





BELMONT 3-6

E.S. ROSE PARK | NASHVILLE, TENN.

Friday, March 3 | 4pm Saturday, March 4 | 1pm Sunday, March 5 | 11am

STORYLINES

- •Belmont and Kansas will meet for the second time in four seasons at E.S. Rose Park. The Jayhawks visited over Opening Weekend in 2020, taking two of three games.
- •For the first time in program history, Belmont is playing two Power Five opponents in three-game series. The Bruins traveled to Raleigh, N.C., last weekend for three games against No. 21 North Carolina State
- •Belmont secured their first road sweep of a Power Five opponent last season, outscoring Purdue 22-9 in three games in West Lafayette, Ind.
- After three home runs against Middle Tennessee on Tuesday, Belmont has 11 for the season from seven different players. The Bruins are ranked 52nd in NCAA Division I in homers
- •Belmont is 2-7 against the Big 12 in the Bruins' Division I-era

PROJECTED PITCHING MATCHUPS

FRIDAY: LHP Andy Bean (0-2, 5.91 ERA) SATURDAY: RHP Jordan Zuger (1-1, 8.64 ERA) SUNDAY: LHP Dominic Baratta (0-1, 5.63 ERA)

SOCIAL MEDIA



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FEBRUARY

Saturday 18	UT MARTIN (DH)	I 4-2	(7-inn.)
Saturday 18	UT MARTIN (DH)		
Sunday 19	UT MARTIN (DH)		(7-inn.)
Sunday 19	UT MARTIN (DH)		
Tuesday 21	WKU		
Friday 24	at No. 21 NC State		
Saturday 25	at No. 21 NC State	L, 7-0	
Sunday 26	at No. 21 NC State	L, 7-1	
Tuesday 28	at MTSU	W, 10-7	

MARCH

Friday	3	KANSAS	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	4	KANSAS	1pm E.S.Rose Park
Sunday	5	KANSAS	11am E.S. Rose Park
Tuesday	7	at WKU	3pm Bowling Green, Ky
Wednesda	эу8.	at Lipscomb	3pm Nashville, Tenn.
Friday	10	WESTERN ILLINOIS	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	11	WESTERN ILLINOIS	2pm E.S. Rose Park
Sunday	12	WESTERN ILLINOIS	1pm E.S. Rose Park
Tuesday	.14	.Vanderbilt^	4pm First Horizon Park
Friday	17	LINDENWOOD	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	18	LINDENWOOD (DH)1p	om/4pmE.S. Rose Park
Sunday	19	LINDENWOOD	1pm E.S. Rose Park
Tuesday	21	SOUTHERN INDIANA	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Friday	24	*ILLINOIS STATE	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	25	*ILLINOIS STATE	2pm E.S. Rose Park
Sunday	26	*ILLINOIS STATE	1pm E.S. Rose Park
Friday	.31	*at Evansville	6pm Evansville, Ind.

APRIL

Saturday	1	*at Evansville	2pm Evansville, Ind.
Sunday	2	*at Evansville	1pm Evansville, Ind.
Tuesday	4	TENNESSEE TECH	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Thursday	6	*at Southern Illinois	6pm Carbondale, III.
Friday	7	*at Southern Illinois	6pm Carbondale, III.
Saturday	8	*at Southern Illinois	2pm Carbondale, III.
Tuesday	11	at Austin Peay	6pm Clarksville, Tenn.
Friday	14	*INDIANA STATE	4pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	15	*INDIANA STATE	2pm E.S. Rose Park
Sunday	16	*INDIANA STATE	1pm E.S. Rose Park
Tuesday	18	at North Alabama	5pm Florence, Ala.
Thursday	20	*at Missouri State	11am Springfield, Mo.
Friday	21	*at Missouri State	11am Springfield, Mo.
Saturday	22	*at Missouri State	11am Springfield, Mo.
Tuesday	25	MTSU	5pm E.S. Rose Park
Friday	28	*MURRAY STATE	5pm E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	29	*MURRAY STATE	2pm E.S. Rose Park
Sunday	30	*MURRAY STATE	1pm E.S. Rose Park

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Friday	5	*at UIC	6:05pm	Chicago, III.
Saturday	6	*at UIC	2:05pm	Chicago, III.
Sunday	7	*at UIC	1:05pm	Chicago, III.
Tuesday	9	LIPSCOMB	1pm	E.S. Rose Park
Friday	12	*VALPARAISO	5pm	E.S. Rose Park
Saturday	13	*VALPARAISO	2pm	E.S. Rose Park
Sunday	14	*VALPARAISO	1pm	E.S. Rose Park
Tuesday	16	at Tennessee	5:30pm	Knoxville, Tenn.
Thursday	19	*at Bradley	6pm	Edwardsville, III.
Friday	20	*at Bradley	6pm	Edwardsville, III.
Saturday	21	*at Bradley	2pm	Edwardsville, III.
2	2-28	MVC TOURNAN	IENT TBA	Terre Haute, Ind.

- *- denotes Missouri Valley Conference games
- ^- denotes neutral site game

CAPS and bold-Home Games at Rose Park ALL TIMES LISTED IN CENTRAL STANDARD TIME

QUICK HITS

GENERAL INFORMATION

School	Belmont University
Location	Nashville, Tenn.
Founded	1890
Enrollment	8,012
Nickname	Bruins
Colors	Navy Blue, Red, and White
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Ohio Valley
President	Dr. Gregory Jones
Athletics Director	Scott Corley
Home Field	E.S. Rose Park
Capacity	500
Website	www.belmontbruins.com
Twitter	@BelmontBaseball
Instagram	@belmontbaseball

TEAM HISTORY

2022 Overall Record	39-20
2022 OVC Record	18-6 (1st)
2022 Postseason OVC Tournament (Championship Game
First Year of Program	1953 (1998 D1)
Conference Championships	4 (ASUN, OVC)
Players in MLB Draft	43

ROSTER INFORMATION

Starting Position Players Returning/Lost	1/7
Starting Pitchers Returning/Lost	3/1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	17/17
Newcomers	18

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Dave Jarvis
Record at Belmont	710-645-2 (26th season)
Overall Record	1,034-797-2 (34th season)
Associate Head Coach	Aaron Smith (14th season)
Assistant Coach/Pitching Coac	ch A.J. Gaura (2nd season)
Volunteer Assistant Coach	Corvin Scott (2nd season)

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	Director of Baseball Operations	Michael Zito
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MR. MILESTONE

With an 11-1 win over Middle Tennessee on Feb. 23, 2022 Dave Jarvis recorded his 1,000th career win (324 at Three Rivers College, 676 at Belmont). With an 8-2 win over Evansville on April 26, 2022, Jarvis notched his 700th win at Belmont, one of only 16 active coaches with 700+ Division I wins at their current school. Jarvis became the winningest coach in program history in 2021 thanks to a doubleheader win on April 17 against Murray State. Jarvis passed Belmont legend Dave Whitten (1969-1997) for the all-time wins record in program history. Jarvis and Whitten had a close relationship until Whitten's death in 2012, with Whitten serving as an assistant and pitching coach under Jarvis from 1998-2000 during Jarvis' first three years at Belmont. The Bruins have had just two coaches since 1969 (Whitten and Jarvis).

FOLLOW THE LEADERS

Team captains for the Bruins in 2023 are Andy Bean and Brodey Heaton

MR. BEAN

Andy Bean collected Belmont's first conference pitcher of the year award in the program's Division I era when he was named 2022 OVC Pitcher of the Year.

DOMINANCE AGAINST THE SKYHAWKS

Mason Landers earned Belmont Baseball's first-ever MVC Player of the Week nod on Feb. 20 after going 6-for-14 with three home runs and six RBIs against UT Martin in the opening weekend series

BRODEY BASHES

Brodey Heaton hit ten home runs in 24 OVC games last year, and had two multi-homer games against conference opponents (April 1 at Murray State, May 7 at UT Martin). Heaton was named OVC Player of the Week on May 9 after going 9-15 with three home runs and 9 RBIs against UT Martin on May 6-8, and was named OVC Co-Player of the Week on May 23 after going 7-15 with two home runs against SIUE on May 19-20

CHEESEHEADS

Junior college transfer and right-handed pitcher Jett Thielke attended the same high school in Suamico, Wisconsin, as Belmont pitching coach A.J. Gaura (Bay Port High School)

BATTLE FOR THE VOLUNTEER STATE

Belmont's schedule features home-and-home matchups with Middle Tennessee and Lipscomb, highly anticipated midweeks with Tennessee, Vanderbilt, Tennessee Tech, and Austin Peay, and a three-game series against UT Martin at E.S. Rose Park.

