will hit the mark some time in 2007-08.

Anderson now has 946 points, while Dozier has 969 points. The following is an abbreviated list of the top scorers in Tiger history and shows the countdown for Anderson and Dozier to join the club:

Memphis 1,000-Point Scorers

1. Keith Lee/1981-852,408
:
3. Rodney Carney*/2002-06.....1,901
:
9. Chris Douglas-Roberts*/2005-081,545
:
29. Jeremy Hunt*/2002-05; 2006-071,145
:
36. Darius Washington Jr.*/2004-061,054
:
43. Earl Barron/1999-20031,002
:

Robert Dozier/2005-present969
Antonio Anderson/2005-presnet946

** Former teammates of Anderson and Dozier*

HENDERSON-NILES OK AFTER KNEE SPRAIN

Two days after his best performance in a Tiger uniform, junior **Pierre Henderson-Niles** suffered what looked on television as a season-ending knee injury in the first half of Memphis' Nov. 23 contest. But, after the team physician's diagnosis at halftime, the injury was not as serious as it appeared. The injury was a knee sprain, and Henderson-Niles returned to play in the second half.

In the Nov. 21 game versus Seton Hall, Henderson-Niles played like head coach **John Calipari** envisioned his big man would since he arrived on campus in the fall of 2006. After Henderson-Niles' dedication to losing weight over the summer, the work is paying off.

The 6-foot-8 forward played a career-high 23 minutes versus the Pirates, and grabbed a career-best 10 boards. Both previous career bests (seven rebounds vs. Kentucky; 20 minutes vs. Oklahoma) were set at the start of his freshman campaign in

2006-07 at the Maui Invitational.

In the Nov. 21 game versus Seton Hall, Henderson-Niles also scored five points and added one assist and one steal.

THE RETURN OF THE MACK

Over the summer, **Doneal Mack** made a decision to transfer to another school. However, after just a week away, he decided to return to Memphis, and head coach **John Calipari** welcomed him back, but with the conditions that Mack would get stronger and expand his game. That was evident in the Tigers' 83-71 victory over Chattanooga Nov. 20.

The 6-foot-5 guard did what he does best and that was shooting the trey. Mack hit five three-pointers en route to scoring a team-high 19 points. He netted his 19 points on 7-of-12 shooting from the field and 5-of-9 from the arc.

The Charlotte, N.C., native also added three boards, four assists and two steals in his second start of the season. Mack had no turnovers while playing a career-high tying 26 minutes.

Mack continued his solid play in the Puerto Rico Tip-Off against Seton Hall in the Nov. 21 semi-final. He scored a team-best 16 points in the victory over the Pirates. Mack also added two boards and one steal.

ALL-AROUND 'REKE

All the talk from the national pundits about **Tyreke Evans** was that he was a talented and gifted scorer. Well, at least we can give them some credit, as Evans has proved he can score. After the Tigers' first five games, the 6-foot-6 guard is averaging 14.6 points.

But, Evans is quickly proving there is more to his game than just putting the ball in the net. The Chester, Pa., native is also averaging 5.8 rebounds, 3.8 assists and 2.6 steals. He is shooting 84 percent from the free throw line.

The following are Evans' recent stat lines that show his all-around game:

Opponent	Pts	Rebs	A	S
Xavier	12	6	2	1
Seton Hall	12	7	6	2
Chattanooga	11	5	4	3
UMass	19	6	4	5
Fairfield	19	5	3	2
Avg.	14.6	5.8	3.8	2.6

"BULL-DOZIER"-ING THE COMPETITION

When **Robert Dozier** announced he was withdrawing from the 2008 NBA Draft and returning for his final season, head coach **John Calipari** stated that he needed to return and play with passion and determination. In other words, Calipari wanted Dozier to dominate in 2008-09.

Well, Dozier showed the nation a little of that in the Tigers' 80-58 victory over UMass before a national ESPN audience. The 6-foot-9 forward scored 18 points, grabbed five boards and blocked four shots. He also had one assist and one steal in 30 minutes of play.

Dozier stepped up early in the UMass game, es-

MEMPHIS RECORD WHEN...

