

**1986
BIG EAST
COACH OF THE YEAR**



HISTORY & HONORS

Teams of Tradition

1952 NCAA FINALISTS

Accused by basketball fans and writers alike as undeserving of their surprise NCAA bid after a hasty and unexpected ousting from the NIT by La Salle, St. John's set out for Raleigh, N.C., determined to at least justify its presence in the Eastern Regionals. The justification would have to come at the expense of the host team, NC State, which had won 29 successive tournament games at home.

The Redmen, as they were known, needed to beat Coach Everett Case's team in order get a chance to avenge an 81-40 loss to Adolph Rupp's Kentucky Wildcats, who

defeated them earlier in the year. Rupp's squad routed Penn State in its NCAA opening round game, 82-54. After falling behind early, St. John's, led by Dick Duckett's outside shooting, surged back to take a 28-25 halftime lead. In the third period St. John's wrapped things up, outscoring NC State 19-8. In the end it was St. John's 60, NC State 49 with four St. John's players hitting double figures. Bob Zawoluk was the high scorer for St. John's with 12 points, followed by Duckett and Jack McMahon, who each had 11 apiece. Jim Davis added 10, flicking in five set shots.

In the second round the speculation was that it would take a miracle for the Redmen to upend the Wildcats. Frank McGuire's boys took the court hoping to keep it respectable. For a change, St. John's came out relaxed from the start. In their first meeting against the Rupp men down in Lexington, St. John's shot just 16.7 percent going 10-for-60; in Raleigh, SJU shot 24-for-53 (45.2 percent). St. John's took the early lead and never looked back. Zawoluk and McMahon were sensational in their scoring efforts. Zawoluk set a new NCAA scoring record with 32 points in the game. Ronnie MacGilvray won

over the crowd with his rebounding and stifling defensive play.

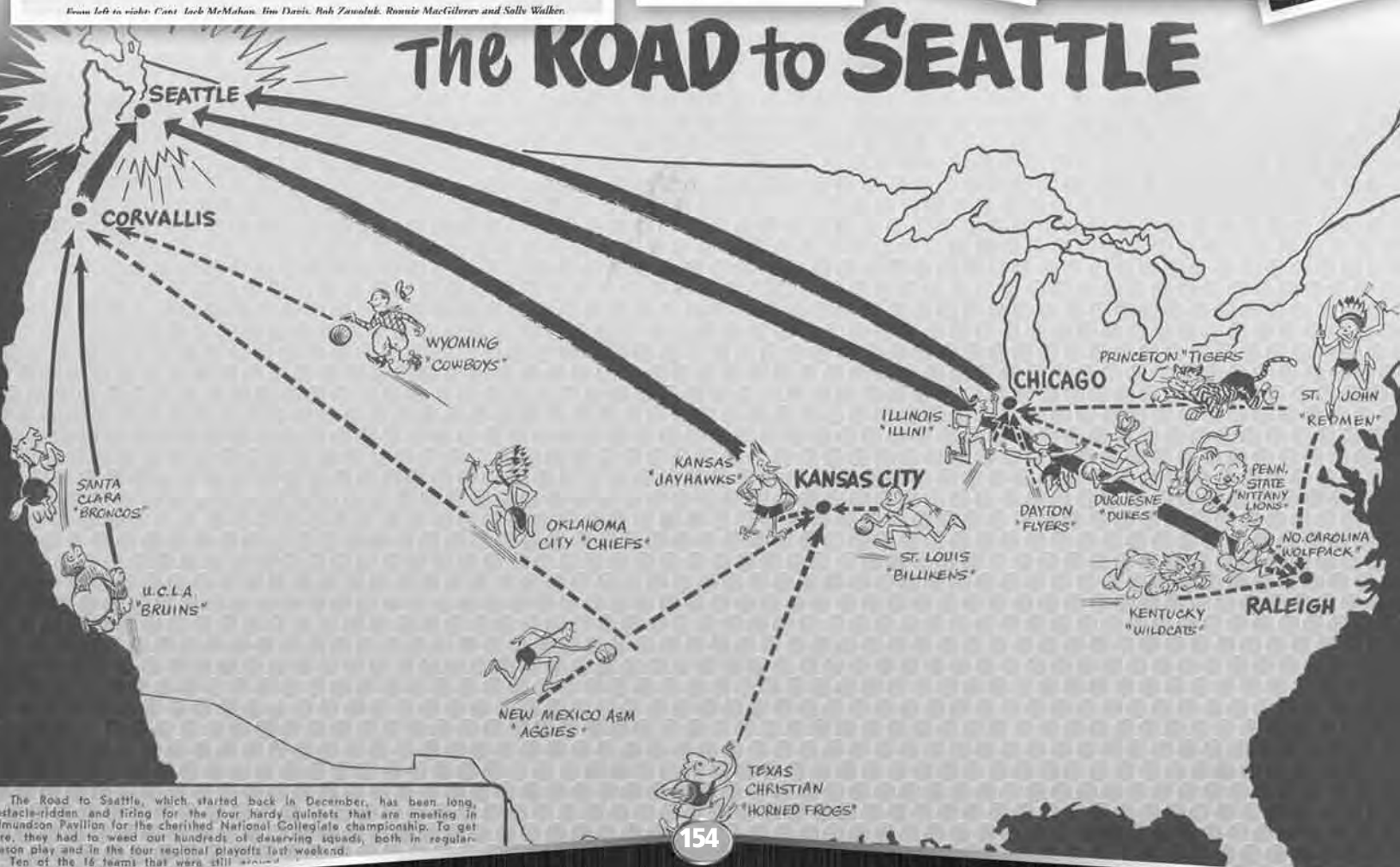
The spark generated by the unbelievable Kentucky triumph carried over to the next game. St. John's had a heart-stopping 61-59 win over favored Illinois in Seattle, Wash. The following night in the championship game, Kansas' Clyde Lovellette personally brought the high-flying Redmen back to earth. The massive center broke the NCAA record for points set days before by Zawoluk with a 33-point performance. The Jayhawks went on to defeat St. John's, 80-63, in the NCAA championship game to capture the crown.



From left to right: Jack McMahon, Jim Davis, Bob Zawoluk, Ronnie MacGilvray and Sally Walker.



The ROAD to SEATTLE



Teams of Tradition

1985 NCAA SEMIFINALISTS

On their way to the second Final Four appearance in school history, the Redmen began the journey slowly in Salt Lake City, easing past Southern University, 83-59, before escaping Arkansas, 68-65. Against Southern, St. John's had three players who scored 20 or more points, led by Walter Berry's 24 with 13 rebounds. Bill Wennington contributed 23 while Chris Mullin added 21 in the game. Mullin keyed the Redmen to the victory over Arkansas with 26. Joe Kleine had 23 for the Razorbacks.

The wins earned St. John's the right to advance to the West

Regional in Denver, Colo., and a meeting with Kentucky. Mullin netted 30 and Willie Glass contributed down the stretch to lift the Redmen to an 86-70 win. That game marked the final contest for Kentucky Coach Joe B. Hall.

The Elite Eight matchup between Lou Carnesecca's St. John's squad and Jim Valvano's NC State team was a back-and-forth affair that earned the tongue-in-cheek moniker "Spaghetti Western" from the sportswriters. Mullin scored 15 of his 25 in the second half, finding an answer for every Wolfpack run. NC

State hung close until the Redmen managed a 10-point lead with 1:22 to play, and shortly after Carnesecca allowed it to sink in — St. John's was headed to the 1985 Final Four.

"With five seconds left in the game, I looked up at the clock and kept thinking, 'We're going... we're going.' I am very much elated to think I'm finally going after 1,000 games," said Carnesecca at a postgame press conference. "When I'm going to my grave, this I'll remember."

Patrick Ewing and Georgetown

stood between St. John's and the title game, which the Redmen had not reached since 1952. The rivalry was intense, as St. John's had defeated the Hoyas earlier that season in Landover, Md., to take the No. 1 national ranking. Georgetown won the next two meetings, once at Madison Square Garden that snapped the Redmen's 14-game conference win streak, and once in the BIG EAST Tournament title game.

The Hoyas would prevail, 77-59, ending the storybook season for St. John's but giving Redmen fans a campaign to remember always.



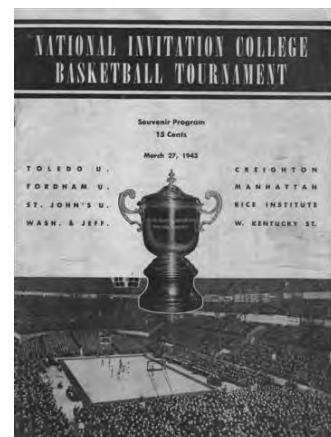
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1943 NIT CHAMPIONS

On the way to its first NIT title, St. John's just got by its opening round matchup against Rice Institute of Houston, Texas. St. John's next edged Rice in the closing seconds, 51-49. Hy Gotkin's one-hander at the buzzer proved to be the game-winner. The team then faced local rival Fordham in the semifinals. St. John's defeated the Rams 69-43 and were led by Harry Boykoff's 22 points. St. John's defeated the University of Toledo, 48-27, to capture its first National Invitation Tournament. Harry Boykoff was named Most Valuable Player of the Tournament, scoring 56 points in the three games.

Season Highlights

- Head coach Joe Lapchick led the squad to a 21-3 record.
- Captain Andrew "Fuzzy" Levane was awarded the Lt. Frank C. Haggerty Trophy, being selected the MVP of the Metropolitan area.
- Levane was awarded the C.Y.O. Trophy, donated by the Brooklyn Chapter of the C.Y.O.
- St. John's received bids to both the NCAA and the NIT.
- Harry Boykoff, St. John's 6-9 center, was awarded the most valuable player award of the sixth annual NIT. This marked the second time that a St. John's player received such a distinction. Bill Lloyd of the 1938-39 team received it previously.
- Boykoff was picked on several All-America teams. He received a gold basketball, emblematic of his selection on the All-America basketball team appearing in The Sporting News.
- Levane was also selected on one All-America team.
- St. John's defeat of Fordham settled the dispute as to who was the 1942-43 metropolitan champion.
- Three players were named to the All-Metropolitan team: Boykoff, Larry Baxter and Levane.



Championship Game: St. John's 48, Toledo 27 Sixth Annual National Invitation Tournament March 29, 1943, Madison Square Garden

St. John's

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Baxter	3	3	2	8
Levane	3	3	0	6
Boykoff	5	6	3	13
Moschetti	6	1	1	13
Plantamura	1	1	1	3
Gotkin	2	1	1	5
Totals	20	15	8	48

Toledo

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Bolyard	2	2	1	5
Turnell	0	0	0	0
Minor	0	3	0	0
Edwards	0	0	0	0
Glass	1	1	0	2
Heiny	0	0	0	0
Harmon	2	2	2	6
Zuber	3	4	3	9
Grove	2	3	1	5
Kucer	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	15	7	27

	1st	2nd	Final
St. John's	22	26	48
Toledo	16	11	27

All Games:

March 18, 1943 (1st Quarterfinals)
Wash 43, Creighton 42
Toledo 54, Manhattan 47

March 22, 1943 (2nd Quarterfinals)
St. John's 51, Rice 49
Fordham 60, Western Kentucky 58

March 27, 1943 (Semifinals)
Toledo 46, Wash 39
St. John's 69, Fordham 43

March 29, 1943 (Consolation)
Wash. & Jeff. 39, Fordham 34



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1944 NIT CHAMPIONS

In the first victory on the way to back-to-back NIT titles, St. John's defeated Bowling Green in the quarterfinals by a score of 44-40. St. John's was led by Bill Kotsores' 15 points. Kotsores scored 15 more points against Kentucky to help the team to a 48-45 victory. St. John's won its second consecutive title with a 47-39 victory over DePaul in the championship game. Ray Wertis led the team with 12 points. Bill Kotsores was named MVP, scoring 40 points in three games.

Season Highlights

- During head coach Joe Lapchick's eighth year at St. John's, the varsity played 23 games and won 18.
- Dick McGuire was awarded the Lt. Frank C. Haggerty Trophy, being selected as the most valuable basketball player in the Metropolitan college ranks.
- St. John's accepted a bid to the NIT and it won the seventh-ever NIT title by defeating DePaul in the finals. This marked the second consecutive NIT championship for St. John's.
- Bill Kotsores was named the Most Valuable Player of the NIT. This marked the third time in seven years that a St. John's player received such a distinction.
- Captain Hy Gotkin was awarded the MVP and the Most Outstanding Player Award of the Year by the St. John's Athletic Association. Gotkin became the second recipient of the Lt. Frank C. Haggerty gold medal.

- McGuire and Gotkin were placed on the All-Metropolitan team by the Basketball Writers Association.
- Five of St. John's players were picked by the basketball writers to play on the Brooklyn All-Star team vs. the New York All-Star team, in a game which sponsored the Sale of War Bonds for the Fourth War Loan Drive. Brooklyn won the game, 47-43.



Championship Game:
St. John's 47, DePaul 39
Seventh Annual
National Invitation Tournament
March 26, 1944,
Madison Square Garden

St. John's

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Kotsores	3	8	4	10
Larkin	0	0	0	0
Wertis	6	0	0	12
Summer	4	4	1	9
Wehr	1	1	1	3
Duym	3	4	3	9
Gotkin	2	0	0	4
Totals	19	17	9	47

DePaul

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Dean	4	1	0	8
Allen	1	0	0	2
Condon	0	0	0	0
Stump	1	0	0	2
Comerford	1	0	0	2
Riordan	0	0	0	0
Mikan	4	6	5	13
Phelan	0	0	0	0
Triptow	4	3	2	10
Kachan	1	0	0	2
DiBenedetto	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	10	7	39

	1st	2nd	Final
St. John's	26	21	47
DePaul	24	15	39

All Games:

Quarterfinals
 Oklahoma A&M 43, Canisius 29
 Kentucky 46, Utah 38
 St. John's 44, Bowling Green 40
 DePaul 68, Muhlenberg 45

Semifinals
 St. John's 48, Kentucky 45
 DePaul 41, Oklahoma A&M 38

Consolation
 Kentucky 45, Oklahoma A&M 29

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1959 NIT CHAMPIONS

St. John's defeated Villanova in the first round by a score of 75-67. St. John's was led by Alan Seiden with 25 points and Lou Roethel added 21. Tony Jackson exploded for 27 points against third-seeded St. Bonaventure in the quarterfinals, leading the team to an 82-74 victory. Roethel scored 22 and Jackson added 20 in a 76-55 win over the Providence Friars in the semifinals. St. John's took its third NIT title by defeating top-seeded Bradley 76-71 in double overtime. Seiden scored 22 and Jackson had 21 points and 27 rebounds in the game. Jackson, who was named MVP of the tournament, totaled 81 points for the four games.

Season Highlights

- Head coach Joe Lapchick led his team to a 20-6 record.
- St. John's captured its first ECAC Holiday Festival title with a 90-79 victory over St. Joseph's in the final. Tony Jackson was named Most Valuable Player.
- Alan Seiden surpassed 1,000 points for his career against Temple on Jan. 3, 1958.
- St. John's captured its third NIT title with a 76-71 double overtime win against Bradley. Tony Jackson became the fourth St. John's player to be named MVP of the NIT.
- Tony Jackson set a school record with 27 rebounds in one game.
- St. John's finished ranked 17th in the nation by UPI.



