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# **2012-13 SCHEDULE**

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	TIME	<u>TV</u>	<u>Radio</u>
Thursday	November 8	WHEELING JESUIT	7:00 pm		
		(Coaches vs. Cancer Exhibition)			
Monday	November 12	YALE (Coaches vs. Cancer Classic)	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
		Coaches vs. Cancer Classic (Barclays C	Center, Brooklyn, N.Y	·.)	
Friday	November 16	vs. Notre Dame	9:30 pm	truTV	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	November 17	Consolation/Championship	7:00/9:30 pm	truTV	WIP 610 AM
Tuesday	November 20	HARVARD	8:00 pm	NBC SN	WIP 610 AM
Wednesday	November 28	AMERICAN	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Saturday	December 1	at Creighton	3:00 pm	ESPN3	WIP 610 AM
Tuesday	December 4	at Coppin State	7:30 pm		WIP 610 AM
Tuesday	December 11	at Villanova	7:00 pm	ESPNU	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	December 22	FAIRFIELD	2:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Friday	December 28	IONA	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Monday	December 31	at Drexel	4:00 pm	TCN	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	January 5	at Morgan State	4:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Wednesday	January 9	BUTLER	7:00 pm	TCN	<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Saturday	January 12	at Duquesne	7:00 pm		<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Thursday	January 17	at VCU	9:00 pm	CBS SN	<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Saturday	January 19	PENN (Palestra)	5:00 pm	ESPN2/U	<b>WPHT 1210 AM</b>
Wednesday	January 23	ST. BONAVENTURE	7:00 pm		<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Saturday	January 26	XAVIER	6:00 pm	CBS SN	<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Wednesday	January 30	at Fordham	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Saturday	February 2	TEMPLE	6:00 pm	CBS SN	<b>WIP 610 AM</b>
Wednesday	February 6	at Dayton	4:00 pm	TCN	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	February 9	at Massachusetts	2:00 pm	ESPN2	WIP 610 AM
Wednesday	February 13	RICHMOND	7:00 pm	TCN	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	February 16	at La Salle (Palestra)	1:00 pm	NBC SN	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	February 23	GEORGE WASHINGTON	4:00 pm	TCN	WIP 610 AM
Wednesday	February 27	at Saint Louis	8:00 pm	CBS SN	WIP 610 AM
Saturday	March 2	FORDHAM	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Wednesday	March 6	RHODE ISLAND	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Saturday	March 9	at Charlotte	7:00 pm		WIP 610 AM
Thursday	March 14-	Atlantic 10 Championship	•		
Sunday	March 17	(Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y.)			

Home games in CAPS at Hagan Arena unless noted; All times Eastern

**TV Key:** CBS SN= CBS Sports Network; NBC SN= NBC Sports Network; TCN= The Comcast Network (Pa.) Audio streaming for all games on www.SJUHawks.com; See page 177 for video streaming schedule

2012-13 BASKET	BALL QUICK FACTS
Location Philadelphia, Pa. 19131 Founded	Head Coach (alma mater)
2011-12 Record	Basketball Office       610-660-1706         Basketball Fax       610-660-1762         Press Row - Hagan Arena       610-660-2599         Athletics Website       www.sjuhawks.com

