

# COLORADO BASKETBALL

2008-09

vs. TCU Horned Frogs

(4-3, 0-0 Mountain West)

Wed., Dec. 3, 8:07 p.m. (MST.)

Arena: Coors Events Center (11,064)

Television: FSN RM

Announcers: Drew Goodman (p-b-p),  
Ceal Barry (analyst), Alanna Rizzo (sideline)

Radio: KKZN 760: Mark Johnson,  
Charles Johnson



## Colorado Buffaloes (3-2, 0-0 Big 12)

| Date                 | Opponent   | Result/Time   |
|----------------------|--|---------------|
| Fri. Nov. 14         | ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF  | W, 76-56      |
| Tue. Nov. 18         | MONTANA STATE  | L, 82-85 (ot) |
| Sat. Nov. 22         | HARVARD  | W, 70-57      |
| Tue. Nov. 25         | LAFAYETTE  | W, 73-59      |
| Sat. Nov. 29         | ^at Stanford (FSN)   | L, 62-76      |
| Wed. Dec. 3          | TCU (FSN RM)   | 8 p.m.        |
| Wed. Dec. 10         | COLORADO STATE (FSN RM)  | 8 p.m.        |
| Fri. Dec. 19         | PRAIRIE VIEW A&M   | 8 p.m.        |
| Tue. Dec. 23         | LOUISIANA-MONROE   | 7 p.m.        |
| Sun. Dec. 28-30      | #Rainbow Classic   |               |
| -Tue. Dec. 28        | vs. Coppin State   | 10:30 p.m.    |
| Dec. 29              | vs. Buffalo or Pepperdine  | tba           |
| Dec. 30              | vs. George Washington/Hawaii/<br>CSU/Vermont                         | tba           |
| Mon. Jan. 5          | at SMU (FSN RM)  | 6 p.m.        |
| Wed. Jan. 7          | WESTERN STATE  | 7 p.m.        |
| Wed. Jan. 14         | *at Missouri (ESPNU)   | 7 p.m.        |
| Sat. Jan. 17         | *KANSAS (ABC)  | 1:30 p.m.     |
| Tue. Jan. 20         | *at Texas Tech (FSN RM)  | 6 p.m.        |
| Sat. Jan. 24         | *KANSAS STATE (Big 12)   | 4 p.m.        |
| Tue. Jan. 27         | *IOWA STATE (FSN RM)   | 8:30 p.m.     |
| Sat. Jan. 31         | *at Kansas (ESPNU)   | 2 p.m.        |
| Wed. Feb. 4          | *NEBRASKA (FSN RM)   | 9 p.m.        |
| Sat. Feb. 7          | *at Oklahoma (Big 12)  | 11:30 a.m.    |
| Wed. Feb. 11         | *at Iowa State (FSN RM)  | 5:30 p.m.     |
| Sat. Feb. 14         | *TEXAS (ESPN)  | Noon          |
| Wed. Feb. 18         | *at Nebraska (ESPNU)   | 7 p.m.        |
| Sat. Feb. 21         | *MISSOURI (Big 12)   | 11:30 a.m.    |
| Wed. Feb. 25         | *OKLAHOMA STATE (FSN RM)   | 9 p.m.        |
| Sat. Feb. 28         | *at Baylor (Big 12)  | 2 p.m.        |
| Wed. Mar. 4          | *TEXAS A&M (ESPNU)   | 7 p.m.        |
| Sat. Mar. 7          | *at Kansas State (Big 12)  | 11:30 a.m.    |
| Wed.-Sat. Mar. 11-14 | Phillips 66 Big 12 Basketball<br>Championship (Oklahoma City, Okla.) |               |

\* - Big 12 Conference game

^ - Big 12/Pac-10 Hardwood Series

# - Honolulu, Hawaii

(Big 12) - Big 12 Network, previously branded as ESPN Plus

(FSN RM) - Fox Sports Rocky Mountain

All Times Mountain All Home Games **BOLD CAPS**

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**FOR STARTERS (individual)...** After five games, Cory Higgins is CU's statistical leader in points, rebounds, steals, minutes played. Higgins has led CU in rebounding three of five games and in scoring twice (one shared) ... Dwight Thorne II has made at least one three-pointer in every game this season, and in seven consecutive games dating back to last season - a career long ... CU has four players shooting over 50 percent (min. of 17 attempts) ... Nate Tomlinson displayed his scoring touch against Stanford with a season-best 18 points on 8-of-12 shooting ... Thorne II is shooting a team-best .657 percent from the field (23-of-35) ... Trey Eckloff is showing grit in the paint getting a season-best four rebounds (11 overall) at Stanford ... Jermyl Jackson-Wilson has a blocked shot in every game and leads the team with six. JJW grabbed a career-best 11 defensive rebounds against Lafayette tallying his fifth career 10+rebounding game ... Austin Dufault has five straight 10+scoring games, a team-best ... Higgins and Thorne II each have 23 FGs made (almost five a game).

**FOR STARTERS (team)...** CU plays the first of seven FSN RM telecasts tonight against the Horned Frogs; tonight is also the first of two-straight games against the Mountain West Conference (Colorado State is next on Dec. 10) ... CU will enjoy a seven-day break in between games after tonight ... The Buffs begin another four-game home stand running through Dec. 23 before adding frequent flyer mileage across the Pacific

Ocean at the Rainbow Classic starting on Christmas Day ... CU has placed four players in scoring double-digits in four of five games (except Stanford) ... The Buffs are shooting .506 from the field and have shot 50 percent in four of five games (except Montana State) ... CU has been outrebounded four of five games (except Harvard) ... The Buffs grabbed a season-high 10 offensive boards at Stanford ... CU starters are averaging 58.6 ppg., while the bench is adding 15.6 ppg. .... CU has made a 3-pointer in 200-straight games (since the 2001-02 season) ... CU is 3-

## TEAM AVERAGES

|                      | CU   | TCU  |
|----------------------|------|------|
| Points               | 72.6 | 65.7 |
| Points Allowed       | 66.6 | 61.0 |
| Scoring Margin       | +6.0 | +4.7 |
| Field Goals          | 24.2 | 23.3 |
| Field Goal Att.      | 47.8 | 53.7 |
| Field Goal Pct.      | .506 | .434 |
| 3-pt Field Goals     | 6.2  | 5.0  |
| 3-pt Field Goal Att. | 17.8 | 16.0 |
| 3-pt Field Goal Pct. | .348 | .313 |
| Free Throws          | 18.0 | 14.1 |
| Free Throw Att.      | 25.4 | 20.1 |
| Free Throw Pct.      | .709 | .702 |
| Offensive Rebounds   | 6.0  | 11.3 |
| Defensive Rebounds   | 23.8 | 21.3 |
| Total Rebounds       | 29.8 | 32.6 |
| Rebounding Margin    | -3.8 | +0.1 |
| Fouls                | 18.6 | 18.4 |
| Assists              | 14.0 | 13.6 |
| Turnovers            | 13.8 | 15.1 |
| Blocks               | 2.0  | 0.4  |
| Steals               | 6.8  | 7.3  |

## PROBABLE STARTERS

### COLORADO

| Pos/NoPlayer               | Ht  | Wt  | Yr  | Hometown          | PPG  | RPG | APG              |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|------|-----|------------------|
| G 1 Nate Tomlinson         | 6-2 | 180 | Fr. | Sydney, Australia | 9.6  | 3.4 | 3.6              |
| G 11 Cory Higgins          | 6-5 | 185 | So. | Danville, Calif.  | 16.0 | 5.6 | 3.2              |
| G 12 Dwight Thorne II      | 6-2 | 185 | Jr. | Arlington, Texas  | 14.4 | 4.0 | 1.8              |
| F 33 Austin Dufault        | 6-8 | 210 | Fr. | Killdeer, N.D.    | 11.2 | 4.0 | 1.1              |
| F 31 Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 6-6 | 230 | Sr. | Milwaukee, Wis.   | 5.6  | 5.2 | 1.2 <sup>^</sup> |

^ - blockedshots

### TCU

| Pos/NoPlayer        | Ht  | Wt  | Yr  | Hometown           | PPG  | RPG | APG |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|------|-----|-----|
| G 3 Jason Ebie      | 6-1 | 175 | Jr. | Houston, Texas     | 6.4  | 3.1 | 4.4 |
| G 5 Ronnie Moss     | 6-2 | 195 | Fr. | Fort Worth, Texas  | 8.1  | 1.7 | 2.3 |
| G 13 Edvinas Ruzgas | 6-6 | 200 | Jr. | Vilnius, Lithuania | 12.0 | 3.9 | 0.7 |
| F 1 Zvonko Buljan   | 6-9 | 220 | Jr. | Split, Croatia     | 9.4  | 5.1 | 1.4 |
| F 32 Kevin Langford | 6-8 | 245 | Sr. | Fort Worth, Texas  | 13.9 | 4.4 | 0.4 |

**SCHOOL INFORMATION**

Location ..... Boulder, Colo.  
 Population ..... 103,216  
 Founded/Enrollment ..... 1876/28,942  
 Colors ..... Silver, Black, Gold  
 Nickname ..... Buffaloes (Bufs)  
 Mascot ..... Ralphie V, the Buffalo  
 Arena ..... Coors Events Center (11,064)  
 Elevation ..... 5,345  
 NCAA Affiliation/Conference Division I/Big 12  
 President ..... Bruce Benson (Colorado '64)  
 Chancellor .... G. P. Bud Peterson (Kansas St. '75)  
 Vice Chancellor Student Affairs ..... Ron Stump  
 ..... (Northern Michigan '69)  
 Provost ..... Phil DiStefano (Ohio State '68)  
 Faculty Representative ..... David Clough  
 ..... (Case Institute of Technology '68)  
 Director of Athletics .... Mike Bohn (Kansas '83)  
 Web Site ..... www.CUBuffs.com  
 Big 12 web page ..... www.Big12sports.com  
 Athletic Department ..... 303/492-7931  
 Ticket Office ..... 303/492-8337

**BASKETBALL INFORMATION**

Head Coach ... Jeff Bzdelik (Illinois-Chicago '76)  
 Record, Years at School ..... 15-22/2nd year  
 Career/Years ..... 90-69 (.533)/6th year  
 Best Time to Contact ..... through SID office  
 Associate Head Coach .....  
 ..... Steve McClain (Chadron State College '84)  
 Assistant Coaches .....  
 ..... Derrick Clark (California-Lutheran '95)  
 ..... Charles Baker (Eastern Kentucky '90)  
 Dir. of Operations ..... Jody Bailey (Louisville '95)  
 Ath. Trainer . Larry Willock (New Mexico '68, '71)

**TEAM INFORMATION**

2007-08 Overall Record ..... 12-20  
 ..... Home: 6-9; Away: 3-10; Neutral: 3-1  
 Conference Record/Finish ..... 3-13/12th  
 Big 12 Tournament ..... 1-1

Starters Returning (2) ... Higgins, Jackson-Wilson  
 Starters Lost (3) ..... Hall, King-Stockton, Roby  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost ..... 7/4  
 Newcomers ..... 5  
 Transfers ..... 1  
 Seniors ..... 1 (Jackson-Wilson)  
 Juniors ..... 2 (Beckley, Thorne II)  
 Sophomores ..... 4 (Higgins, Knutson, Coney,  
 ..... Zehnder)  
 Redshirt Sophomore Transfer ..... 1 (Crawford)  
 Freshmen .. 5 (Dufault, Eckloff, Kelley, Tomlinson,  
 Veal)

**HISTORY**

First Year of Basketball ..... 1901-02  
 All-Time Record ..... 1,107-1,077 (.507)  
 ..... 2,184 games  
 NCAA Berths ..... 10  
 (Won:9, Lost: 12; two 3rd place finishes '42, '55)  
 Last Appearance, Result ..... 2002-03  
 (lost to Michigan State in 1st round)  
 NCAA Appearances ..... 2003, 1997, 1969,  
 1963, 1962, 1955, 1954, 1946, 1942, 1940  
 NIT Berths ..... 8  
 (Won 8, Lost 7; won NIT in 1940, runner up '38)  
 Last NIT Appearance/Result ..... 2005-06  
 (lost to Old Dominion in 1st round)  
 Last Conference Title ..... 1968-69 (Big 8)  
 - won conference title 8 times, four prior to  
 1950

When shooting over 50 percent from the field (50% at Stanford) ... CU's 11 steals against Lafayette were the most thefts since getting 13 at NCAA Tournament bound Kansas State last year (Mar, 4, 2008).

**TCU UPDATE...** First-year head coach Jim Christian and the Horned Frogs enter the game with a three-game winning streak and a 4-3 record with three of those coming at home. TCU gets their scoring from a one-two punch with Edvinas Ruzgas and Kevin Langford leading the team in scoring three times each. One of TCU's losses comes to Nebraska, 62-50 back on Nov. 19.

**CU vs. TCU...** Colorado leads the all-time 2-1 having last played Dec. 20, 2005 and taking a 77-59 win in Fort Worth. The previous two meetings took place in 1983 (CU, 70-65 in Boulder) and 1982 (TCU, 77-52 in Fort Worth). This game is the follow up of a home-and-home.

**CU vs. the MWC...** The Buffaloes have a long successful history against Mountain West Conference (187 wins, 111 losses). After tonight, CU will play in-state rival Colorado State on Dec. 10 on FSN RM. Coach Bzdelik will look to remain perfect against the Rams aiming for his sixth straight win.

**BROADCAST:** The Colorado men's basketball team can be heard live on KKZN AM 760. Mark Johnson and Charles Johnson call the action including the pre- and postgame. Live internet audio of all CU basketball games is available through Yahoo! Sports. Colorado's games will also be streamed live on CUBuffs.com through the BuffsTV subscription service.

**POSTER FEATURE...**

Tonight's poster feature is freshman forward Austin Dufault. Dufault comes to Boulder from Killdeer, N.D. and is CU's first student-athlete from the state of North Dakota since Ozzie Carlson, 1960-61 (Val-

ley City). More Dufault info is located on page 22.

**ON THIS DAY (Dec. 3)...** CU brings a 13-5 mark on this day in history and last played during the 2005-06 season winning at home 93-75. The Buffs are 10-3 at home.

**LAST GAME RECAP...** Dwight Thorne II and Nate Tomlinson each scored 18 points, however the Stanford Cardinal ran to a 76-62 victory in the second year matchup of the two schools in the Big 12/Pac-10 Hardwood Series. Thorne also added six rebounds and two steals, tying his career-high in both. Freshman Austin Dufault netted 10 points, his fifth consecutive game in double figures and sophomore Cory Higgins scored nine points adding four rebounds for the Buffs in their first visit to Stanford in 17 years.

**CECC RECORD...maybe a school record?**

Sophomore guard Cory Higgins was the first CU student-athlete to lead the team in rebounds AND assists the first two games of any season since 1973-74. It's a Coors Events Conference Center mark (building opened in 1979). The research was stopped at the 1972-73 season because assists were not kept. So, in the last 35 years, no CU player has led his team in rebounding AND assists in the first two games of the season.

**3-POINT STREAK...** Dating back to the 2001-02 season, CU has made a 3-pointer in 200 consecutive games. Last time they failed to make at least one trey was Jan. 16, 2002 against Iowa State in Boulder. The Buffs won 63-61.

**BEST FROM 3-POINT ARC...**Already in the young season, Casey Crawford is CU's best 3-point shooter of players standing over 6'5" since 1997. Austin Dufault is also on the list.

**Career 3-Point FG Percentage of Players over 6'5" (min. 6 attempts)**

| Name            | Height | 3-Point %         | Yrs Played |
|-----------------|--------|-------------------|------------|
| Casey Crawford  | 6'9"   | .500 (6-of-12)    | 2008-09    |
| Martice Moore   | 6'7"   | .397 (35-of-63)   | 1995-97    |
| Xavier Silas    | 6'5"   | .383 (44-of-115)  | 2006-07    |
| Andy Osborn     | 6'9"   | .374 (98-of-262)  | 2004-06    |
| Greg Jensen     | 6'6"   | .341 (14-of-41)   | 1993-97    |
| Nick Mohr       | 6'5"   | .329 (115-of-349) | 1998-2002  |
| Kyle Williams   | 6'6"   | .317 (32-of-101)  | 1998-2000  |
| Martane Freeman | 6'7"   | .279 (17-of-61)   | 2004-06    |
| Jeremy Williams | 6'7"   | .269 (7-of-26)    | 2006-07    |
| Austin Dufault  | 6'8"   | .231 (3-of-13)    | 2008-09    |
| Will Smith      | 6'6"   | .203 (13-of-64)   | 1996-00    |
| Fred Edmonds    | 6'5"   | .166 (1-of-6)     | 1993-97    |

**2008-09 Roster** (PROBABLE Starting Line Up)

**G #1 Nate Tomlinson** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-2, 180, Fr. Sydney, Australia** 9.6 3.4 3.6 0.4 35.2

Tied for team lead in assists (18) and tied for second with six 3-pointers • Led team in assists in Harvard win with five • Became the first freshman point-guard since 2002-03 to start the season opener • Coach Bzdelik calls Nate, "A true floor general."

**G #11 Cory Higgins** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-5, 185, So.-1L, Danville, Calif.** 16.0 5.6 3.2 1.8 36.6

Tri-Captain • Statistical leader in points, rebounds, steals, minutes played • Career-best 24 points on 7-of-11 shooting vs. Lafayette • has led CU in rebounding three of five games • 37 consecutive starts • Scored 21 pts. in OT vs. Montana State with career best 11-of-14 at FT line.

**G #12 Dwight Thorne II** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-2, 185, Jr.-2L, Arlington, Texas** 14.4 4.0 1.8 1.6 31.4

Tri-captain • Having best season-to-date • second in team scoring and third in assists with nine and minutes played • first in 3-pointers (9-of-17, .529) and shooting a team-best .657 from the field (23-of-35) • Scored a career-best 21 points vs. Montana State along w/ six made FGs • shared scoring honors with 18 pts. at Stanford.

**F #33 Austin Dufault** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-8, 210, Fr., Killdeer, N.D.** 11.2 4.0 1.2 0.4 30.4

Third in team scoring • 20-of-43 from the field (.465) • has three, 3-pointers • Started all five games; has scored 10+ points in all five • One of three players averaging 30+ minutes • .867 FT% • Great shooting touch from long range; can shoot, pass, dribble.

**F #31 Jermyl Jackson-Wilson** PTS REB AST BLK MIN  
**6-6, 230, Sr.-2L, Milwaukee, Wis.** 5.6 5.2 0.8 1.2 19.2

Tri-Captain • Has a block in every game, leads team with six • Career-best 11 defensive rebounds vs. Lafayette (career-best 17 vs. Denver, Nov. 10, 2006) • second in team rebounding • Enters third and final year • Active around rim, crashes boards.

**G #10 Ryan Kelley** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-2, 185, Fr., Pomona, Calif.** 0.3 0.3 0.3 0.0 2.8

A reserve off the bench • Nephew of former CU great Vince Kelley (1981-84).

**G #14 Javon Coney** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-3, 200, So.-1L, Chicago, Ill.** 0.0 0.3 0.3 0.0 5.3

Non-scholarship student-athlete • Has played in three games with a career-best 11 minutes versus Lafayette.

**F #15 Toby Veal** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-7, 225, Fr. Savannah, Ga.** 0.0 0.3 0.0 0.0 2.0

Explosive rebounder, finisher around the basket; comes off the bench.

