Shane Nichols, the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Freshman of the Year while playing for Saint Peter's College this past season, has transferred to Wofford and will have three years of eligibility for the Terriers.

Per NCAA transfer rules, Nichols will sit out the 2004-05 season.

A 6-foot-0 guard from Radford, Va., Nichols averaged 10.6 points while connecting on 68 3-pointers and shooting 83.1 percent at the free-throw line in helping lead Saint Peter's to a 17-12 record in the 2003-04 campaign. He started 28 of the Peacocks' 29 games.

Nichols' teammate at Saint Peter's, Keydren Clark, was the Division I national leader in scoring with a 26.7 points per game average.

"I have known Shane's family for a long time," Wofford coach and fellow Radford native Mike Young said. "He had a very good career at Radford High School where I graduated from in 1981.

"I've always admired the way Shane played. He's a great fit and kid. He had an outstanding season as the Freshman of the Year at Saint Peter's which plays in a league (MAAC) very comparable to the SoCon.

"With another year under his belt to learn what we're doing, Shane will be prepared to step in at the shooting guard spot when Adrien Borders graduates after this season. Shane will be a very good player for us."

Nichols scored over 1,800 points at Radford High School, earning All-State honors as a junior and senior. He was listed as a Top 15 player in the state of Virginia and is Radford's second all-time leading scorer. Nichols was also a three-time All-District and All-Region selection.

As a postgraduate student at Notre Dame Prep in Massachusetts, he averaged 18.8 points to place second on a team that included five other Division I signees.
Four games against Southeastern Conference opponents and a season-opening trip to Miami (Fla.) highlight the 2004-05 Wofford men's basketball schedule.

The Terriers open the campaign Nov. 20 at Miami. It will be the first-ever meeting on the hardwood between Wofford and the Hurricanes.

Wofford will then host Milligan (Nov. 22) and Bluefield State (Nov. 27) before traveling to Tennessee (Nov. 29) for the first of its four SEC games. The Terriers will also visit Auburn (Dec. 5), Georgia (Dec. 19) and South Carolina (Dec. 31). Wofford and Georgia will be playing for the first time since the 1926-27 campaign.

The Terriers open Southern Conference play with a Dec. 11 home date versus Appalachian State. Wofford defeated the Mountaineers, 99-92 in overtime, last season behind 29 points and 20 rebounds from Howard Wilkerson.

Wofford will have home-and-home series with SoCon South Division foes The Citadel, College of Charleston, Davidson, Furman and Georgia Southern. In addition to Appalachian State, the Terriers will host Chattanooga (Jan. 15) and defending league champion East Tennessee State (Feb. 5) from the SoCon North Division. First-year Chattanooga head coach John Shulman is a former Wofford assistant (1989-90, 1996-98).

Wofford has 13 home games on the 27-game slate. The SoCon Tournament will be held March 2-5 in Chattanooga, Tenn.

The Terriers return four starters and nine of 10 lettermen from last year's squad. Mike Young will be in his third season as Wofford's coach after serving 13 years under then coach and now athletic director Richard Johnson.

The complete 2004-05 schedule can be found at the following link: http://wofford.info/athletics/schedule.asp?sport=MBALL&season=0405

## Wofford College
### 2004-05 Men’s Basketball Schedule

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MEMORANDUM

September 10, 2004

TO: Southern Conference Media Members

FROM: Steve Shutt, Associate Commissioner

SUBJECT: 2004 SoCon Basketball Tipoff

The 2004 Southern Conference Basketball Tipoff is one month away. This year we will head to Spartanburg, SC where the brand-new Marriott Renaissance Park will serve as our headquarters. Below this memorandum is a lodging and registration form.

As in previous years, we will have all of the SoCon men’s and women’s head coaches from each school in attendance.

The Tipoff will begin on Sunday, October 10 with a reception in Club 299 in the Marriott. We will host a Tipoff Breakfast on Monday Oct. 11 at 8:00 a.m. followed by interview sessions with the coaches starting at 9:30 a.m.

The deadline for reserving lodging is noon on Wednesday, September 22. We cannot guarantee the exceptional rate of $79 per room after that date.

We hope to see you at the Tipoff! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give us a call.

Links:

Southern Conference 2004 Basketball Tipoff, Spartanburg, S.C.
Please return form by REPLYING to sshutt@socon.org.
Deadline: Noon on Wednesday, September 22, 2004

Media Registration Form

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**Media Lodging Registration Form**

Please fill out the following form to reserve lodging at the Marriott Renaissance Park in Spartanburg on the night of Sunday, October 10. The negotiated room rate at the Marriott is $79 per night.

**We will attend but will not require lodging**

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Special Requests: 

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Steve Shutt  
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(864) 591-5100
Wofford men's basketball standout Howard Wilkerson has received preseason All-Southern Conference honors from the league's head coaches.

A 6-foot-6 junior from Eden, N.C., Wilkerson topped the Terriers in scoring (13.8 ppg.), rebounding (8.0 rpg.), field-goal percentage (57.3) and free-throw attempts (130) in earning All-SoCon honors a year ago. He was also second in assists (69), steals (38) and blocked shots (25).

