



SPORTS INFORMATION

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W&L Quick Facts

Location:.....Lexington, Va.
 Founded..... 1749
 Affiliation:.....NCAA Division III
 Conference.....Old Dominion Athletic
 Enrollment..... 1,760
 Colors.....Royal Blue & White
 Nickname.....Generals
 Home Court.....Warner Center (2,500)
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2006-07 Schedule/Results

Nov. 17 Denison#..... W, 82-71
Nov. 18 Averett#.....L, 56-79
 Nov. 21 at Dickinson..... W, 78-65
Nov. 25 Oberlin..... W, 65-52
 Dec. 2 at Randolph-Macon*.....L, 58-63
 Dec. 3 at Virginia Wesleyan*.....L, 50-74
Dec. 6 Eastern Mennonite*..... W, 81-77
Dec. 29 Kings Point%.....6:00 pm
Dec. 30 W&L Tournament%..... 6/8:00 pm
 Jan. 6 at Roanoke*.....7:00 pm
 Jan. 13 at Bridgewater*.....7:00 pm
Jan. 17 Emory & Henry*.....7:00 pm
 Jan. 20 at Hampden-Sydney*.....2:00 pm
 Jan. 21 at Lynchburg*.....3:00 pm
 Jan. 24 at Eastern Mennonite*.....7:00 pm
Jan. 27 Roanoke*.....7:00 pm
Jan. 31 Guilford*.....7:00 pm
Feb. 3 Randolph-Macon*.....2:00 pm
Feb. 4 Virginia Wesleyan*.....2:00 pm
 Feb. 7 at Emory & Henry*.....7:00 pm
Feb. 10 Hampden-Sydney*.....2:00 pm
Feb. 11 Lynchburg*.....4:30 pm
 Feb. 14 at Guilford*.....7:00 pm
Feb. 17 Bridgewater*.....7:00 pm
 Feb. 23 at ODAC Tournament..... TBA
 Feb. 24 at ODAC Tournament..... TBA
 Feb. 25 at ODAC Tournament..... TBA

* - ODAC Contest
 # - W&L Tip-Off Tourney
 % - W&L Tournament

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GENERALS' HOOPS REPORT

Overall Record: 4-3 ODAC Record: 1-2 Home: 3-1 Away: 1-2 Neutral 0-0

GAMES 8-9: W&L TOURNAMENT

Dec. 29-30, 2006 • Lexington, Va. • 6:00/8:00 PM

GENERALS' DEPTH CHART

Probable Starters			Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School	PPG.	RPG.	APG.
G 10	Isaiah Goodman	5-11	So.	Richfield, Minn./Holy Angels	7.1	2.0	2.0	
G 30	Chris Halkitis	5-10	Sr.	New Port Richey, Fla./Ridgewood	7.1	2.9	2.4	
F 20	Kirk Jones	6-5	So.	Maple Glenn, Pa./Germantown Academy	4.7	2.3	1.9	
F 42	Greg Bienemann	6-6	Jr.	Chatham, N.J./Chatham	20.9	6.6	0.9	
F 23	Femi Kusimo	6-5	Jr.	Cross Lanes, W.Va./Charleston Catholic	11.5	5.0	1.0	
Off The Bench			Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School	PPG.	RPG.	APG.
G 12	Chris Davis	6-0	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./Altamont School	1.0	0.3	0.2	
G 14	Chris McHugh	6-1	So.	Chatham, N.J./Chatham	3.9	1.0	1.4	
F 22	John Mumper	6-2	Jr.	Richmond, Va./Douglas Freeman	0.7	0.7	0.3	
G 24	Craig Sauers	6-3	So.	Columbia, Md./Atholton	0.0	0.0	0.0	
G 34	Bena Tshishiku	5-7	Fr.	Martinez, Ga./Lakeside	0.0	0.0	0.0	
F 40	Ben Heller	6-6	So.	Houston, Texas/Lamar	3.0	1.7	0.3	
F 44	Ryan Owens	6-5	So.	Floral Park, N.Y./Chaminade	3.4	2.1	1.0	
F 50	Ben Goetsch	6-4	Fr.	Timonium, Md./Gilman	1.0	0.7	0.0	
F 51	Zac White	6-5	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Park School	0.7	0.3	0.0	
F 52	Alex White	6-6	Sr.	Baltimore, Md./McDonogh	3.9	2.6	0.7	
F 53	Andrew Payne	6-4	Fr.	Charleston, W.Va./George Washington	1.5	1.5	0.5	
F 54	John Twomey	6-5	Fr.	Chatham, N.J./Delbarton	0.6	0.7	0.1	

THE SERIES:

W&L has never met King's Point or Hood on the hardwood and carries a 7-7 overall record against Emory. The Generals and Eagles met last season in Atlanta, Ga., which resulted in a 76-71 victory for Emory.