# **2012-13 ROSTER**

#### **NUMERICAL**

NO.	NAME	YR.	POS.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN	HIGH SCHOOL
0	Evan Maschmeyer	So.	G	6-3	200	Jeffersonville, Ind.	Jeffersonville
1	C.J. Aiken	Jr.	С	6-9	201	Conshohocken, Pa.	Plymouth-Whitemarsh
5	Christopher Coyne	Sr.	G	6-2	180	Brooklyn, N.Y.	Xavier
10	Langston Galloway	Jr.	G	6-2	200	Baton Rouge, La.	Christian Life Academy
11	Daryus Quarles	Jr.	F	6-6	180	Paulsboro, N.J.	Paulsboro
12	Kyle Molock #	Fr.	G	6-2	190	Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Coffman
13	Ronald Roberts, Jr.	Jr.	F	6-8	220	Bayonne, N.J.	Saint Peter's Prep
15	Isaiah Miles	Fr.	F	6-7	228	Owings Mills, Md.	Milford Mill
21	Halil Kanacevic	Jr.	F	6-8	256	Staten Island, N.Y.	Curtis
22	Taylor Trevisan	Sr.	G	6-2	204	West Chester, Pa.	Salesianum (Del.)
24	Chris Wilson	So.	G	6-3	210	Fayetteville, N.C.	Terry Sanford
25	Eric Kindler	So.	F	6-5	220	Mechanicsburg, Pa.	Trinity
32	Papa Ndao	So.	F	6-8	223	Dakar, Senegal	Montverde Academy (Fla.)
34	Javon Baumann	Fr.	F	6-8	254	Solms, Germany	Theodore Huess School
35	Carl Jones	Sr.	G	5-11	160	Garfield Heights, Ohio	Garfield Heights
41	Colin Kelly	Jr.	F	6-5	210	West Deptford, N.J.	Gloucester Catholic

#### **ALPHABETICAL**

NO.	NAME	YR.	POS.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN	HIGH SCHOOL
1	C.J. Aiken	Jr.	С	6-9	201	Conshohocken, Pa.	Plymouth-Whitemarsh
34	Javon Baumann	Fr.	F	6-8	254	Solms, Germany	Theodore Huess School
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# Redshirting season due to injury

Phil Martelli (Widener '76) - 18th year **Head Coach:** 

Assistant Coaches: Mark Bass (Saint Joseph's '95) - 14th year

David Duda (Spring Garden '88) - 7th year

Geoff Arnold (Saint Joseph's 86) - 5th year

**Director of Basketball Operations:** Rob Sullivan (Saint Joseph's '06)

Athletic Trainer: Bill Lukasiewicz (Springfield '88)

#### **Pronunciation Guide**

Javon Baumann .....ja-VON BAW-min

Halil Kanacevic ......huh-LILL CAN-uh-SEV-ick

(Evan) Maschmeyer ......MASH-my-ERR

(Papa) Ndao .....now

(Daryus) Quarles . . . . . . . . . . . . darius quarrels (Bill) Lukasiewicz .....Lu-KAZ-uh-WITZ

# **2012-13 PREVIEW**

The Saint Joseph's men's basketball team will embark upon one of the most anticipated seasons in a number of years, as the entire squad returns intact from a campaign that saw the Hawks go 20-14 and earn a bid to the NIT.

Expectations are high for a group that has evolved from the youngest team to play under head coach **Phil Martelli** into an experienced and talented core group. Quite possibly the most athletic collection of individuals to ever play on Hawk Hill, the team has provided SJU fans with a sense of excitement and hopes of making a run towards the Atlantic 10 title and an NCAA Tournament bid.

"With our expectations being higher, I'm going to encourage the players to embrace it because I want their expectations to exceed those from the outside, said Martelli, who is SJU's all-time leader in victories with 320 in 17 seasons. "I want the disappointment and hurt from last year to linger with all of us."

And although the Hawks were one of nine teams in nation to notch 20 wins after having 20 losses the previous season, Martelli knows they left a handful of wins on the table as inconsistency set in at inopportune times. Saint Joseph's held second-half leads in 11 of the 14 losses, and the coach is determined to not let that happen again this season.

"I didn't do enough by putting them in situational basketball," said the coach. "Each guy had a weakness or idiosyncracy that surfaced at the wrong time. But it starts with me putting them in situations of comfort, accountability and results."

"Our end game is what needs to be improved the most. We have to do a much better job in finishing possessions. We have to a better job at the end of the shot clock. But we also have to do a better job rewarding our defensive efforts like loose ball recoveries," said the coach, who has guided SJU to 10 postseason appearances. "The biggest thing with this group is going to be offensive execution. We've got to come up with a way for us to play that is comfortable because we could have some unusual lineups."

