

QUICK FACTS

DUKE UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Durham, N.C.
Founded	1838 as Trinity College
Enrollment	6,400
Colors	Duke Blue (PMS 287) and White
Nickname	Blue Devils
Conference	Atlantic Coast (Coastal Division)
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Stadium	Durham Bulls Athletic Park (Grass) & Jack Coombs Field (Turf)
Capacity	DBAP (10,000); JCF (2,000)
DBAP Dimensions (L to R)	305-371-400-373-327
JCF Dimensions (L to R)	325-370-400-375-335
President	Dr. Richard Brodhead
Vice President & Director of Athletics	Dr. Kevin White
Baseball Administrator	Brad Berndt
Athletic Website	www.GoDuke.com

BASEBALL STAFF

Head Coach	Sean McNally (6th Season)
Alma Mater	Duke, '94
Overall Record at Duke	145-134-1
ACC Record at Duke	47-101-1
Overall Career Record	145-134-1 (5 Seasons)
Assistant Coach/Pitching	Sean Snedeker (5th Season)
Alma Mater	Texas A&M, '90
Asst. Coach/Recruiting	Edwin Thompson (1st Season)
Alma Mater	Webber, '03
Assistant Coach	Ryan McCurdy (1st Season)
Alma Mater	Duke, '10
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TEAM INFORMATION

2010 Record	29-27
2010 ACC Record	8-22
2010 ACC Finish	6th Coastal, 11th Overall
Position Players Returning/Lost	8/8
Pitchers Returning/Lost	7/10
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	11/15
Newcomers	15

PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Baseball	1889
All-Time Record	1843-1573-34
College World Series Appearances/Last App.	3/1961
NCAA Postseason Appearances/Last App.	5/1961
All-Americans	8
MLB Draft Selections	53
MLB Alumni	39

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2011 ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Al Morris	OF	S/R	5-10	160	So.	Bethesda, Md. (Culver Military Academy)
2	David Perkins	INF	R/R	5-11	175	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. (Bolles)
3	Anthony D'Alessandro	OF	R/R	5-11	195	Fr.	Mahwah, N.J. (Mahwah)
4	Mark Lumpa	RHP	L/R	5-7	160	Fr.	Fleming Island, Fla. (Bolles)
5	Brian Litwin	OF	R/R	6-2	205	Jr.	Hickory, N.C. (St. Stephens)
6	Joe Pedevillano	LHP/OF	L/L	5-6	160	Jr.	Poughkeepsie, N.Y. (Our Lady of Lourdes)
7	Marcus Stroman	RHP/INF	R/R	5-9	185	So.	Medford, N.Y. (Patchogue-Medford)
9	Mark Tatera	INF/C	L/R	6-1	190	Fr.	Eagan, Minn. (Academy of Holy Angels)
10	Angelo LaBruna	INF	R/R	5-10	160	Fr.	La Canada, Calif. (Loyola)
11	Eric Pfisterer	LHP	L/L	6-2	230	Jr.	Saddle River, N.J. (Don Bosco Prep)
12	Aaron Cohn	INF	R/R	6-4	195	Fr.	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. (Sun Coast)
14	Matt Berezo	INF	S/R	6-0	180	Fr.	Wexford, Pa. (Pine-Richland)
15	Mike Rosenfeld	C	R/R	5-10	175	Fr.	Mamaroneck, N.Y. (Mamaroneck)
16	Robert Huber	RHP	R/R	6-0	190	Fr.	Plano, Texas (Plano West)
17	Chase Bebout	RHP	R/R	6-6	200	So.	Lake Worth, Fla. (American Heritage-Boca)
18	Ryan Munger	C	R/R	6-2	190	So.	The Woodlands, Texas (College Park)
19	Dillon Haviland	LHP	L/L	6-3	200	Fr.	McDonald, Pa. (South Fayette)
21	Chris Marconcini	INF	L/L	6-5	200	Fr.	Brentwood, Tenn. (Battle Ground Academy)
25	David Putman	RHP	R/R	6-1	195	Jr.	Doylestown, Pa. (The Hun School)
26	Dennis O'Grady	RHP/INF	R/R	5-10	200	Sr.	Floral Park, N.Y. (Archbishop Molloy)
27	Will Piwnica-Worms	OF	R/R	6-2	200	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Ladue Horton Watkins)
32	Jeff Kremer	C	L/R	5-11	200	So.	Portland, Ore. (Lake Oswego)
34	Ben Grisz	RHP	R/R	6-1	215	Jr.	Dallas, Texas (St. Mark's)
41	Jordan Betts	INF	R/R	6-2	210	Fr.	Wilmington, N.C. (New Hanover)
44	Tito Nava	RHP	R/R	5-10	165	Fr.	Englewood, Colo. (Cherry Creek)
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- 22 **Head Coach:** Sean McNally (Sixth Season, Duke '94)
 33 **Assistant Coach/Pitchers:** Sean Snedeker (Fifth Season, Texas A&M '90)
 29 **Assistant Coach/Recruiting:** Edwin Thompson (First Season, Webber '03)
 20 **Assistant Coach:** Ryan McCurdy (First Season, Duke '10)