Championship Game:
St. John's 76, Bradley 71
22nd Annual
National Invitation Tournament
March 21, 1959,
Madison Square Garden

St. John's

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Engert	2	2	0	4
Alfieri	5	5	5	15
Jackson	9	4	3	21
Seiden	7	10	8	22
Roethel	5	2	2	12
Pedone	0	0	0	0
Ryan	1	1	0	2
Durkin	0	0	0	0
Dellecave	0	0	0	0
Genirs	0	0	0	0
Daley	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	24	18	76

Bradley

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Morse	6	5	4	16
McDade	6	6	4	16
Owens	4	2	2	10
Mason	7	6	4	18
Smith	4	0	0	8
Saunders	1	2	1	3
Voegel	0	0	0	0
Hewitt	0	0	0	0
Granby	0	0	0	0
Kissel	0	0	0	0
Kissock	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	21	15	71

All Games:

Seeded Teams - Bradley, St. Louis,
 St. Bonaventure, Oklahoma City

First Round

Butler 94, Fordham 80
 NYU 90, Denver 81
 Providence 68, Manhattan 66
 St. John's 75, Villanova 67

Quarterfinals

Bradley 83, Butler 77
 NYU 63, Oklahoma City 48
 Providence 75, St. Louis 72 (2OT)
 St. John's 82, St. Bonaventure 74

Semifinals

Bradley 59, NYU 57
 St. John's 76, Providence 55

Consolation

NYU 71, Providence 57

Teams of Tradition

1965 NIT CHAMPIONS



St. John's had to play both seeded teams en route to the school's fourth NIT title. In the first round, the team faced Boston College, defeating BC handily by a score of 114-92. Ken McIntyre scored 42 in the game. In the quarterfinals, St. John's played second-seeded New Mexico. McIntyre again led the team to a 61-54 victory scoring 20 points in the game. St. John's took on Army in the semifinals, and won by seven points, 67-60. In the final the team took on top-seeded Villanova, and St. John's shocked the Wildcats, 55-51. The McIntyre brothers (Ken and Rob) and Lloyd "Sonny" Dove accounted for 48 of the team's 55 points. Ken McIntyre was named MVP of the tournament. He totaled 101 points in the four games.

Season Highlights

- Head coach Joe Lapchick ended his career with a 55-51 win over Villanova in the Championship game of the NIT. This marked the fourth time that Lapchick led St. John's to the NIT Championship.
- Lapchick's 1964-65 squad ended the season with a 21-8 record. In his 20 years as head coach of St. John's, Lapchick had a career record of 334-130.
- St. John's shocked Michigan, the No. 1 team in the nation according to both the UPI and AP polls. St. John's beat the Wolverines 75-74 in the final of the ECAC Holiday Festival to capture the school's second ECAC title.
- Ken McIntyre surpassed the 1,000 career point mark on Feb. 23, 1965 against UMass.



Championship Game:
St. John's 55, Villanova 51
28th Annual
National Invitation Tournament
March 20, 1965,
Madison Square Garden

St. John's

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Houston	1	3	3	5
Dove	7	4	0	14
McIntyre, R.	6	4	4	16
McIntyre, K.	8	3	2	18
Duerr	1	0	0	2
Wirell	0	1	0	0
Swartz	0	0	0	0
Cluess	0	0	0	0
Hill	0	0	0	0
Mascia	0	0	0	0
Menar	0	0	0	0
Jones	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	15	9	55

Villanova

	FG	FTA	FT	PTS
Washington	6	8	6	18
Soens	2	0	0	4
Melchionni	2	1	0	4
Erickson	3	0	0	6
Leftwich	7	1	1	15
Schaffer	2	2	0	4
Turk	0	0	0	0
Traynor	0	0	0	0
Kelleher	0	0	0	0
Kenny	0	0	0	0
McGuire	0	0	0	0
Gaidjunas	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	12	7	51

All Games:

Seeded Teams: Villanova, New Mexico

First Round

St. John's 114, Boston College 92
 Manhattan 71, Texas Western 53
 Western Kentucky 57, Fordham 53
 Army 70, St. Louis 66
 NYU 71, Bradley 70
 Detroit 93, La Salle 86

Quarterfinals

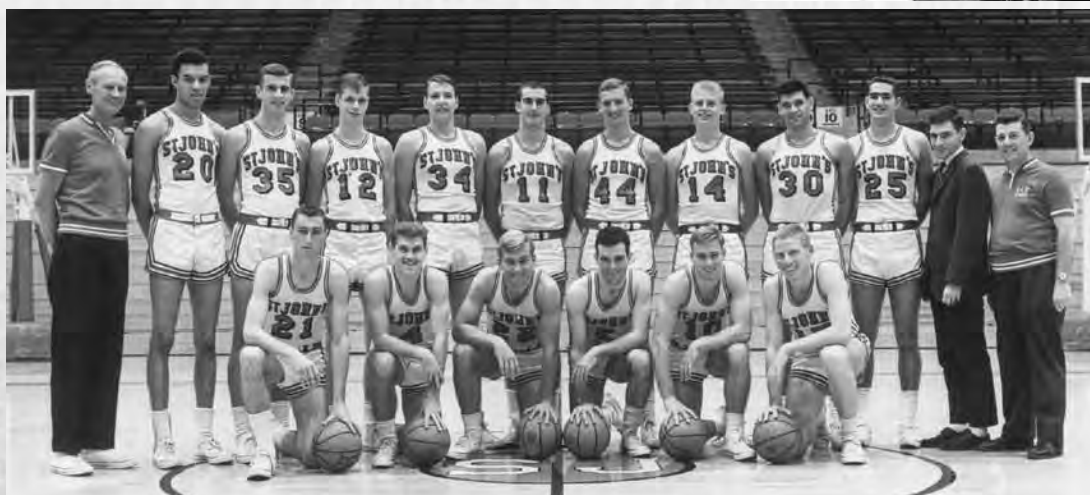
St. John's 61, New Mexico 54
 Villanova 73, Manhattan 71
 NYU 87, Detroit 76
 Army 58, Western Kentucky 54

Semifinals

Villanova 91, NYU 69
 St. John's 67, Army 60

Consolation

Army 75, NYU 74



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1989 NIT CHAMPIONS

St. John's received a home game in the first round against Mississippi. The team defeated Mississippi 70-67 with Jayson Williams leading the way with 25 points. St. John's once again received a home bid in the second round against Oklahoma State. The team came back from a 32-30 halftime deficit to win 76-64. Williams led all scorers with 27. The squad was then sent to Ohio State for a third round meeting. That marked the second meeting between the two teams that season. The first meeting was in the final of the ECAC Holiday Festival, when the Buckeyes beat St. John's 77-72. Once again, St. John's came from behind, erasing a 17-point deficit to send the game into overtime. St. John's won the game in overtime without its star Williams (who fouled out late in regulation) by a score of 83-80. In the semifinals, St. John's took on the University of Alabama-Birmingham. St. John's won the game 76-65, as freshman Malik Sealy and Williams each scored 17 in the game. St. John's would then have to face St. Louis University, the last obstacle in its comeback season. St. John's defeated St. Louis 73-65 to capture the school's fifth NIT title and the first for head coach Lou Carnesecca. Jayson Williams was named MVP of the Tournament.

Season Highlights

- For the 19th time the Lou Carnesecca's Era, St. John's finished the season with 20 or more wins.
- St. John's won a record fifth NIT title with a 73-65 victory over St. Louis.
- Jayson Williams became the sixth St. John's player to be named MVP of the NIT.
- St. John's won the 14th Annual Joe Lapchick Memorial Tournament with wins over LIU, and BYU in the final. Matt Brust was named MVP of the Tournament.



Championship Game: St. John's 73, St. Louis 65 52nd Annual National Invitation Tournament March 29, 1989, Madison Square Garden

St. John's

	M	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	O-R	A	PF	PTS
Sealy	40	4-8	3-6	1-2	0	3	11
Williams	39	12-18	4-8	8-18	1	1	28
Werdann	19	0-1	0-0	0-6	1	5	0
Brust	40	2-11	1-2	1-5	8	3	6
Buchanan	40	7-9	7-12	1-5	5	4	21
Muto	4	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	2
Singleton	18	1-1	3-4	1-2	1	0	5
Team				1-3			
Totals	200	27-50	18-32	13-41	16	16	73

Three-point goals: 1-7, 14.3% (Brust 1-6, Sealy 0-1). Blocked Shots: 3 (Williams 2, Sealy). Turnovers: 17 (Sealy 5, Werdann 4, Buchanan 3, Williams 2, Brust 2, Singleton). Steals: 6 (Sealy 2, Brust 2, Buchanan 2). Technical Fouls: Brust.

St. Louis

	M	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	O-R	A	PF	PTS
Bonner	40	5-9	1-6	3-11	5	2	11
Gray	40	8-10	2-6	2-8	4	4	21
Ivestor	20	2-4	0-0	1-1	0	3	4
Newberry	30	3-6	3-4	1-1	3	5	9
Douglass	16	0-4	2-2	1-2	1	5	2
Leuchtfeld	33	4-13	1-1	0-5	2	4	13
Tadysak	6	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0
Smith	10	2-6	0-2	0-1	0	1	5
Braun	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Jones	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0
Starks	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Duff	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Team				1-1			
Totals	200	24-53	9-21	9-30	15	28	65

Three-point goals: 8-19, 41.1% (Leuchtfeld 4-10, Gray 3-4, Smith 1-5). Blocked Shots: 2 (Bonner, Gray). Turnovers 18 (Newberry 5, Gray 4, Bonner 3, Douglass 3, Ivestor 2, Tadysak). Steals 6 (Smith 2, Bonner, Gray, Ivestor, Douglass). Technical Fouls: None.

	1st	2nd	Final
St. John's	34	39	73
St. Louis	28	37	65

All Games:

First Round
 Villanova 76, St. Peter's 56 @ Villanova
 UAB 83, Georgia Southern 74 @ UAB
 Richmond 70, Temple 56 @ Richmond
 St. John's 70, Mississippi 67 @ St. John's
 Wisconsin 63, New Orleans 61 @ Wisconsin
 Penn St. 89, Murray St. 73 @ Penn St.
 Ohio St. 81, Akron 70 @ Ohio St.
 St. Louis 87, S. Illinois 54 @ St. Louis
 Connecticut 67, UNC Charlotte 62 @ UConn
 California 73, Hawaii 57 @ California
 New Mexico 91, Santa Clara 76 @ New Mexico
 Michigan St. 83, Kent 69 @ Michigan St.
 Wichita St. 70, UC-Santa Barbara 62 @ Wichita St.
 Pepperdine 84, N. Mexico St. 69 @ N. Mexico St.
 Nebraska 81, Arkansas St. 79 @ Nebraska
 Oklahoma St. 69, Boise St. 55 @ Oklahoma St.

Second Round

St. Louis 73, Wisconsin 68 @ Wisconsin
 Villanova 76, Penn St. 67 @ Villanova
 Connecticut 73, California 72 @ UConn
 Ohio St. 85, Nebraska 74 @ Ohio St.
 UAB 64, Richmond 61 @ Richmond
 Michigan St. 79, Wichita St. 67 @ Michigan St.
 St. John's 76, Oklahoma St. 64 @ St. John's
 New Mexico 86, Pepperdine 69 @ New Mexico

Third Round

UAB 85, Connecticut 79 @ UConn
 Michigan St. 70, Villanova 63 @ Villanova
 St. Louis 66, New Mexico 65 @ New Mexico
 St. John's 83, Ohio St. 80 (OT) @ Ohio St.

Semifinals

St. Louis 73, Michigan St. 64
 St. John's 76, UAB 65

Consolation

UAB 78, Michigan St. 76 (OT)



Teams of Tradition 2003 NIT CHAMPIONS***

It's amazing what one free throw can do.

The St. John's men's basketball team entered its March 2 game with perennial national power Duke with a 12-12 record. Things weren't looking bright for the Red Storm, who had lofty expectations after qualifying for the program's 27th NCAA Tournament appearance in 2001-02.

But on that day, with a sold out Madison Square Garden crowd and a CBS national television audience watching, St. John's pulled off the upset, topping the Blue Devils, 72-71. Senior guard Marcus Hatten sealed the win with a free throw with no time left.

And that free throw carried the Red Storm to one of the most exciting stretches of basketball in the 97-year history of the program, as St. John's won nine of its last 10 games, capping the season off with a 70-67 win over Georgetown in the NIT Championship game.

The Red Storm finished the season 21-13 overall, and made what would be a difficult finish an exciting ride.

After a brilliant 5-0 start to the season, the Red Storm struggled at the start of the New Year, and entered the final weeks of the season with a 12-12 overall record, and a 5-9 mark in the BIG EAST Conference.

Four-straight losses in February left the team scrambling. The Red Storm used the motivation from the Duke win to win their final two regular season games — at Miami and at home against Rutgers — before upsetting Notre Dame in the first round of the BIG EAST Tournament.

A loss to Boston College in the quarterfinals was diminished by a bid to the NIT, where the team reeled off three-straight wins behind a raucous student cheering section at Alumni Hall — topping Boston University, Virginia and UAB — and advancing to Madison Square Garden for the NIT Final Four.

Hatten scored 24 points and Ingram added 16 as St. John's topped Bobby Knight and Texas Tech in the semifinals, advancing to face league rival Georgetown in the finals. In that game, Hatten had 22 points, Ingram added 19 and junior college transfer Grady Reynolds — a major player down the stretch — scored 13 points and grabbed a career high 14 rebounds as St. John's won its sixth NIT Championship in program history.

*** — St. John's 2003 NIT Championship was vacated by the NCAA in 2006.

Teams of Tradition 1983 BIG EAST CHAMPIONS

The 1982-83 season was for St. John's basketball an achievement of superlative accomplishments. Led by head coach Lou Carnesecca, the Redmen marched to a record-breaking season, including the first-ever BIG EAST Tournament Championship for St. John's.

St. John's played 33 games, the most in school history at that time, won more games than any team prior (28), and entered the postseason for a record 38th time. After tying for first during the regular season in the BIG EAST, the team won three straight games in the league's championship tournament to take home the crown.

The team beat defending NCAA champion North Carolina to open the season, then won 13-straight games, giving them a school-record 14 consecutive season-opening victories. Along the way, they won the ECAC Holiday Festival Tournament for the sixth time, and the third time in four years.

Carnesecca was named Coach of the Year by the National Association of Basketball Coaches, the New York Basketball Writers' Association and several

other organizations. Chris Mullin was the unanimous selection for BIG EAST Player of the Year, and the New York Writers' Haggerty Award. In addition, he became the third player to score more than 1,000 points in two seasons, connecting on nearly 60 percent of his shots from the field.

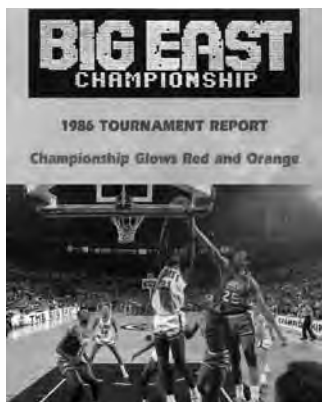
David Russell's rugged inside play gave the St. John's offense a double haymaker and this combination was brought to explosive power by the cool play of swingman Billy Goodwin which matched the fiery competitiveness of Kevin Williams. Floor play was orchestrated by Bobby Kelly and the backbone was supplied by the center couple of Jeff Allen and Bill Wennington, with Ron Stewart and Trevor Jackson in the wings.

In the BIG EAST Tournament, St. John's beat Pittsburgh in the first round, and then topped Villanova in the semifinals. The championship game saw Mullin score 24 points in an 85-77 win over Boston College.



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of the John Wooden Award as the nation's top college player, the Adolph R. Rupp Trophy, the Associated Press' honor, and was the Kodak Player of the Year from the National Association of Basketball Coaches. He scored a still-intact St.

A year after a trip to the program's second-ever Final Four, if anyone was searching for "The Truth," they found it.

In just his second season at St. John's, Walter "The Truth" Berry earned national player of the year honors – the second straight year a St. John's player had done so, as Chris Mullin took the award during the 1984-85 campaign – and led the team to a 31-5 record and the 1986 BIG EAST Tournament Championship.

Berry had, perhaps, the best single season ever in St. John's history in 1985-86, averaging 23.0 points and 11.1 rebounds, while earning award upon award. He was selected as the recipient

John's record 828 points that season and grabbed 399 rebounds, which ranks as the fifth-best single season mark.

The starting five that season – Berry, Ron Rowan, Willie Glass, Mark Jackson and Shelton Jones – ranks among the best in school history. They started every game and accounted for 86 percent of the minutes played, but had outstanding play from reserves like Marco Baldi, Terry Bross, Steve Shurina and John Hempel. Rowan finished the season second on the team in scoring, averaging 14.2 points and 4.4 assists; Glass averaged 13.3 points and 5.6 rebounds; Jackson added 11.3 points and a school record 9.1 assists; and Jones averaged 8.5 points and 5.7 rebounds.

The Redmen had rolled through the regular season, the only blemish a loss to Duke (71-70) in the Big Apple NIT semifinals. They lost only two conference games – to Boston College and Syracuse – by a combined total of six points and finished the regular season tied for first with a 14-2 mark.