Wilkerson was the only player in the SoCon to rank in the top 2 in rebounding, the top 13 in scoring and the top 5 in field-goal percentage. His 7.9655 boards per game narrowly trailed SoCon Player of the Year Zakee Wadood's mark of 7.9696 for the league rebounding title.

For SoCon games only, Wilkerson ranked first in rebounding with an 8.8 average.

Wilkerson was third in the SoCon with eight double-doubles, including a 29-point, 20-rebound effort in a 99-92 win at Appalachian State. The 20 boards were the most by a Wofford player since 1979 and the highest total in the SoCon dating back to 1996. It was also just one shy of the top mark by a Division I player last season.

Joining Wilkerson on the preseason All-SoCon team were Tim Smith (East Tennessee State), Brendan Winters (Davidson), Ronnie Burrell (UNC Greensboro), Terry Williams (Georgia Southern), Jackson Atoyebi (Elon), Tony Mitchell (College of Charleston), Alphonso Pugh (Chattanooga), Elton Nesbitt (Georgia Southern) and Quan Prowell (Furman).
The 2004-05 Wofford men's and women's basketball teams began practice over the weekend.

The Terrier men return four of five starters and nine of 10 lettermen from last season's squad, including All-SoCon forward Howard Wilkerson (13.8 ppg, 8.0 rpg).

"I'm really excited about the way our guys approached our fall program leading into the start of practice," Wofford coach Mike Young said. "We're off to a very good start.

"The kids are working hard and have really focused on the areas of defense and rebounding. I'm really pleased to this point.

"It's been exciting to see a completely healthy Adrien Borders, a guy who can change the game with his speed and quickness and has done that over the first two days."

One of five seniors on this year's team, Borders endured an injury-plagued campaign last season when he averaged 10.9 points to place second on the Terriers.

Wofford opens the season Nov. 20 at Miami (Fla.). The home opener is Nov. 22 versus Milligan.

Edgar Farmer is in his first season as head coach of the Wofford women, who were the youngest Division I team in the nation last year.

Seniors Brie Bradshaw and Ricaye Harris are the top returning scorers at 12.6 and 10.4 points, respectively.

"It didn't feel like a first day of practice when we started," Farmer said. "The players have come in with a great focus, energy and enthusiasm.

"If this is a foreshadowing of events to come, it's going to be a very successful season."

The Terriers open the campaign Nov. 19 when they host Coker at 7 p.m.
The Wofford men's basketball team will make two television appearances in the 2004-05 season as its Dec. 5 and Dec. 19 games at Auburn and Georgia, respectively, will be seen on CSS.

Both games will tip at 3 p.m. Eastern.

The Terriers and Auburn will be meeting for the fifth time in the last 10 seasons. Wofford and Georgia are playing for the first time since a 61-23 Bulldog victory in the 1926-27 campaign, the only previous contest between the teams.
Howard Wilkerson had 23 points and nine rebounds to lead Wofford in tonight's season-opening 67-64 loss to the University of Miami in Coral Gables, Fla.

Trailing 67-64, the Terriers had a pair of chances to force overtime in the final seconds. Freshman point guard Drew Gibson, who hit two 3-pointers earlier in the game, missed a trey that would have tied the contest with 14 seconds left. The ball caromed in and out of the basket.

A native of Los Angeles, Calif., Gibson played 22 minutes off-the-bench in his Wofford debut.

Hurricane center Anthony King, who had 19 rebounds, grabbed the board off Gibson's miss and was fouled immediately. After missing the front end of a one-and-one, Sam Daniels pulled down the defensive rebound for Wofford. The Terriers raced the ball upcourt before Eric Marshall missed a 3-pointer with four seconds to play.

"We did everything well enough to win except rebound (Miami held a 57-32 edge on the glass)," Wofford coach Mike Young said. "Our kids played extremely hard and did some excellent things. We had every chance to win but just couldn't get over the hump."

Adrien Borders had 12 points for the Terriers while Greg Taylor grabbed eight rebounds, all on the defensive end, to go with five points, three assists and three steals. Marshall scored eight points.

Miami led 35-33 at the half and took its largest lead of the night at 50-39 on an Anthony Harris 3-pointer with 15 minutes remaining.

However, the Terriers rallied. A Borders trey with 4:10 left cut the Hurricane lead to 63-62. A reverse layup by Wilkerson kept Wofford within 65-64 with 2:11 to play.

Miami guard Brandon Okpalobi pushed the Miami lead back to 67-64 with 1:20 remaining.

Wofford makes its 2004-05 home debut Monday when it hosts Milligan at 7 p.m.
Senior forward Jeff Tarr came off-the-bench to score 13 points, one shy of a career-best, as the Wofford men's basketball team made its 2004-05 home debut with a 90-64 victory over Milligan tonight in Spartanburg, S.C.

This evening represented Wofford's 300th game in the Benjamin Johnson Arena. The Terriers are now 210-90 (.700) since moving into their home facility midway through the 1980-81 campaign.