**G #24 Levi Knutson** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-4, 190, So.-1L, Littleton, Colo.** 4.2 1.2 1.4 0.4 15.0

Tied career-high 12 points versus Montana State • 5-of-5 from FT line.

**G #25 Andrew Zehnder** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-3, 175, So.-1L, Arvada, Colo.** 1.0 0.0 - - 2.0

Non-scholarship student-athlete.

**F #34 Casey Crawford** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-9, 235, RS-So., Overland Park, Kan.** 7.4 2.2 1.2 1.2 16.6

Career-best 18 points with four 3-pointers in win over Harvard • Second on team in 3-pointers (6) and third in steals (6) • .538 FG% (14-of-26) • Has started three of five games • Sat out last year after transferring from Wake Forest, knows the system after practicing all of last year • Excellent range from perimeter.

**F #55 Trey Eckloff** PTS REB AST ST MIN  
**6-9, 225, Fr., Englewood, Colo.** 4.0 2.8 0.5 0.8 15.3

Season-best six points with an assist, block, steal against Lafayette • Grabbed season-best four boards at Stanford • Youngest scholarship student-athlete in the Big12 • Another CU big man that can shoot, pass and dribble.

**HAWAII BOUND...AGAIN...** The Buffaloes will be making another trip to the Hawaiian Islands playing in the 2009-10 Maui Invitational in Honolulu. It will be CU's first-ever appearance in the Maui hosted by Division II college Chaminade, and sponsored by EA Sports. The Buffaloes will be one of eight schools participating in the 26th edition of the tournament. Joining CU next year will be Arizona, Gonzaga, Louisville, Maryland, Vanderbilt, and Wisconsin.

**MORE TEAM NOTES...** CU shot 50% from the field in both halves against Arkansas-Pine Bluff, Harvard and Lafayette - all wins ... The Buffaloes made 10 three-pointers from the new NCAA 3-point line of 20'9" against Pine Bluff. The 10 treys the most since making 10 against Oklahoma State (Feb. 3, 2007) ... CU is playing a school-record eight home games before Christmas (previous high was seven set five times, most recently 1998-99) ... Entering the 2008-09 season, CU's starting lineup may consist of freshmen and sophomores. It will be the school's youngest starting five to play at one time since 1985-86 when four freshmen, one sophomore started three straight games ... For the 12th time in school history a CU team will have at least five freshmen on a roster ... CU plays nine non-conference home games, the most of any season since 1995-96 (nine). This season will be the first time playing Lafayette, Coppin State, George Washington (pending), Vermont (pending).

**YOUTH MOVEMENT...** A combination of 10 underclassmen (five freshmen and five sophomores) highlight the roster matching one of the youngest CU teams in history. Back in 2006-07, CU had 10 underclassmen (eight freshmen), in addition to the 1992-93 season (four freshmen, six sophomores).

**DEFENSE THROUGH THE YEARS...** Over his six years as a collegiate coach and two-plus seasons as a head coach in the NBA, Jeff Bzdelik has installed playing defense as a major part of the game. Here's a look at his teams over the years. The 2005-06 season at Air Force was a nation's best of all 970 collegiate schools in Division I (326), D-II (265), and D-III (379).

|         |              |           |              |
|---------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| 1986-87 | UMBC         | 70.1 ppg. | (28 gms)     |
| 1987-88 | UMBC         | 78.0      | (28 games)   |
| 2002-03 | Denver (NBA) | #92.4     | (82 games)   |
| 2003-04 | Denver (NBA) | 96.1      | (82 games)   |
| 2004-05 | Denver (NBA) | 97.4      | (28 games)   |
| 2005-06 | USAFA        | *54.7     | (31 games)   |
| 2006-07 | USAFA        | **56.0    | (35 games)   |
| 2007-08 | Colorado     | ^62.4     | (32 games)   |
| 2008-09 | Colorado     | 66.6      | (five games) |

\* - nation's best

\*\* - runner up nationally (Princeton 53.3)

^ - lowest in CU history 46 years

**Double-Digit Scoring Games**

|                       | Career | '08-09 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| Cory Higgins          | 19     | 4      |
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 12     | -      |
| Levi Knutson          | 7      | 1      |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 7      | 4      |
| Javon Coney           | 1      | -      |
| Casey Crawford        | 2      | 2      |
| Austin Dufault        | 4      | 4      |
| Nate Tomlinson        | 3      | 3      |

**Double-Digit Rebounding Games**

| (shares included)     | Career | '08-09 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 5      | 1      |

**Scoring Leaders**

|                       |   |   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Cory Higgins          | 4 | 2 |
| Casey Crawford        | 2 | 2 |
| Javon Coney           | 1 | - |
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 1 | - |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 1 | 1 |
| Nate Tomlinson        | 1 | 1 |

**Rebounding Leaders**

|                       |    |   |
|-----------------------|----|---|
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 11 | 1 |
| Cory Higgins          | 7  | 3 |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 2  | 1 |

**Assist Leaders**

|                       |    |   |
|-----------------------|----|---|
| Cory Higgins          | 11 | 2 |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 4  | - |
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 4  | 1 |
| Nate Tomlinson        | 3  | 3 |
| Levi Knutson          | 1  | 1 |

**Steal Leaders**

|                       |    |   |
|-----------------------|----|---|
| Cory Higgins          | 11 | 2 |
| Casey Crawford        | 1  | 1 |
| Trey Eckloff          | 1  | 1 |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 7  | 2 |
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 5  | - |

**Block Leaders**

|                       |    |   |
|-----------------------|----|---|
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 25 | 5 |
| Austin Dufault        | 1  | 1 |
| Casey Crawford        | 1  | 1 |

**Double-Doubles Career '08-09**

|                       |   |   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 2 | - |
|-----------------------|---|---|

**Career Games Starts Played**

|                       |    |    |
|-----------------------|----|----|
| Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | 39 | 64 |
| Dwight Thorne II      | 12 | 61 |
| Cory Higgins          | 37 | 37 |
| Levi Knutson          | 1  | 37 |
| Javon Coney           | -  | 18 |
| Trent Beckley         | -  | 15 |
| Andrew Zehnder        | -  | 9  |
| Casey Crawford        | 3  | 5  |
| Austin Dufault        | 5  | 5  |
| Nate Tomlinson        | 5  | 5  |
| Matt Favaro           | -  | 1  |
| Ryan Kelley           | -  | 4  |
| Trey Eckloff          | -  | 4  |

# - franchise record (shattered mark by more than five points)

**JUST A KID...** Forward Trey Eckloff is perhaps the youngest men's basketball freshman ever on any CU roster. Born April 30, 1990, Eckloff would be a senior at Cherry Creek High School in Englewood, Colo. He's the youngest scholarship student-athlete in the Big 12 Conference, however, Nebraska non-scholarship freshman Ross Ferrarini, born May 25, 1990, is the youngest overall.

**TV APPEARANCES...** CU will play on television 20 times this season, six of those nationally (FSN, ESPN, ESPNU 4 times). Here are the rest ... ABC Regional: 1; FSN: 1; ESPN: 1; ESPNU: 4; Big 12 Network (previously ESPN Regional): 5; FSN RM: 8.

**FTs WHEN IT COUNTS...** Sophomore Cory Higgins is the team's most experienced from the free throw line with under five minutes to play (including OT) making 32-of-43 (.744). Here's the last three years of the returning letterwinners.

| 2008-09          | 2-5         | Pct.        | *0-2         | Pct.        |
|------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Matt Favaro      | -           | -           | 2-2          | 1.000       |
| Cory Higgins     | 4-6         | .667        | 6-7          | .857        |
| Ryan Kelley      | -           | -           | 1-2          | .500        |
| Levi Knutson     | 2-2         | 1.000       | -            | -           |
| Dwight Thorne II | 2-2         | 1.000       | 0-2          | .000        |
| Nate Tomlinson   | -           | -           | 2-4          | .500        |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>8-10</b> | <b>.800</b> | <b>11-17</b> | <b>.647</b> |

| 2007-08           | 2-5          | Pct.        | *0-2         | Pct.        |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Levi Knutson      | -            | -           | 5-6          | .833        |
| Javon Coney       | -            | -           | 2-2          | 1.000       |
| Cory Higgins      | 10-14        | .714        | 12-16        | .750        |
| J. Jackson-Wilson | 6-8          | .750        | 1-3          | .333        |
| Dwight Thorne II  | 2-2          | 1.000       | 1-2          | .500        |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>18-24</b> | <b>.750</b> | <b>21-26</b> | <b>.808</b> |

| 2006-07           | 2-5        | Pct.        | 0-2        | Pct.        |
|-------------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| J. Jackson-Wilson | 3-5        | .600        | 3-5        | .600        |
| Dwight Thorne II  | 1-2        | .500        | -          | -           |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>4-7</b> | <b>.571</b> | <b>3-5</b> | <b>.600</b> |

(\*-includes overtime)

**NO EXHIBITION GAME...** For the first time since the 1985-86 season, CU did not play one exhibition game to start the season. Instead, the Buffs played a pair of closed door scrimmages against Utah and at Northern Colorado.

**FROSH & SOPHOMORE STARTING...** There might a time this season when the

**PERCENTAGE OF 2008-09 MBB RETURNERS**

| Category       | Total | Return | Loss | % Returning |
|----------------|-------|--------|------|-------------|
| Points         | 1997  | 688    | 1309 | 34.5        |
| Rebounding     | 952   | 371    | 581  | 39.0        |
| Assists        | 425   | 170    | 255  | 40.0        |
| Blocks         | 138   | 41     | 97   | 29.7        |
| Steals         | 201   | 76     | 125  | 37.8        |
| Field Goals    | 716   | 249    | 467  | 34.8        |
| FG Attempts    | 1587  | 562    | 1025 | 35.4        |
| 3-pt. Made     | 190   | 69     | 121  | 36.3        |
| 3-pt. Attempts | 554   | 215    | 339  | 38.8        |
| FT Made        | 375   | 121    | 254  | 32.3        |
| FT Attempts    | 548   | 176    | 372  | 32.1        |
| Off. Rebounds  | 256   | 92     | 164  | 35.9        |
| Def. Rebounds  | 696   | 279    | 417  | 40.0        |

starting five could be comprised of only freshmen and sophomores. Here's a look at youth in past seasons and how they fared.

**2006-07:** Three freshmen in starting lineup: Kal Bay, Jeremy Williams, Xavier Silas: four times (at KU, at BU, OSU, at KSU). The quartet went 1-3 (defeated OSU, 89-77), lost by an average of 18 points.

**2006-07:** Two freshmen in starting lineup: Xavier Silas/Jeremy Williams: five times; Kal Bay/Jeremy Williams - three times; Dwight Thorne II/Jeremy Williams: once; Thorne/Williams, Silas: once.

**1985-86:** Four freshman, one sophomore started three consecutive games and lost them all by average of 29.3 points per game.

|               |                           |
|---------------|---------------------------|
| Feb. 5, 1986  | at Kansas, L, 64-100      |
| Feb. 8, 1986  | at Kansas State, L, 53-79 |
| Feb. 12, 1986 | vs. Iowa State, L, 57-83  |

**QUICKEST FRESHMEN TO 100**

**REBOUNDS**

| Name             | Season    | Games To 100 | Season Total |
|------------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| Richard Fox      | 1999-2000 | 14           | 191          |
| David Harrison   | 2001-02   | 15           | 188          |
| Larry Vaculik    | 1974-75   | 15           | 158          |
| Stephane Pelle   | 1999-2000 | 16           | 218          |
| Matt Bullard     | 1985-86   | 16           | 179          |
| Chauncey Billups | 1995-97   | 17           | 165          |
| Donnie Boyce     | 1991-92   | 20           | 146          |
| Jeremy Williams  | 2006-07   | 22           | 123          |
| Randy Downs      | 1982-83   | 22           | 121          |
| Richard Roby     | 2004-05   | 23           | 143          |
| Vince Kelley     | 1980-81   | 23           | 105          |
| Brian Johnson    | 1977-78   | 24           | 101          |
| Carlton Carter   | 1998-99   | 24           | 146          |
| Cory Higgins     | 2007-08   | 25           | 136          |
| Fred Edmonds     | 1993-94   | 26           | 101          |
| Jose Winston     | 1998-99   | 32           | 105          |
| Austin Dufault   | 2008-09   | 5            | 20           |

| No. | Student-Athlete       | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Cl. | Exp | Hometown (High School/Previous College)                                  |
|-----|-----------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| 1   | Nate Tomlinson        | PG   | 6-2 | 180 | Fr. | HS  | Sydney, Australia (Lee Academy [Maine])                                  |
| 3   | Matt Favaro           | F    | 6-5 | 195 | Jr. | HS  | Mountain View, Calif. (Los Altos HS)                                     |
| 10  | Ryan Kelley           | G    | 6-2 | 185 | Fr. | HS  | Pomona, Calif. (Diamond Ranch HS)  |
| 11  | Cory Higgins          | G    | 6-5 | 180 | So. | 1L  | Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista HS/The Pendleton School [Bradenton, Fla.]) |
| 12  | Dwight Thorne II      | G    | 6-3 | 185 | Jr. | 2L  | Arlington, Texas (Martin HS)   |
| 14  | Javon Coney           | G    | 6-3 | 200 | So. | 1L  | Chicago, Ill. (Latin HS)   |
| 15  | Toby Veal             | F    | 6-7 | 225 | Fr. | HS  | Savannah, Ga. (Johnson High School HS)                                   |
| 24  | Levi Knutson          | G    | 6-4 | 190 | So. | 1L  | Littleton, Colo. (Arapahoe HS)   |
| 25  | Andrew Zehnder        | G    | 6-3 | 175 | So. | 1L  | Arvada, Colo. (Standley Lake HS)   |
| 31  | Jermyl Jackson-Wilson | F    | 6-6 | 230 | Sr. | 2L  | Milwaukee, Wis. (Fork Union Military Academy [Va.]/Rufus King/Ohio St.)  |
| 33  | Austin Dufault        | F    | 6-8 | 210 | Fr. | HS  | Killdeer, N.D. (Killdeer HS)   |
| 34  | Casey Crawford        | F    | 6-9 | 235 | So. | RS  | Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley North HS / Wake Forest)                 |
| 55  | Trey Eckloff          | F    | 6-9 | 225 | Fr. | HS  | Englewood, Colo. (Cherry Creek HS)                                       |

**ALPHABETICAL ROSTER**

- 14 Coney, Javon
- 34 Crawford, Casey
- 33 Dufault, Austin
- 55 Eckloff, Trey
- 3 Favaro, Matt
- 11 Higgins, Cory
- 31 Jackson-Wilson, Jermyl
- 10 Kelley, Ryan
- 24 Knutson, Levi
- 12 Thorne II, Dwight
- 1 Tomlinson, Nate
- 15 Veal, Toby
- 25 Zehnder, Andrew

**Head Coach:** Jeff Bzdelik (Illinois-Chicago '76)  
**Assistant Coach:** Steve McClain (Chadron State College '84)  
**Assistant Coach:** Derrick Clark (California-Lutheran '95)  
**Assistant Coach:** Charles Baker (Eastern Kentucky '90)  
**Director of Basketball Operations:** Jody Bailey (Louisville '95)

Matt Bullard – Fr.: Started all 28 games;  
 Ken Countryman – Fr.: Started only three games all season;  
 David Kuosmen – Fr.: Started four games all season;  
 Jeff Penix – Fr.: Started only three games;  
 Scott Wilke – So.: Started nine games.

was awarded a scholarship at the beginning of the 2008-09 school year.

**COACHES SAY...** The conference coaches have picked the Buffaloes to finish in 12th place in the 2008-09 standings. Here's each season since 1996-97, the predicted finish and the actual placing that CU ended up ...

| Season    | Predicted | Actual |
|-----------|-----------|--------|
| 2008-09   | 12th      | ?      |
| 2007-08   | 12th      | 12th   |
| 2006-07   | 12th      | 12th   |
| 2005-06   | 9th       | 5th    |
| 2004-05   | 10th      | 11th   |
| 2003-04   | 6th       | 4th    |
| 2002-03   | 9th       | t-5th  |
| 2001-02   | 7th       | 9th    |
| 2000-01   | 7th       | 9th    |
| 1999-2000 | 8th       | 7th    |
| 1998-99   | 10th      | 8th    |
| 1997-98   | 9th       | 9th    |
| 1996-97   | no poll   | 2nd    |

**BIG 12 OPENER...** CU opens conference play at Missouri for the first time in the 13-year history of the Big 12. It's also the first time playing a northern division opponent since 2003-04 and first time in Big 12 play playing a northern opponent on the road.

**MORE OPENER INFO...** For the second straight year, CU will open conference play on the road (at Missouri). It will be the first time since 2004, CU will play against the Big 12 North. The Buffaloes have lost 11-straight conference openers. The Buffs have not won an opener since Jan. 4, 1997.

**1997-2008 Big 12 Openers**

|               |              |           |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|
| Jan. 12, 2008 | at Texas A&M | L, 68-81  |
| Jan. 6, 2007  | Texas        | L, 78-102 |
| Jan. 7, 2006  | at Texas     | L, 64-89  |
| Jan. 8, 2005  | at Oklahoma  | L, 55-85  |
| Jan. 5, 2004  | KANSAS       | L, 62-77  |
| Jan. 11, 2003 | at Oklahoma  | L, 54-69  |
| Jan. 5, 2002  | KANSAS       | L, 85-97  |
| Jan. 6, 2001  | at Baylor    | L, 56-61  |
| Jan. 8, 2000  | KANSAS       | L, 69-84  |
| Jan. 2, 1999  | TEXAS        | L, 68-73  |
| Jan. 3, 1998  | OKLAHOMA     | L, 68-69  |
| Jan. 4, 1997  | NEBRASKA     | W, 79-73  |

**LOST FOR THE SEASON...** Junior forward Trent Beckley will miss the 2008-09 basketball season with a stress fracture in his lumbar spine. He will be redshirted having two more years of eligibility. According to CU men's basketball athletic trainer Larry Willock, Beckley's injury does not require surgery, as the bone tissue is healing. Beckley, a native of Vail, Colo., played in 10 games last season. He was a walk-on during his freshman and sophomore years, and

**CU DURING BIG 12 INCEPTION...** CU saw a dramatic decrease in turnovers per game (13.4) and improvement at the free throw line (.684) under first-year head coach Jeff Bzdelik. It was also a school-low in 28 years.

| Years   | PPG  | FG % | 3-Pt.% | FT%  | To   | W's |
|---------|------|------|--------|------|------|-----|
| 2008-09 | 72.6 | .506 | .348   | .709 | 13.8 | 3   |
| 2007-08 | 62.4 | .451 | .343   | .684 | 13.4 | 12  |
| 2006-07 | 69.1 | .417 | .313   | .655 | 17.5 | 7   |
| 2005-06 | 76.8 | .434 | .342   | .646 | 14.0 | 20  |
| 2004-05 | 71.6 | .435 | .353   | .629 | 14.4 | 14  |
| 2003-04 | 74.2 | .464 | .372   | .621 | 14.6 | 18  |
| 2002-03 | 75.2 | .443 | .326   | .669 | 14.0 | 20  |
| 2001-02 | 79.7 | .453 | .357   | .677 | 17.0 | 15  |
| 2000-01 | 80.6 | .460 | .359   | .715 | 16.5 | 15  |
| 1999-00 | 75.2 | .426 | .339   | .686 | 14.3 | 18  |
| 1998-99 | 73.1 | .414 | .344   | .702 | 14.7 | 18  |
| 1997-98 | 71.4 | .404 | .346   | .688 | 14.3 | 13  |
| 1996-97 | 73.1 | .420 | .362   | .681 | 13.9 | 22  |

**2007-08 REVIEW...** Here are a few tidbits from last year's team in case you missed it:

- Nine losses by an average of 4.8 points
- Defense allowed oppts. 64.4 ppg. – lowest in 46 years
- 13.4 turnovers a game – lowest in 28 years
- 12.9 turnovers in Big 12 play – lowest by a CU team in 12-year history of the Big 12
- Conference-only games, finished third overall in FG% (.448)
- Team shot .684 percentage from the free throw line, team-best since 2000-01 (.715)
- In conference play/conference tournament, lost by: one point; two points; four points; five points; six points; seven points

- CU's win over Baylor in the Big 12 Championship tournament marked the first time a No. 12 seed has defeated a No. 5 seed in the Big 12 tournament

- Shot over 50 percent from the field 11 times

- CU shot a season-best 62 percent from the field for the game at Texas A&M (school second-best .773 from the field in the second half)

**SUN, BEACH & X-MAS...** Colorado is one of eight teams participating in the 45th year of the 2008 Outrigger Hotels Rainbow Classic, Dec. 27-30. The Classic, celebrating its 45th year, is the longest running eight-team tournament in the country.