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 34 Ben Grisz GRIZ
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 33 Sean Snedeker SNED-uh-kerr

2011 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Opponent	Location	Stadium	Time
February 18	Friday	Richmond	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	4 p.m.
February 19	Saturday	Richmond	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	2 p.m.
February 20	Sunday	Richmond	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	1 p.m.
February 22	Tuesday	Campbell	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	3:15 p.m.
February 23	Wednesday	at N.C. Central	at Durham, N.C.	Durham Athletic Park	4 p.m.
February 25	Friday	Villanova	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	4 p.m.
February 26	Saturday	Villanova	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	2 p.m.
February 27	Sunday	Villanova	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	1 p.m.
March 1	Tuesday	High Point	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	3:15 p.m.
March 4	Friday	La Salle	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	4 p.m.
March 5	Saturday	La Salle	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	3 p.m.
March 6	Sunday	La Salle	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
March 8	Tuesday	at High Point	at High Point, N.C.	Williard Stadium	4 p.m.
March 9	Wednesday	at William and Mary	at Williamsburg, Va.	Plumeri Park	4 p.m.
March 11	Friday	*N.C. State	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	6 p.m.
March 12	Saturday	*N.C. State	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	2 p.m.
March 13	Sunday	*N.C. State	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
March 15	Tuesday	N.C. Central	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	3:15 p.m.
March 16	Wednesday	Charlotte	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	6 p.m.
March 18	Friday	*at Clemson	at Clemson, S.C.	Doug Kingsmore Stadium	6:30 p.m.
March 19	Saturday	*at Clemson	at Clemson, S.C.	Doug Kingsmore Stadium	6:30 p.m.
March 20	Sunday	*at Clemson	at Clemson, S.C.	Doug Kingsmore Stadium	1 p.m.
March 22	Tuesday	Ohio	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	6 p.m.
March 25	Friday	*at UNC	at Chapel Hill, N.C.	Boshamer Stadium	7 p.m.
March 26	Saturday	*at UNC	at Chapel Hill, N.C.	Boshamer Stadium	2 p.m.
March 27	Sunday	*at UNC	at Chapel Hill, N.C.	Boshamer Stadium	2 p.m.
March 29	Tuesday	at Campbell	at Buies Creek, N.C.	Taylor Field	6 p.m.
April 1	Friday	*Georgia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	6 p.m.
April 2	Saturday	*Georgia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	2 p.m.
April 3	Sunday	*Georgia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
April 5	Tuesday	Wofford	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	6 p.m.
April 6	Wednesday	at UNC Greensboro	at Greensboro, N.C.	UNCG Baseball Stadium	6 p.m.
April 8	Friday	*Boston College	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	6 p.m.
April 9	Saturday	*Boston College	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
April 10	Sunday	*Boston College	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
April 12	Tuesday	at Davidson	at Davidson, N.C.	Wilson Field	7 p.m.
April 15	Friday	*at Virginia	at Charlottesville, Va.	Davenport Field	7 p.m.
April 16	Saturday	*at Virginia	at Charlottesville, Va.	Davenport Field	4 p.m.
April 17	Sunday	*at Virginia	at Charlottesville, Va.	Davenport Field	1 p.m.
April 19	Tuesday	UNC Greensboro	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	6 p.m.
April 22	Friday	*at Florida State	at Tallahassee, Fla.	Dick Howser Stadium	6 p.m.
April 23	Saturday	*at Florida State	at Tallahassee, Fla.	Dick Howser Stadium	6 p.m.
April 24	Sunday	*at Florida State	at Tallahassee, Fla.	Dick Howser Stadium	1 p.m.
April 26	Tuesday	Davidson	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	6 p.m.
April 29	Friday	*Virginia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	6 p.m.
April 30	Saturday	*Virginia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	2 p.m.
May 1	Sunday	*Virginia Tech	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
May 8	Sunday	Mount St. Mary's (DH)	Durham, N.C.	Jack Coombs Field	1 p.m.
May 13	Friday	*Wake Forest	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	6 p.m.
May 14	Saturday	*Wake Forest	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	2 p.m.
May 15	Sunday	*Wake Forest	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	1 p.m.
May 17	Tuesday	at The Citadel	at Charleston, S.C.	Riley Park	4 p.m.
May 19	Thursday	*at Miami	at Coral Gables, Fla.	Alex Rodriguez Park	7 p.m.
May 20	Friday	*at Miami	at Coral Gables, Fla.	Alex Rodriguez Park	7 p.m.
May 21	Saturday	*at Miami	at Coral Gables, Fla.	Alex Rodriguez Park	1 p.m.
May 26-30	Thurs.-Mon.	ACC TOURNAMENT	Durham, N.C.	Durham Bulls Athletic Park	TBA

