



Vermont Catamounts

Quick Facts

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

LocationBurlington, Vt.
 Founded 1791
 Enrollment.....10,461
 President Tom Sullivan
 Athletic Director Dr. Robert Corran
 Nickname Catamounts
 Colors..... Green & Gold
 Arena Patrick Gym (3,266)

TEAM INFORMATION

All-Time Record..... 1,099-1,054
 All-Time America East Record....247-243
 America East Titles.....
5 (2003, 04, 05, 10, 12)
 2011-12 Record 24-12
 2011-12 Conference Record 13-3
 Finish2nd (No. 2 Seed, 3-0)
 2011-12 Postseason. NCAA second round
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost6/6
 Starters Returning/Lost.....3/2
 Newcomers.....4

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach John Becker
 Alma MaterCatholic '90
 Overall Record/Years 30-56 (.349)/3
 Record at Vermont 24-12 (.667)/1
 Assistant Coaches Chris Markwood
Matt O'Brien
 Kyle Cieplicki
 Dir. of Basketball Ops...Ari Shapiro-Miller

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2012-13 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
November		
9	at Siena	7 p.m.
13	at Connecticut (SNY)	7 p.m.
17	at Northeastern	7 p.m.
21	Yale	7 p.m.
27	at Harvard	7 p.m.
December		
1	at Rhode Island	2 p.m.
5	Towson (WCAXtra)	7 p.m.
8	at Quinnipiac (NESN)	3 p.m.
12	Dartmouth (WCAXtra)	7 p.m.
16	at Niagara	2 p.m.
22	Fairleigh Dickinson (WCAXtra)	2 p.m.
29	College of Charleston	2 p.m.
January		
2	*at New Hampshire	7 p.m.
5	*Albany	2 p.m.
8	*at Boston U.	7 p.m.
12	*UMBC	3 p.m.
16	*Binghamton (WCAXtra)	7 p.m.
18	*Stony Brook (ESPNU)	7 p.m.
22	*at Maine (ESPN3)	7 p.m.
26	*at Albany	7:30 p.m.
30	*at Hartford	7 p.m.
February		
6	*New Hampshire (WCAXtra)	7 p.m.
9	*at UMBC	3:30 p.m.
12	*Boston U. (ESPN3)	7 p.m.
15	*at Stony Brook (ESPN3)	7 p.m.
20	*Maine (ESPN3)	7 p.m.
28	*at Binghamton	7 p.m.
March		
3	*Hartford	2 p.m.

*America East Conference game

2012-13 Vermont Catamounts

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/High School/Previous
0	Troy Davine	Fr.	G	6-3	185	Rutland, Vt./Rutland/Vermont Academy
1	Brian Voelkel	Jr.	F	6-6	210	Pleasantville, N.Y./Iona Prep
2	Luke Apfeld	Jr.	F	6-7	215	Chattanooga, Tenn./Brewster Academy
3	Ryan Pierson	Jr.	F/C	6-10	240	St. Louis, Mo./Christian Brothers/Northeastern
4	Trey Blue	Sr.	G	6-3	200	Chicago, Ill./Thornwood/Illinois State
5	Hector Harold	Jr.	F	6-7	205	Pasadena, Calif./Northfield Mt. Hermon/Pepperdine
12	Sandro Carissimo	Jr.	G	6-2	170	Sleepy Hollow, N.Y./Iona Prep
14	Josh Elbaum	Jr.	G	6-3	195	Melville, N.Y./St. John Baptist/Northfield Mt. Hermon
15	Brendan Kilpatrick	Fr.	F	6-5	205	Norristown, Pa./Malvern Prep
21	Candon Rusin	Jr.	G	6-4	190	Wilmington, Vt./Topsail (Marist)
24	Harrison Taggart	Fr.	G/F	6-5	190	Wallingford, Vt./Mill River/St. Paul's
31	Clancy Rugg	Jr.	F	6-8	195	Burlington, Vt./Northfield Mt. Hermon
32	Ethan O'Day	Fr.	F	6-9	205	Mansfield, Conn./Northfield Mt. Hermon
42	Ben Crenca	Sr.	F/C	6-10	260	Exeter, R.I./Worcester Academy (Mass.)

Team Notes



- Vermont will have six players, including three starters, back from its 2012 America East champion squad. The league title was the Catamounts' fifth since 2003.
- The Catamounts beat Lamar, 71-59, in the first round of the NCAA tournament for its second-ever NCAA win before falling to top-seeded North Carolina in the second round.
- Vermont went 24-12 last year, its ninth 20-win season in its last 11. UVM had zero 20-win campaigns in its first 87 seasons.
- The Catamounts were among the top defensive teams in the league last year, ranking second and 31st nationally in scoring defense (60.9 ppg) and first in field goal percentage defense (.406).
- Junior Brian Voelkel earned third-team All-America East honors last year after leading the league in rebounding (8.6 rpg), ranking second in assists (5.1 apg) and finishing third in steals (1.7 spg).
- Junior Sandro Carissimo, an All-America East Championship selection last year, emerged as one of the top point guards in the league averaging 7.0 points, 3.0 rebounds and 2.4 assists.
- Junior Luke Apfeld is the team's top returning scorer (10.0 ppg in 2011-12).
- John Becker starts his second season in Burlington after becoming just the second America East coach (Karl Fogel, Northeastern - 1986) to win the league title in his first year on the bench.



