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FOURTH SEASON AT W&M

31st Season in Coaching

The Shaver File

Personal Born: January 28, 1954 Hometown: High Point, N.C. Wife: Ann Shaver Children: Christopher (25), Austin (22), Jackson (15)

Education North Carolina, 1976 **Coaching Career** Episcopal High School 1977-86

Hampden-Sydney College 1987-2003

William and Mary 2004-present

William and Mary head coach Tony Shaver is in his fourth season at the helm of the Tribe men's basketball program and his 31st overall in coaching. Shaver has coached at the collegiate level for the last 19 years and was officially hired as the 31st head men's basketball coach in the history of the College on May 2, 2003.

"Bringing a coach and person the caliber of a Tony Shaver into the William and Mary program certainly makes this an exciting day for the College," said director of athletics Terry Driscoll at the time of the hire. "His resume speaks for itself in terms of his coaching abilities, but beyond that, I believe that he possesses all the intangible qualities that will make him a perfect fit for our school and program."

The Green and Gold continue to make strides under the direction of Shaver. W&M started the 2005-06 season 4-1, marking the best start for a Tribe since opening the 1992-93 campaign with a 6-1 record. During that season, however, two of the team's first four wins were against non-Division I teams Virginia Wesleyan and Shenandoah, which means the 4-1 start for the 2005-06 squad was the first time in school history that the Tribe has opened a year with at least four wins in its first five games against current Division I opponents. Included in those four victories was a 70-60 win at Hampton, who went on to make the NCAA Tournament.

Prior to the start of the 2005-06 season, Shaver was inducted into the Episcopal High School Hall of Fame in a ceremony at the school on Nov. 11. He led EHS for 10 seasons from 1977-86. With his inception into the Episcopal Hall of Fame, Shaver has been inducted into the Hall of Fame at both of his head coaching stops prior to taking over the reigns at William and Mary.

"It was a great thrill to return to the Episcopal High School campus for the induction ceremony," Shaver said. "EHS is a special place to my family, as it was home for us for 10 years. The highlight of the day was seeing several former players in attendance at the banquet. Lifelong friendships and memories make coaching all the more enjoyable."

In his second season at the helm, W&M immediately started the season on a high note, defeating Radford and Hartford to win the inaugural W&M Tip-Off Classic, the first regular season tournament title for the College since 1981. The Tribe defeated James Madison in the first round of the Colonial Athletic Association Tournament for W&M's first postseason win since 1997, and just the third in the last 20 years.

Shaver began his Tribe career with a 91-64 pounding of Liberty on Nov. 23, 2003. He also won his first ever Colonial Athletic Association contest, as the Tribe knocked off two-time defending league champion UNC Wilmington, 67-66, in overtime on Dec. 4, 2003. In the Tribe's first contest against a nationally ranked opponent under Shaver's direction, W&M performed well, leading No. 15 Pittsburgh by 10 points midway through the first half, before the Panthers, who attempted 28 more free throws than the Tribe, won 70-55.









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Shaver's Coaching Career

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY				
Year	Overall Record		ODAC	NCAA Postseason
1986-87	12-13 (.480)			
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1988-89	21-8 (.724)		Champion	Regional Semifinals
1989-90	15-11 (.577)			
1990-91	21-6 (.778)			
1991-92	24-6 (.800)		Champion	Sectional Semifinals
1992-93	12-13 (.480)			
1993-94	22-6 (.786)		Sectional Semifinals	
1994-95	28-3 (.903)		Champion	Sectional Championship
1995-96	17-9 (.654)	and the second second		
1996-97	21-7 (.750)		Champion	First Round
1997-98	23-6 (.793)	- C	Champion	Sectional Semifinals
1998-99	29-3 (.906)	(married	Champion	Championship Game
1999-00	26-2 (.929)	1.000	Runner-up	Second Round
2000-01	24-5 (.828)		Champion	Second Round
2001-02	23-6 (.793)		Champion	Second Round
2002-03	28-4 (.875)		Runner-up	Final Four
Totals	358-121 (.747)		Eight ODAC Titles	11 Appearances
WILLIAM AND MARY				
Year	Overall Record	CAA Record	CAA	NCAA Postseason
2003-04	7-21 (.250)	4-14 (.222)		
2004-05	8-21 (.276)	3-15 (.167)		
2005-06	8-20 (.286)	3-15 (.167)		
Totals	23-62 (.271)	10-44 (.185)		De la construcción de la constru
Career	381-183 (.676)	1920		