Home games in **BOLD** in Durham, N.C.

* – Denotes ACC game • All times Eastern and subject to change

COACHING STAFF



Sean McNally

Head Coach

6th Season

**B.A., History and Political Science
— Duke, '94**

Sean McNally, a 1994 graduate of Duke University, enters his sixth year as head baseball coach. With a philosophy based on the concept of striving for excellence in the classroom, involvement in the community and achievement on the field, McNally has led the program to great success during his tenure.

With a 145-134-1 record in his first five years, McNally has led his alma mater to four consecutive winning seasons and in 2009 became the fastest coach in Duke history to reach 100 wins. McNally's .517 winning percentage through his first five seasons is the fifth best in school history behind Duke coaching greats Jack Coombs, Ace Parker, Otis Stockdale and M.T. Adkins.

McNally coaches the hitters and infielders directly, the same responsibilities he handled at the professional level during his time in player development with the Cleveland Indians. Duke has made steady improvements each year both offensively and defensively under McNally and has quickly earned the reputation as one of the best defensive programs in the nation. Duke has posted fielding percentages of .975 or better in each of the past three seasons, including 2008 when the Blue Devils led the nation with a .978 fielding clip. Duke has committed fewer errors than games played every year since 2008 thanks to McNally's fundamentals-first approach.

Offensively, Duke has hit .299 or better in three of McNally's five seasons while stealing bases successfully over 70 percent of the time every year. Duke has also annually finished each year with the fewest strikeouts in the ACC.

Duke's progression over the past five years has as much to do with coaching as it does with the improved talent brought in during the recruiting process. During McNally's tenure, the Blue Devils have become a mainstay in the Major League Baseball First Year Player Draft and have had 12 players drafted over the last four seasons. Among that group, Duke has had three players drafted in the first 10 rounds in 2010 fifth-round shortstop **Jake Lemmerman**, 2008 eighth-round first baseman **Nate Freiman** and 2007 seventh-round outfielder **Jimmy Gallagher**.

And while Duke's on-the-field accolades have poured in under McNally, the Blue Devils have made an even bigger impact in the classroom and in the community. In 2010, Duke posted a team grade point average of 3.104, and had an in-season GPA of 3.100. Furthermore, the Blue Devils have annually dominated the All-ACC Academic Baseball Team, which honors the conference's best student-athletes. Duke has led the ACC in selections to the team in three of the past five years and has amassed an ACC-leading 28 selections to the squad since it was conceived in 2006. Additionally, Duke baseball players have garnered over 80 selections to the ACC Academic Honor Roll over the past five seasons for holding grade point averages over 3.00 for the entire academic year.