And while Berry was the leader of the team, it was Rowan who came through in the Redmen's biggest moment, sinking a 14-foot baseline jumper with eight seconds left and giving St. John's its first lead of the game at 70-69, in a win over Syracuse in the BIG EAST Championship. Berry blocked Dwayne "Pearl" Washington's shot at the buzzer as St. John's won the second of its three BIG EAST Tournament titles.

BIG EAST CHAMPIONSHIP

SYRACUSE (69)							
	m	fg	ft	r	a	pf	pts
Alexis	38	4-13	0-0	6	1	4	8
Triche	38	6-8	1-3	1	1	4	13
Seikaly	31	7-7	2-4	3	0	5	16
Addison	40	6-9	0-0	3	8	0	12
Wshngtn	40	8-14	4-5	3	14	0	20
Monroe	3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0
Walker	10	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0
Totals	200	31-52	7-12	21	24	14	69
ST. JOHN'S (70)							
Glass	40	6-13	7-7	8	1	2	19
Jones	34	3-6	0-0	5	3	2	6
Berry	38	5-10	6-7	9	1	4	16
Jackson	40	5-14	0-0	1	9	2	10
Rowan	39	6-11	1-2	4	5	1	13
Hempel	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Bross	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0
Baldi	6	1-2	4-4	1	0	0	6
Totals	200	26-56	18-20	35	19	12	70

SYRACUSE 39 30 — 69
ST. JOHN'S 28 42 — 70
 Blocked shots: Syracuse 2 (Triche, Seikaly). St. John's 2 (Jones, Berry). Turnovers: Syracuse 4 (Addison 2, Washington, Alexis). St. John's 8 (Glass 4, Rowan 3, Jackson). Steals: Syracuse 5 (Addison 3, Washington 2). St. John's 2 (Glass, Rowan). A: 19,591. Officials: Dick Paparo, Jody Sylvester, Pete Pavia.



Teams of Tradition

2000 BIG EAST CHAMPIONS

For St. John's, Red Storm fans and the "city that never sleeps," the 2000 BIG EAST title was almost as good as winning the national championship.

The nets were cut, and the celebration began. Players and coaches hugged family members, staff and each other. The trophy was carried around the floor and adored by one and all.

The night of March 11, 2000 was not just any night for the St. John's men's basketball team. The Red Storm's 80-70 win over Connecticut at Madison Square Garden gave the team its first BIG EAST Tournament Championship since 1986, but it was also the fitting end to a hectic, and at times, challenging season.

It was fitting because this St. John's team had overcome obstacles time and time again throughout the season. And just when people were counting the Red Storm out, they came back — each time.

The team was tough and resilient. While small in numbers — there were only eight scholarship players and head coach Mike Jarvis used a seven-man rotation for the most part — the team jelled and played without fear.

That never-quit mentality was never more evident than during a stretch in late February when the Red Storm toppled Syracuse, Connecticut and Duke in consecutive games. The wins over the Huskies and Blue Devils marked the first time in recorded history that the national champion (UConn) and national runner-up (Duke) had lost to the same team back-to-back.

The BIG EAST Tournament was equally exciting. St. John's used a late run to beat Villanova in the opener and then came a heated rivalry with Miami. In a tight game, sophomore forward Anthony Glover — who had missed his previous five attempts — hit two free throws with 2.2 seconds left to give St. John's a 58-57 win over the Hurricanes and a spot in the championship game.

In a rematch of the previous year's championship game, Bootsyt Thornton — who earned tournament MVP honors — scored 22 points to lead four players in double figures in an 80-70 win over Connecticut.



AWARD WINNERS

NATIONAL AWARDS

Associated Press

Player of the Year

Walter Berry 1986

United Press International

Player of the Year

Chris Mullin 1985

Walter Berry 1986

United Press International

Coach of the Year

Lou Carnesecca 1985

U.S. Basketball Writers Association

Player of the Year

Chris Mullin 1985

Walter Berry 1986

U.S. Basketball Writers Association

Coach of the Year

Lou Carnesecca 1983, '85

John R. Wooden Award

Chris Mullin 1985

Walter Berry 1986

Francis Pomeroy-Naismith Award

Frank Alagia 1976

Greg "Boo" Harvey 1990

NABC Player of the Year

Walter Berry 1986

NABC Coach of the Year

Lou Carnesecca 1983

Eastman Award

Walter Berry 1986

NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship

Frank Gilroy 1981

CONSENSUS ALL-AMERICANS

First Team

Harry Boykoff 1943

Chris Mullin 1985

Walter Berry 1986

Second Team

Bob Zawoluk 1952

Alan Seiden 1959

Tony Jackson 1960, '61

Lloyd "Sonny" Dove 1967

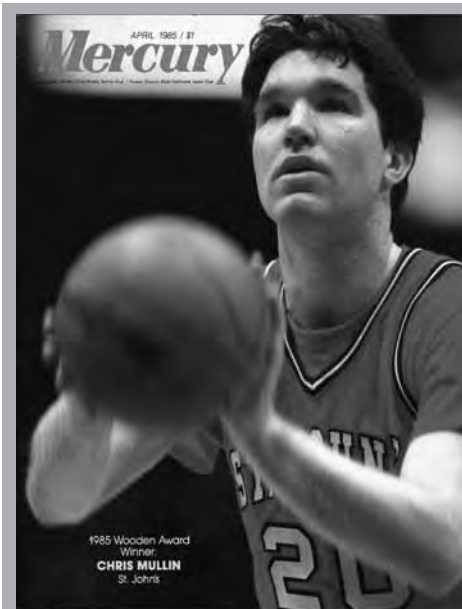
Chris Mullin 1984

Mark Jackson 1987

Malik Sealy 1992

Third Team

Ron Artest 1999



CONFERENCE AWARDS

ALL-BIG EAST

First Team

Reggie Carter 1980

David Russell 1982

Chris Mullin 1983, '84, '85

Mark Jackson 1986, '87

Walter Berry 1986

Greg "Boo" Harvey 1990

Malik Sealy 1991, '92

David Cain 1993

Felipe Lopez 1998

Ron Artest 1999

Erick Barkley 2000

Marcus Hatten 2002, '03

Lamont Hamilton 2007

Second Team

Wayne McKoy 1980

David Russell 1980, '81, '83

Chris Mullin 1982

Bill Wennington 1985

Walter Berry 1985

Shelton Jones 1988

Jayson Williams 1989

Malik Sealy 1990

Jason Buchanan 1991

Shawnelle Scott 1993

Zendon Hamilton 1996, '97, '98

Bootsy Thornton 1999

Lavor Postell 2000

Third Team

Wayne McKoy 1981

Frank Gilroy 1981

Billy Goodwin 1982, '83

Bill Wennington 1984

Mike Moses 1985

Willie Glass 1986

Michael Porter 1988

Robert Werdann 1991

Lamont Middleton 1993

Shawnelle Scott 1994

Felipe Lopez 1995, '97

Lavor Postell 1999

Bootsy Thornton 2000

Omar Cook 2001

Daryll Hill 2005

Anthony Mason Jr. (HM) 2008

All-Rookie

David Russell 1980

Chris Mullin 1982

Mark Jackson 1984

Willie Glass 1984

Malik Sealy 1989

Felipe Lopez 1995

Zendon Hamilton 1995

Ron Artest 1998

Erick Barkley 1999

Anthony Glover 2000

Omar Cook 2001

Justin Burrell 2008

BIG EAST Player of the Year

Chris Mullin 1983, '84, '85
Walter Berry 1986

BIG EAST Rookie of the Year

David Russell 1980

BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year

Mark Jackson 1987

FRANK C. HAGGERTY AWARD

MVP of college basketball in the Metropolitan area

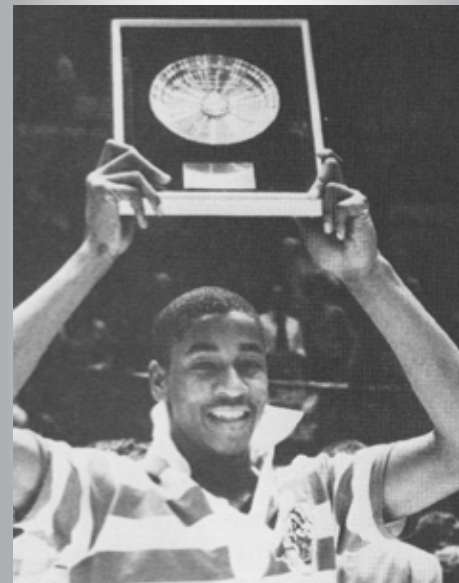
Jack "Dutch" Garfinkel 1941
Jim White 1942
Andrew "Fuzzy" Levane 1943
Dick McGuire 1944, '49
Bill Kotsores 1945
Ron MacGilvray 1952
Alan Seiden 1959
Tony Jackson 1961
LeRoy Ellis 1962
Lloyd "Sonny" Dove 1967
Bill Schaeffer 1973
George Johnson 1978
Chris Mullin 1983, '84, '85
Walter Berry 1986
Mark Jackson 1987
Greg "Boo" Harvey 1990
Malik Sealy 1991, '92
Felipe Lopez 1998
Ron Artest 1999
Marcus Hatten 2002

ST. JOHN'S HALL OF FAME

Name	Year Inducted
LeRoy Ellis.....	1984
James "Buck" Freeman	1984
Joe Lapchick.....	1984
Frank McGuire.....	1984
Dick McGuire.....	1984
Harry Boykoff.....	1985
Tony Jackson.....	1985
Mac Kinsbrunner.....	1985
Kevin Loughery.....	1985
Jack McMahon.....	1985
Lou Carnesecca.....	1986
Hy Gotkin.....	1986
Jack "Dutch" Garfinkel.....	1986
Andrew "Fuzzy" Levane	1986
Alan Seiden.....	1986
John Warren.....	1986
Lloyd "Sonny" Dove	1987
Reggie Carter.....	1987
Bill Schaeffer.....	1989
William McKeever.....	1990
Mel Davis.....	1990
Gerard Bush.....	1990
Frank Alagia.....	1991
John "Taps" Gallagher	1991
Marty Satalino.....	1991
George Johnson	1992
James White.....	1992
Bob McIntyre	1993
Solly Walker	1993
Alfred "Dusty" DeStefano.....	1994
Gerry Calabrese.....	1994
David Russell.....	1995
Billy Paultz.....	1996
Frank Gilroy.....	1998
Glen Williams.....	1999
Ron Rutledge.....	1999
Ken McIntyre.....	2001
Bill Wennington.....	2001



TONY JACKSON AND JOE LAPCHICK



DAVID RUSSELL



BILLY SCHAEFFER

NAISMITH BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME



Joe Lapchick
Inducted 1966



Frank McGuire
Inducted 1976



Willis Reed
Inducted 1981



Al McGuire
Inducted 1992



Lou Carnesecca
Inducted 1992



Dick McGuire
Inducted 1993

ST. JOHN'S BASKETBALL HISTORY

DEC. 6, 1907

St. John's plays its first varsity game, a 34-13 loss to NYU.

JAN. 3, 1908

St. John's gains its first varsity victory, 18-17 over Adelphi.

DEC. 10, 1908

Ted Jollon becomes the first St. John's player to score 20 points in a game, totaling 21 in a 47-20 win over Cathedral.

DEC. 3, 1909

St. John's defeats St. Stephen's 96-5, setting a school record for widest margin of victory and fewest points allowed.

FEB. 17, 1911

St. John's concludes 14-0 season with 32-27 win over Rochester. The team was named National Collegiate Basketball Champion by Helms Athletic Foundation.

JAN. 12, 1922

Vince O'Brien scores 29 of St. John's 31 points in a one-point loss to Fordham. (George Keenan had the other two.)

DEC. 3, 1927

Buck Freeman's first game as coach. St. John's beats CCNY 26-21.

DEC. 4, 1929

The "Wonder Five" plays together for the first time, defeating Columbus Council K of C 32-29 in overtime.



JAN. 25, 1930

St. John's suffers its only loss of a 23-1 season, 31-21 at Providence.

JAN. 19, 1931

In a special charity game arranged by Mayor Jimmy Walker, St. John's defeats CCNY 17-9. It is the first college game at Madison Square Garden.

FEB. 7, 1931

NYU tops the Wonder Five 27-23, snapping the longest winning streak in school history, 24 games over two seasons. It was the only loss in a 21-1 season.

FEB. 20, 1931

St. John's beats Carnegie Tech 24-18. The game is filmed for the first time for news purposes.

DEC. 31, 1931

St. John's defeats Manhattan 16-6 at Madison Square Garden as the Jaspers fail to score a field goal.

DEC. 9, 1932

First game in the "new" DeGray Gym. St. John's beats St. John's of Maryland 34-10.

DEC. 29, 1934

First regularly scheduled double-header at Madison Square Garden. St. John's loses to Westminster 37-33 after NYU defeats Notre Dame 25-18 in the opener.

MARCH 6, 1936

Buck Freeman coaches his last game, a 43-34 win over Providence. In nine seasons, Freeman compiled a 171-31 record for a winning percentage of .851, the highest in NCAA history.

DEC. 4, 1936

Joe Lapchick's first game as coach. St. John's beats Seton Hall 48-24.

FEB. 4, 1939

St. John's tops West Virginia 51-50 in what many consider the most exciting game played in DeGray Gym.

MARCH 15, 1939

St. John's makes its first appearance in the National Invitation Tournament and defeats previously unbeaten Roanoke 71-47. Bill Lloyd scores 31 to become the first St. John's player

to break the 30-point mark.

MARCH 22, 1939

St. John's loses to Bradley 40-35 in the third place game of the NIT. Bill Lloyd, who led all scorers with 50 points over three games, is named Most Valuable Player of the tournament.

MARCH 10, 1941

St. Francis students kidnap Chief Blackjack and St. John's students kidnap St. Francis captain Tony Bragnetz. After an exchange, St. Francis beats St. John's 55-41.

FEB. 8, 1943

Harry Boykoff scores 45 points against St. Joseph's at Madison Square Garden in a 76-46 win. Boykoff becomes the first player in school history to break the 40-point mark.

MARCH 29, 1943

St. John's beats Toledo 48-27 to win the first of its six NIT championships. Harry Boykoff, who led all scorers with 56 points in three games, is named MVP.

APRIL 1, 1943

St. John's, the NIT champ, meets Wyoming, the NCAA champ, in the Red Cross Benefit game at Madison Square Garden. Wyoming won 52-47 in overtime.

MARCH 24, 1944

St. John's defeats DePaul 47-39 to win a second consecutive NIT championship. Bill Kotsos is named MVP.

MARCH 30, 1944

St. John's plays Utah, the NCAA champ, in the Red Cross Benefit game at Madison Square Garden and loses 44-36.

FEB. 7, 1946

St. John's makes its first road trip by plane to play Boston College. The Redmen defeat the Eagles 69-44 at the Boston Garden.

FEB. 15, 1947

Harry Boykoff becomes the first St. John's player to score 1,000 career points in a 46-36 win over Niagara at Buffalo.

MARCH 11, 1947

Harry Boykoff scores 54 points to set a Madison Square Garden record as St. John's beats St. Francis 71-52.

MARCH 15, 1947

St. John's loses to North Carolina State in the opening round of the NIT, Joe Lapchick's last game before heading off to coach the New York Knicks of the fledgling NBA.

DEC. 17, 1947

Frank McGuire wins his first game as coach, 66-46 over Iona. Larry Jacobson scores 23 points.

JAN. 5, 1950

St. John's is ranked No. 1 in the first poll of the season released by *The Associated Press*. The Redmen held the top spot for one more week.

MARCH 3, 1950

Bob Zawoluk scores 65 points, the St. John's all-time record for a game, as St. John's beats St. Peter's 105-61 at DeGray. He finished the season with 588 points to become the first St. John's player to record more than 500 points and average more than 20 points a game (20.3).

JAN. 11, 1951

St. John's, ranked No. 11, knocks off No. 1 Bradley 68-59 at Madison Square Garden.

DEC. 17, 1951

Second-ranked St. John's travels to No. 1 Kentucky and suffers its worst defeat in school history, 81-40. It also is the largest margin of victory for a 1-2 matchup in college basketball history.

MARCH 22, 1952

St. John's beats No. 1 Kentucky 64-57 in the Eastern Regional of the NCAA tournament, avenging the worst loss in school history.

MARCH 26, 1952

St. John's falls to Kansas 80-63 in the NCAA championship game at Seattle.

