



2009-10 COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

Miracle League of the Triangle

Central Regional Hospital

Urban Ministries Soup Kitchen

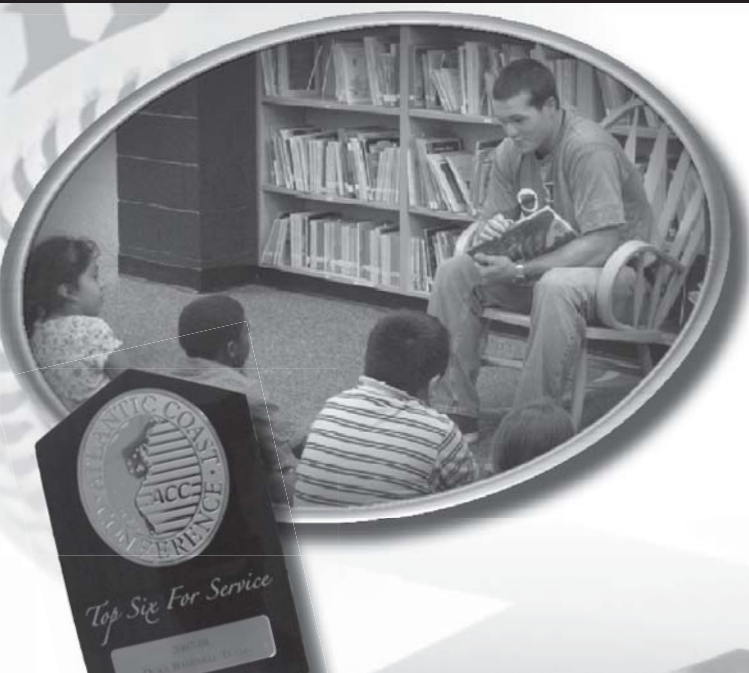
Verizon's "Read With The Blue Devils"

Duke Children's Hospital

Girls On The Run

MLK "Million Meals" Event At N.C. Central

Orphans From Oxford Housing Authority



The Duke baseball program has become an active force in the community over the past several years. Each fall, the Blue Devils take on numerous projects, this year volunteering on 10 different outings in the Durham community. Duke was honored with the ACC's Top Six For Service Award in 2007-08.





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EVERY YEAR, WE HAVE BECOME INVOLVED IN A WIDER VARIETY OF PROJECTS AND HAVE HAD MANY REWARDING EXPERIENCES. I AM VERY PROUD OF OUR EFFORTS AND THE OWNERSHIP THAT OUR PLAYERS HAVE TAKEN OVER THIS ASPECT OF OUR BASEBALL PROGRAM."