Among that group is one of the most academically decorated players in Duke baseball history, Academic All-America First Team and ACC Baseball Scholar-Athlete of the Year recipient Freiman. Freiman, who played at Duke from 2006-09 and ended his career as Duke's all-time home run leader, came to Duke as a pitcher in

McNally's first season. After an arm injury in his first and only career pitching appearance ended his prospects on the mound, McNally set out to convert Freiman to a position player. Over the next four years, the 6-foot-8 Freiman made steady improvements as a hitter and fielder and capped his career with a 20-home run campaign in 2009 that vaulted him into the eighth round of the MLB Draft.

Freiman is just one example of McNally's expertise in player development. In three seasons as a hitting coach and manager in the Cleveland Indians system at the A and AA levels, McNally mentored numerous future professional players including Ben Francisco (OF, Philadelphia Phillies), Ryan Garko (1B, Texas Rangers), Franklin Gutierrez (OF, Seattle Mariners), Joe Inglett (OF, Milwaukee Brewers) and Kevin Kouzmanoff (3B, Oakland Athletics). McNally served as hitting coach for both Burlington (A) and Akron (AA) in the Indians organization before being promoted to manager of the Burlington Indians in 2005.

Duke's student-athlete development has extended well beyond the field under McNally. In addition to their success in the classroom, Duke baseball players have also taken on a tremendous community service push every year. Each fall, the Blue Devils split up by class and plan, organize and execute their own community service projects. Past initiatives include Habitat 4 Humanity, visits to the Duke Children's Hospital's Intensive Care Unit, the construction of a baseball field at Forest View Elementary School and Duke University's "Read with the Blue Devils" project.

The entire Duke team has also become heavily involved with the Miracle League of the Triangle, a non-profit organization that allows special-needs children to play baseball on a specially constructed field with the assistance of volunteers.

Following his nine-year stint as a professional player and his three-year run as a hitting coach and manager in the Cleveland Indians organization, McNally was named Duke baseball's 24th head coach on July 15, 2005. He immediately set out to rebuild his alma mater's team, which had endured seven straight losing seasons from 1999 to 2005.

In his first year, McNally set the framework for Duke's future success and led the squad to improved overall and ACC win totals. The Blue Devils won two ACC series on the road after going winless in conference road games the year before his arrival. Off the field, 15 Blue Devils earned ACC Academic Honor Roll recognition for holding grade point averages over 3.00 for the entire academic season, while three others earned spots on the inaugural All-ACC Academic Baseball Team.

The Sean McNally File

- Named head coach at Duke on July 15, 2005
- An All-ACC infielder and Academic All-America selection at Duke from 1991-94
- Career 145-134-1 record in five seasons at Duke
- Has led Blue Devils to four straight winning seasons
- Won the most ACC games in school history in 2009
- Mentored 12 MLB Draft picks
- Had a school-record seven players drafted in 2009
- Has overseen a program that has placed an ACC-leading 28 players on the All-ACC Academic Baseball Team and over 80 selections to the ACC Academic Honor Roll
- Has overseen a tremendous push in Duke baseball's community service efforts
- He and his wife, Kim, have a four-year old daughter, Michaela, and a two-year-old son, Jackson

COACHING STAFF

In 2007, McNally's efforts took hold as he led the group to a 29-25 record that included wins over No. 1 Florida State and No. 2 North Carolina along with series wins over Virginia Tech and Maryland. Duke won six and split two of its 17 series after opening the year with nine consecutive wins. Led by its first All-ACC selection since 2004 in starting pitcher **Tony Bajoczky**, the Blue Devils won more games overall and in the ACC (8) than they did in each of the previous two seasons. Four of Duke's players hit over .300 for the season, including Freiman (.369) and Gallagher (.360), who was drafted in the seventh round of the MLB Draft by the Chicago White Sox. McNally developed Gallagher, Bajoczky and third baseman **Brett Bartles** all into professional players as each was selected in the 2007 MLB Draft.