Howard Wilkerson added 17 points and eight rebounds for the Terriers (1-1), who two nights earlier were in Miami and dropped a 67-64 decision to the Hurricanes.

Milligan held an early lead before Wofford went on top for good at 11-10 on a Justin Stephens layup with 13:54 to play in the first half. It began a 26-5 Terrier run that featured eight different players scoring. A Tyler Berg dunk capped the spurt, giving Wofford a 35-15 lead with 6:57 remaining before intermission.

The Terriers led 47-30 at the half.

"We did some really good things at Miami and gave ourselves a chance to win," Wofford coach Mike Young said. "I really liked the way we came back tonight after a tough early-morning flight home yesterday.

"Our guys played hard throughout the night even when we had the game in hand. That's a great sign of improvement in the maturation process, which we expect with five seniors and three juniors on the roster."

Wilkerson scored the Terriers' opening seven points of the second half. He had 23 points and nine boards in the opener at Miami.

All 12 Wofford players in uniform scored and played at least 10 minutes. Tarr added six rebounds while Byron Fields contributed 10 points and four steals. Freshman point guard Drew Gibson had eight points and a team-best five assists.

Spartanburg native Harvey Bell, a freshman from nearby Boiling Springs High School, was the game's high scorer with 18 points to go with eight rebounds. He was 5-of-6 from the field and 8-of-8 at the free-throw line.

Wofford was just 3-of-12 at the charity stripe in the first half, before making all 12 attempts over the final 20 minutes.

The Terriers return to action Saturday when they host Bluefield College at 2:30 p.m. Wofford then travels to Tennessee for a Monday 7 p.m. game against the Volunteers. Milligan is at Tennessee Wesleyan Saturday in a 7:30 p.m. contest.
The Wofford men's basketball team will make two additional regional television appearances this season.

A Feb. 7 home game with Davidson will be seen on C-SET. The tip-off will remain at 7 p.m. The Terriers' Feb. 12 contest at Furman will be carried on CSS with game time moved from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Wofford also has previously scheduled CSS dates on Dec. 5 and Dec. 19 at Auburn and Georgia, respectively.

The Terriers will total four regional television appearances in the 2004-05 campaign.
Freshman point guard Drew Gibson continued his impressive play with 10 points, six assists and five rebounds in Wofford's 90-66 victory over Bluefield College this afternoon in Spartanburg, S.C.

The Terriers (2-1) have equaled their best start to a season in 10 years of Division I play. Wofford was 2-1 after three games just one other time (2001-02) since the 1995-96 campaign.

A native of Los Angeles, Calif., Gibson ranks third on the Terriers in scoring (8.0 ppg) and is the team assist leader (13) this season. He has just four turnovers in a total of 63 minutes.

Wofford had five players in double figures and 26 assists on its 30 field goals in the game. Post players Howard Wilkerson, Sam Daniels and Jeff Tarr each scored 11 points while Eric Marshall added 10.

Wofford trailed 9-7 before going on a 20-2 run over a 6:05 stretch to lead 27-11 with 9:45 to play in the first half. Gibson had two 3-pointers to key the spurt which was capped by a pair of Adrien Borders free-throws.

The Terriers eventually built a 52-27 halftime lead. Wofford led by as many as 32 points in the second half.

"Today was another step along the trail for us," Wofford coach Mike Young said. "Drew Gibson continues to impress and we're asking a lot of him. He once again responded well and we expect that to continue.

"This was a nice team win and we'll hopefully use this to get ready for a tough test at Tennessee."

The Terriers shot a season-best 52.6 percent for the game, including 10-of-22 (45.5 percent) behind the 3-point arc.

Bluefield College (4-4) had the game's top three scorers. Cedric Brown had 20 points and eight rebounds while Johnathan McPherson and Jamaine Burcke added 14 and 12 points, respectively.

All 12 players scored for Wofford with each Terrier playing at least nine minutes.

The Terriers forced 26 turnovers and had 19 steals.

Wofford is at Tennessee Monday in a 7:30 p.m. contest. The Volunteers edged the Terriers, 81-70, in last year's season opener for both teams. It will be the first of four games for Wofford against SEC opponents this campaign.
Attached as .pdf files is Wofford's release and updated stats for tonight's men's basketball game at Tennessee. Tip-off is 7:30 p.m. in Knoxville. The complete set of notes and stats can also be found on the Terriers' web site (www.wofford.edu/athletics). If you have any trouble with these files, please feel free to let me know.

Thanks.

Mark Cohen
Associate AD/Media Relations
Wofford College
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WOFFORD AT TENNESSEE

2004-05 Wofford College Basketball

Nov. 29, 2004, at Tennessee, Thompson-Boling Arena (24,535), Knoxville, Tenn.; 7:30 p.m.

Inside the Game

• The Wofford men’s basketball team faces the first of four SEC opponents this season when it travels to Knoxville today for a 7:30 p.m. game at the University of Tennessee.

Wofford also has later dates at Auburn (Dec. 5), Georgia (Dec. 19) and South Carolina (Dec. 31).

