



# FIGHTING ILLINI BASKETBALL

Game #14: #6 Illinois (13-0) vs. Tennessee-Martin (5-4)

Dec. 30, 2005 • 7 p.m. CT • ESPN+ Local

Champaign, Ill. • Assembly Hall (16,618)

## 2005-06 Schedule/Results

11-3	Illinois Wesleyan (exh.)	W, 82-60	
11-9	Quincy Univ. (exh.)	W, 78-52	
11-18	South Dakota State	W, 90-65	(1-0)
11-20	Texas-Pan American &	W, 71-59	(2-0)
11-22	Texas Southern &	W, 93-59	(3-0)
11-25	Wichita St. (South Padre Island) &	W, 55-54	(4-0)
11-26	Rutgers (South Padre Island) &	W, 77-57	(5-0)
11-29	at North Carolina @	W, 68-64	(6-0)
12-3	vs. Xavier (Chicago)	W, 65-62	(7-0)
12-5	Arkansas-Little Rock	W, 75-49	(8-0)
12-8	Georgetown	W, 58-48	(9-0)
12-10	vs. Oregon (Portland)	W, 89-59	(10-0)
12-18	Coppin State	W, 61-42	(11-0)
12-21	vs. Missouri (St. Louis)	W, 82-50	(12-0)
12-28	Southeast Missouri State	W, 89-64	(13-0)
12-30	Tennessee-Martin	7 p.m.	ESPN+Local
1-5	Michigan State	8 p.m.	ESPN2
1-7	at Iowa	1 p.m.	ESPN+Regional
1-14	Michigan	3:30 p.m.	ESPN+Regional
1-17	at Indiana	6 p.m.	ESPN
1-21	at Northwestern	3:30 p.m.	ESPN+Regional
1-25	Minnesota	8 p.m.	ESPN+Local
1-28	Purdue	3:30 p.m.	ESPN+Regional
1-31	at Wisconsin	6 p.m.	ESPN
2-4	Penn State	8 p.m.	ESPN+Local
2-12	at Ohio State	Noon	CBS
2-15	Northwestern	7 p.m.	ESPN+Local
2-19	Indiana	2:30 p.m.	CBS
2-21	at Michigan	6 p.m.	ESPN
2-25	Iowa	5 p.m.	ESPN
TBA	at Minnesota	TBA	TBA
3-4	at Michigan State	TBA	TBA
3-9-12	Big Ten Tournament (Conseco Fieldhouse, Indianapolis)		

(Associated Press rankings) • All Times Central  
& South Padre Island Invitational @ = Big Ten/ACC Challenge

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#### Television

ESPN+ Local: Mike Adamle, play-by-play; Doug Altenberger, expert analyst.

#### Radio

Illini Sports Network – 50 stations: Brian Barnhart, play-by-play; Jerry Hester, expert analyst; Loren Tate, pregame/halftime/postgame interviews.

## Probable Starters

### #6 ILLINOIS (13-0, 0-0)

F – 42 Brian Randle (So.-r, 6-8, 215, 8.8 ppg, 5.6 rpg, 1.4 apg)  
F – 40 James Augustine (Sr., 6-10, 235, 14.0 ppg, 9.2 rpg, 2.0 apg)  
C – 55 Shaun Pruitt (So., 6-10, 240, 5.6 ppg, 5.2 rpg)  
G – 33 Rich McBride (Jr., 6-3, 205, 8.6 ppg, 2.1 rpg, 2.5 apg)  
G – 11 Dee Brown (Sr., 6-0, 185, 14.9 ppg, 3.3 rpg, 5.3 apg)

### Off The Bench ...

G – 2 Chris Hicks (So., 6-2, 190, 0.9 ppg, 0.0 rpg)  
G – 3 Chester Frazier (Fr., 6-2, 190, 1.3 ppg, 2.4 rpg, 2.5 apg)  
G – 25 Calvin Brock (Fr.-r, 6-4, 185, 1.8 ppg, 1.4 rpg)  
G – 31 Jamar Smith (Fr., 6-3, 175, 10.2 ppg, 1.9 rpg, 1.8 apg)  
F – 34 C.J. Jackson (Fr., 6-8, 265, intends to redshirt)  
F – 41 Warren Carter (Jr., 6-9, 210, 5.8 ppg, 3.4 rpg)  
C – 44 Marcus Arnold (Jr.-r, 6-8, 245, 5.0 ppg, 3.5 rpg)

## Series Notes: Tennessee-Martin

This is just the second-ever meeting between Illinois and Tennessee-Martin, with the Illini claiming the previous match-up, 71-35, on Nov. 23, 1998 at the Assembly Hall. UI coach Bruce Weber compiled a record of 1-0 against the Skyhawks during his tenure at Southern Illinois.

## The Head Coaches

### Illinois Head Coach Bruce Weber

**Overall Record:** 179-63/.740 (8th year)    **Big Ten:** 28-4/.875  
**At Illinois:** 76-9/.894 (3rd year)    **All-Time Vs. Tennessee-Martin:** 1-0  
**Assistant Coaches:** Wayne McClain (5th year), Jay Price (3rd year), Tracy Webster (2nd year)  
**Assistant to the Head Coach:** Gary Nottingham (3rd year)  
**Trainer:** Al Martindale (23rd year at Illinois)

### Tennessee-Martin Head Coach: Bret Campbell

**Overall Record:** 70-107/.395 (7th year)  
**At UT-Martin.:** Same    **Vs. Illinois:** first meeting  
**Assistant Coaches:** Trent Becker, Jason James, Kevin Easley

## Media Information - What's Coming Up

Illinois Basketball Media Teleconferences/Luncheons with Bruce Weber

- Monday, Jan. 2, 10:40 a.m. - Big Ten Teleconference
- Tuesday, Jan. 3, 11:30 a.m. - Luncheon/Teleconference
- Friday, Jan. 6, 11:30 a.m. - Teleconference
- Monday, Jan. 9, 10:40 a.m. - Big Ten Teleconference

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## Illini Headlines

- James Augustine has 843 career rebounds, ranking third on the all-time Illini rebounding chart. He is just 10 boards away from tying the Illinois career record of 853 rebounds set by Efreem Winters from 1983-86.
- Illinois has the most victories of any team in the nation so far this season with 13 wins, and is one of 10 teams in the country to boast a perfect record (through Dec. 28).
- Illinois is off to its fifth-best start in school history at 13-0, and has won its first 13 games for the second straight year. The Illini won a school-record 29 games to start last season.
- Illinois has won 52 of its last 53 games during the regular season.
- Illinois owns the nation's third-longest homecourt winning streak at 28 games.
- Illinois has the nation's longest nonconference homecourt winning streak at 45 games (tied with Oklahoma).
- Illinois is 85-3 (.966) at the Assembly Hall over the last six-and-a-half seasons, the best home mark in the nation over this time period.
- Illinois is the second-winningest team in the nation over the past five-and-a-half seasons. Illinois has won 154 games since the beginning of the 2000-01 season, which trails only Duke (161).
- Bruce Weber is the winningest coach in the nation over the past four-and-a-half seasons. Since the beginning of the 2001-02 season, Weber has won 128 games, recording 52 wins in his final two years at Southern Illinois and 76 wins in his first two-and-a-half years at Illinois. He leads Duke's Mike Krzyzewski by two wins over this time period.
- Illinois and Duke are the only two schools in the nation to win at least 25 games each of the last five seasons.
- Illinois' opponents are averaging just 56.3 points on 39.4 percent shooting on the season. The Illini lead the Big Ten in scoring margin (+18.0) while ranking third in the Big Ten in scoring defense (17th in NCAA, as of Dec. 19)

and second in field goal percentage defense.

- Illinois is outrebounding its opponents by an average of 9.7 boards per game. The Illini lead the Big Ten and rank 19th in the nation (as of Dec. 19) in rebounding margin and have outrebounded 12 of their 13 opponents on the year.
- Dee Brown has an assist-to-turnover ratio of 3.29 over the past seven games (46 assists, 14 turnovers), after opening the season with an assist/turnover ratio of 0.96 in the first six games (23 assists, 24 turnovers).
- Dee Brown and James Augustine have each played in 101 wins during their respective careers, ranking fourth on the UI career wins chart. The Illinois record for wins (played in) is 110 by Nick Smith (2002-05).
- Dee Brown recorded his 1,500th career point vs. Coppin State on Dec. 18, becoming just the eighth player in UI history to reach that milestone.
- James Augustine has won the opening tip in all but one game (Oregon) this season, and has won the tip over 81 percent of the time during his career (92-21).
- Illinois has played 62 consecutive games while ranked in the Top 25.
- Illinois sold out of season tickets for the entire season for the second year in a row and third time in the last five years. The Illini have played in front of 19 consecutive sell-out crowds at the Assembly Hall.

## Another Strong Start for the Illini

The Illini have won their first 13 games for the second straight season with this year's 13-0 start, which is the fifth-best start in school history. Illinois set a school record by winning its first 29 games last season (*see chart at bottom of page for Illinois' best all-time starts*).

## Illini Go for Eighth Undefeated Non-Conference Record in Modern Era

Friday's game vs. Tennessee-Martin is the final non-conference game of the 2005-06 season, and the Illini are once again aiming for a 14-0 run

## Illini Head Coach Bruce Weber

Bruce Weber has led the Fighting Illini to the top of the national charts in just his third season at the helm of the Illinois program. In addition to becoming the first coach in Big Ten history to lead his squad to outright Big Ten titles in each of his first two seasons, Weber had Illinois at No. 1 in the national polls the final 15 weeks of the 2004-05 season. He led the Illini to an NCAA record-tying 37 victories and the school's first appearance in the national championship game. The Illini success helped Weber be named National Coach of the Year by 10 different organizations. He came to Illinois following five years at Southern Illinois where he led the Salukis to Missouri Valley Conference titles each of his last two seasons.

Weber became just the third coach in Big Ten history to win an outright title in his first season in the league, leading the Illini to 10 straight victories to end the regular season and claim the title. He is also just the sixth coach in the conference since 1951 (when Michigan State joined the league) to defeat every other conference team in his first season.

In his five seasons at SIU, Weber took the Saluki program to the top of the MVC, winning league titles in 2002 and 2003. He posted records of 28-8 and 24-7 in his last two seasons, leading the Salukis to back-to-back NCAA Tournament appearances.

A 1978 graduate of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Weber spent 18 years as an assistant at Purdue under Gene Keady before moving to SIU.

He has helped teams make 19 NCAA Tournament appearances in 26 seasons as a collegiate coach, including one Final Four, one Elite Eight and four Sweet Sixteen appearances. Purdue won six Big Ten titles during his stop in West Lafayette.

## Weber Career Record

All Games . . . . .179-63 (.740)  
 at Illinois . . . . .76-9 (.894)  
 Illinois, 2005-06 . . . . .13-0 (1.000)  
 Southern Illinois, 1999-2003 . .103-54  
 . . . . .(.656)  
 Assistant at Western Kentucky . .21-8  
 Assistant at Purdue . . . . .394-168

## Illinois' Best Undefeated Starts

Rank	Year	Start	Final	Coach	Season Notes
1.	2004-05	29-0	37-2	Bruce Weber	NCAA Runner-Up; Tied winningest season in NCAA history; Big Ten Champions; Big Ten Tournament Champions; No. 1 in final AP Poll
2.	1988-89	17-0	31-5	Lou Henson	NCAA Final Four
3.	1914-15	16-0	16-0	Ralph Jones	Helms National Champions; Big Ten Champions; Only undefeated season in school history
4.	1978-79	15-0	19-11	Lou Henson	Defeated No. 1-ranked and eventual national champion Michigan State
5.	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>13-0</b>	???	<b>Bruce Weber</b>	<b>Ranked No. 6 in both national polls</b>
6.	1907-08	12-0	20-6	Fletcher Lane	10 wins during 12-0 start came against YMCAs
T7.	1989-90	11-0	21-8	Lou Henson	NCAA Tournament
T7.	1951-52	11-0	22-4	Harry Combes	NCAA Final Four; Big Ten Champions
9.	1968-69	10-0	19-5	Harv Schmidt	Second place in Big Ten
T10.	1995-96	9-0	18-13	Lou Henson	Henson's final season at Illinois; NIT
T10.	1921-22	9-0	14-5	Frank Winters	Fourth place in Big Ten

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through the non-Big Ten slate. A victory would give Illinois its eighth perfect non-conference record since World War II and its second consecutive after going 14-0 last season. The following is the previous seasons in the modern era where Illinois has accomplished the feat:

Year	Non-Conf. Record	Coach	Final Record
1947-48	8-0	Combes	15-5
1952-53	4-0	Combes	18-4
1968-69	10-0	Schmidt	19-5
1978-79	12-0	Henson	19-11
1988-89	13-0	Henson	31-5
1989-90	10-0	Henson	21-8
2004-05	14-0	Weber	37-2

## Undefeated Illini

Illinois has the most victories of any team in the nation so far this season with 13 wins. The Illini are also one of only 10 teams in the country to boast a perfect record (through Dec. 28):

School	Record	Next Game
<b>Illinois</b>	<b>13-0</b>	<b>Dec. 30</b>
Florida	11-0	Dec. 30
Duke	11-0	Dec. 31
Washington	10-0	Dec. 29
Connecticut	10-0	Dec. 30
Pittsburgh	10-0	Dec. 31
Ohio State	9-0	Dec. 31
George Washington	8-0	Dec. 30
Villanova	8-0	Dec. 31
Texas A&M	8-0	Dec. 31

## Illini By the Numbers Under Weber

Illinois has been a consistent winner during Bruce Weber, a tenure that spans the most successful period in school history. The following is a breakdown of Illinois' success under Weber:

- **76-9:** Illinois' overall record under Weber, a winning percentage of .894.
- **34-1:** Illinois' record at the Assembly Hall under Weber, a winning percentage of .971.
- **52-1:** Illinois' record in its last 53 regular season games under Weber (beginning Jan. 31, 2004), a winning percentage of .981.
- **37-2:** Illinois' record last season, which tied

the record for the winningest season in NCAA history.

- **26-7:** Illinois' record in Weber's first season (2003-04), which tied the fourth-winningest season in school history.
- **13-0:** Illinois' record so far this season, the second straight year under Weber that Illinois has won its first 13 games.
- **28-4:** Illinois' record in Big Ten play under Weber – which includes back-to-back outright championships in 2004 and 2005 – a winning percentage of .875.
- **64-6:** Illinois' record in regular season games under Weber, a winning percentage of .914.
- **16-3:** Illinois' record in road games under Weber, a winning percentage of .842.
- **26-5:** Illinois' record in neutral-site games under Weber, a winning percentage of .839.
- **7-2:** Illinois' NCAA Tournament record under Weber – which includes a trip to the Sweet 16 in 2004 and the program's first-ever appearance in the national championship game in 2005 – a winning percentage of .778.
- **5-1:** Illinois' Big Ten Tournament record under Weber – which includes the 2005 tournament title – a winning percentage of .833.
- **12-3:** Illinois' combined postseason record under Weber, a winning percentage of .800.

**Last Time Out:** Southeast Missouri State Illinois won its 28th straight game at the Assembly Hall and its 45th straight over a non-conference opponent with Wednesday's 89-64 victory over Southeast Missouri State. The Illini shot 50.7 percent from the field and 50 percent from 3-point range for the game and doubled up SEMO on the glass to a 48-24 advantage.

Dee Brown was one of four Illini in double figures, scoring 16 to lead the way. Jamar Smith added 14 points on 5-5 shooting and Warren Carter came off the bench to record a career-high 14 points. James Augustine added 12 points and eight rebounds.