DUKE HEAD COACH SEAN McNALLY



2009 Statistics



OVERALL STATISTICS

Overall Statistics															Overall Record: 35-24					Home: 25-8					Away: 9-14				
Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%						
Nate Freiman	.352	59-59	219	47	77	15	1	20	62	154	.703	36	13	28	6	.463	4	0	3-5	434	56	5	.990						
Matt Williams	.345	57-56	223	35	77	12	1	5	47	106	.475	24	8	20	6	.421	4	2	1-1	376	57	3	.993						
Alex Hassan	.342	57-54	219	56	75	17	4	3	30	109	.498	25	6	19	11	.419	3	0	3-4	69	3	0	1.000						
Jeremy Gould	.340	59-59	241	43	82	20	0	7	37	123	.510	8	10	34	3	.380	4	1	6-9	173	8	3	.984						
Will Pivnicka-Worms	.317	59-59	218	37	69	13	4	3	30	99	.454	7	9	39	4	.357	4	2	7-11	119	2	1	.992						
Jake Lemmerman	.287	59-58	223	31	64	11	2	7	45	100	.448	20	4	32	9	.349	5	1	13-16	102	149	10	.962						
Ryan McCurdy	.256	57-55	172	39	44	11	0	0	22	55	.320	25	16	13	2	.395	2	7	4-6	42	125	6	.965						
Gabriel Saade	.237	56-53	186	34	44	8	2	2	29	62	.333	30	1	40	1	.336	6	4	12-15	126	160	11	.963						
Eric Pfisterer	.283	20-11	53	4	15	2	0	0	6	17	.321	2	0	11	1	.309	0	0	0-0	13	8	2	.913						
Marcus Jones	.269	17-6	26	3	7	1	1	0	3	10	.385	2	4	13	0	.406	0	0	0-1	6	0	0	1.000						
Tim Sherlock	.259	22-13	54	11	14	2	0	3	8	25	.463	5	1	13	2	.333	0	1	1-1	0	1	0	1.000						
Dennis O'Grady	.238	17-12	42	8	10	2	1	1	7	17	.405	6	1	6	1	.340	1	0	0-0	10	27	3	.925						
Will Currier	.235	11-6	17	3	4	0	0	1	2	7	.412	3	0	2	1	.350	0	0	0-0	1	1	1	.667						
Trevor Cesar	.211	12-5	19	5	4	0	0	1	3	7	.368	3	1	4	0	.348	0	0	0-0	3	2	0	1.000						
Tom Luciano	.200	26-5	20	10	4	0	1	0	1	6	.300	3	1	8	1	.333	0	1	4-5	8	0	0	1.000						
Brian Litwin	.195	21-10	41	7	8	1	0	0	6	9	.220	1	0	10	2	.214	0	0	1-2	10	0	0	1.000						
Joe Pedevillano	.184	30-10	38	8	7	2	0	0	3	9	.237	2	1	9	0	.238	1	1	1-4	38	2	0	1.000						
Ben Condon	.000	3-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	1	0	1.000						
Ben Grisz	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	0	0	1.000						
Kyle Butler	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	4	0	1.000						
Totals	.300	59-59	2015	381	605	117	17	53	341	915	.454	202	76	304	50	.379	34	20	56-80	1550	648	47	.979						
Opponents	.267	59-59	1980	315	528	105	16	54	288	827	.418	238	71	427	44	.363	18	26	36-60	1514	631	80	.964						

Player	ERA	W	L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
Andrew Wolcott	2.77	8	3	14	13	2	0	1	0	94.1	90	36	29	21	71	15	2	4	357	.252	7	7	1	4	3
Christopher Manno	4.89	5	6	14	14	0	0	0	0	73.2	64	40	40	35	72	15	2	13	273	.234	4	12	3	0	1
Tim Sherlock	1.69	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	10.2	9	2	2	1	6	2	0	1	43	.209	0	0	0	0	0
Kyle Butler	2.28	2	1	15	1	0	0	0	0	23.2	24	6	6	7	10	4	0	1	86	.279	0	3	0	0	3
Michael Ness	2.44	2	2	25	0	0	0	1	3	44.1	42	18	12	11	38	13	0	1	168	.250	2	6	1	3	2
Alex Hassan	4.10	2	2	16	1	0	0	0	8	26.1	23	13	12	13	34	5	0	6	101	.228	2	5	0	0	1
Joe Pedevillano	4.15	2	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	13.0	12	6	6	5	7	2	0	1	45	.267	2	3	2	1	1
Eric Pfisterer	5.00	3	2	15	7	0	0	0	0	45.0	43	29	25	23	45	7	1	5	165	.261	5	9	0	3	3
Jonathan Foreman	5.40	2	2	10	7	0	0	0	0	30.0	25	21	18	31	26	5	0	5	105	.238	4	1	0	2	3
Dennis O'Grady	5.76	2	2	23	0	0	0	0	3	45.1	65	33	29	18	39	14	4	6	196	.332	5	6	3	0	0
Will Currier	5.88	1	0	14	2	0	0	0	2	33.2	37	24	22	15	21	8	1	1	133	.278	3	2	0	0	1
Trevor Cesar	6.41	2	2	7	6	0	0	0	0	19.2	21	15	14	15	14	2	1	2	72	.292	6	3	0	2	5
Ryan Knott	8.15	3	1	12	6	0	0	0	0	35.1	37	38	32	19	27	8	2	2	137	.270	11	6	0	2	3
David Putman	10.00	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	1	9.0	12	10	10	10	8	4	1	1	37	.324	2	1	0	0	0
Ben Grisz	13.50	0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	10.2	19	20	16	12	9	1	1	3	51	.373	4	6	0	0	0
John Bunder	18.00	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	5	4	4	2	0	0	1	2	11	.455	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	4.83	35	24	59	59	2	1	1	17	516.2	528	315	277	238	427	105	16	54	1980	.267	57	71	10	18	26
Opponents	5.67	24	35	59	59	1	0	0	10	504.2	605	381	318	202	304	117	17	53	2015	.300	37	76	10	34	20