The Hawks return all five starters from last year - Carl "Tay" Jones, Langston Galloway, Halil Kanacevic, C.J. Aiken and Daryus Quarles - as well as the top sixth man in the A-10, Ronald Roberts, Jr. That group provided SJU with a balanced attack last season, as four of those players (Jones, Galloway, Aiken, Roberts) averaged double figures in scoring and five players earned Atlantic 10 honors, the most ever in a season for the Hawks.

Saint Joseph's has been known for its strong guard play and this season will be no different with the backcourt of Jones and Galloway, the Hawks' top scorers the past two seasons.

Carl Jones, who has scored over 1,400 career points, is the most experienced Hawk and the team's only senior who has seen action on a regular basis. He is a proven scorer who is capable of scoring 20 or 30 points in a contest, even though the majority of his minutes are spent running the point. Jones can hit the three-pointer (62 made) or penetrate the lane and score while also drawing fouls and converting the free throw (79.0 free throw percentage).

Backcourt mate **Langston Galloway** can also put up the points and has established himself as SJU's top perimeter shooter. The 6-2 junior made a team-best 90 three-pointers last season and ranked fourth in the nation by converting 46.6 percent from beyond the arc. Galloway has been one of the more consistent Hawks over the past two years, sharing or earning team MVP honors twice, and as the team's top on-the-

ball defender, brings a steady all-around game to the court.

But as solid as the Jones-Galloway back-court is, it is the Hawks' frontcourt that has elevated the level of excitement and optimism surrounding the team.

Junior forward C.J. Aiken has shown his ability to be a gamechanger with his shotblocking prowess and will be considered one of the top big men in the conference and a key to the Hawks' success. The Atlantic 10 Defensive Player of the Year in 2012, Aiken led the nation early on and finished the season ranked fifth with 3.5 blocks per game, registering 120 blocked shots. He also averaged 10.9 points and 5.1 rebounds, and as



**Langston Galloway** 

his offensive game continues to develop, should find himself as an even more important part of SJU's attack.

Halil Kanacevic, a 6-8 forward, made his presence felt immediately in his first season on Hawk Hill after transferring from Hofstra. With a unique passing ability for a big man, the Hawk offense ran many times through Kanacevic and he handed out a team-high 125 assists (3.7 per game). The junior, who was also the team's top rebounder with 8.3 per game, also scored 8.3 points per game and is capable of putting up double figures on a regular basis.

Ronald Roberts, Jr., established himself as a crowd favorite with his athleticism and high-flying dunks and was named the Atlantic 10's Sixth Man of the Year, SJU's first since 2004. Roberts was basically a "sixth starter" but his unselfishness gave SJU an impact player off the bench. He averaged 10.9 points and 5.9 rebounds while shooting a team-best 59.7 percent from the field. Whether he stays in that reserve role remains to be seen, but either way, he will be an integral part of the Hawks' success.

**Daryus Quarles** was the Hawks' starter at the wing for the second straight year and will be looking to increase his offensive production. The 6-6 junior, who averaged over 20 minutes per game, could provide an extra boost if he can consistently score from the perimeter.

**Chris Wilson** was the first guard off the bench last season as a freshman and showed he was capable of running the point and effectively spelling either Jones or Galloway. The sophomore put in extra work on his jump shot during the summer in hopes of adding more offense when he gets into the game.

## **2012-13 PREVIEW**



**Carl Jones** 

Freshman forward Isaiah Miles is the only player among the three newcomers who should see action this season. The Hawks endured a blow in the summer when freshman guard Kyle Molock suffered his second ACL injury in six months, when he re-tore the ligament in his right knee that had caused him to miss all but 10 games in his senior year Dublin at Coffman (Ohio) High School. Forward Javon Baumann, an import from Germany, could to further his development by redshirting the season because of the strength of the Hawks' frontcourt.

Miles, at 6-7, intrigues the Hawks' coaching staff as they are anxious to see how he can contribute

best - as a forward or a big wing player. The standout from Milford Mill Academy in Maryland can score the basketball and could earn a regular spot in the rotation with that ability.

Sophomore **Evan Maschmeyer** will be seeking more playing time this season in the backcourt along with former walk-on, senior **Taylor Trevisan**.