## Home Cookin'

Illinois carries a 28-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall, which ranks third in the nation

among active homecourt winning streaks ... The Illini have also won 45 in a row at the Assembly Hall against non-conference opponents, which is tied with Oklahoma for the longest non-conference homecourt winning streak in the country ... Illinois is 73-2 (.973) at the Assembly Hall over the last five-and-a-half years, with the only losses coming to Michigan State on Feb. 3, 2002 and to Purdue on Jan. 10, 2004 ... The Boilermakers broke a 23-game Illini winning streak at the Hall that at the time ranked fourth in the nation ... Illinois is 85-3 (.966) at the Assembly Hall over the past six-and-a-half seasons, the best home mark in the nation over that period ... Illinois has won 43 of its last 45 (.956) Big Ten games at the Assembly Hall ... Below is a look at Illinois' home record the past six-and-a-half seasons:

Year	Overall	Big Ten
2005-06	7-0	0-0
2004-05	15-0	8-0
2003-04	12-1	7-1
2002-03	14-0	7-0
2001-02	13-1	7-1
2000-01	12-0	8-0
<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>12-1</u>	<u>7-1</u>
Total	85-3 (.966)	44-3 (.936)

Following is a list of the current longest home-court winning streaks in Div. I:

School	Wins	Next Home Game
1. Washington	31	Dec. 29
2. Gonzaga	29	Dec. 31
3. <b>ILLINOIS</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Dec. 30</b>
4. Southern Illinois	27	Dec. 31

## Augustine and Brown Approaching School Record for Career Wins

Wednesday's win over Southeast Missouri State marked the 101st career victory that seniors James Augustine and Dee Brown have played in during their UI tenure, which ranks fourth on the school career wins chart. The school record for career wins (played in) is 110 by Nick Smith (2002-05).

## Doing it with Defense

At the beginning of the season, Bruce Weber challenged his team to build its identity and reputation on defense. Illinois has responded, using defense to spur its 13-0 start. Opponents are averaging just 56.3 points on 39.4 percent shooting for the season. The Illini have not given up more than 65 points in any game, with nine of the 13 opponents scoring under 60. Illinois has also not had an opponent shoot 50 percent in a game this season, and only three teams have shot better than 45 percent.

Illinois held back-to-back opponents to less than 50 points in wins over Arkansas-Little Rock

## 2005-06 Illinois Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown
1	Trent Meacham	G	6-2	195	So.	Champaign, Ill.
2	Chris Hicks	G	6-2	190	So.	Chicago, Ill.
3	Chester Frazier	G	6-2	190	Fr.	Baltimore, Md.
11	Dee Brown***	G	6-0	185	Sr.	Maywood, Ill.
25	Calvin Brock	G	6-5	190	r-Fr.	Chicago, Ill.
31	Jamar Smith	G	6-3	175	Fr.	Peoria, Ill.
33	Rich McBride**	G	6-3	205	Jr.	Springfield, Ill.
34	C.J. Jackson	F	6-8	265	Fr.	Buena Vista, Ga.
40	James Augustine***	F/C	6-10	235	Sr.	Mokena, Ill.
41	Warren Carter**	F	6-9	215	Jr.	Dallas, Texas
42	Brian Randle*	F	6-8	215	r-So.	Peoria, Ill.
44	Marcus Arnold	F	6-8	245	r-Jr.	Chicago, Ill.
55	Shaun Pruitt*	F/C	6-10	240	So.	Aurora, Ill.

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Illini Record Under Bruce Weber:					
	<u>All</u>	<u>05-06</u>			
Plays at home	34-1	7-0	When rebounding is tied	4-0	0-0
Plays on the road	16-3	1-0	Scores more bench points	46-3	10-0
Plays at neutral site	26-5	5-0	Scores fewer bench points	24-5	0-0
Plays at United Center	7-0	1-0	Scores same bench points	5-1	2-0
Big Ten record	28-4	0-0	Has fewer TOs than opp.	59-3	8-0
Big Ten at home	14-1	0-0	Has equal or more TOs than opp.	17-6	5-0
Big Ten on the road	13-3	0-0	Has 15+ assists	54-5	8-0
When Ranked	69-8	13-0	Wears white uniforms	31-2	6-0
As No. 1	31-2	0-0	Wears blue uniforms	6-3	1-0
Plays a ranked opponent	13-6	0-0	Wears orange uniforms	39-4	6-0
Plays a Top-10 opponent	3-4	0-0	Plays in tournaments	16-3	4-0
Vs. No. 1	1-0	0-0	NCAA Tournament	7-2	0-0
Wins the game before	67-8	12-0	In November	13-0	6-0
Loses the game before	7-1	0-0	In December	22-2	7-0
Leading at the half	66-3	10-0	In January	12-3	0-0
Trailing at the half	7-6	2-0	In February	14-0	0-0
Tied at the half	3-0	1-0	In March	14-3	0-0
Shoots 45% or better	54-1	9-0	In April	1-1	0-0
Shoots less than 45%	22-8	4-0	Plays during the day	34-4	4-0
Opp. shoots 45% or less	56-1	10-0	Plays at night	42-5	9-0
Opp. shoots better than 45% FG	20-8	3-0	Margin is 5 points or less	9-3	3-0
Shoots better than opp.	60-0	10-0	Margin is between 6-10	14-3	1-0
Shoots worse than opp.	15-9	3-0	Margin is between 11-20	30-3	3-0
Shoots same as opp.	1-0	0-0	Margin is more than 20	15-0	6-0
Shoots more FT than opp.	38-0	9-0	Has a 20+ point scorer	35-3	4-0
Shoots fewer FT than opp.	35-8	4-0	Scores 59 points or less	5-4	2-0
Shoots same number of FT	3-1	0-0	Scores 60-69 points	15-3	3-0
Makes more FT than opp.	40-1	7-0	Scores 70-79 points	25-1	3-0
Makes fewer FT than opp.	32-8	6-0	Scores 80-89 points	20-1	3-0
Makes same number of FT	4-0	0-0	Scores 90-99 points	10-0	2-0
Scores 70 or more points	56-2	8-0	Scores 100+ points	1-0	0-0
Leads in rebounding	50-6	12-0	Overtime	4-0	0-0
Trails in rebounding	22-3	1-0	On ESPN	16-2	2-0
			On espn2	6-0	1-0
			On CBS	16-4	0-0
			On FOX Sports Net	3-0	1-0

(75-49) and Georgetown (58-48) for the first time since Nov. 30 and Dec. 5, 1998 under Lon Kruger when the Illini defeated Valparaiso (53-49) and Bradley (53-48).

On Dec. 18, the Illini held Coppin State to just 42 points, the second-fewest points by an opponent in the Weber era at Illinois and the fewest by a UI opponent since Penn State scored 37 in an 80-37 loss at the Assembly Hall on Jan. 21, 2004.

## Crashing the Boards

One major area where Illinois has improved its performance compared to last season is in rebounding. The Illini are averaging 39.2 rpg and have totaled 40+ boards seven times. Illinois is outrebounding its opponents by an average of 9.7 boards to lead the Big Ten and rank 19th in the NCAA (as of Dec. 19) in rebounding margin. Illinois has outrebounded its opponent in all but one game (vs. Xavier) on the season.

Last season, Illinois averaged 34.3 rpg and outrebounded its opponent by an average of 3.0 boards.

## Augustine Nearing Illini Career Rebounding Record

James Augustine is ready to topple the Illini school record for career rebounds. Augustine currently ranks third on the all-time UI list with 843 rebounds. He is just three boards away from tying Deon Thomas (1991-94) for second place at 846 rebounds and is 10 boards away from tying the school record of 853 rebounds set by Efrem Winters (1983-86).

## Brown Eclipses 1,500 Career Points

Dee Brown scored his 1,500th point against Coppin State on Dec. 18, becoming the eighth player in Illinois history to reach that milestone. Brown currently stands seventh on the UI career scoring list with 1,536 points, which is also the

## Week-by-Week Rankings

	<u>AP</u>	<u>ESPN/USA Today</u>
Preseason	17	17
Nov. 14	17	17
Nov. 21	15	14
Nov. 28	12	12
Dec. 5	11	10
Dec. 12	9	8
Dec. 19	6	6
Dec. 26	6	6
Jan. 2		
Jan. 9		
Jan. 16		
Jan. 23		
Jan. 30		
Feb. 6		
Feb. 13		
Feb. 20		
Feb. 27		
March 6		
March 13		

## National Polls

(Dec. 26)	(Dec. 26)
<u>AP</u>	<u>ESPN/USA Today</u>
1. Duke (61)	1. Duke (30)
2. Connecticut (7)	2. Connecticut (1)
3. Villanova (1)	3. Villanova
4. Memphis	4. Memphis
5. Florida	5. Florida
6. <b>ILLINOIS</b>	6. <b>ILLINOIS</b>
7. Washington	7. Washington
8. Gonzaga	8. Gonzaga
9. <b>Michigan State</b>	9. <b>Michigan State</b>
10. Louisville	10. Louisville
11. UCLA	11. UCLA
12. George Washington	12. George Washington
13. Boston College	13. Boston College
14. Oklahoma	14. Maryland
15. Texas	15. Oklahoma
16. Maryland	16. Texas
17. <b>Indiana</b>	17. <b>Indiana</b>
18. Kentucky	18. N.C. State
19. N.C. State	19. Kentucky
20. Nevada	20. <b>Ohio State</b>
21. <b>Ohio State</b>	21. Nevada
22. Wake Forest	22. <b>Wisconsin</b>
23. <b>North Carolina</b>	23. Pittsburgh
24. <b>Wisconsin</b>	24. Wake Forest
25. West Virginia	25. <b>North Carolina</b>

*Illini opponents in bold*



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## UI vs. Ranked Opponents

The Illini have played 19 games against opponents ranked by the Associated Press under Bruce Weber, winning 13 times. Following is a complete list of the Illini vs. ranked opponents (AP) since 2003-04 under Weber:

12/3/03	vs. #10 North Carolina	L, 81-88
12/23/03	vs. #11 Missouri	W, 71-70
1/10/04	#24 Purdue	L, 54-58
1/24/04	at #21 Wisconsin	L, 56-76
2/18/04	#12 Wisconsin	W, 65-57
3/14/04	vs. #10 Wisconsin	L, 53-70
3/21/04	vs. #11 Cincinnati	W, 92-68
3/26/04	vs. #6 Duke	L, 62-72
11/27/04	vs. #24 Gonzaga	W, 89-72
12/1/04	#1 Wake Forest	W, 91-73
12/31/04	#22 Cincinnati	W, 67-45
1/20/05	#23 Iowa	W, 73-68-ot
1/25/05	at #18 Wisconsin	W, 75-65
2/1/05	at #12 Michigan St.	W, 81-68
2/12/05	#20 Wisconsin	W, 70-59
3/13/05	vs. #23 Wisconsin	W, 54-43
3/26/05	vs. #9 Arizona	W, 90-89-ot
4/2/05	vs. #4 Louisville	W, 72-57
4/4/05	vs. #2 North Carolina	L, 70-75

## By the Numbers

- 1 – Illinois' final ranking in the 2005 Associated Press Poll.
- 3 – Seasons in which Illinois has been ranked No. 1 in the national polls, including 1952, 1989 and 2004-05
- 4 – Times Illinois has won back-to-back Big Ten titles, including 2001 and 2002, and 2004 and 2005.
- 4 – States represented on the Illinois roster (Georgia, Illinois, Maryland and Texas).
- 6 – Illinois' current ranking in the both the Associated Press and ESPN/USA Today Coaches Polls.
- 6 – Consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances for the Illini (2000-05).
- 9 – Players on the roster from the state of Illinois (Marcus Arnold, James Augustine, Calvin Brock, Dee Brown, Rich McBride, Trent Meacham, Shaun Pruitt, Brian Randle and Jamar Smith).
- 11 – Illinois' final ranking in the 2004 Associated Press Poll.
- 17 – Big Ten Championships won by Illinois.
- 24 – 20-win seasons for Illinois, including eight of the last nine seasons.
- 25 – All-time NCAA Tournament appearances by Illinois.
- 25 – Wins in 2002-03.
- 26 – Wins in 2001-02.
- 26 – Wins in 2003-04.
- 27 – Wins by the Illini in 2000-01.
- 37 – School record for wins, set by the 2005 team.
- 154 – Wins by the Illini in the last five+ seasons.
- 280 – Consecutive games Illinois has made a three-point field goal (since 11/28/97).

## Did you Know ...

- ... Dee Brown is the eighth Illinois Mr. Basketball to attend the University of Illinois.
- ... Since 1980 Illinois has signed 12 McDonald's All-Americans and one is currently on the Illini roster. Dee Brown made the All-America team in 2002. Illinois ranks 11th all-time in number of McDonald's All-Americans to attend the school.
- ... Illinois has the 11th best all-time winning percentage (.656) among Division I schools.
- ... Illinois has an all-time record of 1533-805. The 1533 wins rank 14th on the Division I list.
- ... Twelve Illini players have been first-round draft selections, including Nick Anderson and Kendall Gill from the 1989 Final Four team and recent UI alumni Frank Williams to the New York Knicks in 2002, Brian Cook to the Los Angeles Lakers in 2003 and the tandem of Deron Williams (No. 3 overall) to Utah and Luther Head (No. 24) to Houston in 2005.
- ... Illinois ranks second in the Big Ten behind Indiana in total NCAA appearances with 25, including the last six in a row.
- ... Illinois has the highest all-time winning percentage among Big Ten schools, and ranks second behind Indiana in all-time victories. In all-time Big Ten play, the Illini are first in conference wins, and third in winning percentage behind Purdue and Indiana.
- ... The Orange Krush student group is more than just a Fighting Illini cheering section. The students raised over \$600,000 last year which went to the University of Illinois general scholarship fund, the Fighting Illini Scholarship Fund (to the Matthew Heldman Scholarship Fund) and a variety of charities. Over the last six years, Orange Krush has distributed more than \$1 million to charities.