Leading at half	4-0
Behind at half	0-1
Tied at half.....	0-0
Scores 80 points or more.....	4-0
Scores 70-79 points	0-0
Scores 60-69 points	0-0
Scores under 60 points	0-1
Has 5+ dbl.-figure scorers	1-0
Has 3-4 dbl.-figure scorers	3-1
Has 1-2 dbl.-figure scorers	0-0
Has 20+ points off bench	2-0
Has 15-19 points off bench	1-0
Has less than 15 points off bench	1-1
Shoots FG 50 pct. or better	2-0
Shoots FG 45-49 pct.....	0-0
Shoots FG 40-44 pct.....	0-0
Shoots under 40 pct	2-1
Shoots FT 70 pct. or better	2-0
Shoots FT 65-69 pct.	1-0
Shoots FT under 65 pct	1-1
Shoots treys 50 pct. or better.....	0-0
Shoots treys 45-49 pct.	0-0
Shoots treys 40-44 pct.	0-0
Shoots treys under 40 pct	4-1
Hits 10+ treys.....	0-0
Hits 6-9 treys.....	2-1
Hits fewer than 6 treys.....	2-0
Out-rebounds opponents	3-0
Opponent out-rebound Tigers.....	1-1
Tied in rebounding.....	0-0
Has 20 or more assists	1-0
Has 15-19 assists.....	2-0
Has 14 assists or less	1-1
Commits 15+ turnovers.....	1-0
Commits 11-14 turnovers.....	3-1
Commits 10 or fewer turnovers.....	0-0
Forces 15+ turnovers	4-0
Forces 11-14 turnovers	0-1
Forces 10 or fewer turnovers	0-0
Opp. shoots FG 50 pct. or better	1-0
Opp. shoots FG 45-49 pct.	0-0
Opp. shoots FG 40-44 pct.	2-0
Opp. shoots under 40 pct.....	1-1
Opp. shoots treys 50 pct. or better	0-0
Opp. shoots treys 45-49 pct.....	0-0
Opp. shoots treys 40-44 pct.....	2-0
Opp. shoots treys under 40 pct.....	2-1

TIGER SUCCESS IN THE CLASSROOM IN CALIPARI ERA

Before **John Calipari** took the reins of the Tigers in 2000-01, the Memphis basketball graduation rate was zero. Enter the new head coach who re-energized the program in several ways — including academics.

Fifteen of his last 18 seniors have earned their bachelor's degrees, and this year's three seniors — **Antonio Anderson**, **Robert Dozier** and **Chance McGrady** — all are on schedule to graduate in the spring of 2009. Junior **Shawn Taggart**, who transferred from Iowa State, is also on pace to earn his degree in the spring.

One of Calipari's most recent graduate, **Jeremy Hunt**, is playing professional basketball overseas. **Antonio Burks** recently finished up work on his degree in between his overseas playing stints.

In his time at UMass, nearly 80 percent of Calipari's players earned their degrees.

CALIPARI/UNIVERSITY REACH OUT TO FORMER TIGERS

If there is a coach that understands the history of the Tiger basketball program, it is **John Calipari**. And, he also quickly learned how much the city of Memphis and Tiger fans love the program and hold fond memories of past Memphis teams.

With that in mind, Calipari and the University are reaching out to former Tiger players and asking those who want to return to complete their degrees to do so. **Antonio Burks**, who played for Calipari from 2002-04, took advantage of his former head coach's offer and finished in May 2008.

Other former Tigers who returned to school and earned their degrees are **Chris Garner**, **Cedric Henderson** and **Andre Turner**. All three graduated in 2008. **Turner**, who is better known as "The Little General" of the Tiger squads from 1983-86, made his return to campus after a 20-year professional hoops career overseas.

CBA EXCHANGE - NOT ONLY HOOPS

In addition to the exchange of basketball ideas between the U.S. and China (via Memphis), there will also be an exchange of undergraduate students. During each year of the program, 100 Chinese students will attend the University of Memphis. Also, the UofM opened the Confucius Institute in November of 2007. It is only the 24th such institute in the U.S.

pecially when the Tiger offense was struggling. In the game's first 13 minutes, the Lithonia, Ga., native netted 10 of the team's first 17 points, with four points coming on two emphatic dunks.

