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# MEDIA INFORMATION

The Vanderbilt Athletic Communications Office welcomes your interest in the Vanderbilt baseball team. We will make every effort to meet your needs throughout the season.

Following is information and guidelines to help you during the season and allow our coaches and players to adhere to their schedules.

## Vanderbilt Athletic Communications

Vanderbilt Assistant Director of Athletic Communications Kyle Parkinson is the media contact for baseball. He can be contacted in the office (615) 343-0020 or via e-mail at [kyle.parkinson@vanderbilt.edu](mailto:kyle.parkinson@vanderbilt.edu). The Vanderbilt Athletic Communications office is located directly across the street from Hawkins Field on the second floor of the McGugin Center in room 225.

## Press and Photo Credentials

Requests for press and photo credentials can be made via email, mail or fax at least one week prior to the desired game or series. Requests should be directed to Kyle Parkinson. All credentials will be available at media will call located at the front entrance of Hawkins Field.

## Interview Policy

All Vanderbilt coaches and players will be available throughout the season for interviews with members of the media prior to practice. Requests for interviews should be made through Kyle Parkinson. Coach Corbin and selected players will also be available on Monday afternoons at Hawkins Field at the start of conference play. Post-game interviews with Coach Corbin and requested players may be conducted after a mandatory 10-minute cooling off period in front of the Commodore dugout.

## Practice Policy

Vanderbilt baseball practices are open to the media and the public. Practice starts at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday - Friday. (Monday is an off day). Media members are encouraged to arrive at Hawkins Field by 2 p.m. to conduct interviews. Members of the media are asked to notify Kyle Parkinson in advance with their interview request.

## Baseball Information at [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com)

Commodore press releases, game notes, coach and player bios, updated statistics, game photos and more are available at the official web site of Vanderbilt Athletics, [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com). For additional info and in-game updates follow the team on Twitter @vandybaseball.

## Digital Platform

The Digital Image Platform allows media to access image files from the SEC and its 12 member institutions. Media can view or download images of coaches, players, athletic administrators, logos and more by logging on to [secsportsmedia.com](http://secsportsmedia.com).

## Phone Lines

A limited number of phone lines are available in the press box at no charge. However, media wishing to order their own phone line in advance can by contacting Kyle Parkinson at (615) 343-0020.

## Wireless Internet

Vanderbilt provides wireless internet in the Fred Russell Press Box.

## Parking

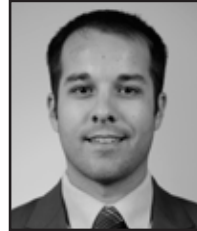
Media parking is available in the McGugin Center lot. Entry is off Jess Neely Drive between Natchez Trace and 25th Avenue. Additional parking is available at the Parking Garage located at the intersection of Jess Neely Drive and 25th Avenue (diagonal from Hawkins Field right field). Parking requests must be arranged through Vanderbilt Athletic Communications. There is no parking allowed in the concourse area and Hawkins Field front gates.

## Photo Galleries

Vanderbilt photographers provide a photo gallery of selected games and events on the Vanderbilt Baseball website. Each gallery can be viewed at:

[vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com)

## Athletic Communications Staff



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Assistant Director



**Larry Leathers**  
Assistant Director



**Ryan Schulz**  
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# MEDIA INFORMATION

## Vanderbilt Media Outlets

### Wire Services

**Associated Press**  
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215 Centerville Dr., Brentwood, TN 37027  
Phone: (615) 373-9988/FAX: 376-0947

### Newspapers

**The Tennessean**  
Jeff Lockridge- Beat Writer  
David Climer, Joe Biddle - Columnists  
1100 Broadway, Nashville, TN 37202  
Phone: (615) 259-8010/FAX: 259-8826

### The City Paper

David Boclair, Beat Writer  
P.O. Box 158434, Nashville, TN 37215  
Phone: (615) 298-9833 x 254/Fax: 298-2780

### Murfreesboro Daily News Journal

Greg Pogue, Sports Editor  
224 N. Walnut St., Murfreesboro, TN 37130  
Phone: 615-278-5167/FAX: 893-4186