THE HEAD GENERAL:

Adam Hutchinson (Amherst '93) is in his fourth season as the head coach at Washington and Lee. Prior to W&L, Hutchinson coached for two seasons at Case Western Reserve University and two seasons at Stevens Tech. In his eight seasons as a head coach, Hutchinson claims a 50-128 (.281) overall record. Hutchinson is assisted by **Sean Grant (NYU '02)** and **Stuart Pradia (Brandeis '05)**.

LAST TIME OUT:

Washington and Lee used a 10-2 run to take a 30-20 lead with 5:13 left in the first half and never trailed again in defeating Eastern Mennonite, 81-77, at the Warner Center. W&L took a 40-31 lead into halftime and upped its advantage to as many as 12 points (72-60) with 3:31 remaining in the game. However, the Royals methodically chipped away at the lead, cutting it to just two points (72-70) with 29 seconds remaining in the game, but could get no closer. The two teams were called for 57 total fouls and combined to shoot 70 free throws in the contest. The Generals were led by junior forward **Greg Bienemann**, who tallied 25 points and six rebounds before fouling out with 3:34 remaining in the game. Senior guard **Chris Halkitis** totaled a season-high 18 points, four assists and three steals, while junior forward **Femi Kusimo** notched 15 points on 6-of-8 shooting from the floor. Eastern Mennonite was paced by senior forward Jason Sager, who posted 25 points and seven rebounds. Lyons recorded 21 points, while junior forward Brad Parkes chipped in 10 points and seven boards.

Individual Highlights

NUMBER OF GAMES LEADING...

In scoring: Bienemann (6), Goodman (1)

In rebounds: Bienemann (6), Kusimo (2), Halkitis (1)

In assists: Goodman (3), Halkitis (3), McHugh (1), Owens (1), A. White (1)

In steals: Halkitis (4), Bienemann (1), Davis (1), Goodman (2), Heller (1), Kusimo (1), McHugh (1), Mumper (1)

In blocks: Bienemann (3), Payne (2), Heller (1), Kusimo (1), McHugh (1), Owens (1), A. White (1)

NUMBER OF...

20-point games: Bienemann (4)

Double-digit scoring games: Bienemann (7), Kusimo (5), Halkitis (3), Goodman (1).

Double-digit reb. games: None

Double-digit assist games: None

Double-Doubles: None

Number of Dunks: Kusimo (3), Bienemann (1)

FT% Last 5 Min./OT

Player	Md.-Att.	FT%
Kirk Jones	2-2	1.000
John Twomey	2-2	1.000
Isaiah Goodman	6-8	.750
Alex White	3-4	.750
Greg Bienemann	8-11	.727
Chris Halkitis	10-15	.667
Femi Kusimo	2-4	.500
Ben Heller	1-2	.500
Zac White	2-4	.500
Team Totals	36-52	.692

2006-07 Superlatives

Points: 28, Bienemann at Dickinson

Rebounds: 9, Kusimo at Dickinson

Assists: 5, Halkitis vs. Oberlin

Steals: 4, Halkitis vs. Oberlin

Blocks: 2, Bienemann, A. White, Heller

FG Made: 10, Bienemann, Twice

FG Att: 21, Bienemann at R.-Macon

3-P. Made: 2, Several Players

3-P. Att.: 7, Jones vs. Oberlin

FT Made: 11, Bienemann vs. E. Mennonite

FT Att.: 12, Bienemann at Dickinson

Minutes: 35, Jones vs. Oberlin

LAST MEETING WITH EMORY:

Emory University outscored Washington and Lee, 13-7, in the final 3:38 en route to a 76-71 win over the Generals in Atlanta, Ga. W&L led 14-7 with 16:04 left the first half, but the Eagles went on a 15-2 run over the next 5:10 to take a 22-16 advantage. The Generals responded with their own 15-2 spurt to take a seven-point lead at 31-24 with 4:12 remaining and headed into halftime with a 37-32 edge. In the second half, W&L maintained the lead until a three-pointer by senior forward Jeff Hall at the 11:09 mark gave Emory a 52-51 advantage. The teams would exchange the lead over the next several minutes and a pair of free throws by guard Chris Halkitis gave W&L a 64-63 advantage with 3:38 remaining. It would be the Generals' last lead in the game as the Eagles went on the aforementioned 13-7 run to close out the contest. Halkitis finished with a team-high 19 points, while forward Greg Bienemann notched a double-double with 18 points and 10 rebounds. Forward Femi Kusimo chipped in with 11 points and six boards. Emory was led by Hall, who tallied a game-high 25 points. Guard **Spiros Federigios** added 17 points, four rebounds, and three steals.

SCOUTING THE TOURNAMENT FIELD:

EMORY

The Eagles are 5-3 overall after falling to Maryville in their last outing back on December 9. Emory was led by senior forward **Eric Barvin**, who totaled 10 points, three assists, two blocks and two steals. For the season, senior guard **Adrian Sosa** leads the team in scoring with an average of 17.3 points per game. Junior guard **Spiros Federigios** contributes 16.0 points and 5.1 rebounds per outing, while junior guard **Dan Smith** adds 10.1 points per game.

HOOD

The Blazers sport a 7-2 overall record after downing Catholic, 79-73, back on December 9. Hood was led by junior center **Jesse Gutekunst**, who tallied 22 points and 16 rebounds. For the season, sophomore guard **Ryan Junghans** leads the team in scoring (18.0 ppg) and is the top outside threat, having hit 27-of-54 (.500) three-point attempts. Gutekunst averages 16.7 points and 9.6 rebounds per contest, while senior forward **Sean Robine** averages 11.4 points and 5.6 rebounds per game.

KING'S POINT

The Mariners are 5-2 overall and defeated the College of Staten Island, 70-67, in their last outing on December 13. USMMA was paced by senior guard **Brian Kelly**, who totaled 26 points on 11-of-18 shooting from the floor. Sophomore guard **Pat Grace** chipped in 17 points and seven boards. On the year, Kelly leads the Mariners in scoring (17.6 ppg) and rebounding (7.3 rpg). Grace averages 11.6 points and claims 22 assists and just four turnovers. Sophomore guard **Matt Oaks** adds 9.6 points and 4.0 rebounds per contest.

STRONG START = STRONG FINISH:

A quick start has been imperative to the Generals winning games. Over the past nine years, W&L is 37-23 (.617) when leading at the half. During that same stretch, W&L has won a total of 52 games, which means that W&L has led at the break in 71 percent of its wins during the last nine years.

TRACKING HALKITIS:

Senior guard **Chris Halkitis** lays claim to 810 career points and can become the first General to score 1,000 career points since Cam Dyer '96 with 190 more markers. Additionally, Halkitis is one of the top three-point shooters in school history, having made 141-of-395 (.357) triples for his career. His 141 three's rank second all-time at W&L, just 66 behind the Generals' all-time leader, Mike Holton '91. Halkitis is only averaging 7.1 points per game in 2006, but he leads the team with 17 assists and 13 steals.

TWENTY TIMES THREE:

Junior forward **Greg Bienemann** is having a tremendous season for W&L and is averaging 20.9 points, 6.6 rebounds, 0.7 blocks and 0.9 assists per game this season. He is shooting 60.9 percent (56-92) from the floor this season and has scored in double figures in every game this season. In fact, he recently completed a stretch of three-straight 20-point games, the first General to notch 20+ points in at least two-straight games since Brian Ricketts '00 did so during the 1999-2000 season. An All-Tournament selection at the season-opening W&L Invitational and the ODAC Player of the Week for the week ending November 26, Bienemann has scored 146 points this season and already claims 714 career points in just 55 games (13.0 ppg).