The Rainbow Warriors open the tournament on Dec. 27 against Colorado State at 7:30 p.m. Preceding that game is George Washington and Vermont at 5:00 p.m. On Dec. 28, Buffalo and Pepperdine meet at 5:00 p.m., followed by Colorado and 2008 NCAA Tournament participant Coppin State at 7:30 p.m. The first-round winners advance to the tournament's championship rounds, Dec. 29-30, while the losers will play in the consolation rounds.

This will be Colorado State's third appearance in the Classic. Colorado and Pepperdine will each be making their second appearances. CU finished third in the 1999 Classic and Pepperdine finished fourth in the 2003 edition. Buffalo and Vermont will be making their inaugural appearances in the tournament, as well as Coppin State.

The Rainbow Warriors have captured five of the last seven titles, including four straight from 2001-04. Last year, Saint Mary's of the West Coast Conference captured the championship with Hawai'i finishing in eighth place.

#### **Rainbow Classic History Notes**

- Since 1964, 153 teams have participated in the annual Rainbow Classic.

- Host Hawai'i has won the most championships (11), including four consecutive from 2001-04.

- North Carolina ranks second to UH with three titles, followed by Purdue and Illinois with two.

- Hawai'i is 72-60 (.545) all-time in the Rainbow Classic.

- Hawai'i has reached the championship game 19 times in 44 years.

- The Classic boasts a rich history of all-

time great players, including "Pistol" Pete Maravich, Isiah Thomas and Michael Jordan.

**CU IN THE PRO WORLD...** There is a number of CU basketball members with ties to the professional ranks. From head coach Jeff Bzdelik to the four student-athletes.

- Coach Bzdelik: Head Coach of the Denver Nuggets (2002-05);

- Casey Crawford: father, Steve played with the Boston Red Sox;

- Cory Higgins: father, Rod played in the NBA from 1982-95, currently the general manager of the Charlotte Bobcats;

- Dwight Thorne II: cousin, Acie Law IV played for the Texas A&M Aggies and great uncle, Ernie Banks played with the Cubs.

**CU ASSISTANTS...** Joining Coach Bzdelik on his staff for his second year is a trio of the finest basketball minds in the game today.

- Steve McClain, Associate Head Coach*

- 22 years of coaching experience

- Won 157 games in nine years as the head coach at the University of Wyoming;

- recorded the most regular season victories (60) of any Mountain West Conference head coach

- Four NIT appearances, One NCAA Appearance

- Led Hutchinson to the Junior College 1994 National Championship and earned National JC Coach of the Year honors

- Derrick Clark, Assistant Coach*

- Brings 11 years of coaching experience and his fourth season with Coach Bzdelik

- Helped direct Air Force to a 50-16 record during his two-years in Colorado Springs

- Assisted USAFA to the 2005-06 NCAA Tournament and 2006-07 NIT Final Four

- As an assistant at Metro State, helped the Roadrunners to a pair of NCAA Division National Championships

- Charles Baker, Assistant Coach*

- Brings 20 years of coaching expertise

- Returns to the Big 12 Conference after spending six years with K-State (2000-06)

- At K-State, helped assemble a trio of Top 25 recruiting classes and assisted the recruiting of three consensus Top-100 players

- Only head coaching stint, turned Shorter Junior College into a consistent winner leading his teams to four consecutive Arkansas State Junior College championships, and four-straight 20-win seasons.

**2012-13 CLASS...** On Nov. 12, the CU mbb team announced that **Alec Burks, Keegan Hornbuckle, and Shane Harris-Tunks** officially signed National Letters of Intent.

"With the signing of these three young men, once again we have taken a major step toward creating the vision for this program," Bzdelik said. "All three are highly skilled, highly intelligent and play with a competitive spirit."

Burks is a 6-foot-5 shooting guard from Grandview, Mo., is a skilled left-handed player who is capable of playing point-guard and will fit CU's system because of his ability to shoot from distance and slash to the basket. He committed to CU over Kansas State.

"Alec has the potential to be a 6-5 point-guard because of his athleticism and passing ability," Bzdelik said. "Not only is he an excellent shooter, he has great vision."

Burks earned first-team all-Suburban Mix Six League honors as a junior after averaging 19.9 points and 4.8 rebounds per game. Rivals.com lists Burks as the No. 31st point-guard in the class of 2009.

Hornbuckle is a 6-foot-6 small forward from Los Angeles, Calif., is a smooth shooter with deep three-point range and the ability to finish above the rim in transition. Hornbuckle helped Campbell Hall High to a 31-5 record as a junior in 2007. He is rated as the No. 34 small forward/shooting guard by Scout.com. Hornbuckle selected CU over Arizona and Arizona State.

"Keegan is a long, skilled and athletic perimeter player that fits our system," Bzdelik said.

Harris-Tunks is a 6-foot-11 center/forward from Sydney, Australia, will join current CU freshman guard Nate Tomlinson, who also hails from Sydney. Harris-Tunks is the third recruit to sign with the Buffaloes, selected CU over Vanderbilt and Gonzaga.

"Shane comes to us with an abundance of international experience," Bzdelik said.

"He is a wide-big body who will provide us with a defensive post presence, defensive rebounding and shot blocking. From an offensive standpoint, he gives us a physical presence who can also pass and shoot the ball from the perimeter."

Harris-Tunks spent the last year and a half at the Australian Institute of Sport, a prestigious academy that has college like demands both athletically and academically.

**2008-09 GAME-BY-GAME LEADERS**

|                | <b>Overall</b> | <b>Home</b> | <b>Away</b> | <b>Neutral</b> |
|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| All Games      | 3-2            | 3-1         | 0-1         | -              |
| Conference     | -              | -           | -           | -              |
| Non-Conference | 3-2            | 3-1         | 0-1         | -              |

| <b>DATE</b> | <b>OPPONENT</b> | <b>W/L</b> | <b>SCORE</b> | <b>ATT</b> | <b>HIGH SCORER</b>              | <b>HIGH REB.</b> | <b>ASSISTS</b>               | <b>BLOCKS</b>     | <b>3-PTERS MADE</b> | <b>STEALS</b>             |
|-------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|------------|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Nov. 14     | Ark-Pine Bluff  | W          | 76-56        | 5689       | Crawford (14)                   | Higgins (6)      | Higgins (6)                  | Dufault, JJW (1)  | Tomlinson (4)       | Crawford (2)              |
| Nov. 18     | Montana State   | L          | 82-85 (ot)   | 2058       | Higgins (21)<br>Thorne II (21)  | Higgins (7)      | Higgins (5)                  | JJW (1)           | Thorne II (3)       | Higgins (4)               |
| Nov. 22     | HARVARD         | W          | 70-57        | 2957       | Crawford (18)                   | Higgins (9)      | Tomlinson (5)                | Crawford, JJW (1) | Crawford (4)        | Thorne II (2)             |
| Nov. 25     | LAFAYETTE       | W          | 73-59        | 2095       | Higgins (24)                    | JJW (11)         | Knutson (3)<br>Tomlinson (3) | JJW (3)           | Higgins (2)         | Higgins (3)               |
| Nov. 29     | at Stanford     | L          | 62-76        | 6899       | Tomlinson (18)<br>Thorne II (6) | Thorne II (6)    | Tomlinson (3)                | JJW (1)           | Thorne II (2)       | Eckloff,<br>Thorne II (2) |

Key: JJW (Jermyl Jackson-Wilson)

**2008-09 STARTING LINEUPS**

| <b>Games</b>    | <b>G</b>  | <b>G</b> | <b>G</b>  | <b>F</b>       | <b>F</b> | <b>W-L</b> |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------|----------|------------|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | Tomlinson | Higgins  | Thorne II | Crawford       | Dufault  | 1-0        |
| MONTANA STATE   | Tomlinson | Higgins  | Thorne II | Crawford       | Dufault  | 1-1        |
| HARVARD         | Tomlinson | Higgins  | Thorne II | Jackson-Wilson | Dufault  | 1-0        |
| LAFAYETTE       | Tomlinson | Higgins  | Thorne II | Jackson-Wilson | Dufault  | 2-0        |
| at Stanford     | Tomlinson | Higgins  | Thorne II | Crawford       | Dufault  | 1-2        |

**2008-09 SCORING BREAKDOWN**

| <b>Game</b>    | <b>Total</b> | <b>1st</b>  | <b>2nd</b>  | <b>OT</b> | <b>Starters</b> | <b>Bench</b> | <b>Fr.</b>  | <b>So.</b>  | <b>Jr.</b>  | <b>Sr.</b> |
|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| ARK-PINE BLUFF | 76           | 40          | 36          | -         | 59              | 17           | 30          | 31          | 10          | 5          |
| MONTANA STATE  | 82           | 30          | 42          | 10        | 59              | 23           | 19          | 35          | 21          | 7          |
| HARVARD        | 70           | 29          | 41          | -         | 46              | 24           | 15          | 38          | 11          | 6          |
| LAFAYETTE      | 73           | 34          | 39          | -         | 65              | 8            | 27          | 26          | 14          | 6          |
| at Stanford    | 62           | 32          | 30          | -         | 64              | 6            | 30          | 10          | 4           | 18         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>363</b>   | <b>165</b>  | <b>188</b>  | <b>10</b> | <b>293</b>      | <b>78</b>    | <b>121</b>  | <b>140</b>  | <b>60</b>   | <b>42</b>  |
|                | <b>72.6</b>  | <b>33.0</b> | <b>37.6</b> | <b>-</b>  | <b>58.6</b>     | <b>15.6</b>  | <b>24.2</b> | <b>28.0</b> | <b>12.0</b> | <b>8.4</b> |

**FROM THE BOARDS**

|                | <b>Offensive</b> |              |             | <b>Defensive</b> |              |             | <b>Rebounds</b> |              |             |
|----------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|
|                | <b>CU</b>        | <b>Oppt.</b> | <b>+/-</b>  | <b>CU</b>        | <b>Oppt.</b> | <b>+/-</b>  | <b>CU</b>       | <b>Oppt.</b> | <b>+/-</b>  |
| ARK-PINE BLUFF | 5                | 12           | -7          | 26               | 26           | -           | 31              | 38           | -7          |
| MONTANA STATE  | 8                | 13           | -5          | 22               | 24           | -2          | 30              | 37           | -7          |
| HARVARD        | 4                | 7            | -3          | 24               | 18           | +6          | 28              | 25           | +3          |
| LAFAYETTE      | 3                | 13           | -10         | 27               | 22           | +5          | 30              | 35           | -5          |
| at Stanford    | 10               | 13           | -3          | 20               | 20           | -           | 30              | 33           | -3          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>30</b>        | <b>58</b>    | <b>-28</b>  | <b>119</b>       | <b>100</b>   | <b>+19</b>  | <b>149</b>      | <b>168</b>   | <b>-19</b>  |
|                | <b>6.0</b>       | <b>11.6</b>  | <b>-5.6</b> | <b>23.8</b>      | <b>20.0</b>  | <b>+3.8</b> | <b>29.8</b>     | <b>33.6</b>  | <b>-3.8</b> |

**2008-09 GAME-BY-GAME TEAM STATISTICS**

BOLD indicates best or high for the season

| Game            | Score     | FG-FGA       | Pct.        | 3-Pt.-FGA    | Pct.        | FT-FTA       | Pct.        | O-D          | TOT       | F/EJ        | A         | TO        | BLK      | S         |
|-----------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| COLORADO        | 76        | <b>27-52</b> | .519        | <b>10-23</b> | <b>.435</b> | 12-20        | .600        | 5-26         | <b>31</b> | 15/0        | <b>18</b> | <b>10</b> | 2        | 4         |
| Ark. Pine Bluff | 56        | 23-55        | .418        | 4-17         | .235        | 6-14         | .429        | 12-26        | 38        | 19/2        | 9         | 14        | 2        | 4         |
| COLORADO        | <b>82</b> | <b>26-54</b> | .481        | 5-18         | .278        | <b>25-34</b> | .735        | 8-22         | 30        | <b>22/1</b> | 16        | 11        | 1        | 9         |
| Montana State   | 85 ot     | 29-59        | .492        | 11-20        | .550        | 16-27        | .593        | 13-24        | 37        | 27/0        | 14        | 15        | 3        | 3         |
| COLORADO        | 70        | 21-40        | <b>.525</b> | 7-19         | .368        | 21-27        | <b>.778</b> | 4-24         | 28        | 16/0        | 14        | 14        | 2        | 4         |
| Harvard         | 57        | 24-51        | .471        | 5-17         | .294        | 4-9          | .444        | 7-18         | 25        | 25/1        | 10        | 15        | 0        | 6         |
| COLORADO        | 73        | 22-43        | .512        | 6-14         | .429        | 23-30        | .767        | <b>3-27</b>  | 30        | 20/0        | 13        | <b>19</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>11</b> |
| Lafayette       | 59        | 20-57        | .351        | 5-21         | .238        | 14-20        | .700        | 13-22        | 35        | 25/0        | 11        | 20        | 0        | 4         |
| COLORADO        | 62        | 25-50        | .500        | 3-15         | .200        | 9-16         | .563        | <b>10-20</b> | 30        | 20/0        | 9         | 15        | 1        | 6         |
| at Stanford     | 76        | 27-56        | .482        | 7-17         | .412        | 15-21        | .714        | 13-20        | 33        | 16/0        | 12        | 11        | 3        | 4         |

**10 mini-games:** College basketball games can be viewed as a series of 10 mini-games, broken up by media timeouts. Here, we break down the Buffaloes and their opponents from one timeout to the next:

|                | <b>20-16</b> | <b>16-12</b> | <b>12-8</b> | <b>8-4</b> | <b>4-0</b> | <b>HALF</b> | <b>20-16</b> | <b>16-12</b> | <b>12-8</b> | <b>8-4</b> | <b>4-0</b> | <b>2nd</b> | <b>OT</b> | <b>FINAL</b>  |
|----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| ARK.PINE BLUFF | 7-5          | 6-2          | 8-5         | 17-5       | 2-2        | 40-20       | 9-6          | 4-8          | 5-6         | 6-4        | 12-12      | 36-36      | -         | W, 76-56      |
| MONTANA STATE  | 6-6          | 3-9          | 3-9         | 10-11      | 8-2        | 30-37       | 6-14         | 14-3         | 3-10        | 6-4        | 13-4       | 42-35      | 10-13     | L, 82-85 (ot) |
| HARVARD        | 4-7          | 8-4          | 2-7         | 8-7        | 7-9        | 29-34       | 4-6          | 12-7         | 1-2         | 11-4       | 13-4       | 41-23      | -         | W, 70-57      |
| LAFAYETTE      | 11-4         | 9-9          | 0-8         | 11-2       | 3-4        | 34-27       | 5-6          | 5-6          | 13-6        | 13-6       | 3-8        | 39-32      | -         | W, 73-59      |
| at Stanford    | 2-9          | 4-8          | 8-12        | 14-12      | 4-1        | 32-42       | 5-7          | 11-11        | 4-5         | 8-11       | 2-0        | 30-34      | -         | L, 62-76      |
|                | 30-31        | 30-32        | 21-41       | 60-37      | 24-18      | 165-160     | 29-39        | 46-35        | 26-29       | 44-29      | 43-28      | 188-160    | 10-13     |               |
|                | 6.0-6.2      | 6.0-6.4      | 4.2-8.2     | 12.0-7.4   | 4.8-3.6    | 33.0-32.0   | 5.8-7.8      | 9.2-6.0      | 5.2-5.8     | 8.8-5.8    | 8.6-5.6    | 37.6-32.0  |           | 72.6-66.6     |

**Colorado Season Highs & Lows**

|                 | <b>High</b>                 | <b>Lows</b>                  |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| PTS             | 82, Montana St. (11/18)     | 62, at Stanford (11/29)      |
| FG Made         | 27, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 21, Harvard (11/22)          |
| FG Attempted    | 54, Montana St. (11/18)     | 40, Harvard (11/22)          |
| Highest FG Pct. | .525, Harvard (11/22)       | .481, Montana St. (11/18)    |
| 3-Pt. FG Made   | 10, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 3, at Stanford (11/29)       |
| 3-Pt. FG Att.   | 23, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 18, Montana St. (11/18)      |
| FT Made         | 25, Montana St. (11/18)     | 12, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  |
| FT Attempted    | 34, Montana St. (11/18)     | 18, Montana St. (11/18)      |
| FT Pct.         | .778, Harvard (11/22)       | .563, at Stanford (11/29)14) |
| Offensive Rebs. | 10, at Stanford (11/29)     | 3, Lafayette (11/25)         |
| Defensive Rebs. | 27, Lafayette (11/25)       | 22, Montana St. (11/18)      |
| Total Rebs.     | 31, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 28, Harvard (11/22)          |
| Turnovers       | 19, Lafayette (11/25)       | 10, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  |
| Assists         | 18, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 9, at Stanford (11/29)       |
| Blocked Shots   | 4, Lafayette (11/25)        | 1, twice                     |
| Steals          | 11, Lafayette (11/25)       | 4, twice                     |

**Opponent Season Highs & Lows**

|                 | <b>High</b>                 | <b>Lows</b>                           |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| PTS             | 85, Montana St. (11/18)     | 56, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)           |
| FG Made         | 29, Montana St. (11/18)     | 20, Lafayette (11/25)                 |
| FG Attempted    | 59, Montana St. (11/18)     | 51, Harvard (11/22)                   |
| Highest FG Pct. | .492, Montana St. (11/18)   | .351, Lafayette (11/25)               |
| 3-Pt. FG Made   | 11, Montana St. (11/18)     | 4, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)            |
| 3-Pt. FG Att.   | 21, Lafayette (11/25)       | 17, twice                             |
| FT Made         | 16, Montana St. (11/18)     | 4, Harvard (11/22)                    |
| FT Attempted    | 27, Montana St. (11/18)     | 9, Harvard (11/22)                    |
| FT Pct.         | .714, at Stanford (11/29)   | .429, Harvard (11/22)                 |
| Offensive Rebs. | 13, three times             | 7, Harvard (11/22)                    |
| Defensive Rebs. | 26, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 18, Harvard (11/22)                   |
| Total Rebs.     | 38, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) | 25, Harvard (11/22)                   |
| Turnovers       | 20, Lafayette (11/25)       | 11, at Stanford (11/29)               |
| Assists         | 14, Montana St. (11/18)     | 9, Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)            |
| Blocked Shots   | 3, twice                    | 0, Harvard (11/22), Lafayette (11/25) |
| Steals          | 6, Harvard (11/22)          | 3, Montana State (11/18)              |