• The Terriers (2-1) have equaled their best start in 10 years of Division I play. Wofford was also 2-1 in the 2001-02 campaign.

• Wofford assistant coach and Kingsport, Tenn., native Dustin Kerns was a graduate assistant at Tennessee last season.

• Tyler Berg and Sam Daniels both scored 11 points while Justin Stephens added 10 in last year’s 81-70 loss to Tennessee.

Scooter McFadgon, who also faced Wofford while playing for Memphis in the 2001-02 campaign, scored a game-high and career-best 31 points to lead the Vols. Tennessee outrebounded Wofford 44-29.

McFadgon’s 3-pointer with 7:03 remaining gave Tennessee the lead for good at 61-60. The Terriers were still within four points, 72-68, with 3:24 to play after a pair of Stephens free-throws. A Stephens layup with 1:16 left cut the Wofford deficit to just 76-70.

• The Terriers are 0-6 lifetime against the Vols, dating back to the 1952-53 campaign.

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*Southern Conference game

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Wofford sets the pace in graduation rates
Since 1997, Wofford is the only football-playing member of the SoCon to win the league's graduation rate trophy for all student-athletes. Wofford has won the award four times.

1247 vs. 1100
Wofford College has a higher SAT average (1247) than enrollment (1100).

"There are no junk courses at Wofford that we could see, and we would certainly match its course study with that of any school in the Ivy League."

National Review's Guide to the Best Liberal Arts Colleges, "America's Top 50 Liberal Arts Schools"

About Wofford
• Located in Spartanburg, S.C., Wofford is one of only five independent colleges and universities to have a Phi Beta Kappa chapter in the Carolinas (Davidson, Duke, Furman and Wake Forest are the others).
• Wofford is one of just three Division I colleges or universities to have the nickname Terriers. The others are Boston University and St. Francis (N.Y.).
• Founded in 1854, Wofford has an enrollment of 1,100 which makes it the smallest school in NCAA Division I-A or I-AA football.
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• Famous Wofford graduates include Carolina Panther owner and founder Jerry Richardson and Air Force football coach Fisher DeBerry.
• Wofford ranks No. 1 among national liberal arts colleges in "operating efficiency," providing a quality education while spending relatively less.

In a recent NCAA Division I Graduation Rates Report, Wofford was the only school in the nation to rank in the Top 10 in all four categories: overall student-athlete graduation rate as well as those for the football, men’s basketball and women’s basketball teams.

Wofford and the NFL
Wofford College is the summer training camp site for the Carolina Panthers of the National Football League.

Panther owner and founder Jerry Richardson is a 1959 Wofford graduate and a former All-America wide receiver for the Terriers.
The Staff
The following is an inside look at Wofford coach Mike Young’s three assistants:

• Former Terrier standout Matt Allen is in his first season as an assistant coach at his alma mater. Allen ranks 29th on Wofford's career scoring list with 1,087 points.

• Dustin Kerns is in his first year with the Terriers after working with Buzz Peterson and the University of Tennessee last season. He has also had stints on the staffs of Tennessee Tech and Clemson.

• Jackson Payne is also in his first season at Wofford. Payne coached Terrier freshman Drew Gibson at St. Thomas More Prep School last year.

As a freshman, Payne lettered under Mike Jarvis at George Washington. He then transferred to Christian Brothers where he was a prolific 3-point shooter.

A Youthful Staff
With an average age of 31.0, the Wofford men's basketball coaching staff is the fourth youngest in the nation. The Terriers are behind only Lehigh (29.0), Mount St. Mary's (29.0) and High Point (30.8).

Head coach Mike Young is 41 and the greybeard on the staff. Assistant coaches Matt Allen (32), Jackson Payne (27) and Dustin Kerns (24) are next in line.

Seasoned Terriers
After having just one senior on last year's roster, the 2004-05 Wofford squad features five seniors: Tyler Berg, Adrien Borders, Sam Daniels, Jeff Tarr and Greg Taylor.

The Fork Union Pipeline
Wofford coach Mike Young played at Fork Union (Va.) Military Academy and refers to longtime FUMA coach Fletcher Arritt as one of his coaching mentors.

Current Terriers Jeff Tarr and Howard Wilkerson are two of six former FUMA players at Wofford during Young's 16 seasons on campus.

Schedule Difficulty
• Wofford will once again face a challenging non-conference schedule. Following a season-opening trip to Miami, the Terriers will become an honorary member of the SEC with games at Tennessee (Nov. 29), Auburn (Dec. 5), Georgia (Dec. 19) and South Carolina (Dec. 31).

• Last year's Wofford slate included road dates at Tennessee, Clemson, Texas, Vanderbilt, Dayton and Minnesota.

• The 2002-03 RPI and Sagarin Ratings ranked Wofford's non-conference schedule as the most difficult in the nation out of 327 Division I programs.

The Terriers played at Auburn, Clemson, Virginia Tech, West Virginia, South Carolina, N.C. State and Virginia.