MARCH 14, 1953

St. John's loses 58-46 to Seton Hall in the NIT championship game, after beating Saint Louis, La Salle and Duquesne.

DEC. 6, 1956

Joe Lapchick, after coaching the New York Knicks for nine seasons, returns as coach. St. John's beats Merchant Marine Academy 96-48.

DEC. 8, 1956

In the last game at DeGray Gym, St. John's beats Roanoke 103-65. St. John's posted an all-time record at DeGray of 156 wins to only 11 losses for a .934 winning percentage.

FEB. 28, 1957

St. John's plays its longest game, a 61-59 triple-overtime loss to Manhattan at Madison Square Garden.

MARCH 15, 1958

St. John's beats Utah 71-70 in NIT semifinals in nationally televised game. Lou Roethel's shot at the buzzer wins it for the Redmen.

MARCH 21, 1959

St. John's takes its third NIT title with double-overtime victory over Bradley 76-71. MVP Tony Jackson sets a school record with 27 rebounds in the championship game.

DEC. 6, 1961

Alumni Hall opens with St. John's beating George Washington, 79-65.

DEC. 30, 1961

LeRoy Ellis sets a school record with 30 rebounds in a 77-58 win over NYU.

JAN. 13, 1962

Creighton's Paul Silas grabs 24 rebounds in a 72-52 loss to the Redmen, the most by an opponent at Alumni Hall.

MARCH 24, 1962

St. John's loses to Dayton 73-67 in the championship game of the NIT after beating Holy Cross and Duquesne.

JAN. 2, 1965

Unranked St. John's shocks No. 1 Michigan 75-74 to win ECAC Holiday Festival.

MARCH 20, 1965

Joe Lapchick finishes his long coaching career with a 55-51 victory over Villanova as St. John's wins its fourth NIT championship. Ken McIntyre scored 101 points in four games, including 42 against Boston College in the opening round, to win MVP.

DEC. 4, 1965

Lou Carnesecca's first game as coach. St. John's beats Georgetown 64-62 in overtime in Washington.

DEC. 28, 1968

St. John's begins a three-game stretch against the best in college basketball, beating second-ranked North Carolina 72-70 in the semifinals

ST. JOHN'S	OPPONENT	SCORE	DATE	LOCATION
0	TOLSON	W	12/1/50	EC
1	DOCTOR	W	12/2/50	EC
2	DALETON	W	12/3/50	EC
3	BRISTELL	W	12/4/50	EC
4	BOYKOFF	W	12/5/50	EC
5	CHURCH	W	12/6/50	EC
6	MCCORMACK	W	12/7/50	EC
7	JACKSON	W	12/8/50	EC
8	TELAN	W	12/9/50	EC
9	BRIDLEY	W	12/10/50	EC
10	MANHATTAN	W	12/11/50	EC

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of the ECAC Holiday Festival.

DEC. 30, 1968

St. John's loses in the championship game of the Holiday Festival to top-ranked UCLA and Lew Alcindor, 74-56.

JAN. 4, 1969

St. John's meets second-ranked Davidson in Charlotte, N.C. and won 75-74 on Billy Paultz's last-second shot.

DEC. 29, 1969

In the Rainbow Classic in Honolulu, Pete Maravich of LSU scores 53 points in a 78-70 win over St. John's.

MARCH 21, 1970

After five seasons, Lou Carnesecca leaves St. John's to coach the New York Nets of the American Basketball Association. In his final game, St. John's lost 65-53 to Al McGuire and Marquette in the NIT championship game.

FEB. 20, 1971

St. John's records its 1,000th win with a 74-67 triumph over Temple at Alumni Hall.

FEB. 8, 1972

In an 86-75 win over Notre Dame, Mel Davis breaks the 1,000-point barrier in his 47th game. Davis reached the milestone in one less game than Bob Zawoluk had in 1951.

DEC. 16, 1972

Kermit Washington of American University matches the Alumni Hall record for most rebounds by an opponent, with 24 in a 79-75 win over St. John's.

DEC. 30, 1972

St. John's wins its third Holiday Festival title, beating South Carolina 86-79. Billy Schaeffer, who scored 104 points over four games, was named MVP. He finished the season with a 24.7 points per game average, still a single-season record.

MARCH 3, 1973

Ernie DeGregorio of Providence scores 43 points, the most by an opponent in Alumni Hall, in a 93-30 win over St. John's.

NOV. 30, 1973

Lou Carnesecca returned as coach and St. John's beat Jacksonville 69-64 in Clemson's IPTAY Tournament.

NOV. 28-29, 1975

St. John's debuts its own Joe Lapchick Memorial Tournament, defeating Colgate and Manhattan to win the title.

DEC. 12, 1975

Tennessee's "Ernie and Bernie Show" visits Alumni Hall. Ernie Grunfeld and Bernard King, both from New York, got a taste of city basketball as St. John's wins 79-70.

DEC. 30, 1978

Unranked St. John's beats No. 1 Duke 69-66 in the third-place game of the ECAC Holiday Festival at Madison Square Garden. Duke had lost to Ohio State and St. John's lost to Rutgers in the first round of the tournament.

MARCH 9 & 11, 1979

Despite being the last team invited to the NCAA Tournament, St. John's advanced to the East Regionals by defeating Temple and Duke. With St. John's defeating Duke 80-78 and Penn beating North Carolina on March 11, this day is remembered as "Black Sunday" in the ACC.

MARCH 16, 1979

St. John's advances to the East Regional final of the NCAA Tournament by defeating Rutgers 67-65.

MARCH 18, 1979

St. John's falls three points shy of the Final Four, losing to Penn 64-62 in the East Regional Final.

MAY 8, 1979

The athletic directors from Georgetown, Providence, St. John's and Syracuse agree to form a multi-sports conference.

MAY 31, 1979

The original four schools, along with Boston College, Connecticut and Seton Hall, formally announces the new conference. A month later, "The BIG EAST" became official.

JAN. 5, 1980

St. John's defeats Connecticut 83-73 in its first BIG EAST Conference game. It was the first game produced and televised by The BIG EAST Conference Television Network.



FEB. 1, 1980

St. John's wins its 17th straight game, 64-63 over Rhode Island at Providence, for what was then a "modern" St. John's record.

FEB. 3, 1980

St. John's loses to eventual national champion Louisville 76-71 in the first nationally-televised game at Alumni Hall. The loss snapped a 17-game winning streak.

FEB. 16, 1980

Syracuse edges St. John's 71-70 forcing a three-way tie for first place in the BIG EAST Conference.

NOV. 20, 1982

St. John's defeats Michael Jordan and defending national champion North Carolina 78-74 in overtime in the Tip-Off Classic in Springfield, Mass. Chris Mullin and Kevin Williams are named Co-MVPs.

JAN. 8, 1983

For the second consecutive year, St. John's faces Georgetown before a sellout crowd at Madison Square Garden. The Redmen avenge a 30-point loss in 1982 with a 76-67 victory.

MARCH 12, 1983

St. John's captures its first BIG EAST tournament title with an 85-77 win over Boston College. Chris Mullin is named MVP.

FEB. 11, 1984

Lou Carnesecca becomes St. John's all-time winningest coach with an 84-65 victory over Connecticut. It was Carnesecca's 335th career win, surpassing his mentor, Joe Lapchick.

FEB. 21, 1984

St. John's, behind Chris Mullin's 33 points, shocks second-ranked Georgetown 75-71 at the Cap Centre. This was the Hoyas' last loss of the season en route to the national championship.



DEC. 12, 1984

Chris Mullin surpasses Bob Zawoluk as the all-time leading scorer in St. John's history in a 77-51 win over Davidson.



DEC. 15, 1984

St. John's is shocked 62-59 by Niagara. The Purple Eagles were the only team other than Georgetown to beat St. John's that season.

JAN. 14, 1985

The famous Lou Carnesecca sweater makes its debut in an 87-56 victory over Pittsburgh at Fitzgerald Field House.

JAN. 23, 1985

Chris Mullin scores his 2,000th career point in an 82-80 overtime win against Syracuse at Madison Square Garden.

JAN. 26, 1985

St. John's, ranked third, snaps Georgetown's 29-game winning streak with a 66-65 win over the top-ranked Hoyas at the Cap Centre. Two days later, the Redmen were voted No. 1 in *The Associated Press* poll.

FEB. 17, 1985

St. John's beats DePaul 93-80 before 6,597 fans, the largest crowd ever in Alumni Hall.

FEB. 23, 1985

St. John's defeats Syracuse 88-83 for its 14th straight BIG EAST Conference victory.

FEB. 25, 1985

St. John's, holding the nation's longest current winning streak at 19 games, receives all 64 first-place votes in *The Associated Press* poll. It was the first time St. John's was a unanimous choice since taking the No. 1 ranking from Georgetown on Jan. 28.

FEB. 27, 1985

No. 1-ranked St. John's loses 85-69 to No. 2 Georgetown at Madison Square Garden, snapping a 19-game winning streak and a 14-game conference winning streak.

MARCH 2, 1985

St. John's defeats Providence 72-53, ending the conference regular season with a record-breaking 15-1 mark and clinching its only outright regular-season title in the BIG EAST.

MARCH 9, 1985

No. 2 St. John's loses, 92-80, to No. 1 Georgetown in The BIG EAST tournament championship game.

MARCH 22, 1985

St. John's beats Kentucky, 86-70, in the NCAA West Regional to become the first Redmen team to win 30 games in a season.



MARCH 24, 1985

St. John's defeats North Carolina State 69-60 in the West Regional final to reach the Final Four for the first time since 1952.

MARCH 30, 1985

St. John's, one of three BIG EAST teams in the Final Four, loses to conference rival Georgetown 77-59 in the semifinals. Villanova defeats Memphis State in the first semifinal and beats Georgetown two days later for the NCAA title.

MARCH 8, 1986

Ron Rowan's jumper with eight seconds left and Walter Berry's block on Syracuse's Pearl Washington leads the Redmen to their second BIG EAST tournament title with a 70-69 victory over the Orangemen. This was coach Lou Carnesecca's 400th career win.

NOV. 28, 1986

St. John's sets a then-school record by scoring 126 points against Southern University at Alumni Hall. Willie Glass led the team with 33 points.

MARCH 29, 1989

St. John's defeats St. Louis 73-65 to capture the school's fifth NIT title. Jayson Williams was named MVP.

FEB. 14, 1990

Greg "Boo" Harvey scores 40 points and hits a 3-pointer at the buzzer to seal a 90-81 overtime victory against Seton Hall. This marked the first time a St. John's player scored 40 points since Billy Schaeffer against Grambling in 1972.

NOV. 24, 1990

St. John's scores a school-best 135 points against Central Connecticut State in the final of the Lapchick Tournament. St. John's won 135-92, setting a school record for most points by two teams (227) in a game. Malik Sealy scored 43 points to break Billy Schaeffer's record for most points by a St. John's player at Alumni Hall.

FEB. 2, 1991

Lou Carnesecca wins his 500th game. Jason Buchanan scores 26 points to lead the team past Seton Hall, 81-65, at Madison Square Garden.

JAN. 11, 1992

Malik Sealy becomes the second St. John's player to surpass the 2,000-career point mark as St. John's defeats Boston College, 85-72, at Alumni Hall.

JAN. 31, 1992

Lou Carnesecca is elected to the Naimsmith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.

APRIL 13, 1992

Lou Carnesecca retires as head basketball coach with a 526-200 career record.

MARCH 1, 1993

St. John's clinches a second-place finish in the BIG EAST with a 90-70 win over Syracuse at Madison Square Garden. St. John's was chosen to finish ninth in the preseason poll. Brian Mahoney would be named conference Coach of the Year.

MARCH 11, 1994

St. John's loses to Connecticut in the quarterfinals of the BIG EAST tournament, marking the first losing season and the first time St. John's did not appear in a postseason tournament in 30 years.

AUGUST 1994

St. John's changes its nickname to the Red Storm.

DEC. 22, 1994

St. John's beats Fordham 76-65 at Alumni Hall to record the school's 1,500th victory and become the fourth NCAA Division I institution to reach that milestone. North Carolina, Kentucky and Kansas were the others.



NOV. 25, 1995

St. John's loses 83-77 to Cal-Irvine in the finals of the last Lapchick Tournament. The loss was the first ever in the Lapchick. St. John's had won the previous 20 titles and went into the game with a 41-game tournament winning streak.

FEB. 7, 1998

Felipe Lopez surpasses Bob Zawoluk to become the school's third all-time leading scorer after posting 17 points against West Virginia. Lopez finished his career with 1,926 points.

JAN. 24, 1999

In one of the best college games ever played at Madison Square Garden, No. 2 Duke beats No. 8 St. John's 92-88 in overtime before a sellout crowd. Seven players foul out and Bootsy Thornton of St. John's scores a career-high 40 points.

MARCH 20, 1999

Ohio State beats St. John's 77-74 to win the South Regional of the NCAA tournament. Lavor Postell is named to the all-regional team.

FEB. 26, 2000

St. John's beats No. 2 Duke, 83-82, before a raucous crowd at Cameron Indoor Stadium to become the first team in NCAA history to defeat the national champion and runner-up from the previous season. St. John's downed Connecticut 79-64 at Madison Square Garden

six days earlier.

MARCH 11, 2000

Erick Barkley returns from a brief "leave of absence" to lead St. John's to its first BIG EAST tournament title in 14 years. Back-courtmate Bootsy Thornton was named Most Outstanding Player in an 80-70 win over Connecticut.

NOV. 18, 2000

Freshman Omar Cook sets the single-game assist record at St. John's with 17 in a 92-62 win against Stony Brook.

FEB. 9, 2002

Marcus Hatten scores 34 points to lead St. John's to an 85-83 overtime win against Connecticut at Madison Square Garden. Hatten set a Big East record by making 21 of 25 free throws.

JAN. 27, 2003

Marcus Hatten totals 26 points in a 74-68 loss to Connecticut. Hatten, with 1,006 points, reached the 1,000-point mark in 48 games, one shy of matching Mel Davis' school record.

MARCH 2, 2003

Marcus Hatten amasses a game-high 29 points to lift St. John's to a stunning 72-71 upset of Duke at Madison Square Garden. St. John's trailed 71-60 with 4:05 remaining.

MARCH 6, 2003

Marcus Hatten scores a career-high 44 points, 31 in the second half, in a 75-59 win over Rutgers at Madison Square Garden.

MARCH 10, 2003

Marcus Hatten finishes his BIG EAST career averaging 23.0 points, bettering the league's all-time scoring record of 22.6, set by former Georgetown guard Allen Iverson.

APRIL 4, 2003

St. John's beats BIG EAST rival Georgetown 70-67 in the NIT championship game at Madison Square Garden. Marcus Hatten was chosen MVP. The title was vacated by the NCAA in 2006.

NOV. 23, 2004

Alumni Hall, home to the basketball program since 1961, is renamed Carnesecca Arena to honor the program's winningest head coach. St. Francis (N.Y.) spoiled the festivities with a 53-52 victory.

SEPT. 8, 2005

St. John's opens Taffner Field House, named for longtime program supporters Eleanor and Donald Taffner, to serve as a state-of-the-art practice, training and locker room facility.

JAN. 20, 2006

In a formal ceremony at Carnesecca Arena, "Legacy Honors" are bestowed on 10 of the greatest names in St. John's basketball history. Banners were raised to commemorate the outstanding contributions of Walter Berry, Lou Carnesecca, Sonny Dove, Mark Jackson, Tony Jackson, Joe Lapchick, Dick McGuire, Chris Mullin, Malik Sealy and Alan Seiden.

JAN. 21, 2006

With scores of St. John's legends in attendance, the Red Storm shocks the college basketball world with a 55-50 victory over the ninth-ranked and then-undefeated Pittsburgh Panthers. Junior forward Lamont Hamilton scores 24 points, including four in the final :31.8 of the contest, to seal the win.



ST. JOHN'S BASKETBALL LEGACY HONORS

In January of 2006, St. John's University celebrated the outstanding contributions of 10 individuals by conferring 'Basketball Legacy Honors' upon them. Permanent banners in Madison Square Garden and Carnesecca Arena hang during all Red Storm basketball games to commemorate their tremendous athletic achievements.

The criteria decided upon for Basketball Legacy Honors extends far beyond wins and losses, or points and rebounds. The selection committee took several additional aspects into account, including athletic achievement, citizenship, character, team success and national awards to go along with individual statistics.