Year three of McNally's tenure yielded one of the most successful seasons in Duke baseball's history. Led by a talented group of sophomores, the junior trio of Freiman, catcher **Matt Williams** and starter **Andrew Wolcott**, and the senior quartet of **Jonathan Nicolla**, **Kyle Kreick**, **Ron Causey** and **Ryan Perry**, Duke went 37-18-1 for the fourth most wins in school history. That group posted a perfect 27-0 non-conference record along with 10 ACC wins and three ACC series victories. Additionally, that group led the nation with a .978 fielding percentage after committing only 47 errors in 56 games.

In 2009, McNally's fourth year, the Blue Devils went 15-15 against a nationally-dominant ACC to set a school record for the most conference victories in a season. The Blue Devils, led by Freiman's 20 home runs and Wolcott's dominant run as Duke's ace, took ACC series from No. 1 North Carolina, No. 7 Georgia Tech, N.C. State, Virginia Tech and Boston College and were not swept in a series for the entire season. The squad made the ACC Tournament for the first time since 2005 and came within one game of reaching the conference championship before falling 11-7 to eventual ACC Champion and College World Series participant Virginia. A school-record seven Blue Devils went on to have their names called in the 2009 MLB Draft, while an ACC-record nine Duke players were named to the All-ACC Academic Baseball Team, including Freiman who was named ACC Baseball Scholar-Athlete of the Year and an *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-America First Team honoree. The 2009 Duke Blue Devils would also set a school record with a .979 fielding percentage after making only 47 errors in 59 games.

Duke's success continued into 2010 when McNally led the squad to its fourth straight winning season and became only the fourth coach in Duke baseball history to post four winning seasons within his first five years. Despite losing a core of seniors that included Freiman, Wolcott, Williams and **Kyle Butler** and junior outfielder and closer **Alex Hassan** to the MLB Draft, the Blue Devils still managed to win games against five of the eight nationally-ranked teams they played. For the second straight year, Duke won a series against annual ACC powerhouse North Carolina, which was ranked No. 11 in the nation at the time. Duke would also go on to win the series against No. 17 Clemson, which reached the College World Series, and beat No. 6 Florida State, No. 15 Virginia Tech and No. 22 Georgia. McNally did all this despite fielding a starting lineup that featured a combined five freshmen and sophomores and a pitching staff that relied heavily on ACC Freshman of the Year **Marcus Stroman**, fellow freshman **Chase Bebout** and sophomores **Ben Grisz** and **Eric Pfisterer**.

During his playing career at Duke, McNally was a four-year starter and served as team captain for his final two seasons. As a senior in 1994, he received All-ACC honors and set single-season school records for batting average (.408) and slugging percentage (.775) while finishing the season with 89 hits, 19 doubles, eight triples, 17 home runs and 71 RBI. He ranks among the top five in school history with 17 triples and 181 RBI in his career and among the top 10 in runs scored, batting average, hits and doubles.

Following four seasons in the Blue and White, McNally was

Head Coaching Career

Year	School	Overall		ACC	
		W-L-T	Pct.	W-L-T	Pct.
2006	Duke	15-40-0	.272	6-24-0	.200
2007	Duke	29-25-0	.537	8-22-0	.267
2008	Duke	37-18-1	.672	10-18-1	.357
2009	Duke	35-24-0	.593	15-15-0	.500
2010	Duke	29-27-0	.519	8-22-0	.267
Duke (5)		145-134-1	.520	47-101-1	.318
Overall (5)		145-134-1	.520	47-101-1	.318

Offense Under McNally

Year	Avg.	Hits/G	Runs/G	SLG%	OB%	SB%
2006	.269	9.38	5.09	.372	.335	.766
2007	.302	10.41	6.42	.430	.380	.706
2008	.299	10.48	6.96	.422	.382	.783
2009	.300	10.25	6.46	.454	.379	.700
2010	.284	9.61	5.86	.416	.360	.733

Defense Under McNally

Year	Chances	Errors	Errors/G	DP	FLD%
2006	2151	89	1.62	34	.959
2007	2083	79	1.46	43	.962
2008	2117	47	0.84	34	.978
2009	2245	47	0.80	54	.979
2010	2125	53	0.95	48	.975

selected in the 16th round of the 1994 Major League Baseball Draft by the Kansas City Royals and played nine seasons of professional baseball. He reached as high as the Triple-A level with Calgary (Florida Marlins) in 2002, and Buffalo (Cleveland Indians) and Tucson (Arizona Diamondbacks) in 2001. In 1999, McNally was named to the Texas League (AA) All-Star Team after posting a .282 batting average with 36 home runs and 109 RBI. Overall, he played for six professional organizations, including Kansas City (1994-99), Florida (2000), Cleveland (2001), Arizona (2001), Texas (2002) and Montreal (2002).