**COLORADO'S RECORD WHEN THE BUFFALOES...**

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| leading opponent at half .....               | 2-0 |
| trailing at the half .....                   | 1-2 |
| tied at the half .....                       | -   |
| leading in the last 5:00 .....               | 3-0 |
| trailing in the last 5:00 .....              | 0-2 |
| leading in the last 2:00 .....               | 3-0 |
| trailing in the last 2:00 .....              | 0-2 |
| shoots 60% .....                             | -   |
| shoots 56-59% .....                          | -   |
| shoots 50-55% .....                          | 3-1 |
| shoots 40-49% .....                          | 0-1 |
| shoots 49.5%+3-pt. ....                      | -   |
| shoots 40-49%+ 3-pt. ....                    | 2-0 |
| shoots under 39% arc .....                   | 1-2 |
| scores 80-89 points .....                    | 0-1 |
| scores 70-79 points .....                    | 3-0 |
| scores 60-69 points .....                    | 0-1 |
| Shoot Better than oppt. from 3-pt. arc ..... | 3-0 |
| same as opponent - 3-pt. arc .....           | -   |
| Shoot Better from the free-throw line .....  | 3-0 |
| Same as opponent .....                       | 0-1 |
| FT shooting 80%+ .....                       | -   |
| FT shooting 70%+ .....                       | 2-1 |
| FT shooting 60%+ .....                       | 1-0 |
| FT shooting 50%+ .....                       | 0-1 |
| fewer turnovers .....                        | 3-1 |
| more turnovers .....                         | 0-1 |
| same # of turnovers .....                    | -   |
| out-rebounding oppt. ....                    | 1-0 |
| being out-rebounded .....                    | 2-2 |
| same rebounds as oppt. ....                  | -   |
| CU has fewer fouls .....                     | 3-1 |
| CU has more fouls .....                      | 0-1 |
| same number of fouls .....                   | -   |
| Two Buffs in double digits .....             |     |
| Three Buffs in double-digits .....           | 0-1 |
| Four Buffs in double-digits .....            | 3-1 |
| Five Buffs in double-digits .....            |     |

**THE LAST TIME ...**20-Point Scorer

24, Cory Higgins vs. Lafayette, Nov. 25, 2008

30-Point Scorer

32, Richard Roby, Mar. 13, 2008 vs. Baylor (2ot), Kansas City, Mo.; 31, Marcus Hall, Mar. 1, 2008, Iowa State

40-Point Scorer

46, Donnie Boyce, Mar. 5, 1994 at Oklahoma State

Three 20-point Scorers in Same Game

Feb. 3, 2007 vs. Oklahoma State: Kal Bay (21), Dominique Coleman (20), Richard Roby (20)

Five Double-Figure Scorers in Same Game

Dec. 29, 2007 vs. Grambling State: Richard Roby (25), Cory Higgins (15), Marcus Hall (12), Xavier Silas (10), Dwight Thorne II (10)

Six Double-Figure Scorers in Same Game

Jan. 3, 2007 vs. Central Florida: Kal Bay (21), Marcus King-Stockton (18), Richard Roby (14), Jermyl Jackson-Wilson (13), Dominique Coleman (12), Jeremy Williams (10)

Double-Double Performance

Richard Roby (18 points, 10 rebounds), Mar. 14, 2008 vs. Oklahoma (Kansas City, Mo.)

Triple-Double Performance

David Harrison (20 points, 10 rebounds, 11 blocks), Mar. 8, 2003 vs. Nebraska

Player with 20 or More Rebounds

21, Stephane Pelle, Nov. 24, 2002 vs. Stetson

Player with 15 or More Rebounds

17, Jermyl Jackson-Wilson, Nov. 10, 2006 vs. Denver

Player with 10 or More Assists

10, Marcus Hall, Mar. 13, 2008 vs. Baylor (2ot), Kansas City, Mo.; 10, Marcus Hall, Feb. 14, 2005 vs. South Dakota State

Player with Five or More Steals

6, Marcus Hall, Mar. 4, 2008 at Kansas State

Player with Five or More Three-Point FGs Made

6, Richard Roby, Jan. 25, 2006 vs. Nebraska

Player with Five or More Blocked Shots

5, Marcus King-Stockton, Mar. 14, 2008 vs. Oklahoma (Kansas City, Mo.)

Scored 100 or More Points, Team

116, Jan. 3, 2006 vs. Savannah State (52)

Scored under 50 Points, Team

49, Mar. 14, 2008 vs. Oklahoma (54), Kansas City, Mo.

Scored under 40 Points, Team

35, Mar. 10, 2000 vs. Texas (78), Kansas City, Mo.

Shot 60.0 Percent or Better from the Field, Team

61.7, Jan. 12, 2008 at Texas A&amp;M

Shot Under 35.0 Percent from the Field, Team

34.6, Mar. 14, 2008 vs. Oklahoma (Kansas City, Mo.)

Made 30 or More Free Throws, Team

36, Jan. 3, 2007 vs. Central Florida

Made 10 or more Three-Point Field Goals, Team

10, Nov. 14, 2008 vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff

Had 50 or More Rebounds, Team

51, Feb. 11, 2006 vs. Texas Tech

Had 25 or more assists, Team

27, Jan. 3, 2006 vs. Savannah State

Had 15 or More Steals, Team

19, Jan. 3, 2006 vs. Savannah State

Had 10 or More Blocked Shots, Team

10, Dec. 4, 2006 vs. Pepperdine

**Freshman Bests - Season****Most Points**

|                                |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 1) Richard Roby, 2004-05       | 480       |
| 2) Chauncey Billups, 1995-96   | 465       |
| 3) Donnie Boyce, 1991-92       | 417       |
| 4) Emmett Lewis, 1975-76       | 389       |
| 5) David Harrison, 2001-02     | 375       |
| 6) Matt Bullard, 1985-86       | 356       |
| 7) Randy Downs, 1982-83        | 322       |
| 8) Xavier Silas, 2006-07       | 301       |
| 9) Stephane Pelle, 1999-00     | 272       |
| 10) Cory Higgins, 2007-08      | 266       |
| 11) Toney Ellis, 1976-77       | 245       |
| 12) Larry Vaculik, 1974-75     | 220       |
| 13) Michael Lee, 1984-85       | 215       |
| 14) Jeremy Williams, 2006-07   | 207       |
| 15) John Addison, 1979-80      | 194       |
| 16) Richard Fox, 1999-00       | 189       |
| <b>Nate Tomlinson, 2008-09</b> | <b>58</b> |
| <b>Austin Dufault, 2008-09</b> | <b>56</b> |

**Most Rebounds**

|                                |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 1) Stephane Pelle, 1999-00     | 218       |
| 2) Richard Fox, 1999-00        | 191       |
| 3) David Harrison, 2001-02     | 188       |
| 4) Matt Bullard, 1985-86       | 179       |
| 5) Chauncey Billups, 1995-96   | 165       |
| 6) Larry Vaculik, 1974-75      | 158       |
| 7) Carlton Carter, 1998-99     | 146       |
| 8) Marcus Hall, 2004-05        | 143       |
| 9) Cory Higgins, 2007-08       | 136       |
| 10) Donnie Boyce, 1991-92      | 133       |
| 11) Randy Downs, 1982-83       | 121       |
| 12) Jose Winston, 1998-99      | 105       |
| Vince Kelley, 1980-81          | 105       |
| <b>Austin Dufault, 2008-09</b> | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Nate Tomlinson, 2008-09</b> | <b>17</b> |

**Most Assists**

|                                |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 1) Chauncey Billups, 1995-96   | 143       |
| 2) Toney Ellis, 1976-77        | 138       |
| 3) Jose Winston, 1998-99       | 119       |
| 4) Jay Humphries, 1980-81      | 99        |
| 5) Donnie Boyce, 1991-92       | 87        |
| 6) Matt Bullard, 1985-86       | 86        |
| 7) Stevie Wise, 1987-88        | 79        |
| 8) Cory Higgins, 2007-08       | 73        |
| 9) Richard Roby, 2004-05       | 58        |
| 10) Pete Hefty, 1992-93        | 54        |
| 11) Kal Bay, 2006-07           | 52        |
| 12) Marcus Hall, 2003-04       | 45        |
| Matt Daniel, 1994-95           | 45        |
| 14) Michael Lee, 1984-85       | 44        |
| 15) Xavier Silas, 2006-07      | 42        |
| 16) Dwight Thorne II, 2006-07  | 33        |
| 17) Richard Fox, 1999-00       | 28        |
| 18) Stephane Pelle, 1999-00    | 25        |
| <b>Nate Tomlinson, 2008-09</b> | <b>18</b> |
| <b>Austin Dufault, 2008-09</b> | <b>6</b>  |

**Most Steals**

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| 1) Donnie Boyce, 1991-92           | 68       |
| 2) Jose Winston, 1998-99           | 53       |
| 3) Richard Roby, 2004-05           | 48       |
| 4) Chauncey Billups, 1995-96       | 42       |
| 5) Jay Humphries, 1980-81          | 41       |
| 6) Cory Higgins, 2007-08           | 36       |
| 7) Pete Hefty, 1992-93             | 27       |
| 8) Michael Lee, 1984-85            | 26       |
| 9) Stevie Wise, 1987-88            | 24       |
| 10) Justin Harbert, 2000-01        | 23       |
| 11) Matt Bullard, 1985-86          | 22       |
| Randy Downs, 1982-83               | 22       |
| 13) Jeremy Williams, 2006-07       | 20       |
| 14) Xavier Silas, 2006-07          | 19       |
| 15) Stephane Pelle, 1999-00        | 18       |
| Dan Becker, 1986-87                | 18       |
| Leroy Carter, 1994-95              | 18       |
| 18) Richard Fox, 1999-00           | 7        |
| 19) <b>Austin Dufault, 2008-09</b> | <b>2</b> |
| <b>Nate Tomlinson, 2008-09</b>     | <b>2</b> |

**Most Blocks**

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| 1) Carlton Carter, 1998-99        | 39       |
| 2) David Harrison, 2001-02        | 34       |
| 3) Matt Bullard, 1985-86          | 32       |
| 4) Stephane Pelle, 1999-00        | 27       |
| Donnie Boyce, 1991-92             | 27       |
| 6) Richard Roby, 2004-05          | 23       |
| Fred Edmonds, 1993-94             | 23       |
| 8) Jeremy Williams, 2006-07       | 22       |
| Randy Downs, 1982-83              | 22       |
| 10) Richard Fox, 1999-00          | 18       |
| 11) Jacques Tuz, 1977-78          | 15       |
| 12) Marcus King-Stockton, 2004-05 | 13       |
| Jason Carter, 2001-02             | 13       |
| 14) Ted Kritza, 1994-95           | 12       |
| 15) Cory Higgins, 2007-08         | 11       |
| Jamahl Mosley, 1997-98            | 11       |
| <b>Austin Dufault, 2008-09</b>    | <b>1</b> |



## JEFF BZDELIK - HEAD COACH

Jeff Bzdelik begins his second year as the University of Colorado men's basketball head coach continuing to build the Buffaloes to greater heights in one of the best basketball conferences nationally.

Bzdelik (buzz-DEL-ik), 55, a man synonymous with success on both the professional and college levels in the state of Colorado, was named the 17th men's basketball head coach on April 4, 2007.

During his first season on the Boulder campus, Bzdelik and his staff saw a mix of positives and negatives in their 12-20 campaign. CU remained competitive despite its lack of depth losing nine games by an average of 4.8 points. The defense allowed opponents an average of 64.4 points per game, its lowest in 46 years, while committing 13.4 turnovers a game – another school-low in 28 years.

Entering the 2008-09 season, CU will again be one of the youngest and most inexperienced team in the Big 12 with five freshmen on the roster, in addition to five sophomores, two juniors and one senior.

Bzdelik came to Colorado from the United States Air Force Academy, where he guided the Falcons to a 50-16 record (a 75.8 winning percentage) in two seasons from 2005-07. During those two seasons he led the Falcons to a 2005-06 NCAA Tournament and a 2006-07 NIT Final Four appearance.

Bzdelik brings 30 years of coaching experience to the Boulder campus from the collegiate to the professional ranks. He returned to the college game in 2005-06 after 15 seasons as both a coach and scout in the NBA, including two-and-a-half seasons as head coach of the Denver Nuggets.

His two-year win total of 50 victories at the Academy was a school-best in any two-year span of the 51-year history of Air Force basketball, while his 26 victories in 2006-07 was also a school high. He's the only coach to have won at least 24 games in back-to-back seasons. Bzdelik guided the Falcons to a 31-1 home record, including a 15-0 mark in 2005-06 and 16-1 in 2006-07.

In 2005-06, Bzdelik led the Falcons to a 24-7 record and the school's fourth appearance ever in the NCAA Tournament. He also led the Falcons to a 12-4 record and second place finish in the Mountain West Conference. Air Force also capped the season leading the nation for the fourth consecutive season in scoring defense.

"Jeff symbolizes all the essential leadership qualities that are important to successfully direct the Buff basketball program and represent the University of Colorado with class and distinction," Bohn said. "His high level of professionalism, competitive spirit, work ethic and integrity makes him the perfect choice for our world class institution."

"With the hiring of Jeff Bzdelik, the University of Colorado at Boulder has made a strong statement about our values as well as our athletic aspirations," said CU Chancellor Bud Peterson. "Coach Bzdelik's experience, commitment to excellence, concern for his players as scholar-athletes, along with his intensity and attention to detail, are a perfect fit for the type of environment we are creating here at CU."

Prior to returning to the college ranks with the Air Force Academy, Bzdelik was the Denver Nuggets head coach for two-and-a-half seasons (2002-2005). He was named head coach in August of 2002 after spending one year as a scout for the Nuggets. Bzdelik engineered one of the biggest turnarounds in NBA history during his second season in 2003-04, leading the Nuggets to the playoffs for the first time since 1994-95 while posting a 43-39 record. The 26-game improvement over the previous year was the sixth-best in NBA history.

Bzdelik also became the first coach in league history (since the adoption of an 82-game schedule) to guide a team to the playoffs the year after winning less than 20 games. In his first season, Bzdelik earned NBA-wide praise for Denver's competitiveness, work ethic and never-give-up attitude. Despite having the youngest team in franchise history, Bzdelik's team shattered the franchise record for scoring defense by more than five points per game, giving up only 92.4 per outing. In addition, the Nuggets led the league in turnovers forced (17.1 per game) and had six of the top 12 marks for single-season scoring defense.

Surprisingly to many, he was let go by the Nuggets after just 28 games into the 2004-05 season, with the team off to a 13-15 start. But that decision would eventually become Air Force's and now Colorado's gain.

From 1995-2001, Bzdelik was an assistant coach under Pat Riley in Miami, holding the title of Assistant Coach/Director of Scouting during the final two years. With the Heat, he was responsible for the preparation of all game plans, video coordination and statistical data as well as player development.

In 2000, he was recognized by *The USA Today* as one of the NBA's top five assistant coaches. In the 1998 Pro Basketball issue of *Sports Illustrated*, he was voted as the NBA's best advance scout by league general managers.

Prior to his tenure with the Heat, Bzdelik spent the 1994-95 season as the lead scout for Riley and the New York Knicks. He also served as an assistant coach with the Washington Bullets from 1988-94 and was Wes Unseld's first assistant in 1993-94. In addition, he coached the Bullets summer league team in 1988 and 1994.

The Illinois native began his coaching career in 1978 at Davidson (N.C.) College. In 1980, he was named an assistant coach at Northwestern University where he spent six seasons and was instrumental in the Wildcats' first NIT appearance in school history.

He then accepted his first head coaching position at the University of Maryland-Baltimore County, one he would handle for two years before moving on to the NBA.

During the 1986-87 season at UMBC, his squad was cited by *The Sporting News* as having "One of College's Biggest Turnarounds," in the school's inaugural season in Division I. After going just 11-44 the previous two seasons as a Division II program before Bzdelik's arrival, UMBC went 12-16 in his first year and 13-15 in 1987-88 in Division I. His teams excelled in the classroom as well, posting a 2.86 grade point average during his tenure.

Bzdelik is a 1976 graduate of the University of Illinois-Chicago, where he earned a bachelor's degree in physical education. He earned four varsity letters in basketball at UIC and was named team MVP as a senior in 1975-76. He still holds the school record for the best free-throw percentage in one season, shooting 88.1 percent (59-for-67) from the line in 1975-76 and still ranks among UIC's all-time leading scorers.

Bzdelik also spent six years in the Army National Guard during the early to mid 1970s.

In June 2008, Bzdelik was one of six coaches invited by the USO (United Service Organizations) to visit and experience the Persian Gulf called "Operation Hoop Talk: Talking Hoops with the Troops."

During the tour, Bzdelik and the coaches visited Bethesda and Walter Reed Hospitals in Washington, D.C., visiting wounded military personnel and toured multiple military posts in Kuwait City and Iraq. The coaches also posed for photos, signed autographs and spent quality time talking with military about the game of basketball, in addition helping boost troop morale bringing a touch of home to those in uniform.

"It keeps things in perspective," said Bzdelik on how the experience affected him. "As a coach you are in awe of the collective will, of sacrificing the individual for the collective good, of unselfishness, and dedication. And the military is the best example of this. I want to rally this message to my team, and hopefully that will help them grow. I would go back tomorrow. There is special spirit there that engulfs one, and you just feel it, and want to be around it."

Bzdelik was born December 1, 1952 and graduated from Prospect High School in Mount Prospect, Ill. He is married to the former Nina Bernardzik, who was a standout volleyball player at UIC from 1974-76 and is a member of the Flames' Athletic Hall of Fame. They are the parents of two children, Brett (19) and Courtney (17).

