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2025 PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Clemson Club Baseball

Mascot: Tigers

City/State: Clemson, SC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Evan Mastrobattisto & Caden Colangelo

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **12-7**
- Final Conference Ranking: **4**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **#10 in NCBA Division I Week 20 rankings**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 14

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Adam Schiff (South Atlantic 2nd Team 2023-2024) - Caden Colangelo (South Atlantic 2nd Team & Rawlings All-American 2nd Team 2023-2024)

Players to Watch: Caden Colangelo, Adam Schiff, Peter Erskine, Kenny Lombardo, Andrew Moody

Biggest Rival: University of South Carolina

Best Player Nickname: JM

2025 Spring Season Outlook: Our goal is to win the conference and make a run in the regional and national playoffs.

Manager Quote: "Win the day"



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Team Name: Coastal Carolina University Club Baseball

Mascot: Chanticleer

City/State: Conway, SC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Connor Shea, Chris Espinosa

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **14-10**
- Final Conference Ranking: **2nd**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **N/A**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 22

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

- Connor Shea- 2024 1st Team All Region Starting Pitcher
- Billy Adkins- 2024 1st Team All Region Catcher
- Chris Espinosa- 2024 3rd Team All Region Relief Pitcher

Players to Watch: Fischer Masters

Biggest Rival: University of South Carolina

Best Player Nickname:

Nick "FOTCH" Fastiggi

Aiden "McRib" McBrierty

Matt "Munch" Visbeek

Louis "Stanky Lou" Clausen

2025 Spring Season Outlook: Win



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Manager Quote: With a large number of returning players, and a handful of new talent, we're looking to make a run at glory. Don't let the Chants get hot.



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Team Name: FGCU

Mascot: Eagles

City/State: Fort Myers, Florida

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Michael DeMio, Dylan Odud, Kristof Behrens, Max Aizenshtat, Derek Mesa

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **15-7**
- Final Conference Ranking: **2nd**
- Regional Tournament Results? **Lost in South Atlantic Championship**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **N/A**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 18

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Michael DeMio: 1st team All Region 2024, 2nd team All Region 2023
Dylan Odud: 1st team All Region 2023, 2nd team All Region 2024
Brandon Barcenas: 1st team All Region 2023
Kody Horton: 2nd team All Region 2023, 3rd team All Region 2024

Players to Watch: Matt Riley, Juan Martinez, Max Aizenshtat.

Biggest Rival: FSU

Best Player Nickname: Cheddar

2025 Spring Season Outlook: One goal, National Champions

Manager Quote: My board and I had a vision in the fall to build a different type of culture in the environment of practices and leading into games. We have had the most success in the program in recent years and we plan to build from that. We have a lot of new players that are going to help us out in many ways along with more than half the team having a couple of regional appearances under their belt. We will be a scary team to play once the season kicks off.



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Team Name: Florida State

Mascot: Seminoles

City/State: Tallahassee, FL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): James Murphy, Wyatt Iben

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **13-10 (6-3 in playoffs)**
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- Final Conference Ranking: **1st**
- Regional Tournament Results? **Champions**
- World Series Results? **Lost to Penn State in the Semifinal**
- Additional Achievements/Notables:

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 21

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Jake Thorne-All Region South Atlantic 2022

Players to Watch: Roman Snedeker, Wyatt Iben, Jake Thorne, Tyler DeJong, Ryan Scarry, Ian McDermaid

Biggest Rival: FGCU

Best Player Nickname: Matt Mulfinger “The Dirty Finger”

2025 Spring Season Outlook: We returned approximately 2/3 of our World Series team from last year and added some extremely talented new players to an already very good team. Our offense is looking great, and some of our pitchers from last year are ready to have increased roles. Based on our returner’s experience going deep into the World Series and the abilities of our new players, this team is more than capable of great things this season and we believe that we can make another deep playoff run.

Manager Quote: This team is experienced, talented, and hungry. We believe that when we play our game, we can compete with and beat any team in the country. We play for each other so that we win together. We are tired of coming up short in Alton, and we are willing to do whatever necessary to accomplish our goal of winning. This is our year.