ACC STATISTICS

ACC STATISTICS																ACC Record: 15-15				Home: 9-6				Away: 6-9			
Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%				
Matt Williams	.366	30-30	123	19	45	7	0	4	26	64	.520	14	4	10	3	.438	3	1	1-1	210	29	2	.992				
Alex Hassan	.344	30-30	125	33	43	9	3	1	12	61	.488	13	4	7	6	.420	1	0	2-2	41	2	0	1.000				
Jeremy Gould	.341	30-30	129	22	44	8	0	5	16	67	.519	2	5	17	3	.372	1	1	2-5	62	0	1	.984				
Nate Freiman	.316	30-30	114	25	36	6	0	11	32	75	.658	18	10	17	5	.441	3	0	1-1	232	25	1	.996				
Jake Lemmerman	.298	30-30	121	12	36	6	0	5	24	57	.471	8	0	19	5	.336	2	1	6-8	56	75	6	.956				
Will Pivnicka-Worms	.261	30-30	119	15	31	4	2	3	14	48	.403	2	6	23	2	.302	2	1	3-6	66	1	0	1.000				
Gabriel Saade	.238	30-30	105	15	25	5	1	2	15	38	.362	19	1	23	0	.352	3	4	6-8	68	92	7	.958				
Ryan McCurdy	.150	28-27	80	12	12	2	0	0	8	14	.175	14	10	5	2	.343	1	4	0-1	19	54	0	1.000				
Tim Sherlock	.333	13-8	36	9	12	1	0	3	6	22	.611	3	0	8	2	.385	0	0	1-1	0	0	0	.000				
Marcus Jones	.286	4-1	7	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	.286	0	2	3	0	.444	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000				
Will Currier	.250	6-3	8	1	2	0	0	1	1	5	.625	1	0	2	0	.333	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000				
Joe Pedevillano	.227	18-6	22	5	5	2	0	0	2	7	.318	1	1	3	0	.280	1	1	1-3	26	0	0	1.000				
Eric Pfisterer	.200	11-7	30	1	6	0	0	0	2	6	.200	1	0	8	0	.226	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000				
Trevor Cesar	.125	5-2	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.125	1	1	1	0	.300	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000				
Brian Litwin	.111	6-2	9	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	.222	0	0	2	1	.111	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000				
Dennis O'Grady	.083	6-3	12	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.083	1	1	2	0	.214	0	0	0-0	4	10	2	.875				
Tom Luciano	.000	14-1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	4	0	.000	0	0	1-2	4	0	0	1.000				
Ben Condon	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000				
Totals	.287	30-30	1053	174	302	51	6	35	158	470	.446	98	45	155	29	.367	17	13	24-38	804	308	21	.981				
Opponents	.286	30-30	1060	188	303	59	8	35	172	483	.456	120	45	214	25	.379	10	10	11-22	803	340	44	.963				



2009 Season Notes

DUKE REACHES ACC TOURNAMENT

The 2009 Duke baseball team finished the regular season 34-22 overall and 15-15 in the ACC to reach the ACC Tournament for the first time since 2005. At the tournament, Duke defeated third-seeded Clemson 10-4 and came within one game of reaching the ACC Championship. Virginia, however, spoiled Duke's championship hopes by defeating the Blue Devils 11-7 on the way to winning the ACC crown.

GIANT KILLER

The Blue Devils continued their trend of up-setting top-25 teams and went 8-10 against ranked teams in 2009. Included in those wins were series victories over No. 1 North Carolina and No. 7 Georgia Tech. Duke also took one game each from No. 6 Miami and No. 11 Virginia and a pair from Clemson, which was ranked No. 17 the first go-round and No. 13 in the second victory.