QUICK HITS

DON'T FIGHT THE POWER

Last season, Brodey Heaton and Tommy Crider became the first pair of Bruin teammates to hit 10+ home runs each since Brennan Washington and Clay Payne in 2016

615 GROWN

Nine Bruins hail from the Nashville area and the surrounding suburbs: Sam Kirkpatrick (Franklin), Sam Slaughter (Smyrna), Aaron Hubbell (Mt. Juliet), Blake Barton (Franklin), Ethan Harden (Franklin), Jordan Zuger (Hendersonville), Jack Rando (Brentwood), Caleb Guisewite (Greenbrier), and Cade Granzow (Franklin)

NEW GUYS

This year's team features 18 newcomers, making up more than half of the 35 members of the team. The 18 additions marks the most new players to a Dave Jarvis-coached team since he took over the program in 1998.

ON THE BACK OF DEFENSE

Belmont finished 4th in NCAA Division I in fielding percentage last year (.983), trailing only Texas, Houston, and East Carolina. The Bruins committed only 37 errors, tied for the second-fewest in the country

RUNNING AWAY WITH IT

Guy Lipscomb turned in one of the great individual seasons in program history last year on the way to being the highest-drafted Bruin since 1975. Lipscomb was taken with the No. 151 overall pick in the fifth round of the 2022 MLB First-Year Player Draft by the Cleveland Guardians. The sophomore center fielder was an All-American and the OVC Player of the Year after batting .406 with with 42 stolen bases, becoming the first player in NCAA Division I to hit .400 with at least 40 stolen bases since 2011.

POWER SURGE

Belmont hit six home runs in their seven-inning, 11-4 win over UT Martin on Feb. 19, their most home runs in a game since hitting 12 dingers against UT Martin in a 34-10 win in 2015

DEFEND THE ROSE

Belmont was 21-10 at home last year, and have had a winning record at home in each of the last three seasons, going 46-23 over that span (.667)

TOP TEN CONFERENCE

The Valley ranked 9th nationally in conference RPI last season behind the SEC, ACC, Big 12, Pac-12, Conference USA, Sun Belt, American and Big Ten.

Since the 2011 season, the Missouri Valley Conference has ranked among the Top 10 leagues nationally in RPI in nine of the 11 seasons. In fact, The Valley has ranked among the top seven conferences in seven of those 11 seasons.

RED-HOT CAPTAIN KIRK

Junior transfer shortstop Sam Kirkpatrick has started his Bruin career sizzling at the plate, going 15-for-33 (.455) with two doubles, a home run, and three bunt base hits

MILESTONES

MILESTONES	
NCAA-ERA RUNS BATTED IN	
4. Nate Woods (2008-11)	172
5. Dylan Craig (2009-12)	139
Derek Hamblen (2008-11)	139
Kane Simmons (2004-07)	139
8. Matt Zeblo (2008-11)	133
9. Nick Egli (2014-17)	130
10. Tyler Walsh (2014-17)	129
Brodey Heaton (2020-present)	121
NCAA-ERA CAREER WINS	
1. Chase Brookshire (2010-13)	25
2. Cody Blackard (2002-05)	22
Matt Hamann (2008-12)	22
4. Nate Woods (2008-11)	20
Dan Ludwig (2012-15)	20
6. James Buckelew (2011-14)	19
Kyle Brennan (2018-22)	19
8. Joshua South (2018-22)	18
Josh Davis (2010-13)	18
9. Justin Jordan (2002-05)	17
Tyler Vaughn (2015-18)	17

ALL-TIME CAREER WINNING PERCENTAGE

15

Andy Bean (2020-present)

1. Austin Coley (2012-14)	.928 (13-1)
2. Jeff Cornett (1974-77)	.800 (16-4)
3. Greg Kilgore (1976-79)	.765 (26-8)
4. Andy Bean (2020-present)	.750 (15-5)
5. Brandon Paetznick (2003-07	7).733 (11-4)

ALL-TIME HOME RUNS

4. Wilson Tucker (2004-07)	32
5. Kane Simmons (2004-07)	30
6. Dan Soukup (2001-04)	29
7. Derek Hamblen (2008-11)	26
Brennan Washington (2014-17)	26
Jerry Wheeler (1976-79)	26
10. Clay Peterson (2002-05)	25
Matt Beaty (2012-15)	25
Hunter Holland (2016-19)	25

Brodey Heaton (2020-present)

QUICK HITS

RETURNING BRUIN PRODUCTION

PCT OF INNINGS PITCHED
RETURNING:
63.6%
(328/515)

PCT OF STRIKEOUTS RETURNING: 64.1% (279/435)

> PCT OF HITS RETURNING: 21.9% (125/569)

PCT OF HOME RUNS RETURNING: 26.4% (14/53)

TEAM COMPARISON

BELMONT	2023	KANSAS
3-6	W/L	5-2
.240	AVG	.269
.304	ОВР	.373
.413	SLG	.502
4.67	RUNS/GAME	7.71
17	2B	18 (45th)
11 (52nd)	HR	11 (52nd)
4-6	SB	1-2
5.59	ERA	3.71
9.4	K/9	10.00
5.96	BB/9	5.00
.963	FLD	.992 (7th)
5	DP	5

*(NCAA Division I rank out of 293 teams)

BRUIN ON THE WORLD STAGE

Former Belmont catcher Jamie Ritchie (2012-2014)was selected to Great Britain's national team roster for the 2023 World Baseball Classic, becoming the first Bruin to participate in the event. Ritchie has played for eight seasons in the minor leagues after being drafted in the 13th round of the 2014 MLB First-Year Player Draft by the Houston Astros. This past offseason, Ritchie signed a minor league deal with the Toronto Blue Jays.

BELMONT'S MLB CHAMPION

Former Belmont Baseball All-American Matt Beaty ('15) became the first Bruin alum to win a World Series title when he was a member of the Los Angeles Dodgers in 2020. The Dresden, Tenn. native is the second Belmont alum to win a World Championship in professional sports, with former Belmont Basketball player Ian Clark winning an NBA Championship in 2017 as a member of the Golden State Warriors. Beaty became the first Belmont player to play in a Major League Baseball game since Dwight Bernard in 1978, making his Major League debut on April 30, 2019. Beaty was traded to the San Diego Padres on March 28, 2022 and signed with the Kansas City Royals on January 10, 2023.

SINGING STARS

Not only has Belmont alumni made its name in the professional baseball ranks, but they have shined as stars off the field. Florida Georgia Line's Brian Kelley pitched for the Bruins from 2008-09, compiling 109 strikeouts. Judah Akers, the lead singer of Judah and the Lion, earned All-Atlantic Sun honors and was named the 2012 Atlantic Sun Tournament MVP to help Belmont to its second straight NCAA Tournament.

FROM HERE TO ANYWHERE

Several of Belmont Baseball's alumni have gone onto success in coaching. Vanderbilt Football's head coach Clark Lea was a member of the Bruins in 2002, hitting .400 in his lone season. Packy Elkins now serves as the run production coach for the St. Louis Cardinals, where he played at Belmont from 2007-10 and hit .327 in his senior season. Grace Christian Academy's Brad Myers was inducted into the Tennessee Baseball Coaches Association Hall of Fame in January 2022. He played for Belmont from 1989-92.

MULTIPLE TEAMS AGAIN

For the 27th time in 41 seasons, multiple MVC baseball teams were selected as part of the field of 64 teams to play for the 2022 College World Series title. It was the seventh time in eight seasons the MVC has placed multiple teams into the NCAA field. Since the 1981 season (41 seasons), the MVC has placed multiple teams into the NCAA Tournament 27 times (66%). On seven occasions (1990, 1995, 1999, 2000, 2012, 2015, 2019) the MVC has put three teams into the NCAA field.