Dozier continued his strong early season play in the victory over Chattanooga Nov. 20. He finished the game with 18 points, eight rebounds, four assists, two blocks and three steals. Although limited by foul trouble versus Seton Hall Nov. 21, **Dozier** still managed 10 points and five boards in 20 minutes.

In the Puerto Rico Tip-Off championship game loss to Xavier, **Dozier** posted his first double-double of the season with 10 points and 11 boards. The double-double performance was the 10th of his career.

"TAG" ON A TEAR

When **Joey Dorsey's** career came to an end last season, many questioned how the Tigers would make up for his domination on the glass. The answer — three games into 2008-09 — is **Shawn Taggart**.

Taggart is averaging 9.4 boards per game and has grabbed double-digit rebounds in four of the Tigers' five contests. He started the year with 12 boards versus Fairfield and then followed with 11 rebounds in games against UMass and Chattanooga. **Taggart** had 10 rebounds in the loss to Xavier on Nov. 23.

The Richmond, Va., has also shown his ability to score and has two double-doubles in his first five games. He posted a double-double of 14 points and 12 rebounds in the season-opening win over Fairfield on Nov. 15. It was his first double-double in a Memphis uniform. Five days later (Nov. 20), **Taggart** had his second double-double as a Tiger with 16 points and 11 boards in the victory over Chattanooga.

In the setback to Xavier Nov. 23, the 6-foot-10 forward had four blocks to go along with his 11 boards.

DOUBLE YOUR PLEASURE, PART I

For the second time in his career, **Antonio Anderson** recorded a double-double. The 6-foot-6 guard had 15 points and a career-best 12 boards in the Tigers' 80-58 victory over UMass Nov. 17. He also had five assists and one steal in the win.

His previous career rebounding high was 11 boards versus East Carolina in the 2006-07 season. **Anderson's** first career double-double also came in the 2006-07 campaign when he had 14 points and 10 rebounds in Memphis' NCAA Tournament second-round win over Nevada.

DOUBLE YOUR SCORING PLEASURE

When **Antonio Anderson** and **Robert Dozier** join the Memphis 1,000-point club this season, the tandem will become only the eighth duo in Memphis basketball history to accomplish the feat in the same campaign.

Prior to this year, the last time two Tigers reached 1,000 points in the same season was the 2004-05 campaign when **Rodney Carney** and **Anthony Rice** did so. In two seasons (1982-83 and 1985-86), Memphis had three players score their 1,000th point in the same year.

MEMPHIS TIED FOR LONGEST STREAK IN AP TOP 25 POLL

When **Duke** fell out of the Feb. 12, 2007, Associated Press Top 25 poll after its fourth-straight loss, Memphis and UCLA tied for the longest streak for consecutive weeks in the AP Top 25 poll. The Tigers and Bruins are currently tied with 62-straight weeks ranked in the poll, including the most recent regular season poll released Dec. 1. Memphis was ranked No. 18 in the latest AP poll, while UCLA was No. 12.

Memphis was ranked in all 20 polls last year, and climbed as high as No. 1. The Tigers held the No. 1 spot for a school-record, five-straight weeks. In 2005-06, the Tigers were ranked all 19 weeks and reached as high as No. 3 in the poll. **Duke's** streak ended at 200-straight weeks.

The following lists the seasons in which two or more Tigers reached the 1,000-point milestone in the same campaign:

2004-05

Rodney Carney
Anthony Rice

2000-01

Kelly Wise
Marcus Moody

1995-96

Cedric Henderson
Lorenzen Wright

1992-93

Anfernee Hardaway
Billy Smith

1985-86

Andre Turner
William Bedford
Baskerville Holmes

1982-83

Keith Lee
Phillip Haynes
Bobby Parks

1971-72

Larry Finch
Don Holcomb

DOZIER NAMED TO WOODEN AWARD PRE-SEASON LIST

Senior **Robert Dozier** was named to the 2008-09 John R. Wooden Award preseason top-50 list on Nov. 7. This is the fourth time in the last five years that a Tiger is a Wooden Award preseason candidate. **Chris Douglas-Roberts** (2007-08), **Rodney Carney** and **Darius Washington Jr.** (2005-06) and **Sean Banks** (2004-05) all made the Wooden Award preseason list.

