



SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY

2018-19 MEN'S BASKETBALL QUICK FACTS

3 SOUTHLAND CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS | 64 SLC ALL-CONFERENCE SELECTIONS | 2 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES

BEARKAT QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

LocationHuntsville, Texas
 Founded1879
 Enrollment20,477
 NicknameBearthats
 ColorsOrange & White
 AffiliationNCAA Division I
 ConferenceSouthland
 PresidentDr. Dana G. Hoyt
 Director of AthleticsBobby Williams

BERNARD G. JOHNSON COLESIUM

Year Opened1976
 Capacity6,100
 Record at Arena349-145
 Longest 3Winning Streak22 Games (2002-2004)

HISTORY

First Year1917-18
 All-Time Record1,312-1,144 (100 seasons)
 Southland Record291-238 (31 seasons)
 Conference Championships11
 Southland3 - 2010, 2003, 2000
 Gulf Star1 - 1986
 Lone Star6 - 1981, 1973, 1971, 1948, 1937, 1934
 TAIA1 - 1925

MEDIA RELATIONS

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COACHING STAFF

Head CoachJason Hooten (9th season)
 Alma MaterTarleton State, 1993
 School Record158-113 (8 seasons)
 Career RecordSame
 Assistant CoachChris Mudge (9th season)
 Alma MaterTexas, 2006
 Assistant CoachChuck Taylor (3rd season)
 Alma MaterWayne State, 2002
 Assistant CoachKyle Campbell (2nd season)
 Alma MaterHastings College, 2006

TEAM INFORMATION

2017-18 Overall Record21-15
 Southland Record/Finish12-6/4th
 PostseasonN/A
 Southland Conference Titles3, last 2010
 Southland Tournament Titles2, last 2010
 NCAA Tournament Appearances2, last 2010
 NIT Appearances1, 2013
 Letterwinners Returning./Lost7/7
 Starters Returning./Lost1/4
 Newcomers7



2018 - 19 NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	CL	HOMETOWN/PEVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Albert Almanza	G/F	6-6	195	RSr.	Austin, Texas/Saint Stephens HS
1	RJ Smith	F	6-5	220	Jr.	Olathe, Kan./Butler CC
2	Cameron Delaney	G	6-4	205	RSr.	Harker Heights, Texas/Denver
3	Chad Bowie	G	6-2	180	Jr.	Houston, Texas/Kilgore College
4	Dajuan Jones	G	5-10	165	So.	Kileen, Texas/Ellison HS
5	Zaqwaun Matthews	G	6-4	185	Jr.	Charlotte, N.C./Cape Fear CC
10	Zach Nutall	G	6-3	185	Fr.	Bryan, Texas/Bryan HS
11	Xavier Bryant	G	6-0	180	Fr.	DeSoto, Texas/Greenhill HS
13	Bubba Furlong	F/C	6-9	240	So.	Waco, Texas/Midway HS
15	Josh Delaney	G	6-0	173	Sr.	Harker Heights, Texas/Harker Heights HS
20	Kai Mitchell	F/C	6-7	245	Jr.	Haverstraw, N.Y./Hutchinson CC
22	Marcus Harris	G	6-0	180	RSr.	San Antonio, Texas/San Diego
24	Cyrus Johnson	F	6-5	220	Fr.	Culver City, Calif./Culver City HS
35	Chidozie Ndu	F/C	6-11	225	So.	Lagos, Nigeria/Sunrise Christian Acad.

Head Coach: Jason Hooten, 9th season
Assistant Coach: Kyle Campbell, 2nd season
Assistant Coach: Chris Mudge, 9th season
Assistant Coach: Chuck Taylor, 3rd season
Graduate Assistant: Xavier Adams, 1st season
Graduate Assistant: Matt Herndon, 1st season

2018-19 SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER

6	EAST TEXAS BAPTIST	6:30 p.m.
8	SOUTHWESTERN (TX)	6:30 p.m.
11	at Louisiana Tech	TBA
14	at Clemson ^	6:00 p.m.
16	at Georgia ^	TBA
19	vs. Jackson State ^	3:00 p.m.
20	vs. East Tenn. St. or Chicago St. ^	3:00 or 6:00 p.m.
28	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	6:30 p.m.