SCOUTING THE JAYHAWKS

- --Kansas is out to a 5-2 start, with series wins over Valparaiso and Oakland
- --The Jayhawks rank 7th in the country in fielding percentage, having only committed two errors in seven games
- --Kansas is in their first year under head coach Dan Fitzgerald, who was previously an assistant coach at LSU and Dallas Baptist
- --The Jayhawks lost one of the top players in the country last year to the transfer portal, with All-American shortstop Maui Ahuna leaving for Tennessee
- --Perfect Game ranked Kansas' junior college recruiting class the No. 1 class in the country. Kansas brought in eight highly-touted juco players ahead of this season

2023 BELMONT BRUINS

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No. Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown (Last School)
1 Chase Katafias	OF	R/R	5-11	190	SO.	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS)
2 Brodey Heaton	INF	R/R	6-5	235	JR	Newburgh, Ind. (Castle HS)
3 Drew Lowry	INF/OF	R/R	6-2	195	JR	Signal Mountain, Tenn, (Signal Mountain HS)
4 Simon Tesh	RHP	R/R	6-4	220	FR	Knoxville, Tenn. (Christian Academy Knoxville)
5 Sam Kirkpatrick	INF	R/R	5-10	195	JR	Franklin, Tenn. (College of Holy Cross)
6 Kaden Galason	JNF	R/R	6-0	175	FR	Kathleen, Ga. (Houston County HS)
7 Andy Bean	LHP	L/L	5-11	185	JR	Fisherville, Tenn. (St. George's HS)
8 Jeff Clarke	OF	L/R	6-1	190	JR	Irving, Texas (Fort Scott CC)
9 Sam Slaughter	OF	L/R	6-1	200	JR	Smyrna, Tenn. (Calhoun CC)
10 Blake Barton	С	R/R	6-0	200	SO	Franklin, Tenn. (Grace Christian Academy)
11 Aaron Hubbell	RHP	R/R	6-3	215	SR	Mt. Juliet, Tenn. (Wilson Central HS)
13 Ethan Harden	P/OF	R/L	6-0	180	F.R	Franklin, Tenn. (Battle Ground Academy)
14 Caleb Guisewite	RHP	R/R	6-2	190	SO	Greenbrier, Tenn. (White House Heritage HS)
15 Max Jones	INF	R/R	6-2	210	JR	Pekin, III. (Illinois Central College)
17 Heath Owen	C	R/R	6-0	180	F.R	Marietta, Ga. (Pope HS)
18 Dalton Wasson	P/INF	R/R	6-1	200	FR	Monroeville, Ind. (Heritage HS)
20 Wyatt Fooks	OF.	R/R	6-0	195	FR	Hoschton, Ga. (Mountain View HS)
23 Jordan Zuger	RHP	R/R	6-3	205	SO	Hendersonville, Tenn. (Hendersonville HS)
25 Joe Ruzicka	RHP	R/R	6-3	180	FR	Webster Groves, Mo. (Webster Groves HS)
26 Jett Thielke	RHP	R/R	6-6	215	JR	Suamico, Wisc. (Madison College)
27 Will Pryor	RHP	R/R	6-2	205		Whitwell, Tenn. (Marion County HS)
28 Kaden Wu	С	R/R	5-11	200	FR	Mercer Island, Wa. (Mercer Island HS)
29 Mason Landers	INF	R/R	6-0	230	SO	Shelbyville, Tenn. (Shelbyville HS)
31 Jake Timbes	RHP	R/R	6-2	165	FR	Kingsport, Tenn. (Dobyns Bennett HS)
32 Jalen Borders	LHP	R/L	6-7	240	JR	Alexandria, Ala. (Alexandria HS)
33 Max Blessinger	OF	R/R	5-11	190	JR	La Crescenta, Calif. (Pasadena City College)
34 Cade Rogers	INF	R/R	6-0	210	SO	Jonesboro, Ark. (Valley View HS)
35 Ryan Schneider	LHP	L/L	6-2	175	FR	Hayden, Idaho (Coeur D'Alene HS)
36 Dominic Baratta	LHP	L/L	6-0	200		Dunedin, Fla. (Eastern FL State College)
38 Carter Park	RHP	R/R	6-1	195		Eads, Tenn. (St. George's HS)
39 Jack Rando	INF	R/R	5-8	175		Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood HS)
40 Cade Granzow	RHP	R/R	6-3	225	SO	Franklin, Tenn. (Auburn)
41 Austin Krider	C	R/R	5-9	170		Pensacola, Fla. (West FL Advanced Tech)
44 Phillip Pritchett	LHP	L/L	6-1	190	FR	Indianapolis, Ind. (Franklin Central HS)

COACHING STAFF

HEAD COACH:Dave Jarvis (26th season)ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH:Aaron Smith (14th season)PITCHING COACH:A.J. Gaura (2nd season)VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT:Corvin Scott (2nd season)

ATHLETIC TRAINER: Brock Potter
STRENGTH/CONDITIONING: Jarrett Thompson
OPERATIONS: Michael Zito
VIDEO/ANALYTICS: Nathanael Rorie

1st Base: Corvin Scott | 3rd Base: Aaron Smith

Pitching Changes: A.J. Gaura

PROI	NUNCIATION GUIDE
#1	Chase Katafias (Cat-uh-FYE-iss)
#6	Kaden Galason (GAL-uh-sun)
#17	Caleb Guisewite (Guys-white)
#18	Dalton Wasson (Woss-un)
#20	Wyatt Fooks (rhymes with "books")
#23	Jordan Zuger (rhymes with "Ruger")
#25	Joe Ruzicka (Roo-ZISS-kuh)
#26	Jett Thielke (TILL-key)
#31	Jake Timbes (Tims)
#33	Max Blessinger (BLESS-in-jer)
#36	Dominic Baratta (Buh-ROT-uh)

#40 Cade Granzow (GRAN-zoh)

A.J. Gaura (Gore-uh)

Austin Krider (CRY-dur)

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RADIO/TV ROSTER



Chase Katafias So. • OF • 5-11 Ladera Ranch,



Heaton Jr. • 1B • 6-5 Newburgh, Ind.



Lowry Jr. • INF/OF • 6-2 Signal Mountain, Tenn.



Tesh Fr. • RHP • 6-4 Knoxville, Tenn.



Kirkpatrick Jr. • INF • 5-10 Franklin, Tenn.



Kaden Galason Fr. • INF • 6-0 Kathleen, Ga.



Andy Bean Jr. • LHP • 6-0 Fisherville, Tenn.



Jeff Clarke Jr. • OF • 6-1 Irving, Texas



Slam Slaughter Jr. • OF • 6-1 Smryna, Tenn.



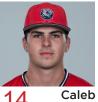
Blake 11 **Barton** So. • C • 6-0 Franklin, Tenn.



Aaron Hubbell Sr. • RHP • 6-3 Mt. Juliet, Tenn.



Harden So. • P/OF • 6-0 Franklin, Tenn.



Guisewite So. • RHP • 6-2 Greenbrier, Tenn.



Max **Jones** Jr. • INF • 6-2 Pekin, III.



Heath Owen Fr. • C • 6-0 Marietta, Ga.



Dalton 20 18 Wasson Fr. • P/INF • 6-1 Monroeville, Ind.



Wyatt 23 Fooks Fr. • OF • 6-0



Jordan 25 Zuger So. • RHP • 6-3



Ruzicka Fr. • RHP • 6-3 Hoschton, Ga. Hendersonville, Tenn. Webster Groves, Mo.



26 Jett Thielke Jr. • RHP • 6-6 Suamico, Wisc.



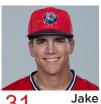
Pryor Fr. • RHP • 6-2 Whitwell, Tenn.



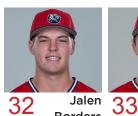
Wu Fr. • C • 5-11 Mercer Island, Wa.



Mason Landers Jr. • INF • 6-1 Shelbyville, Tenn.



Timbes Fr. • RHP • 6-2 Kingsport, Tenn.



Borders Jr. • LHP • 6-7 Alexandria, Ala.



Max 34 Blessinger Jr. • OF • 5-11 La Crescenta,



Rogers So. • INF • 6-0 Jonesboro, Ark.



Ryan Schneider Fr. • LHP • 6-2 Hayden, Idaho



Dominic 38 **Baratta** Jr. • LHP • 6-1 Dunedin, Fla.



Park Jr. • RHP • 6-1



Rando Jr. • INF • 5-8 Eads, Tenn Brentwood, Tenn. Brentwood, Tenn.



Jack 40 Cade 41 Granzow Jr. • RHP • 6-3



Austin 44 Krider So. • C • 5-9 Pensacola, Fla.