## Illini at "The Hall"

### Illinois at the Assembly Hall

All-Time:	455-118 (.794)
1963-69	49-13 (.790)
1970-79	69-42 (.622)
1980-89	134-23 (.854)
1990-99	114-34 (.770)
2000-present	85-3 (.966)

Longest Winning Streak: 31 games  
(1/15/84 - 1/4/86)

Current Winning Streak: 28 games  
(1/17/04 - present)

Current Winning Streak vs. Non-Conference Opponents: 45 (11/20/98 - present)

## Streakin' Illini

### Current Streaks by the Illini

All Games: 13 W  
At the Assembly Hall: 28 W  
Sellout Crowds at the Assembly Hall: 19  
On the Road: 1 W  
Neutral Sites: 5 W  
vs. Ranked Opponents: 1 L  
Non-Conference Home Games: 45 W  
(last loss vs. George Washington, 11/17/98)  
Big Ten Play: 1 L  
Big Ten Home Games: 14 W  
Big Ten Road Games: 1 L  
Since Opponent Scored 100 Pts:  
394 games (12/22/93)  
Consecutive Games with 3-pt. FG:  
280 games (11/28/97)

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## Illinois Career Totals

	2005-06	Career
<b>Double-Digit Scoring Games</b>		
Dee Brown	10	81
James Augustine	12	60
Rich McBride	5	7
Jamar Smith	6	6
Brian Randle	4	5
Marcus Arnold	3	3
Warren Carter	3	3
Shaun Pruitt	2	2
<b>20+ Point Games</b>		
Dee Brown	3	16
James Augustine	1	4
Jamar Smith	1	1
Rich McBride	0	1
<b>5+ 3-Point FG Games</b>		
Dee Brown	2	13
Jamar Smith	1	1
Rich McBride	0	1
<b>10+ Rebound Games</b>		
James Augustine	5	26
Brian Randle	0	1
<b>Double-Doubles</b>		
James Augustine	4	20
Dee Brown	0	2
<b>10+ Assist Games</b>		
Dee Brown	1	6
<b>3+ Steal Games</b>		
Dee Brown	4	30
James Augustine	2	10
Rich McBride	2	4
Brian Randle	0	2
<b>3+ Block Games</b>		
James Augustine	1	14
Brian Randle	0	2
<b>Starts</b>		
Dee Brown	13	116
James Augustine	13	114
Brian Randle	12	21
Richard McBride	13	13
Shaun Pruitt	13	13
Warren Carter	1	1

## 2005-06 Fighting Illini Starters

Game	G	G	F	F	C
South Dakota State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Texas-Pan American	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Texas Southern	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
vs. Wichita State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
vs. Rutgers	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
at North Carolina	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
vs. Xavier	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Arkansas-Little Rock	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Georgetown	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
vs. Oregon	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Coppin State	Brown	McBride	Carter	Augustine	Pruitt
vs. Missouri	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Southeast Missouri State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt
Tennessee-Martin					
Michigan State					
at Iowa					
Michigan					
at Indiana					
Northwestern					
at Minnesota					
Purdue					
at Wisconsin					
Penn State					
at Ohio State					
Northwestern					
Indiana					
at Michigan					
Iowa					
at Minnesota					
at Michigan State					

most career points of any current Big Ten player.

### Illini Enjoy Success in Close Games

Illinois leads the Big Ten in scoring margin at +18.5 ppg and has won 10 of its 13 games by double figures. But the other three games have gone down to the wire and the Illini have been successful in close games as well, owning a 3-0 record this season in games decided by five points or less:

Nov. 25	vs. Wichita State	W, 55-54
Nov. 29	at North Carolina	W, 68-64
Dec. 3	vs. Xavier	W, 65-62

This is quite a contrast to last year, when Illinois had a total of just four games decided by five points or less out of 39 games on the season. Last season, Illinois did not play in a game decided by five or less until its 19th game, when it defeated Iowa in overtime on Jan. 20 by the score of 73-68. Illinois went 2-2 in games decided by five points or less last season and is 9-3 in such games under Bruce Weber.

### Dee Does it All

Dee Brown, the "one-man fast break", is doing it all for the Illini this season now that his former running mates Deron Williams and Luther Head are in the NBA. Brown boasts a career-best scor-

ing average of 14.9 ppg to lead the team, and he has been Illinois' leading scorer in eight of 13 games. He has reached double figures 10 times, with three games of 20 or more points.

Brown erupted for a season-high 26 points in the win at Oregon on Dec. 10, falling just one point of his career high. It marked the most points by a UI player this season and the most by an Illini since Brown set his career high with 27 points vs. Purdue last season (March 3, 2005). Brown made 9-15 shots against the Ducks, including 5-8 from 3-point range. His nine field goals are the most baskets in a game by a UI player this year.

Against Missouri on Dec. 21, Brown played a brilliant all-around game, scoring a game-high 17 points while also recording a game-high seven assists. He played the entire game (36 min.) without committing a turnover.

In his most recent outing vs. Southeast Missouri State, Brown led the Illini with 16 points and five assists.

Brown's presence can be felt all over the court, as he leads the Illini in five total categories: points (14.9 ppg), minutes (33.5 mpg), assists (5.3 apg), steals (1.5 spg) and free throw percentage (33-45, .733).

Brown had a season-high 10 assists vs.

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## The Last Time.....

### AN ILLINOIS PLAYER HAD

35+ points	Kevin Turner (35) vs. Indiana, 1/3/98
30-34 points	Deron Williams (31) vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
25+ points	Dee Brown (27) vs. Purdue, 3/4/05
20+ rebounds	Nick Weatherspoon (22) vs. DePauw, 12/2/72
15-19 rebounds	James Augustine (15) vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
15+ assists	Tony Wysinger (16) vs. Pittsburgh, 12/6/86
10-14 assists	Dee Brown (10) vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5/05
7+ steals	Kendall Gill (7) vs. Iowa, 3/4/90
6 steals	Luther Head vs. Iowa, 1/20/05
5+ blocks	James Augustine (5) vs. Arkansas, 12/6/03
Triple-Double	Sergio McClain (10p, 11r, 11a) vs. Mich, 1/13/01

### AN ILLINOIS TEAM HAD

100+ points	105 vs. Longwood, 12/27/04
under 50 points	44 vs. Michigan State, 2/11/99
under 40 points	34 vs. Purdue, 1/30/85
over 50 rebounds	52 vs. Illinois-Chicago, 12/30/03
over 20 off. reb.	21 vs. Georgetown, 12/8/05
overtime	W (90-89) vs. Arizona, 3/26/05

### AN OPPONENT PLAYER HAD

35+ points	Shawn Respert (35), Michigan State, 2/15/95
30-34 points	Joah Tucker (32), Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
25-29 points	Roy Booker (26), Southeast Missouri State, 12/28/05
20+ rebounds	Joe Franklin (23), Wisconsin, 12/19/66
15-19 rebounds	Reggie Evans (15), Iowa, 1/11/01
15+ assists	never, Quinn Buckner (14), Indiana, 2/18/74
10-14 assists	Vince Greene (10), Illinois State, 1/3/04
7+ steals	Pat Baldwin (7), Northwestern, 3/2/91
5+ blocks	Roy Hibbert (6), Georgetown, 12/8/05

### AN OPPONENT TEAM HAD

100+ points	108, Missouri, 12/22/93
under 50 points	42, Coppin State, 12/18/05
under 40 points	37, Penn State, 1/21/04
over 50 rebounds	50, Delaware State, 11/25/96
over 20 off. reb.	21, Arkansas, 12/6/03

Arkansas-Little Rock on Dec. 5, which ties the most assists by a Big Ten player this year. He also owns an assist-to-turnover ratio of 3.29 over the last seven games (46 assists, 14 turnovers)

### Augie Taking Over

Illinois is counting on a big year from senior James Augustine, and he is delivering. A four-year starter, Augustine was the Illini's fifth-leading scorer last year, but ranks second on the team in scoring this season at 14.0 points per game. He has reached double figures all but one game, and tied his career high with 23 points in the win over Xavier on Dec. 3. Augustine had a nine-game streak of scoring in double figures – the longest stretch of games scoring in double figures of his career – come to an end vs. Oregon on Dec. 10 when he finished with eight points. But he's picked it right back up, reaching double figures in his last three games.

The leading career field goal percentage shooter in Illinois history, Augustine has made nearly 62 percent of his shots this season (70-113), which ranks 23rd in the NCAA (as of Dec. 19). He has shot 50 percent or better in 12 of 13 games, highlighted by a pair of 7-9 performances vs. Rutgers (Nov. 26) and Xavier (Dec. 3).

In addition to his increased scoring, Augustine has remained the Illini's top rebounder and has increased his production in that category as well. He is averaging 9.2 boards per game this season to lead the team and rank third in the Big Ten and 41st nationally (as of Dec. 19). Augustine averaged 7.6 rpg last year and entered his senior season with a career average of 7.0 rebounds.

Augustine has four double-doubles on the season with 18 pts.-14 reb. vs. South Dakota State (Nov. 18), 14 pts.-10 reb. vs. Wichita State (Nov. 25), 13 pts.-13 reb. vs. North Carolina

(Nov. 29) and 10 pts.-13 reb. vs. Georgetown (Dec. 8).

### Jamar "The Microwave" Smith Gives Illini Instant Offense

True-freshman shooting guard Jamar Smith has given the Illini instant offense off the bench. Despite playing just under 20 minutes per game, Smith is third on the team in scoring, averaging 10.2 points per game in a reserve role. He is shooting 58 percent from the field and leads the team and ranks sixth in the NCAA (as of Dec. 19) in 3-point field goal shooting at 58.6 percent (34-58) while knocking down a team-leading 34 treys, which is also the most 3-pointers by a freshman in the NCAA.

Smith's coming out party occurred during Illinois' victory over Arkansas-Little Rock on Dec. 5. He scored a career-high 23 points, connecting on 8-10 from the field, including 6-8 from 3-point range.

In his last outing vs. Southeast Missouri State, Smith scored 14 points on 5-5 shooting, including 4-4 from 3-point range. On the season, Smith has scored at least eight points in 11 of 13 games.

### Randle Hitting Stride

After redshirting last season due to a broken hand, sophomore Brian Randle is back in the UI lineup and has had a number of breakout performances. Randle scored a career-high 16 points against Rutgers on Nov. 26, shooting 6-8 from the field. He then had 12 points on 4-5 shooting against North Carolina on Nov. 29. He came up huge in the clutch, scoring in traffic with 1:06 remaining to give Illinois a 66-62 lead after the team had gone scoreless for five-and-a-half minutes.

Randle had 11 points on 5-7 shooting and six rebounds vs. Arkansas-Little Rock (Dec. 5), and

### Illinois and the Century Mark

Illinois has scored 100 points or more 77 times in school history. Below is a breakdown of Illinois' record in games where it hits the 100 mark.

All-Time Record:	73-4
The Last Time:	Dec. 27, 2004 vs. Longwood (105-79)
Most Points:	127, Dec. 22, 1988 vs. Louisiana State (127-100)
Both Teams:	Missouri 108, Illinois 107 Dec. 22, 1993
At Assembly Hall:	46-0
The Last Time:	Dec. 27, 2004 vs. Longwood (105-79)
Most Points:	126, March 10, 1982 vs. Long Island (126-78)
All-Time at Home:	60-0

had nine points and seven boards vs. Oregon on Dec. 10.

Randle did not play vs. Coppin State on Dec. 18 due to a sprained ankle but returned to the starting lineup to score 13 points and collect six rebounds vs. Missouri on Dec. 21. His defense locked down MU's Thomas Gardner, who entered the game leading the Big XII in scoring at 22.3 ppg but managed just six points on 2-12 shooting and had five turnovers against the Illini.

Randle has started 12 games on the year. He is fourth on the team in scoring, averaging 8.8 points while shooting 55 percent from the field (43-78). He is second on the team in rebounding at 5.6 rpg and also ranks second with eight blocks.

### McBride Showcases All-Around Game

Rich McBride was known as a three-point specialist in his first two seasons with the Illini. Now that he has moved from a reserve role to a starter,

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McBride has strengthened other parts of his game. He worked hard over the summer to improve his conditioning and is now playing 29 minutes per game and has earned a reputation as one of the team's top perimeter defenders. He is still a threat from behind the arc, ranking third on the team with 30 treys. Most impressive has been McBride's ability to take care of the basketball. He is second on the team in assists with 33 and has just 17 turnovers on the year.

## Frazier Returns to Action

Freshman point guard Chester Frazier returned to the court on Wednesday against Southeast Missouri State, playing 13 minutes with five rebounds, five assists and no turnovers. This was Frazier's first action since being sidelined on Dec. 5 with a slight tear and strained quadriceps muscle in his left leg. Prior to Wednesday, Frazier last appeared vs. Xavier on Dec. 3 and missed a total of five games.

## Illini Nation's Second-Winningest Team over Past Five-and-a-Half Seasons

Illinois ranks as the second-winningest team in the nation over the past five-and-a-half seasons in terms of both total wins and winning percentage. Illinois has reeled off 154 victories since the beginning of the 2000-01 season, which trails only Duke, while the Illini's .824 winning percentage over that time span also trails just Duke. Following is a list of the five winningest teams (ranked by total wins) over the past five-and-a-half seasons:

School	Wins	Record	Pct.	Next Game
1. Duke	161	161-27	.856	Dec. 31
2. <b>ILLINOIS</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>154-33</b>	<b>.824</b>	<b>Dec. 30</b>
T3. Gonzaga	142	142-31	.821	Dec. 31
T3. Kansas	142	142-39	.785	Dec. 29
5. Kentucky	140	140-37	.791	Dec. 30

## Weber Nation's Winningest Coach over Past Four-and-a-Half Seasons

Bruce Weber has coached consistent winners everywhere he's been throughout his college career. In fact, over the past four-and-a-half seasons no head coach in America has more wins on his resume than Weber. Beginning with the 2001-02 season, Weber has recorded 128 victories, which leads Mike Krzyzewski (126, next game 12/31) and Roy Williams (121, next game 1/3) for the most wins by an NCAA Div. I over this time span. In his final two years at Southern Illinois, Weber went 28-8 in 2001-02 and 24-7 in 2002-03. He then took over the Illinois program, leading the Illini to a 26-7 record in 2003-04, a 37-2 mark in 2004-05 and a 13-0 mark so far this season.

## Road Warriors

Illinois has received much attention from its homecourt dominance, but the Illini have also enjoyed great success on the road. Illinois is 16-3 (.842) in away games under coach Bruce Weber. The Illini had to win six straight road games to clinch the 2004 Big Ten championship, finishing the 2003-04 season 7-2 in away games. Illinois then compiled an 8-1 record on the road last season. Illinois' 14-game road winning streak was snapped in the 2005 regular season finale at Ohio State, but the Illini began a new road winning streak on Nov. 29 with a 68-64 victory at North Carolina.