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

• Eight ODAC Championships (1989, 1992, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002)

- 12 20-Win Seasons (1989, 1991, 1992, 1994, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003)
- 11 NCAA Tournament Appearances (1989, 1992, 1994, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003)

Three-Time ODAC Coach of the Year (1995, 1999, 2000)

- Three-Time South Region Coach of the Year (1995, 1999, 2000)
- Three-Time VaSID Division II-III Coach of the Year (1997, 1999, 2000)

There have been individual successes as well for the Green and Gold under Shaver's reign. 2004 graduate Adam Hess, currently playing professionally in Germany, became the first player in school history to lead the CAA in scoring. An outstanding student and athlete, Hess was named the CAA Male Scholar-Athlete of the Year (for all sports) and was a First-Team Academic All-American and all-conference selection as a senior. Current senior Corey Cofield was voted the 2004 CAA Rookie of the Year, leading all freshmen in the league in points, rebounds and field goal percentage. Cofield earned his second straight selection to the All-CAA third team in 2005, while current junior Laimis Kisielius earned a spot on the CAA All-Rookie team in 2005.

Shaver came to W&M after coaching 17 seasons at Hampden-Sydney, compiling a record of 358-121 (.747). He turned the Tigers into a Division III national powerhouse, leading the men's basketball team to eight Old Dominion Athletic Conference titles, 12 20win seasons and 11 NCAA Division III Tournament appearances. The winningest basketball coach in the program's history, he was named the ODAC and South Region Coach of the Year in 1995, 1999 and 2000, and was picked as the Virginia Sports Information Directors Division II-III Coach of the Year in 1997, 1999 and 2000.

In 2003, Shaver took the Tigers to the NCAA Division III Final Four, as his team finished with a record of 28-4, tied for the secondmost wins in the program's history. In 1999, Shaver led H-SC to the



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national championship game, where the Tigers lost by one point in double-overtime to Wisconsin-Platteville. The team finished 29-3, setting a school record for most wins in a season.

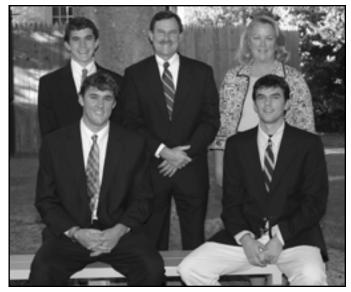
Shaver also has a firm commitment to his players' success in the classroom. In 1999, one of his charges, Jack Jirak, was named the ODAC Scholar-Athlete of the Year and was also awarded the Gammon Cup as the top-student-athlete at the college. Two of Shaver's players, David Hobbs (1999) and Russell Turner (1992) earned Academic All-America honors. A number of his players have been named to the Academic All-ODAC squad, including six student-athletes in 1998.

Shaver first led the Tigers to the national postseason in 1988-89, just his third season as the team's head coach. That year, H-SC won the ODAC championship, ending the season with a 21-8 record.

Prior to taking over at Hampden-Sydney for the 1986-87 campaign, Shaver spent 10 years as the head boys' basketball coach at Episcopal High School in Alexandria, Virginia. He was named the Virginia State Private School Coach of the Year in 1986, and was twice picked as the Alexandria Coach of the Year, while winning 73 percent of his games.

A 1976 graduate of North Carolina, Shaver was a guard on the Tar Heel men's basketball team from 1972-75 under head coach Dean Smith. Originally a walk-on, he earned a scholarship his rookie season, when he was awarded the prestigious Butch Bennett Award, presented to the freshman who exemplifies determination, sportsmanship and sacrifice for the team. Shaver was voted the honoree by his teammates. During his four years in Chapel Hill, UNC went 95-26, including a pair of trips to the NCAA Tournament in 1975 and 1976. During the 1975 season, the Tarheels won the ACC Tournament and advanced to the Sweet 16. During the 1973 and 1974 season, North Carolina made the National Invitational Tournament.

A native of High Point, North Carolina, Shaver and his wife, Ann, are the parents of three sons: Christopher (25), a former standout pitcher on the Tribe's baseball team, who is currently pitching with the Chicago Cubs organization, Austin (22) and Jackson (15).



The Shaver family (back): Jackson, Tony and Ann, (front): Chris and Austin.



What They're Saying About Tony Shaver...

