

2024 PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Alabama

Mascot: Crimson Tide

Location: Tuscaloosa, AL

Captain(s)/Coach(s):
Dylan Charles (President)
David D'Olivo (Vice President)
Matthew Oakley (Treasurer)
Brad Hatchel (Coach)

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **18-9**
- Final Conference Ranking: 2nd
- Regional Tournament Results? Runner-Up
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: Matthew Oakley, Justin Miller, Mario Misiti, William Wilhide, Jeffery Ford Jr., Braden Holcomb, Ryan Adolfs

Number of Returning Players: 22

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won):
2023 First Team All Region
Justin Miller
Matthew Oakley

Braden Holcomb Mario Misiti

2023 Second Team All Region Ryan Adolfs William Wilhide

2023 Third Team All Region Asher McAllister Dylan Charles



2022 First Team All region Braden Holcomb Dylan Charles

2022 Third Team All Region: Brooks Vardaman Jeffery Ford Jr.

Players to Watch:

Nathan Howell: Newcomer to our program but no stranger to the big moment. Came in to our program sitting 86-87 and topping 90 in the spring. We expect big things out of Howell this year and are excited for his future with us.

Matthew Oakley: Strong consistent bat last season, multiple year starter Justin Miller: Reliable power bat last season, multiple year starter Dan Sperry: New addition from Juco with a live bat in the outfield

Braden Holcomb: 3-year player with a consistent bat and great defense at the corner

Dylan Charles: Pitcher with experience to face lineups multiple times William Wilhide: Pitcher with experience to face lineups multiple times Gavin Woolery: Juco transfer with a large pitch mix and good velo

New additions: Gavin Woolery, Cole Shields, Chris Field, Luke Tener, Lucas Elliott, Elijah Gillette, Dan Sperry, Nathan Howell

Biggest Rival: Auburn

Best Player Nickname: Fridge

2024 Season Outlook: We are looking to have a stellar bounce back season. Last year, we fell just short of a World Series run, but with our full starting 9 returning, and a ton of new pitching added, we expect to return to regionals and beyond.

Manager Quote: We understood our pitching depth is our reason for falling short at regionals last year and made an effort to address our need. We are excited with our new additions coming out of the bullpen to give us more innings throughout the season. All of our pitchers can compete and throw strikes to close out ball games.



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Team Name: Arlington Baptist University

Mascot: Patriots

Location: Arlington, TX

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Brad Bass; Jackson Lee; Jose Suero; Boston McIntire

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **16-2** @ **NCBA DII**
- Final Conference Ranking: 1
- Regional Tournament Results? Great American Region Runner Up
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: Riley Morrison, Caleb Ingram, Kanon Gajdica

Number of Returning Players: 24 between our DI and DII teams. Rosters have not been officially set yet.

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won):

Riley Morrison 2023 NCBA DII Great American 1st Team All Region First Base, 2023 NCBA DII 3rd **Team All American First Base**

Caleb Ingram 2023 NCBA DII Great American 1st Team All Region Outfield Kanon Gajdica 2023 NCBA DII Great American 1st Team All Region Relief Pitcher

Players to Watch: Riley Morrison, Caleb Ingram, Kanon Gajdica

New additions:

Biggest Rival: Parker University - they also made the jump to DI this year.

Best Player Nickname: Riley Morrison goes by Brooks



2024 Season Outlook: Our Division I team will open up the season on Thursday, February 15th at home against Wayland Baptist. In addition to our regular conference schedule, we will play several junior colleges and area programs to round out our schedule.

Manager Quote: We are excited to be taking a team to the Division I level. Much of our roster will return from last year's Great American Region South winning team. We are excited to see new competition and perform at an even greater level this season.



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Team Name: Auburn Tigers

Mascot: Tiger

Location: Auburn, AL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Todd Davis, Riley Kelton, Alex Asher, Ethan Kohler, Walt Lanier, Aiden Foestera

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

· 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: 12-6

· Final Conference Ranking: 3

· Regional Tournament Results? N/A

· World Series Results? N/A

· Notables: Ryan McTighe, Todd Davis, Riley Kelton, Andrew Ponder, Jon Giordano, Walt Lanier

Number of Returning Players: 15

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Ryan McTighe: First Team All American (2023), Todd Davis: First Team All Region (2023), Walt Lanier: Third Team All Region (2023)

Players to Watch: Ryan McTighe, Luke Richardson, Jack Stowers, Riley Kelton, Walt Lanier, Todd Davis, Kyle Campbell

New additions: Griffin McDonald, Maclain Brown, Tyler Pinney, Griffin Cordova, Xander Solidarz, Jaden Naff

Biggest Rival: Alabama

Best Player Nickname: Riley "Simba" Kelton

2024 Season Outlook: With multiple returning key players, the Tigers are looking forward to making another run at the Regional

Tournament

Manager Quote: "The best way to predict the future is to create it."



