



Nittany Lions projected starting line-up:

23 Tim Frazier **6'1" G**

His catch phrase is "it is what it is." He'll probably be saying that after tonight's game.

13 Geno Thorpe **6'3" G**

His nickname is "Bunnies," but he considers himself a @_blackdisciple on Twitter.

2 D.J. Newbill **6'4" G**

Penn State's leading scorer refers to himself as the "Golden Child."

43 Ross Travis **6'6" F**

When Penn St was up 15 against Indiana on Saturday, Travis received a technical foul. Penn St lost by 3.

5 Donovan Jack **6'9" F**

Jack is following in his father's footsteps by playing college basketball and pursuing an engineering career.

HC Pat Chambers

The team rubs his bald head for good luck before games.

Penn State has once again struggled in Big Ten play. They are 0-4 so far, and, most recently, suffered 3 point losses to Indiana and Minnesota. Last year, Penn State lost its first 14 games against Big Ten opponents. We shouldn't have to remind the Maize Rage who Penn State beat to stop that losing streak.

The Luck of the Lions: Last Wednesday, both Frazier and Newbill fouled out of their 3-point loss to Minnesota. In the following game against Indiana, on Saturday, fifth year senior, Frazier, fouled out again. All these fouls led Indiana to the free throw line 35 times. Not even Newbill's record high 24 points could give them the win.

It's Getting Hot in Here: Coach Chambers is one sweaty guy who can't seem to keep his clothes on. Even Penn State fans notice that he can't wait to rip his suit coat off that they created a twitter for his suit coat! If he takes it off, who has his back?

Briefly: Graham Woodward (#3) loves the rainbow soap during car washes. **Kevin Montminy (#14)** was confused about the NFL network's Spanish commentary. **Alan Wisniewski (#34)** is the only player from Michigan on Penn State.

The Rest of the Lions: Payton Banks (#0), John Johnson (#1), Brandon Taylor(#10), Allen Roberts (#11), Zach Cooper (#24), Jordan Dickerson (#32), Julian Moore (#44).

*To comply with the Big Ten sportsmanship code, the "Bum of the Game" has been replaced by the "Player to Watch": **Donovan Jack***

Keep it classy, Rage: *As one of college basketball's premiere student sections, it's important that we refrain from swearing or using other slurs throughout the game. The University of Michigan is an institution of class, and as a collective representative, we need to uphold this standard.*

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Top 5 Big Ten Assistants: One of your Wolverines' assistant coaches was named one of BTN's five best last month. Your gut reaction: it's Bacari Alexander. Actually, BTN ranked LaVall Jordan number 4 among B1G assistants, and labeled him one of the biggest reasons young guards have flourished at Michigan (see: Trey Burke, Darius Morris). It's no accident that he was a finalist for Butler's coaching vacancy this past summer.

Winning When You're Supposed To: The Wolverines' first three conference wins may not seem impressive, but picking up three early victories (two on the road) in B1G play was vital. With such a competitive conference, Michigan needs to mop the floor with the weaker teams and avoid looking ahead to premier opponents. Unlike last season, this year's Wolverines can't afford to slip up and fall to an inferior opponent - especially at Crisler Arena.

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Cheers: Be steady and DON'T SPEED UP

Offense:

- Here we go Michigan, here we go! (clap clap)
- Let's Go Michigan! (clap, clap, clap clap clap)
- Go, Blue, Go! (clap clap clap)
- Let's Go Blue! (clap)
- Go Blue! (clap clap)

Defense:

- Popcorn (Jump up and down while screaming OHHHHH!!)
- Bounce! Bounce! Pass! (Yell "bounce" when the opposition dribbles, and "pass" when they pass)

"EH"-BOMB: When Nik Stauskas makes a three drop back in your seats as if a bomb has violently shaken the Crisler Center and yell "Eh" like you're Canadian

The Bacari Corner

A Tribute to coach Bacari Alexander and his Tweets:

Jan 6: "I enjoyed seeing this young man (Jordan Morgan) get his swagger back. On the verge of being the winningest Wolverine ever. #GoBlue"

Jan 10: "Really pleased with the flight that our young group showed. First team to win in that arena. #B1G"

Jan 10: "Keep riding the elevator to the top floor. #passion"