Phillip **Pritchett** Fr. • LHP • 6-1 Indianapolis, Ind.



Dave Jarvis

26th Season



Aaron Smith 14th Season



Gaura

2nd Season



Corvin Scott 2nd Season

HEAD COACH | DAVE JARVIS



CAREER | 1,034-797-2

Belmont (1998-present): 710-645-2

Three Rivers (1985-93): 324-152

2 NCAA Tournaments

4 Conference Championships

12 Conf. Tournament Appearances

26th Year at Belmont

29 Professional Baseball Players

Belmont

Season	W/L	Postseason
1998	23-21-1 (.522)	
1999	28-24 (.538)	
2000	27-25 (.519)	
2001	30-23 (.586)	
2002	22-30 (.423)	
2003	29-23 (.558)	Atlantic Sun Tournament
2004	31-23 (.574)	
2005	28-26 (.519)	
2006	24-31 (.436)	
2007	34-26 (.567)	Atlantic Sun Championship
2008	25-33 (.431)	Atlantic Sun Tournament
2009	29-29 (.500)	Atlantic Sun Tournament
2010	27-27 (.500)	
2011	38-26 (.594)	ASUN Champions, NCAA Regional
2012	39-24 (.619)	ASUN Champions, NCAA Regional
2013	38-20 (.655)	OVC Tournament
2014	24-30-1 (.445)	
2015	29-29 (.500)	OVC Tournament
2016	33-27 (.550)	OVC Tournament
2017	31-29 (.517)	OVC Tournament
2018	19-36 (.345)	
2019	27-30 (.474)	OVC Tournament
2020	14-3 (.824)	
2021	22-30 (.423)	
2022	39-20 (.661)	OVC Regular Season Champions

Entering his 26th season at the helm of Belmont's baseball program and 41st year of coaching overall, head coach Dave Jarvis has cultivated a rich program that's seen success both on the field and in the classroom. Jarvis has led the Bruins since their inception as a NCAA Division I institution in 1998, leading Belmont to four conference championships and its two NCAA Tournament berths in 2011 and 2012.

TOTAL: 710-645-2

As a coach, Jarvis has culminated an overall record of 1,034-797-2 in 34 years as a head coach and helped produce nine seasons in which the Bruins garnered 30 or more wins. The team constructed a program-best 39 wins during both the 2012 and 2022 seasons.

Not only has Jarvis lifted Belmont Baseball to new heights, but he is also in elite company in NCAA Division I baseball. Jarvis is one of just 16 active head coaches to record 700 or more Division I wins at their current school.

Jarvis has developed 29 players from Belmont who have gone on to play professional baseball, including current San Diego Padres infielder/outfielder Matt Beaty and 2022 MLB Draft pick Guy Lipscomb, who was selected No. 151 overall by the Cleveland Guardians to become the highest draft selection in program history. In addition to his on-field success, Jarvis has helped his players excel in

the classroom. Following the 2021-22 academic year, a league-high 30 Belmont baseball players were named to the OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll.

During the 2022 season, Belmont secured their first OVC Regular Season championship by finishing conference play with an 18-6 mark, tying the program record for both regular season wins (37) and total wins (39). The Bruins swept the conference's major awards, with Jarvis earning OVC Coach of the Year, Guy Lipscomb earning OVC Player of the Year, and Andy Bean taking home OVC Pitcher of the Year. On April 22-24, the Bruins swept Purdue on the road, the program's first-ever road sweep of a Power Five opponent.

The Bruins boasted one of the top defenses in the country in 2022, finishing 4th in NCAA Division I in fielding percentage (.983) with first baseman Brodey Heaton being named one of three finalists for the 2022 Rawlings Gold Glove Award, given annually to the top defender at each position. Guy Lipscomb turned in one of the best individual season in program history, setting program records for batting average (.406) and stolen bases (42) on the way to Third-Team All-American status and towards becoming the first player in NCAA Division I since 2011 to hit over .400 and steal at least 40 bags.

Lipscomb and Bean earned First-Team All-Conference honors while Heaton, Jalen Borders, and Kyle Brennan picked up Second-Team All-Conference recognition in 2022

Jarvis recorded his 1,000th career win on February 23, 2022 with an 11-1 victory over Middle Tennessee. On April 26, 2022, Jarvis picked up his 700th win at Belmont with an 8-2 victory at Evansville.

Jarvis developed 28 players from Belmont who have gone on to play professional baseball, including current Los Angeles Dodgers infielder/outfielder Matt Beaty. In addition to his on-field success, Jarvis has helped his players excel in the classroom. Following the 2019-20 academic year, 21 Belmont baseball players were named to the OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll.

The 2020 Belmont Bruins finished the season receiving votes in the final two weeks of the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association Top 30 poll, posting the 17th-highest win-loss percentage in NCAA Baseball with an .824 mark. The Bruins were also 18th in the country in total home runs with 20.

In 2011, Belmont beat Oklahoma State and Troy in the Baton Rouge Regional, marking the first time in program history that the Bruins won an NCAA tournament game in any sport. Concluding the landmark season, Jarvis was named the TBCA College Coach of the Year. The previous year carved another program-best when Belmont started the season with a perfect 10-0 start.

Belmont toppled its first ranked opponent in 2001 when Jarvis' squad beat then-No. 13 ranked Georgia, who would be an eventual College World Series participant. Since then the Bruins have beaten multiple ranked opponents.

Jarvis fine-tuned his coaching ability with a nine-year stint as head coach at Three Rivers Community College in Poplar Bluff, Mo. from 1985-93. With Jarvis at the helm, the Raiders were consistently ranked in the National Junior College Athletic Association top 20 poll, highlighted by a No. 4 ranking in 1992.

Jarvis broke into NCAA Division I baseball as an assistant with Murray State in the fall of 1993. At Murray State, he was primarily responsible for the instruction of hitters and catchers as well as teaching base running skills. Jarvis also used his extensive junior college network to create a recruiting pipeline for the Racers.

He finished his playing career at Arkansas State as the starting catcher and team captain. The Missouri native earned a bachelor's degree in education and later received his master's in education, both at Arkansas State.

A dedicated family man, Jarvis has three sons, Jordan, Logan, and Jackson. The family resides in Franklin, Tenn.

COACHING STAFF



Aaron Smith • Associate Head Coach

Aaron Smith enters his 14th season at Belmont and his fourth as associate head coach in 2022-2023. Smith's main duties entail working with the infielders, hitters, coaching third base and heading up the recruitment of student-athletes. In addition, Smith assists with the camp instruction and the administration of the Belmont Fall Instructional League.

In his first 13 years at Belmont, Smith has coached 35 First and Second Team All-Conference players, including an Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Year and two Atlantic Sun Conference Tournament MVPs. In all, 23 former Belmont players have gone on to play professional baseball since Smith arrived in Nashville.

Under Smith's guidance, Belmont was one of the best fielding teams in the country in 2022 on the way to a 39-win season and an OVC Regular Season championship, finishing fourth in NCAA Division I with an incredible .983 fielding percentage. The Bruins trailed only Texas, Houston, and East Carolina in that category, committing just 37 errors, tied for the second-fewest in the country.

First baseman Brodey Heaton had a career year in 2022, becoming one of three finalists for the Rawlings Gold Glove Award, given annually to the top defender at each position.

Smith's development for hitters allowed outfielder Guy Lipscomb to have one of the best seasons in the nation, with the center fielder finishing 9th in the country in batting average (.406) and 4th in the country in stolen bases (42), becoming the first player in NCAA Division I since 2011 to hit at least .400 and steal at least 40 bases. Lipscomb earned OVC Player of the Year honors, All-Region honors, and Third Team All-American honors before being selected in the fifth round in the 2022 MLB First-Year Player Draft by the Cleveland Guardians, the highest Bruin draft pick since 1975.

From 2009-2012 coach Smith served as a volunteer assistant at Belmont. During this time he worked with the outfielders and coached first base. He also was instrumental in the coordination of the base running scheme that has been a staple of the Bruin program.

Before coming to Belmont, Smith assisted at Trevecca Nazarene University for three years working with the outfielders, catchers and hitters. Prior to Trevecca, Smith coached one year Motlow State Community College and spent two years at Riverdale High School.



A.J. Gaura • Pitching Coach

A.J. Gaura enters his second season as the Belmont pitching coach in 2022-2023 after being introduced to the Bruins' staff on Jan. 3, 2022.