• In their opening 12 games in 2001-02, the Terriers played at Memphis, Clemson, Nebraska, N.C. State and Georgia Tech. Wofford also played host to South Carolina.

• The RPI rankings, which take into account Division I games only, determined that Wofford's pre-Christmas schedule in 2000-01 was the most difficult in the nation. The Terriers had road games at Georgia Tech, South Carolina, Boston College, Alabama, Clemson and Vanderbilt.

Wofford was also home for William & Mary.

• According to the Sagarin Ratings in the 1999-00 season, Wofford played the nation's third toughest pre-Christmas schedule. Only Iowa and Temple faced more difficult slates.

Keeping Busy
• Adrien Borders, Sam Daniels, Curtis Ingram, Jeff Tarr and Howard Wilkerson were employed as line judges and ball boys this fall at Wofford home volleyball matches in the Benjamin Johnson Arena.

• While sitting out the 2002-03 season per NCAA transfer rules, Greg Taylor served as the color analyst on WSPA-Radio for a Terrier home game versus Virginia Intermont.

• Wofford guard Justin Stephens has previously been employed as operator of the computerized sound system for Terrier home football games in Gibbs Stadium. He also served as the official scorer, wearing the referee shirt, at home women's basketball games.

The Trickle Down
The SoCon hiring a new commissioner in December 2001 resulted in Wofford naming a new head basketball coach.

When Danny Morrison left his Wofford senior vice-president position to become the SoCon commissioner, David Wood was promoted from athletic director to Morrison's vacated role on campus.

Head basketball coach Richard Johnson was then promoted to athletic director with the announcement that he would coach the Terriers just through the remainder of the 2001-02 season.

In his first official day as athletic director, Johnson made his first coaching hire. He tabbed longtime assistant Mike Young to take over the head coaching duties effective at the close of the campaign.

Morrison hired Johnson to be Wofford’s basketball coach in 1985.

Football Anyone?
Wofford is the smallest school in Division I-AA football.

With 95 players on the roster and 550 males on campus, nearly one out of every five men at Wofford is on the football team. If Ohio State had the same ratio, the Buckeye football roster would have 4,233 players.

The Terriers were 8-3 this season and are the SoCon’s winningest football team over the last three years with a 29-8 overall record (.784) and 18-5 league mark (.783).

Wofford is currently tied for second in the most consecutive appearances (36) in the Division I-AA Top 25 poll.

The 2003 Terrier squad (12-2,8-0) captured the SoCon championship and advanced to the national semifinals.

Terriers on the Tube
Wofford will have four regional television appearances this season:

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Magic Numbers
Dating back to November 2001, Wofford has won 16 of its last 17 games when scoring at least 80 points.
Miscellaneous Stats

Double-Figure Scoring Games
Howard Wilkerson 3
Jeff Tarr 2
Adrien Borders 1
Sam Daniels 1
Byron Fields 1
Drew Gibson 1
Eric Marshall 1

20-Point Scoring Games
Howard Wilkerson 1

Double-Figure Rebounding Games
None

Double-Doubles
None

Team
Largest Halftime Lead: 25 (52-27, vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)
Largest Halftime Deficit: 2 (35-33, at Miami, Nov. 20, 2004)
Largest Second-Half Deficit Overcome: N/A

The Terriers When ...

At home: 2-0
On the road: 0-1
At neutral sites: 0-0
Leading at the half: 2-0
Trailing at the half: 0-1
Tied at the half: 0-0
Scoring 90 or more points: 2-0
Scoring 80-89 points: 0-0
Scoring 70-79 points: 0-0
Scoring 60-69 points: 0-1
Scoring 50-59 points: 0-0
Scoring under 50 points: 0-0
Allowing 90 or more points: 0-0
Allowing 80-89 points: 0-0
Allowing 70-79 points: 0-0
Allowing 60-69 points: 2-1
Allowing 50-59 points: 0-0
Allowing under 50 points: 0-0
Shooting 50 percent or better FGs: 1-0
Shooting 40-49 percent FGs: 1-0
Shooting 30-39 percent FGs: 0-1
Shooting under 30 percent FGs: 0-0
Outrebounding the opponent: 2-0
Outrebounded by the opponent: 1-0
Tying the opponent in rebounding: 0-0
Committing 20 or more turnovers: 0-0
Forcing 20 or more turnovers: 2-0
Committing more turnovers than opponent: 0-0
Committing less turnovers than opponent: 2-1
Tied in turnovers: 0-0

Charity Stripe Improvements
Wofford is shooting 70.2 percent at the free-throw line this season after posting a 61.7 mark last year.

Remember Me?
Ian Chadwick, arguably the greatest player in Wofford basketball history, is the son of former Tennessee football standout Dennis Chadwick (1970-72) and the former Janet Nelson, a Miss Knoxville and runner-up for Miss Tennessee.

The younger Chadwick is Wofford's No. 6 all-time scorer with 1,789 points (1997-01). He was a three-time All-SoCon selection and remains the league's career 3-point leader with 299. Chadwick was runner-up for SoCon Player of the Year honors in the 2000-01 campaign.