Following his retirement from professional baseball, McNally returned to Duke as an academic advisor within the athletic department from 2003-04 and managed the "Read with the Blue Devils" community outreach program. He then began his coaching career in the Indians organization before arriving at Duke prior to the 2006 season. Now, in addition to his coaching responsibilities with the Blue Devils, he has taken on several athletic department projects as well. McNally served as the coaching representative on the Executive Committee for the construction of the Strategic Plan for Duke Athletics, a yearlong process in 2007-2008.

In the summer of 2009 McNally was the keynote speaker at the North Carolina High School State Athletic Association (NCHSAA) day-long convention at the Greensboro Coliseum for baseball coaches statewide. He also wrote a chapter for the book *Practice Perfect Baseball*, published in 2010 by Human Kinetics, along with other accomplished college baseball coaches.

McNally is married to the former Kim Voyticky, an All-ACC performer in track and field at Duke. The couple has two children, a four-year-old daughter named Michaela and a two-year-old son named Jackson.

COACHING STAFF



Sean Snedeker

Assistant Coach/Pitching
5th Season

B.S., Kinesiology — Texas A&M, '88

M.S., Kinesiology — Texas A&M, '90

Sean Snedeker is in his fifth season as Duke's pitching coach and brings a wealth of knowledge and experience gained at the professional level to Duke's staff.

A native of Bryan, Texas, Snedeker came to Duke in 2007 after spending 12 seasons as a pitching coach in the Chicago White Sox organization and another year in the Los Angeles Dodgers system. Snedeker has spent nearly 20 years in player development and has had a tremendous impact in the success of Duke's pitchers during his tenure.

The Blue Devil pitching staff has improved in nearly every statistical category during Snedeker's tenure and had its best season in 2008 when the group finished sixth in the nation in ERA and among the top 20 in walks and hits allowed per game. Duke's strikeout rate has improved every year under Snedeker, including in 2010 when the group averaged 7.48 strikeouts per nine innings for the program's best mark in over a decade.

Snedeker has transformed a number of Duke players into ACC-caliber pitchers and professional prospects. In 2010, three Duke pitchers were selected in the Major League Baseball First Year Player Draft, marking the third time in school history that three Duke pitchers were drafted in the same year. Snedeker and the Blue Devils also accomplished that feat in 2009 when a school-record four Duke pitchers were drafted, including All-ACC first team selection **Andrew Wolcott**, All-ACC closer **Alex Hassan** and juniors **Christopher Manno** and **Michael Ness**. Manno and Ness opted to return to Duke for their senior seasons only to have their names called again in the 2010 draft along with classmate **Jeremy Gould**.

In only four seasons, Snedeker has produced three All-ACC pitchers and two legitimate ACC aces. In his first season in charge of the pitching staff in 2007, Snedeker mentored right-hander **Tony Bajoczky** and coached the senior ace to one of the all-time great seasons by a Duke pitcher in the aluminum bat era. Bajoczky, who had a 6.70 ERA in three years prior to Snedeker's arrival, went 9-3 with a 3.22 ERA as a senior and picked up conference wins over ACC powerhouses Georgia Tech, Florida State, Virginia and North Carolina. Bajoczky was drafted by the Boston Red Sox and reached the Double-A level in only two years before retiring from professional baseball to pursue a law degree.