While the initial list of 10 was recognized last season, St. John's plans to continue the Basketball Legacy Honors program in the future.

COACH JOE LAPCHICK

Joe Lapchick was the first talented big man to play in the collegiate ranks. He was inducted into the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame in 1966 as an original member of the Celtics travel team from the era of the "Roaring 20's." The "Big Indian," as he was called, had a career in basketball that virtually spanned the game from its true beginning to its full growth.

He coached at St. John's from 1936-1947, left to roam the sidelines for the New York Knicks from 1947-1956, where upon he returned to lead the Redmen until his retirement in 1965. He won 334 games during his tenure, among those were four National Invitation Tournament titles (1943, 1944, 1959 and 1965).

University officials recognized Lapchick for his many accomplishments by naming a regular season tournament (The Joe Lapchick Memorial) in his honor. In 1985 he was unanimously chosen as part of the first induction class to enter the St. John's Athletic Hall of Fame. Lapchick died on August 10, 1970.

COACH LOU CARNESECCA

What can you say about this Hall of Famer that hasn't already been said? Lou Carnesecca is a legend in New York and college basketball circles worldwide. He is synonymous with St. John's Basketball, having coached at the University for 24 seasons.

During those 24 seasons he never failed to qualify for a postseason tournament (18 NAAs and six NITs). "Looie," as he is af-

fectionately called, compiled a record of 526 wins and 200 losses and directed the team to 20 or more victories in a season on 18 separate occasions.

Carnesecca was inducted into the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass., in 1992. In 1991, he became only the 30th NCAA Division I coach to reach the 500 career victory mark. In 1988-89, he directed his team to a record fifth NIT title.

His NCAA teams were successful advancing to the Final Four in 1985, to the Eastern Regional Final in 1979 and to the regional semifinals in 1967, 1969, 1983 and 1991.

Carnesecca's record in regular season tournaments is also impressive. He won 17 Lapchick Tournaments and eight ECAC Holiday Festival crowns. In 13 tough years of BIG EAST Conference competition, Carnesecca's teams had a regular season record of 112-65 and were 13-11 in the tournament. He also tied for the regular season title three times and won it outright once.

Carnesecca was named BIG EAST Coach of the Year three times and chosen Metropolitan Area Coach of the Year six times by the New York Basketball Writers Association. In addition, he has two BIG EAST titles to his credit, winning in the 1983 and 1986 seasons.

NO. 20 CHRIS MULLIN

At 6-6 from Brooklyn, N.Y., Chris Mullin is the most honored player in St. John's history. The consensus All-American's sharp outside shooting from the floor, his dead-eye accuracy from the free-throw line, his keen basketball sense, his leadership both on and off the court and his total devotion to the game of basketball led him to become, arguably, the greatest player in St. John's history.

In his rookie season, he was named the MVP of both the Lapchick Tournament and ECAC Holiday Festival. He was second team All-BIG EAST and first team All-Rookie. Named the Metropolitan Sports Writers Rookie of the Year, Mullin averaged 16.6 points per game and became the school's top freshman scorer with 498 points.

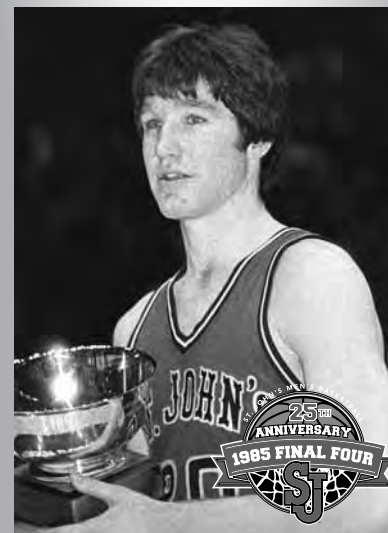
There was no sophomore jinx for Mullin his second year. He led the team with a 19.1 scoring average and became only the fourth St. John's player to score 1,000 points in his first two seasons. He swept all of the major BIG EAST awards that year as he was named Player of the Year, MVP of the Tournament and first team all-conference. He was also named



JOE LAPCHICK

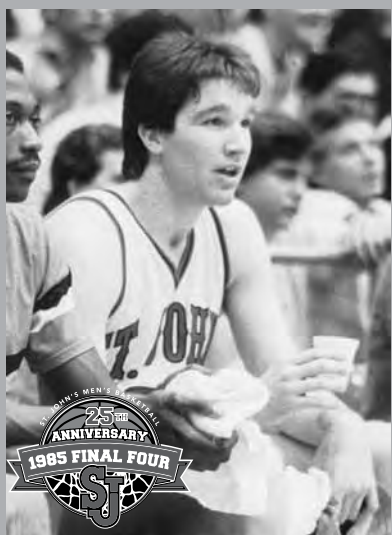


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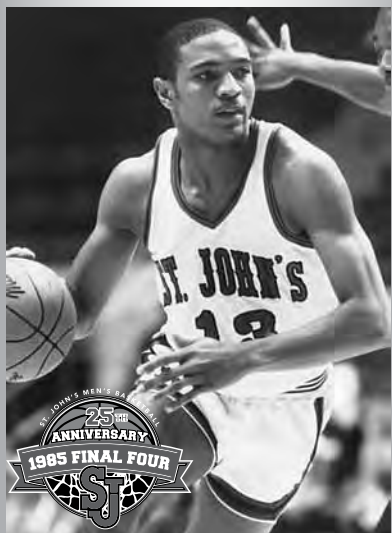
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CHRIS MULLIN



WALTER BERRY



MARK JACKSON

a third team All-American by UPI. He won the Haggerty Award that season, which is symbolic of being collegiate basketball's MVP for the metropolitan area.

In his junior year, he earned a place on just about every All-America team, averaging a team-high 22.9 points per game. He led the BIG EAST in scoring with a 24.9 mark and was named Co-Conference Player of the Year. He became the conference's all-time leading scorer and was named first team all-conference. That summer he was a key member of the gold medal winning Olympic team.

Besides leading St. John's to the Final Four his senior year and a No. 1 ranking by both the UPI and AP polls for several weeks, Mullin was the recipient of the John R. Wooden Award, which is given to the nation's top collegiate basketball player. Mullin was a consensus first team All-American, was named UPI's Player of the Year and District II Player of the Year.

He surpassed Bob Zawoluk as the school's all-time leading scorer and became the first St. John's player to total 2,000 points in a career. Mullin was not just a scoring machine; in his four years at St. John's he also broke the record for steals, field goals made, free throws and free throw percentage. He also ranks among the top five in assists.

Chris Mullin's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1981-82	30	175-328	.534	148-187	.791	97	3.2	498	16.6
1982-83	33	228-395	.577	173-197	.878	123	3.7	629	19.1
1983-84	27	225-394	.571	169-187	.904	120	4.4	619	22.9
1984-85	35	251-482	.521	192-233	.824	169	4.6	694	19.8
Totals	125	879-1599	.550	682-804	.848	509	4.1	2,440	19.5

NO. 21 WALTER BERRY

Walter Berry played just two seasons with St. John's but his impact was tremendous. The "Truth," as he was known, transferred to St. John's from San Jacinto Junior College where he was named the National Junior College Player of the Year, averaging 28.9 points and 14 rebounds.

He emerged as one of the top newcomers in the nation in his first season at St. John's, helping lead the team to the Final Four. He earned second team All-BIG EAST honors and first team All-Metropolitan honors that season. He averaged 17.0 points per game which was second on the team behind Chris Mullin. He shattered the school single-season scoring record as a senior, scoring 828 points.

As a senior, he was the recipient of the John R. Wooden Award, given by the Los Angeles Athletic Club to the nation's top collegiate

player. He was also awarded the Adolph R. Rupp Trophy, given to the player of the year in college basketball by the Associated Press. Berry's biggest honor was being selected the Kodak Player of the Year by the National Association of Basketball Coaches. He was the UPI Player of the Year, The Sporting News Player of the Year, Basketball Weekly Player of the Year, CBS/Chevrolet Player of the Year and the BIG EAST Player of the Year. He earned these honors by averaging 23.0 points and 11.1 rebounds per game.

Berry was named to the AP and UPI first-team All-America squads. He became only the fifth player in St. John's history to reach the 1,000-point mark in two seasons.

Walter Berry's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
*1983-84	35	419-625	.670	174-270	.644	489	14.0	1,013	28.9
1984-85	35	231-406	.588	134-187	.717	304	8.7	596	17.0
1985-86	36	327-547	.598	174-248	.702	399	11.1	828	23.0
Totals	71	558-953	.586	308-435	.708	703	9.9	1,424	20.1

*San Jacinto J.C. (not included in totals)

NO. 13 MARK JACKSON

The greatest assist man in St. John's history, Mark "Action" Jackson totaled a school record 738 assists. He was named to the BIG EAST All-Rookie team after dishing out 108 assists as a freshman.

He was the "sixth man" on St. John's Final Four team, ranking third on the team in assists with 109 and second in field goal percentage with .564. He emerged as one of the premier point guards in the nation during his junior season, dealing a then-NCAA record 328 assists, which still ranks as the fifth-best collegiate single-season effort of all time. His 150 assists in BIG EAST games was also a league record. Jackson proved to be a capable scorer as he averaged 11.3 points per game. He was named first team All-BIG EAST and All-Met and was an AP honorable mention All-American.

In his senior season, Jackson was named the BIG EAST Conference's Defensive Player of the Year. He was a second team All-America selection by AP, UPI and Basketball Weekly. He was the co-recipient of the Haggerty Award, given to the MVP of the metropolitan area, and was a first team All-BIG EAST selection. Jackson averaged 18.9 points per game his senior season and finished his career with 1,328 points.

Mark Jackson's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1983-84	30	61-106	.575	53-77	.688	108	3.6	175	5.8
1984-85	35	57-101	.564	66-91	.725	109	3.1	180	5.1
1985-86	36	151-316	.478	105-142	.739	328	9.1	407	11.3
1986-87	30	196-389	.504	125-155	.806	193	6.4	566	18.9
Totals	131	465-912	.510	349-465	.750	738	5.6	1,328	10.1

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NO. 21 MALIK SEALY

Malik Sealy is one of only two players in St. John's history to score more than 2,000 points for his career. His 2,402 career points places him second, only behind Chris Mullin, on the school's all-time scoring chart.

In his freshman season, he finished second on the team with a 12.9 points per game average and 197 rebounds, and also totaled 36 steals, 21 blocks and 67 assists, helping the team to a record fifth NIT title. He was named to the BIG EAST All-Freshman team and was voted Rookie of the Year in the New York Area by the Metropolitan Basketball Writers Association. In his sophomore season, Sealy became only the sixth player in St. John's history to reach 1,000 points in just two seasons. He averaged 18.1 points a game, scoring 616 for the year, the ninth-highest total in school history. He was named second team All-BIG EAST and first team All-Met that season.

As a junior, Sealy emerged as one of the top players in the nation. He averaged 22.1 points per game, which helped lead his team to an Elite Eight finish in the NCAA Tournament. Along with being named first team All-BIG EAST, Sealy was honored with the Haggerty Award, which is given to the MVP of collegiate basketball in the metropolitan area. His 707 points that season is the third-highest ever in St. John's history. He was named MVP of the Lapchick Tournament that year after a 43-point performance against Central Connecticut State in the championship game. That marked the highest point total by a player in Alumni Hall history, a record that still stands today.

In his final season, Sealy was a consensus second team All-American, averaging 22.6 points per game. He was named the MVP of both the Lapchick Tournament and ECAC Holiday Festival, as well as being named first team All-BIG EAST.

Sealy scored in double figures in 102 consecutive games, breaking Chris Mullin's record of 100 straight games. Sealy holds many records for St. John's, including most career field goals (900) and most career steals (238).

Malik Sealy's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1988-89	31	333-516	.489	67-120	.558	197	6.4	400	12.9
1989-90	34	227-432	.525	159-213	.746	233	6.9	616	18.1
1990-91	32	263-535	.492	165-222	.743	247	7.7	707	22.1
1991-92	30	247-523	.472	169-213	.793	203	6.8	679	22.6
Totals	127	900-1823	.494	560-768	.729	880	6.9	2,402	18.9

NO. 21 DICK MCGUIRE

To those St. John's alumni and fans of the 1940s and 1950s, there will always be one player – Dick McGuire. The numbers, of course, do not tell the story as the stats of today were not a part of McGuire's game. His playmaking ability, his superb court sense and his ball handling under fire are more representative of his career, and it was those qualities which brought him to the Naismith Memorial Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass.

McGuire was a soft-spoken man who bore the nickname "Mumbles" for his quick and jumbled ways of conversation, and "Tricky Dicky" for his moves through the defense.

McGuire came to St. John's in 1943-44, a year St. John's won its second consecutive NIT title. He was given the first of two Haggerty Awards as New York City's outstanding collegiate player. Returning to St. John's after the war, he won a second Haggerty in 1949 while playing alongside his brother, Al. He joined the New York Knicks for the 1949-50 season and his long career in the NBA included service with the Detroit Pistons as a player-coach and with the Knicks as a bench coach. You really can't explain Dick McGuire's brilliance if you did not see him play, for seeing him under game pressure was the only evidence to make you believe.

Dick McGuire's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1943-44	16	43	20-42	.476	106	6.6
1946-47	22	64	40-70	.571	168	7.6
1947-48	22	78	73-117	.624	229	10.4
1948-49	24	119	69-121	.570	307	12.8
Totals	84	304	202-350	.577	810	9.6

NO. 55 LLOYD "SONNY" DOVE

Lloyd "Sonny" Dove ranks 10th on the St. John's all-time scoring list with 1,576 career points and is second only to George Johnson as STJ's all-time leading rebounder with 1,036 career boards. Dove and Johnson are the only two St. John's players ever to score more than 1,000 career points and grab more than 1,000 career rebounds.

Dove played from 1964-67. In his first season, he averaged 13.8 points per game and led the team with an 11.7 rebounds per game average for Coach Joe Lapchick. He was named to the Holiday Festival All-Star team and to the NIT All-Tournament team that year. In his second season with the team and first with new head coach Lou Carnesecca, Dove was named to several All-America teams including,



MALIK SEALY



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LLOYD "SONNY" DOVE

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LLOYD "SONNY" DOVE



TONY JACKSON



ALAN SEIDEN

first team All-America by the Helms Athletic Foundation and The Sporting News, and a third team All-America by AP and UPI. Dove averaged 21.2 points per game and 14.2 rebounds per game that season, which also earned him first team All-Metropolitan honors.

In his final season at St. John's, Dove was once again named to several All-America teams including first team All-America by the Helms Athletic Foundation and The Sporting News, second-team All-America by UPI and third-team All-America by AP. The New York writers named him the winner of the Haggerty Trophy, the metropolitan area's college basketball MVP. He averaged 22.4 points per game and 11.8 boards. Dove set the then-St. John's record in 1967 with 242 field goals in a season (which currently ranks eighth-best) and became the first St. John's player to ever grab 1,000 rebounds for a career.

Lloyd "Sonny" Dove's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1964-65	29	160-331	.483	79-123	.642	338	11.7	399	13.8
1965-66	26	216-452	.478	119-170	.700	369	14.2	551	21.2
1966-67	28	242-513	.472	142-211	.673	329	11.8	626	22.4
Totals	83	618-1296	.477	340-504	.675	1,036	12.5	1,576	19.0

NO. 24 TONY JACKSON

Tony Jackson, a native of Brooklyn, starred for St. John's on the hardwood under Joe Lapchick, lettering three times from 1958-59 to 1960-61. A two-time consensus All-American, Jackson is currently listed ninth among all-time St. John's scoring leaders with 1,603 points. He is also third on the all-time rebounding list with 991 career boards. In his first season in 1958-59, Jackson helped the team to the Postseason NIT title, scoring 20.0 points per game. That year he was named Most Valuable Player of both the NIT and the ECAC Holiday Festival. He set a then-school record that season with 27 rebounds in one game (that currently ranks second best).

In his second season in 1959-60, Jackson earned consensus All-America honors and led St. John's with a 21.2 ppg scoring average, surpassing the 1,000-point plateau, while averaging 12.9 rebounds per game as well.

In his senior year, Jackson was the recipient of All-America accolades and won the Haggerty Award, given to the best collegiate basketball player in the metropolitan area. Jackson averaged 22.0 ppg that year.