FREIMAN TABBED ACAD. ALL-AMERICA

Duke senior **Nate Freiman** became the first Blue Devil in school history to be named First Team Academic All-America. Freiman graduated with a 3.83 GPA and became Duke's all-time home run leader while also leading the team in batting average, home runs and RBI for three consecutive seasons.

FREIMAN, WILLIAMS TABBED ACAD ALL-DISTRICT III

Seniors **Nate Freiman** and **Matt Williams** were each named to the *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District III Team for the second straight year. Freiman appeared on the First Team, while Williams garnered Second Team honors.

FREIMAN BREAKS HOME RUN RECORD

Nate Freiman became Duke's all-time home run leader in the second-to-last game of his career. Freiman mashed his record-breaking 43rd career home run in a win over Clemson at the ACC Tournament to pass a 15-year-old record held by Ryan Jackson since 1994.

BLUE DEVILS REACH 30 WINS AGAIN

With a 35-24 overall record, the Duke baseball team recorded back-to-back 30-win seasons for the first time since the 1992-98 seasons. The 35 wins were the fifth-most victories in program history, trailing the 37 victories that the 2008 Blue Devils recorded. Duke head coach **Sean McNally** is the first coach in Duke history to post two 30-win seasons within his first four years of coaching.

THREE DEVILS NAMED ALL-ACC

Senior starter **Andrew Wolcott** was named First Team All-ACC, and **Nate Freiman** and **Jeremy Gould** each appeared on the Second Team. The three selections were the most from a Duke team since 1998.

DUKE RECORDS 3.23 TEAM GPA

The Blue Devils combined for a team grade point average of 3.23 for the 2008-09 academic year. Twenty-two of 29 Blue Devils finished with a GPA of at least 3.00, qualifying them for the ACC Academic Honor Roll. Of those, six had a GPA over 3.50, including ACC Baseball Scholar-Athlete of the Year **Nate Freiman** who led the team with a 3.88.

FUNDAMENTALLY SOUND

After leading the nation in fielding percentage in 2008, the Blue Devils finished among the top five in the country in the category again, placing fourth nationally. Duke led the ACC with a school-record .979 fielding percentage and was the only team in the conference with more double plays (54) than errors (47).

LOWE'S SENIOR CLASS AWARD

Nate Freiman was named one of 10 finalists for the Lowe's Senior CLASS Award, which is handed out to the college baseball player who most exemplifies the definition of a student-athlete. Senior catcher **Matt Williams** was also named a semifinalist for the award.

BIG GAME WOLCOTT

All-ACC starter **Andrew Wolcott** earned his reputation as a big game pitcher, putting together a 5-0 record and a 2.66 ERA against top-25 teams. Wolcott finished the season as one of the ACC's best, going 8-3 with a 2.77 ERA in 94.1 innings.

DIGGING THE LONG BALL

Duke mashed 53 home runs in 2009, which was the fourth most in school history and the most since the 1997 team hit 59. The power surge escalated over the second half of the season when the Blue Devils hit 32 homers in their final 30 games.

JOHNNY BENCH AWARD

Duke senior catcher **Matt Williams** was named one of 13 semifinalists for the Johnny Bench Award, which is awarded annually to the top catcher in Division I Baseball. Williams had the second best batting average (.345) among all ACC catchers and ranked third in the conference in runners caught stealing (16) and stolen base percentage against (.652). He also led Duke with a .366 average against ACC teams and committed just three errors all year.

RECORD 7 BLUE DEVILS DRAFTED

Duke had a school-record seven players drafted in 2009, beginning with eighth round selection **Nate Freiman**. Following Freiman were senior teammates **Andrew Wolcott** (17th Rd.) and **Matt Williams** (18th Rd.) and junior **Alex Hassan** (20th Rd.). On day two, junior **Christopher Manno** (38th Rd.), senior **Tim Sherlock** (40th Rd.) and junior **Michael Ness** (47th Rd.) all had their names called. Duke also had three incoming recruits drafted in 2009.