DECEMBER

1	at Little Rock	3:00 p.m.
8	at Colorado State	2:00 p.m.
18	ALABAMA STATE	6:30 p.m.
22	at Utah Valley	TBA
31	TEXAS LUTHERAN	2:00 p.m.

JANUARY

5	ABILENE CHRISTIAN*	5:30 p.m.
9	at Central Arkansas*	7:00 p.m.
12	INCARNATE WORD*	5:30 p.m.
16	TEXAS A&M-CORPUS CHRISTI*	6:30 p.m.
19	at Houston Baptist*	7:00 p.m.
23	at Northwestern State*	TBA
26	LAMAR*	5:30 p.m.
30	at Southeastern Louisiana*	TBA

FEBRUARY

2	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN*	7:00 p.m.
6	McNEESE*	6:30 p.m.
9	at Abilene Christian*	TBA
13	at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi*	7:00 p.m.
16	at Lamar*	4:30 p.m.
20	NICHOLLS*	6:30 p.m.
23	HOUSTON BAPTIST*	7:00 p.m.
27	at New Orleans*	7:00 p.m.

MARCH

6	CENTRAL ARKANSAS*	6:30 p.m.
9	at Stephen F. Austin*	TBA
13-15	Southland Conference Tournament	TBA

All times are Central and subject to change

BOLD - Home game at Johnson Coliseum

* - Southland Conference game

^ - Cayman Island Classic





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BEARKAT TRANSFERS

NO.	NAME	PREVIOUS SCHOOL
1	RJ Smith	Butler C.C.
2	Cameron Delaney	Denver
3	Chad Bowie	Kilgore College
5	Zaqwaun Matthews	Cape Fear C.C.
20	Kai Mitchell	Hutchinson C.C.
22	Marcus Harris	San Diego

BEARKATS BY CLASS

SENIORS (4)

Albert Almanza (RS)
Cameron Delaney (RS)
Josh Delaney
Marcus Harris (RS)

JUNIORS (4)

Chad Bowie
Zaqun Matthews
Kai Mitchell
RJ Smith

SOPHOMORES (3)

Bubba Furlong
Dajuan Jones
Chidozie Ndu

FRESHMEN (3)