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Team Name: Georgia Tech

Mascot: Yellow Jackets

City/State: Atlanta, GA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): President/Head Coach: Nat Swinger, Other Captains/Coaches: Tony Hoyt, Pulkit Iyer, Ralston Welch, Alex Ukleja, Seth Adams, Austin Kearney

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **11-10**
- Final Conference Ranking: **3rd/6**
- Regional Tournament Results? **NA**
- World Series Results? **NA**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **4 All-Region Individual Player Awards**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 17

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Shonjoy Bhattacharyya: 1st Team All-Region 2024, Alex Ukleja: 2nd Team All-Region 2024, Davis Lomenick: 3rd Team All-Region 2024

Players to Watch: Shonjoy Bhattacharyya (GR), Alex Ukleja (JR), Davis Lomenick (JR), Riley Hasenstab (FR), Shane Werther (GR)

Biggest Rival: Non-Conference: UGA, Conference: KSU

Best Player Nickname: Davis "Gummy Worm" Lomenick

2025 Spring Season Outlook: We look to build on over-500 season, returning 17 players, including 3/4 All-Region players. This team is built on its starting pitching, with multiple players touching 90mph that can go 7+ innings.



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Manager Quote: "Yogi Berra once said baseball is 90% mental and 50% physical. Georgia Tech has 110% of both. We've got like 9 engineers who can confirm the math too. Watch out NCBA." - Nat Swinger



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Team Name: Georgia College Club Baseball

Mascot: Bobcats

City/State: Milledgeville, GA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Michael Roberts and Connor Coursey

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **10-10**
- Final Conference Ranking: **1st**
- Regional Tournament Results? **4th**
- World Series Results? **None**
- Additional Achievements/Notables:

Fall 2024 Performance (This Year - If Applicable)

- 2024 Fall Record (NCBA Sanctioned Games Only): **None**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **None**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 14

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Cooper Baskette, Miles Wegner, Drew McMillan, Michael Roberts

Players to Watch: Davis Hancock, Nick Southard, Brice Peppers

Biggest Rival: UGA

Best Player Nickname: Mini Coop Cooper Gilreath

2025 Spring Season Outlook: With our largest team to date, we look to make another run at the region and hope to have a great season.

Manager Quote: "This is my fourth year in the NCBA, and this is the best team I have gotten the opportunity to play with. I truly believe if we can get all the pieces in place this team has a great shot at making a deep into the post season." -Michael Roberts



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Team Name: University of Georgia Club Baseball

Mascot: Bulldogs

City/State: Athens, Georgia

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Max Beck-Berendsen, Cooper Mendlinger

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **12-14**
- Final Conference Ranking: **5th**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **N/A**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 20

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Max Beck-Berendsen (All region 2023), Nick Cubides (All region 2023), Cooper Mendlinger (All region 2023)

Players to Watch: AJ Rodriguez, Cooper Mendlinger, Max Beck-Berendsen, Nick Cubides, Nathan Nagy, Alton Mamaghani, Jim Johnson

Biggest Rival: Gerogia College

Best Player Nickname: Agent Ocho

2025 Spring Season Outlook: I believe we will be a lot stronger and more competitive this spring. We have a lot of returners who bring experience to the table but have also added a very talented group of new players this year. In the fall the freshman in particular showed that they will be an integral part in helping this team win this spring. Furthermore, we have a key group of juniors that have seen the highs and lows of this program and will play a large role in leading the team.

Manager Quote: "Shoot him Leon!"