Gaura's first season in the dugout for the Bruins resulted in Belmont owning the best pitching staff in the Ohio Valley Conference, leading the league in ERA (4.59) with the runner-up nearly a full run behind (5.52). Belmont was also first in the conference in opponent batting average (.253), first in wins (39), first in saves (18), second in home runs allowed (60), and third in walks allowed (217).

With Gaura's guidance, the Bruins owned one of the best weekend rotations in the country, with OVC Pitcher of the Year Andy Bean and Second-Team All-Conference selection Jalen Borders bookending two-time OVC Preseason Pitcher of the Year Joshua South. Bean, Borders, and South were all in the top-10 in the Ohio Valley Conference in ERA, in the top-5 in opponent batting average, in the top-7 in innings pitched, and in the top-10 in strikeouts.

Under Gaura's tutelage, Bean earned Belmont's first-ever OVC Pitcher of the Year honor after going 9-1 with a 4.64 ERA and 75 strikeouts in 2022, to help lead the Bruins to their first OVC Regular Season Championship.

In the bullpen, reliever Kyle Brennan enjoyed a record-breaking year as the Bruin closer, finishing 4th in the country in saves (14) while breaking the program's all-time career record for saves (31). Gaura's efforts with reliever Dusty Baird resulted in the right-hander developing finishing the season on a scorching stretch that saw him allow just one run over his final 13 innings, before signing a professional contract with the Rocky Mountain Vibes of the Pioneer League.

A native of Suamico, Wisconsin, Gaura arrived at Belmont after three seasons as the pitching coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of Evansville.



Corvin Scott • Assistant Coach

Corvin Scott enters his second season as the volunteer assistant coach on the Bruin staff in 2022-2023 after being introduced on Jan. 25, 2022. Scott primarily works with the outfielders and is also the first base coach, additionally helping spearhead the Belmont Baseball Camps.

In 2022, Scott helped develop the talents of center fielder Guy Lipscomb, who finished 9th in the country in batting average (.406) and 4th in stolen bases (42) on the way to Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Year honors, an All-Region selection, and Third-Team All-American honors before being drafted in the fifth round in the 2022 MLB First-Year Player Draft by the Cleveland Guardians, becoming the highest draft pick in program history.

A Nashville native who played at East Nashville High School (2011-14), Scott graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Leisure, Sport and Tourism Studies from Middle Tennessee State in 2018 and went on to earn a Master of Arts in Sports Management and Administration from Campbellsville in the fall of 2021.

2023 STATISTICS



2023 Belmont Baseball Overall Statistics for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) (All games Sorted by Batting avg)



Record: 3-6 Home: 2-3 Away: 1-3 Conference: 0-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so g	jdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	ро	а	е	fld%
KIRKPATRICK, Sam	.455	9-9	33	7	15	2	0	1	6	20	.606	1	0	2	0	.471	0	2	1-1	5	12	3	.850
LANDERS, Mason	.303	9-9	33	7	10	2	0	4	10	24	.727	3	0	9	0	.361	0	0	0-0	12	14	1	.963
BARTON, Blake	.281	9-8	32	8	9	4	0	2	4	19	.594	2	0	4	1	.324	0	0	0-0	72	2	1	.987
LOWRY, Drew	.240	8-8	25	2	6	4	0	0	3	10	.400	1	0	5	0	.269	0	0	1-1	10	0	0	1.000
BLESSINGER, Max	.219	9-9	32	4	7	1	0	1	3	11	.344	3	0	6	0	.278	1	0	0-0	22	0	1	.957
HEATON, Brodey	.188	8-8	32	3	6	2	0	1	5	11	.344	2	0	15	0	.229	1	0	0-0	51	2	0	1.000
SLAUGHTER, Sam	.185	9-7	27	1	5	0	0	1	5	8	.296	1	0	12	0	.214	0	0	0-1	1	0	0	1.000
HARDEN, Ethan	.152	9-9	33	1	5	2	0	0	1	7	.212	1	0	10	0	.171	1	0	0-1	15	3	1	.947
RANDO, Jack	.143	9-9	28	6	4	0	0	1	2	7	.250	6	3	4	0	.351	0	0	2-2	19	14	3	.917
KATAFIAS, Chase	1.000	2-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
CLARKE, Jeff	.250	3-2	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.250	1	1	3	0	.500	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
ROGERS, Cade	.000	3-2	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	0	2	0	.250	0	0	0-0	5	0	0	1.000
KRIDER, Austin	.000	2-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	8	0	0	1.000
JONES, Max	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
GALASON, Kaden	.000	2-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
OWEN, Heath	.000	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	.240	9	288	42	69	17	0	11	39	119	.413	24	4	73	1	.304	3	2	4-6	222	65	11	.963
Opponents	.267	9	285	58	76	15	1	14	54	135	.474	49	10	77	4	.390	2	4	11-13	225	82	9	.972

LOB - Team (54), Opp (70). DPs turned - Team (5), Opp (2). IBB - Team (0), Opp (2). Picked off - Rando 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app gs	сg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk s	sfa	<u>sha</u>
BEAN, Andy	5.91	0-2	2 2	0	0/0	0	10.2	10	11	7	5	10	0	1	3	.244	2	2	0	0	0
TESH, Simon	0.00	0-0	1 0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0
HUBBELL, Aaron	0.00	0-0	1 0	0	0/0	0	1.0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
HARDEN, Ethan	1.80	1-0	3 0	0	0/0	0	5.0	3	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	.176	0	0	0	0	0
THIELKE, Jett	2.84	0-0	4 0	0	0/0	0	6.1	5	3	2	4	5	1	0	0	.217	1	0	0	0	1
TIMBES, Jake	3.00	0-0	3 0	0	0/0	0	3.0	4	2	1	6	3	0	0	0	.333	1	0	0	0	0
GUISEWITE, Caleb	3.86	1-0	4 0	0	0/0	0	7.0	9	7	3	2	11	2	0	2	.300	0	1	0	0	0
GRANZOW, Cade	4.26	0-1	3 0	0	0/0	0	6.1	6	3	3	5	7	2	0	1	.273	2	2	0	0	1
PRYOR, Will	4.91	0-0	3 0	0	0/0	0	7.1	10	4	4	3	7	1	0	1	.333	2	2	0	1	1
BARATTA, Dominic	5.62	0-1	2 2	0	0/0	0	8.0	6	5	5	8	8	1	0	2	.207	4	0	0	0	0
ZUGER, Jordan	8.64	1-1	2 2	0	0/0	0	8.1	11	8	8	3	5	4	0	4	.314	1	0	0	0	0
RUZICKA, Joe	9.00	0-0	2 2	0	0/0	0	5.0	4	6	5	6	7	0	0	1	.211	0	1	0	0	0
BORDERS, Jalen	12.27	0-1	1 1	0	0/0	0	3.2	5	5	5	2	9	2	0	0	.313	0	2	0	0	0
WASSON, Dalton	13.50	0-0	1 0	0	0/0	0	1.1	3	2	2	1	1	2	0	0	.600	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	5.59	3-6	9 9	0	0/0	0	74.0	76	58	46	49	77	15	1	14	.267	14	10	0	2	4
Opponents	4.44	6-3	9 9	0	1/1	3	75.0	69	42	37	24	73	17	0	11	.240	5	4	1	3	2

PB - Team (1), Barton 1, Opp (1). Pickoffs - Team (5), Harden 1, Zuger 1, Barton 1, Guisewite 1, Bean 1, Opp (1). SBA/ATT - Barton (11-11), Ruzicka (3-3), Thielke (2-2), Hubbell (2-2), Bean (1-2), Pryor (1-1), Guisewite (1-1), Timbes (1-1), Harden (0-1).