Year	Road Record
2003-04	7-2
2004-05	8-1
2005-06	1-0
<b>Total</b>	<b>16-3 (.842)</b>

## Augustine Named Big Ten Co-Player of the Week

James Augustine was named Big Ten Co-Player of the Week on Dec. 5. He recorded a double-double with 13 points and 13 rebounds at North Carolina on Nov. 29 as Illinois recorded its first road victory of the season with a win at Chapel Hill. He added three assists and three steals against UNC. Augustine then equaled his career

## Illinois Career Records to Watch

<b>Points</b>		3. Frank Williams, 2000-02	212
1. Deon Thomas, 1991-94	2,129	4. Sergio McClain, 1998-2001	210
2. Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	1,948	5. <b>Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>198</b>
3. Brian Cook, 2000-03	1,748	<b>Blocked Shots</b>	
4. Cory Bradford, 1999-02	1,735	1. Deon Thomas, 1991-94	177
5. Eddie Johnson, 1978-81	1,692	2. Derek Holcomb, 1979-81	174
6. Mark Smith, 1978-81	1,653	3. James Griffin, 1979-82	156
7. <b>Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>1,536</b>	4. Brian Cook, 2000-03	136
8. Andy Kaufmann, 1989-93	1,533	5. <b>James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>125</b>
9. Efre Winters, 1983-86	1,487	<b>Field Goal Percentage</b>	
10. Nick Weatherspoon, 1971-73	1,481	1. <b>James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>.615 (430-699)</b>
30. Richard Keene, 1993-96	1,145	2. Ken Norman, 1985-87	.609 (558-916)
31. James Griffin, 1979-82	1,124	3. Deon Thomas, 1991-94	.601 (803-1336)
32. Tal Brody, 1963-65	1,121	4. Kenny Battle, 1988-89	.591 (415-702)
33. Bill Burwell, 1961-63	1,119	5. Roger Powell, 2002-05	.572 (456-797)
34. <b>James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>Minutes</b>	
35. Kenny Battle, 1988-89	1,112	1. Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	4,373
36. Deron Williams, 2003-05	1,111	2. Cory Bradford, 1999-2002	4,351
37. Rick Schmidt, 1973-75	1,105	3. Efre Winters, 1983-86	4,033
38. Greg Jackson, 1969-71	1,078	4. <b>Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>3,951</b>
39. Paul Judson, 1954-56	1,013	5. Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	3,803
40. Governor Vaughn, 1958-60	1,001	<b>Starts</b>	
<b>Three-Point Field Goals</b>		1. Cory Bradford, 1999-02	134
1. Cory Bradford, 1999-02	327	2. Efre Winters, 1983-86	120
2. <b>Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>254</b>	3. Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	117
3. Richard Keene, 1993-96	237	<b>T4. Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>116</b>
4. Luther Head, 2002-05	209	T4. Brian Cook, 2000-03	116
5. Sean Harrington, 2000-03	191	6. <b>James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>114</b>
<b>Rebounds</b>		7. Richard Keene, 1993-96	113
1. Efre Winters, 1983-86	853	8. Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	111
2. Deon Thomas, 1991-94	846	9. Deon Thomas, 1991-94	110
3. <b>James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>Wins (Played in)</b>	
4. Eddie Johnson, 1978-81	831	1. Nick Smith, 2002-05	110
5. Skip Thoren, 1963-65	830	2. Roger Powell, 2002-05	107
<b>Assists</b>		3. Luther Head, 2002-05	104
1. Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	765	<b>T4. Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>101</b>
2. Deron Williams, 2003-05	594	<b>T4. James Augustine, 2003-</b>	<b>101</b>
3. <b>Dee Brown, 2003-</b>	<b>552</b>	T6. Sean Harrington, 2000-03	99
4. Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	502	T6. Doug Altenberger, 1983-87	99
5. Stephen Bardo, 1987-90	495	T8. Brian Cook, 2000-03	98
<b>Steals</b>		T8. Stephen Bardo, 1987-90	98
1. Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	324		
2. Kendall Gill, 1987-90	218		



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## Illini Honors 2005-06

### James Augustine

- South Padre Island Invitational MVP
- Big Ten Co-Player of the Week (Dec. 5)

### Dee Brown

- Papé Jame MVP (Oregon game)
- South Padre Island Invitational All-Tournament Team
- *Associated Press* Preseason All-American
- Preseason Wooden Award Candidate
- Preseason Naismith Award Candidate
- Preseason Robertson Award Candidate
- Senior CLASS Award Candidate
- Preseason Playboy Magazine All-American
- Preseason Big Ten Player of the Year - Media
- First-Team Preseason All-Big Ten - Media

### Rich McBride

- South Padre Island Invitational All-Tournament Team

### Team

- Dick Vitale's Team of the Week, Dec. 24 (following victory over Missouri)

high in scoring in the win over Xavier on Dec. 3, erupting for 23 points. He was 7-of-9 from the field in the victory, while adding a game-high seven rebounds and two steals. For the week, Augustine averaged a double-double with 18 points and 10 rebounds on a combined 73.3 percent shooting (11-of-15).

It marked the third career Big Ten weekly accolade for Augustine, as he was also honored twice last season (Jan. 10 and Jan. 31). He shared the award with Indiana's Marco Killingsworth.

## Chicagoans Brown and Augustine Finish Careers Undefeated at United Center

Illinois' victory over Xavier on Dec. 3 marked the final United Center appearance for a pair of Chicagoland products on the Illini roster in seniors Dee Brown and James Augustine. The duo never lost a game at the UC, finishing their four-year careers with a perfect 12-0 record.

## Illinois Does Its Part in Big Ten/ACC Challenge

The ACC won the 2005 Big Ten/ACC Challenge by a narrow 6-5 margin. But the Illini represented the Big Ten Conference well, posting a 68-64 victory over North Carolina at Chapel Hill on Nov. 29 to become the only Big Ten squad to win on the road in this year's Challenge. Illinois also broke UNC's 21-winning streak at the Smith Center, which was the second-longest UNC winning streak in the 20-year history of Dean Dome.

## Augustine Named MVP of South Padre Island Invitational

Senior James Augustine was named Most Valuable Player of the South Padre Island Invitational on Nov. 26. Augustine averaged 14.8 points and 7.5 rebounds over the course of the four-game tournament, while shooting 65 percent from the field. He had 18 points on 7-9 shooting in the championship game vs. Rutgers, and recorded a double-double vs. Wichita State with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Augustine also tied his career high in assists with four against the Shockers.

## Brown and McBride Named to South Padre Island All-Tournament Team

In addition to James Augustine bringing home the MVP trophy from South Padre Island, guards Dee Brown and Rich McBride were named to the All-Tournament Team. Brown averaged 13 points, 4.3 rebounds, 4.5 assists and 2.0 steals during the tournament. His best game came against Texas-Pan American where he scored 20 points while tying his career high with seven rebounds, along with tallying four assists and four steals.

McBride was Illinois' best perimeter defender during the tournament while also averaging 9.8 ppg. In the four games, he dished out a combined 14 assists while turning the ball over just three times.

## Augustine Joins 1,000-Point Club

Senior James Augustine became the 40th player in Illinois history to record 1,000 career points when he scored his 1,000th point against Rutgers on Nov. 26. He joins Dee Brown as current UI players in the 1,000-point club. Brown scored his 1,000th point last season against Cincinnati (Dec. 31, 2004) and currently ranks seventh in school history with 1,536 career points, while Augustine ranks 34th with 1,116 career points.

## Orange Krush Donates \$50,000 to Jimmy V Foundation

Illinois student section, "Orange Krush" is a charity foundation in addition to a cheering section, donating thousands of dollars each year to the community, University and students. During the past season, the Orange Krush Foundation raised and donated \$400,000 for charity to bring its seven-year total to \$1 million. Orange Krush donated \$350,000 to the University and 35 local charities at its annual check presentation ceremony this past October, and donated \$50,000 to the V Foundation for Cancer Research Dec. 8 during halftime of the game vs. Georgetown.

Orange Krush is almost entirely student run and is based on the 3-point program. Students must solicit pledges from the alumni and community in order to gain entry into Orange Krush. In addition to supporting countless charities over

the past seven years, the Orange Krush Foundation has created two endowments. Two years ago the Orange Krush formed the Rod Cardinal Sports Medicine Fund honoring Rod Cardinal, who was Illinois men's basketball athletic trainer for 30 years. This endowment benefits all student-trainers at the University of Illinois. This was the second endowment formed by Orange Krush. The first was the Matthew Heldman Memorial Scholarship Fund, which endows a scholarship for an Illini basketball player. The scholarship honors the late Matt Heldman, point guard for the 1997-98 Big Ten Championship Team, who was tragically killed in a car accident in 1999.

## Brown Preseason Player of the Year Candidate

Illinois senior guard Dee Brown is the first Illini player to ever be named preseason All-American by the *Associated Press*, and is a preseason Wooden Award, Naismith Award and Oscar Robertson Award candidate. He is also on the preseason Playboy Magazine All-America team for the second time. Brown earned Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year honors for the second time in his career (also prior to the 2004 season). Illinois has had the Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year for each of the last six seasons (2001-Cory Bradford; 2002-Frank Williams; 2003-Brian Cook; 2004-Dee Brown; 2005-Deron Williams; 2006-Dee Brown).

## A Look Back at the Fighting Illini's Magical 2004-05 Season

Illinois recorded its best season in school history in 2004-05. The Illini tied the NCAA record for wins with 37 en route to a 37-2 overall record. The UI made its first Final Four appearance since 1989 and advanced to the NCAA Championship game for the first time in school history, finishing as the national runner-up. The Illini were ranked No. 1 in the nation for 15 straight weeks, including a first-ever No. 1 ranking in the final *Associated Press* poll. Illinois reeled off 29 straight wins to start the season and secured its second straight outright Big Ten championship with a 15-1 league record as Bruce Weber became the first coach in the 100-year history of Big Ten basketball to win consecutive outright titles in his first two seasons. The Illini also added the Big Ten Tournament title in addition to the regular season crown.

## Illini Unveil New Starting Lineup

With the departure of three starters from last year, Illinois had a new starting lineup for the season opening win over South Dakota State, marking the UI's first starting lineup change since the 2004 Big Ten Tournament Championship game. Dee Brown, Deron Williams, Luther Head, Roger Powell and James Augustine were all in the

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same starting lineup for a school-record streak of 42 consecutive games, which included all 39 games of the 2004-05 season.

## Illini Reach 25-Win Marker for Fifth Straight Season in 2005

The 2005 season marked the fifth straight year that the Illini recorded at least 25 wins. Illinois and Duke are the only teams in the nation to accomplish this feat in each of the last five seasons (beginning in 2000-01). Duke has won at least 25 games each of the past eight seasons.

With a combined record of 154-33 (.824) over the last five-and-a-half years, this marks Illinois' winningest stretch over that time period in school history.

## Big Ten Road Success

It took a total of just 13 conference road games in just his second season for Bruce Weber's Illini to win at every Big Ten arena. Illinois won at Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Ohio State, Penn State and Purdue in 2004 and completed the conference run with wins at Northwestern, Wisconsin, Michigan State and Michigan in 2005.

Weber is just one of two current coaches in the Big Ten to win at every opposing arena – joining Michigan State's Tom Izzo. Weber has accomplished the feat the fastest. Below is a breakdown of how long it took the two to win at every arena.

<u>Coach</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Season</u>
1. Bruce Weber	ILL	13	2nd
2. Tom Izzo	MSU	33	4th

## Quick Shots

- Illinois spent 15-straight weeks at the top of the national polls during the 2004-05 season, easily the longest streak in school history, and the longest such streak in the nation since Kansas also spent 15-straight weeks at No. 1 in 1996-97. It was the third year in school history (1952 and 1989) that the Illini were ranked No. 1 in the nation.
- Illinois' 28-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall is the third-longest current home-court streak in the nation (behind Washington and Gonzaga). The Illini wrapped up their third undefeated season at the Assembly Hall in the last five years with a 15-0 record last year. Illinois also went undefeated at home in 2000-01 (12-0) and 2002-03 (14-0). Illinois has the best homecourt record in the nation over the past six-and-a-half years at 85-3 (.966).
- Illinois has led the Big Ten in scoring each of the last five seasons. The Illini led the Big Ten in scoring with an average of 75.9 points per conference game.
- More fans saw Illinois play in person during the 2004-05 season than any other school. Including the postseason, the Illini were seen by a total of 711,798 fans across the country. During

the NCAA tournament alone, 196,065 fans watched the Illini advance to the national championship game. In home games, the Illini finished seventh in the nation with an average of 16,387 fans per game.

## Brown Sixth-Straight Illini Chosen Preseason Player of the Year Pick

Senior guard Dee Brown became the sixth consecutive Fighting Illini player to earn Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year honors, the second time he has earned the distinction. The streak began in 2000 with Cory Bradford and followed with Frank Williams, Brian Cook, Brown, Deron Williams and Brown again this season. Cook went on to win the postseason award, while Frank Williams and Deron Williams earned First-Team All-Big Ten honors. Brown earned Big Ten Player of the Year honors following the 2005 season.

## Illinois Begins Season in the Top 25

Illinois began the 2005-06 season ranked No. 17 in both the Preseason ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll and Associated Press Poll, the sixth time in the last seven years they've been in the preseason Top 25. The Illini have played 62 straight games ranked in the Top 25. Illinois is currently ranked No. 6 in both the AP and Coaches Polls.

## Randle Returns after Redshirt

Redshirt-sophomore forward Brian Randle used the 2004-05 season as a medical redshirt season after suffering a broken left hand in practice on Nov. 10, 2004. Randle started nine games as a true freshman in 2004, averaging 2.7 points and 2.3 rebounds on the season. As Illinois' most athletic player, Randle has shown great defensive ability and is a great finisher around the basket.

## #25 Re-emerges on Brock's Back

Illinois redshirt freshman Calvin Brock is donning No. 25 on his uniform this season, continuing a tradition of Chicago Simeon players wearing the number when at Illinois. Nick Anderson (1988-89), Deon Thomas (1991-94), Bryant Notree (1995-97) and Brock have worn No. 25 in honor of former Simeon star Ben Wilson, who was tragically shot and killed prior to his senior year of high school.

## Hot Ticket to Watch the Illini at the Hall

For the second year in a row, and third time in the last five years, Illinois sold out of season tickets for the season, making it again one of the hottest tickets in program history. The Illini have played in front of a current streak of 19 consecutive sell-out crowds at the Assembly Hall.

## New Faces on the Roster

• **Arnold Eligible After Transferring From Illinois State:** Marcus Arnold, a 6-8 forward/center from Chicago, transferred to Illinois from

Illinois State in the summer of 2004 and is eligible after sitting out the 2004-05 season per NCAA transfer rules. He begins the 2005-06 season with junior eligibility.

• **Meacham Transfers From Dayton:** Trent Meacham, a 6-2 point guard from Champaign, transferred to Illinois from Dayton in the summer of 2005 and will sit out the 2005-06 season per NCAA transfer rules. He will begin the 2006-07 season with sophomore eligibility.

• **Freshman trio:** The 2005 recruiting class of 6-foot-2-inch guard Chester Frazier of Baltimore, Md., 6-8 forward C.J. Jackson of Buena Vista, Ga. and 6-3 guard Jamar Smith of Peoria are now in their freshman season for the Illini.

• **Hicks joins squad as walk-on:** Sophomore Chris Hicks has joined the Illini squad as a walk-on after surviving a tryout this fall. The 6-2, 190-pound guard is a native of Chicago and graduated from Whitney Young High School. Hicks is majoring in athletic training.

## Illini Sign Two

Illinois signed two prep standouts to national letters of intent during the fall signing period in Brian Carlwell, a 6-11 center from Maywood, Ill. (Proviso East High School) and 6-9 forward Richard Semrau of Rocky River, Ohio (Lutheran West High School).

## Cook, Williams and Head in the NBA

Illinois currently has three alumni in the NBA in Brian Cook, Deron Williams and Luther Head.

Cook, chosen as the 24th pick in the first round of the 2003 draft, is in his third season with the Los Angeles Lakers.

Deron Williams was chosen No. 3 overall in 2005 by the Utah Jazz, the highest draft pick in UI history. Head was the 24th pick by the Houston Rockets in 2005.

## Orange Krush Honors Cardinal

The Orange Krush student support group and cheering section announced in 2004 that it will fund an endowment in the name of former men's basketball trainer Rod Cardinal in the amount of \$300,000 to fund future student athletic trainers for the UI sports medicine program. The Krush has already endowed the \$250,000 Matthew Heldman Memorial Scholarship, named after former Illini point guard Matt Heldman who was tragically killed in a car accident in 1999.

# MEDIA INFORMATION

## Illini on Television

12/30	Tennessee-Martin .....	ESPN+Local
1/5	Michigan State .....	ESPN2
1/7	at Iowa .....	ESPN
1/14	Michigan .....	ESPN+Regional
1/17	at Indiana .....	ESPN
1/21	at Northwestern .....	ESPN+Regional
1/25	Minnesota .....	ESPN+Local
1/28	Purdue.....	ESPN+Regional
1/31	at Wisconsin .....	ESPN
2/4	Penn State.....	ESPN+Local
2/12	at Ohio State .....	CBS
2/15	Northwestern .....	ESPN+Local
2/19	Indiana .....	CBS
2/21	at Michigan.....	ESPN
2/25	Iowa .....	ESPN
TBA	at Minnesota.....	TBA
3/4	at Michigan State .....	TBA
3/10	Big Ten Tournament .....	ESPN
3/11	BTT CBS - if playing	
3/12	BTT CBS - if playing	

## Bruce Weber Teleconference / Press Conference Schedule

Contact the UI Sports Information Office for phone number information.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>
1/2	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
1/3	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
1/6	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/9	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
1/12	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
1/16	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/19	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/23	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
1/26	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/30	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/2	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/6	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
2/9	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/13	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/17	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/20	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/23	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/27	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
3/2or 3	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.