Dennis Chadwick also had another son, Seth, play basketball for the Terriers. Seth Chadwick was a four-year starter and the Terriers' No. 19 career scorer with 1,292 points (1994-97).

Wofford had a Chadwick in its starting lineup for eight consecutive seasons.

Ball Control
- Wofford has committed less turnovers than its opponent in all three games this season.

Overall, the Terriers have just 42 turnovers (14.0 per game) compared to 69 (23.0 each contest) for the opposition.
- Wofford has twice as many steals (42-21) as its foes in the opening three contests.

Countdown to 1,000
Adrien Borders has a chance to become just the 36th player in Wofford basketball history to reach the 1,000-point milestone.

A senior guard from Lilburn, Ga., Borders has 761 points and is on pace to conclude his career with 979.
2004-05 SoCon Standings
(updated through Nov. 28)

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Waiting in the Wings

- **Shane Nichols**, the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Freshman of the Year while playing for Saint Peter’s College last season, has transferred to Wofford and will have three years of eligibility for the Terriers.
  
  Per NCAA transfer rules, Nichols will sit out the 2004-05 season.
  
  A 6-foot-0 guard from Radford, Va., Nichols averaged 10.6 points while connecting on 68 3-pointers and shooting 83.1 percent at the free-throw line in helping lead Saint Peter’s to a 17-12 record in the 2003-04 campaign. He started 28 of the Peacocks’ 29 games.
  
  Nichols’ teammate at Saint Peter’s, **Keydren Clark**, was the Division I national leader in scoring with a 26.7 points per game average.
  
- **Tony Nicholson**, a talented 6-foot-6 freshman forward from Alpharetta, Ga., is taking a redshirt season this year. He’ll have four years of eligibility beginning with the 2005-06 campaign.

Happy Birthday

A pair of Terriers are celebrating birthdays today.

Sophomore guard **Eric Marshall** is now 20 years old, while former player and current director of basketball operations **David Eaton** is 23. Eaton started 13 games last season as he concluded his playing career.

Sharing Time

All 12 players on the Wofford roster are averaging at least 9.3 minutes per game of playing time.

Common Numbers

Wofford is allowing 65.7 points per game this season with all three opponents scoring between 64 and 67 points:

- Miami: 67
- Milligan: 64
- Bluefield: 66

Consistency

Wofford has featured the same starting lineup in each game this season:

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Arena Anniversaries

Wofford is celebrating the 25th anniversary of playing its home games in the Benjamin Johnson Arena.

The Terriers are 211-90 (.701) in their 3,500-seat facility that opened in January 1981.

Academics Come First

Wofford did not depart for the three-hour bus ride to Knoxville until 10:45 a.m. today so the Terrier players could attend 8:30 and 9:30 a.m. classes.
## Alphabetical Roster

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## Class Breakdown

**Freshmen (2)**
- Drew Gibson
- Tony Nicholson

**Sophomores (4)**
- Curtis Ingram
- Eric Marshall
- Shane Nichols
- Adam Sheehan

**Juniors (3)**
- Tyler Berg
- Byron Fields
- Howard Wilkerson

**Seniors (5)**
- Adrien Borders
- Sam Daniels
- Justin Stephens
- Jeff Tarr
- Greg Taylor

## The "Est" List

- **Tallest Player:**
  - Tyler Berg/Sam Daniels
  - 6-foot-9

- **Shortest Player:**
  - Adrien Borders/Shane Nichols
  - 6-foot-0

- **Heaviest Player:**
  - Howard Wilkerson
  - 250 pounds

- **Lightest Player:**
  - Adrien Borders, Byron Fields
  - 170 pounds

- **Oldest Player:**
  - Jeff Tarr
  - Aug. 1, 1981

- **Youngest Player:**
  - Tony Nicholson
  - Jan. 12, 1986

- **Closest to Home:**
  - Greg Taylor
  - 28 miles

- **Farthest from Home:**
  - Drew Gibson
  - 2,367 miles
2004-05: First post player off-the-bench ... averaging 16.3 minutes per game ... scored a season-high eight points in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... has had three rebounds in all three games this season.

Did You Know: Berg was selected to the 2002-03 All-SoCon Freshman team. He also made a case for All-Big East honors that season. Berg had identical numbers of 15 points and seven rebounds in games against Virginia Tech and West Virginia. The Terriers defeated the Hokies, 79-77, while taking the Mountaineers to the wire in a 79-69 loss.

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**Borders' Season-Highs**
Points: 12
(at Miami, Nov. 20, 2004)
Rebounds: 5
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)
Assists: 2
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)

**Borders' Career-Highs**
Points: 27
(at Georgia Southern, Jan. 7, 2004)
Rebounds: 8
(at South Carolina, Dec. 16, 2002)
Assists: 7
(at UNC Greensboro, Feb. 1, 2003)
32 Sam Daniels  C  
6-9  •  240  •  Sr.  
Asheville, N.C./Carolina Day

2004-05: Has returned to the starting lineup after coming off-the-bench the final 15 games last year ... posted season-high totals of 11 points, six rebounds and two blocked shots in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... has hit a 3-pointer in all three games ... places third on the team in rebounding (4.0 rpg).