### Columbia Daily Herald

Marion Wilhoite, Sports Writer  
P.O. Box 1425, Columbia, TN 38401  
Phone: 931-388-6464/FAX: 388-1003

### Memphis Commercial-Appeal

Ron Higgins, SEC Beat Writer  
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Phone: 901-529-2366/FAX: 529-2362

### Chattanooga Times-Free Press

Mark Wiedmer, SEC Writer  
P.O. Box 951, Chattanooga, TN 37401  
Phone: 423-756-1234/FAX: 752-3364

### Vanderbilt Hustler

Box 1504, Station B, Nashville, TN 37221  
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### Television Stations

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### WSMV-TV, NBC, Channel 4

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5700 Knob Rd, Nashville, TN 37209  
Phone: 615-353-2231/FAX: 353-2343

### WTVF-TV, CBS, Channel 5

Hope Hines, Brian McKeegan  
474 J. Robertson Pkwy., Nashville, TN 37219  
Phone: 615-248-5285/FAX: 244-9883

### WZTV-TV, FOX, Channel 17

Paul Jones, Dave Foster, Dan Phillips  
631 Mainstream Dr., Nashville, TN 37228  
Phone: 615-369-5561/FAX: 369-3299

### Radio Stations

**Vanderbilt IMG Network**  
Jeff Miller, Craig Turman, Seth Horton  
Joe Fisher (Play-by-Play)  
Box 120158, Nashville, TN 37212  
Phone: 615-322-4727

### WGFX, 104.5 FM - The Zone

George Plaster, Willy Daunic, Kevin Ingram, Mark Howard, Frank Wycheck, Brent Daugherty  
506 2nd Ave. South, Nashville, TN 37015  
Phone: 615-244-9533/FAX: 615-259-1271

### WNSR, 560 AM - BASEBALL FLAGSHIP

Greg Pogue, David Coleman, Thom Abraham, Bill King, Joe Biddle  
435 37th Ave. North, Nashville, TN 37209  
Phone: 615-844-1039/FAX: 777-2284

### WSIX, 97.9 FM

21 Music Square W., Nashville, TN 37203  
Phone: 615-664-2400/FAX: 664-2457

### WSM, 650 AM & 95.5 FM

2644 McGavock Pike, Nashville, TN 37214  
Phone: 615-871-6711/FAX: 871-5982

## Radio/TV Broadcasts

### WNSR 560 AM - Vanderbilt Baseball Flagship

WNSR is the flagship station for Vanderbilt Baseball. WNSR will once again broadcast all SEC series and the postseason. "Voice of the Commodores" Joe Fisher will call the action upon completion of the men's basketball campaign. Eric Jones will handle the early season slate as well as the midweek contests.



Joe Fisher



Eric Jones



### Internet Streaming

This season you can listen to all 54 games of the regular season slate and all of the postseason action on the internet through Commodore Nation All-Access on [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com).

To subscribe visit [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com) and sign up for All-Access. Subscriptions are available on a monthly (\$9.95) or yearly basis (\$79.95). Once signed up, you will be able to catch all of the action.

### Commodore Webcasts

For the sixth straight season, most Commodore home baseball games can be watched LIVE on the internet. You can check out the action by subscribing on [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com).

### Vanderbilt Sports Update on WRQQ 97.1 FM

News about Vanderbilt athletics, including the baseball team, can be heard Monday through Friday on 97.1 FM with Joe Fisher.

### Commodores on Television

At press time, the Commodores are scheduled for at least one television game via the SEC TV package. Comcast Sports' broadcast schedule was not available at press time.

May 19	at Georgia	ESPN	6:30 p.m. CT
April 17	at South Carolina	ESPN2	12 p.m. CT
April 24	LSU	ESPN2	2 p.m. CT

### Commodores on the Web

Check out the official Twitter feed of the Vanderbilt baseball team (@vandybaseball) for all the latest news, notes and in-game updates.