"Having coached Tony at the University of North Carolina and followed his teams over the years, I have been very proud of his accomplishments. Tony's teams rose to the top of Division III because he instilled in his players the value of hard work. He is very deserving of the chance to build a program at William and Mary. I have great confidence that he will establish an exciting and winning program."

- Legendary North Carolina head coach **Dean Smith**, the winningest men's basketball coach in NCAA history

"My son Ryan made an outstanding choice to play for Tony Shaver. Ryan was able to learn, experience success and grow as a person during his time with Coach Shaver. Tony is very passionate about the game and pays great attention to detail. Success will follow him." "Coach Shaver runs a big-time program. The players learn how to play basketball, develop their individual skills and win. There is little more to ask for anywhere."

- Golden State Warriors assistant coach and former All-American as a player under Tony Shaver, **Russell Turner**

"My family was impressed with Coach Shaver's long-standing reputation. It was important for us to send our son to play basketball for a program that produces winners on and off the court. Coach Shaver's attentiveness to David as an athlete and as a person was invaluable to David's college experience and to his future."

- Kentucky assistant coach David Hobbs

- South Carolina head coach Dave Odom

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Fourth Season at W&M

13th Season in Coaching

The Vick File

Personal

Born: May 10, 1971 Hometown: Raleigh, N.C. Wife: Krissy Vick Children: Ellie (6), Sallie (5) and Ran (3)

Coaching Career William and Mary

2004-06 College of Charleston 2003 South Carolina 2002 East Carolina 2000-01 Hampden-Sydney 1995-99



Education Hampden-Sydney, 1994

Dee Vick is in his fourth season at W&M, after rejoining his college head coach, Tony Shaver, in May of 2003. Vick has been instrumental in the strides the Tribe has taken over the last three seasons.

"The growth and positive change in our program can be attributed to many things, but the most important contributor has been Dee Vick," head coach Tony Shaver said. "His leadership skills and vision for the future are so meaningful. We have been fortunate to add some exciting young recruits to our program in the last two years. Dee has organized our recruiting efforts and helped raise our level of expectation. I have been a college coach for 20 years and my most prized possession of those years has been my relationship with Dee and his family."

Vick came to Williamsburg from the College of Charleston, where he was as an assistant coach in 2002-03 under Tom Herrion. The Cougars had a record of 25-8 and advanced to the National Invitation Tournament. Before that, Vick served as a special assistant to Dave Odom at the University of South Carolina for the 2001-02 season, when USC went to the championship game of the NIT. Prior to his time with the Gamecocks, Vick was an assistant coach at East Carolina University for two seasons.

"William and Mary is a great school in a great conference located in an incredible community," Vick said. "But the No. 1 reason I decided to join the program was the opportunity to work with Coach Shaver again. It is difficult to put into words how much he has meant to me as a coach, mentor, competitor and, most important ly, a friend. I love him and his family very much. Their support and love for he has been invaluable toward my development as a coach and as a father."

Vick played basketball at Hampden-Sydney, graduating in 1994 with a degree in psychology. In his four years as a player under Shaver's tutelage, Vick was a three-year starter at shooting guard while helping to lead the

team to a combined record of 79-31 (.718), which included a pair of Old Dominion Athletic Conference championships and two appearances in the NCAA Division III Sweet 16.

Upon his graduation, Vick joined Shaver's staff and promptly picked up where he left off as a player, helping the Tigers to a record of 118-28 (.808) and four Division III NCAA Tournament berths. That included a 29-3 campaign in 1999, when Hampden-Sydney made it all the way to the national championship game before losing to Wisconsin-Platteville in double overtime.

A native of Raleigh, N.C., Vick was a standout basketball player at Broughton High School. He and his wife, Krissy, a native of Chesapeake, Va., have two daughters, Ellie (6) and Sallie (5) and a son, Ran (3).



The Vick family: Krissy, Ellie, Sallie, Dee and Ran.



Off the Court Team I would like added to the schedule: Virginia

Favorite pre-game meal: The Backfin

Favorite all-time NBA player: Terry Driscoll

Something most people do not know about me: I love to hunt and fish

Favorite piece of sports memorabilia: Signed North Carolina State basketball from the 1983 Championship team

Last book I read: 12 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership by John Maxwell

Best basketball arena/facility that I have played or coached in: Bud Walton Arena (Arkansas) and O'Connell Center (Florida)

Best player I ever saw, coached or played against: Anfernee Hardaway (played against)

I came to W&M: To build a program, coach STUDENTathletes and work with the best coach in the nation

Favorite Coach Shaver saving: "You sure would look good in a Tribe uniform."