GAMES SUMMARY



2023 Belmont Baseball Games Summary for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) (All games)



Score by innings Belmont Opponents	1 2 2	2 5 10	3 10 8	4 5 13	5 2 7	6 5 4	7 6 4	8 6 8	9 1 2	Total 42 58		
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Record when trail Inn. 1 2 W-L 0-1 0-4	5 0-	5 ·5	6 0-5	7 0-5	5	8 0-5						
Record when tied Inn. 1 2 W-L 3-4 2-3	3	4 2-0	5 2-		6 2-1	7 1-0)	8 0-0				
Current winning streak: 1 Longest winning streak: 2 Longest losing streak: 4												

Home attendance : 682 (4 dates avg = 170) Away attendance : 8725 (4 dates avg = 2181) Total attendance: 9407 (8 dates avg = 1175)

MISCELLANEOUS STATS



2023 Belmont Baseball Miscellaneous Stats for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) (All games)



Multiple Hit Games	2	3	4	5+	Total
KIRKPATRICK, Sam	2	3	-	-	5
LANDERS, Mason	2	1	-	-	3
BARTON, Blake	1	1	-	-	2
LOWRY, Drew	2	-	-	-	2
SLAUGHTER, Sam	2	-	-	-	2
HEATON, Brodey	1	-	-	-	1
BLESSINGER, Max	-	1	-	-	1
TEAM	10	6	0	0	16

Multiple RBI Games	2	3	4	5+	Total
LANDERS, Mason	-	3	-	-	3
KIRKPATRICK, Sam	2	-	-	-	2
LOWRY, Drew	1	-	-	-	1
SLAUGHTER, Sam	1	-	-	-	1
BLESSINGER, Max	-	1	-	-	1
HEATON, Brodey	1	-	-	-	1
TEAM	5	4	0	0	9

Hitting Streaks	Longest	Current
LANDERS, Mason	4	2
BLESSINGER, Max	4	-
HARDEN, Ethan	4	-
KIRKPATRICK, Sam	3	2
LOWRY, Drew	2	1
HEATON, Brodey	2	2
BARTON, Blake	2	2
RANDO, Jack	2	2
SLAUGHTER, Sam	1	-
CLARKE, Jeff	1	1
KATAFIAS, Chase	1	1

Reached Base Streaks	Longest	Current
BLESSINGER, Max	6	1
LANDERS, Mason	5	3
RANDO, Jack	5	3
HARDEN, Ethan	4	=
BARTON, Blake	3	2
HEATON, Brodey	3	2
KIRKPATRICK, Sam	3	2
CLARKE, Jeff	2	2
LOWRY, Drew	2	1
SLAUGHTER, Sam	1	1
ROGERS, Cade	1	=
KATAFIAS, Chase	1	1
GALASON, Kaden	1	1

STARTING LINEUP BY



2023 Belmont Baseball Miscellaneous Stats for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) (All games)



Starting Lineup By Position (Team W-L record when starter)

PITCHER:		
BARATTA, Dominic BEAN, Andy RUZICKA, Joe ZUGER, Jordan BORDERS, Jalen	2 2 2 2 1	(1-1) (0-2) (1-1) (1-1) (0-1)
CATCHER:	_	. ,
BARTON, Blake KRIDER, Austin FIRST BASE:	8 1	(2-6) (1-0)
HEATON, Brodey ROGERS, Cade	8 1	(2-6) (1-0)
SECOND BASE: RANDO, Jack THIRD BASE:	9	(3-6)
LANDERS, Mason SHORTSTOP:	9	(3-6)
KIRKPATRICK, Sam LEFT FIELD:	9	(3-6)
LOWRY, Drew CLARKE, Jeff CENTER FIELD:	8 1	(3-5) (0-1)
BLESSINGER, Max RIGHT FIELD:	9	(3-6)
HARDEN, Ethan DESIGNATED HITTER:	9	(3-6)
SLAUGHTER, Sam ROGERS, Cade CLARKE, Jeff	7 1 1	(3-4) (0-1) (0-1)

Starting Lineup By Lineup Spot (Team W-L record when starter)

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STARTERS SUMMARY



2023 Belmont Baseball Miscellaneous Stats for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) (All games)



STARTERS SUMMARY

		Position							Batting Order												
Player	GS	р	С	1b	2b	3b	SS	lf	cf	rf	of	dh	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
BLESSINGER, Max	9								9					1			4	4			
RANDO, Jack	9				9								8						1		
KIRKPATRICK, Sa	9						9						1	3				1	4		
LANDERS, Mason	9					9									1	8					
HARDEN, Ethan	9									9				5							4
BARTON, Blake	8		8														5	3			
LOWRY, Drew	8							8												5	3
HEATON, Brodey	8			8											7	1					
SLAUGHTER, Sam	7											7						1	4	2	
BARATTA, Domini	2	2																			
BEAN, Andy	2	2																			
ZUGER, Jordan	2	2																			
ROGERS, Cade	2			1								1			1					1	
CLARKE, Jeff	2							1				1								1	1
RUZICKA, Joe	2	2																			
KRIDER, Austin	1		1																		1
BORDERS, Jalen	1	1											.								

BELMONT GAME-BY-GAME

2023 Belmont Baseball Team Game-by-Game for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) Batting (All games)

Date	Opponent	ab	r	h	rbi	2b	3b	hr	tb	bb	ibb	sb	cs	hbps	ас	sf	gdp	k	ро	а	е	lob	avg
Feb 18	UT MARTIN	26	2	6	2	1	0	0	7	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	9	21	8	3	7	.231
Feb 18	UT MARTIN	37	3	9	2	4	0	0	13	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	27	6	0	9	.238
Feb 19	UT MARTIN	31	11	14	11	3	0	6	35	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5	21	5	1	6	.309
Feb 19	UT MARTIN	28	4	4	3	1	0	1	8	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	27	13	1	4	.270
Feb 21	WESTERN KENTU	38	7	10	7	2	0	0	12	4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	9	27	5	1	9	.269
Feb 24	at NC State	33	4	7	3	2	0	0	9	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	6	24	5	2	5	.259
Feb 25	at NC State	26	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10	24	4	1	3	.237
Feb 26	at NC State	34	1	6	1	1	0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	24	9	0	6	.229
Feb 28	at Middle Tennesse	35	10	11	10	3	0	3	23	5	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	9	27	10	2	5	.240
Totals		288	42	69	39	17	0	11	119	24	0	4	2	4	2	3	1	73	222	65	11	54	.240

2023 Belmont Baseball Team Game-by-Game for Belmont (as of Mar 01, 2023) Pitching (All games)

Date	Opponent	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	hbp	dp	ibb	score	w-l	sv	era
Feb 18	UT MARTIN	7.0	4	4	1	2	9	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	2-4	0-1	0	1.29
Feb 18	UT MARTIN	9.0	11	7	7	4	17	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3-7	0-2	0	4.50
Feb 19	UT MARTIN	7.0	7	4	4	1	6	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	11-4	1-2	0	4.70
Feb 19	UT MARTIN	9.0	5	2	1	7	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	4-2	2-2	0	3.66
Feb 21	WESTERN KENTU	9.0	11	9	8	8	13	3	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	7-9	2-3	0	4.61
Feb 24	at NC State	8.0	9	11	6	4	6	2	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	4-11	2-4	0	4.96
Feb 25	at NC State	8.0	8	7	6	6	6	3	0	3	3	0	2	0	0	0-7	2-5	0	5.21
Feb 26	at NC State	8.0	9	7	7	9	4	2	0	3	3	0	0	1	0	1-7	2-6	0	5.54
Feb 28	at Middle Tennesse	9.0	12	7	6	8	7	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	10-7	3-6	0	5.59
Totals		74.0	76	58	46	49	77	15	1	14	14	0	10	5	2	42-58	3-6	0	5.59

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20	23 Sta	nding	s As	of N	londay,	Feb.	27	
	IV.	MISSOURI	VALLEY			OVE	RALL	
	w	L	Pct.	GB	w	L	Pct.	Strk.
Missouri State	0	0	.000		5	2	.714	W4
Valparaiso	0	0	.000		4	2	.667	W3
uic	0	0	.000		4	3	.571	L2
Illinois State	0	0	.000		4	3	.571	L1
Bradley	0	0	.000		2	3	.400	W1
Southern Illinois	0	0	.000		3	5	.375	L2
Murray State	0	0	.000		2	5	.286	L1
Indiana State	0	0	.000		2	5 5	.286	L4
Evansville	0	0	.000		2 2 2		.286	W2
Belmont	0	0	.000		2	6	.250	L4

• Non-Conference: 30-39 • Home: 7-5 • Away: 18-26 • Neutral: 5-8 • Top-25: 0-4 • •



Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Week

Chase Hug, 5th, 1B, Evansville

Fifth-year 1B Chase Hug caught fire this week with three multi-hit games, while slashing .667/1.083/.778 in four games against Kentucky and Eastern Michigan. Hug opened the week going 2-for-3 with a walk at Kentucky on Tuesday, before exploding over the final two games of the series against Eastern Michigan to help power UE to a series victory. Hug went 4-for-5 with two doubles, a two-run home run and four RBI on Saturday to power UE to a 9-7 victory over EMU. Hug hit a two-run

home run and two-run double in UE's nine-run eighth-inning rally to win. In fact, Hug finished just a triple shy of the cycle, and if not for a runner in front of him during his two-run double in the eighth inning, he would have achieved it, as Hug had to stop at second as a runner was held at third on a ball down the right-field line. Hug also went 2-for-3 with two walks in Sunday's 5-3 victory over Eastern Michigan, and he finished the series reaching base safely in eight of his final nine plate appearances with six hits and two walks in nine trips to the plate.