Last year, **Douglas-Roberts** and **Derrick Rose** were selected to the 2008 Wooden Award All-America squad.

A 2008-09 All-Conference USA preseason team pick, **Dozier** is one of the Tigers' two returning starters from last year's squad that won an NCAA record 38 games (38-2 mark) and advanced to the NCAA title game. The 6-foot-9 forward is the team's leading returning scorer (9.2 ppg), rebounder (6.8 rpg) and shot blocker (68 blocks).

Dozier entered 2008-09 closing in on the Memphis 1,000-point club. The Lithonia, Ga., native has

GAME-BY-GAME TEAM STATISTICAL COMPARISON

Game	1st-2nd-F	FG-A	Pct.	3P-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	O-D-Tot	PF-FO	A	TO	BK	ST
Fairfield#	30-33-63	24-48	.500	8-18	.444	7-11	.636	4-16-20	25-0	19	26	1	8
Memphis	45-45-90	29-56	.518	8-23	.348	24-30	.800	12-20-32	16-0	17	13	2	16
UMass	25-33-58	20-66	.303	5-24	.208	13-19	.684	15-34-49	22-0	9	24	6	5
Memphis	33-47-80	30-77	.390	2-19	.105	18-23	.783	15-33-48	17-0	14	14	8	12
Chattanooga#	35-36-71	25-62	.403	11-27	.407	10-20	.500	15-23-38	23-2	16	18	0	3
Memphis	47-36-83	30-58	.517	6-23	.261	17-27	.630	12-27-39	20-0	20	18	5	13
Memphis	44-40-84	25-63	.397	4-19	.211	30-46	.652	20-26-46	20-0	19	11	4	13
Seton Hall#	30-40-70	22-54	.407	5-18	.278	21-28	.750	10-26-36	28-2	8	18	1	6
Xavier#	32-31-63	18-50	.360	2-14	.143	25-37	.676	12-32-44	25-2	10	11	5	7
Memphis	29-29-58	18-55	.327	7-21	.333	15-30	.500	13-27-40	24-1	13	11	11	6

Puerto Rico Tip-Off Classic

969 career points and needs 31 to reach the milestone. Dozier also has 717 rebounds and 176 blocks for his career, and can move up on the school's all-time lists this season. When he reaches 1,000 points and 750 boards, Dozier will become only the seventh Tiger in the program's history to do so. The other Tigers in the 1,000-point, 750-rebound club are Keith Lee, Forest Arnold, Kelly Rise, Ronnie Robinson, David Vaughn and Don Holcomb.

CALIPARI ON ACTIVE, ALL-TIME NCAA WIN PERCENTAGE LIST

John Calipari entered the 2008-09 season with a 75.2 overall winning percentage. His winning percentage is second among NCAA Division I active coaches that have coached at the Division I level for 10 seasons. Calipari trails only Roy Williams.

On the NCAA Division I all-time winningest coaches by percentage (minimum 10 years at Division I level), Calipari is in the No. 14 spot. Only three active coaches are ranked among that list's top 15, and they are Roy Williams at No. 3, Calipari at No. 14 and Mike Krzyzewski at No. 15.

The following are both lists:

NCAA Division I Winningest Active Coaches (By Percentage; Min. 10 yrs. at Division I level)

No.	Coach/Team	Yrs.	Pct.
1.	Roy Williams/UNC	20	.807
2.	John Calipari/Memphis	16	.752
3.	Mike Krzyzewski/Duke	33	.750
4.	Jim Boeheim/Syracuse	32	.735
t.	Bob Huggins/West Va.	26	.735

NCAA Division I Winningest Coaches All-Time (By Percentage; Min. 10 yrs. at Division I level)

No.	Coach	Yrs.	Pct.
1.	Clair Bee	21	.826
2.	Adolph Rupp	41	.822
3.	Roy Williams*	20	.807
4.	John Wooden	29	.804
5.	John Kresse	23	.797
6.	Jerry Tarkanian	31	.784
...			
8.	Dean Smith	36	.776
...			