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Team Name: Baylor Bears

Mascot: Baylor

Location: Waco, TX

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Kade Bowden

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **6-8**

• Final Conference Ranking: 4

• Regional Tournament Results? NA

• World Series Results? NA

• Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 14

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Kade Bowden

Players to Watch: Kade Bowden, Ethan Cole, Jimmy Railsback

New additions: Aiden Pelfry, Matthew Lee, David Day, Jaden Humphreys, Matthew McDuffie

Biggest Rival: SMU

Best Player Nickname: Steez (Joey Gutierrez)

2024 Season Outlook: Some kinks to work out but overall optimistic

Manager Quote: "Davis revenge tour"



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Team Name: LSU Club Baseball

Mascot: Tigers

Location: Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Walt Sieggreen

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **14 wins 1 loss**
- Final Conference Ranking: 1st
- Regional Tournament Results? Undefeated in regional tournament
- World Series Results? World Series apperance, 0-2
- Notables: Second year in a row making the world series

Number of Returning Players: 12

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Walt Sieggreen (2nd team all region), Jacob Coleman (1st team all region), Preston Ocmand (1st team all region)

Players to Watch: Preston Ocmand, Jacob Coleman, Josh Bonnett, Blaine Nicholson, Riley Harwell

New additions: We have 13 new additions, some standouts are Cian ketterer, Trey Barksdale, Maddox Burr, and Ryan Trahan

Biggest Rival: Texas A&M

Best Player Nickname: "Big Sexy" Reid Saxon, "Oge" Tyler Thomas

2024 Season Outlook: We ended the fall by winning Wood Wars, we hope to carry on that momentum to win the region and get back to the World Series again.



Manager Quote: Be better today than you were yesterday.



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Team Name: Mississippi State University Club Baseball

Mascot: Bulldogs

Location: Starkville, Mississippi

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Noah Christensen (President/Manager), Christopher Swords (Vice President),

Aaron Armstrong (Secretary), Gerald Edwards (Treasurer), Gabe Gonzales (Risk Manager)

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **3-15 (Overall), 3-9 (Conference)**
- Final Conference Ranking: 5 of 6
- Regional Tournament Results? N/A
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: Swept Tulane in final series of season

Number of Returning Players: 11

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): N/A

Players to Watch: Patrick Little, Matthew Walker, Eric Lorio, Javen Anderson

New additions: 16

Biggest Rival: Ole Miss

Best Player Nickname: Gabe Gonzales - "The Gonz"

2024 Season Outlook: With a large amount of new players, we look to get back on track this season and make a push for the top of the conference.



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Manager Quote: "On the field, we are Bulldogs, but off the field we remain a pack of dogs that understand the importance of playing hard, playing smart, and having fun while doing it."



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Team Name: Ole Miss

Mascot: Rebels

Location: Oxford, MS

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Aiden MacLean, Jackson Malartsik

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **3-9**

• Final Conference Ranking: 4th

• Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players: 18

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won):

Players to Watch: Jake Carpenter, Aiden MacLean

New additions: We got a lot of new guys coming in and I am extremely excited to see who breakouts and preforms.

Biggest Rival: Mississippi State

Best Player Nickname: "Josh Naylor"

2024 Season Outlook: Young talent potential to rise to the occasion to compete and potentially win the division

Manager Quote: 1 game at a time, start to finish, one full season



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Team Name: Parker University

Mascot: Patriots

Location: Dallas, Texas

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Craig Keuchel, Brett Cleveland

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **11-10**

• Final Conference Ranking: 3rd

• Regional Tournament Results? no

• World Series Results? no

• Notables: First year program

Number of Returning Players: 6

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): 0

Players to Watch: Cory Howard P/OF Riley Dreher OF/C

New additions: Noah Allain, Cameron Extine

Biggest Rival: UNT

Best Player Nickname:

2024 Season Outlook: New younger arms that should improve the overall depth of the pitching staff. Return many of the key bats that had success a year ago at the D2 level.

Manager Quote: "Talented, physical group that should build momentum throughout the seeason through a strong pitching staff and offensive production."



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Team Name: Southern Methodist University

Mascot: Mustangs

Location: Dallas

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Ryan Vance, Wyatt Harms, Braxton Boyle, Jackson Bogardus, Collin Quinlan

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **14-7**
- Final Conference Ranking: First
- Regional Tournament Results? **3rd place (1-2)**
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: 2 series wins against top 20 out of conference opponents (Alabama, Nebraska)

Number of Returning Players: 16

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Stephen Hartwell, Cole Gordon - 1^{st} team all region 2022, Ryan Vance - 2^{nd} team all region 2022. None in 2023 (Probation)

Players to Watch: All

New additions: True

Biggest Rival: None

Best Player Nickname: The Chimney

2024 Season Outlook: With lots of returning players, young talent, and past success, we look to continue that trend. One of our biggest strengths is always team chemistry, and that is true for this team once again. We play in a tough conference / region, but we feel just as confident this year in our ability to compete.