### Hometown

Mount Prospect, Illinois

### Education

University of Illinois-Chicago, B.A., Physical Education, 1976

### Playing Experience

University of Illinois-Chicago:  
Four-year letterwinner; Team MVP, 1976;  
School-record holder for single-season  
free throw percentage (88 percent)

### College Experience

United States Air Force Academy,  
Head Coach: 2005-07  
University of Maryland-Baltimore County,  
Head Coach: 1986-88  
Northwestern Univ., Assistant Coach: 1980-86  
Davidson College (N.C.), Asst. Coach: 1978-80

### Professional Experience

Denver Nuggets, Head Coach: 2002-04.  
Denver Nuggets, Scout: 2001-2002.  
Miami Heat, Assistant Coach/Director  
of Scouting: 1995-2001.

| Year    | School          | Overall |      | Conf.       |      | Highlights   |
|---------|-----------------|---------|------|-------------|------|--|
|         |                 | Record  | Pct. | Record      | Pct. |  |
| 2008-09 | Colorado        | 3-2     | .600 | -           | -    | Second Season at Colorado.   |
| 2007-08 | Colorado        | 12-20   | .375 | 3-13        | .188 | First year at CU; First No. 12 seed to beat a No. 5 seed at Big 12 Tournament; Nine of 20 losses an average of 4.8 points. Defense allowed opponents an average 64.4 points per game - lowest in 46 years, while committing 13.4 turnovers a game – another school-low in 28 years.  |
| 2006-07 | Air Force       | 26-9    | .743 | 10-6        | .625 | Guided the Falcons to a 50-16 record (a 75.8 winning percentage) in two seasons from 2005-07; 2006-07 NIT Final Four; two-year win total of 50 victories was a school-best in any two-year span of the 51-year history of Air Force basketball; 26 victories in 2006-07 was also a school-high. Only AFA coach to have won at least 24 games in back-to-back seasons 31-1 home record, including a 15-0 mark in 2005-06 and 16-1 in 2006-07. |
| 2005-06 | Air Force       | 24-7    | .774 | 12-4        | .750 | Led the Falcons to a 24-7 record and the school's fourth appearance ever in the NCAA Tournament; Air Force also capped the season leading the nation for the fourth consecutive season in scoring defense.; 2005-06 NCAA Tournament.   |
| 2004-05 | Denver (NBA)    | 13-15   | .464 | N/A         | -    | 15 seasons as both a coach and scout in the NBA; two-and-a-half seasons as head coach of the Denver Nuggets.   |
| 2003-04 | Denver (NBA)    | 43-39   | .524 | 6th/Midwest |      | engineered one of the biggest turnarounds in NBA history during his second season in 2003-04, leading the Nuggets to the playoffs for the first time since 1994-95 while posting a 43-39 record. The 26-game improvement over the previous year was the sixth-best in NBA history.   |
| 2002-03 | Denver (NBA)    | 17-65   | .207 | 7th/Midwest |      | named head coach in August of 2002 after spending one year as a scout for the Nuggets; youngest team in franchise history, Bzdelik's team shattered the franchise record for scoring defense by more than five points per game, giving up only 92.4 per outing.  |
| 1987-88 | UM-Balt. County | 13-15   | .464 | -           |      | teams excelled in the classroom as well, posting a 2.86 grade point average during his tenure.   |
| 1986-87 | UM-Balt. County | 12-16   | .429 | -           |      | cited by <i>The Sporting News</i> as having "One of College's Biggest Turnarounds;" in the school's inaugural season in Division I after going just 11-44 the previous two seasons as a Division II program before Bzdelik's arrival.  |

**Bzdelik's Record vs.**

**All Opponents**

|                                 |     |                         |     |                            |     |                             |              |
|---------------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Air Force .....                 | 1-0 | George Mason .....      | 0-2 | Morgan State .....         | 1-1 | SMU .....                   | 1-0          |
| American .....                  | 1-1 | George Washington ..... | 1-0 | Mount Saint Mary's .....   | 0-2 | St. Francis (PA) .....      | 1-0          |
| Arkansas-Pine Bluff .....       | 3-0 | Georgetown .....        | 0-1 | Navy .....                 | 2-1 | Stanford .....              | 1-2          |
| Austin Peay .....               | 1-0 | Georgia .....           | 1-0 | Nebraska .....             | 1-1 | TCU .....                   | 3-1          |
| Baylor .....                    | 1-1 | Georgia Tech .....      | 1-0 | New Mexico .....           | 3-1 | Tennessee-Chattanooga ..... | 0-1          |
| Brooklyn .....                  | 2-0 | Grambling State .....   | 1-0 | New Mexico State .....     | 0-1 | Texas .....                 | 0-1          |
| BYU. ....                       | 1-3 | Harvard .....           | 1-0 | New Orleans .....          | 0-1 | Texas A&M .....             | 0-1          |
| Central Connecticut .....       | 2-2 | Howard .....            | 0-2 | Norfolk State .....        | 1-0 | Texas Pan-American .....    | 2-0          |
| Central Florida .....           | 1-1 | Illinois .....          | 0-1 | North Carolina State ..... | 0-1 | Texas Tech .....            | 1-1          |
| Clemson .....                   | 0-1 | Iowa State .....        | 1-1 | Northern Arizona .....     | 2-0 | The Citadel .....           | 0-1          |
| Coast Carolina .....            | 0-1 | IPFW .....              | 2-0 | Northern Colorado .....    | 1-0 | Towson State .....          | 0-3          |
| Colorado .....                  | 1-0 | Kansas .....            | 0-2 | Northern Iowa .....        | 0-1 | Tulsa .....                 | 0-1          |
| Colorado Christian .....        | 1-0 | Kansas State .....      | 0-2 | Northwestern .....         | 0-1 | UMES .....                  | 2-0          |
| Colorado College .....          | 1-0 | Lafayette .....         | 1-0 | Ohio State .....           | 0-1 | UNLV .....                  | 3-1          |
| Colorado State .....            | 5-0 | Lamar .....             | 1-0 | Oklahoma .....             | 1-1 | Utah .....                  | 3-1          |
| Colorado-Colorado Springs ..... | 1-0 | Long Beach State .....  | 1-0 | Oklahoma State .....       | 0-1 | Utica .....                 | 1-1          |
| Coppin State .....              | 3-0 | Long Island .....       | 1-0 | Prairie View A&M .....     | 0-0 | Wake Forest .....           | 1-0          |
| Delaware .....                  | 0-1 | Louisiana-Monroe .....  | 0-0 | Radford .....              | 1-1 | Washington .....            | 0-1          |
| Denver .....                    | 1-0 | Loyola .....            | 1-0 | Rider .....                | 1-0 | West Chester .....          | 1-0          |
| DePaul .....                    | 1-0 | Maryland .....          | 0-1 | Robert Morris .....        | 1-1 | Western State .....         | 1-1          |
| Duke .....                      | 0-1 | Miami .....             | 1-1 | Saint Mary .....           | 1-0 | Wisconsin .....             | 0-1          |
| East Carolina .....             | 1-0 | Missouri .....          | 0-2 | San Diego State .....      | 2-2 | Wright State .....          | 1-1          |
| Florida A&M .....               | 1-0 | Monmouth .....          | 1-0 | Santa Clara .....          | 1-0 | Wyoming .....               | 3-4          |
| Florida International .....     | 1-1 | Montana State .....     | 0-1 | Savannah State .....       | 1-0 | <b>TOTAL .....</b>          | <b>90-69</b> |



**Nate Tomlinson**  
 #1  
 6-2, 180, Fr.  
 Sydney, Australia

- Tomlinson is CU's first-ever basketball student-athlete from Australia
- starting point-guard: 9.6 ppg., 3.4 rpg., 3.6 apg.
- first on team in assists (18)
- second in muntres played (35.2)
- scored a career-best 18 points on 8-of-12 shooting at Stanford
- led team in assists with five against Harvard and three hand-outs at Stanford

**2008-09 Tomlinson Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs  | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | *  | 33  | 4-5  | 4-5  | 0-0 | 0-4   | 4  | 1 | 3  | 0  | 0  | 12  |
| MONTANA STATE   | *  | 38  | 2-8  | 0-2  | 0-2 | 2-3   | 5  | 4 | 4  | 3  | 0  | 4   |
| HARVARD         | *  | 34  | 1-2  | 0-1  | 2-2 | 0-1   | 1  | 3 | 5  | 4  | 0  | 4   |
| LAFAYETTE       | *  | 36  | 2-5  | 1-2  | 5-6 | 0-4   | 4  | 2 | 3  | 3  | 0  | 10  |
| at Stanford     | *  | 35  | 8-12 | 1-4  | 1-2 | 0-3   | 3  | 0 | 3  | 3  | 0  | 18  |

**Season Bests**

**Points**

Season 18 at Stanford (Nov. 29)  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals**

Season 8 at Stanford (Nov. 29)  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 12 at Stanford (Nov. 29)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Pointers Made**

Season 4 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Point Attempts**

Season 5 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throws**

Season 5 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throw Attempts**

Season 6 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Rebounds**

Season 5 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season 2 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 4 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Assists**

Season 5 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Steals**

Season 2 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Blocks**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Minutes**

Season 38 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 -



**Ryan Kelley**  
 #10  
 6-2, 185, Fr.  
 Pomona, Calif.

- A reserve off the bench
- season-best five minutes against Lafayette; grabbed one rebound against Leopards
- scored first collegiate point against Ark.-Pine Bluff
- handed out his first assist versus Harvard
- Nephew of former CU great Vince Kelley (1981-84)

**2008-09 Kelley Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS           | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -            | 2   | 0-0 | 0-0  | 1-2 | 0-0   | 0  | 0 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1   |
| MONTANA STATE   | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| HARVARD         | -            | 2   | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0-2 | 0-0   | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| LAFAYETTE       | -            | 5   | 0-2 | 0-1  | 0-0 | 0-1   | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| at Stanford     | -            | 2   | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0   | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |

**Season Bests**

**Points**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 2 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Pointers Made**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**3-Point Attempts**

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throws**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throw Attempts**

Season 2 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Rebounds**

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -

**Assists**

Season 1 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Steals**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Blocks**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Minutes**

Season 5 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 -



**Cory Higgins**

#11  
6-5, 185, Soph.  
Danville, Calif.

- career-best 24 points on 7-of-11 shooting vs. Lafayette
- team leader w/ 17.8 ppg.; 6.0 rpg., 3.8 apg., 2.3 spg.
- also leader in minutes (36.8)
- has led CU in rebounding three of four games
- tied a career-best seven field goals made vs. Lafayette
- 36 consecutive starts
- led team in scoring for fourth time in career, second this season
- first CU student-athlete to lead the team in rebounds AND assists the first two games of any season since 1973-74; Coors Events Conference Center record (building opened in 1979)
- career-best in free throws made (11) and attempted (14) vs. Montana State

**Career:**

20+ points: 2 (2008-09)  
10+ points: 19 (4 - 2008-09; 15-2007-08)  
10+ rebounds: 0  
5+ assists: 2 (2008-09)

**2007-08 NOTES:** Started all 32 games • Returns as team leader in points (266), points per game, assists, minutes played, FGs (95) and FG attempts (207)  
• Played 35+ minutes, 17 times • Played the sixth most minutes in a season (1074)  
• Big 12 averages: 8.8 ppg., 4.3 rpg., 2.5 apg. • 15 games with 5+ rebounds.

**Season/Career Bests**

**Points**

|        |    |                        |
|--------|----|------------------------|
| Season | 24 | Lafayette (Nov. 25)    |
| Big 12 | 15 | at Texas A&M (Jan. 12) |
| Career | 24 | Lafayette (Nov. 25)    |

**Field Goals**

|        |   |                        |
|--------|---|------------------------|
| Season | 7 | Lafayette (Nov. 25)    |
| Big 12 | 6 | at Texas A&M (Jan. 12) |
| Career | 7 | twice                  |

**Field Goals Attempts**

|        |    |                          |
|--------|----|--------------------------|
| Season | 12 | at Stanford (Nov. 29)    |
| Big 12 | 11 | at Kansas State (Mar. 4) |
| Career | 12 | at Stanford (Nov. 29)    |

**3-Pointers Made**

|        |   |                     |
|--------|---|---------------------|
| Season | 2 | Lafayette (Nov. 25) |
| Big 12 | 2 | four times          |
| Career | 2 | eight times         |

**3-Point Attempts**

|        |   |                         |
|--------|---|-------------------------|
| Season | 4 | Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14) |
| Big 12 | 4 | six times               |
| Career | 4 | nine times              |

**Free Throws**

|        |    |                            |
|--------|----|----------------------------|
| Season | 11 | Montana State (11/18)      |
| Big 12 | 6  | at Oklahoma State (Feb. 6) |
| Career | 11 | Montana State (11/18)      |

**Free Throw Attempts**

|        |    |                       |
|--------|----|-----------------------|
| Season | 14 | Montana State (11/18) |
| Big 12 | 7  | twice                 |
| Career | 14 | Montana State (11/18) |

**Rebounds**

|        |   |                       |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| Season | 7 | Montana State (11/18) |
| Big 12 | 8 | three times           |
| Career | 8 | three times           |

**Offensive Rebounds**

|        |   |                          |
|--------|---|--------------------------|
| Season | 2 | Montana State (11/18)    |
| Big 12 | 3 | at Kansas State (Mar. 4) |
| Career | 3 | at Kansas State (Mar. 4) |

**Defensive Rebounds**

|        |   |                    |
|--------|---|--------------------|
| Season | 8 | Harvard (Nov. 22)  |
| Big 12 | 8 | at Texas (Jan. 19) |
| Career | 8 | twice              |

**Assists**

|        |   |                             |
|--------|---|-----------------------------|
| Season | 6 | Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)     |
| Big 12 | 4 | twice                       |
| Career | 7 | at Colorado State (Dec. 22) |

**Steals**

|        |   |                         |
|--------|---|-------------------------|
| Season | 4 | Montana State (11/18)   |
| Big 12 | 5 | at Iowa State (Jan. 29) |
| Career | 5 | at Iowa State (Jan. 29) |

**Blocks**

|        |   |                           |
|--------|---|---------------------------|
| Season | - |                           |
| Big 12 | 1 | twice                     |
| Career | 2 | Grambling State (Dec. 29) |

**Minutes**

|        |    |                       |
|--------|----|-----------------------|
| Season | 44 | Montana State (11/18) |
| Big 12 | 46 | vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  |
| Career | 46 | vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  |

**2008-09 Higgins Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs  | 3FGs | FTs   | O-D- R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|-------|--------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | *  | 36  | 4-10 | 1-4  | 3-6   | 0-6 6  | 1  | 6 | 3  | 0  | 1  | 12  |
| MONTANA STATE   | *  | 44  | 5-8  | 0-3  | 11-14 | 2-5 7  | 2  | 5 | 4  | 0  | 4  | 21  |
| HARVARD         | *  | 36  | 3-7  | 0-3  | 8-11  | 1-8 9  | 2  | 3 | 2  | 0  | 1  | 14  |
| LAFAYETTE       | *  | 31  | 7-11 | 2-3  | 8-10  | 0-2 2  | 3  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 3  | 24  |
| at Stanford     | *  | 36  | 4-12 | 0-2  | 1-4   | 1-3 4  | 4  | 1 | 5  | 0  | 0  | 9   |

**Higgins Career & Big 12 Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min  | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O  | D   | T   | Avg | PF | FO | A  | T  | BS | ST | TP  | Avg |
|---------|----|----|------|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 32 | 32 | 1074 | 33.6 | 95 | 207 | .459 | 25  | 75   | .333 | 51 | 75  | .680 | 23 | 113 | 136 | 4.3 | 68 | 0  | 73 | 66 | 11 | 36 | 266 | 8.3 |

**Big 12 Conference Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O  | D  | T  | Avg | PF | FO | A  | T  | BS | ST | TP  | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 16 | 16 | 566 | 35.4 | 46 | 108 | .426 | 15  | 40   | .375 | 33 | 45  | .733 | 16 | 53 | 69 | 4.3 | 37 | 0  | 35 | 34 | 2  | 19 | 140 | 8.8 |

**Big 12 Post-Season Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D  | T  | Avg | PF | FO | A | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg  |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|---|----|----|-----|----|----|---|---|----|----|----|------|
| 2007-08 | 2  | 2  | 83  | 41.5 | 8  | 12  | .667 | 0   | 3    | .000 | 5  | 9   | .556 | 3 | 13 | 16 | 8.0 | 5  | 0  | 5 | 5 | 1  | 0  | 21 | 10.5 |



**Dwight Thorne II**

#12  
6-2, 185, Jr.  
Arlington, Texas

- enjoying his best season-to-date
- first career 20-point game (21 points) vs. Montana State
- scored 18 points at Stanford on 5-of-7 shooting with a career-tying six free throws made
- third in assists with eight (1.8 apg.) and minutes (31.4)
- first in 3-pointers (9-of-17, .529) and shooting a team-best .657 from the field (23-of-35)
- second in team scoring (14.4 ppg.)

**Career:**

10+ points: 6 total (3-2008-9; 3-2007-08)  
20+ points: 1 total (2008-09)  
10+ rebounds: 0  
5+ assists: 1

2007-08 NOTES: played 29 games w/ five starts

- Career-best 5-of-10 FGs w/ three 3-pointers in upset win over Baylor (Mar. 13) at Big 12 tourney
- 18-of-22 FT (.818).

**Season/Career Bests**

**Points**

Season 21 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 14 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 21 Montana State (11/18)

**Field Goals**

Season 6 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 5 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 6 Montana State (11/18)

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 12 at Stanford (Nov. 29)  
Big 12 10 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 12 at Stanford (Nov. 29)

**3-Point Field Goals**

Season 3 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 3 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 3 twice

**3-Point Field Goal Attempts**

Season 5 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 8 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 8 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)

**Free Throws**

Season 6 twice  
Big 12 4 Oklahoma (Feb. 9)  
Career 6 twice

**Free Throws Attempts**

Season 8 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 4 Oklahoma (Feb. 9)  
Career 8 Montana State (11/18)

**Rebounds**

Season 5 twice  
Big 12 4 Kansas (Feb. 2)  
Career 6 Colorado Christian (Nov. 20)

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season 1 three times  
Big 12 1 three times  
Career 2 twice

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 4 twice  
Big 12 3 three times  
Career 6 Colorado Christian (Nov. 20)

**Assists**

Season 3 Montana State (11/18)  
Big 12 3 Kansas State (Feb. 24, 2007)  
Career 5 twice

**Steals**

Season 2 twice  
Big 12 2 twice  
Career 2 six times

**Blocks**

Season -  
Big 12 1 at Texas (Jan. 19)  
Career 1 three times

**Minutes**

Season 37 twice  
Big 12 38 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)  
Career 38 vs. Baylor (Mar. 13)

**2008-09 Thorne Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs  | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | *  | 26  | 3-5  | 2-4  | 0-0 | 1-4 5 | 3  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 1  | 8   |
| MONTANA STATE   | *  | 37  | 6-10 | 3-5  | 6-8 | 1-4 5 | 4  | 3 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 21  |
| HARVARD         | *  | 32  | 4-6  | 1-2  | 2-3 | 0-2 2 | 2  | 2 | 3  | 0  | 2  | 11  |
| LAFAYETTE       | *  | 25  | 5-7  | 1-3  | 3-5 | 0-2 2 | 3  | 2 | 2  | 0  | 2  | 14  |
| at Stanford     | *  | 37  | 4-12 | 0-2  | 1-4 | 1-3 4 | 4  | 1 | 5  | 0  | 0  | 18  |

**Thorne II Career & Big 12 statistics**

**Career Statistics**

| Year          | GP        | GS       | Min        | Avg         | FG        | FGA        | Pct         | 3FG       | 3FGA      | 3Pct        | FT        | FTA       | Pct         | O         | D         | T         | Avg        | Pf        | FO       | A         | T         | BS       | ST        | TP         | Avg        |
|---------------|-----------|----------|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 29        | 5        | 434        | 15.0        | 33        | 82         | .402        | 13        | 47        | .277        | 18        | 22        | .818        | 8         | 26        | 34        | 1.2        | 28        | 1        | 26        | 21        | 2        | 11        | 97         | 3.3        |
| 2006-07       | 27        | 2        | 368        | 13.6        | 20        | 77         | .260        | 7         | 46        | .152        | 11        | 16        | .688        | 2         | 31        | 33        | 1.2        | 36        | 0        | 33        | 28        | 1        | 11        | 58         | 2.1        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>56</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>802</b> | <b>14.3</b> | <b>53</b> | <b>159</b> | <b>.333</b> | <b>20</b> | <b>93</b> | <b>.215</b> | <b>29</b> | <b>38</b> | <b>.763</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>57</b> | <b>67</b> | <b>1.2</b> | <b>64</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>59</b> | <b>49</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>22</b> | <b>152</b> | <b>2.7</b> |

**Big 12 Conference Statistics**

| Year          | GP        | GS       | Min        | Avg         | FG        | FGA       | Pct         | 3FG       | 3FGA      | 3Pct        | FT        | FTA       | Pct         | O        | D         | T         | Avg        | Pf        | FO       | A         | T         | BS       | ST        | TP        | Avg        |
|---------------|-----------|----------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 16        | 5        | 204        | 12.8        | 10        | 32        | .313        | 6         | 19        | .316        | 8         | 11        | .727        | 3        | 7         | 10        | 0.6        | 12        | 0        | 13        | 8         | 1        | 7         | 34        | 2.1        |
| 2006-07       | 16        | 2        | 232        | 14.5        | 19        | 56        | .339        | 7         | 30        | .233        | 5         | 8         | .625        | 0        | 16        | 16        | 1.0        | 24        | 0        | 17        | 14        | 0        | 5         | 50        | 3.1        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>32</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>436</b> | <b>13.6</b> | <b>29</b> | <b>88</b> | <b>.330</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>49</b> | <b>.265</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>.684</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>23</b> | <b>26</b> | <b>0.8</b> | <b>36</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>30</b> | <b>22</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>84</b> | <b>2.6</b> |

**Big 12 postseason Statistics**

| Year          | GP       | GS       | Min       | Avg         | FG       | FGA       | Pct         | 3FG      | 3FGA      | 3Pct        | FT       | FTA      | Pct         | O        | D        | T        | Avg        | Pf       | FO       | A        | T        | BS       | ST       | TP        | Avg        |
|---------------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 2        | 0        | 62        | 31.0        | 7        | 18        | .389        | 5        | 15        | .333        | 1        | 2        | .500        | 0        | 5        | 5        | 2.5        | 6        | 1        | 1        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 20        | 10.0       |
| 2006-07       | 1        | 0        | 12        | 12.0        | 0        | 1         | .000        | 0        | 1         | .000        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 1        | 0        | 1        | 1.0        | 2        | 0        | 1        | 2        | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0.0        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>74</b> | <b>24.7</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>.368</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>.313</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>.500</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>2.0</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>20</b> | <b>6.7</b> |





- first CU mbb student-athlete from the state of Georgia since Martice Moore, 1996-97 (Atlanta)
- Explosive rebounder, finisher around the basket; comes off the bench.

