



## *Pirates projected starting line-up:*

**0 George Brown**      5'11"    G  
Strongly believes that "females are the most spiteful creatures on the planet."

**2 Montrel Goldston**      6'4"    G  
Spends more time tweeting about football than he spends practicing basketball

**10 Jamison Jeffers**      6'1"    G  
Tweeted 85 times over a two day span in April 2014, the last time his twitter was active

**15 Logan Ballard**      6'9"    F  
According to the Armstrong State Athletics website, he "enjoys watching movies and hanging out"

**33 Matthew Beatty**      6'6"    F  
He cast his Heisman ballot for Lamar Jackson

## HC Evans Davis

Entering his fourth season as the head coach of the Armstrong State University men's basketball team

Good evening Wolverines, and welcome back to Crisler Center! With the season just a week away, it's time to get back into a basketball spirit. In tonight's exhibition, Michigan will be taking on the Armstrong State Pirates. With faces new and old amongst the players and coaches, there's certainly a lot to look forward to this season. Let's help our Wolverines get off on the right foot and make Crisler loud!

**Homecoming:** Tonight we're honored to welcome back a Michigan basketball legend, Armstrong State's assistant coach Cazzie Russell. There's a reason Crisler Center is sometimes called "The House that Cazzie Built,": during the 60's, Cazzie led Michigan to three straight Big Ten titles and a Final Four before being selected first overall in the 1966 NBA Draft. Cazzie made such an impact while at Michigan that, in 1993, his jersey number was retired and raised to the rafters. While we won't be rooting for Cazzie today, we're glad to have him back in Ann Arbor!

**Abandon Ship?:** While the Pirates have seen improvement under Coach Evans Davis, going 12-15 and posting a winning conference record in the Peach Belt Conference last season, it's hard to tell how this year's squad will fare. That's because Armstrong State only returns three players from last year's team, George Brown, Corey Tillery (#3), and Jamison Jeffers. The rest of the Pirates are either freshmen or transfers.

**The Rest of the Pirates:** Denzel Council (#1), Francisco Williams (#4), Kalen Clifton (#5), Camryn Moye (#13), Dartrell Moss (#22), KJ James (#23), Denzel Collins (#24), Adrian Gaines (#31), Larry Spicer (#32), Demarcus Cunningham (#41).

To comply with the Big Ten sportsmanship code, the "Bum of the Game" has been replaced by the "Player to Watch": **Jamison Jeffers**

**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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**Familiar Faces:** Michigan returns 10 members from last year's NCAA Tournament team, including all five starters from the last time we saw the Wolverines in action, and are led by seniors Zak Irvin and Derrick Walton Jr.

**New Blue:** The team adds plenty of new faces to the program this season: freshmen Xavier Simpson, Jon Teske, Ibi Watson, and Austin Davis, transfer Charles Matthews, walk-on Fred Wright-Jones, and coaches Billy Donlon and Saddi Washington. Welcome to Crisler!

**In Good Hands:** The Wolverine offense this year will have Derrick Walton Jr. at the helm, who was named a Preseason All-Big Ten selection. Congratulations D-Walt!

**Remember: A maize Michigan shirt, a Michigan basketball jersey, or costume is required to sit in the bleachers.**



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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)

**Mo Money, Mo Buckets:** Every time Moritz Wagner hits a three, rub your thumb and fingers together as if you were rubbing coins or bills together

## **The Alumni Corner**

**Wolverines in the NBA:** Six Wolverines made NBA rosters to start the season: Trey Burke (WSH), Jamal Crawford (LAC), Tim Hardaway Jr. (ATL), Caris LeVert (BKN), Glenn Robinson III (IND), and Nik Stauskas (PHI). Former Fab Five member Juwan Howard is an assistant coach with the Miami Heat.

**Tweet of the Week:** "We played Amare Stoudemire's team today. He didn't play. I don't think it was because he was scared of me but I also can't confirm that soo" - Stu Douglass (@SWD\_317), Class of 2012