Did You Know: Daniels topped Wofford with 53 3-pointers last season.

Daniels' Season-Highs  
Points: 11  
(vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)  
Rebounds: 6  
(vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)  
Assists: 1  
(twice; most recently vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)

Daniels' Career-Highs  
Points: 20  
(twice; most recently at Chattanooga, Feb. 28, 2004)  
Rebounds: 14  
(vs. Toccoa Falls, Nov. 17, 2001)  
Assists: 4  
(vs. UNC Greensboro, Jan. 26, 2002)

15 Byron Fields  G  
6-2  •  170  •  So.  
Cincinnati, Ohio/Winton Woods

2004-05: In his second year as the starting point guard ... has a better than 3:1 assist-to-turnover ratio (10-3) ... had five assists and no turnovers to go with three steals in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... places second on the team with eight steals ... shooting 61.5 percent (8-of-13) on the season, including 7-of-9 (77.8 percent) over the last two games.

Did You Know: Fields flirted with a triple-double in last year’s 85-82 opening-round SoCon Tournament victory over UNC Greensboro. He had career-high totals of 17 points and nine rebounds to go with eight assists. Fields also hit the game-tying layup with 1.1 seconds remaining in regulation to force overtime. He had just the fourth 4-point play in Wofford history in a 2002-03 game at West Virginia.

Fields' Season-Highs  
Points: 10  
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)  
Rebounds: 3  
(vs. Miami, Nov. 20, 2004)  
Assists: 5  
(vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)

Fields' Career-Highs  
Points: 17  
(vs. UNC Greensboro, March 3, 2004)  
Rebounds: 9  
(vs. UNC Greensboro, March 3, 2004)  
Assists: 9  
(vs. Toccoa Falls, Feb. 19, 2003)
**22 Drew Gibson**  
**G**  
6-2 • 175 • Fr.  
Los Angeles, Calif./Dorsey

**2004-05:** Impressive freshman point guard ... averaging 21.0 minutes per game off the bench ... had season-high totals of 10 points, five rebounds and six assists in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... has hit at least two 3-pointers in each game this season, totaling a team-best six treys ... shooting 42.9 percent (6-of-14) behind the arc ... six of his eight field goals on the season are 3-pointers ... has a better than 3:1 assist-to-turnover ratio (13-4) ... places in a tie for third on the team in scoring (8.0 ppg).

**Did You Know:** Gibson played at St. Thomas More Prep School last season. Current Wofford assistant coach Jackson Payne was on the staff at St. Thomas More a year ago. It's the same prep school that produced Terrier senior guard Justin Stephens.

**GIBSON ...GAME-BY-GAME**

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**22 Curtis Ingram**  
**G**  
6-3 • 190 • So.  
Youngstown, Ohio/Cardinal Mooney

**2004-05:** Has been moved to the 2 spot after being at the point last year ... went 3-for-3 from 3-point range for nine points in just 13 minutes in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... all five of his season field goals and all eight of his attempts have come behind the arc ... shooting 62.5 percent (5-of-8) from 3-point range ... his five treys place second on the team ... has scored 15 points (7.5 per game) in just 23 minutes on the season.

**Did You Know:** Ingram opened his collegiate career last season by making his first six 3-point attempts.

**Ingram's Season-Highs**
- Points: 9  
  (vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)  
- Rebounds: 1  
  (twice; most recently vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)  
- Assists: N/A

**Ingram's Career-Highs**
- Points: 14  
  (vs. Toccoa Falls, Dec. 1, 2003)  
- Rebounds: 3  
  (vs. Toccoa Falls, Dec. 1, 2003)  
- Assists: 4  
  (vs. Toccoa Falls, Dec. 1, 2003)
20 Eric Marshall  G  6-4 • 185 • So.  Grovetown, Ga./Greenbrier

2004-05: Very talented young player who has stepped into a full-time starting role after making four spot starts last season ... has at least one 3-pointer in each game ... was 5-of-5 at the line in scoring a season-high 10 points in the 90-66 win over Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... averaging 7.7 points on the year ... four of his seven field goals are behind the 3-point arc.

Did You Know: Marshall scored a career-high 27 points, including 25 in the second half, to lead Wofford to an 85-76 victory over the College of Charleston last season. He also scored a then career-best 13 points (4-of-4 from the field, 3-of-3 from 3-point range) in an 83-76 win versus Davidson.

MARSHALL...GAME-BY-GAME

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Marshall's Season-Highs
Points: 10  (vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)
Rebounds: 3  (vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)
Assists: 5  (vs. Bluefield, Nov. 27, 2004)

Marshall's Career-Highs
Rebounds: 6  (at Chattanooga, Feb. 28, 2004)
Assists: 6  (vs. UNC Greensboro, Feb. 9, 2004)

5 Adam Sheehan  G  6-2 • 180 • So.  Columbia, S.C./Cardinal Newman

2004-05: Consummate team player who adds depth to the backcourt ... scored a career-high five points in the 90-64 win over Milligan (Nov. 22) ... has averaged 11.5 minutes over the last two contests ... shooting 50.0 percent (3-of-6) from the field this season.