**Toby Veal**  
 #15  
 6-7, 225, Fr.  
 Savannah, Ga.

**2008-09 Veal Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS           | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -            | 2   | 0-1 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-1 1 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| MONTANA STATE   | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| HARVARD         | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| LAFAYETTE       | -            | 2   | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0 0 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| at Stanford     | -            | 0+  | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0 0 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |

**Season Bests**

**Points**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Pointers Made**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**3-Point Attempts**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throws**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throw Attempts**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Rebounds**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**Assists**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Steals**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Blocks**

Season -  
 Big 12 -

**Minutes**

Season 2 twice  
 Big 12 -



**Levi Knutson**  
 #24  
 6-4, 190, Soph.  
 Littleton, Colo.

- tied career-high w/ 12 points vs. Montana State; in addition to free throws made (4)
  - 4.2 ppg. and a perfect 5-of-5 at the free throw line
  - one of six players with over six assists this season
- 2007-08 total: 32 games w/ one start
- Netted double-digits six times
  - Big 12 best: 11 pts. on 4-of-7 shooting vs. Baylor (Feb. 27)
  - Scored eight or more points 11 times
  - Returns with a team-best 27 treys • 22-of-28 FT (.786).

**Career:**  
 10+ points: 7 times

**Season/Career Bests**

**Points**  
 Season 12 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 11 twice  
 Career 12 twice

**Field Goals**  
 Season 4 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 4 Baylor (Feb. 27)  
 Career 4 twice

**Field Goals Attempts**  
 Season 8 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 7 Baylor (Feb. 27)  
 Career 10 at Wyoming (Dec. 8)

**3-Pointers Made**  
 Season 1 twice  
 Big 12 2 five times  
 Career 3 three times

**3-Point Attempts**  
 Season 5 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/18)  
 Big 12 5 three times  
 Career 8 at Wyoming (Dec. 8)

**Free Throws**  
 Season 4 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 2 four times  
 Career 4 twice

**Free Throw Attempts**  
 Season 4 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 2 six times  
 Career 4 three times

**Rebounds**  
 Season 2 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 3 three times  
 Career 4 SMU (Jan. 4)

**Offensive Rebounds**  
 Season -  
 Big 12 1 twice  
 Career 1 three times

**Defensive Rebounds**  
 Season 2 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 3 twice  
 Career 4 SMU (Jan. 4)

**Assists**  
 Season 3 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 3 twice  
 Career 4 Colorado Christian (Nov. 20)

**Steals**  
 Season 1 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 1 twice  
 Career 1 six times

**Blocks**  
 Season -  
 Big 12 -  
 Career 1 Savannah State (Nov. 16)

**Minutes**  
 Season 22 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 36 twice  
 Career 36 twice

**2008-09 Knutson Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -  | 11  | 1-5 | 1-5  | 0-0 | 0-1 1 | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 3   |
| MONTANA STATE   | -  | 22  | 4-8 | 0-2  | 4-4 | 0-1 1 | 2  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 12  |
| HARVARD         | -  | 21  | 2-6 | 1-3  | 1-1 | 0-1 1 | 2  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 6   |
| LAFAYETTE       | -  | 13  | 0-1 | 0-1  | 0-0 | 0-2 2 | 2  | 3 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| at Stanford     | -  | 8   | 0-1 | 0-1  | 0-0 | 0-1 1 | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0   |

**Knutson Career & Big 12 statistics**

**Career Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D  | T  | Avg | PF | FO | A  | T  | BS | ST | TP  | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|---|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 32 | 1  | 584 | 18.3 | 49 | 118 | .415 | 27  | 81   | .333 | 22 | 28  | .786 | 3 | 40 | 43 | 1.3 | 31 | 0  | 38 | 24 | 1  | 5  | 147 | 4.6 |

**Big 12 Conference Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D  | T  | Avg | PF | FO | A  | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|---|----|----|-----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 16 | 0  | 285 | 17.8 | 19 | 57  | .333 | 11  | 41   | .268 | 10 | 12  | .833 | 2 | 16 | 18 | 1.1 | 14 | 0  | 18 | 8 | 0  | 1  | 59 | 3.7 |

**Big 12 Post-Season Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg  | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D | T | Avg | PF | FO | A | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|---|---|---|-----|----|----|---|---|----|----|----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 2  | 0  | 21  | 10.5 | 0  | 4   | .000 | 0   | 3    | .000 | 0  | 0   | .000 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1.5 | 3  | 0  | 2 | 1 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0.0 |



**Andrew Zehnder**

#25

6-3, 175, So.  
Arvada, Colo.

- Non-scholarship student-athlete
- has played in two games in 2008-09
- two points scored this season , also has one block
- played seven games a year ago
- Scored five points last season vs. Grambling (Dec. 29) with a 3-pointer.

**Season/Career Bests**

**Points**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | 2 | Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/14)     |
| Big 12 | - |                                 |
| Career | 5 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**FG**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | 1 | Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/14)     |
| Big 12 | - | at Nebraska (March 9, 2008)     |
| Career | 2 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**FGA**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | 1 | Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/14)     |
| Big 12 | - |                                 |
| Career | 2 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**3-Pt.**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | - |                                 |
| Big 12 | - |                                 |
| Career | 1 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**3-PTA**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | - |                                 |
| Big 12 | - |                                 |
| Career | 1 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**Rebounds**

|        |   |       |
|--------|---|-------|
| Season | - |       |
| Big 12 | 1 | twice |
| Career | 1 | twice |

**Offensive Rebounds**

|        |   |       |
|--------|---|-------|
| Season | - |       |
| Big 12 | 1 | twice |
| Career | 1 | twice |

**Blocked Shots**

|        |   |                     |
|--------|---|---------------------|
| Season | 1 | Lafayette (Nov. 25) |
| Big 12 | - |                     |
| Career | 1 | Lafayette (Nov. 25) |

**Minutes**

|        |   |                                 |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| Season | 2 | Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/14)     |
| Big 12 | 7 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |
| Career | 7 | Grambling State (Dec. 29, 2007) |

**2008-09 Zehnder Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS           | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -            | 2   | 1-1 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 2   |
| MONTANA STATE   | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| HARVARD         | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| LAFAYETTE       | -            | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0-0 | 1  | 0 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0   |
| at Stanford     | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |

**Zehnder Career & Big 12 statistics**

**Career Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct  | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D | T | Avg | PF | FO | A | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|-----|----|-----|------|-----|------|-------|----|-----|------|---|---|---|-----|----|----|---|---|----|----|----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 7  | 0  | 19  | 2.7 | 2  | 3   | .667 | 1   | 11   | 0.000 | 0  | 0   | .000 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0.3 | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 5  | 0.7 |

**Big 12 Conference Statistics**

| Year    | GP | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct  | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct  | O | D | T | Avg | PF | FO | A | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg |
|---------|----|----|-----|-----|----|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|-----|------|---|---|---|-----|----|----|---|---|----|----|----|-----|
| 2007-08 | 4  | 0  | 9   | 2.3 | 0  | 0   | .000 | 0   | 0    | .000 | 0  | 0   | .000 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0.5 | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0.0 |

**Big 12 Post-Season Statistics**

| Year    | GP           | GS | Min | Avg | FG | FGA | Pct | 3FG | 3FGA | 3Pct | FT | FTA | Pct | O | D | T | Avg | PF | FO | A | T | BS | ST | TP | Avg |  |  |
|---------|--------------|----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|----|-----|-----|---|---|---|-----|----|----|---|---|----|----|----|-----|--|--|
| 2007-08 | did not play |    |     |     |    |     |     |     |      |      |    |     |     |   |   |   |     |    |    |   |   |    |    |    |     |  |  |



**Jermly Jackson-Wilson**  
 #31  
 6-6, 230, Sr.  
 Milwaukee, Wis.

- most experienced Buff with 64 games played
- averaging 19.2 minutes, averaging 5.6 ppg., 5.2 rpg.
- career-best 11 defensive rebounds vs. Lafayette
- second on team on the boards (5.2 rpg.)
- leader in blocks with six (block in every game)
- Career Averages: 6.2 ppg., 5.2 rpg., .9 bpg.

2007-08: Played in all 32 games w/ 21 starts

- 309 career rebounds (5.2)
- Returns as team leader in FG% (.460), rebounds (142), blocks (26)
- 11 games with six or more rebounds

**Career:**

10+ points: 10 (2006-07), 2 (2007-08) - 12 total  
 10+ rebounds: 1 (2008-09), 1 (2007-08), 3 (2006-07), = 5 total  
 5+ assists: 1 (2006-07) - 1 total  
 5+ blocks: 1 (2006-07) - 1 total

**Season/Career Bests**

**Points**  
 Season 7 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 15 at Texas Tech (Feb. 17, 2007)  
 Career 16 Wyoming (Nov. 26, 2006)

**Field Goals**  
 Season 3 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 6 twice  
 Career 7 Wyoming (Nov. 26, 2006)

**Field Goal Attempts**  
 Season 4 twice  
 Big 12 9 twice  
 Career 11 Wyoming (Nov. 26, 2006)

**Free Throws**  
 Season 3 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 7 Texas A&M (Jan. 13, 2007)  
 Career 7 twice

**Free Throw Attempts**  
 Season 4 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 8 Texas A&M (Jan. 13)  
 Career 9 Central Florida (Jan. 3)

**Rebounds**  
 Season 11 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 11 at Iowa State (Feb. 21, 2007)  
 Career 17 Denver (Nov. 10, 2006)

**Offensive Rebounds**  
 Season 1 twice  
 Big 12 5 twice  
 Career 11 Denver (Nov. 10, 2006)

**Defensive Rebounds**  
 Season 11 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
 Big 12 10 at Iowa State (Feb. 21, 2007)  
 Career 11 Lafayette (Nov. 25)

**Assists**  
 Season 2 Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 5 Oklahoma State (Feb. 3, 2007)  
 Career 5 twice

**Steals**  
 Season -  
 Big 12 4 at Kansas State (Mar. 4)  
 Career 4 at Kansas State (Mar. 4)

**Blocks**  
 Season 1 three times  
 Big 12 2 three times  
 Career 6 No. Colorado (Dec. 2, 2006)

**Minutes**  
 Season 28 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 35 at Iowa State (Feb. 21, 2007)  
 Career 35 at Iowa State (Feb. 21, 2007)

**2008-09 Jackson-Wilson Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R   | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|-----|------|-----|---------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -  | 14  | 2-3 | 0-0  | 1-3 | 1-3 4   | 2  | 2 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 5   |
| MONTANA STATE   | -  | 28  | 2-4 | 0-0  | 3-4 | 1-4 5   | 5  | 1 | 2  | 1  | 0  | 7   |
| HARVARD         | *  | 22  | 3-4 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-4 4   | 3  | 1 | 2  | 1  | 0  | 6   |
| LAFAYETTE       | *  | 21  | 2-4 | 0-0  | 2-2 | 0-11 11 | 1  | 0 | 1  | 2  | 2  | 6   |
| at Stanford     | -  | 11  | 2-2 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 1-1 2   | 4  | 0 | 1  | 1  | 0  | 4   |

**Jackson-Wilson Career & Big 12 statistics**

**Career Statistics**

| Year          | GP        | GS        | Min         | Avg         | FG         | FGA        | Pct         | 3FG      | 3FGA     | 3Pct        | FT        | FTA        | Pct         | O          | D          | T          | Avg        | Pf         | FO       | A         | T          | BS        | ST        | TP         | Avg        |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 32        | 21        | 611         | 19.1        | 63         | 137        | .460        | 0        | 2        | .000        | 24        | 45         | .533        | 52         | 90         | 142        | 4.4        | 93         | 3        | 33        | 45         | 26        | 21        | 150        | 4.7        |
| 2006-07       | 27        | 16        | 626         | 23.2        | 81         | 152        | .533        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 54        | 86         | .628        | 71         | 96         | 167        | 6.2        | 82         | 1        | 39        | 56         | 27        | 24        | 216        | 8.0        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>59</b> | <b>37</b> | <b>1237</b> | <b>21.0</b> | <b>144</b> | <b>289</b> | <b>.498</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>.000</b> | <b>78</b> | <b>131</b> | <b>.595</b> | <b>123</b> | <b>186</b> | <b>309</b> | <b>5.2</b> | <b>175</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>72</b> | <b>101</b> | <b>53</b> | <b>45</b> | <b>366</b> | <b>6.2</b> |

**Big 12 Conference Statistics**

| Year          | GP        | GS        | Min        | Avg         | FG        | FGA        | Pct         | 3FG      | 3FGA     | 3Pct        | FT        | FTA       | Pct         | O         | D         | T          | Avg        | Pf        | FO       | A         | T         | BS        | ST        | TP         | Avg        |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 16        | 6         | 278        | 17.4        | 33        | 63         | .524        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 15        | 26        | .577        | 20        | 39        | 59         | 3.7        | 46        | 1        | 14        | 22        | 8         | 11        | 81         | 5.1        |
| 2006-07       | 16        | 7         | 332        | 20.8        | 41        | 85         | .482        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 31        | 48        | .646        | 33        | 52        | 85         | 5.3        | 47        | 0        | 23        | 32        | 9         | 12        | 113        | 7.1        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>32</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>610</b> | <b>19.1</b> | <b>74</b> | <b>148</b> | <b>.500</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>.000</b> | <b>46</b> | <b>74</b> | <b>.622</b> | <b>53</b> | <b>91</b> | <b>144</b> | <b>4.5</b> | <b>93</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>37</b> | <b>54</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>23</b> | <b>194</b> | <b>6.1</b> |

**Big 12 Post-Season Statistics**

| Year          | GP       | GS       | Min       | Avg         | FG       | FGA       | Pct         | 3FG      | 3FGA     | 3Pct        | FT       | FTA      | Pct         | O        | D         | T         | Avg        | Pf        | FO       | A        | T        | BS       | ST       | TP        | Avg        |
|---------------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|
| 2007-08       | 2        | 2        | 45        | 22.5        | 2        | 11        | .182        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 3        | 4        | .750        | 7        | 7         | 14        | 7.0        | 10        | 2        | 4        | 4        | 1        | 0        | 7         | 3.5        |
| 2006-07       | 1        | 1        | 24        | 24.0        | 6        | 9         | .667        | 0        | 0        | .000        | 0        | 3        | .000        | 1        | 4         | 5         | 5.0        | 5         | 1        | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0        | 12        | 12.0       |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>69</b> | <b>23.0</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>20</b> | <b>.400</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>.000</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>.429</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>6.3</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>6.3</b> |



**Austin Dufault**  
 #33  
 6-8, 210, Fr.  
 Killdeer, N.D.

- first CU student-athlete from North Dakota since Ozzie Carlson, 1960-61 (Valley City)
- scored double-digits in all five collegiate games
- third in scoring 11.2 ppg., 4.0 rpg. and averaging 30.4 minutes a game
- grabbed a season-best six boards against Harvard
- has three, 3-pointers

**Season Bests**

**Points**

Season 13 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals**

Season 5 three times  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 12 at Stanford (Nov. 29)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Pointers Made**

Season 1 three times  
 Big 12 -

**3-Point Attempts**

Season 3 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throws**

Season 6 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throw Attempts**

Season 6 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Rebounds**

Season 6 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season 2 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 4 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Assists**

Season 2 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Steals**

Season 2 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**Blocks**

Season 1 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Minutes**

Season 37 Montana State (11/18)  
 Big 12 -

**2008-09 Dufault Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs  | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | *  | 31  | 5-11 | 0-2  | 3-4 | 1-3 4 | 2  | 2 | 2  | 1  | 0  | 13  |
| MONTANA STATE   | *  | 37  | 5-10 | 1-3  | 0-0 | 1-2 3 | 4  | 2 | 2  | 0  | 2  | 11  |
| HARVARD         | *  | 25  | 2-5  | 1-3  | 6-6 | 2-4 6 | 1  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 11  |
| LAFAYETTE       | *  | 25  | 3-5  | 1-1  | 4-5 | 2-0 2 | 3  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 11  |
| at Stanford     | *  | 34  | 5-12 | 0-4  | 0-0 | 1-4 5 | 4  | 0 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 10  |



**Casey Crawford**  
 #34  
 6-9, 235, RS-So.  
 Overland Park, Kan.

**2008-09:**

- career-best 18 pts. off the bench in win over Harvard; also added four 3-pointers. It's the most points off the bench to lead the team in scoring since Javon Coney scored 15 points in a reserve role at Nebraska last season (15 pts., March 19, 2008)

- .538 from the field (14-of-26); tied for third on team in treys (6)

- scored 14 points in his CU debut, tying Jermyl Jackson-Wilson's debut of 14 back in 2006-07. The 14 points is a CU high by a transfer or freshman in a debut over the last four years.