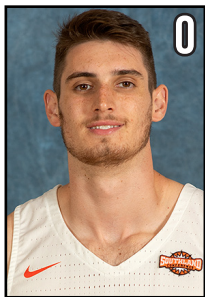
Xavier Bryant
Cyrus Johnson
Zach Nutall

Head Coach: Jason Hooten

Assistant Coaches: Kyle Campbell, Chris Mudge, Chuck Taylor

Graduate Assistants: Xavier Adams, Matt Herndon

Athletic Trainer: Katy Ryan



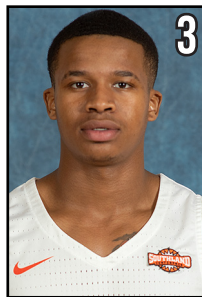
Albert Almanza, Sr., G/F



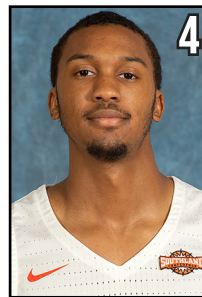
RJ Smith, Jr., F



Cameron Delaney, RSr., G



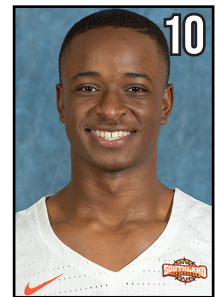
Chad Bowie, Jr., G



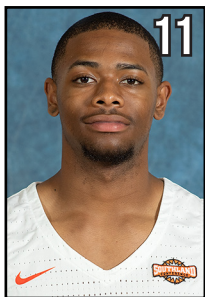
Dajuan Jones, So., G



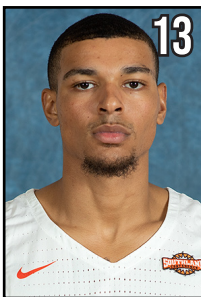
Zaqwaun Matthews, Jr., G



Zach Nutall, Fr., G



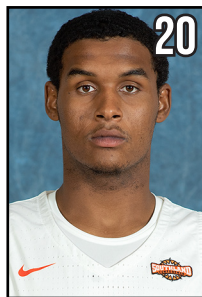
Xavier Bryant, Fr., G



Bubba Furlong, So., F/C



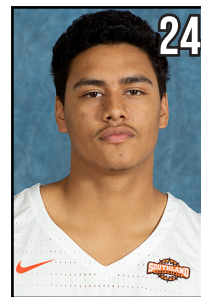
Josh Delaney, Sr., G



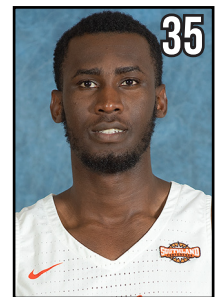
Kai Mitchell, Jr., F/C



Marcus Harris, RSr., G



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Chidozie Ndu, So., F/C



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2017-18 OVERALL STATISTICS

Overall record: 21-15 Conf: 12-6 Home: 14-2 Away: 5-10 Neutral: 2-3

##	Player	gp-gs	min	Total			3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds					pts	avg					
				avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fga	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf			dq	a	to	blk	stl
23	Galbreath Jr., Chris	36-36	1004	27.9	219-464	.472	17-51	.333	77-115	.670	94	193	287	8.0	101	4	45	79	21	23	532	14.8
11	Dewey III, John	36-35	1063	29.5	106-302	.351	46-129	.357	106-126	.841	26	88	114	3.2	87	2	158	107	0	36	364	10.1
22	Harris, Marcus	34-30	848	24.9	93-252	.369	38-125	.304	95-122	.779	15	78	93	2.7	77	1	34	38	2	31	319	9.4
20	Williams, Jamal	36-16	901	25.0	118-230	.513	10-24	.417	60-92	.652	77	120	197	5.5	58	2	63	51	4	39	306	8.5
15	Delaney, Josh	35-7	802	22.9	85-214	.397	68-168	.405	47-62	.758	8	60	68	1.9	54	0	76	32	3	25	285	8.1
01	Edwards, Abrian	32-19	684	21.4	70-139	.504	7-23	.304	49-72	.681	38	79	117	3.7	62	1	74	53	2	22	196	6.1
05	Boutte, Josh	23-21	316	13.7	53-86	.616	0-0	.000	20-30	.667	36	41	77	3.3	50	1	5	17	7	2	126	5.5
00	Almanza, Albert	22-2	380	17.3	40-112	.357	30-85	.353	4-9	.444	12	35	47	2.1	46	0	14	11	3	12	114	5.2
02	Delaney, Cameron	35-4	540	15.4	47-147	.320	25-92	.272	32-39	.821	17	91	108	3.1	57	0	31	27	6	20	151	4.3
04	Jones, Dajuan	14-0	92	6.6	11-27	.407	3-12	.250	5-14	.357	1	10	11	0.8	8	0	16	13	0	1	30	2.1
13	Furlong, Bubba	24-7	168	7.0	16-39	.410	2-5	.400	10-13	.769	20	18	38	1.6	38	0	3	13	9	5	44	1.8
03	Jackson, Devin	19-0	110	5.8	11-48	.229	11-48	.229	0-0	.000	2	8	10	0.5	9	0	4	2	0	1	33	1.7
32	Bitondo, Freddy	28-1	208	7.4	18-35	.514	0-0	.000	6-19	.316	19	19	38	1.4	44	2	4	9	1	1	42	1.5
35	Ndu, Chidozie	18-2	93	5.2	11-18	.611	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	7	6	13	0.7	13	0	0	3	4	2	25	1.4
33	Van Pelt, Justin	5-0	16	3.2	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	6	6	1.2	4	0	0	2	0	0	4	0.8
Team											64	69	133				16					
Total.....		36	7225		900-2115	.426	257-762	.337	514-719	.715	436	921	1357	37.7	708	13	527	473	62	220	2571	71.4
Opponents.....		36	7225		852-1965	.434	277-851	.326	496-725	.684	326	890	1216	33.8	684	14	461	518	149	185	2477	68.8