Date	Opponent	Score	Pitcher of Rec.
2/20	LA SALLE	L, 2-5	Manno, C.
2/21	LA SALLE	W, 12-2	Wolcott, A.
2/21	LA SALLE	W, 5-3	Knott, R.
2/22	LA SALLE	W, 11-1	Currier, W.
2/27	DARTMOUTH	W, 8-5	Manno, C.
2/27	DARTMOUTH	W, 6-1	Wolcott, A.
3/4	UNC GREENSBORO	W, 11-3	Ness, M.
3/5	at High Point	L, 2-10	Cesar, T.
3/6	•VIRGINIA TECH	L, 4-19	Manno, C.
3/7	•VIRGINIA TECH	W, 5-4	Hassan, A.
3/8	•VIRGINIA TECH	W, 7-5	O'Grady, D.
3/10	at Liberty	L, 3-6	Foreman, J.
3/11	QUINNIPIAC	W, 10-4	Pfisterer, E.
3/13	•at [6] Miami	L, 4-5	Hassan, A.
3/14	•at [6] Miami	W, 2-1	Wolcott, A.
3/15	•at [6] Miami	L, 6-7	Hassan, A.
3/18	MD-EASTERN SHORE	W, 12-4	Butler, K.
3/18	MD-EASTERN SHORE	W, 5-2	Foreman, J.
3/20	•at [1] North Carolina	L, 5-8	Manno, C.
3/21	•at [1] North Carolina	W, 5-4	Wolcott, A.
3/22	•at [1] North Carolina	W, 10-9	Knott, R.
3/24	ALABAMA A&M	W, 4-2	Foreman, J.
3/24	ALABAMA A&M	W, 13-2	Cesar, T.
3/28	•WAKE FOREST	W, 3-1	Manno, C.
3/29	•WAKE FOREST	L, 2-4	Wolcott, A.
3/29	•WAKE FOREST	L, 8-12	Pfisterer, E.
3/31	at N.C. Central	W, 16-3	Cesar, T.
4/1	ELON	W, 3-2	Pfisterer, E.
4/3	•at [17] Clemson	L, 3-7	Manno, C.
4/4	•at [17] Clemson	W, 10-7	Wolcott, A.
4/5	•at [17] Clemson	L, 1-10	Knott, R.
4/7	N.C. CENTRAL	W, 14-1	Butler, K.
4/7	N.C. CENTRAL	W, 9-3	Pedevillano, J.
4/8	at UNC Greensboro	L, 4-13	Cesar, T.
4/11	•NC STATE	L, 1-3	Wolcott, A.
4/11	•NC STATE	W, 11-2	Manno, C.
4/12	•NC STATE	W, 8-7	Ness, M.
4/14	DAVIDSON	W, 4-3	Sherlock, T.
4/15	WOFFORD	W, 15-9	Pedevillano, J.
4/17	•at Maryland	L, 1-4	Wolcott, A.
4/18	•at Maryland	W, 8-4	Hassan, A.
4/19	•at Maryland	L, 8-12	Pfisterer, E.
4/22	at Elon	L, 7-8	Grisz, B.
4/24	•BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 12-2	Manno, C.
4/25	•BOSTON COLLEGE	W, 9-2	Wolcott, A.
4/26	•BOSTON COLLEGE	L, 6-7	Ness, M.
5/5	at Davidson	L, 2-3	Butler, K.
5/6	at Presbyterian	W, 3-2	Pfisterer, E.
5/6	at Presbyterian	W, 5-3	Knott, R.
5/8	•at Virginia	W, 11-4	Manno, C.
5/9	•at Virginia	L, 9-10	O'Grady, D.
5/10	•at Virginia	L, 1-12	Foreman, J.
5/12	LIBERTY	L, 1-4	O'Grady, D.
5/14	•[7] GEORGIA TECH	L, 3-10	Manno, C.
5/15	•[7] GEORGIA TECH	W, 6-4	Wolcott, A.
5/16	•[7] GEORGIA TECH	W, 5-3	O'Grady, D.
5/20	&vs. [6] North Carolina	L, 3-8	Manno, C.
5/22	&vs. [13] Clemson	W, 10-4	Wolcott, A.
5/23	&vs. [11] Virginia	L, 7-11	Ness, M.

• — ACC Game
& — ACC Tournament

Home Games in CAPS
National rankings in brackets [x]