One word, to describe my coaching style: Confident

What is your best non-coaching and non-athletic talent: Calling a gobbler (spring gobbler hunting)

What is the most interesting class you took in college: Sports Psychology

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Assistant Coach

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SECOND SEASON AT W&M

SIXTH SEASON IN COACHING

The Jackson File

Personal Born: May 14, 1968 Hometown: Washington, D.C. Wife: Stephanie Jackson Children: Melanie (11), Elijah (3)

Education Pikeville College, 1993

Coaching Career Bishop McNamara HS 2001-04 Paul VI HS 2004-05 William and Mary 2005-06

Favorite all-time NBA player: Michael Jordan

I most admire:

The last book I read:

Frosty Westering

Who got you started in coaching?

State University) and Kevin Sutton (head coach at Montverde Academy in Florida)

Pete Newell

Playing electronic football

To coach at the highest level of Division I men's basketball

Favorite Coach Shaver saying:

"Come on guys, let's get together in here for a few minutes."

style is: Detailed

I came to W&M because:

It is a great academic institution, a chance to work with good people, to help build a successful program in the CAA and to help prepare me to coach at the highest level of Division I men's basketball.

Keeping track of how many times the Dallas Cowboys beat the Washington Redskins

My best non-coaching and non-athletic talent is: Doing laundry

Most interesting class I took in college was: Appalachian Studies

Antwon Jackson is entering his second season with the Tribe as an assistant coach. Jackson's duties with the Tribe include recruting, team travel and working with the Tribe's post players.

"Antwon has a year of experience under his belt and is a much more comfortable and confident coach," head coach Tony Shaver said. "He is a very aggressive and eager recruiter. He loves the world of recruiting and has helped us find some exciting players. Antwon is a big asset to our program here at William and Mary."

Jackson came to W&M for his first college coaching position, after spending four years as an assistant boys' basketball coach in the high school ranks. Two years ago, he was at Paul VI High School in Fairfax, Va., where he helped lead the team to an 18-8 record and an appearance in the Virginia Independent Schools championship game. Prior to that, Jackson was an assistant for three years at Bishop Mc-Namara High School in Forestville, Maryland. In the last two years he has also served as an assistant coach for the successful DC Assault and Maryland Select AAU teams. Typically one of the top AAU teams in the nation, DC Assault has produced many Division I and NBA players and coaches. Jackson also has worked at some of the top summer basketball camps in the country, including the adidas Superstar Camp last summer, and the last five years at the Five Star Basketball Camp.

Along with his coaching positions, Jackson has spent the last 11 years at KPMG, LLP in Washington, D.C., and McLean, Va., most recently holding the position of senior associate in the company's real estate and mortgage division. Jackson graduated in 1993 from Pikeville College in Pikeville, Ky., with a degree in business management and accounting. A Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference honorable mention selection as a junior in 1991-92 and as a senior in 1992-93. Jackson also led his team in assists each of those seasons.

Jackson and his wife Stephanie live in Williamsburg with their children, Melanie (11), and Elijah (3).



The Jackson family: Antwon, Stephanie, Elijah and Melanie

Off the Court

My parents because they taught me the value of hard work and determination

Make the Big Time Where You Are by

Todd Bozemann (head coach at Morgan

A famous person I have met is:

My favorite childhood pastime:

My dream job is:

One word to describe my coaching

One thing I wish I were better at:

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FIRST SEASON AT W&M

FIFTH SEASON IN COACHING

The Wilkins File

Education

Personal Born: Sept. 26, 1978 Hometown: Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

North Carolina State, 2001

Coaching CareerApex High School2001-2003Barton College2003-05N.C. State2005-2006William and Mary2006



Ben Wilkins enters his first season as an assistant coach on the men's basketball staff. He joins the program after spending the 2005-06 season as the video coordinator at North Carolina State University.

"Ben has a very diverse basketball background, which is a very attractive asset," head coach Tony Shaver said. "He has proven himself as a successful recruiter at Barton College. He worked with Coach Herb Sendek at N.C. State, and brings a lot of new ideas to our program. I really feel like he is a total package that can help better the William and Mary program."