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Manager Quote: "Remain Active"



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Team Name: Texas A&M

Mascot: Aggies

Location: College Station, TX

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach: Aaron Dickerson

Assistant Coaches: Josh Keating, Cade Bickham, Spencer Thompson, Ethan Purrington

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **21-5**

- Final Conference Ranking: 17-1
- Regional Tournament Results? Lost 5-8 to Alabama and lost 3-7 to SMU
- World Series Results? N/A
- Notables: W 21-6 @ SFA and W 23-5 @ Tx State

Number of Returning Players: 16

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Cade Bickham - 2023 NCBA 2nd Team All-American and 2023 2nd Team All-**Gulf Coast Relief Pitcher**

James Sattler - 2023 Gulf Coast 1st Team All-Region Starting Pitcher Tyler Dickerson - 2023 Gulf Coast 1st Team All-Region Outfielder Matthew Calderon - 2023 Gulf Coast 1st Team All-Region Outfielder Ethan Purrington - 2022 and 2023 Gulf Coast 2nd Team All-Region 2nd Baseman David Villareal - 2023 Gulf Coast 3rd Team All-Region Outfielder Josh Keating - 2023 Gulf Coast 3rd Team All-Region Shortstop Wes Conquest - 2023 Gulf Coast 3rd Team All-Region Catcher

Players to Watch: Listed are players who did not receive All Region/NCBA Award Recognition: Zane Councill (Had a .553 AVG and 1.261 OPS in 47 ABs last Spring) Matt Janak (Had 25.0 IP with a 1.96 ERA and 20K last Spring)



New additions: Pitchers: Alex Reyes, Ben Jamieson, Conner Chase

Position Players: JP Maggio, Kyle Meister

Biggest Rival: Texas Longhorns

Best Player Nickname: Zane Councill: The Zane Train

Josh Keating: Cowboy Keat

2024 Season Outlook: Current Outlook (We are still in contact with teams for more games):

February 24-25: 3-game home series vs. Texas Tech (Non-Conference)

March 2-3: 3-game home series vs. SFA March 23-24: 3-game series @ Baylor April 6-7: 3-game series @ TXST

April 27-28: 3-game home series vs. Texas

Manager Quote: "I have never seen a diamond full of guys that want it as much as this team does" - Head Coach Aaron Dickerson



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Team Name: University of Texas at Austin

Mascot: Longhorns

Location: Austin, TX

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Brian Muller, Martin Rodriguez, Eli Saldaña

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **13-5**

• Final Conference Ranking: 2nd

• Regional Tournament Results? N/A

• World Series Results? N/A

• Notables: 6 Players Received All-Region Honors

Number of Returning Players: 16

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): 2nd Team All-Region - Eli Saldaña (OF), Alex Judd (OF), Orlando Di Leo (P) 3rd Team All-Region: Martin Rodriguez (2B), Brian Muller (P)

Players to Watch: Kaleb Luera (IF), Martin Rodriguez (2B), Eli Saldaña (3B/OF), Cole Sorosky (P), Kyle Leonard (P), Alex Judd (OF), Brian Muller (OF/P), Orlando Di Leo (OF/P)

New additions: Blake Shanberg, Danny Martinez, Domenic Cordova, Jakob Rieger, Janak Bhakta, Leo Zeng, Zach Chow

Biggest Rival: Texas A&M

Best Player Nickname: Jacob Foster - Grandpa

2024 Season Outlook: Looking to make a run at the NCBA postseason behind a high-octane offense.



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Team Name: Tulane

Mascot: The Green Wave

Location: New Orleans

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Captain: Ethan Wong Coach: Andrew Tamburin (Former Player)

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **0-15****

• Final Conference Ranking: N/A

• Regional Tournament Results? N/A

• World Series Results? N/A

• Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players: 22

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): N/A

Players to Watch: Ryan Orlov, Chris Krahn, and Cyril Rees-Burton

New additions: Connor Hallenbeck

Biggest Rival: LSU

Best Player Nickname: Tambo

2024 Season Outlook: Lots of young talent along with solid returners. Looking to make a statement in divisional play.

Manager Quote: "Looking forward to a great season with a great group fo guys."



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Team Name: Texas State Club Baseball

Mascot: Bobcats

Location: San Marcos TX

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Justin McDonald-Captain/ Head Coach Clayton Brown-Captain/ ASST. Coach

2022/2023 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

• 2022/2023 NCBA Season Record: **3-15**

• Final Conference Ranking: **T-3rd**

• Regional Tournament Results? N/A

• World Series Results? N/A

Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players: 6

Returning Past All Region/NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): N/A

Players to Watch: Justin McDonald, Zachary Baldwin, Tony Frangoise, Austin Roland

New additions: Ashton Mcfadden, Austin Roland, Braden Cain, Cody May, Evan Zamora, Fidel Yanez, Harrison Chang, Ian Braunholz, Kendre Merrell, Kelly Hammock, Matthew Gonzales, Noah Steres, Peter Bacon, Ramon Torres, Sterl Welps, Trevor Black, Van Ruiz

Biggest Rival: Texas A&M

Best Player Nickname: Tony Frangoise- Caveman

2024 Season Outlook: We look to reestablish ourselves at the top of our conference.



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Manager Quote: We have a young and passionate team that in the coming year will make a strong push into the playoffs.