Jackson was drafted with the first pick in the third round of the 1961 NBA Draft by the New York Knickerbockers. In 1968, he joined the ABA's New Jersey Americans, where he

scored 19.4 ppg. In 1969, Jackson played for three ABA teams: the Houston Mavericks, the Minnesota Pipers and the New York Nets. He finished his ABA career with a 15.9 ppg scoring average.

Tony Jackson's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1958-59	26	215-470	.457	91-130	.700	401	15.4	521	20.0
1959-60	25	187-463	.404	157-195	.805	322	12.9	531	21.2
1960-61	25	203-*	-	145-180	.805	268	10.7	551	22.0
Totals	76	605-*	-	393-505	.778	991	13.0	1,603	21.1

* Statistics unavailable

NO. 33 ALAN SEIDEN

One of the great guards in St. John's history, Alan Seiden is still 18th on St. John's all-time career scoring chart and is listed among program leaders in all free throw categories. He averaged double-figures every season of his career, including as a sophomore in 1957, when the sophomore was the team's second leading scorer with 273 points and a 11.9 points per game average.

As a junior in 1958, Seiden was named a Helms Foundation second team All-American. St. John's earned an appearance in the Postseason NIT and finished fourth, where Seiden performed exceptionally, averaging 21.0 points per game in the tournament. During the season, Seiden was the leading scorer for St. John's with 531 points (20.4 points per game) and 95 rebounds.

In 1959, Seiden repeated as team captain and had one of the greatest individual seasons in school history. Named a Helms and NEA first team All-American, and a Converse and Sporting News second team All-American, Seiden led the team in scoring for the second consecutive season with 570 points. He added 102 rebounds as well, and scored a career-high 38 points in a mid-season game against Loyola (Illinois). That year, Seiden led St. John's to a 17-7 record and a No. 17 (UPI) ranking. In the NIT, the unseeded Redmen defeated Villanova, St. Bonaventure and Providence to reach the tournament final. In the championship game, Seiden scored a game-high 22 points and St. John's downed Bradley, 76-71, in overtime.

Seiden's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1956-57	23	93-248	.375	87-137	.635	88	3.8	273	11.9
1957-58	26	174-431	.404	183-226	.810	95	3.7	531	20.4
1958-59	26	188-446	.422	194-252	.770	102	3.9	570	21.9
Totals	75	455-1125	.404	464-615	.754	285	3.8	1,374	18.3

GREAT NAMES IN ST. JOHN'S BASKETBALL

FRANK ALAGIA

The best of the little men ever to play at St. John's, Frank Alagia played from 1972-76, and was Frank Mulzoff and Lou Carnesecca's floor leader. He finished his illustrious St. John's career with 478 assists, which was the most in school history until Mark Jackson (738) and Jason Buchanan (665) surpassed that mark. In addition, Alagia was one of only two players to win the Francis Pomeroy Naismith Award as the National Player of the Year for players 6-0 and under. Alagia led four St. John's teams to a combined 83-30 record and successful postseason accomplishments. In 1974-75, the team lost the consolation game of the NIT Final Four to Oregon in overtime, 80-76. In 1975-76, the team made it to the ECAC Championship before losing a thriller to Rutgers, 70-67, and was then ousted by Indiana in the NCAA Tournament.

Frank Alagia's Career Statistics

Year	G	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB	AVG.	PTS.	AVG.
1972-73	26	65-135	.481	61-84	.723	22	0.8	191	7.4
1973-74	20	69-177	.389	70-87	.804	34	1.7	208	10.4
1974-75	31	56-151	.370	77-110	.700	45	1.4	189	6.0
1975-76	29	93-236	.394	112-113	.991	81	2.8	298	10.3
Totals	106	283-699	.405	320-394	.812	182	1.7	886	8.4

GUS ALFIERI

Some things you have to take in pairs, and along with backcourt mate Alan Seiden, Gus Alfieri made up one of the finest tandems in school history. Alfieri and Seiden piled up victories in the late 1950s and starred in the 1959 NIT final with an overtime victory over Bradley. The duo were adept at reading each other's games, and also in seeing inside their opponents' to set up scoring plays that boggled the mind. Alfieri recorded a pair of double-figure scoring seasons, but statistics only tell part of his story. Alfieri and Seiden played as if joined at the hip, and they played basketball with a boundless joy.

Gus Alfieri's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1956-57	20	33-76	.434	33-59	.559	53	2.7	99	5.0
1957-58	26	125-288	.434	111-158	.702	145	5.6	361	13.9
1958-59	26	117-267	.438	85-109	.780	98	3.8	319	12.3
Totals	72	275-631	.436	229-326	.702	296	4.1	779	10.8

RON ARTEST

Ron Artest was a first team All-BIG EAST selection as a sophomore after being named to the All-Rookie team following his freshman season. He declared for the NBA Draft following the 1998 NCAA Tournament, leaving St. John's 93 points shy of becoming a 1,000-point scorer. A solid all-around player, he averaged 13.1 points, 6.3 rebounds, 3.2 assists and 1.9 steals per game. He connected on 44.5 percent of his field goals (335-of-753) and 35.5 percent of his 3-pointers (92-of-259). He ranks tied for seventh all-time with 92 career 3-pointers.

Artest was a unanimous selection to the BIG EAST All-Rookie Team after finishing third on the team in scoring (11.6 ppg) and third in rebounding (6.3 rpg) in 1998. He also earned conference rookie of the week honors four times during the season, and was named to the BIG EAST Conference All-Tournament team after averaging 28 points and 14 rebounds in the Red Storm's two games.

Ron Artest's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	A	TO	B	S	R-Avg.	Pts.-Avg.
1997-98	32	139-335	.415	34-104	.327	60-114	.526	62	36	92	52	201-6.3	372-11.6
1998-99	37	196-418	.469	58-155	.374	85-132	.644	156	105	44	76	232-6.3	535-14.5
TOTALS	69	335-753	.445	92-259	.355	145-246	.589	218	141	136	128	433-6.3	907-13.1

HARRY BOYKOFF

Harry Boykoff played his first season in 1942-43 and led St. John's to its first NIT title with a team-leading 16.6 scoring average. The 6-9 center earned the MVP award of the sixth annual NIT after scoring 56 points in the three games. He was named to several All-America teams that year, including a selection on the All-America basketball team that appeared in The Sporting News, then the national sports newspaper. Boykoff also broke the Madison Square Garden record with a 45-point scoring spree against St. Joseph's.

Boykoff reappeared in 1945-46 after serving in the U.S. military during World War II. He led the team that year with a 16.5 scoring average and again the following year with a 16.7 mark. In that final season, Boykoff became the first St. John's player ever to score 1,000 career points.

Harry Boykoff's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1942-43	24	153	93-147	.633	399	16.6
1945-46	21	137	72-110	.655	346	16.5
1946-47	23	150	84-123	.683	384	16.7
Totals	68	440	249-380	.655	1,129	16.6



FRANK ALAGIA

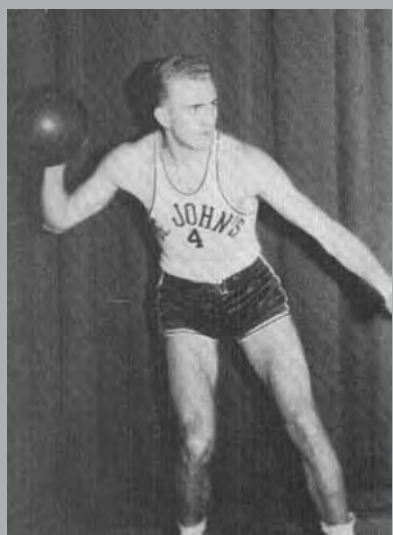


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Gerry Bush starred for St. John's just as Madison Square Garden was coming into its own on the New York collegiate scene. The game of basketball was more precise then, with more detail than the speed of today, just a few years after the center jump following each basket had been eliminated. There was also no NBA then, so Bush, along with St. John's classmates like Bill Lloyd, joined the AAU Midwestern teams after his collegiate career. Bush played for the Akron Goodyear team for many years before entering the coaching ranks, where his teams won many games for the University of Nebraska. His team once notched a victory over Kansas when Wilt Chamberlain played for the Jayhawks.

Gerry Bush's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT-FTA	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1935-36	22	55	26*	*	136	6.2
1936-37	19	51	33-48	.688	135	7.1
1937-38	19	68	32-50	.640	168	8.8
Totals	60	174	91	*	439	7.3

* FTA attempts not available

GERRY CALABRESE

Gerry Calabrese came of age as a senior after playing part-time minutes his first two seasons. He averaged 10.1 points per game in the 1948-49 season. His head coach, Frank McGuire, labeled him the team's leader that season and teamed with leading scorer Dick McGuire to guide the Redmen to a 15-9 record. He played on two other winning teams (16-7 in 1946-47, 12-11 in 1947-48) and compiled a 43-27 record while wearing the Red and White for St. John's.

REGGIE CARTER

A standout for head coach Lou Carnesecca in the late 1970s, Reggie Carter played for three seasons at St. John's. He began his career playing half the season (14 games, 12.6 points per contest) as a key reserve in 1977-78 after beginning his career at the University of Hawaii. Carter two standout seasons were in 1978-79 and 1979-80, and for his career he averaged 15.0 points per game and amassed 1,061 points in a St. John's uniform. Carter will forever be remembered for leading St. John's to the NCAA Final Eight (defeating Temple, Duke and Rutgers) before

losing to Pennsylvania 64-62 in the NCAA East Regional Final in Greensboro, N.C. He had a career high 39 points against Brigham Young on Dec. 16, 1978, in a 90-83 win at Alumni Hall.

Reggie Carter's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1975-76*	27	161-348	.462	117-136	.861	151	5.6	439	16.3
1977-78	14	65-151	.430	47-58	.810	60	4.3	177	12.6
1978-79	32	175-372	.470	130-165	.788	116	3.6	480	15.0
1979-80	27	160-316	.506	81-104	.807	126	4.6	404	14.9
Totals	100	561-1,187	.473	375-463	.810	453	4.5	1,500	15.0

* played 1975-76 season at the University of Hawaii

MEL DAVIS

Mel Davis played two seasons with St. John's before pursuing a professional basketball career, but it took only those two years for Davis to emerge as one of the great names in program history.

A 6-7 scoring and rebounding machine, Davis led the team in both those categories in his first season as a sophomore. That year, Davis grabbed 436 rebounds, fifth-highest total nationally, and still the most ever garnered by a St. John's player in a single season. Davis averaged 16.1 rebounds per game, leading the team in 23 of 27 games. He also led the team in scoring with 561 points, the second-most points scored by a sophomore at St. John's up to that point. His high rebounding total and 20.8 points per game average earned him many honors. He was a five-time ECAC Star of the Week, he was named to the All-Metropolitan Team by the New York Basketball Writers and he was the recipient of the Frank J. Haggerty Memorial award as St. John's most outstanding athlete. He was also named to a host of All-America teams that year.

In his junior season, Davis was elected to several All-America teams, all-star teams and all-tournament teams as he followed up his great sophomore year with an equally impressive junior campaign. He averaged 21.1 points per game and grabbed 409 boards. Davis now ranks 34th on St. John's all-time scoring list with 1,130 career points and is ranked seventh on the all-time rebounding list with 845 career boards.

Mel Davis' Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1970-71	27	219-469	.467	123-161	.764	436	16.1	561	20.8
1971-72	27	222-464	.478	125-163	.767	409	15.1	569	21.1
Totals	54	441-933	.473	248-324	.765	845	15.6	1,130	20.9

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ALFRED "DUSTY" DESTEFANO

The former head coach of the Redmen, Alfred "Dusty" DeStefano finished his career 49-38 for a winning percentage of .563. DeStefano also played and tutored under Joe Lapchick from 1938-40. He was a part-time player who was more known for his defense and agility than his scoring prowess.

LEROY ELLIS

LeRoy Ellis ranks 24th on the school's all-time scoring list with 1,289 career points and fifth on the school's all-time rebounding list with 927 boards. Ellis still holds the school record for highest rebounding average in a season (16.5) and most rebounds in one game with 30 against NYU in 1961.

His great collegiate career spanned from the 1959-60 season through 1961-62. In his first season, Ellis averaged 10.6 points per game and was second on the team with 253 rebounds. In his second season, Ellis averaged 16.5 points a game, which was second best on the team behind Tony Jackson. In 1962, Ellis was named the recipient of the Haggerty Award, given to the most valuable collegiate basketball player in the metropolitan area. He earned that honor by leading the team with a 23.5 scoring average and 430 rebounds. Ellis was named to several All-America, all-star and all-tournament teams during his illustrious career at St. John's.

LeRoy Ellis' Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1959-60	25	103-227	.454	60-101	.594	253	10.1	266	10.6
1960-61	25	167-*	-	79-114	.693	244	9.8	413	16.5
1961-62	26	234-466	.502	142-191	.743	430	16.5	610	23.5
Totals	76	504-*	-	281-406	.692	927	12.2	1289	17.0

* Statistics unavailable

JAMES A. "BUCK" FREEMAN

Buck Freeman graduated from St. John's in 1927 and immediately became the head basketball coach at his alma mater. Prior to his coaching days, Freeman wore a St. John's uniform for Coach John Crenny. In his first season in 1923-24, he averaged 8.2 points per game, which tied for the team high. In his second season, he was third on the team in scoring with a 7.9 average. He averaged 6.5 points a game and helped lead his team to an 18-7 mark in his junior year. That year, Free-

man had a team-high 31 points versus N.Y. State Agriculture. In his final season, he led the team with 6.8 points per game.

Freeman's years as head coach took St. John's to national prominence. In 208 games as head coach, Freeman's squad posted a 177-31 record for a winning percentage of .851, the highest in NCAA history. He assembled a club properly known as the "Wonder Five." In the four years these five — Matty Begovich, Mac Kinsbrunner, Max Posnack, Rip Gerson and Al Schuckman — played together, they compiled a record of 88 wins and eight losses, with four of the losses coming in their first season. Freeman's coaching theories changed the face of the game of basketball.

Buck Freeman's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pts.	Avg.
1923-24	24	75	47	197	8.2
1924-25	24	73	43	189	7.9
1925-26	23	55	36	150	6.5
1926-27	23	60	36	156	6.8
Totals	94	263	166	692	7.4

JOHN "TAPS" GALLAGHER

John "Taps" Gallagher earned a tremendous reputation as a coach at Niagara University where he was the entire athletic department for close to 40 years. He first was given his nickname in the 1920s, just before the "Wonder Five" days, when getting the center tap after each basket was vital. Gallagher coached high school basketball in New York before going to Niagara, where he had a superb career and delighted in knocking off his alma mater from time to time.

John "Taps" Gallagher's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pts.	Avg.
1924-25	24	8	9	25	1.0
1925-26	24	17	9	43	1.8
1926-27	22	5	5	15	0.7
1927-28	18	6	6	18	1.0
Totals	88	36	29	101	1.1

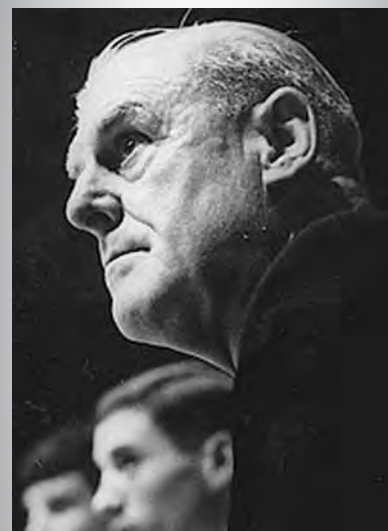
JACK "DUTCH" GARFINKEL

In the early days of St. John's Athletic Hall of Fame, many names were tossed around in deserved consideration for election. Walter McLaughlin, the beloved "Mr. Mac" of St. John's athletic annals, commented, "Don't forget Dutch Garfinkel."

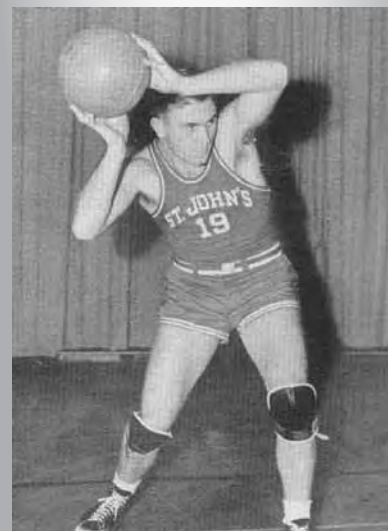
Asked for more detail, McLaughlin simply replied that Garfinkel might well have been the best in St. John's basketball history. While that can be debated, there would be many who would agree. Garfinkel played on both ends of the court at the same time with con-



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stant drive and with creativity. For many years he was a basketball official in the New York area, adding to his reputation in the game.