W&L INDIVIDUAL SEASON AND CAREER-HIGHS

#10 ISAIAH GOODMAN

	Season	Career
Points	16, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	17, at Guilford (2/14/06)
Rebounds	4, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	6, at Guilford (2/14/06)
Assists	4, Two Times	5, vs. E. Mennonite (2/11/06)
Steals	2, at Rand.-Macon (12/2/06)	4, Two Times

#12 CHRIS DAVIS

	Season	Career
Points	6, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	10, at Guilford (2/15/05)
Rebounds	1, Two Times	4, Two Times
Assists	1, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	3, at Bridgewater (11/30/05)
Steals	1, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	2, Two Times

#14 CHRIS McHUGH

	Season	Career
Points	8, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	10, Two Times
Rebounds	3, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	4, vs. Bridgewater (1/18/06)
Assists	3, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	6, at Guilford (2/14/06)
Steals	2, vs. E. Mennonite (12/6/06)	2, Two Times

#20 KIRK JONES

	Season	Career
Points	8, Two Times	15, vs. Emory & Henry (1/25/06)
Rebounds	5, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	13, vs. Emory & Henry (1/25/06)
Assists	4, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	4, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)
Steals	2, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	2, Three Times

#22 JOHN MUMPER

	Season	Career
Points	2, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	20, Two Times
Rebounds	1, Two Times	6, vs. Lynchburg (2/5/06)
Assists	1, vs. E. Mennonite (12/6/06)	5, at E. Mennonite (1/11/06)
Steals	2, Two Times	4, at Rand.-Macon (1/22/06)

#23 FEMI KUSIMO

	Season	Career
Points	17, at Rand.-Macon (12/2/06)	18, at Eastern Mennonite (2/12/05)
Rebounds	9, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	14, vs. M'Ville (11/18/05)
Assists	2, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	6, at Roanoke (1/8/05)
Steals	2, Two Times	6, vs. Lynchburg (2/5/06)

#24 CRAIG SAUERS

	Season	Career
Points	0	5, at Roanoke (1/28/06)
Rebounds	0	1, Two Times
Assists	0	1, Two Times
Steals	0	1, vs. John Carroll (11/26/05)

#30 CHRIS HALKITIS

	Season	Career
Points	18, vs. E. Mennonite (12/6/06)	27, vs. Washington (1/3/05)
Rebounds	6, at Rand.-Macon (12/2/06)	10, Two Times
Assists	5, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	6, Three Times
Steals	4, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	5, vs. Piedmont (1/2/05)

#34 BENA TSHISHIKU

	Season	Career
Points	0	0
Rebounds	0	0
Assists	0	0
Steals	0	0

#40 BEN HELLER

	Season	Career
Points	9, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	15, vs. Guilford (12/7/05)
Rebounds	4, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	8, Two Times
Assists	2, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	3, Three Times
Steals	2, vs. E. Mennonite (12/6/06)	2, Three Times

#42 GREG BIENEMANN

	Season	Career
Points	28, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	33, vs. Guilford (12/7/05)
Rebounds	8, Three Times	15, at E. Mennonite (1/11/06)
Assists	3, at Rand.-Macon (12/2/06)	5, vs. E. Conn (11/27/05)
Steals	2, at Rand.-Macon (12/2/06)	3, Two Times

#44 RYAN OWENS

	Season	Career
Points	9, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	10, Two Times
Rebounds	6, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	7, Five Times
Assists	3, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	3, Two Times
Steals	1, Three Times	1, Eight Times

#50 BEN GOETSCH

	Season	Career
Points	3, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	3, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)
Rebounds	1, Two Times	1, Two Times
Assists	0	0
Steals	0	0

#33/51 ZAC WHITE

	Season	Career
Points	2, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	2, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)
Rebounds	1, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	1, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)
Assists	0	0
Steals	0	0

#52 ALEX WHITE

	Season	Career
Points	7, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	12, vs. E. Mennonite (2/11/06)
Rebounds	6, at Dickinson (11/21/06)	9, Two Times
Assists	3, vs. Averett (11/18/06)	5, vs. Emory & Henry (2/4/04)
Steals	2, vs. Oberlin (11/25/06)	2, Five Times

#53 ANDREW PAYNE

	Season	Career
Points	6, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	6, vs. Denison (11/17/06)
Rebounds	3, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	3, vs. Denison (11/17/06)
Assists	1, Two Times	1, Two Times
Steals	1, vs. Denison (11/17/06)	1, vs. Denison (11/17/06)

#54 JOHN TWOMEY

	Season	Career
Points	4, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	4, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)
Rebounds	3, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	3, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)
Assists	1, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)	1, at Va. Wesleyan (12/3/06)
Steals	0	0

THE LAST TIME...