Did You Know: Sheehan's coach at Cardinal Newman High School was former Wofford basketball coach Wayne Earhardt (1977-85).

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Sheehan's Season-Highs
Assists: N/A

Sheehan's Career-Highs
Points: 5  (three times; most recently vs. Lynchburg, Jan. 14, 2004)
Assists: 1  (three times; most recently vs. Lynchburg, Jan. 14, 2004)
3 Justin Stephens  G  
6-2 • 200 • Jr.  
Newnan, Ga./East Coweta

2004-05: Continuing to bounce back from a career-threatening knee injury early in the 2002-03 season ... cartilage from a cadaver was placed in his right knee ... shooting 4-of-5 (80.0 percent) from 3-point range and 5-of-7 (71.4 percent) overall ... had three assists in just five minutes in the 67-64 loss at Miami (Nov. 20) ... averaging 9.3 minutes per game.

Did You Know: Stephens was a member of the 2001-02 All-SoCon Freshman team. In his first collegiate game, he outplayed heralded freshman and eventual NBA lottery pick Dajuan Wagner of Memphis. Stephens outscored Wagner (19-18) while totaling more assists (6-4) and blocks (1-0). He had the same number of steals (2) and rebounds (1) while recording one less turnover (2-3). Stephens was the subject of a Memphis Commercial-Appeal column which reported him to be the winner in the head-to-head battle with Wagner.

STEPHENS...GAME-BY-GAME

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Stephens' Season-Highs
Points: 8  
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)  
Rebounds: 2  
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Assists: 3  
(twice; most recently vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)

Stephens' Career-Highs
Points: 26  
(vs. Georgia Southern, Feb. 9, 2002)  
Rebounds: 9  
(vs. The Citadel, Jan. 7, 2002)  
Assists: 7  
(vs. College of Charleston, Jan. 12, 2003)

11 Jeff Tarr  F  
6-7 • 230 • Sr.  
Forbush, N.C./Forbush

2004-05: Reserve forward who places second on the team, behind Howard Wilkerson, with two double-figure scoring performances this season ... totaled 24 points, seven rebounds and five steals in 39 minutes in the back-to-back home routs of Milligan (Nov. 22) and Bluefield (Nov. 27) ... the 13 points versus Milligan was one short of a career-high ... tied for third on the team in scoring (8.0 ppg) while averaging 14.3 minutes each contest ... is 7-of-8 (.875) at the free-throw line this season ... shooting 50.0 percent (8-of-16) from the field ... tied for third on the team with five steals ...

Did You Know: Tarr serves as a line judge at Wofford home volleyball matches.

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Tarr's Season-Highs
Points: 13  
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)  
Rebounds: 6  
(vs. Milligan, Nov. 22, 2004)  
Assists: 1  
(vs. Bluefield, Nov. 24, 2004)

Tarr's Career-Highs
Points: 14  
(vs. Toccoa Falls, Feb. 19, 2003)  
Rebounds: 8  
(vs. Emmanuel, Nov. 24, 2004)  
Assists: 2  
(four times; most recently at The Citadel, Feb. 7, 2004)
12 Greg Taylor  G  
6-5  •  200  •  Sr.  
Simpsonville, S.C./Hillcrest

2004-05: Comes off the bench to top the Terriers in steals (9) while placing second in rebounding (5.7 rpg) and assists (12) ... has a 3:1 assist-to-turnover ratio (12-4) ... his eight rebounds at Miami (Nov. 20) were just one shy of a career-high nine set in last year's 85-76 win over the College of Charleston ... has at least four rebounds, three assists and two steals in each game this season.

Did You Know: Taylor played his first two years at South Carolina. While sitting out the 2002-03 campaign per NCAA transfer rules, Taylor filled in as the color analyst for Wofford's radio broadcast of a Dec. 7, 2002 game versus Virginia Intermont.

21 Howard Wilkerson  F  
6-6  •  250  •  Jr.  
Eden, N.C./Morehead

2004-05: Returning All-SoCon selection who received 2004-05 pre-season All-League honors from the head coaches ... tops Wofford in scoring (17.0 ppg) and rebounding (6.7 rpg) ... is also the team leader in free-throws made (12) and attempted (16) as well as minutes played (25.7 per game) ... ranks third in steals (9) and fourth in assists (6) ... had team-high totals of 23 points and nine rebounds while playing 35 minutes in the 67-64 loss at Miami (Nov. 20) ... shoots 75.0 percent (12-of-16) from the line and 50.0 (19-of-38) from the field ... was 8-of-9 (88.9 percent) in scoring 17 points in the 90-64 win over Milligan (Nov. 22).

Did You Know: Wilkerson topped the SoCon in rebounding for league games only (8.8 rpg) last season and was a close second to Player of the Year Zakee Wadood (East Tennessee State) for the overall games title. Wilkerson averaged 7.9655 boards per game while Wadood was at 7.9696.