# QUICK FACTS

## General Information

Location: . . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
 Enrollment . . . . . 6,738  
 Nickname: . . . . . Commodores  
 Stadium (Capacity): . . . . . Charles Hawkins Field (3,700)  
 Dimensions: . . . . . LF-310; CF-400; RF-330; Alleys-375  
 Founded: . . . . . 1873  
 Colors: . . . . . Black and Gold  
 Conference: . . . . . Southeastern (SEC)  
 Chancellor: . . . . . Nicholas S. Zeppos  
 Vice Chancellor- Athletics . . . . . David Williams, II  
 Faculty Representative: . . . . . Lucius Outlaw  
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 SID Fax: . . . . . 615.343.7064  
 Press Box Phone: (Main Line) . . . . . 615.320.0436

## Coaching Staff

Head Coach: . . . . . Tim Corbin (Ohio Wesleyan, 1984)  
 Overall Record: . . . . . 428-315 (.576/14 years)  
 Record at Vanderbilt: . . . . . 322-177 (.645/8 years)  
 NCAA Appearances: . . . . . 2004, 2006-10  
 Office Phone: . . . . . 615.322.3716  
 Best Time to Call: . . . . . Mornings  
 Assistant Coaches: . . . . . Derek Johnson (Eastern Illinois, 1993)  
 . . . . . Josh Holliday (Oklahoma State, 2004)  
 . . . . . Larry Day (Connecticut, 2007) - Volunteer  
 Office Assistant: . . . . . Graham Manning (Georgia, 2008)  
 Baseball Operations . . . . . Daniel Harris  
 Trainer: . . . . . Chris Ham (Illinois, 2005)  
 Managers: . . . . . Alexander Levitt, Tyler Pirtle and Brad McDonough  
 Video Operations . . . . . David Schnabel

## History

All-Time Record: . . . . . 1938-1589-32 (112 years)  
 All-Time Conference Record: . . . . . 518-827-9 (63 years)  
 Conference Tournament Titles: . . . . . 1973-74, 1980, 2007  
 NCAA Tournament Appearances 8 (1973-74, 1980, 2004, 2006-10)  
 NCAA Tournament Record . . . . . 20-19  
 NCAA Tournament Super Regional Appearances: . . . . . 2 (2004, '10)  
 College World Series Appearances . . . . . None

## Team Information

2010 Overall Record . . . . . 46-20  
 . . . . . Home: 27-6 Away: 15-12 Neutral: 4-2  
 Southeastern Conference Record . . . . . 16-12  
 . . . . . Home: 8-5 Away: 8-7  
 Conference Finish . . . . . 3rd East/5th Overall  
 Postseason Play . . . . . NCAA Tallahassee Super Regional  
 Final Ranking . . . . . 13 (ESPN/USA), 14 (BA) (CB), 15 (NCBWA) (RV)  
 Lettermen Returning/Lost . . . . . 21/7  
 Position Starters Returning/Lost . . . . . 7/2  
 Pitchers Returning/Lost . . . . . 10/4  
 Newcomers: . . . . . 14

## Road Headquarters

### Feb. 17-20 - San Diego Tourn.

BEST WESTERN HACIENDA HOTEL  
 Old Town San Diego  
 4041 Harney Street  
 San Diego, Calif. 92110  
 Phone: 619.298.4707

### May 5-8 - Kentucky

HILTON SUITES  
 245 Lexington Green Circle  
 Lexington, Ky. 40503  
 Phone: 859.271.4000

### March 24-27 - Arkansas

HOLIDAY INN  
 1500 S. 48th Street  
 Springdale, Ark. 72782  
 Phone: 479.751.8300

### May 18-21 - Georgia

HILTON GARDEN INN  
 390 E. Washington Street  
 Athens, Ga. 30601  
 Phone: 706.353.6800

### March 31-April 4 - Auburn

THE HOTEL AT AUBURN UNIVERSITY  
 241 South College Street  
 Auburn, Ala. 36830  
 Phone: 334.821.8200

### May 26-30 - SEC Tourn.

WYNFREY HOTEL  
 1000 Riverchase Galleria  
 Birmingham, Ala. 35244  
 Phone: 205.987.1600

### April 14-17 - South Carolina

HILTON GARDEN INN  
 434 Columbiana Drive  
 Columbia, S.C. 29212  
 Phone: 803.407.6640

*Travel arrangements are subject to change*