TEAM STATISTICS	SHSU	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	2571	2477	11/11/17	UT TYLER	w 91-51	821
Points per game	71.4	68.8	11/14/17	HARDIN-SIMMONS	w 72-56	805
Scoring margin	+2.6	-	11/18/17	at Idaho	L 54-63	1187
FIELD GOALS-ATT	900-2115	852-1965	11/22/17	vs Central Michigan	L 60-71	1579
Field goal pct	.426	.434	11/23/17	vs College of Charleston	L 49-59	1646
3 POINT FG-ATT	257-762	277-851	11/25/17	vs Santa Clara	w 73-59	1823
3-point FG pct	.337	.326	11/28/17	SCHREINER	w 81-55	873
3-pt FG made per game	7.1	7.7	11/30/17	ST. THOMAS (TX)	w 77-54	727
FREE THROWS-ATT	514-719	496-725	12/04/17	at Baylor	L 56-84	5015
Free throw pct	.715	.684	12/13/17	at Ole Miss	L 69-82	5054
F-Throws made per game	14.3	13.8	12/15/17	LITTLE ROCK	w 57-55	636
REBOUNDS	1357	1216	12/19/17	at LSU	L 58-80	8151
Rebounds per game	37.7	33.8	12/22/17	UTAH VALLEY	L 64-75	610
Rebounding margin	+3.9	-	* 12/30/17	at Abilene Christian	L 72-75	1125
ASSISTS	527	461	* 1/3/18	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	w 82-76	599
Assists per game	14.6	12.8	* 1/6/18	at UIW	w 85-74	1052
TURNOVERS	473	518	* 1/10/18	at A&M-Corpus Christi	w 82-50	1722
Turnovers per game	13.1	14.4	* 1/13/18	HOUSTON BAPTIST	w 81-68	946
Turnover margin	+1.3	-	* 1/17/18	NORTHWESTERN STATE	w 75-52	1075
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	0.9	* 1/20/18	at Lamar University	Lot 77-84	1500
STEALS	220	185	* 1/24/18	SOUTHEASTERN LA.	w 75-65	1238
Steals per game	6.1	5.1	* 01/27/18	at Stephen F. Austin	L 66-82	7081
BLOCKS	62	149	* 01/30/18	at McNeese	w 67-57	902
Blocks per game	1.7	4.1	* 2/3/18	ABILENE CHRISTIAN	w 84-77	1078
ATTENDANCE	15105	43943	* 2/7/18	A&M-CORPUS CHRISTI	w 66-64	1123
Home games-Avg/Game	16-944	15-2593	* 2/10/18	LAMAR UNIVERSITY	w 71-69	1166
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	5-1010	* 02/14/18	at Nicholls	L 72-73	505
Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals		
Sam Houston State	1166	1396	9	2571	* 02/17/18	at Houston Baptist
Opponents	1170	1291	16	2477	* 2/21/18	NEW ORLEANS
					w 57-54	1043
					* 02/28/18	at Central Arkansas
					L 70-88	1312
					* 3/3/18	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN
					L 53-65	2043
					3/8/18	vs New Orleans
					w 85-63	0
					3/9/18	vs Southeastern La.
					L 79-89	0
					3/19/18	EASTERN MICHIGAN
					w 69-62	322
					! 03/22/18	at UTSA
					w 76-69	1352
					3/28/18	at Northern Colorado
					L 80-99	2019

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ALL GAMES	12-6	8-1	4-5	0-0
CONFERENCE	12-6	8-1	4-5	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