- 12. Vic Bubas 10 .761
 - ...
 - 14. **John Calipari*** 16 **.752**
 - 15. Mike Krzyzewski* 33 .750
- * only active coaches in top 15 on all-time list

MEMPHIS PRESEASON C-USA FAVORITE

For the fourth-straight year, Memphis is the pre-season favorite to win the Conference USA regular season crown, the league office announced Oct. 14. The C-USA coaches voted the Tigers as the unanimous pick to take its fourth-consecutive Conference USA title.

Memphis, which won an NCAA record 38 games (38-2 mark) last year, brings an overall 42-game Conference USA win streak (including tournament games) and a 33-game regular season win streak into the 2008-09 campaign. The Tigers last dropped a C-USA game on Mar. 2, 2006, with an 80-74 setback at UAB.

The past three years, Memphis has a Conference USA regular season mark of 45-1 and an overall C-USA record of 54-1 (including tournament games). The Tigers swept the last three C-USA regular season and tournament championships. In 2006-07, Memphis became the first team in league history to post a 16-0 regular season record and also win the tournament title. The 2007-08 Tigers repeated that feat.

UAB was chosen to finish second by the league's coaches, followed by Tulsa in third, UTEP in fourth and Southern Miss in fifth.

DOZIER SELECTED TO ALL-C-USA PRE-SEASON SQUAD

Senior Robert Dozier was a 2008-09 preseason All-Conference USA pick, the league office announced Oct. 14. The 6-foot-9 forward is the squad's top returning scorer (9.2 ppg) and rebounder (6.8 rpg). Dozier is closing in on the Tiger 1,000-point club and needs 31 points to reach that milestone.

UAB's Robert Vaden was tapped the C-USA preseason Player of the Year. Joining Dozier and Vaden on the All-C-USA preseason team were UTEP's Stefon Jackson, Tulsa's Jerome Jordan and UCF's Jermaine Taylor.

MEMPHIS AMONG C-USA LEADERS

TEAM (AS OF DEC 1)

	STAT	RANK
Scoring Offense	79.0	3rd
Scoring Defense	65.0	5th
Scoring Margin	+14.0	2nd
Free Throw Pct.	.667	7th
Field Goal Pct.	.427	8th
Field Goal Pct. Defense	.389	4th
3-Pt. Field Goal Pct.	.257	12th
3-Pt. Field Goal Pct. Defense	.307	4th
Rebounding Margin	+3.6	4th
Blocked Shots	6.00	1st
Assists	16.60	2nd
Steals	12.00	1st
Turnover Margin	+6.00	2nd
Assist/Turnover Ratio	1.24	4th
3-Pt. Field Goals Made	5.40	8th

INDIVIDUAL (AS OF DEC. 1)

SCORING

- 14. Tyreke Evans, MEM14.6
- 19. Robert Dozier, MEM13.2
- 20. Doneal Mack, MEM12.8

REBOUNDING

- 2. Shawn Taggart, MEM9.4
- 9. Robert Dozier, MEM6.8
- 17. Tyreke Evans, MEM5.8

ASSISTS

- 4. Antonio Anderson, MEM5.60
- 8. Tyreke Evans, MEM3.80

STEALS

- 1. Tyreke Evans, MEM2.60
- 4. Antonio Anderson, MEM2.00

BLOCKS

- 3. Shawn Taggart, MEM2.20
- 4. Robert Dozier, MEM1.80

HEAD - COACH - JOHN - CALIPARI

TOP COACHING STARTS BY VICTORIES

17 SEASONS

No.	Coach, School(s)	Years	W-L
1.	Roy Williams, Kansas, UNC	1989-2005	470-116
2.	John Calipari*** <i>UMass, Memphis</i>	1989-96 2001-09	412-136
t.	Denny Crum, Louisville	1972-88	412-139
4.	Jim Boheim, Syracuse	1977-93	411-133
5.	Nolan Richardson, Tulsa, Arkansas	1981-97	409-146
6.	Tubby Smith, Tulsa, Georgia, Kentucky, Minnesota	1992-2008	407-159
7.	Jerry Tarkanian, Long Beach St., UNLV	1969-85	403-93
8.	John Thompson, Georgetown	1973-89	399-135
9.	Rick Pitino, Boston U., Providence Ky., Louisville	1979-83 1986-87, 1990-97, 2002-03	396-144
10.	Bob Huggins, Walsh, Akron, Cincinnati	1981-98	388-148