The Wolfpack advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament in 2005-06, while amassing an overall record of 22-10. N.C. State also went 10-6 in Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) action. During the season, Wilkins was involved with various aspects of the Wolfpack program including film editing, player housing, player financial services and he organized a past player reunion. He also served as the liaison for sports marketing, handled office and player tickets and was an assistant camp director.

After graduating from N.C. State in 2001, Wilkins served as the junior varsity coach for Apex High School in Apex, N.C. He guided the Cougars to a 17-1 mark and a first-place showing in conference play. As an assistant for the boys' varsity squad, Wilkins helped guide Apex to the state playoffs.

Wilkins served as the first assistant and recruiting coordinator for Barton College in Wilson, N.C., during the 2003-04 and 2004-05 seasons. The Bulldogs compiled a 35-21 mark over those two seasons, including a thirdplace finish in the Carolinas-Virginia Athletics Conference (CVAC) during his final campaign. In his time at Barton, Wilkins' primary responsibilities centered around recruiting, scouting reports, both practice and in-game coaching, development of the perimeter players and film exchange. Wilkins also assisted in the organization and operation of the Barton Basketball Camp and served as the game day manager during both men's and women's basketball games.

Wilkins graduated Magna Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Arts in history in December of 2001. During his time at N.C. State, he was also a team manager.

Off the Court Team I would like added to the schedule: North Carolina State

Favorite all-time NBA player: Michael Jordan

Something that most people do not know about me: I learned to tie my shoes in Hawaii

Favorite piece of sports memorabilia: Terrible Towel

Person I most admire: Tiger Woods and his ability to always demand the most out of himself

Last book I read: Fred Factor

Basketball arena/facility I would most like to coach in: Reynolds Coliseum (former N.C. State facility)

Best player I have ever seen, coached or played against: Shane Battier

If I could be a freshman in college again, I would: Eat at El Rodeo more

I came to W&M because: It is an incredible institution with amazing people and a great coaching staff.

In 10 years, I will be: Somewhere smiling

One word to describe my coaching style: Passionate

One thing I wish I were better at: Remembering things

Most interesting class I took in college: Sociology of the family

Celebrity I most look like: Ernie Els

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Claudette Canady Men's Basketball Secretary

Claudette Canady, a former all-district basketball player and MVP at West Point High School in Virginia, has been the secretary for Tribe coaches for 18 years. She is a 1976 graduate of Rappahannock Community College.

Canady comes from an athletic family, where both parents played basketball and

her father, Charles, also played football at Huntington High School and in the U.S. Army. Her brother "Duke" Thorpe played pro basketball oversees after an outstanding career at Virginia Tech. Her sister, Lisa, also had a fine basketball career at West Point High. The tradition continued as Canady's daughter, Leslie, and nephew, Andre, graduates of the University of Richmond and Bridgewater College, respectively, both played basketball, while Andre also played football and ran track.

Canady has traveled with the Tribe to Hawaii (1991 and 1999), New Orleans, Kansas, Texas, California, Arizona and New Mexico.

Canady's duties also include assisting Steve Cole with the sports medicine program. Outside of basketball, she is the clerk and secretary of her church and sings in the church choirs.





Tracey Hiller Academic Coordinator

Tracey Hiller is in her first year at the College as Coordinator of Academic Support.

With the assistance of interns from the Graduate School of Education, she works to monitor academic progress of studentathletes. The office of academic support organizes tutorial and study programs, leads a

freshman transition program, teaches sessions on enhancing study and test-taking skills, and serves as a point of referral to various campus resources.

A graduate of the College of William and Mary, Hiller was a member of the varsity cheerleading team. Earning a bachelor's degree in kinesiology in 2003, she continued her education at the college and received a master's degree in educational policy, planning and leadership in 2005.



Lisa Shook Athletic Trainer

Lisa Shook begins her second season working with the W&M men's basketball program. Shook joined the staff of the Division of Sports Medicine in 2005.

Before coming to William and Mary, she worked as a graduate assistant Athletic Trainer at Western Carolina University while complet-

ing her master's degree. She earned her Masters in Health Science with a concentration in Education in 2005. Prior to Western Carolina, Shook attended Salisbury University, where she earned a Bachelor's of Science in Athletic Training in 2003.

At the College, Shook works primarily with women's soccer, cheerleading and men's basketball. She also works with the jumpers and sprinters on the track team.

She enjoys going to the beach, painting, and playing with her dog in her free time. A Towson, Md., native, Shook resides in Williamsburg.

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