Another one of Snedeker's major successes was Wolcott, who began his tutelage under Snedeker as a sophomore in 2007. A 6-6, 240-pound right-hander, Wolcott made steady improvements between his sophomore and junior seasons before breaking out as one of the ACC's top three starters as a senior. Wolcott, who posted ERAs of 6.46, 6.10 and 3.45 in his first three seasons, broke out in 2009 with an 8-3 record and a 2.77 ERA. Wolcott performed even better in the spotlight, going 5-0 in six starts against top-20 teams. Wolcott's success vaulted him into the 18th round of the 2010 MLB Draft where he was selected by the Arizona Diamondbacks.

Also emerging under Snedeker was the 2008 All-ACC selection Hassan, who served as Duke's closer and outfielder. Hassan stepped in as Duke's closer as a sophomore and totaled nine wins and 13

saves in his career — tying the school record — before signing with the Boston Red Sox as a junior.

Prior to Snedeker's arrival in 2007, Duke's pitching staff had lower than a 5.72 ERA just one time since 1999. However, in his first three seasons, Snedeker helped Duke lower that mark to 4.50 in 2007, 3.71 in 2008 and 4.83 in 2009. Duke's 3.71 ERA in 2008 was the program's lowest mark since 1993 and the team's third-lowest ERA since the aluminum bat era began in 1974. Additionally, Duke's pitchers have dramatically lowered their number of walks and home runs allowed under Snedeker and in 2008 surrendered the fewest hits, runs and walks in the ACC.

Snedeker has also turned Duke's bullpen into one of the most effective groups in the ACC. After finishing third in the ACC with a school-record 17 saves in 2009, Duke's bullpen won 14 games and saved 11 games in 2010.

Prior to his start at Duke, Snedeker worked primarily with budding talent at the Class-A and Rookie levels, most recently with the White Sox Class-A affiliate Kannapolis Intimidators. Snedeker has coached over 40 current or former major league pitchers, most notably 2005 American League All-Star Jon Garland.

Additionally, Snedeker's 2002 Kannapolis Intimidators pitching staff led all White Sox farm teams with a 3.63 ERA and 1,000 strikeouts, while his Advanced Rookie pitching corps in Bristol led the Appalachian League in strikeouts and saves and finished second in ERA.

Snedeker also spent six seasons as a player in the Los Angeles Dodgers system after being selected in the 30th round of the 1988 MLB Amateur Draft. He reached as high as the Double-A level and finished his career with a combined 34-21 record and a 3.24 ERA while starting over 70 games on the mound. His career highlight came at Class-A Vero Beach when he tossed a seven-inning perfect game on August 28, 1991 against St. Lucie.

As a right-handed pitcher at Texas A&M from 1987-88, Snedeker compiled a 17-4 overall record on the mound in two seasons of work. In 1988, Snedeker turned in a 9-2 record and a 3.50 ERA while striking out 87 batters and walking 41. He earned the C.E. "Pat" Olsen Outstanding Pitcher Award in the same year.

Snedeker holds both a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Kinesiology from Texas A&M. He and his wife, Mary Jane, have two children, a 17-year-old daughter, Sydney, and a 12-year-old son, Sy.

The Sean Snedeker File

- Named pitching coach at Duke on July 17, 2006
- 5th Season at Duke
- Spent 13 seasons as a pitching coach with Chicago White Sox and Los Angeles Dodgers organizations
- Has developed six Blue Devils that became professional pitchers
- Led Duke to sixth-lowest ERA in the country in 2008
- Led Duke to top-20 rankings in fewest walks allowed and fewest hits allowed in 2008
- Developed three All-ACC selections, including first team choice Andrew Wolcott (2009)
- Mentored All-ACC closer Alex Hassan and All-ACC starter Tony Bajoczky
- Two-year letterwinner and 30th round MLB Draft Pick out of Texas A&M
- Spent six seasons pitching in Dodgers organization
- He and his wife, Mary Jane, have a 17-year-old daughter, Sydney, and a 12-year-old son, Sy

COACHING STAFF



Edwin Thompson
Assistant Coach/Recruiting
1st Season
B.S., Business — Webber, '03

Edwin Thompson, formerly the head coach of Bates College, is in his first season at Duke and serves as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator.

Thompson, a 2003 graduate of Webber with a B.S. degree in Business, coaches Duke's outfielders directly and serves as the team's recruiting coordinator. Thompson joins a Duke program that has posted four consecutive winning seasons under head coach Sean McNally.