*** Calipari begins his 17th season as a collegiate head coach in 2008-09

16 SEASONS

No.	Coach, School(s)	Years	W-L
1.	Roy Williams, Kansas, UNC	1989-2004	437-112
2.	John Calipari <i>UMass, Memphis</i>	1989-96 2001-08	408-135
3.	Jim Boheim, Syracuse	1977-92	391-124
t.	Nolan Richardson, Tulsa, Arkansas	1981-96	391-132
5.	Denny Crum, Louisville	1972-87	388-128
6.	Tubby Smith, Tulsa, Georgia, Kentucky	1992-2007	387-145
7.	Jerry Tarkanian, Long Beach St., UNLV	1969-84	375-89
8.	Rick Pitino, Boston U., Providence, Ky., Louisville	1979-83 1986-87, 1990-97, 2002	371-137
9.	John Thompson, Georgetown	1973-88	370-130
10.	Billy Tubbs, Texas St., Lamar, Oklahoma	1972-73 1977-90	363-153

15 SEASONS

No.	Coach, School(s)	Years	W-L
1.	Roy Williams, Kansas	1989-2003	418-101
2.	Nolan Richardson, Tulsa, Arkansas	1981-95	371-119
3.	John Calipari <i>UMass, Memphis</i>	1989-96 2001-07	370-133
t.	Denny Crum, Louisville	1972-86	370-114
5.	Jim Boheim, Syracuse	1977-91	369-114
6.	Tubby Smith, Tulsa, Georgia, Kentucky	1992-2006	365-133
7.	Rick Pitino, Boston U., Providence, Kentucky	1979-83 1986-87, 1990-97	352-124
8.	John Thompson, Georgetown	1973-87	350-120
9.	Everett Case North Carolina St.	1947-61	347-105
10.	Jerry Tarkanian, Long Beach St., UNLV	1969-83	346-83

2008 NAISMITH COACH OF THE YEAR

9TH YEAR AT MEMPHIS IN 2008-09 223-66 RECORD AT MEMPHIS 416-137 OVERALL RECORD



- Before Calipari arrived, Memphis basketball had a zero graduation rate.
- Has had 15 of last 18 seniors earn their degrees
- One of only two coaches to win Naismith Award twice since the honor's inception in 1987 (Krzyszewski is the other)
- Became winningest coach in school history with his 221st win vs. UMass Nov. 17; moved past Larry Finch, who had 220 wins; Calipari now has 223 wins
- 2007-08 C-USA Coach of the Year
- 2008 Henry Iba Award and Jim Phelan Award finalist (both are National Coach of the Year honors)
- Winningest head coach in NCAA Division I history in three-year span (2006-08) with 104 victories (104-10 record)
- Directed the Tigers to an NCAA Division I record for most wins in a season with 38 victories in 2007-08
- Second-winningest head coach in NCAA Division I history in two-year span (2007-08) with 71 victories (71-6 record); Montana State's Ott Romney won 72 games in 1927-28
- Led Tigers to program's first No. 1 national ranking since 1982-83
- Guided program to first NCAA championship game appearance since 1973 and first NCAA Final Four since 1985
- The second of three coaches in NCAA Division I history to record three-straight 30-win seasons (Rupp and Howland are the others)
- One of three coaches in NCAA Division I history to direct two different schools to a No. 1 seed (Memphis in 2006; UMass in 1996); Roy Williams and Bill Self are the others
- Has five 30-win seasons, the fourth-most by a head coach in NCAA Division I history
- One of five coaches in NCAA history to direct two different programs to a No. 1 ranking; joins Frank McGuire, Ralph Miller, Eddie Sutton and Roy Williams