## Bruce Weber Television Show (Begins week of Dec. 4)

WCIA, Champaign/Decatur/Springfield, Ill. - Sunday, 10:30 a.m.  
 Charter Cable, Godfrey, Ill. - Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.  
 Charter Cable, Maryville, Ill. - Thursday, 6:30 & 8:30 p.m.  
 Comcast Sports Net - Wednesday, 3:30 p.m.  
 Comcast-Detroit  
 WNOI, Flora - Friday, 9 p.m.  
 WMBD, Peoria

## Bruce Weber Radio Show

The Bruce Weber Radio Show runs Monday evenings from 7-8 p.m. on the 50-station Illini Sports Network and live on the internet at "fightingillini.com" beginning Nov. 14. Dates for the show during the 2005-06 season are Nov. 14, 21; Dec. 12, 19; Jan. 2, 9, 23; Feb. 6, 13, 27; and March 6, 13.

## Illini TV and Radio in Chicago

Dec. 30	Tennessee-Martin	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Jan. 5	Michigan State	ESPN2/WIND-AM
Jan. 7	at Iowa	ESPN/WIND-AM
Jan. 14	Michigan	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Jan. 17	at Indiana	ESPN/WIND-AM
Jan. 21	at Northwestern	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Jan. 25	Minnesota	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Jan. 28	Purdue	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Jan. 31	at Wisconsin	ESPN/WIND-AM
Feb. 4	Penn State	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Feb. 12	at Ohio State	WBBM-TV/WIND-AM
Feb. 15	Northwestern	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM
Feb. 19	Indiana	WBBM-TV/WIND-AM
Feb. 21	at Michigan	ESPN/WIND-AM
Feb. 25	Iowa	ESPN/WIND-AM
Feb. 28/M 1/2	at Minnesota	TBA/WIND-AM
March 4	at Michigan State	TBA/WIND-AM
March 10	Big Ten Tournament	TBA/WIND-AM
March 11	Big Ten Tourn. (if playing)	WBBM-2/WIND-AM
March 12	Big Ten Tourn. (if playing)	WBBM-2/WIND-AM

## Illinois Radio Network

(50 Stations)

Aledo, WRMJ-FM 102.3

Alton, WBGZ-AM 1570

Bloomington, WTRX-FM 93.7

Bloomington, WJBC-AM 1230

Casey, WCBH-FM 104.3

Champaign, WDWS-AM 1400

Champaign, WHMS-FM 97.5

Chicago, WIND-AM 560

Clinton, WHOW-AM 1520

Clinton, WHOW-FM 95.9

Danville, WDAN-AM 1490

Danville, WDNL-FM, 102.1

Davenport, Iowa, KUUL-FM 101.3

Decatur, WSOY-AM 1340

DuQuoin, WDQN-AM 1580

East Moline, KUUL-FM 101.3

Effingham, WCRC-FM 95.7

Fairfield, WFIW-AM 1390

Galesburg, WGIL-AM 1400

Highland, WCBW-AM 880

Jacksonville, WJIL-AM 1550

Jerseyville, WJBM-AM 1480

Kankakee, WKAN-AM 1320

Kewanee, WYEC-FM 93.9

LaSalle-Peru, WLPO-AM 1220

Litchfield, WSMI-FM 106.1

Mattoon, WCRC-FM 95.7

Mt. Carmel, WVMC-AM 1360

Morrison, WZZT-FM 102.7

Newton, WIKK-FM 103.5

Olney, WVLN-AM 740

Olney, WSEI-FM 92.9

Paxton, WPNX-FM 104.9

Peoria, WWFS-AM 1290

Pittsfield, WBBA-FM 97.5

Pontiac, WTRX-FM 93.7

Quincy, WTAD-AM 930

Robinson, WTAY-AM 1570

Robinson, WTYE-FM 101.7

Rockford, WROK-AM 1440

St. Louis, KRFT-AM 1190

St. Louis, KFNS-AM 590

Salem, WJBD-AM 1350

Salem, WJBD-FM 100.1

Sparta, WHCO-AM 1230

Springfield, WTAX-AM 1240

Sterling, WSDR-AM 1240

Taylorville, WTIM-FM 97.3

Vandalia, WPMB-AM 1500

Watseka, WGFA-FM 94.1



# 2005-06 ILLINOIS CUMULATIVE STATISTICS - ALL GAMES

## University of Illinois Fighting Illini Illinois Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 28, 2005) All games

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
<b>ALL GAMES.....</b>	<b>(13-0)</b>	<b>(7-0)</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>	<b>(5-0)</b>
<b>CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>
<b>NON-CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(13-0)</b>	<b>(7-0)</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>	<b>(5-0)</b>

## Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	---TOTAL---		---3-PTS---		FT-FTA	Pct	---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
			FG-FGA	Pct	3PG-FGA	Pct			Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
11 Brown, Dee.....	13-13	436 33.5	64-174	.368	33-98	.337	33-45	.733	7	36	43	3.3	23	0	69	38	1	20	194	14.9
40 Augustine, James...	13-13	410 31.5	70-113	.619	0-0	.000	43-58	.724	44	76	120	9.2	30	0	26	29	10	20	182	14.0
31 Smith, Jamar.....	13-0	259 19.9	44-76	.579	34-58	.586	10-16	.625	10	15	25	1.9	8	0	23	21	1	6	132	10.2
42 Randle, Brian.....	12-12	300 25.0	43-78	.551	3-14	.214	17-32	.531	32	35	67	5.6	34	0	17	22	8	11	106	8.8
33 McBride, Rich.....	13-13	377 29.0	38-103	.369	30-79	.380	6-7	.857	4	23	27	2.1	19	0	33	17	0	12	112	8.6
41 Carter, Warren.....	13-1	161 12.4	29-65	.446	1-1	1.000	16-24	.667	20	24	44	3.4	21	0	6	10	6	2	75	5.8
55 Pruitt, Shaun.....	13-13	247 19.0	29-56	.518	0-0	.000	15-32	.469	29	39	68	5.2	31	0	5	13	5	7	73	5.6
44 Arnold, Marcus.....	13-0	192 14.8	28-60	.467	0-0	.000	9-19	.474	17	28	45	3.5	34	1	0	9	6	4	65	5.0
25 Brook, Calvin.....	10-0	79 7.9	6-17	.353	1-4	.250	5-13	.385	3	11	14	1.4	14	0	6	4	1	3	18	1.8
03 Frazier, Chester...	8-0	125 15.6	3-16	.188	1-11	.091	3-5	.600	5	14	19	2.4	8	0	20	4	0	3	10	1.3
02 Hicks, Chris.....	7-0	14 2.0	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	6-8	.750	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0.9
TEAM.....																				
Total.....	13	2600	354-760	.466	103-267	.386	162-259	.625	187	322	509	19.2	222	1	206	172	38	88	973	74.8
Opponents.....	13	2600	270-685	.394	55-202	.272	137-226	.606	134	249	383	29.5	238	6	118	199	34	78	732	56.3

TEAM STATISTICS	ILL	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	973	732	11/18/05	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W	90-65	16618
Points per game.....	74.8	56.3	11/20/05	TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN	W	71-59	16618
Scoring margin.....	+18.5	-	11/22/05	TEXAS SOUTHERN	W	93-59	16618
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	354-760	270-685	11/25/05	vs Wichita State	W	55-54	1500
Field goal pct.....	.466	.394	11/26/05	vs Rutgers	W	77-57	1700
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	103-267	55-202	11/29/05	at North Carolina	W	68-64	21273
3-point FG pct.....	.386	.272	12/03/05	vs Xavier	W	65-62	19811
3-pt FG made per game..	7.9	4.2	12/05/05	ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK	W	75-45	16618
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	162-259	137-226	12/08/05	GEORGETOWN	W	58-48	16618
Free throw pct.....	.625	.606	12-10-05	vs Oregon	W	89-59	15109
REBOUNDS.....	509	383	12/18/05	COPPIN STATE	W	61-42	16618
Rebounds per game.....	39.2	29.5	12/21/05	vs Missouri	W	82-50	22153
Rebounding margin.....	+9.7	-	12/28/05	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE	W	89-64	16618
ASSISTS.....	206	118					
Assists per game.....	15.8	9.1					
TURNOVERS.....	172	199					
Turnovers per game.....	13.2	15.3					
Turnover margin.....	+2.1	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.2	0.6					
STEALS.....	88	78					
Steals per game.....	6.8	6.0					
BLOCKS.....	38	34					
Blocks per game.....	2.9	2.6					
WINNING STREAK.....	13	-					
Home win streak.....	7	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	116326	81568					
Home games-Avg/Game...	7-16618	1-21273					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	5-12059					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Illinois.....	457	516	973
Opponents.....	349	383	732



# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI RESULTS/ATTENDANCE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>W/L, SCORE</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>HIGH POINTS</u>	<u>HIGH REBOUNDS</u>
11-18-05	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W, 90-65	16,618	19 - Brown	14 - Augustine
11-20-05	TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN \$	W, 71-59	16,618	20 - Brown	8 - Randle
11-22-05	TEXAS SOUTHERN \$	W, 93-59	16,618	14 - Brown	8 - Carter
11-25-05	vs. Wichita State \$	W, 55-54	1,500	14 - Augustine	10 - Augustine
11-26-05	vs. Rutgers \$	W, 77-57	1,700	18 - Augustine	7 - Augustine 7 - Pruitt
11-29-05	at North Carolina @	W, 68-64	21,273	14 - Brown	13 - Augustine
12-3-05	vs. Xavier (Chicago)	W, 65-62	19,833	23 - Augustine	7 - Augustine
12-5-05	ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK	W, 75-49	16,618	23 - Smith	8 - Pruitt
12-8-05	GEORGETOWN	W, 58-48	16,618	16 - Brown	13 - Augustine
12-10-05	vs. Oregon (Portland)	W, 89-59	15,109	26 - Brown	11 - Augustine
12-18-05	COPPIN STATE	W, 61-42	16,618	15 - Augustine	9 - Augustine
12-21-05	vs. Missouri (St. Louis)	W, 82-50	22,153	17 - Brown	8 - Augustine
12-28-05	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI ST.	W, 89-64	16,618	16 - Brown	9- Randle
12-30-05	TENNESSEE-MARTIN				
1-5-06	MICHIGAN STATE				
1-7-06	at Iowa				
1-14-06	MICHIGAN				
1-17-06	at Indiana				
1-21-06	at Northwestern				
1-25-06	MINNESOTA				
1-28-06	PURDUE				
1-31-06	at Wisconsin				
2-4-06	PENN STATE				
2-12-06	at Ohio State				
2-15-06	NORTHWESTERN				
2-19-06	INDIANA				
2-21-06	at Michigan				
2-25-06	IOWA				
TBA	at Minnesota				
3-4-06	at Michigan State				
3-19-12-06	at Big Ten Tournament %				

\$ = South Padre Island Invitational

@ = Big Ten/ACC Challenge

% = Big Ten Tournament (Conseco Fieldhouse, Indianapolis)

ATTENDANCE				
	<u>Games</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Average/High Game</u>	<u>Sellouts</u>
HOME	7	116,326	16,618/16,618	7
BIG TEN HOME				
AWAY	1	21,273	21,273/21,273	1
NEUTRAL	5	60,295	12,059/22,153	2
TOTAL	13	197,894	15,223/22,153	10

## 2005-06 ILLINOIS TEAM HIGHS & LOWS

	<u>HIGHS</u>	<u>LOWS</u>
Points . . . . .	93 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	55 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Field Goals Made . . . . .	36 vs. Southeast Missouri St., 12/28	20, three times, last vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goals Attempted . . . . .	72 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	40 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goal Percentage . . . . .	.544 (31-57) vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	.323 (20-62) vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Three-Point Field Goals Made . . . . .	11 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	5 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted . . . . .	34 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	15 vs. Rutgers, 11/26
Three-Point Field Goal Percentage . . . . .	.500 (9-18) vs. Southeast Missouri St., 12/28	.286 (6-21) vs. Xavier, 12/3
Free Throws Made . . . . .	19 vs. Xavier, 12/3	2 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throws Attempted . . . . .	31 vs. Xavier, 12/3	4 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throw Percentage . . . . .	.786 (11-14) vs. Georgetown, 12/8	.333 (4-12) vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20
Rebounds . . . . .	48 vs. Southeast Missouri St., 12/28	31 vs. Xavier, 12/3
Assists . . . . .	23 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	6 vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Turnovers . . . . .	20 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	10, three times, last vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Blocks . . . . .	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	0 vs. Rutgers, 11/26
Steals . . . . .	12 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	2 vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Fouls . . . . .	24 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	10 vs. Georgetown, 12/8

## OPPONENT TEAM HIGHS & LOWS

	<u>HIGHS</u>	<u>LOWS</u>
Points . . . . .	65, South Dakota State, 11/18	42, Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goals Made . . . . .	24, Xavier, 12/3	17, Rutgers, 11/26
Field Goals Attempted . . . . .	58, South Dakota State, 11/18	17, Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goal Percentage . . . . .	.489 (23-47), Texas-Pan American, 11/20	44, Rutgers, 11/26
Three-Point Field Goals Made . . . . .	9, South Dakota State, 11/18	.340 (17-50), Coppin State, 12/18
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted . . . . .	22, South Dakota State, 11/18	2, Texas-Pan American, 11/20
Three-Point Field Goal Percentage . . . . .	.438 (7-16), Xavier, 12/3	2, Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throws Made . . . . .	20, Rutgers, 11/26	2, North Carolina, 11/29
Free Throws Attempted . . . . .	27, Rutgers, 11/26	8, Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throw Percentage . . . . .	.741 (20-27), Rutgers, 11/26	.154 (2-13), North Carolina, 11/29
Rebounds . . . . .	36, Missouri, 12/22	4, Coppin State, 12/18
Assists . . . . .	19, Xavier, 12/3	11, Georgetown, 12/8
Turnovers . . . . .	24, Texas Southern, 11/22	11, Missouri, 12/21
Blocks . . . . .	8, Georgetown, 12/8	.308 (4-13), Coppin State, 12/18
Steals . . . . .	12, North Carolina, 11/29	22, Coppin State, 12/18
Fouls . . . . .	25, Xavier, 12/3	3, Texas Southern, 11/22
		13, Rutgers, 11/26
		13, Oregon, 12/10
		0, three times; last, Coppin State, 12/18
		3, Georgetown, 12/8
		13, Wichita State, 11/25

## ILLINOIS & OPPONENT PLAYER SUPERLATIVES

	<u>ILLINOIS</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>
Points . . . . .	26, Dee Brown vs. Oregon, 12/10	28, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Field Goals . . . . .	9, Dee Brown vs. Oregon, 12/10	9, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Field Goal Attempts . . . . .	19, Dee Brown vs. North Carolina, 11/29	20, Roy Booker, Southeast Missouri St., 12/28
Field Goal Percentage (min. 6 att.) . . . . .	.800 (8-10), Jamar Smith vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5	1.000 (6-6), Derrick East, Texas-Pan Am, 11/20
Three-Point Field Goals Made . . . . .	6, Jamar Smith vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5	5, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts . . . . .	13, Dee Brown vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	10, Roy Booker, Southeast Missouri St., 12/28
Three-Point Field Goal Pct. (min. 5 att.) . . . . .	.750 (6-8), Jamar Smith vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5	.556 (5-9), Steve Holdren, S. Dakota St., 11/18
Free Throws Made . . . . .	9, James Augustine vs. Xavier, 12/3	9, Tyler Hansbrough, North Carolina, 11/29
Free Throws Attempted . . . . .	16, James Augustine vs. Xavier, 12/3	11, Tyler Hansbrough, North Carolina, 11/29
Free Throw Percentage (min. 8 att.) . . . . .	.900 (9-10), Dee Brown vs. Xavier, 12/3	.818 (9-11), Tyler Hansbrough, N. Car., 11/29
Rebounds . . . . .	14, James Augustine vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	9, Rashad Jones-Jennings, Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5
Assists . . . . .	10, Dee Brown vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5	9, Marshall Brown, Missouri, 12/21
Steals . . . . .	4, Dee Brown vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	6, Paul Paradoski, Southeast Missouri St., 12/28
Blocks . . . . .	3, James Augustine vs. Southeast Missouri St., 12/28	4, Marcus Ginyard, North Carolina, 11/29
		6, Roy Hibbert, Georgetown, 12/8