Junior Luke Apfeld

2011-12 Results

Record: 24-12 (13-3 America East)		
Date	Opponent	Time/Result
November		
12	at South Florida	L, 57-59
16	at Dartmouth	W, 65-53
19	vs. Marist	W, 84-75
20	vs. Long Island U.	L, 75-80
23	at Old Dominion	W, 65-63 (OT)
26	Siena	W, 66-64
December		
1	Harvard	L, 48-55
3	at Yale	L, 52-68
7	at Saint Louis	L, 43-62
11	Quinnipiac	L, 58-62
17	Iona	L, 72-73
21	at Fairleigh Dickinson	W, 71-53
23	at Towson	W, 65-49
30	Northeastern	L, 51-53
January		
2	*at Stony Brook	L, 59-65
5	*Boston U.	W, 83-68
8	*at Hartford	W, 72-59
12	*Binghamton	W, 73-53
14	*at New Hampshire	L, 64-72
16	*Maine	W, 79-65
19	*Albany	W, 73-69
22	*at UMBC	W, 90-62
29	*New Hampshire	W, 77-60
February		
1	*at Boston U.	W, 68-67
4	*Hartford	W, 82-56
6	*at Maine	W, 73-63
12	*Stony Brook	W, 68-49
15	*at Albany	W, 50-47
18	Niagara	W, 92-70
21	*at Binghamton	L, 53-57
25	*UMBC	W, 80-49
March		
3	!vs. (7) Maine	W, 50-40
4	!vs. (6) Hartford	W, 77-73 (2OT)
10	!at (1) Stony Brook	W, 51-43
14	&vs. (16) Lamar	W, 71-59
16	&vs. (1) North Carolina	L, 58-77

* America East Conference game
! America East Championship game
& NCAA tournament game

2011-12 Final Statistics

				TOTAL				3-PTS				REBOUNDS														
##	Player	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
34	Matt Glass	35	35	906	25.9	152	327	.465	44	112	.393	68	86	.791	41	89	130	3.7	99	4	36	35	8	9	416	11.9
04	Four McGlynn	35	0	844	24.1	129	336	.384	65	174	.374	91	102	.892	12	46	58	1.7	52	0	39	54	2	24	414	11.8
02	Luke Apfeld	34	20	729	21.4	114	206	.553	7	16	.438	105	130	.808	54	83	137	4.0	104	0	15	46	14	19	340	10.0
20	Brendan Bald	35	35	845	24.1	102	301	.339	32	121	.264	31	42	.738	11	52	63	1.8	64	0	21	50	8	23	267	7.6
12	Sandro Carissimo	35	35	1015	29.0	92	212	.434	29	85	.341	33	41	.805	19	85	104	3.0	44	0	85	48	7	41	246	7.0
31	Clancy Rugg	35	0	476	13.6	57	102	.559	5	16	.313	57	66	.864	35	75	110	3.1	33	0	18	21	9	8	176	5.0
23	Brian Voelkel	35	35	1065	30.4	51	152	.336	5	26	.192	57	104	.548	86	213	299	8.5	58	0	177	69	6	60	164	4.7
42	Ben Crenca	31	14	350	11.3	48	84	.571	0	0	.000	30	50	.600	28	62	90	2.9	55	2	5	30	9	1	126	4.1
30	Pat Bergmann	35	1	333	9.5	52	90	.578	0	0	.000	18	31	.581	30	52	82	2.3	54	1	9	29	18	2	122	3.5
14	Josh Elbaum	35	0	455	13.0	21	41	.512	0	0	.000	18	34	.529	17	29	46	1.3	38	0	53	41	2	30	60	1.7
40	Ryan McKeaney	10	0	16	1.6	3	4	.750	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	3	4	0.4	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.6
24	Chris Santo	14	0	40	2.9	2	9	.222	0	0	.000	3	4	.750	4	6	10	0.7	5	0	1	3	0	1	7	0.5
13	Jon Angstadt	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TM	TEAM.....														54	57	111	3.3	1			14				
	Total.....	35				823	1864	.442	187	550	.340	511	690	.741	392	852	1244	35.5	608	7	459	440	83	218	2344	67.0
	Opponents.....	35				763	1870	.408	187	589	.317	421	622	.677	368	747	1115	31.9	648	-	352	445	116	206	2134	61.0

*BOLD indicates returning player