- Recorded his 400th win as a college head coach when the Tigers defeated Tulane Feb. 20, 2008; has 416 wins
- One of two coaches in NCAA Division I history to win 400 games in the first 16 seasons as a head coach; Roy Williams is the other coach to do so
- Guided Memphis to three-consecutive NCAA Tournament Elite Eight appearances; the first time in school history that has been accomplished
- Directed the Tigers to the 2007-08 C-USA regular season crown; first time in school

- history that the program won three-consecutive outright league regular season titles
- Guided Memphis to the 2007-08 C-USA Tournament title; first time in school history that the program has won three-consecutive league tournament titles
- Has won nine league regular season championships (4 at Memphis in 2003-04, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08; 5 at UMass from 1992-96)
- Has won eight conference tournament titles (3 at Memphis from 2006-08; 5 at UMass from 1992-96)
- Has led Memphis to eight-straight 20-win seasons and is the only coach in Tiger history to do so in each of his first eight seasons
- Has led Memphis to eight-straight postseasons and is the only coach in Tiger history to do so in each of his first eight years
- Has led teams (Memphis and UMass) to the postseason 15 of 16 years; only his first UMass team did not make the postseason
- 2006-07 USBWA District 4 Coach of the Year
- 2007 Phelan National Coach of the Year finalist
- 2005-06 C-USA Coach of the Year
- 2003-04 NABC District 7 Coach of the Year
- 2004 National Italian American Sports Hall of Fame inductee
- 2004-05 UMass Athletic Hall of Fame inductee
- Annually gives \$40,000 to the University of Memphis through his restaurant, Cal's Championship Steakhouse
- Gave \$100,000 in the spring of 2004 to the University to help endow athletic scholarships
- Helped start the Y.E.S. (Youth Education through Sports), which is designed to educate middle school students about the importance of academics and athletics
- Received 2004 Tennessee Health Association's Better Life Award (for his work with patients and staff at St. Peter Villa)

JOHN CALIPARI CAREER RECORD

Season	Team	Overall		Conference		Accomplishments
		W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.	
1988-89	UMass	10-18	.357	5-13	.278	
1989-90	UMass	17-14	.548	10-8	.558	NIT
1990-91	UMass	20-13	.606	10-8	.558	NIT Final Four
1991-92	UMass	30-5	.857	13-3	.824	A-10 Champ (R/T); NCAA Sweet 16
1992-93	UMass	24-7	.774	11-3	.786	A-10 Champ (R/T); NCAA 2nd Rd.
1993-94	UMass	28-7	.800	14-2	.875	A-10 Champ (R/T); NCAA 2nd Rd.
1994-95	UMass	29-5	.853	13-3	.813	A-10 Champ (R/T); NCAA Elite 8
1995-96	UMass	35-2	.946	15-1	.938	A-10 Champ (R/T); NCAA Final Four
1996-97	NJ Nets	26-56	.317			
1997-98	NJ Nets	43-39	.524			NBA Playoffs
1998-99	NJ Nets	3-17	.150			
2000-01	Memphis	21-15	.583	10-6	.625	NIT Final Four
2001-02	Memphis	27-9	.750	12-4	.750	C-USA Nat'1 Div. Champ; NIT Champ
2002-03	Memphis	23-7	.767	13-3	.813	C-USA Nat'1 Div. Champ; NCAA
2003-04	Memphis	22-8	.733	12-4	.750	C-USA Champ (R); NCAA 2nd Rd.
2004-05	Memphis	22-16	.579	9-7	.563	NIT Final Four
2005-06	Memphis	33-4	.892	13-1	.929	C-USA Champ (R/T); NCAA Elite 8
2006-07	Memphis	33-4	.892	16-0	1.000	C-USA Champ (R/T); NCAA Elite 8
2007-08	Memphis	38-2	.950	16-0	1.000	C-USA Champ (R/T); NCAA Title Game
2008-09	Memphis	4-1	.800	0-0	.000	Winningest coach in Memphis history
NCAA Totals		416-137	.752	192-66	.744	9 conference titles, 10 NCAAs, 5 NITs
Memphis Totals		223-66	.772	101-25	.802	4 conference titles, 5 NCAAs, 3 NITs
NBA Totals		72-112	.391			