**2007-08:** sat out season per NCAA Rules; practiced all season, knows the system

**2006-07:** Played just one season at Wake Forest before opting to transfer ... played in nine games as a freshman.

Named the Gatorade Player of the Year in the state of Kansas his senior year of high school

**Season Bests**

**Points**

Season 18 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals**

Season 6 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Field Goals Attempts**

Season 10 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Pointers Made**

Season 4 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**3-Point Attempts**

Season 7 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throws**

Season 2 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Free Throw Attempts**

Season 2 twice  
 Big 12 -

**Rebounds**

Season 4 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Offensive Rebounds**

Season 2 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Defensive Rebounds**

Season 3 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Assists**

Season 3 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Steals**

Season 2 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
 Big 12 -

**Blocks**

Season 1 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**Minutes**

Season 28 Harvard (Nov. 22)  
 Big 12 -

**2008-09 Crawford Game-by-Game**

| Game            | GS | Min | FGs  | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | *  | 19  | 6-8  | 2-3  | 0-1 | 2-0 2 | 2  | 3 | 1  | 0  | 2  | 14  |
| MONTANA STATE   | *  | 10  | 1-3  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 0-1 1 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 2   |
| HARVARD         | -  | 28  | 6-10 | 4-7  | 2-2 | 1-3 4 | 1  | 0 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 18  |
| LAFAYETTE       | -  | 14  | 1-4  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 1-1 2 | 1  | 1 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 2   |
| at Stanford     | *  | 12  | 0-1  | 0-0  | 1-2 | 1-1 2 | 4  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 1   |



## Trey Eckloff

#55

6-9, 225, Fr.

Englewood, Colo.

- Youngest scholarship student-athlete in the Big 12
- Another CU big man that can shoot, pass and dribble.
- averaging 12.7 minutes a game
- 4.7 ppg., 2.3 rpg.; 12.7 minutes a game
- shooting .50 percent from the field (4-of-8)

### 2008-09 Eckloff Game-by-Game

| Game            | GS           | Min | FGs | 3FGs | FTs | O-D-R | Pf | A | To | BL | ST | Pts |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| ARK.-PINE BLUFF | -            | 14  | 1-3 | 0-0  | 2-2 | 0-2 2 | 3  | 0 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 4   |
| MONTANA STATE   | -            | 9   | 1-3 | 1-2  | 1-2 | 0-2 2 | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 4   |
| HARVARD         | did not play |     |     |      |     |       |    |   |    |    |    |     |
| LAFAYETTE       | -            | 15  | 2-2 | 1-1  | 1-2 | 0-3 3 | 3  | 1 | 3  | 1  | 1  | 6   |

at Stanford

### Eckloff Season Highs

#### Season Bests

##### Points

Season 6 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Field Goals

Season 2 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Field Goals Attempts

Season 3 twice  
Big 12 -

##### 3-Pointers Made

Season 1 twice  
Big 12 -

##### 3-Point Attempts

Season 2 Montana St. (Nov. 18)  
Big 12 -

##### Free Throws

Season 2 Ark.-Pine Bluff (11/14)  
Big 12 -

##### Free Throw Attempts

Season 2 twice  
Big 12 -

##### Rebounds

Season 3 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12

##### Offensive Rebounds

Season -  
Big 12 -

##### Defensive Rebounds

Season 3 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Assists

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Steals

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Blocks

Season 1 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

##### Minutes

Season 15 Lafayette (Nov. 25)  
Big 12 -

**Game #1, Nov. 14 vs. ARK.-PINE BLUFF BOULDER** - Sophomore Casey Crawford and freshman Austin Dufault scored 14 and 13 points, respectively leading the Colorado men's basketball team to a 76-56 season opening victory over Arkansas-Pine Bluff.

With 10 underclassmen on its roster — five freshmen and five sophomores — Colorado headed into the season with one of the youngest teams in school history, and youth figured prominently in the Buffaloes strong start.

Nate Tomlinson, part of a starting lineup that included two freshmen, two sophomores and a junior, added 12 points in his first college game. Cory Higgins also had 12 points and a team-high six assists for CU, which opened a 40-20 halftime lead.

Colorado outscored the Golden Lions 19-5 over the final 7:07 of the first session with Tomlinson, Higgins and Crawford all hitting 3's during the run.

Lebaron Weathers led Arkansas-Pine Bluff with game-high 22 points. Tavaris Washington added 18 points despite fouling out with 4:27 remaining.

CU shot 50% from the field in both halves (51.9% for the game). The Buffaloes made 10 three-pointers from the new NCAA 3-point line of 20'9", one of the new NCAA rule changes instituted for the 2008-09 season.

The 10 three-pointers are the most for the CU team since making ten against Oklahoma State Feb. 3, 2007. CU also added 18 assists to their 27 field goals made for the game

**ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF (0-1)**

| Player       | FGs   | 3-pt | FT   | O-D-  | R  | F  | TP | A | TO | B | S | Min |
|--------------|-------|------|------|-------|----|----|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| Weathers f   | 9-18  | 3-7  | 1-1  | 1-9   | 10 | 3  | 22 | 1 | 2  | 2 | 0 | 34  |
| Barnett f    | 1-7   | 0-0  | 1-3  | 3-6   | 9  | 2  | 3  | 0 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 20  |
| Calvin g     | 4-7   | 1-2  | 0-0  | 0-4   | 4  | 5  | 9  | 3 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 27  |
| Washington g | 7-11  | 0-3  | 4-7  | 4-3   | 7  | 5  | 18 | 0 | 3  | 0 | 0 | 29  |
| Townsend g   | 0-2   | 0-2  | 0-1  | 0-1   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 2 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 28  |
| Ootsey       | 1-4   | 0-2  | 0-2  | 0-0   | 0  | 1  | 2  | 1 | 2  | 0 | 1 | 11  |
| Davis        | 0-3   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 2-2   | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 18  |
| Livisay      | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 1   |
| Lasker       | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 12  |
| Montgomery   | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 1  | 2  | 1 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 12  |
| Norman       | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 1-0   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 2 | 0  | 1 | 1 | 5   |
| Kennedy      | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 3   |
| Team         |       |      |      | 1-1   | 2  |    |    |   |    |   |   |     |
| Totals       | 23-55 | 4-17 | 6-14 | 12-26 | 38 | 19 | 56 | 9 | 14 | 2 | 4 | 200 |

|                    |         |            |         |             |      |       |
|--------------------|---------|------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| FG%                | 1st Hlf | 7-23 30.4% | 2nd Hlf | 16-32 50.0% | Game | 41.8% |
| 3-Pt.FG%           | 1st Hlf | 1-8 12.5%  | 2nd Hlf | 3-9 33.3%   | Game | 23.5% |
| FT%                | 1st Hlf | 5-9 55.6%  | 2nd Hlf | 1-5 20.0%   | Game | 42.9% |
| deadball rebounds: | 2       |            |         |             |      |       |

**COLORADO (1-0)**

| Player         | FGs   | 3-pt  | FT    | O-D- | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Dufault f      | 5-11  | 0-2   | 3-4   | 1-3  | 4  | 2  | 13 | 2  | 2  | 1 | 0 | 31  |
| Crawford f     | 6-8   | 2-3   | 0-1   | 2-0  | 2  | 2  | 14 | 3  | 1  | 0 | 2 | 19  |
| Tomlinson g    | 4-5   | 4-5   | 0-0   | 0-4  | 4  | 1  | 12 | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 33  |
| Higgins g      | 4-10  | 1-4   | 3-6   | 0-6  | 6  | 1  | 12 | 6  | 3  | 0 | 1 | 36  |
| Thorne II g    | 3-5   | 2-4   | 0-0   | 1-4  | 5  | 3  | 8  | 1  | 2  | 0 | 1 | 26  |
| Favaro         | 0-0   | 0-0   | 2-2   | 0-0  | 0  | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Kelley         | 0-0   | 0-0   | 1-2   | 0-0  | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Coney          | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 8   |
| Veal           | 0-1   | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0-1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Knutson        | 1-5   | 1-5   | 0-0   | 0-1  | 1  | 0  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 11  |
| Zehnder        | 1-1   | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Jackson-Wilson | 2-3   | 0-0   | 1-3   | 1-3  | 4  | 2  | 5  | 2  | 0  | 1 | 0 | 14  |
| Eckloff        | 1-3   | 0-0   | 2-2   | 0-2  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 | 14  |
| Team           |       |       |       | 0-2  | 2  |    |    |    |    |   |   |     |
| Totals         | 27-52 | 10-23 | 12-20 | 5-26 | 31 | 15 | 76 | 18 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 200 |

|                    |         |             |         |             |      |       |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| FG%                | 1st Hlf | 14-27 51.9% | 2nd Hlf | 13-25 52.0% | Game | 51.9% |
| 3-Pt.FG%           | 1st Hlf | 6-13 46.2%  | 2nd Hlf | 4-10 40.0%  | Game | 43.5% |
| FT%                | 1st Hlf | 6-10 60.0%  | 2nd Hlf | 6-10 60.0%  | Game | 60.0% |
| deadball rebounds: | 2       |             |         |             |      |       |

|                 |    |    |    |
|-----------------|----|----|----|
| Ark.-Pine Bluff | 20 | 36 | 56 |
| Colorado        | 40 | 36 | 76 |

Officials: Brent Meaux, K.C. Ely, Dan Nowakowski  
 Technicals: none. Attendance: 5689. Fouled out: Washington, Calvin.

**Game #2, Nov. 18 vs. MONTANA STATE BOULDER** - Senior Dwight Thorne II and sophomore Cory Higgins each scored 21 points, however CU's rally fell short in overtime as the visiting Montana State Bobcats escaped with an 85-82 overtime win in Boulder.

Levi Knutson added 12 points and Austin Dufault tallied 11 points for the Buffs. Higgins also had a game-high five assists, four steals and grabbed a team-high seven rebounds.

Jermyl Jackson-Wilson and Nate Tomlinson each added five rebounds for CU (1-1).

Marquis Navarre's runner in the lane with 52.7 seconds remaining in the extra period broke a tie at 80, sending the Bobcats to their sixth straight win over the Buffaloes.

MSU (1-1) has won the last six meetings in the series dating back to 1924. CU won the first meeting in 1924, however the Bobcats won three times in the 1930's, once in Boulder (1994) and the most recent, 1998 played in Billings.

The Buffaloes trailed by as many as 15 points in the second half, before rallying to tie it late in regulation on a Knutson drive with 15 seconds remaining. In the extra session, Thorne opened up the scoring for CU with a three-pointer, however MSU's Bobby Howard (24 points) hit a three-pointer - their 11<sup>th</sup> of the game, to tie it at 78.

After the teams traded points, making it 80-80, Montana State finally pushed ahead on a pair of free throws by Danny Piepoli (19 points) giving MSU the lead they would not relinquish.

**MONTANA STATE (1-1)**

| Player    | FGs   | 3-pt  | FT    | O-D-  | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Johnson f | 0-2   | 0-2   | 2-3   | 1-2   | 3  | 1  | 2  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 1 | 20  |
| Mbunga c  | 4-8   | 0-0   | 5-6   | 4-4   | 8  | 2  | 13 | 2  | 0  | 3 | 0 | 38  |
| Navarre g | 1-3   | 0-1   | 3-4   | 0-1   | 1  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 27  |
| Bynum g   | 2-6   | 0-0   | 1-2   | 0-1   | 1  | 4  | 5  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 20  |
| Rush g    | 5-13  | 1-3   | 1-1   | 5-4   | 9  | 4  | 12 | 0  | 1  | 0 | 2 | 28  |
| Brown     | 2-2   | 1-1   | 0-0   | 0-2   | 2  | 4  | 5  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 8   |
| Hennessy  | 0-1   | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0-1   | 1  | 2  | 0  | 3  | 2  | 0 | 0 | 16  |
| Howard    | 9-14  | 5-7   | 1-7   | 3-6   | 9  | 3  | 24 | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 33  |
| Piepoli   | 6-10  | 4-6   | 3-4   | 0-2   | 2  | 3  | 19 | 2  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 35  |
| Team      |       |       |       | 0-1   | 1  |    |    |    |    |   |   |     |
| Totals    | 29-59 | 11-20 | 16-27 | 13-24 | 37 | 27 | 85 | 14 | 15 | 3 | 3 | 225 |

|                    |         |             |         |             |      |       |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| FG%                | 1st Hlf | 13-33 39.4% | 2nd Hlf | 14-23 60.9% | Game | 49.2% |
| 3-Pt.FG%           | 1st Hlf | 7-13 53.8%  | 2nd Hlf | 3-5 60.0%   | Game | 55.0% |
| FT%                | 1st Hlf | 4-4 100%    | 2nd Hlf | 4-11 36.4%  | Game | 59.3% |
| deadball rebounds: | 6       |             |         |             |      |       |

**COLORADO (1-1)**

| Player         | FGs   | 3-pt | FT    | O-D- | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min |
|----------------|-------|------|-------|------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Dufault f      | 5-10  | 1-3  | 0-0   | 1-2  | 3  | 4  | 11 | 2  | 2  | 0 | 2 | 37  |
| Crawford f     | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-1  | 1  | 0  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 1 | 10  |
| Tomlinson g    | 2-8   | 0-2  | 0-2   | 2-3  | 5  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 38  |
| Higgins g      | 5-8   | 0-3  | 11-14 | 2-5  | 7  | 2  | 21 | 5  | 4  | 0 | 4 | 44  |
| Thorne II g    | 6-10  | 3-5  | 6-8   | 1-4  | 5  | 4  | 21 | 3  | 0  | 0 | 1 | 37  |
| Coney          | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0+  |
| Knutson        | 4-8   | 0-2  | 4-4   | 0-1  | 1  | 2  | 12 | 1  | 0  | 0 | 1 | 22  |
| Jackson-Wilson | 2-4   | 0-0  | 3-4   | 1-4  | 5  | 5  | 7  | 1  | 2  | 1 | 0 | 28  |
| Eckloff        | 1-3   | 1-2  | 1-2   | 0-2  | 2  | 1  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 9   |
| Team           |       |      |       | 0-2  | 2  |    |    |    |    |   |   |     |
| Totals         | 26-54 | 5-18 | 25-34 | 8-22 | 30 | 22 | 82 | 16 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 225 |

|                    |         |             |         |             |      |       |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| FG%                | 1st Hlf | 9-23 39.1%  | 2nd Hlf | 14-25 56.0% | Game | 48.1% |
| 3-Pt.FG%           | 1st Hlf | 1-8 12.5%   | 2nd Hlf | 3-7 42.9%   | Game | 27.8% |
| FT%                | 1st Hlf | 11-14 78.6% | 2nd Hlf | 11-12 91.7% | Game | 73.5% |
| deadball rebounds: | 5       |             |         |             |      |       |

|            |    |    |    |    |
|------------|----|----|----|----|
| MontanaSt. | 37 | 35 | 13 | 85 |
| Colorado   | 30 | 42 | 10 | 82 |

Officials: Doug Shows, Kevin Mathis, Rick Randall  
 Technicals: none. Attendance: 2058. Fouled out: Jackson-Wilson.

**Game #3, Nov. 22 vs. HARVARD BOULDER**

Redshirt-sophomore Casey Crawford came off the bench to score a career-high 18 points leading Colorado to a 70-57 win over the Harvard Crimson.

This is the first time in 60 years that the two teams have played one another. CU now owns a 2-0 record against the Crimson (1-1).

Crawford scored 14 of his team-high 18 points in the second half and added a personal-best four three-pointers. Cory Higgins added 14 points and grabbed nine rebounds (the third straight game he has led the team in rebounds) for the home team that saw balanced scoring sending four players in double digits for the third straight game.

Dwight Thorne II and Austin Dufault each added 11 for the Buffs (2-1).

Colorado made a season best 52.5 percent (21-of-40) from the field and hit 77.8 percent (21-of-27) from the free throw line. CU also out-rebounded Harvard, 28-25, a season-first out-rebounding their opponent.

Harvard led at the break holding a 34-29 edge on 52 percent from the field (14-of-25) led by Linn's seven points and career-best three steals. Linn had five for the game.

CU mounted its comeback with under 12 minutes to play when Dufault scored five of his 11 points cutting CU's deficit to 47-45.

With 6:57 remaining, a three-point play by Levi Knutson tied it at 49. A three-pointer by Thorne 26 seconds later, then a three-point play by Higgins on CU's next possession pushed the advantage to six points and a 55-49 lead. CU out-scored Harvard, 41-23 in the second half.

Harvard lived-and-died with the 3-pointer, making 4-of-9 in the first half, helping the Crimson shoot 56 percent from the field (14-of-25). In the second half, Harvard only shot 1-of-8 from the arc ending up with 29.4 percent for the game.

**HARVARD (1-1)**

| Player    | FGs   | 3-pt | FT  | O-D- | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S   | Min |
|-----------|-------|------|-----|------|----|----|----|----|----|---|-----|-----|
| Miller f  | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-3  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0   | 15  |
| Wright f  | 9-15  | 0-0  | 0-1 | 4-2  | 6  | 2  | 18 | 2  | 2  | 0 | 0   | 33  |
| Linn g    | 4-11  | 1-3  | 2-3 | 1-3  | 4  | 11 | 4  | 2  | 0  | 5 | 31  |     |
| McNally g | 2-4   | 0-1  | 2-3 | 0-1  | 1  | 2  | 6  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0   | 30  |
| Kenyi g   | 4-9   | 1-3  | 0-0 | 0-2  | 2  | 5  | 9  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0   | 30  |
| McGeary g | 2-5   | 1-4  | 0-0 | 2-2  | 3  | 5  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0   | 19  |
| Housman   | 1-1   | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0  | 0  | 2  | 2  | 1  | 3  | 0 | 1   | 11  |
| Boehrm    | 2-6   | 2-6  | 0-1 | 1    | 2  | 4  | 6  | 2  | 0  | 0 | 0   | 25  |
| Harris    | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-2 | 0-2  | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0   | 6   |
| Team      |       |      |     | 1-2  | 3  |    |    |    |    |   |     |     |
| Totals    | 24-51 | 5-17 | 4-9 | 7-18 | 25 | 57 | 10 | 15 | 0  | 6 | 200 |     |

|                    |         |             |         |             |      |       |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|------|-------|
| FG%                | 1st Hlf | 14-25 56.0% | 2nd Hlf | 10-26 38.5% | Game | 47.1% |
| 3-Pt.FG%           | 1st Hlf | 4-9 44.4%   | 2nd Hlf | 1-8 12.5%   | Game | 29.4% |
| FT%                | 1st Hlf | 2-2 100%    | 2nd Hlf | 2-7 28.6%   | Game | 44.4% |
| deadball rebounds: | 1       |             |         |             |      |       |

**COLORADO (2-1)**

| Player        | FGs | 3-pt | FT  | O-D- | R | F | TP | A | TO | B | S | Min |    |
|---------------|-----|------|-----|------|---|---|----|---|----|---|---|-----|----|
| Jack-Wilson f | 3-4 | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-4  | 4 | 3 | 1  | 2 | 1  | 2 | 1 | 0   | 22 |
| Dufault f     | 2-5 | 1-3  | 6-6 | 2-4  | 6 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 2  | 0 | 0 | 25  |    |
| Tomlinson g   | 1-2 | 0-1  | 2-2 | 0-1  | 1 | 3 | 4  | 5 | 4  | 0 | 0 | 34  |    |
| Higgins g     | 3-7 | 0-3  |     |      |   |   |    |   |    |   |   |     |    |

**Game #4, Nov. 25 vs. LAFAYETTE**

**BOULDER** - Sophomore guard Cory Higgins scored a career-high 24 points, and junior Dwight Thorne II added 14 points leading Colorado to a 73-59 victory over Lafayette College (Pa.).

The Leopards, who never led, have lost three in a row falling to 2-3. CU's win was their first-ever victory against Lafayette and the Patriot League.

For the fourth straight game, CU (3-1) received balanced scoring in addition to Higgins and Thorne II. Freshman Austin Dufault added 11 points and point-guard Nate Tomlinson added 10 points, four rebounds and three assists.