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	<u>GAME</u>	<u>FGM-A/%</u>	<u>3PM-A/%</u>	<u>FTM-A/%</u>	<u>OR-DR - TOT</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>AS</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>BK</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>PTS (1st-2nd)</u>
11-18	Illinois (W, 90-65)	31-57/.544	10-21/.476	18-29/.621	11-29 - 40	20	18	20	3	9	90 (46-44)
	South Dakota State	22-58/.379	9-22/.409	12-21/.571	9-19 - 28	24	9	21	1	10	65 (32-33)
11-20	Illinois (W, 71-59)	28-68/.412	11-34/.324	4-12/.333	24-14 - 38	18	20	12	1	9	71 (36-35)
	Texas-Pan American	23-47/.489	2-10/.200	11-18/.611	14-18 - 32	16	5	17	0	4	59 (32-27)
11-22	Illinois (W, 93-59)	35-72/.486	8-21/.381	15-25/.600	21-20 - 41	18	23	10	5	7	93 (46-47)
	Texas Southern	22-53/.415	3-11/.273	12-17/.706	15-17 - 32	22	3	24	4	5	59 (30-29)
11-25	Illinois (W, 55-54)	24-56/.429	5-16/.313	2-4/.500	9-27 - 36	17	16	17	3	7	55 (29-26)
	vs. Wichita State	19-50/.407	2-8/.250	14-21/.667	9-24 - 33	13	10	15	0	8	54 (33-21)
11-26	Illinois (W, 77-57)	26-51/.510	6-15/.400	19-29/.655	13-25 - 38	24	14	10	0	4	77 (38-39)
	vs. Rutgers	17-44/.386	3-12/.250	20-27/.741	7-19 - 26	22	4	13	2	5	57 (26-31)
11-29	Illinois (W, 68-64)	25-54/.463	8-21/.381	10-17/.588	13-20 - 33	68	14	18	2	12	68 (35-33)
	at North Carolina	23-51/.451	2-13/.154	16-23/.696	11-18 - 29	16	12	16	5	12	64 (35-29)
12-3	Illinois (W, 65-62)	20-49/.408	6-21/.286	19-31/.613	11-20 - 31	15	11	12	4	8	65 (26-39)
	vs. Xavier (at Chicago)	24-50/.480	7-16/.438	7-13/.538	9-24 - 33	25	19	15	3	6	62 (36-26)
12-5	Illinois (W, 75-49)	26-53/.491	7-20/.350	16-28/.571	15-26 - 41	17	17	11	4	6	75 (32-43)
	Arkansas-Little Rock	19-53/.358	5-14/.357	6-14/.429	13-15 - 28	19	9	16	1	4	49 (28-21)
12-8	Illinois (W, 58-48)	20-62/.323	7-18/.389	11-14/.786	21-23 - 44	10	6	10	4	2	58 (28-30)
	Georgetown	19-50/.380	5-18/.278	5-11/.455	9-22 - 31	14	11	10	8	3	48 (13-35)
12-10	Illinois (W, 89-59)	34-67/.507	10-23/.435	11-16/.688	13-32 - 45	21	14	12	4	7	89 (40-49)
	vs. Oregon (at Portland)	20-57/.351	3-17/.176	16-26/.615	8-21 - 29	14	8	13	3	8	59 (22-37)
12-18	Illinois (W, 61-42)	20-40/.500	8-21/.381	13-18/.722	7-26 - 33	14	15	16	3	3	61 (24-37)
	Coppin State	17-50/.340	4-18/.222	4-13/.308	9-13 - 22	20	6	9	0	4	42 (12-30)
12-21	Illinois (W, 82-50)	29-60/.483	8-18/.444	16-24/.667	13-28 - 41	15	19	12	1	11	82 (39-43)
	vs. Missouri (at St. Louis)	21-60/.350	3-17/.176	5-11/.455	15-21 - 36	19	7	21	4	5	50 (21-29)
12-28	Illinois (W, 89-64)	36-71/.507	9-18/.500	8-12/.667	16-32 - 48	13	19	12	4	3	89 (38-51)
	Southeast Missouri State	24-62/.387	7-26/.269	9-11/.818	6-18 - 24	14	15	9	3	4	64 (29-35)
12-30	Illinois Tennessee-Martin										
1-5	Illinois Michigan State										
1-7	Illinois at Iowa										
1-14	Illinois Michigan										
1-17	Illinois at Indiana										
1-21	Illinois at Northwestern										
1-25	Illinois Minnesota										
1-28	Illinois Purdue										
1-31	Illinois at Wisconsin										
2-4	Illinois Penn State										
2-12	Illinois at Ohio State										
2-15	Illinois at Northwestern										
2-19	Illinois Indiana										
2-21	Illinois at Michigan										
2-25	Illinois Iowa										
TBA	Illinois at Minnesota										
3-4	Illinois at Michigan State										

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## 3 CHESTER FRAZIER, FR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	16	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-1--1		1	4	0	0	0	2
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-0	22	1-5	.200	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	2-1--3		0	2	0	0	0	3
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	18	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	1-2--3		2	4	1	0	0	4
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	13	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0		3	2	0	0	0	0
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	19	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	1-3	.333	1-4--5		1	2	2	0	1	1
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	14	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-2--2		1	1	0	0	1	0
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-0	10	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0		0	0	1	0	0	0
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	DNP-Inj.															
12-8	Georgetown	DNP-Inj.															
12-10	vs. Oregon	DNP-Inj.															
12-18	Coppin St.	DNP-Inj.															
12-21	vs. Missouri	DNP-Inj.															
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	13	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-4--5		0	5	0	0	1	0

## 11 DEE BROWN, SR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	30	6-16	.375	3-8	.375	4-6	.667	1-0--1		2	2	6	0	3	19
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-1	38	7-17	.412	5-13	.385	1-2	.500	3-4--7		4	4	4	0	4	20
11-22	Texas Southern	1-1	25	5-11	.455	3-8	.375	1-1	1.000	2-4--6		0	5	1	0	1	14
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-1	38	3-14	.214	2-9	.222	0-2	.000	0-2--2		0	5	5	0	3	8
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	22	4-7	.571	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	0-2--2		4	4	3	0	0	10
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-1	38	6-19	.316	0-6	.000	2-3	.667	0-0--0		4	3	5	0	2	14
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	37	4-16	.250	3-10	.300	9-10	.900	0-5--5		0	7	2	1	3	20
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-1	35	2-8	.250	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-5--5		3	10	4	0	1	6
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	39	5-16	.313	2-7	.286	4-5	.800	0-3--3		1	3	3	0	0	39
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-1	34	9-15	.600	5-8	.625	3-4	.750	1-3--4		2	7	2	0	1	26
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	35	2-7	.288	2-6	.333	2-2	1.000	0-2--2		0	7	1	0	0	8
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	36	5-11	.455	4-7	.571	3-5	.600	0-4--4		1	7	0	0	2	17
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-1	29	6-17	.353	3-9	.333	1-1	1.000	0-2--2		2	5	2	0	0	16

## 25 CALVIN BROCK, FR.-r

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	10	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	0-0--0		3	0	0	0	1	3
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	DNP															
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	15	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-1--2		1	2	1	0	1	3
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	4	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-1--2		1	1	0	1	0	0
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0-1--1		2	0	0	0	0	0
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	2	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0		0	0	0	0	0	0
12-3	vs. Xavier	DNP															
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-0	7	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-2--2		2	0	0	0	0	2
12-8	Georgetown	DNP															
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-0	4	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0		2	0	0	0	1	4
12-18	Coppin St.	1-0	20	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	1-5--6		2	2	2	0	0	6
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-0	4	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0		0	0	0	0	0	0
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	8	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1--1		1	1	1	0	0	0



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## 31 JAMAR SMITH, FR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	21	3-6	.500	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-2--2	0	2	1	0	0	9	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-0	20	4-9	.444	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	4-0--4	1	1	1	0	0	10	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	22	4-9	.444	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	0-1--1	2	3	1	0	0	12	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	8	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0	0	1	0	0	1	3	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	20	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	1-1--2	0	2	0	0	0	9	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	14	3-5	.600	3-4	.750	0-1	.000	0-0--0	1	1	2	0	0	9	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-0	14	2-3	.667	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0--0	1	1	1	0	1	6	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-0	28	8-10	.800	6-8	.750	1-2	.500	0-2--2	0	3	2	0	2	23	
12-8	Georgetown	1-0	21	3-7	.429	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-1--2	1	0	1	1	0	9	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-0	24	2-3	.667	2-3	.667	4-4	1.000	0-3--3	2	3	3	0	0	10	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-0	27	4-7	.571	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	2-3--5	0	2	6	0	1	10	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-0	20	3-5	.600	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-2--2	0	2	1	0	1	8	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	20	5-5	1.000	4-4	1.000	0-0	.000	2-0--2	0	2	2	0	0	14	

## 33 RICH McBRIDE, JR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	29	5-9	.556	4-7	.571	1-2	.500	0-3--3	2	4	1	0	3	15	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-1	33	4-13	.308	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	2-0--2	2	8	1	0	1	11	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-1	17	3-6	.500	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-0--0	2	2	1	0	2	9	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-1	34	3-9	.333	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	1-2--3	1	2	1	0	0	8	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	30	4-7	.571	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-2--2	4	2	0	0	0	11	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-1	33	4-11	.364	3-8	.375	1-1	1.000	0-3--3	1	5	2	0	1	12	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	33	1-7	.143	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-3--3	2	2	1	0	0	3	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-1	22	0-6	.000	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	1-2--3	0	1	1	0	1	2	
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	32	2-5	.400	2-3	.667	2-2	1.000	0-3--3	0	0	0	0	0	8	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-1	28	5-12	.417	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	0-2--2	1	2	1	0	0	13	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	29	3-8	.375	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	0-1--1	3	0	4	0	0	9	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	33	2-6	.333	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-2--2	1	4	3	0	3	5	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-1	24	2-4	.500	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0--0	0	1	1	0	1	6	

## 34 C.J. JACKSON, FR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
Has not played - intends to redshirt																

## 40 JAMES AUGUSTINE, SR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	26	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	8-10	.800	4-10--14	3	2	4	1	2	18	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-1	34	6-8	.750	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	4-3--7	3	3	4	0	2	14	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-1	21	6-9	.667	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	3-3--6	2	1	2	2	1	13	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-1	37	7-14	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-6--10	3	4	6	1	2	14	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	25	7-9	.778	0-0	.000	4-5	.800	2-5--7	4	1	0	0	0	18	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-1	38	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	6-7--13	2	3	2	0	3	13	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	40	7-9	.778	0-0	.000	9-16	.563	3-4--7	1	0	2	1	2	23	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-1	33	4-8	.500	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	3-4--7	2	0	1	0	0	12	
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	37	4-10	.400	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	5-8--13	2	2	1	1	2	10	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-1	33	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-7--11	3	1	1	0	1	8	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	31	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	5-5	1.000	1-8--9	1	3	2	1	2	15	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	30	6-11	.545	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-4--8	3	3	3	0	3	12	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-1	25	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1-7--8	1	3	1	3	0	12	

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## 41 WARREN CARTER, JR.

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	18	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2-3--5	3	3	2	0	0	7	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-0	6	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-0--1	1	0	0	1	0	4	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	20	3-9	.333	0-0	.000	5-7	.714	4-4--8	4	1	1	0	0	11	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	14	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-3--3	1	0	1	0	0	8	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	15	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1-0--1	1	0	1	0	0	2	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	8	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-2--3	2	0	2	0	1	0	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-0	2	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0--0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-0	13	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	3-1--4	0	0	0	2	1	11	
12-8	Georgetown	1-0	7	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	2-0--2	1	0	0	0	0	2	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-0	12	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2--2	3	0	1	1	0	0	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	19	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2-4--6	2	1	1	2	0	7	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-0	9	2-2	1.000	1-1	1.000	4-4	1.000	1-1--2	1	1	0	0	0	9	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	18	6-11	.545	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	3-4--7	2	0	1	0	0	14	

## 42 BRIAN RANDLE, SO.-r

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	17	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2--2	4	0	3	0	0	6	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-1	18	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-4	.000	6-2--8	2	1	1	0	2	6	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-1	24	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-1--3	2	5	1	2	1	6	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-1	22	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1-5--6	2	1	1	1	0	4	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	32	6-8	.750	1-1	1.000	3-4	.750	4-1--5	3	1	1	0	1	16	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-1	20	4-5	.800	2-2	1.000	2-4	.500	2-1--3	4	1	3	2	2	12	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	31	3-5	.600	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	2-1--3	4	1	2	1	2	6	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-1	28	5-7	.714	0-1	.000	1-4	.250	2-4--6	2	2	1	1	0	11	
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	29	3-11	.272	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	6-3--9	4	1	2	0	0	8	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-1	26	4-8	.500	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	3-4--7	2	0	1	0	1	9	
12-18	Coppin St.	DNP-Inj.															
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	27	4-7	.571	0-2	.000	5-8	.625	2-4--6	1	2	3	0	1	13	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-1	26	4-9	.444	0-2	.000	1-2	.500	2-7--9	4	2	3	1	1	9	

## 44 MARCUS ARNOLD, JR.-r

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	3-PT		FT-A	Pct.	OR-DR		PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
						FG-A	Pct.			TOT							
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	9	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1-0--1	1	0	2	1	0	0	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-0	14	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0-3--3	3	0	0	0	0	3	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	17	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-1--3	2	0	0	1	0	10	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	8	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1--1	2	0	2	0	1	0	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	10	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1-2--3	4	0	2	0	0	2	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	15	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-0--2	2	0	0	0	1	4	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-0	16	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	2-4--6	4	0	0	1	0	7	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-0	11	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1-1--2	4	0	1	0	0	2	
12-8	Georgetown	1-0	22	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-4--6	1	0	0	1	0	2	
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-0	23	5-10	.500	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	1-7--8	2	0	1	2	1	11	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-0	12	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0-1--1	5-1	0	0	0	0	2	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-0	19	5-11	.455	0-0	.000	3-5	.600	2-3--5	4	0	0	0	1	13	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	16	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	3-1--4	0	0	1	0	0	9	

# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS CONT.