Jack "Dutch" Garfinkel's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT-FTA	Pct.	Pts	Avg.
1938-39	22	50	15-*	*	115	5.2
1939-40	20	47	18-28	.643	112	5.6
1940-41	17	50	19-41	.463	119	7.0
Totals	59	147	52-*	*	346	5.9

* Statistics unavailable

HY GOTKIN

The little man of St. John's "Mutt and Jeff" combination with Harry Boykoff, Hy Gotkin was often scurrying down the court looking for methods to crush the opposition. That was mostly setting up plays, notably to Boykoff, the first tall tower in New York basketball. The "Mutt and Jeff" nickname stemmed from the comic strip featuring the big guy and a little guy. Gotkin led the 1943 and 1944 Redmen teams to the NIT title and was always available to help his alma mater in any way possible. He went on to serve as an administrator in the Brooklyn school system for many years.

Hy Gotkin's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1942-43	24	84	31-49	.633	199	8.3
1943-44	23	91	23-43	.535	205	8.9
1944-45	22	78	20-39	.513	176	8.0
Totals	69	253	74-131	.565	580	8.4

ZENDON HAMILTON

Zendon Hamilton was part of head coach Brian Mahoney's highly touted recruiting class in 1994 that brought Felipe Lopez and guard Tarik Turner to St. John's. Hamilton would go on to impress and finish his St. John's career in the top five in several statistical categories. He is currently listed as the fifth all-time leading scorer with 1,810 points behind Chris Mullin, Malik Sealy, Lopez and Bob Zawoluk. He is fourth all-time in rebounding with 946 boards behind greats George Johnson, Lloyd "Sonny" Dove and Tony Jackson. Hamilton also holds an individual career record for free throw attempts during his four years (1994-98) at St. John's with 912.

Zendon Hamilton's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1994-95	28	112-214	.523	95-154	.617	141	5.0	319	11.4
1995-96	27	179-368	.486	204-256	.797	277	10.3	542	20.8
1996-97	27	132-306	.431	173-242	.715	254	9.4	437	16.2
1997-98	32	161-341	.472	170-260	.654	277	8.7	492	15.4
Totals	114	584-1,229	.475	642-912	.704	949	8.3	1,810	15.9

GREG "BOO" HARVEY

The master of the last second shot, Harvey won three games during the 1989-90 season on St. John's final possession. His buzzer-beaters – beating DePaul, 55-54 on Nov. 22, 1989 at MSG, upending Georgetown 63-62 on Feb. 21, 1990 in Washington, D.C., and at Pittsburgh, 76-75 on Feb. 26, 1990 – are forever etched in St. John's lore. Harvey averaged 16.5 points per game that season and with teammate Malik Sealy led St. John's to an impressive 24-10 record. That team advanced to the Second Round of the NCAA Tournament where they were beaten by Duke at the Omni in Atlanta, Ga. Harvey's 1987-88 season saw him average 11.9 points, leading the team to a 17-12 record and a berth in the NCAA Tournament. He played two seasons at St. John's, both under Hall of Fame Head Coach Lou Carnesecca.

Greg "Boo" Harvey's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1987-88	27	124-285	.435	58-67	.866	59	2.2	321	11.9
1989-90	33	183-400	.458	132-164	.805	72	2.2	544	16.5
Totals	60	307-685	.448	190-231	.822	131	2.2	865	14.4

GEORGE JOHNSON

Johnson ranks sixth on St. John's all-time scoring list with 1,763 career points. Johnson's claim to fame, however, is as the greatest rebounder in school history with 1,240 career boards. Johnson played from 1974 through 1978, and along with Lloyd "Sonny" Dove, is one of two players in St. John's history to score more than 1,000 career points and pull down more than 1,000 rebounds.

In his freshman season, the 6-7 star averaged 10.1 points a game and led the team with 285 boards. As a sophomore, he was an honorable mention All-American, averaging 13.8 points and 10.6 rebounds. As a junior, Johnson exceeded the 1,000-point mark for his career. He averaged 17.4 points and led the team with 335 rebounds. He led the team that year with 19.4 points and 324 rebounds. Johnson was the 1978 recipient of the Hagerty Award given to the Metropolitan MVP.

George Johnson's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1974-75	31	139-263	.529	35-54	.648	285	9.2	313	10.1
1975-76	28	164-348	.471	57-77	.740	296	10.6	385	13.8
1976-77	31	228-451	.506	84-114	.737	335	10.8	540	17.4
1977-78	27	213-425	.501	99-128	.773	324	12.0	525	19.4
Totals	117	744-1,487	.500	275-373	.737	1,240	10.6	1,763	15.1

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ANDREW "FUZZY" LEVANE

A member of the 1942-43 NIT champions, Andrew "Fuzzy" Levane was a main cog in one of St. John's most successful seasons. He was named the Haggerty Award winner by the New York writers and left a colorful record on the history of both New York City and St. John's basketball. He played in the old National League professionally and then in the Basketball Association of America and the NBA. He later became a coach and a scout for the New York Knicks.

Andrew "Fuzzy" Levane's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1940-41	15	12	7-12	.583	31	2.1
1941-42	20	73	21-34	.618	167	8.4
1942-43	24	84	31-49	.633	199	8.3
Totals	59	169	59-95	.621	397	6.7

FELIPE LOPEZ

Felipe Lopez finished his St. John's career as the third all-time leading scorer, behind fellow NBA stars Chris Mullin and Malik Sealy, with 1,927 points. He recorded a final average of 16.9 points per game while playing in 114 games in his four year St. John's career.

Lopez's statistics are among the top 10 in nearly every offensive category. He ranks second in career 3-point field goals made with 148, fifth in total field goals with 670, second in field goal attempts with 1,615, seventh in free throws made (439), fifth in free throw attempts (667), ninth in steals with 135 and first in three-point field goal attempts with 500. A former McDonald's All-American, Lopez was the number one rated player in the country in 1994 out of Rice High School in the Bronx. He will forever be remembered as one of the classiest players, on-and-off the court, to ever wear the St. John's uniform.

Felipe Lopez's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1994-95	28	166-404	.411	131-174	.753	160	5.7	498	17.8
1995-96	27	156-384	.406	99-145	.683	168	6.2	437	16.2
1996-97	27	142-349	.407	119-192	.620	183	6.8	430	15.9
1997-98	32	206-478	.431	90-157	.573	152	4.8	562	17.6
Totals	114	670-1,615	.415	439-667	.658	663	5.8	1,927	16.9

KEVIN LOUGHERY

Most of his fame would come later as a successful NBA coach and network broadcaster, but Kevin Loughery starred for Joe Lapchick at St. John's from 1960-62. Loughery's teams posted a combined 41-10 record and boasted a pair of 20-win seasons during his tenure in Queens. He averaged 10.6 points in 25 games

in 1960-61 (his first season) and 15.5 points per game in his final year, teaming with LeRoy Ellis to lead St. John's to the semifinals of the NIT Tournament in 1962.

Kevin Loughery's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1960-61	25	106-252	.421	54-77	.701	116	4.6	266	10.6
1961-62	26	235-466	.504	143-191	.748	430	16.4	613	23.5
Totals	51	341-718	.475	197-268	.735	546	10.7	879	17.2

BRIAN MAHONEY

The BIG EAST Coach of the Year in 1993, Brian Mahoney served as an assistant coach under Lou Carnesecca for 18 seasons before being named St. John's head coach in 1992. In his first season at the helm, the Redmen won 19 games and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament. Captains on Mahoney's first team included Lamont Middleton and David Cain. Mahoney served as head coach at St. John's from 1992-1996 and is currently working in the Athletic Development Office at the University.

BOB MCINTYRE

Bob McIntyre stands tied for 20th among St. John's all-time scorers with 1,349 points and is 22nd among the all-time rebound leaders with 665. For his career, he played in 78 games and averaged 17.3 points and 8.5 rebounds per game. In his three years, St. John's compiled a 53-27 record and participated in the NIT all three seasons.

McIntyre's presence on this team in 1964-65 will always be remembered because it was the final year Joe Lapchick served on the St. John's bench. McIntyre played a key role in the team's NIT championship that sent Coach Lapchick off in grand style. In four NIT contests, he averaged 15.5 points and 9.5 rebounds per game. He scored 16 points and grabbed eight rebounds against Villanova in the NIT title game.

As a senior, he was one of the top players for rookie coach Lou Carnesecca in 1965-66. He scored the winning basket on Dec. 4, 1965 in a 64-62 overtime win at Georgetown to help land Carnesecca the first of his 526 career wins.

Bob McIntyre's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1963-64	24	124-297	.418	109-170	.641	225	9.4	357	14.9
1964-65	28	161-330	.488	134-188	.713	238	8.5	456	16.3
1965-66	26	205-446	.460	126-172	.733	202	7.8	536	20.6
Totals	78	490-1073	.457	369-530	.696	665	8.5	1,349	17.3



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From 1962-65, Ken McIntyre starred for Head Coach Joe Lapchick and scored 1,174 points as the team's top offensive threat. His scoring average increased each year with his best season coming during in 1964-65, when he put up 17.9 points per game and shot a blistering .878 (144-of-164) from the free throw line. In his senior season, McIntyre led the Redmen to a 21-8 record and the National Invitation Tournament championship with a 55-51 win over Villanova.

Ken McIntyre's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1962-63	24	119-326	.365	73-104	.702	130	5.4	311	13.0
1963-64	24	145-387	.430	91-108	.843	88	3.7	381	15.9
1964-65	27	169-403	.420	144-164	.878	81	3.0	482	17.9
Totals	75	433-1066	.406	308-376	.819	299	4.0	1174	15.7



AL MCGUIRE

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Al McGuire played from 1948-51. In his first season with the team he finished third in scoring with an 8.1 average. With brother, Dick, who captained the 1948-49 squad, St. John's finished the season with a 15-9 record. The following season the Redmen finished with a 24-5 record as McGuire averaged 7.7 points a game. McGuire ended his collegiate career in 1951, averaging 8.5 points per game and helping lead his team to third-place finishes in both the NIT and NCAA. The team concluded the season with a 26-5 record.

In 1992, McGuire was elected to the Basketball Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass., for his celebrated coaching accomplishments at Marquette University, where he won the 1977 National Championship.

Al McGuire's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1948-49	22	59	*	60-108	.556	178	8.1
1949-50	28	71-252	.282	73-131	.557	215	7.7
1950-51	31	80-258	.301	104-170	.612	264	8.5
Totals	81	210-*	*	237-409	.579	657	8.1

*Statistics unavailable



FRANK MCGUIRE

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Frank McGuire was inducted to the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame in 1976. A man who typified New York City and the city game of basketball, he began his college coaching career at St. John's, his alma mater, in 1947. His teams at St. John's, North Carolina and South Carolina won 550 games. He won the NCAA title with the Tar Heels in 1957. At St. John's, his basketball team went to the championship game in 1952 and his Redmen baseball team went to the College World

Series in 1949, marking the only instance of a coach going to the title tournament in two sports.

Frank McGuire spent five seasons as the head coach of the St. John's basketball team from 1947-52 and he compiled a record of 102-36. He also wore the St. John's uniform on the hardwood for three seasons from 1933-36 and averaged 5.4 points per game.

Frank McGuire's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FT	Pts.	Avg.
1933-34	19	19	22	60	3.2
1934-35	21	41	37	119	5.7
1935-36	22	54	46	154	7.0
Totals	62	114	105	333	5.4

BILL MCKEEVER

Bill McKeever was a great passer and defender for St. John's from 1937-40. McKeever would be best characterized as a complete player, filling in admirably on offense, where his best season (1937-38) saw him hit for 51 field goals, score 128 points and notch a 7.1 points per game scoring average. McKeever's teams, under coach Joe Lapchick, finished 48-13 and lost no more than five games in his three seasons of collegiate competition. The squad qualified for the National Invitation Tournament on two occasions. Lapchick's squads during McKeever's tenure posted records of 15-4 (1937-38), 18-4 (1938-39) and 15-5 (1939-40).

JACK McMAHON

Brooklyn-born, Jack McMahon was the ultimate role player for St. John's under head coach Frank McGuire from 1949-52. He was known for his great defense, adept floor leadership and an accurate two-handed set shot, which was his trademark. Inducted into the New York City Basketball Hall of Fame on September 21, 2000, McMahon led the Redmen to the 1952 NCAA finals in his senior season. He was named a NCAA All-American that year and was a first round pick of the Rochester Royals of the NBA. He was the first St. John's guard to score more than 1,000 points, finishing his career scoring 1,176 points in a St. John's uniform. He went on to a glorious professional career with the Royals and St. Louis Hawks, where his team beat the Bob Cousy, Bill Sharman, Bill Russell-led Boston Celtics in the 1957 NBA Championship.

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CHARLES MINLEND

Charles Minlend played for St. John's from 1992-93 to 1995-96. His best season with the Red Storm came during the 1993-94 campaign, where he averaged 13.6 points and hauled in 224 rebounds for an average of 7.7 boards per game. Minlend was a warrior, and his many accomplishments on the court were magnified by his studies off the court, where he graduated with honors through the rigors of the University's five-year pharmacy program. He is also among the University's career leaders with 1,349 points (21st) and 10th all-time in rebounding (784).

Charles Minlend's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	FGA	Pct.	FT	FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1992-93	30	77	143	.538	76	106	.717	118	3.9	233	7.8
1993-94	29	136	272	.500	121	158	.766	225	7.8	393	13.6
1994-95	27	122	236	.517	97	131	.740	230	8.5	342	12.7
1995-96	27	122	378	.439	106	137	.774	211	7.8	381	14.1
Totals	113	457	929	.492	400	533	.750	784	6.9	1,349	11.9

BILLY PAULTZ

Billy Paultz made a tremendous impact in his two seasons with St. John's. The 6-10 center from River Edge, N.J., had a career double-double average of 12.0 points per game and 10.1 rebounds. In his first season at St. John's after transferring from Cameron College, Paultz scored 225 points, grabbed 185 rebounds and helped St. John's to a 23-6 record and a NCAA East Regional appearance. That year St. John's beat second-ranked Davidson on a last second shot by Paultz in overtime. At the time Paultz was quoted as saying, "I had to make it or Coach [Lou Carnesecca] would have killed me."

The following year he had an even greater impact as he led St. John's to a second-place finish in the NIT. Paultz finished with a 15.8 scoring average and a 13.4 rebounds per game average. His 389 rebounds that year still ranks on the school's top 10 list and his 574 career rebounds places him 31st all-time. "The Whopper," as he was known because of his size and ample appetite, could have also referred to the size of his professional career, which spanned an incredible 15 seasons in both the ABA and NBA.

Paultz was drafted in 1970 by San Diego. In his prime with the ABA's New York Nets (under Carnesecca) and NBA's San Antonio Spurs, he was a consistent double-figure scorer and proficient rebounder. Paultz was inducted into the St. John's Hall of Fame in 1997.

Billy Paultz's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Pts.	Avg.
1968-69	28	88-176	.500	49-69	.710	185	225	8.0
1969-70	29	181-377	.480	96-140	.686	389	458	15.8
Totals	57	269-553	.486	145-209	.694	574	683	12.0

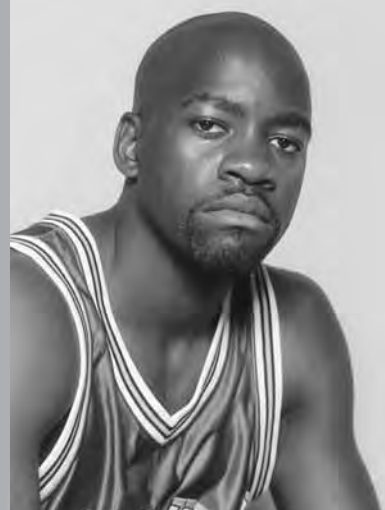
DAVID RUSSELL

David Russell ranks seventh on the St. John's all-time scoring list with 1,753 points for his career and is eighth on the all-time rebounding list with 832 boards. Russell began his illustrious career in the 1979-80 season, when he was named the BIG EAST Conference's first Rookie of the Year. He averaged 10.8 points per game and 5.5 rebounds in his first year, which earned him the Metropolitan Sports Writer Rookie of the Year and the Widener Eastern Rookie of the Year. He was also named to the Eastern Basketball Magazine's All-Freshman Squad.