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Team Name: Kennesaw State

Mascot: Owls

City/State: Kennesaw, GA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Austin Davis: President/Manager/Pitching Coach
Micah Lewellen: VP/Bench Coach/Asst. Pitching Coach
Chase Milton: Treasurer/Hitting Coach
Rand McDonald: Recruitment and Retention/Social Media/Vibes
Cody Skinner: Auxiliary Officer/Defensive Coordinator**

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: 14-6 (9-6)
- Final Conference Ranking: 2nd
- Regional Tournament Results? N/A
- World Series Results? N/A
- Additional Achievements/Notables:
 - +52 Run Differential (Led Conference)
 - .337 BA, .458 OBP as a team
 - Led South Atlantic in All Region selections (6)
 - 5th Place Finish in 2024 Greenville Fall Invitational
 - 2-1 record in pool play, out-scoring opponents 35-14
 - 5 runs allowed behind 4th-seed High Point
 - Only loss: 4-3 to eventual champion, #4 ECU, in Pool Play
 - Ranked #16 in fan publication NCBA Now's 2025 Preseason Poll

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 28, including every All-Region player

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

Nick Brooks: 2024 1st Team All-American/All-Region 1B

DJ Berzas: 2024 2nd Team All-Region OF

Christian Black: 2024 2nd Team All-Region SP

Austin Davis: 2024 2nd Team All-Region RP

Dalen Nye: 2024 3rd Team All-Region OF

Chase Milton: 2024 3rd Team All-Region DH

Bobby Scott: 2022 3rd Team All-Region 2B

Players to Watch: Everybody



Biggest Rival: UTC, Vanderbilt, Georgia College

Best Player Nickname: Pushin P (Peyton Fogle)

2025 Spring Season Outlook: This is shaping up to be the best Owls Club Baseball team since the 2013 D2 National Champions. Every starter from the spring is returning, including all six of our All-Region players and the best player in the country last season, Nick Brooks. We are also adding even more players with varying levels of NCAA/NJCAA experience to our already deep roster.

Our fall exhibition schedule saw us heat up towards the end, culminating in a 5th place finish in the Greenville Invitational. At the tournament, we fought hard against perennial powerhouse East Carolina, ending the game with the winning run at the plate and narrowly missing out on the wild card spot for single elimination.

After barely missing playoffs via a head-to-head tiebreaker last spring, this team has the drive and the talent to make a serious push to the World Series.

Manager Quote: “Earn it.”



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Team Name: South Carolina (D1)

Mascot: Gamecocks

City/State: Columbia, South Carolina

Captain(s)/Coach(s): John McNabola, Ryan St. Clair, Ryan Gonzalez

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **12-12**
- Final Conference Ranking: **4th**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **Sweep vs UGA / Series Wins vs UCF & Tennessee**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 14

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

Ryan St. Clair - NCBA D2 All-American 2nd Team (2023-24 Season)

Players to Watch: Evan Avery, Brian Boland, Eli Cowperthwaite, Trey Johnson, Cam McGonigle, Colby Mekiliesky, Bradin Miles, Ryan St. Clair, AJ Trayer

Biggest Rival: Clemson

Best Player Nickname: "Balls" - Chris Bartlett

2025 Spring Season Outlook: With a very experienced group of returners and many talented newcomers, we are ready to make a statement and get back to the Regional Playoffs. Early matchups against Alabama, Florida, & Florida State will set the tone for a very competitive season and give us a chance to see how we shape up with the new teams in our conference.

Manager Quote: "Being apart of the club the last 3 years, I have never seen a group work as hard as these guys. We're ready to leave it all on the field as we aim to contend for a top spot in the conference and the country, with our sights set on returning to Peachtree City."



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Team Name: University of Tennessee

Mascot: Volunteers

City/State: Knoxville, TN

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Mario D'Adessi, Nolan Maroth, Mason Rice, Mac Kopka

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **16-10**
- Final Conference Ranking: **1st**
- Regional Tournament Results? **Semifinal loss to FSU**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **Swept #12 Clemson and 3-1 Recond at SIS PCB**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 22

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): Nolan Maroth, 3rd Team All Region (2024)

Players to Watch: Nolan Maroth, Hobby Griffin, Will Gillice, Eric Swanson, Mason Rice, Jack Moriarty, Mac Kopka, Bailey Redmond, Mario D'Adessi

Biggest Rival: Chattanooga/Vanderbilt

Best Player Nickname: "Jerri", "Larri", and "Barri"

2025 Spring Season Outlook: Building off of a postseason berth in 2024, the Vols are looking to win back-to-back conference championships and get revenge for a heartbreaking end to 2024. Out schedule is highlighted by welcoming in National Champs Penn State to Knoxville, as well as visiting Auburn and Panama City, making it one of the toughest schedules in the entire country. Bringing back most of the production from last year, the team is headlined by a deadly collegiate-level pitching staff and competitive lineup from top to bottom. Anything short than the first World Series appearance for the program and a national championship trophy would be a failure.



