

BASKETBALL

Women's Basketball 2006-2007



Rebecca Charles
Number: 4
Classification: Senior
Position: Forward
Height: 6-0
Hometown: Charleston, WV
Last School: Longwood Univ.



Jarama McMillian
Number: 20
Classification: Sophomore
Position: Guard
Height: 5-7
Hometown: Durham, NC
Last School: Riverside High



Chelsea Jeter
Number: 24
Classification: Sophomore
Position: Guard
Height: 5-8
Hometown: Baltimore, MD
Last School: Milford Mills Academy



Shayla Roberts
Number: 30
Classification: Senior
Position: Guard
Height: 5-8
Hometown: Swainsboro, GA
Last School: Georgia Perimeter Col.



Tenisha McArthur
Number: 42
Classification: Junior
Position: Forward/Center
Height: 6-0
Hometown: Red Springs, NC
Last School: NC A&T



Top: The Women's team gets pumped up before the big match versus Shaw



Left: Sophomore Chelsea Jeter goes up for a Rebound against a Shaw defender. Jeter was a key element in the in against the Bears.

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Lady Broncos Beat CIAA Powerhouse

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The Voice

In an extremely close game, the Lady Broncos basketball team rose to defeat CIAA powerhouse Shaw University on November 21, 85-81.

Junior Tenisha McArthur led Fayetteville State on the road to victory. With 21 points during the game, McArthur dominated Fayetteville State's possessions with 11 rebounds and hitting 5 of 6 free throws.

Other players for the Broncos also helped to shape the game's outcome. Passion Phillips, a junior from Charlotte, had the second highest points on the team with 14, and Chelsea Jeter, a sophomore and a CIAA All-Conference Pre-season team pick, had 12 points.

Jocabia Lucas also had an impressive game, hitting 9 of 13 from the free throw line.

The game held a large amount

of symbolic value as well. The Shaw Bears have won the Women's CIAA championship the last four years. Until the bout with the Broncos, Shaw had been unbeaten by CIAA opponents in 77 games. The Broncos had not won against Shaw since 1998, with this past week's game ending a six-game losing streak against the Bears.

The game stayed evenly matched throughout the night, with Shaw maintaining a close lead over the Broncos throughout the first half. As the half ended, with Shaw up 40-38, Fayetteville State knew they had to come out of the locker room pumped during the second half.

The Broncos came out fighting with rebounds and points by McArthur and Jeter, as well as help from other Lady Broncos like sophomore Jarama McMillian and Jocabia Lucas, who shot a series of free throws during the half.

The teams were neck and neck throughout the entire half, making

baskets back and fourth as one team tried to pull away from the other.

As the final seconds of the clock trimmed down the Broncos managed to pull just out of Shaw's reach and went on to win the game by four points.

Shaw out-shot the Broncos in the paint, which gave them an edge during the game. However, the Broncos managed to pull more points off of turnovers and had 12 more bench points (points scored by non-starters) than the Bears. Fayetteville State's ability to get the ball around to a variety of players kept the Bears on their toes, and never gave them the opportunity to set up an adequate defense.

The Lady Broncos are off to a good start after knocking Shaw off of their powerhouse pedestal. With a slew of conference games coming up over the next month it will be interesting to see how the Broncos hold up under pressure.

Do we smell a CIAA Championship?

SCHEDULE 2006 - 2007

**Indicates conference games. All home games in CAPS.

	Opponent	Site	Time	Score
November				
	<u>United Electric Tie-Off Classic</u>	Louisville, KY		
18	Slippery Rock University		5:00 p.m.	81-65
19	Bellarmino University		2:00 p.m.	63-100
21	*SHAW UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	7:00 p.m.	85-81
28	at UNC-Pembroke	Pembroke	5:30 p.m.	
December				
5	*VIRGINIA UNION UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
9	UNC-Pembroke	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
	<u>Armstrong Atlantic State University Tipoff Classic</u>	<u>Savannah, GA</u>		
15	Opponent to be determined			
16	Opponent to be determined			
30	ARMSTRONG ATLANTIC STATE UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	2:00 p.m.	
January				
3	*VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
6	*NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
9	*Virginia Union University	Richmond, VA	5:30 p.m.	
11	*BOWIE STATE UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
13	*Johnson C. Smith University	Charlotte, NC	5:30 p.m.	
16	*SAINT PAUL'S COLLEGE	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
20	*ELIZABETH CITY STATE UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
23	*LIVINGSTONE COLLEGE	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
25	*at Shaw University	Raleigh, NC	5:30 p.m.	
27	*at Saint Paul's College	Lawrenceville, VA	2:00 p.m.	
February				
3	*at Bowie State University	Bowie, MD	2:00 p.m.	
6	*at North Carolina Central University	Durham, NC	5:30 p.m.	
10	*SAINT AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE	CAPEL ARENA	8:00 p.m.	
15	*at Virginia State University	Petersburg, VA	5:30 p.m.	
20	*JOHNSON C. SMITH UNIVERSITY	CAPEL ARENA	5:30 p.m.	
22	*at Saint Augustine's College	Raleigh, NC	5:30 p.m.	
24	*at Livingstone College	Salisbury, NC	5:30 p.m.	
	<u>32nd Annual CIAA Basketball Tournament</u>	<u>Charlotte, NC</u>		
26	Opponent to be determined			
27	Opponent to be determined			
March				
3	Semi-finals			
4	Finals			

Record	Overall	16-10	CIAA	13-3	Division	9-1
2004-2005 Record	Overall	13-15	CIAA	8-8	Division	4-6
2005-2006 Record	Overall	2-1	CIAA	1-0	Division	0-0
2006-2007	Overall					