R — denotes conf. regular season title; T — denotes conf. tournament title

2008-09 - MEMPHIS - TIGER - BASKETBALL

2008-09 Memphis Basketball
 Memphis Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 24, 2008)
 All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(4-1)	(2-0)	(0-0)	(2-1)
CONFERENCE.....	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(4-1)	(2-0)	(0-0)	(2-1)

## Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	---TOTAL---		---3-PTS---		FT-FTA	Pct	---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
			FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct			Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
12 EVANS, Tyreke.....	5-4	119 23.8	25-65	.385	2-16	.125	21-25	.840	6	23	29	5.8	10	0	19	18	1	13	73	14.6
02 DOZIER, Robert.....	5-5	138 27.6	21-43	.488	3-10	.300	21-27	.778	15	19	34	6.8	18	0	7	8	9	7	66	13.2
20 MACK, Doneal.....	5-4	125 25.0	22-52	.423	12-35	.343	8-13	.615	3	9	12	2.4	10	1	6	0	2	8	64	12.8
05 ANDERSON, Antonio..	5-5	168 33.6	17-34	.500	3-12	.250	12-20	.600	7	16	23	4.6	15	0	28	13	2	10	49	9.8
00 TAGGART, Shawn.....	5-5	130 26.0	20-37	.541	0-1	.000	7-15	.467	17	30	47	9.4	13	0	2	4	11	7	47	9.4
11 WITHERSPOON, Wesley	5-0	94 18.8	11-24	.458	1-3	.333	7-15	.467	2	12	14	2.8	11	0	9	9	3	6	30	6.0
01 KEMP, Willie.....	5-2	75 15.0	6-21	.286	2-13	.154	12-17	.706	1	4	5	1.0	2	0	9	6	0	4	26	5.2
03 SALLIE, Roburt.....	5-0	47 9.4	5-18	.278	4-15	.267	1-2	.500	3	3	6	1.2	10	1	2	4	1	3	15	3.0
04 HENDERSON-NILES, P.	5-0	66 13.2	4-12	.333	0-0	.000	6-10	.600	8	9	17	3.4	6	0	1	4	0	1	14	2.8
32 ROBINSON, Jeff.....	4-0	33 8.3	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	7-8	.875	3	1	4	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	9	2.3
10 MCGRADY, Chance....	3-0	4 1.3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7
31 LAIRD, Preston.....	2-0	1 0.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TEAM.....									7	7	14	2.8	1		1					
Total.....	5	1000	132-309	.427	27-105	.257	104-156	.667	72	133	205	41.0	97	2	83	67	30	60	395	79.0
Opponents.....	5	1000	109-280	.389	31-101	.307	76-115	.661	56	131	187	37.4	123	-	62	97	13	29	325	65.0

TEAM STATISTICS	MEM	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	395	325	11/15/08	FAIRFIELD	W	90-63	17741
Points per game.....	79.0	65.0	11/17/08	UMASS	W	80-58	18254
Scoring margin.....	+14.0	-	11/20/08	vs Chattanooga	W	83-71	3217
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	132-309	109-280	11/21/08	vs Seton Hall	W	84-70	6733
Field goal pct.....	.427	.389	11/23/08	vs Xavier	L	58-63	8242
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	27-105	31-101					
3-point FG pct.....	.257	.307					
3-pt FG made per game..	5.4	6.2					
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	104-156	76-115					
Free throw pct.....	.667	.661					
REBOUNDS.....	205	187					
Rebounds per game.....	41.0	37.4					
Rebounding margin.....	+3.6	-					
ASSISTS.....	83	62					
Assists per game.....	16.6	12.4					
TURNOVERS.....	67	97					
Turnovers per game.....	13.4	19.4					
Turnover margin.....	+6.0	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.2	0.6					
STEALS.....	60	29					
Steals per game.....	12.0	5.8					
BLOCKS.....	30	13					
Blocks per game.....	6.0	2.6					
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-					
Home win streak.....	2	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	35995	18192					
Home games-Avg/Game....	2-17998	0-0					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	3-6064					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Memphis.....	198	197	- 395
Opponents.....	152	173	- 325