A W&L PLAYER...

Scored 30+ points:	Greg Bienemann (33) vs. Guilford, 12/7/05
Scored 40+ points:	Cam Dyer (41) vs. Randolph-Macon, 1/13/96
Scored 50+ points:	Jay Handlan (66) vs. Furman, 2/17/51
Scored 20+ points in back-to-back games	Greg Bienemann (28, 25, 22) at Dickinson, vs. Oberlin, at R-MC, 2006
Scored 30+ points in back-to-back games	Pat Dennis (30, 30, 31) vs. Ashland, Castleton, Bluefield, 1978
Attempted 20+ field goals	Greg Bienemann (21) at Randolph-Macon, 12/2/06
Made 10+ free throws	Greg Bienemann (11-11) vs. Eastern Mennonite, 12/6/06
Recorded 20+ rebounds	Brian Ricketts (21) vs. Lynchburg, 1/12/00
Registered 10+ assists	Michael Denbow (11) vs. Daniel Webster, 11/22/02
Hit 5 + three-pointers	Chris Halkitis (6) vs. Virginia Wesleyan, 1/24/04
Blocked 5+ shots	John Saxon (5) vs. Lynchburg, 2/4/01
Had 5+ steals	Femi Kusimo (6) vs. Lynchburg, 2/5/06
Had a double-double	Greg Bienemann (17 pts., 13 reb.) vs. Lynchburg, 2/5/06
Had a triple-double	Mel Cartwright (25 pts., 22 reb., 10 asst.) vs. Hampden-Sydney, 12/11/69
Played 40+ minutes	Chris Halkitis (44) vs. Lynchburg, 2/5/06
Hit a shot in the final 35 seconds to win a game	Ian McClure vs. Emory & Henry, 1/30/01
Hit a free throw in the final 35 seconds to win a game	Kevin Cobbin at Swarthmore, 11/21/97

A W&L TEAM...

Had a 20+ point win:	vs. Eastern Mennonite (91-68), 2/11/06
Had a 30+ point win:	at Virginia Wesleyan (81-51), 2/2/91
Had a 40+ point win:	vs. N.Y. Maritime (115-48), 1/8/88
Had a 50+ point win:	vs. N.Y. Maritime (115-48), 1/8/88
Scored 100+ points:	vs. Eastern Mennonite (100-79), 2/3/96
Combined with an opponent to score 200+ points:	at Emory & Henry (122-97), 2/8/06
Managed 50+ rebounds:	vs. Eastern Mennonite (53), 1/12/05
Had 3 players foul out:	vs. Emory & Henry (Bienemann, Kusimo, Davis), 2/9/05
Hit 13+ three-pointers:	vs. Emory (13), 12/3/90
Had 5 players in double figures:	at Emory & Henry (Bienemann, Goodman, McHugh, Mumper, White), 2/8/06
Had 6 players in double figures:	at Eastern Mennonite (Dyer, Connely, Carter, Clark, Miggins, Schroeder), 2/16/94
Had all 5 starters score in double figures:	vs. Daniel Webster (Hettermann, Jones, McClure, Stuart, Will), 11/22/02
Had 2+ players record double figures in rebounds:	vs. Eastern Mennonite (Halkitis [10], Will [12]), 1/12/05
Played an overtime:	vs. Lynchburg (78-71), 2/5/06
Played multiple overtimes:	vs. Lynchburg (96-92 [4 OT]), 1/12/00
Lost when allowing 59 points or less	vs. Hampden-Sydney (58-57), 1/15/06
Defeated a ranked opponent	at #5 Hampden-Sydney (44-42), 12/3/97
Had a winning season:	1989-90, 15-12
Had a 20-win season:	1988-89, 20-7
Played in the NCAA Tournament:	1979-80