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23	Galbreath Jr., Chris	18-18	505	28.1	109-225	.484	7-24	.292	292	43-60	.717	45	86	131	7.3	52	2	20	43	13	12	268	14.9
22	Harris, Marcus	18-17	508	28.2	66-167	.395	26-77	.338	75-94	.798	4	44	48	2.7	48	0	20	26	1	19	233	12.9	
11	Dewey III, John	18-18	531	29.5	53-143	.371	20-56	.357	59-67	.881	12	37	49	2.7	43	1	71	51	0	18	185	10.3	
20	Williams, Jamal	18-3	464	25.8	59-117	.504	4-12	.333	37-59	.627	38	66	104	5.8	28	1	26	25	3	21	159	8.8	
15	Delaney, Josh	18-0	400	22.2	45-102	.441	33-69	.478	21-30	.700	4	26	30	1.7	28	0	34	18	2	14	144	8.0	
01	Edwards, Abrian	17-16	422	24.8	36-76	.474	5-13	.385	31-43	.721	18	46	64	3.8	39	1	50	35	1	14	108	6.4	
05	Boutte, Josh	18-16	260	14.4	41-67	.612	0-0	.000	15-24	.625	31	36	67	3.7	39	0	5	13	7	1	97	5.4	
00	Almanza, Albert	9-1	124	13.8	10-28	.357	8-23	.348	0-2	.000	1	10	11	1.2	17	0	8	5	0	2	28	3.1	
02	Delaney, Cameron	17-0	186	10.9	15-48	.313	10-33	.303	11-12	.917	7	29	36	2.1	26	0	6	9	1	5	51	3.0	
33	Van Pelt, Justin	1-0	4	4.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0	
13	Furlong, Bubba	10-1	44	4.4	4-13	.308	0-2	.000	4-5	.800	6	4	10	1.0	11	0	0	3	2	0	12	1.2	
32	Bitondo, Freddy	17-0	121	7.1	8-20	.400	0-0	.000	4-14	.286	14	11	25	1.5	30	1	3	5	1	1	20	1.2	
35	Ndu, Chidozie	6-0	15	2.5	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	1	4	0.7	3	0	0	1	0	0	6	1.0	
03	Jackson, Devin	7-0	26	3.7	2-13	.154	2-13	.154	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0.3	2	0	1	0	0	0	6	0.9	
04	Jones, Dajuan	3-0	15	5.0	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	0-4	.000	0	3	3	1.0	1	0	1	2	0	0	2	0.7	
Team											39	37	76						8				
Total.....		18	3625		453-1028	.441	115-323	.356	300-414	.725	223	438	661	36.7	370	6	245	244	31	107	1321	73.4	
Opponents.....		18	3625		437-990	.441	112-369	.304	265-379	.699	188	425	613	34.1	385	10	224	271	74	92	1251	69.5	

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SCORING	1321	1251	* 12/30/17	at Abilene Christian	L 72-75	1125
Points per game	73.4	69.5	* 1/3/18	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	w 82-76	599
Scoring margin	+3.9	-	* 1/6/1818	at UIW	w 85-74	1052
FIELD GOALS-ATT	453-1028	437-990	* 1/10/18	at A&M-Corpus Christi	w 82-50	1722
Field goal pct	.441	.441	* 1/13/18	HOUSTON BAPTIST	w 81-68	946
3 POINT FG-ATT	115-323	112-369	* 1/17/18	NORTHWESTERN STATE	w 75-52	1075
3-point FG pct	.356	.304	* 1/20/18	at Lamar University	Lot 77-84	1500
3-pt FG made per game	6.4	6.2	* 1/24/18	SOUTHEASTERN LA.	w 75-65	1238
FREE THROWS-ATT	300-414	265-379	* 01/27/18	at Stephen F. Austin	L 66-82	7081
Free throw pct	.725	.699	* 01/30/18	at McNeese	w 67-57	902
F-Throws made per game	16.7	14.7	* 2/3/18	ABILENE CHRISTIAN	w 84-77	1078
REBOUNDS	661	613	* 2/7/18	A&M-CORPUS CHRISTI	w 66-64	1123
Rebounds per game	36.7	34.1	* 2/10/18	LAMAR UNIVERSITY	w 71-69	1166
Rebounding margin	+2.7	-	* 02/14/18	at Nicholls	L 72-73	505
ASSISTS	245	224	* 02/17/18	at Houston Baptist	w 86-78	918
Assists per game	13.6	12.4	* 2/21/18	NEW ORLEANS	w 57-54	1043
TURNOVERS	244	271	* 02/28/18	at Central Arkansas	L 70-88	1312
Turnovers per game	13.6	15.1	* 3/3/18	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN	L 53-65	2043
Turnover margin	+1.5	-	* - Conference game			
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	0.8				
STEALS	107	92				
Steals per game	5.9	5.1				
BLOCKS	31	74				
Blocks per game	1.7	4.1				
ATTENDANCE	10311	16117				
Home games-Avg/Game	9-1146	9-1791				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Totals
Sam Houston State	592	720	9	1321
Opponents	597	638	16	1251