Other Notable Performances: TJ Manteufel (BRAD); Auggie Rasmussen (ILS); Mike Sears (INS); Spencer Nivens (MOST): Carson Garner (MUR): Pier-Olivier Boucher (SIU): Nolan Tucker (VU)



Missouri Valley Conference Pitcher of the Week

Derek Salata, Sr., RHP, Illinois State

Derek Salata recorded his second win in as many starts with a 6 IP, 4 H, 1 ER, 12 K, 1 BB start in Illinois State's Friday victory. Salata cruised through the game's first five innings before giving up a solo home run in the 6th inning. Salata's 12 strikeouts are the most by a Redbird since Colton Johnson fanned 12 against Missouri in 2021. Salata struck out at least one batter in all six innings and K'd at least two in five innings.

Other Notable Performances: Jacob Kisting (BRAD); Cameron Holycross (INS); Hayden Minton (MOST); Bobby Nowak (VU)

Recent Results/

Upcoming Schedule
Tuesday, February 21 Indiana State vs. Florida Gulf Coast
Wednesday, February 22
Missouri State at Oral Roberts
Friday, February 24
Murray State at I AB. Belmort # 14 IVC State
Saturday, February 25
Indiana State vs. Northeastern
Sunday, February 26
Idiana State at Northeastern \$7
Tuesday, February 28
#12 Oklahoma State at Missouri State
Wednesday, March 1
Illinois State at #8 Arkansas 3 BM Kent State at Murray State 3 BM Evansylle at SEMOC at UT Martin 6 BM
Friday, March 3
Valuaraiso at Little Rock Valuaraiso at Little Rock Valuaraiso at Murray State. Valuaraiso at Valua
Saturday, March 4

at Evansville at Kentucky...

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Ohio at Southern Illinois..... Missouri State at Arkansas State..

Sunday, March 5

ALL TIMES CENTRAL











2022 STATISTICS



2022 Belmont Bruins Overall Statistics for Belmont (as of May 28, 2022) (All games Sorted by Batting avg)



Record: 39-20 Home: 21-10 Away: 16-8 Neutral: 2-2 Ohio Valley: 18-6

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	ро	а	e	fld%
2 LIPSCOMB, Guy	.406	57-57	217	59	88	13	3	4	42	119	.548	29	7	18	4	.484	3	1	42-48	132	2	2	.985
33 HEATON, Brodey	.325	59-59	243	42	79	19	4	13	62	145	.597	18	3	61	4	.376	2	0	9-11	516	28	2	.996
29 SHACKLETT, Cars	.316	55-50	174	40	55	11	0	4	25	78	.448	23	11	34	2	.426	1	1	5-6	51	0	1	.981
1 BEHRENDS, John	.286	59-59	224	52	64	18	1	7	42	105	.469	34	3	54	4	.378	6	0	20-25	139	5	2	.986
14 CAPOBIANCO, Jac	.277	52-51	159	30	44	7	1	4	22	65	.409	22	5	30	0	.380	1	4	1-1	82	102	2	.989
40 CRIDER, Tommy	.270	53-47	174	25	47	9	2	12	37	96	.552	13	7	41	2	.342	2	0	3-3	24	0	0	1.000
3 CAMPBELL, Jackso	.253	56-48	186	24	47	8	1	2	24	63	.339	11	0	40	2	.291	2	1	5-5	365	43	4	.990
28 JARVIS, Logan	.246	53-52	183	29	45	8	1	3	34	64	.350	31	6	46	3	.369	2	0	2-4	30	109	8	.946
18 TAYLOR, Grayson	.222	59-57	189	31	42	6	1	3	27	59	.312	16	8	52	1	.308	1	8	8-8	61	163	6	.974
31 WERTH, Jackson	.333	8-1	9	4	3	0	0	0	1	3	.333	0	0	4	0	.333	0	0	1-1	0	0	0	.000
10 BARTON, Blake	.290	20-8	31	8	9	1	0	0	1	10	.323	5	0	6	2	.389	0	0	2-2	59	1	0	1.000
16 LANDERS, Mason	.271	32-22	96	14	26	8	0	0	11	34	.354	7	0	18	2	.314	2	0	1-1	6	11	2	.895
11 LOWRY, Drew	.263	19-2	19	4	5	0	1	1	8	10	.526	3	0	3	0	.348	1	0	0-0	10	7	1	.944
15 LOVELL, Eddie	.188	15-3	16	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	.188	5	1	7	0	.409	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
4 HEDGES, Sam	.185	25-4	27	5	5	1	0	0	2	6	.222	3	0	6	1	.267	0	0	1-2	12	1	0	1.000
39 RANDO, Jack	.162	30-9	37	4	6	0	0	0	5	6	.162	8	1	6	1	.313	2	0	2-3	34	37	1	.986
8 EHREN, Austin	.059	34-2	17	7	1	1	0	0	0	2	.118	1	0	4	0	.111	0	1	0-0	4	1	0	1.000
41 KRIDER, Austin	.000	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
5 KATAFIAS, Chase	.000	2-0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	2	0	.333	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
20 HARDEN, Ethan	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	3	0	1.000
Totals	.284	59	2006	380	569	110	15	53	343	868	.433	230	52	433	28	.368	25	16	102-120	1547	581	37	.983
Opponents	.253	59	1935	284	489	82	8	60	267	767	.396	217	49	435	29	.341	16	26	38-55	1511	476	65	.968

LOB - Team (439), Opp (412). DPs turned - Team (42), Opp (32). CI - Team (0), Opp (1).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk s	fa s	sha_
38 PARK, Carter	0.00	0-0	1 0	0	0/0	0	0.1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
32 BORDERS, Jalen	3.04	5-2	15 15	0	0/2	0	80.0	70	31	27	42	61	14	1	5	.247	5	5	1	5	7
20 HARDEN, Ethan	3.14	1-1	8 0	0	0/0	0	14.1	14	6	5	4	15	1	0	0	.275	0	2	0	0	1
24 BAIRD, Dusty	3.23	2-1	21 0	0	0/0	1	30.2	25	11	11	14	16	4	1	1	.234	2	2	0	1	0
36 BARATTA, Dominic	4.26	3-2	22 2	0	0/1	1	44.1	42	23	21	17	36	5	2	6	.247	0	3	0	0	3
23 ZUGER, Jordan	4.50	2-2	11 11	0	0/0	0	34.0	38	17	17	17	21	6	0	4	.284	4	1	1	0	0
7 BEAN, Andy	4.64	9-1	15 15	1	0/1	0	85.1	73	47	44	36	75	12	0	12	.231	8	9	0	3	2
13 BRENNAN, Kyle	5.02	3-5	30 0	0	0/2	14	37.2	33	21	21	9	35	6	0	7	.234	4	4	1	0	4
44 SOUTH, Joshua	5.11	8-2	15 15	0	0/0	0	88.0	88	53	50	28	82	19	2	11	.257	8	6	4	5	3
9 HUBBELL, Aaron	5.61	2-2	16 1	0	0/0	0	33.2	33	22	21	17	25	5	1	6	.254	3	3	0	0	1
6 LAMBERTH, Lane	5.95	2-0	12 0	0	0/0	0	19.2	28	14	13	3	11	3	0	2	.337	1	2	0	0	0
17 GUISEWITE, Caleb	6.43	0-0	8 0	0	0/0	0	7.0	8	5	5	5	8	1	1	1	.276	0	1	0	0	0
22 JENKINS, Will	6.44	2-1	22 0	0	0/3	2	29.1	23	23	21	19	37	5	0	3	.225	3	10	0	2	2
37 SCHULTZ, Chandle	7.94	0-1	11 0	0	0/1	0	11.1	14	11	10	5	12	1	0	2	.304	1	1	0	0	3
Totals	4.59	39-20	59 59	1	4/4	18	515.2	489	284	263	217	435	82	8	60	.253	39	49	7	16	26
Opponents	5.63	20-39	59 59	2	1/1	11	503.2	569	380	315	230	433	110	15	53	.284	47	52	6	25	16

PB - Team (7), Campbell 5, Barton 2, Opp (9). Pickoffs - Team (10), Campbell 6, Borders 2, Harden 1, Hubbell 1, Opp (12).