55 SHAUN PRUITT, SO.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>G-GS</u>	<u>MIN</u>	<u>FG-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>3-PT</u>		<u>FT-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>OR-DR</u>		<u>PF-FO</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>BLK</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>PTS</u>
						<u>FG-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>			<u>TOT</u>	<u>A</u>						
11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	24	5-5	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3-6--9	1	1	1	1	0	11	
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-1	15	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-1--2	2	1	1	0	0	0	
11-22	Texas Southern	1-1	19	4-8	.500	0-0	.000	1-5	.200	4-3--7	1	0	1	0	1	9	
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-1	22	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-6--7	4	0	1	0	0	10	
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	21	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2-5--7	1	2	1	0	2	6	
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-1	18	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0-2--2	3	0	2	0	1	4	
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	17	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	2-2--4	3	0	1	0	0	0	
12-5	Ark.-Little Rock	1-1	21	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	4-4--8	4	0	1	1	1	5	
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	13	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	2-1--3	0	0	0	1	0	3	
12-10	Oregon	1-1	14	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	4-3--7	4	1	2	1	2	8	
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	24	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	1-1--2	1	0	0	0	0	4	
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	20	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2-2--4	4	0	2	1	0	5	
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-1	19	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	3-3--6	3	0	0	0	0	8	

# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

## 3 Chester Frazier

	<u>Season/Career High</u>
Points	4 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
FG	1, three times, last vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
FG Att.	5 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20
3-Pt.	1 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20
3-Pt. Att.	5 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20
FT	2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
FT Att.	3 vs. Rutgers, 11/26
Rebounds	5 vs. Rutgers, 11/26 & SE Missouri St, 12/28
Assists	5 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28
Blocks	0
Steals	1 vs. Rutgers, 11/26 & SE Missouri St, 12/28
Minutes	22 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20

## 11 Dee Brown

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	26 vs. Oregon, 12/10	27 vs. Purdue (3/3/05)
FG	9 vs. Oregon, 12/10	10 vs. Eastern Illinois (12/10/02)
FG Att.	19 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	19 vs. N. Carolina (11/29/05)
3-Pt.	5 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	8 vs. Purdue (3/3/05)
	5 vs. Oregon, 12/10	
3-Pt. Att.	13 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	13 vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)
FT	9 vs. Xavier, 12/3	9 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
FT Att.	10 vs. Xavier, 12/3	10 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Rebounds	7 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	7, five times, last vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)
Assists	10 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5	13 vs. Longwood (12/27/04)
Blocks	1 vs. Xavier, 12/3	1, seven times, last vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Steals	4 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	5 vs. Michigan State (2/18/03) 5 vs. Northwestern (2/22/03)
Minutes	39 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	43 vs. Purdue (3/3/04)

## 25 Calvin Brock

	<u>Season/Career High</u>
Points	6 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
FG	2 vs. Oregon, 12/10
	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
FG Att.	5 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
3-Pt.	1 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
3-Pt. Att.	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
FT	3 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18
FT Att.	6 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18
Rebounds	6 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Assists	2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Blocks	1 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18
	1 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Steals	1, three times, last vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Minutes	20 vs. Coppin State, 12/18

## 31 Jamar Smith

	<u>Season/Career High</u>
Points	23 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
FG	8 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
FG Att.	10 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
3-Pt.	6 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
3-Pt. Att.	8 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
FT	4 vs. Oregon, 12/10
FT Att.	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22

Rebounds	5 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Assists	3, three times, last vs. Oregon, 12/10
Blocks	0
Steals	2 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
Minutes	28 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5

## 33 Rich McBride

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	15 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	22 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
FG	5 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	7 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
	5 vs. Oregon, 12/10	
FG Att.	13 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	13 vs. Memphis (12/13/03) 13 vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)
3-Pt.	4 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	6 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
3-Pt. Att.	10 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	10, three times, last vs. Oregon (12/10/05)
	10 vs. Oregon, 12/10	
FT	2 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5	3 vs. Northwestern (3/11/05)
FT Att.	2 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	3 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
	2 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5	3 vs. Northwestern (3/11/05)
Rebounds	3, five times, last vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5	6 vs. Chicago State (12/6/04)
Assists	8 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20	8 vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)
Blocks	0	1 vs. Valparaiso (12/19/04) 1 vs. Penn State (1/12/05)
Steals	3 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	3, four times, last vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
	3 vs. Missouri, 12/21	
Minutes	34 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	34 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)

## 34 C.J. Jackson

Season/Career High  
Has not played - intends to redshirt

## 40 James Augustine

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	23 vs. Xavier, 12/3	23 vs. Nevada (3/19/05) 23 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
FG	7, three times, last vs. Xavier, 12/3	9 vs. Penn State (1/25/03) 9 vs. Nevada (3/19/05)
FG Att.	14 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	14 vs. Penn State (1/25/03) 14 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
3-Pt.	0	1, five times, last vs. Michigan (3/1/03)
3-Pt. Att.	0	2 vs. Michigan (3/1/03)
FT	9 vs. Xavier, 12/3	9 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
FT Att.	16 vs. Xavier, 12/3	16 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Rebounds	14 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	15 vs. FDU (3/17/05)
Assists	4 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	4, three times, last vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
Blocks	3 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	5 vs. Oakland (1/4/03) 5 vs. Arkansas (12/6/03)
Steals	3 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	4, three times, last vs. Nevada (3/19/05)
	3 vs. Missouri, 12/21	
Minutes	40 vs. Xavier, 12/3	40 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)



# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI SEASON/CAREER HIGHS CONT.

## 41 Warren Carter

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	14 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	14 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)
FG	6 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	6 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)
FG Att.	11 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	11 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)
3-Pt.	1 vs. Missouri, 12/21	1 vs. Northwestern (2/23/05) 1 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
3-Pt. Att.	1 vs. Missouri, 12/21	1, five times, last vs. Missouri, (12/21/05)
FT	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	5 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)
FT Att.	7 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	7 vs. Florida A&M (11/21/04) 7, Texas Southern (11/22/05)
Rebounds	8 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	8 vs. Texas Southern 11/22/05)
Assists	3 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	3 vs. S. Dakota St. (11/18/05)
Blocks	2 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5 2 vs. Coppin St., 12/18	2, three times last vs. Coppin St. (12/18/05)
Steals	1 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5 1 vs. Missouri, 12/21	2 vs. Florida A&M (11/21/04)
Minutes	20 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	20 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)

## 42 Brian Randle

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	16 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	16 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
FG	6 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	6 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
FG Att.	11 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	11 vs. Georgetown (12/8/05)
3-Pt.	2 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	2 vs. North Carolina (11/29/05)
3-Pt. Att.	3 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	3 vs. Georgetown (12/8/05)
FT	5 vs. Missouri, 12/21	5 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
FT Att.	8 vs. Missouri, 12/21	8 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
Rebounds	9 vs. Georgetown, 12/8 9 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	11 vs. Ill.-Chicago (12/30/03)
Assists	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	5 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)
Blocks	2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22 2 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	3 vs. Penn State (1/21/04) 3 vs. Minnesota (2/8/04)
Steals	2, three times, last vs. Xavier, 12/3	3 vs. Western Illinois (11/22/03) 3 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
Minutes	32 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	32 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)

## 44 Marcus Arnold

	<u>Season/UI Career High</u>
Points	13 vs. Missouri, 12/21
FG	5, three times, last vs. Missouri, 12/21
FG Att.	11 vs. Missouri, 12/21
3-Pt.	0
3-Pt. Att.	0
FT	3 vs. Missouri, 12/21
FT Att.	5 vs. Missouri, 12/21
Rebounds	8 vs. Oregon, 12/10
Assists	0
Blocks	2 vs. Oregon, 12/10
Steals	1, four times, last vs. Missouri, 12/21
Minutes	23 vs. Oregon, 12/10

## 55 Shaun Pruitt

	<u>Season High</u>	<u>Career High</u>
Points	11 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	11 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05)
FG	5 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 5 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	5 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05) 5 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
FG Att.	8 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	8 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)
3-Pt.	0	0
3-Pt. Att.	0	0
FT	4 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	4 vs. Oakland, 11/24 4 vs. Coppin State (12/18/05)
FT Att.	6 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	6 vs. Oakland, 11/24 6 vs. Coppin St. (12/18/05)
Rebounds	9 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	9 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05)
Assists	2 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	2 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
Blocks	1, five times, last vs. Missouri, 12/21	1, six times, last vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
Steals	2 vs. Rutgers, 11/26 2 vs. Oregon, 12/10	2 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05) 2 vs. Oregon (12/10/05)
Minutes	24 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 24 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	24 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05) 24 vs. Coppin State (12/18/05)





# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI GAME RECAPS CONT.

**Game 7 #12 Illinois 65**  
**Xavier 62**  
 Dec. 3, 2005  
 United Center, Chicago, Ill.

Dee Brown and James Augustine carried the scoring load and Marcus Arnold's inspired play off the bench late in the second half helped the No. 12 Illini rally from an early 15-point deficit to defeat Xavier 65-62.

Augustine scored 23 points to tie his career high and Brown had 20, but Arnold scored seven points and grabbed a pair of key rebounds. He tied the game 53-53 and then converted a 3-point play to give the Illini a 56-53 lead with 5:10 to go.

Xavier built a 19-4 lead and led 36-26 at halftime. But Illinois, which has now won 15 in a row at the United Center, came out of the locker room with a 15-4 run.

Augustine's 3-point play gave Illinois its first lead, 41-40, with 12:31 to go. Xavier scored six straight points and looked like it might take control again, but fouls got the Musketeers into trouble.

Their leading scorer, Brian Thornton, fouled out when he fouled Arnold with 5:10 left and three other players ended the game with four fouls. Thornton, who had been averaging 20 points, finished with nine.

The Musketeers were led by Justin Cage's 15 points. Justin Doellman scored 12 and Stanley Burrell had 11. Xavier shot 60 percent in the first half, but dropped off in the second half to finish with 48 percent.

Illinois had major trouble getting started. The Illini turned the ball over on their first two possessions and missed their first nine shots. Meanwhile, the Musketeers hit five of their first eight to build a 12-0 lead.

Xavier	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Cage	6-9	0-1	3-5	4	15	3	3	2	2	36
Doellman	4-8	3-6	1-2	5	12	2	1	0	0	27
Thornton	4-6	0-0	1-2	4	9	2	3	0	0	26
Finn	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	2	3	0	1	32
Burrell	4-14	3-7	0-0	3	11	3	4	0	0	36
Duncan	1-2	1-1	0-0	3	3	3	0	0	2	15
Raymond	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2
Wolf	0-2	0-1	0-2	1	0	3	0	0	0	10
Caudle	4-6	0-0	2-2	5	10	0	1	1	1	16
Team				5						
Totals	24-50	7-16	7-13	33	62	19	15	3	6	200

FG% 1st: 15-26/.577 2nd: 9-24/.375 Game: .480  
 3PT% 1st: 6-8/.750 2nd: 1-8/.125 Game: .438  
 FT% 1st: 0-0/0.000 2nd: 7-13/.538 Game: .538

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Augustine	7-9	0-0	9-16	7	23	0	2	1	2	40
Randle	3-5	0-2	0-0	3	6	1	2	1	2	31
Pruitt	0-2	0-0	0-2	4	0	0	1	0	0	17
Brown	4-16	3-10	9-10	5	20	7	2	1	3	37
McBride	1-7	1-4	0-0	3	3	2	1	0	0	33
Frazier	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
Smith	2-3	2-3	0-0	0	6	1	1	0	1	14
Carter	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Arnold	3-4	0-0	1-3	6	7	0	0	1	0	16
Team				3						
Totals	20-49	6-21	19-31	31	65	11	12	4	8	200

FG% 1st: 9-25/.360 2nd: 11-24/.458 Game: .408  
 3PT% 1st: 2-9/.222 2nd: 4-12/.333 Game: .286  
 FT% 1st: 6-8/.750 2nd: 13-23/.565 Game: .613

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Xavier	36	26	62
Illinois	26	39	65
A:	19,833		

**Game 8 #11 Illinois 75**  
**Arkansas-Little Rock 49**  
 Dec. 5, 2005  
 Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Freshman reserve Jamar Smith hit six 3-pointers and had a career-high 23 points to lift No. 11 Illinois to a 75-49 victory over Arkansas-Little Rock.

Smith was 8-of-10 from the field and had three assists and two steals. He scored seven points and had an assist during a 20-0 second-half run that broke the game open.

Illinois (8-0) had just seen Arkansas-Little Rock (3-3) run off seven straight points to cut its deficit to 41-39. After Dee Brown hit a free throw and Brian Randle a layup, Smith got a pass from Brown and hit a three that brought the crowd to its feet.

The next time down the floor, Smith sent an alley-oop pass that Randle dunked to put the Illini up 49-39. He scored five more points before leaving to a standing ovation with 1:48 left and Illinois on its way to its 25th straight win at the Assembly Hall.

James Augustine scored 12 points for Illinois. Randle and Warren Carter each added 11 points, and Brown had six points, 10 assists and five rebounds.

Lekheythan Malone scored 12 of his 17 points in the first half for Arkansas-Little Rock, but he spent much of the second half on the bench in foul trouble. Elijah Muldrow added 10 points for the Trojans.

The Illini used a 10-0 run to take a 14-6 lead and led 20-12 after Randle put in a rebound with 7:48 to go in the first half. But the Trojans came back with a 9-3 run and closed within 27-26 with 2:22 to go on Muldrow's 3-pointer.

UALR	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Malone	7-14	3-4	0-0	0	17	0	2	0	0	27
Jones-Jennings	4-9	0-0	0-4	9	8	1	2	0	0	36
Muldrow	2-7	2-5	4-4	1	10	2	1	1	1	28
Wright	2-10	0-1	1-4	8	5	3	6	0	2	39
Harding	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	3	0	0	26
Eggins	0-3	0-1	0-0	2	0	0	2	0	0	21
Razz	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Thornton	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Ray	3-3	0-0	1-2	4	7	0	0	0	1	15
Nichols	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Team				2						
Totals	19-53	5-14	6-14	28	49	9	16	1	4	200

FG% 1st: 12-28/.429 2nd: 7-25/.280 Game: .358  
 3PT% 1st: 3-8/.375 2nd: 2-6/.333 Game: .357  
 FT% 1st: 1-2/.500 2nd: 5-12/.417 Game: .429

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Randle	5-7	0-1	1-4	6	11	2	1	1	0	28
Pruitt	1-1	0-0	3-4	8	5	0	1	1	1	21
Augustine	4-8	0-0	4-6	7	12	0	1	0	0	33
Brown	2-8	1-5	1-2	5	6	10	4	0	1	35
McBride	0-6	0-4	2-2	3	2	1	1	0	1	22
Hicks	0-1	0-1	1-2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Brook	1-2	0-1	0-1	2	2	0	0	0	0	7
Smith	8-10	6-8	1-2	2	23	3	2	0	2	28
Carter	4-7	0-0	3-4	4	11	0	0	2	1	13
Arnold	1-3	0-0	0-1	2	2	0	1	0	0	11
Team				2						
Totals	20-49	6-21	19-31	31	65	11	12	4	8	200

FG% 1st: 12-27/.444 2nd: 14-26/.538 Game: .491  
 3PT% 1st: 4-12/.333 2nd: 3-8/.375 Game: .350  
 FT% 1st: 4-8/.500 2nd: 12-20/.600 Game: .571

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Arkansas-Little Rock	28	21	49
Illinois	32	43	75
A:	16,618		

**Game 9 #11 Illinois 58**  
**Georgetown 48**  
 Dec. 8, 2005  
 Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Dee Brown scored 16 points and Illinois' defense made up for a poor shooting night as the 11th-ranked Illini won their ninth straight to open the season, 58-48 over Georgetown.

Brown made two layups midway through the second half that boosted Illinois' lead to 14 points and stalled Georgetown's comeback attempt. The Hoyas (3-2), who were down 15 points at halftime, rallied behind Jeff Green, who scored 19 of his 21 points in the second half.