Jermyl Jackson-Wilson grabbed a career-high 11 defensive rebounds.

The Buffs used balanced scoring throughout the opening 20 minutes to remain in front by a 34-27 margin at the break.

In the second half, the Leopards rallied in the opening stages of the game on a 7-3 run cutting its deficit to 37-33, however CU remained ahead on a brilliant Tomlinson alley-oop pass to Higgins for a 39-33. A three-point play by Thorne increased CU's lead to 48-40 with 11 minutes remaining.

The Buffs kept up the momentum, going on a seven-point run with Dufault and Higgins each making two free throws, and then Tomlinson added a trey at the top of the key giving the Buffs their largest margin of the night, a 19-point cushion at 64-45.

CU shot 22-of-43 (51.2 percent) from the field and hit 23-of-30 (76.7 percent) from the free throw line, while Lafayette only managed 35.1 percent from the field (20-of-57). The Buffs also capitalized on their quickness racking up a season-high 11 steals compared to Lafayette's four.

**LAFAYETTE (2-3)**

| Player    | FGs   | 3-pt | FT    | O-D-  | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min |
|-----------|-------|------|-------|-------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Benbow f  | 1-4   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0  | 4  | 2  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 | 13  |
| Koltun c  | 1-1   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 1-4   | 5  | 4  | 2  | 0  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 9   |
| Brown g   | 3-12  | 2-5  | 5-6   | 0-2   | 2  | 2  | 13 | 6  | 4  | 0 | 2 | 32  |
| Wheeler g | 2-2   | 1-1  | 0-0   | 0-1   | 1  | 4  | 5  | 3  | 1  | 0 | 0 | 15  |
| Kari g    | 3-8   | 1-3  | 2-4   | 1-2   | 3  | 0  | 9  | 0  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 25  |
| Moore     | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 1-0   | 1  | 2  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1 | 0 | 7   |
| Willen    | 2-8   | 1-5  | 1-2   | 1-6   | 7  | 1  | 6  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 1 | 24  |
| Mower     | 0-4   | 0-3  | 2-2   | 1-0   | 1  | 2  | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 21  |
| Delaney   | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-1   | 1  | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 9   |
| Petkovich | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0  | 1  | 2  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 1 | 11  |
| Mintz     | 4-7   | 0-0  | 2-4   | 2-2   | 4  | 1  | 10 | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0 | 21  |
| Orchowski | 1-2   | 0-0  | 2-2   | 3-3   | 6  | 2  | 4  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0 | 10  |
| Pelham    | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-1   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 3   |
| Team      |       |      | 3-0   |       | 3  |    |    |    | 1  |   |   |     |
| Totals    | 20-57 | 5-21 | 14-20 | 13-22 | 35 | 25 | 59 | 11 | 20 | 0 | 4 | 200 |

|          |         |      |       |         |       |       |      |       |
|----------|---------|------|-------|---------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| FG%      | 1st Hlf | 9-26 | 34.6% | 2nd Hlf | 11-31 | 35.5% | Game | 35.1% |
| 3-Pt.FG% | 1st Hlf | 2-7  | 28.6% | 2nd Hlf | 3-14  | 21.4% | Game | 23.8% |
| FT%      | 1st Hlf | 7-10 | 70.0% | 2nd Hlf | 7-10  | 70.0% | Game | 70.0% |

**COLORADO (3-1)**

| Player        | FGs   | 3-pt | FT    | O-D- | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min   |
|---------------|-------|------|-------|------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-------|
| Jack-Wilson f | 2-4   | 0-0  | 2-2   | 0-11 | 11 | 1  | 6  | 0  | 1  | 2 | 2 | 21    |
| Dufault f     | 3-5   | 1-1  | 4-5   | 2-0  | 2  | 3  | 11 | 1  | 2  | 0 | 0 | 25    |
| Tomlinson g   | 2-5   | 1-2  | 5-6   | 0-4  | 4  | 2  | 10 | 3  | 3  | 0 | 2 | 36    |
| Higgins g     | 7-11  | 2-3  | 8-10  | 0-2  | 2  | 3  | 24 | 1  | 2  | 0 | 3 | 31    |
| Thorne II g   | 5-7   | 1-3  | 3-5   | 0-2  | 2  | 3  | 14 | 2  | 2  | 0 | 2 | 25    |
| Kelley        | 0-2   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 5     |
| Coney         | 0-2   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1 | 0 | 11    |
| Veal          | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 2     |
| Knutson       | 0-1   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 0-2  | 2  | 2  | 0  | 3  | 1  | 0 | 0 | 13    |
| Zehnder       | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0 | 2     |
| Crawford      | 1-4   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 1-1  | 2  | 1  | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 1 | 14    |
| Eckloff       | 2-2   | 1-1  | 1-2   | 0-3  | 3  | 3  | 6  | 1  | 3  | 1 | 1 | 15    |
| Team          |       |      | 0-1   |      | 1  |    |    |    | 4  |   |   |       |
| Totals        | 22-43 | 6-14 | 23-30 | 3-27 | 30 | 20 | 73 | 13 | 19 | 4 | 4 | 11200 |

|          |         |       |       |         |       |       |      |       |
|----------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| FG%      | 1st Hlf | 12-23 | 52.2% | 2nd Hlf | 10-20 | 50.0% | Game | 51.2% |
| 3-Pt.FG% | 1st Hlf | 2-8   | 25.0% | 2nd Hlf | 4-6   | 66.7% | Game | 42.9% |
| FT%      | 1st Hlf | 8-12  | 67.7% | 2nd Hlf | 15-18 | 83.3% | Game | 76.7% |

|           |    |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|
| Lafayette | 27 | 32 | 59 |
| Colorado  | 34 | 39 | 73 |

Officials: John Higgins, John Moore, Winston Stith.  
 Technicals: none. Attendance: 2095. Fouled out: none

**Game #5, Nov. 29 AT Stanford**

**PALO ALTO, Calif.** - Dwight Thorne II and Nate Tomlinson each scored 18 points, however the Stanford Cardinal ran to a 76-62 victory in the second year matchup of the two schools in the Big 12/Pac-10 Hardwood Series.

Thorne also added six rebounds and two steals, tying his career-high in both. Freshman Austin Dufault netted 10 points, his fifth consecutive game in double figures. Sophomore Cory Higgins scored nine points and added four rebounds for the Buffs in their first visit to Stanford in 17 years.

Colorado drops to 3-2 while Stanford remains undefeated (4-0). CU is 3-7 all-time against Stanford.

"We've got to defend better and rebound the ball better," said CU head coach Jeff Bzdelik. "There is a lot of youth out there. I'm really proud of our basketball team, I thought they competed hard.

"We just need to keep getting better and to learn. I think they are starting to realize they can compete. I want us to be fearless. I think we did a little better on the boards than we normally have done. Winning will be a byproduct of getting better."

For the fourth time this season, Colorado shot at least 50 percent from the floor as they hit 25-of-50 while Stanford hit 27-of-56 (48.2 percent). During the second half, CU improved to 59 percent (13-of-22) from the field. The Cardinal finished with a 33-30 rebounding advantage.

Josh Owens led Stanford with 21 points and Lawrence Hill added 16. Stanford led a balanced attack with four players in double figures.

Thorne hit a pair of 3-pointers in the final two minutes as Colorado went on a 7-1 run to draw within 42-32 at halftime. The Buffs managed to get within single digits when a layup by Thorne early in the second half brought the score to 44-37, the closest CU would come. Tomlinson scored 12 of his season-high 18 points in the second half.

**COLORADO (3-2)**

| Player         | FGs   | 3-pt | FT   | O-D-  | R  | F  | TP | A | TO | B | S | Min |
|----------------|-------|------|------|-------|----|----|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| Dufault f      | 5-12  | 0-4  | 0-0  | 1-4   | 5  | 4  | 10 | 0 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 34  |
| Crawford f     | 0-1   | 0-0  | 1-2  | 1-1   | 2  | 4  | 1  | 2 | 0  | 0 | 1 | 12  |
| Tomlinson g    | 8-12  | 1-4  | 1-2  | 0-3   | 0  | 0  | 18 | 3 | 3  | 0 | 0 | 35  |
| Higgins g      | 4-12  | 0-2  | 1-4  | 1-3   | 4  | 4  | 9  | 1 | 5  | 0 | 0 | 36  |
| Thorne II g    | 5-7   | 2-3  | 6-7  | 2-4   | 6  | 1  | 18 | 1 | 2  | 0 | 2 | 37  |
| Kelley         | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Coney          | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-1   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 2   |
| Veal           | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0+  |
| Knutson        | 0-1   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-1   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0 | 1 | 8   |
| Jackson-Wilson | 2-2   | 0-0  | 0-0  | 1-1   | 2  | 4  | 4  | 0 | 1  | 1 | 0 | 11  |
| Eckloff        | 1-3   | 0-1  | 0-1  | 2-2   | 4  | 3  | 2  | 1 | 2  | 0 | 2 | 23  |
| Team           |       |      | 2-0  |       | 2  |    |    |   |    |   |   |     |
| Totals         | 25-50 | 3-15 | 9-16 | 10-20 | 30 | 20 | 62 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 6 | 200 |

|          |         |       |       |         |       |       |      |       |
|----------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| FG%      | 1st Hlf | 12-28 | 42.9% | 2nd Hlf | 13-22 | 59.1% | Game | 50.0% |
| 3-Pt.FG% | 1st Hlf | 2-9   | 22.2% | 2nd Hlf | 1-6   | 16.7% | Game | 20.0% |
| FT%      | 1st Hlf | 6-11  | 54.5% | 2nd Hlf | 3-5   | 60.0% | Game | 56.3% |

deadball rebounds: 2

**STANFORD (4-0)**

| Player    | FGs   | 3-pt | FT    | O-D-  | R  | F  | TP | A  | TO | B | S | Min |
|-----------|-------|------|-------|-------|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Hill f    | 7-11  | 2-3  | 0-1   | 1-5   | 6  | 2  | 16 | 2  | 3  | 1 | 0 | 37  |
| Owens c   | 8-12  | 0-0  | 5-9   | 4-4   | 8  | 1  | 21 | 2  | 2  | 1 | 1 | 33  |
| Johnson g | 0-3   | 0-1  | 0-0   | 1-0   | 1  | 3  | 0  | 6  | 4  | 0 | 1 | 19  |
| Fields g  | 4-7   | 0-2  | 2-2   | 1-3   | 4  | 3  | 10 | 0  | 0  | 0 | 1 | 23  |
| Goods g   | 4-9   | 2-4  | 5-5   | 0-6   | 6  | 0  | 15 | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 33  |
| Mann      | 0-1   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 1 | 0 | 3   |
| Green     | 2-3   | 2-3  | 0-0   | 1-0   | 1  | 3  | 6  | 0  | 1  | 1 | 0 | 17  |
| Shiller   | 2-4   | 1-2  | 0-0   | 1-1   | 4  | 5  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 14  |
| Brown     | 0-5   | 0-2  | 0-0   | 0-1   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 10  |
| Dildy     | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 1   |
| Trotter   | 0-0   | 0-0  | 0-0   | 0-0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   |
| Bullock   | 0-1   | 0-0  | 3-4   | 4-0   | 4  | 0  | 3  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 7   |
| Team      |       |      | 1-0   |       | 1  |    |    |    |    |   |   |     |
| Totals    | 27-56 | 7-17 | 15-21 | 13-20 | 33 | 16 | 76 | 12 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 200 |

|          |         |       |       |         |       |       |      |       |
|----------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| FG%      | 1st Hlf | 15-28 | 53.6% | 2nd Hlf | 12-28 | 42.9% | Game | 48.2% |
| 3-Pt.FG% | 1st Hlf | 4-9   | 44.4% | 2nd Hlf | 3-8   | 37.5% | Game | 41.2% |
| FT%      | 1st Hlf | 8-11  | 72.7% | 2nd Hlf | 7-10  | 70.0% | Game | 71.4% |

|          |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|
| Colorado | 32 | 30 | 62 |
| Stanford | 42 | 34 | 76 |

Officials: Dave Libbey, Mike Reed, Bobby McRoy  
 Technicals: none. Attendance: 6988. Fouled out: none

**2008-09 Colorado MBB Statistics**  
**Colorado Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 29, 2008)**  
**All games**

| <b>RECORD:</b> | <b>OVERALL</b> | <b>HOME</b> | <b>AWAY</b> | <b>NEUTRAL</b> |
|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| ALL GAMES      | 3-2            | 3-1         | 0-1         | 0-0            |
| CONFERENCE     | 0-0            | 0-0         | 0-0         | 0-0            |
| NON-CONFERENCE | 3-2            | 3-1         | 0-1         | 0-0            |

| #              | Player                | gp-gs | min  | avg  | Total   |       | 3-Point |      | F-Throw |       | Rebounds |     |     |      | pf  | dq | a  | to | blk | stl | pts | avg  |
|----------------|-----------------------|-------|------|------|---------|-------|---------|------|---------|-------|----------|-----|-----|------|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|------|
|                |                       |       |      |      | fg-fga  | pct   | 3fg-fga | pct  | ft-fta  | pct   | off      | def | tot | avg  |     |    |    |    |     |     |     |      |
| 11             | Higgins, Cory         | 5-5   | 183  | 36.6 | 23-48   | .479  | 3-15    | .200 | 31-45   | .689  | 4        | 24  | 28  | 5.6  | 12  | 0  | 16 | 16 | 0   | 9   | 80  | 16.0 |
| 12             | Thorne II, Dwight     | 5-5   | 157  | 31.4 | 23-35   | .657  | 9-17    | .529 | 17-23   | .739  | 4        | 16  | 20  | 4.0  | 13  | 0  | 9  | 9  | 0   | 8   | 72  | 14.4 |
| 33             | Dufault, Austin       | 5-5   | 152  | 30.4 | 20-43   | .465  | 3-13    | .231 | 13-15   | .867  | 7        | 13  | 20  | 4.0  | 14  | 0  | 6  | 9  | 1   | 2   | 56  | 11.2 |
| 01             | Tomlinson, Nate       | 5-5   | 176  | 35.2 | 17-32   | .531  | 6-14    | .429 | 8-12    | .667  | 2        | 15  | 17  | 3.4  | 10  | 0  | 18 | 13 | 0   | 2   | 48  | 9.6  |
| 34             | Crawford, Casey       | 5-3   | 83   | 16.6 | 14-26   | .538  | 6-12    | .500 | 3-5     | .600  | 5        | 6   | 11  | 2.2  | 8   | 0  | 6  | 2  | 1   | 6   | 37  | 7.4  |
| 31             | Jackson-Wilson, Jermy | 5-2   | 96   | 19.2 | 11-17   | .647  | 0-0     | .000 | 6-9     | .667  | 3        | 23  | 26  | 5.2  | 15  | 1  | 4  | 6  | 6   | 2   | 28  | 5.6  |
| 24             | Knutson, Levi         | 5-0   | 75   | 15.0 | 7-21    | .333  | 2-12    | .167 | 5-5     | 1.000 | 0        | 6   | 6   | 1.2  | 6   | 0  | 7  | 1  | 0   | 2   | 21  | 4.2  |
| 55             | Eckloff, Trey         | 4-0   | 61   | 15.3 | 5-11    | .455  | 2-4     | .500 | 4-7     | .571  | 2        | 9   | 11  | 2.8  | 10  | 0  | 2  | 6  | 1   | 3   | 16  | 4.0  |
| 25             | Zehnder, Andrew       | 2-0   | 4    | 2.0  | 1-1     | 1.000 | 0-0     | .000 | 0-0     | .000  | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0.0  | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1   | 0   | 2   | 1.0  |
| 03             | Favaro, Matt          | 1-0   | 2    | 2.0  | 0-0     | .000  | 0-0     | .000 | 2-2     | 1.000 | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0.0  | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 2   | 2.0  |
| 10             | Kelley, Ryan          | 4-0   | 11   | 2.8  | 0-2     | .000  | 0-1     | .000 | 1-4     | .250  | 0        | 1   | 1   | 0.3  | 2   | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0   | 0   | 1   | 0.3  |
| 14             | Coney, Javon          | 4-0   | 21   | 5.3  | 0-2     | .000  | 0-1     | .000 | 0-0     | .000  | 0        | 1   | 1   | 0.3  | 1   | 0  | 1  | 2  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0.0  |
| 15             | Veal, Toby            | 3-0   | 4    | 1.3  | 0-1     | .000  | 0-0     | .000 | 0-0     | .000  | 0        | 1   | 1   | 0.3  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0.0  |
| Team           |                       |       |      |      |         |       |         |      |         |       | 3        | 4   | 7   |      |     |    | 4  |    |     |     |     |      |
| Total.....     |                       | 5     | 1025 |      | 121-239 | .506  | 31-89   | .348 | 90-127  | .709  | 30       | 119 | 149 | 29.8 | 93  | 1  | 70 | 69 | 10  | 34  | 363 | 72.6 |
| Opponents..... |                       | 5     | 1025 |      | 123-278 | .442  | 32-92   | .348 | 55-91   | .604  | 58       | 110 | 168 | 33.6 | 112 | -  | 56 | 75 | 8   | 21  | 333 | 66.6 |

| <b>TEAM STATISTICS</b> | <b>CU</b> | <b>OPP</b> |
|------------------------|-----------|------------|
| SCORING                | 363       | 333        |
| Points per game        | 72.6      | 66.6       |
| Scoring margin         | +6.0      | -          |
| FIELD GOALS-ATT        | 121-239   | 123-278    |
| Field goal pct         | .506      | .442       |
| 3 POINT FG-ATT         | 31-89     | 32-92      |
| 3-point FG pct         | .348      | .348       |
| 3-pt FG made per game  | 6.2       | 6.4        |
| FREE THROWS-ATT        | 90-127    | 55-91      |
| Free throw pct         | .709      | .604       |
| F-Throws made per game | 18.0      | 11.0       |
| REBOUNDS               | 149       | 168        |
| Rebounds per game      | 29.8      | 33.6       |
| Rebounding margin      | -3.8      | -          |
| ASSISTS                | 70        | 56         |
| Assists per game       | 14.0      | 11.2       |
| TURNOVERS              | 69        | 75         |
| Turnovers per game     | 13.8      | 15.0       |
| Turnover margin        | +1.2      | -          |
| Assist/turnover ratio  | 1.0       | 0.7        |
| STEALS                 | 34        | 21         |
| Steals per game        | 6.8       | 4.2        |
| BLOCKS                 | 10        | 8          |
| Blocks per game        | 2.0       | 1.6        |
| ATTENDANCE             | 12799     | 6988       |
| Home games-Avg/Game    | 4-3200    | 1-6988     |
| Neutral site-Avg/Game  | -         | 0-0        |

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Opponent</b>     |     | <b>Score</b> | <b>Att.</b> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----|--------------|-------------|
| 11/14/08    | ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF | W   | 76-56        | 5689        |
| 11/18/08    | MONTANA STATE       | Lot | 82-85        | 2058        |
| 11/22/08    | HARVARD             | W   | 70-57        | 2957        |
| 11/25/08    | LAFAYETTE           | W   | 73-59        | 2095        |
| 11/29/08    | at Stanford         | L   | 62-76        | 6988        |

\* - Conference game

| <b>Score by Periods</b> | <b>1st</b> | <b>2nd</b> | <b>OT</b> | <b>Totals</b> |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| Colorado                | 165        | 188        | 10        | 363           |
| Opponents               | 160        | 160        | 13        | 333           |