"We are excited to have Edwin Thompson join our coaching staff here at Duke," McNally said. "He will bring a tremendous energy and passion for the game and is a great fit for Duke University and our baseball program. He is a tireless worker and has carved out a great reputation with the quick turnaround he engineered at Bates College. His head coaching experience and organized, value-driven approach will benefit our players immediately."

Thompson spent the past two seasons as head coach at Bates and led the Bobcats to a 25-11 record in 2010 in only his second season. Bates' school-record 25 wins under Thompson marked the first 20-win season in the program's 138-year history and the first winning season since 1992. Five Bates players earned All-NESCAC honors in Thompson's second year while the team led the conference in home runs, stolen bases and fielding percentage and ranked second in batting average and slugging percentage.

Prior to his two-year stint at Bates, Thompson served as an associate head coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of Maine at Farmington. At UMF, Thompson oversaw the pitching staff and recruited and coached eight players who went on to earn all-conference honors.

Thompson began his collegiate career at Howard University where he was named the team's offensive rookie of the year. He then spent one season at Maryland where he appeared in 34 games for the Terrapins and hit .250 with eight doubles and one home run. Thompson then played his last two seasons at Webber University where he led the team to an NAIA top-25 ranking and played in the Florida Sun Conference All-Star Game.

Thompson also spent one year in professional baseball playing for the independent-league Bangor Lumberjacks in 2003 where he led all Lumberjack rookies in extra-base hits.



Ryan McCurdy
Volunteer Assistant Coach
1st Season
B.S., Pol. Science — Duke, '10

Four-year starter Ryan McCurdy rejoined the Duke baseball program as a volunteer assistant coach in August, 2010.

A 2010 graduate of Duke University, McCurdy directs all Duke Baseball Academy camps, coaches the catchers, and runs the bunting program. Additionally he assists with the daily routines for the hitters and infielders as well.

"Ryan is a special young man who epitomizes the character and the values that we look for in our players here at Duke," said head coach Sean McNally, who coached McCurdy from 2007-10. "He was a highly successful student, an active force in the community, and a talented player during his time as an undergraduate. We are very fortunate to have him on our staff and know that he will make an impact on all facets of our program."

A native of Tampa, Fla., McCurdy was a full-time starter at three different positions during his four-year tenure at Duke. After starting at second base as a freshman and third base as a sophomore and junior, McCurdy became Duke's starting catcher as a senior. Despite never having played the position before, McCurdy did not make an error behind the plate all season and caught 19 runners stealing.

McCurdy ended his career with a .978 fielding percentage and was among the league's best defensive infielders. He led all ACC third basemen in fielding percentage in 2008 and 2009 and did not make a single error in 28 ACC games as a junior. McCurdy made only 19 errors in 865 career chances.

Offensively, McCurdy posted a .397 career on base percentage and struck out only 44 times in 820 career plate appearances. He was also hit by 69 pitches, setting the ACC career and single-season records in that category.

Academically, McCurdy excelled as well and earned All-ACC Academic Baseball Team honors twice and ACC Academic Honor Roll honors three times.

Following his senior season, McCurdy signed a professional contract with the Houston Astros organization and spent his first season as a catcher at the Rookie and Class-A levels. McCurdy will continue his professional baseball career in 2011 and will stay on staff with the Blue Devils until spring training begins in February.

The Edwin Thompson File

- 1st season at Duke
- Serves as Duke's recruiting coordinator
- Coaches Duke's outfielders and assists with hitting
- Head coach at Bates College (D-III) in 2009 and 2010
- Led Bates to school-record 25 wins in 2010 as team led the NESCAC in home runs, stolen bases and fielding percentage
- Played collegiately at Howard, Maryland and Webber

The Ryan McCurdy File

- Four-year starter at Duke from 2007-10
- 1st season as an assistant coach at Duke
- Coaches Duke's catchers and runs bunting program
- Oversees Duke Baseball Academy camps
- Started at four different positions at Duke
- Led all ACC third basemen in fielding percentage in 2008 and 2009
- Duke's all-time leader in times hit by pitch