But Georgetown ran out of time. After closing to 52-44 on Ashanti Cook's 3-pointer with 1:10 to go, the Hoyas missed three straight shots, were forced to foul and the Illini converted all six free throws before Green scored four points in the final seconds.

James Augustine got his fourth double-double of the season for Illinois with 10 points and 13 rebounds. Cook scored 10 points for the Hoyas.

Illinois was only 9-of-25 from the field in the second half and finished the game shooting a paltry 32 percent. They were helped by nine 3-pointers.

Illinois scored the first 10 points of the game and then held the Hoyas to five first-half baskets.

Illini coach Bruce Weber, still hobbled by a broken left ankle, was waving his arms early exhorting his players and applauding their defensive play as Georgetown missed its first six shots and eight of its first 10 on their way shooting 38 percent.

The Hoyas closed within 12-7 with 10:59 to go in the half but the Illini tightened up their defense again and forced Georgetown to miss nine straight shots and turn the ball over four times over the next 9:02. Illinois took a 25-11 lead and was up 28-13 at half-time.

Georgetown	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Bowman	1-6	0-2	1-2	4	3	0	2	1	1	21
Green	8-12	2-4	3-7	7	21	1	0	0	0	38
Hibbert	2-9	0-0	0-0	7	4	2	1	6	0	33
Cook	4-10	2-7	0-0	1	10	3	0	0	1	38
Wallace	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	3	3	4	0	0	22
Owens	3-8	0-2	0-0	5	6	2	1	1	1	29
Sapp	0-1	0-1	1-2	0	2	0	0	0	0	7
Crawford	0-1	0-0	0-0	4	0	0	1	0	0	12
Team				2						
Totals	19-50	5-18	5-11	31	48	11	10	8	3	200

FG% 1st: 5-22/.227 2nd: 14-28/.500 Game: .380  
 3PT% 1st: 1-7/.143 2nd: 4-11/.364 Game: .278  
 FT% 1st: 2-4/.500 2nd: 3-7/.429 Game: .455

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Randle	3-11	0-3	2-2	9	8	1	2	0	0	29
Pruitt	1-6	0-0	1-1	3	3	0	0	1	0	13
Augustine	4-10	0-0	2-3	13	10	2	1	1	2	37
Brown	5-16	2-7	4-5	3	16	3	3	0	0	39
McBride	2-5	2-3	2-2	3	8	0	0	0	0	32
Smith	3-7	3-5	0-0	2	9	0	1	1	0	21
Carter	1-4	0-0	0-1	2	2	0	0	0	0	7
Arnold	1-3	0-0	0-0	6	2	0	0	1	0	22
Team				3						
Totals	20-62	7-18	11-14	44	58	6	10	4	2	200

FG% 1st: 11-37/.297 2nd: 9-25/.360 Game: .323  
 3PT% 1st: 5-12/.417 2nd: 2-6/.333 Game: .389  
 FT% 1st: 1-1/1.000 2nd: 10-13/.769 Game: .786

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Georgetown	13	35	48
Illinois	28	30	58
A:	16,618		



# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI GAME RECAPS CONT.

**Game 10 #11 Illinois 89  
Oregon 59  
Dec. 10, 2005**

Rose Garden, Portland, Ore.  
Playing its 10th game in 23 days, Illinois coach Bruce Weber didn't know exactly what to expect from his team.  
However, the 11th-ranked Fighting Illini showed no signs of fatigue as Dee Brown had 26 points and seven assists in an 89-59 win over Oregon. Brown hit 9 of 15 shots, including five 3s in his best performance of the season.  
"After all this travel and all these games, I did not anticipate this," Weber said. "I was just hoping we could gut out a win. This really surprised me."  
Rich McBride had 13 points and James Augustine added eight points and 11 rebounds for the Illini, who improved to 10-0.

Reserve forward Ivan Johnson tied a career-high with 16 points to lead the Ducks (4-3). Malik Hairston added 12 for Oregon, which shot just 35 percent from the field, including 26 percent in the first half.  
The Ducks struggled against an Illinois defense that forced 13 turnovers and shut off the middle early. The Illini were up 12-6 in the first half when a flurry of 3s quickly doubled their lead. Brown hit two 3-pointers and Rich McBride had added two more as Illinoi went up 24-11.  
As the Illini began to sprint away, the Ducks hurt their cause by forcing up bad shots. Oregon missed all seven of its first-half 3-pointers, while Brown knocked down two more 3s to make it 34-18.

The strong shooting continued into the second half for Illinois with Brown directing the offense with pinpoint efficiency.

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Randle	4-8	0-1	1-2	7	9	0	1	0	1	26
Pruitt	3-5	0-0	2-3	7	8	1	2	1	2	14
Augustine	4-7	0-0	0-0	11	8	1	1	0	1	33
Brown	9-15	5-8	3-4	4	26	7	2	0	1	34
McBride	5-12	3-10	0-0	2	13	2	1	0	0	28
Hicks	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Brock	2-4	0-1	0-0	0	4	0	0	0	1	4
Smith	2-3	2-3	4-4	3	10	3	3	0	0	24
Carter	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1	1	0	12
Arnold	5-10	0-0	1-3	8	11	0	1	2	1	23
Team				1						
Totals	34-67	10-23	11-16	45	89	14	12	4	7	200

Oregon	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Hairston	5-10	1-3	1-1	4	12	0	4	0	1	30
Leunen	1-2	0-1	1-2	8	3	2	2	0	0	25
Schafer	1-2	0-0	1-3	2	3	0	1	0	0	12
Brooks	1-7	0-4	6-7	2	8	3	3	0	2	34
Taylor	3-14	0-3	3-4	1	9	1	0	0	2	28
Kent	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	1	1	1	10
Short	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Love	1-2	1-1	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
Lincoln	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	10
Oguchi	1-5	1-5	2-4	2	5	1	0	0	0	12
Zahn	0-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	1	1	0	9
Johnson	7-10	0-0	2-5	3	16	0	1	1	2	24
Team				3						3
Totals	20-57	3-17	16-26	29	59	8	13	3	8	200

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Illinois	40	49	89
Oregon	22	37	59
A:	15,109		

**Game 11 #9 Illinois 61  
Coppin State 42  
Dec. 18, 2005**

Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.  
Illinois' Bruce Weber wasn't as happy as the coach of an 11-0 team might be expected to be.  
The ninth-ranked Illini's sluggish offense in a 61-42 victory over Coppin State could have had something to do with it.  
James Augustine had 15 points and nine rebounds to lead Illinois, which broke the game open with an 18-4 run after Coppin State (0-8) had cut a 14-point deficit in half.

Augustine's three-point play started the run after the Eagles had closed within 29-22 with 15:17 to go. He had a layup and another three-point play as the Illini pushed their lead to 50-28 with 7:25 left.  
Coppin State coach Fang Mitchell said he knew his team couldn't keep up with Illinois in a fast-break game so he concentrated on slowing things down to limit Illini possessions.

Illinois led 24-7 after Brown hit a 3-pointer with 5:41 to go in the first half, but the Illini failed to score for the rest of the half and the Eagles put together a 12-5 run that lasted 4:43 into the second half.  
But Augustine got free for a fast-break layup with 15:12 left and converted a free throw to start the decisive run, which also included 3-pointers from Rich McBride and Calvin Brock and a basket from Jamar Smith.

Smith scored 10 points and McBride had nine for the Illini, while Dee Brown had eight points and seven assists.  
Darryl Proctor scored 14 points and Tywain McKee added 13 for Coppin State.

Coppin St.	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Proctor	5-9	1-3	3-9	7	14	0	3	0	0	35
Chesnut	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	2	0	0	8
Roberts	2-8	2-6	1-2	1	7	1	1	0	0	34
McKee	6-13	1-2	0-2	3	13	3	2	0	1	37
Woodlin	0-5	0-3	0-0	3	0	0	0	0	1	28
Ivey	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Oris	0-6	0-3	0-0	0	0	2	0	0	1	13
Bell	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Miller	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Norwood	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
Harrison	3-5	0-0	0-0	1	6	0	0	0	0	23
Pressey	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4
Team				2						1
Totals	17-50	4-18	4-13	22	42	6	9	0	4	200

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Carter	3-5	0-0	1-2	6	7	1	1	2	0	19
Pruitt	0-0	0-0	4-6	2	4	0	0	0	0	24
Augustine	5-7	0-0	5-5	9	15	3	2	1	2	31
Brown	2-7	2-6	2-2	2	8	7	1	0	0	35
McBride	3-8	3-8	0-0	1	9	0	4	0	0	29
Hicks	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Brock	2-5	1-2	1-2	6	6	2	2	0	0	20
Smith	4-7	2-5	0-0	5	10	2	6	0	1	27
Arnold	1-1	0-0	0-1	1	2	0	0	0	0	12
Team				1						
Totals	20-40	8-21	13-18	33	61	15	16	3	3	200

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Coppin State	12	30	42
Illinois	24	37	61
A:	16,618		

**Game 12 #6 Illinois 82  
Missouri 50  
Dec. 21, 2005**

Savvis Center, St. Louis, Mo.  
In its first trip to town since last year's Final Four, Illinois got big games from its tournament holdovers.  
Dee Brown had 17 points, seven assists and two steals and James Augustine added 12 points, eight rebounds and three steals in the sixth-ranked Illini's 82-50 rout of Missouri in St. Louis.

Illinois (12-0) won by the most lopsided margin in the 25-year history of the neutral-court "Braggin' Rights" series.

The sold-out game was played in an arena across downtown from the domed stadium where the Illini lost to North Carolina in the 2005 national championship game.

The Fighting Illini's superior quickness had Missouri (4-4) on the run from the start and the game was over by halftime when the lead was 18 points. It grew to as many as 34 near the end as Illinois won its sixth straight in the series and raised its overall record to 17-8. The previous highest winning margin was 22 points by Illinois in 1980.

Jimmy McKinney had 11 points for Missouri, which got an off-night from Thomas Gardner. Gardner, who leads the Big 12 with a 22-point average, was held to a season-worst six points on 2-for-12 shooting. Gardner wasn't the only one struggling: Missouri shot 35 percent and committed a season-worst 21 turnovers.

Brian Randle returned to the Illinois lineup after missing a game with a sprained right ankle and added 13 points and six rebounds, while Marcus Arnold had 13 points. Randle also led the defensive effort against Gardner.

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Augustine	6-11	0-0	0-0	8	12	3	3	0	3	30
Randle	4-7	0-2	5-8	6	13	2	3	0	1	27
Pruitt	2-5	0-0	1-2	4	5	0	2	1	0	20
Brown	5-11	4-7	3-5	4	17	7	0	0	2	36
McBride	2-6	1-4	0-0	2	5	4	3	0	3	33
Hicks	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Brock	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Smith	3-5	2-3	0-0	2	8	2	1	0	1	20
Carter	2-2	1-1	4-4	2	9	1	0	0	0	9
Arnold	5-11	0-0	3-5	5	13	0	0	0	1	19
Team				8						
Totals	29-60	8-18	16-24	41	82	19	12	1	11	200

Missouri	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Brown	3-10	0-1	0-1	9	6	2	3	0	0	27
Young	3-6	0-0	0-0	6	6	0	0	2	0	23
McKinney	4-13	0-2	3-3	3	11	2	3	0	2	31
Gardner	2-12	2-7	0-0	2	6	0	5	0	0	27
Horton	4-7	1-2	0-1	2	9	2	4	0	0	35
Douglas	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5
Lyons	1-3	0-1	1-2	1	3	0	2	2	0	10
Watkins	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	1	0	1	11
Dandridge	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Lawrence	0-3	0-3	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	1	12
Grimes	2-3	0-0	1-4	7	5	0	2	0	1	17
Team				4						
Totals	21-60	3-17	5-11	36	50	7	21	4	5	200

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
Illinois	39	43	82
Missouri	21	29	50
A:	22,153		

# 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI GAME RECAPS CONT.

Game 13 #6 Illinois 89  
Southeast Missouri State 64  
Dec. 28, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Only 2 seconds remained before halftime and Illinois had already seen a 15-point lead shrink to three. Dee Brown grabbed the inbounds pass and raced to midcourt where he let fly from about 40 feet away.

"I just threw it up and prayed for it to go in, and it went in," Brown said after the sixth-ranked Illini beat Southeast Missouri State 89-64. "It was big momentum for us going into halftime."

The basket extended Illinois lead to 38-29, the Illini came out of the locker room energized and went on to their 13th straight victory to start the season.

Brown scored 16 points and made two diving saves that led directly to baskets. Early in the game, he dove into the defensive corner and scooped the ball back to Warren Carter who got it back to Brown. Brown then sent a pass to Jamar Smith, who hit a 3-pointer.

In the second half, Brown dove over the midcourt line and into the courtside seats to save a ball. He got it to Smith who found Rich McBride for another 3 that gave the Illini a 16-point lead.

Southeast Missouri fought off an 0-for-6 start and trimmed a 20-5 Illini lead to 27-24 when Ketschner Guerrier hit a jumper with 11:42 to go in the first half.

But Smith's 3-pointer stopped the outburst and the Illini stretched their lead when Brown scored the final five points of the half, the last three on the buzzer-beater. He hit another 3-pointer with 17:27 left in the game that started a 13-2 Illinois run.

Smith and Carter scored 14 points each off the bench, and James Augustine added 12 and eight rebounds for Illinois. Smith was 4-for-4 from 3-point range and Carter grabbed seven rebounds to help the Illini to a 48-24 edge on the boards.

SEMO	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Thornton	4-8	0-1	2-2	7	10	1	0	0	1	29
Guerrier	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	1	2	0	18
Paradoski	1-3	1-2	0-0	2	3	6	0	0	2	29
Burtin	4-9	2-5	0-0	1	10	1	2	0	1	23
Booker	8-20	3-10	7-9	1	26	2	4	0	0	37
Willoughby	4-12	1-7	0-0	5	9	2	0	0	0	32
Jones	0-4	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10
Francis	2-3	0-0	0-0	4	4	1	1	0	0	22
Team				1						1
Totals	24-62	7-26	9-11	24	64	15	9	3	4	200

FG%	1st: 11-29/.379	2nd: 13-33/.394	Game: .387
3PT%	1st: 4-15/.267	2nd: 3-11/.273	Game: .269
FT%	1st: 3-4/.750	2nd: 6-7/.857	Game: .818

Illinois	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	B	S	M
Randle	4-9	0-2	1-2	9	9	2	3	1	1	26
Pruitt	4-6	0-0	0-1	6	8	0	0	0	0	19
Augustine	5-8	0-0	2-2	8	12	3	1	3	0	25
Brown	6-17	3-9	1-1	2	16	5	2	0	0	29
McBride	2-4	2-3	0-0	0	6	1	1	0	1	24
Hicks	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Frazier	0-1	0-0	0-0	5	0	5	0	0	1	13
Brock	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	8
Smith	5-5	4-4	0-0	2	14	2	2	0	0	20
Carter	6-11	0-0	2-3	7	14	0	1	0	0	18
Arnold	4-9	0-0	1-1	4	9	0	1	0	0	16
Team				4						
Totals	36-71	9-18	8-12	48	89	19	12	4	3	200

FG%	1st: 15-33/.455	2nd: 21-38/.553	Game: .507
3PT%	1st: 6-12/.500	2nd: 3-6/.500	Game: .500
FT%	1st: 2-3/.667	2nd: 6-9/.667	Game: .667

Score by Halves:	1st	2nd	Game
SE Missouri State	29	35	64
Illinois	38	51	89
			A: 16,618