Russell led the team in scoring his sophomore season with an average of 14.8 ppg. He was an honorable mention All-American by the Associated Press that season along with being selected first team All-Met. He was named first team All-BIG EAST and All-Met his junior season and he again led the team in scoring with a 17.4 average. He was an AP honorable mention All-American as well as a member of the USBWA All-District II Team. He concluded his collegiate career in 1982-83, finishing second on the team in scoring with 15.4 ppg and leading the team in rebounding with a 7.4 average. He was also named second team All-BIG EAST and first team All-Met.

David Russell's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1979-80	29	123-197	.624	66-97	.680	160	5.5	312	10.8
1980-81	28	157-303	.518	99-128	.773	218	7.8	413	14.8
1981-82	30	177-331	.535	167-219	.763	209	7.0	521	17.4
1982-83	33	192-358	.536	123-164	.750	245	7.4	507	15.4
Totals	120	649-1189	.546	455-608	.748	832	6.9	1753	14.6



CHARLES MINLEND



BILLY PAULTZ



DAVID RUSSELL

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RON RUTLEDGE

Ron Rutledge owned a stellar playing career before becoming a long-time assistant under head coach Lou Carnesecca, in addition to Brian Mahoney and Fran Fraschilla. His tenure lasted 20 seasons on the Red Storm bench before retiring to pursue a career in administration at St. John's, working in the Alumni Relations Office. Rutledge was inducted into the St. John's Athletic Hall of Fame in 1999, and is currently working in the Athletic Development Office at the University



RON RUTLEDGE



BILL SCHAEFFER



SOLLY WALKER

MARTY SATALINO

A St. John's two-star athlete who was inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame in 1991, Satalino was enshrined for both basketball and baseball. He played from 1952-55 and was a key contributor for head coach Alfred "Dusty" DeStefano's squads. Satalino's best season was the 1953-54 campaign, when he averaged 13.2 points in 20 games for the Redmen.

BILL SCHAEFFER

Bill Schaeffer scored 1,484 career points, a total that still ranks 12th on the St. John's all-time scoring list. He also added 622 career boards, placing him 27th on the all-time rebounding list, and hit at .560 percent from the floor for his career, good enough for fourth all-time.

Schaeffer began his career in 1970, when he averaged 14.4 points a game. In his junior season, Schaeffer averaged 17.1 points per game and posted a field goal percentage of .581, a St. John's record at the time. Schaeffer's excellence on the court as a senior earned him several All-America accolades, the most notable being a third team All-America selection by the Associated Press and United Press International. He also was the MVP of the 1972 ECAC Holiday Festival.

As a senior in 1972-73, Schaeffer scored 643 points in 26 games for a 24.7 per game average, a school record that still stands today. His field goal accuracy of .594 that season broke his own record of .581. This mark currently stands sixth on the all-time list, ranking him among the NCAA statisti-

cal leaders that season and earning him the Haggerty Award, given to the MVP of collegiate basketball in the Metropolitan area. Schaeffer's contributions to the 19-7 season were also felt in some team records set by St. John's, among them the highest team scoring average of 86.2 and the highest field goal average of 35.8 per game.

Billy Schaeffer's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1970-71	25	143-294	.486	75-115	.652	158	6.3	361	14.4
1971-72	28	186-230	.581	108-143	.755	174	6.2	480	17.1
1972-73	26	265-446	.594	113-150	.753	290	11.2	643	24.7
Totals	79	594-1,060	.560	296-408	.725	622	7.9	1,484	18.8

SOLLY WALKER

The first African-American player to wear a St. John's uniform, Solly Walker came to St. John's from Boys High School in Brooklyn and played in 78 games, scoring 573 points (6.8 average) and grabbing 496 rebounds (6.8 average). He led the freshman team in 1950-51 to a 17-2 record by averaging 15.1 points per game.

Walker's first year on the varsity squad was exciting, as the team advanced to the NCAA final, falling to Kansas. Walker played in 30 games and averaged 4.4 points and 3.8 rebounds. In 1952-53, he helped St. John's advance to the NIT final by averaging 7.0 points and 6.0 rebounds per contest. In 1953-54, Walker enjoyed his finest season. He led the team in both scoring (14.0 ppg.) and rebounding (12.2).

Solly Walker's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1951-52	30	54-216	.250	24-45	.533	115	3.8	132	4.4
1952-53	23	60-226	.265	41-85	.482	138	6.0	161	7.0
1953-54	20	103-276	.373	74-100	.740	243	12.2	280	14.0
Totals	73	217-718	.302	139-230	.604	496	6.8	573	7.8

JOHN WARREN

John Warren's play in the late 1960s coined the term "swingman," as he played both inside and outside for head coach Lou Carnesecca. In addition, he always drew the toughest defensive assignment. Warren was perhaps St. John's most complete player, scoring 1,306 points in a career that spanned 84 games with 65 St. John's victories for a .774 percentage. At Georgetown one night, he was fouled as the buzzer sounded and calmly

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dropped home two free throws to send the game into overtime where he put a lid on the opposition's star and St. John's shut them out in overtime. Drafted by the Knicks, he played on the fabled 1969-70 team of Bill Bradley and Willis Reed, and spent seven years with the Cleveland Cavaliers.

John Warren's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1966-67	28	120-230	.522	71-93	.763	190	6.8	311	11.1
1967-68	27	162-317	.511	102-120	.850	194	7.2	426	15.8
1968-69	29	226-447	.506	117-146	.801	213	7.3	569	19.6
Totals	84	508-994	.511	290-359	.808	597	7.1	1306	15.5

BILL WENNINGTON

The story of Bill Wennington is one of great patience, hard work and burning desire to succeed. He has reached the pinnacle of athletic competition by winning three NBA championship rings as a member of the Chicago Bulls and a trip to the NCAA Men's Final Four as a member of the 31-4 St. John's Redmen in 1985. The Montreal, Quebec, native, came to St. John's from Lutheran High School in Long Island. A McDonald's All-American, Wennington averaged 23 points and 12 rebounds a game and led Lutheran to two New York State championship titles. An impressive 124 games later in a St. John's uniform, Wennington ranks among the school bests in many categories. He is second all-time with a career .579 shooting percentage. His 1,021 career points rank him 43rd on the St. John's all-time scoring chart and his 644 career rebounds is listed at 26th.

He is among just 26 St. John's players to have scored 1,000 points and grab 500 rebounds in the school's 97 year basketball history. A prolific shot blocker, Wennington had 151 career swats which is third best in school history and makes him one of six players all-time with more than 1,000 career points, 500 career rebounds and 100 career blocks. As a senior, he was named a second team All-BIG EAST selection. That year he was also selected as a member of the U.S. Basketball Writers All-District II team, a Sporting News honorable mention All-American, a Basketball Weekly All-East selection and a first team All-Metro selection. Wennington was also a member of the Canadian National Team, and was chosen 16th overall in the first round of the NBA draft by the Dallas Mavericks in 1985.

Bill Wennington's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1981-82	30	37-85	.435	23-34	.676	126	4.2	97	3.2
1982-83	33	69-114	.605	44-63	.698	146	4.4	182	5.5
1983-84	26	124-209	.593	56-83	.675	148	5.7	304	11.5
1984-85	35	168-279	.602	102-125	.816	224	6.4	438	12.5
Totals	124	398-687	.579	225-305	.738	644	4.3	1,021	8.2

JAMES WHITE

James White was a quiet contributor on the floor and outstanding athlete in the 1940s. Playing in the early years for Joe Lapchick, White set the standard as a "go-to-guy" when scoring was at a premium. He averaged 9.4 points per game in his three varsity seasons. In 1939-40, White averaged 8.7 points to lead the team to a 15-5 mark. The following campaign he improved to 10.2 points, and in 1941-42 poured in 200 points for a 9.5 average. After basketball, White became a successful businessman, serving as Vice President for NBC Television for several years.

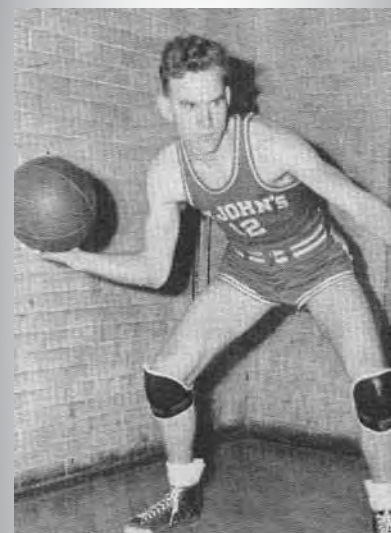
GLEN WILLIAMS

Glen Williams ranks eighth on all-time scoring list with 1,727 career points, starring for St. John's from 1974-77. As a freshman he stepped into a starting role for coach Lou Carnesecca and finished with an impressive 10.3 ppg scoring average. As a sophomore, the 6-5 guard averaged 11.8 ppg and 5.9 rpg. In his junior year, Williams entered the ranks of St. John's finest, reaching the 1000-point plateau. That year the Redmen reached a national ranking of No. 18, with Williams leading the team in scoring at 14.8 points per game. He was also second on the team in assists with 79.

Williams' greatest year was undoubtedly the 1976-77 season when, as captain of the Redmen, he scored 665 points, surpassing Bob Zawoluk's 26-year-old record for points in a season. The Virgin Islands native had a 21.5 ppg average and also handed out more than 100 assists for the year. His magical MVP performance at the Joe Lapchick Tournament saw him score 37 points against Fairfield in the championship game, just one point shy of a then-Alumni Hall record. Throughout his four years, Williams maintained a sharpshooters touch, never shooting less than .500 from the field. Carnesecca often referred to him as "the complete player," handing him the toughest defensive assignments to add to his huge offensive role.



BILL WENNINGTON



JAMES WHITE



GLEN WILLIAMS

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JAYSON WILLIAMS



BOB ZAWOLUK

Williams is currently fourth all-time in career field goals made with 712, and fifth in single-season field goals made with 256 in 1976-77. Following graduation, Williams was drafted by the Milwaukee Bucks with the 27th overall pick, and then played professionally in the Eastern League and the Western Association.

Glen Williams' Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1973-74	27	116-221	.525	47-72	.653	184	6.8	279	10.3
1974-75	30	158-313	.505	52-72	.722	179	6.0	368	12.3
1975-76	28	182-336	.542	51-72	.708	103	3.7	415	14.8
1976-77	31	256-501	.510	153-192	.797	101	3.3	665	21.5
Totals	116	712-1,371	.519	303-408	.743	567	4.9	1,727	14.9

JAYSON WILLIAMS

One of the premier forwards in the NBA for 10 seasons, Jayson Williams retired in 2000 after a bout with nagging injuries. He was a NBA All-Star and one of the league's top rebounders during his tenure with the New Jersey Nets.

Williams was a standout performer at St. John's, playing three seasons under Hall of Fame Coach Lou Carnesecca from 1987-90. During that time his teams boasted a winning record of 61-35, made two trips to the NCAA Tournament and won the 1989 NIT Championship, where he was selected Most Valuable Player.

His best year was the 1988-89 campaign, when he averaged 19.5 points and 7.9 rebounds in 31 games. Williams was amazing from the floor that season, hitting on 236-of-412 shots for a .573 field goal percentage and knocked down 70.2 percent of his free throws (134-of-191) that same season.

The 1989 season also saw Williams named to the all-tournament teams for the Lapchick and ECAC Holiday Festival Tournaments. At the end of the season he received All-BIG EAST second team honors.

His senior year was cut short by injury but not before Williams ended his St. John's career by posting 1,072 points, 490 rebounds and shot .550 from the field, which still ranks him among the top 10 in St. John's history.

Jayson Williams' Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.
1987-88	28	102-199	.513	75-120	.625	143	5.1	276	9.9
1988-89	31	236-412	.573	134-191	.702	246	7.9	606	19.5
1989-90	13	70-131	.534	49-80	.613	101	7.8	190	14.6
Totals	72	408-742	.550	258-391	.660	490	6.8	1,072	14.9

BOB ZAWOLUK

Bob Zawoluk was the first St. John's player to average 20 or more points in a season. He currently ranks fourth on the all-time scoring list with 1,826 career points. He still holds St. John's records for most free throws made in a season (208), most points in a game (65) and most field goals in a game (25).

Zawoluk played from 1949-52, leading St. John's to a 75-15 record. He keyed the team in his first season with a 20.3 scoring average and he was named a Helms Athletic Foundation third team All-American. He led the team again the following year with a 21.1 points per game average and took his team to a third place NIT finish and third place regional finish in the NCAA Tournament. He was named a first team All-American by the Helms Foundation that year. In his senior year, Zawoluk led the team to its first ever NCAA championship game, averaging 18.9 points per game. He was a second team consensus All-American.

Bob Zawoluk's Career Statistics

Year	G	FG	Pct.	FT	Pct.	Pts.	Avg.
1949-50	29	222-516	.430	144-211	.682	588	20.3
1950-51	31	223-516	.432	208-280	.742	654	21.1
1951-52	31	204-456	.447	176-231	.762	584	18.9
Totals	91	649-1488	.436	528-722	.731	1826	20.1

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Year	Player	Team	Round	Selected
1949	Dick McGuire	New York	1st	*
1950	Gerry Calabrese	Syracuse	2nd	*
1951	Al McGuire	New York	6th	*
1952	Jack McMahon	Rochester	5th	*
	Ron MacGilvary	Rochester	6th	*
	Bob Zawoluk	Indianapolis	10th	*
1954	Solly Walker	New York	7th	62
1957	Dick Duckett	Cincinnati	2nd	9
1959	Alan Seiden	St. Louis	2nd	14
1961	Tony Jackson	New York	3rd	24
1962	LeRoy Ellis	Los Angeles	1st	8
	Kevin Loughery	Detroit	2nd	13
1965	Ken McIntyre	St. Louis	3rd	19
1966	Bob McIntyre	St. Louis	4th	34
1967	Sonny Dove	Detroit	1st	4
1968	Rudy Bogad	Baltimore	12th	164
1969	John Warren	New York	1st	11
1970	Joe DePre	Phoenix	2nd	29
	Billy Paultz	San Diego	7th	103
1972	Greg Cluess	New York	6th	91
1973	Bill Schaeffer	Los Angeles	2nd	23
	Tony Price	Philadelphia	17th	203
	Mel Davis	New York	1st	14
1974	Ed Searcy	New Orleans	5th	82
1975	Mel Utley	Cleveland	2nd	33
	Kevin Cluess	Kansas City	4th	67
1976	Beaver Smith	New York	5th	76
1977	Glen Williams	Milwaukee	2nd	27
	Cecil Relford	Phoenix	5th	93
	Tom Weadock	New York	7th	140
1978	George Johnson	Milwaukee	1st	12



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Year	Player	Team	Round	Selected
1979	Reggie Carter	New York	2nd	27
	Gordon Thomas	New York	10th	189
1980	Bernard Rencher	Chicago	6th	120
1981	Wayne McKoy	New York	3rd	63
	Curtis Redding	Denver	8th	169
	Frank Gilroy	Philadelphia	8th	183
1983	David Russell	Denver	2nd	37
	Kevin Williams	San Antonio	2nd	46
	Billy Goodwin	Milwaukee	3rd	65
	Bob Kelly	Milwaukee	10th	223
1984	Jeff Allen	Kansas City	3rd	56
1985	Chris Mullin	Golden State	1st	7
	Bill Wennington	Dallas	1st	16
1986	Walter Berry	Portland	1st	14
	Ron Rowan	Philadelphia	3rd	67
1987	Mark Jackson	New York	1st	18
	Willie Glass	Los Angeles	3rd	69
1988	Shelton Jones	San Antonio	2nd	27
1990	Jayson Williams	Phoenix	1st	21
1992	Malik Sealy	Indiana	1st	14
	Robert Werdann	Denver	2nd	46
1994	Shawnelle Scott	Portland	2nd	43
1998	Felipe Lopez	San Antonio**	1st	24
1999	Ron Artest	Chicago	1st	16
2000	Erick Barkley	Portland	1st	28
	Lavar Postell	New York	2nd	39
2001	Omar Cook	Orlando***	2nd	32

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