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Manager Quote: "For the 2025 season I expect a lot for the Club Vols. Coming off of our first Regional appearance, we have strong aspirations to do it again, this time making and winning the World Series. We have many returners as well as fantastic new additions to the team. This being my fourth year on the team, this is by far the most talented team we have ever had, and I am excited to lead them alongside my fellow officers. Extensive depth and a plethora of talent, this team is going to do amazing things. We are very excited to be the new members of the South Atlantic West, and look forward to making a name for ourselves." - Mario D'Adessi (President)



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Team Name: UCF Knights D1 Club Baseball

Mascot: Knightro

City/State: Orlando Florida

Captain(s)/Coach(s): AJ Romaniello, Nolan Krames, Kevin Miller, Kurt Cohen

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **13-7**
- Final Conference Ranking: **3rd**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **Ranked 17th in Week 14, 1 pitcher and 1 player of the week award.**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 10

Returning Past All Region or NCBA All American Award Winners (Please list player names, specific accolades & years won): 2024 Awards: Dylan Kutch 2nd Team All-Region, Max Jeffries 3rd Team All-Region, Joe Sbaschnik 2nd Team All-Region, Nolan Krames 2nd Team All-Region, AJ Romaniello 2nd Team All-Region, Hunter Leech 1st Team All-Region, Cooper Mills 1st Team All-Region, Jackson Morse 1st Team All-Region. 2023 Awards: Dylan Kutch 1st Team All-Region, Leo Sulbaran 2nd Team All-Region, AJ Romaniello 1st Team All-Region.

Players to Watch: Pin-Cheng (Mike) Pan, Neile Thomas, Jackson Morse

Biggest Rival: FSU

Best Player Nickname: Kurt Cohen - The Hammer

2025 Spring Season Outlook: We are looking to bring back a Regional Championship to UCF. With a lot of our D1 players graduating last year, our call-ups are hoping to continue the success from their D2 World Series run. With a mixture of new talent and returning experience, we are ready to bring UCF back to the top of the South Atlantic Conference.



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Manager Quote: If you ain't first, you're last.



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Team Name: University of Florida

Mascot: Gators

City/State: Gainesville, Florida

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Simon Rothleder

2023/2024 NCBA Season Performance (Last Year):

- 2023/2024 NCBA Season Record: **15-8**
- Final Conference Ranking: **4**
- Regional Tournament Results? **N/A**
- World Series Results? **N/A**
- Additional Achievements/Notables: **N/A**

Number of Returning Players from Last Year: 12

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

Jay Marquardt - 3rd Team All American (2023), South Atlantic 1st Team All Region (2023), South Atlantic 3rd Team All Region, (2024)

Colton Kelly - South Atlantic 1st Team All Region (2024)

Luke Vaccaro - South Atlantic 1st Team All Region (2023), South Atlantic 2nd Team All Region (2024)

Players to Watch: Jack Kuzmicki, Freddie Morales, Donovan Hunt

Biggest Rival: Florida State University

Best Player Nickname: Andrew "Cookie Monster" Escamilla

2025 Spring Season Outlook: The Gators are looking to win the South Atlantic Conference for the first time in nearly a decade and return to the NCBA World Series. A ball club with an exciting list of newcomers in the line-up and a revamped stable of pitching, the boys in orange and blue are primed to dominate this Spring and get in a good amount of high fives along the way. Go Gators!

Manager Quote: "If you're going to out-run a Gator, you better wear cleats and zig-zag!"