THE LAST TIME...

//TEAM

Shutout an Opponent	2-0 vs. Y'Town St (2/27/22)
Shutout Consec Games	Toledo x2. (2/19-2/20/22)
Was Shutaut	18-0 at #1 Tennessee (5/17/22)
Won 10+ Consec Games	2/19/22-3/6/22
Won an Extra Innings Game	12-11 at SIUE (10) (5/20z/22)
Lost an Extra Innings Came	5-4 vs SEMO (10) (4/31/22)
Won a 7 Inning Came	4 2 vs UT Martin (2/10/27)
vvon a 7-ming Game	4-2 vs. UT Martin (2/19/23)
	4-2 vs. UT Martin (2/18/23)
	at UT Martin (5/6-5/8/22)
	vs. Youngstown St (2/25-2/27/22)
Swept a Conference Series	at Murray State (4/1-4/3/22)
Swept a 3-game series on the Ro	ad at UT Martin (5/6-5/8/22) ad at UT Martin (5/6-5/8/22)
Swept a Conference Series on Ro	ad at U.I. Martin (5/6-5/8/22).
Swept a P5 Opponent	at Purdue (4/22-4/24/22
	der vs. UT Martin (2/19/23).
Got Swept	at #21 NC State (2/24-26/23)
Scored 10+ Runs	(10) at MTSU (2/28/23)
Scored 15+ Runs	(18) vs North Ala (5/11/22)
	vs. Fairleigh Dickinson (2/24/18)
Scored 30+ Runs	(34) at UT Martin (3/29/15).
	(14, B3) vs. North Ala. (5/11/22)
	(20) at UT Martin (3/29/15)
Scored 20+ Runs in One Inning	(20) at UT Martin (3/29/15).
Scored 5+ Runs in Consec. Inning	s Morehead St.(3/24/16)
Scored 5+ Runs in the B9	(5) vs. UT Martin (3/24/18)
Had 15+ Hits	(17) at UT Martin (5/7/22)
	(20) at SIUE (3/29/18)
	(31) at UT Martin (3/29/15)
Hit 5+ Home Runs	(6) vs. UT Martin (2/19/23)
	(2, B4) vs. UT Martin. (2/19/23)
	Runs (3) at MTSU (2/28/23)
Had 5 Different Players Hit Home	Runs (5) vs UT Martin (2/19/23)
Allowed 10+ Runs and Won	13-11 vs. Murray St. (4/19/19)
Drew 10+ Walks	(11) vs WKU (3/15/22)
	(5) vs. Toledo (3/10/20)
Had 10+ Doubles (10)	vs. Fairleigh Dickinson (2/24/18)
Overcame a 5+ Run Deficit and M	Von. (5) vs. TTU (4/8/22)
	vs. TTU (4/8/22)
	vs. UT Martin (4/5/14)
Throw a Porfoct Camo	vs. Indiana (PA) (3/8/1995)
	(1) at UT Martin (3/15/19)
Struck out 10+ Patters	(13) vs WKU (2/21/23)
Struck out 10+ Batters	(13) vs. WKO (2/21/23) (17) vs. UT Martin (2/18/23)
	c. Games vs. CU (2/27/21)
Struck out 10+ Batters in 2 Conse	c. Games vs. CU (2/2//21)
Defeated a Top 5 Team	3-2, at No. 4 Vanderbilt (4/14/15).
Defeated a Top 10 Team	3-4, vs. No. 8 Vanderbilt (3/22/18).
	3-4, vs. No. 8 Vanderbilt (3/22/18)

// INDIVIDUAL

Hit 2+ Doubles D. Lowry (2) at MTSU (2/28/23).
Had 5+ RBI in a Game (5) T. Crider at Murray St (4/2/22)
Had 7+ RBI in a Game (7) B.Kocher vs. Murray St. (4/30/17)
Had 5+ Hits in a Game (5) B.Kocher at SIUE (3/29/18)
Had 2+ hits in an Inning G. Lipscomb vs. North Ala. (5/11/22)
Stole 2+ Bases in a Game (3) G. Lipscomb at UT Martin (5/7/22)
Stole 3+ Bases in a Game (3) G. Lipscomb at UT Martin (5/7/22)
Had a 10-Game Hit Streak (12) G. Lipscomb (4/23-5/13/22)
Had a 15+ Game Hit Streak (15) K. Conger (4/19-5/14/16)
Had 10+ Strikeouts in a Game (11) J. South vs. EIU (5/14/22)
Had 13+ Strikeouts in a Game (13) A. Bean at UT Martin (5/7/22)
Had 25+ Strikeouts in a Game (26) C.Spain vs. CBC (4/13/79)
Pitched a Complete Game A. Bean at UT Martin (5/6/22)
Pitched a No-Hitter Buckelew + Brody vs. UT Martin (4/5/14)
Hit 2 Home Runs in a Game M. Landers vs. UT Martin (2/19/23)
Hit 3 Home Runs in a Game D.Gardner vs. EIU (4/6/19)
Hit a Grand Slam J. Capobianco at UT Martin (5/7/22)
Hit a Walk-Off Home Run J. Behrends vs. EIU (5/14/22)
Homered 2 Straight Games Barton vs. NCST/MTSU (2/26-2/28/23)
Homered 3 Straight Games Crider at More St (4/15-4/17/22)
Hit for the Cycle Never
Scored 5+ Runs in a Game (5) T. Fullerton at UT Martin (3/29/15)
3+ Players Hit 2+ Home Runs (4) at UT Martin (3/29/15)
3+ Players Hit 2+ Doubles (3) vs. Fairleigh Dickinson (2/24/18)
5+ Players Hit a Double (5) vs. EIU (5/15/22)
2+ Players Draw 3+ Walks (2) vs. SIUE (3/19/21)
2+ Hits vs. Ranked Team (3) Barton vs #21 NC State. (2/24/23)
Scored 3+ R vs. a Ranked Team. (3) C. Shacklett at OLM (3/7/21).
Hit a HR vs. a Ranked Team Barton at #21 NC State (2/26/23)
Hit a HR vs. a Power 5 Team Barton at #21 NC State (2/26/23)
Hit 2 HR vs. a Power 5 Team (2) T. Crider at Purdue (4/22/22
Had 3+ RBI vs. a Power 5 Team(3) Lipscomb vs. PUR (4/23/22). Had 4+ RBI vs. a Ranked Team
Had 5+ RBI vs. a Power 5 Team W. Dodd vs. Vanderbilt (3/6/12)
Had 3+ Hits vs. a Power 5 Team (3) B. Barton at NCST (2/26/23)
Recorded 5+ K's vs. a Power 5 Team (5) D. Baird at OLM (3/5/21)
Had 5+ K's vs. a Ranked Team (5) D. Baird at OLM (3/5/21)
Had 10+ K's vs. a Power 5 Team (11) D. King vs. NU (2/25/17)
Stole 2+ Bases vs. a P5 Team (2)G. Lipscomb at No. 4 UT (5/18/21)

BRUINS BY THE NUMBERS

42

MLB Draft Selections in program history

39

Wins during 2022 season, tying the program record



Conference Championships



NCAA Tournament Appearances

PRESEASON ACCOLADES



Top 200 Starting Pitchers Power Rankings Andy Bean--No. 182

Top 30 2023 MLB Draft Prospects

#14: Brodey Heaton, 1B #17: Will Jenkins, RHP #29: Andy Bean, SP



Perfect Game's Preseason All-MVC Team

Andy Bean, SP Brodey Heaton, 1B

2023 Top 20 MVC Prospects

#14: Will Jenkins, RHP #16:Brodey Heaton, 1B #19: Jalen Borders, LHP



Bobby Bragan Collegiate Slugger Award Watchlist Brodey Heaton, 1B



NCBWA Preseason Stopper of the Year Award Watch List Jett Thielke, RHP