Sophomore **Papa Ndao** saw limited action in the frontcourt last year and with more development in his game, will provide depth.

A pair of walk-ons - **Christopher Coyne** and **Colin Kelly** - made the squad as last season and are now joined by **Eric Kindler**, who earned a spot on the team this year.

"There's a certain 'positive' disappointment with this group. We left some jobs undone - individually, collectively and as players, coaches, and head coach. I need to make the adjustments that are necessary for them. But they also have to make adjustments," said Martelli. "We have to be true to the words on our wall - 'Act Like a Champion. Be a Teammate.' Those things are really important to our success."

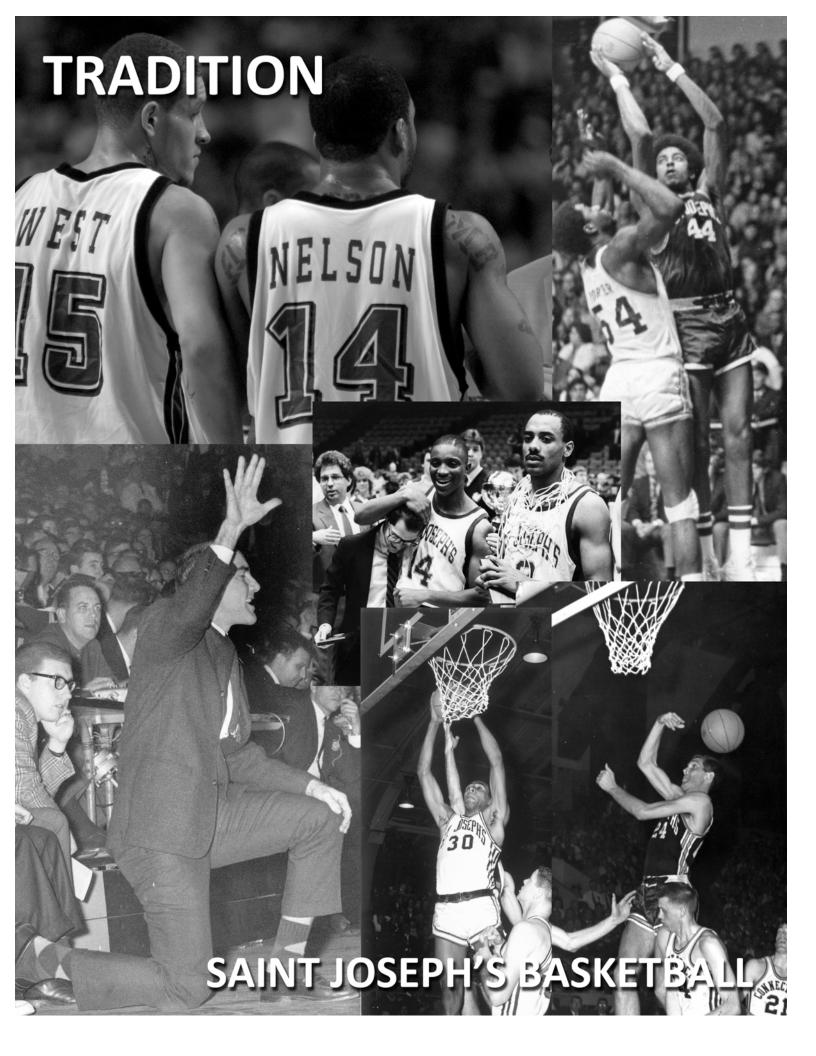
If the Hawks are to contend for the conference title and earn their first NCAA Tournament berth since 2008, they will have to go through a challenging schedule, which includes a "new look" A-10, as NCAA Tournament regulars Butler and VCU join the fold. Saint Joseph's will be tested right away when it participates in the Coaches vs. Cancer Classic with BYU, Florida State and Notre Dame, at the Barclays Center in Brooklyn, which will be the site of the 2013 A-10 Tournament. Among the teams being hosted by SJU during the non-conference slate are Harvard, American and Iona, while SJU will go

on the road to Creighton and Villanova.

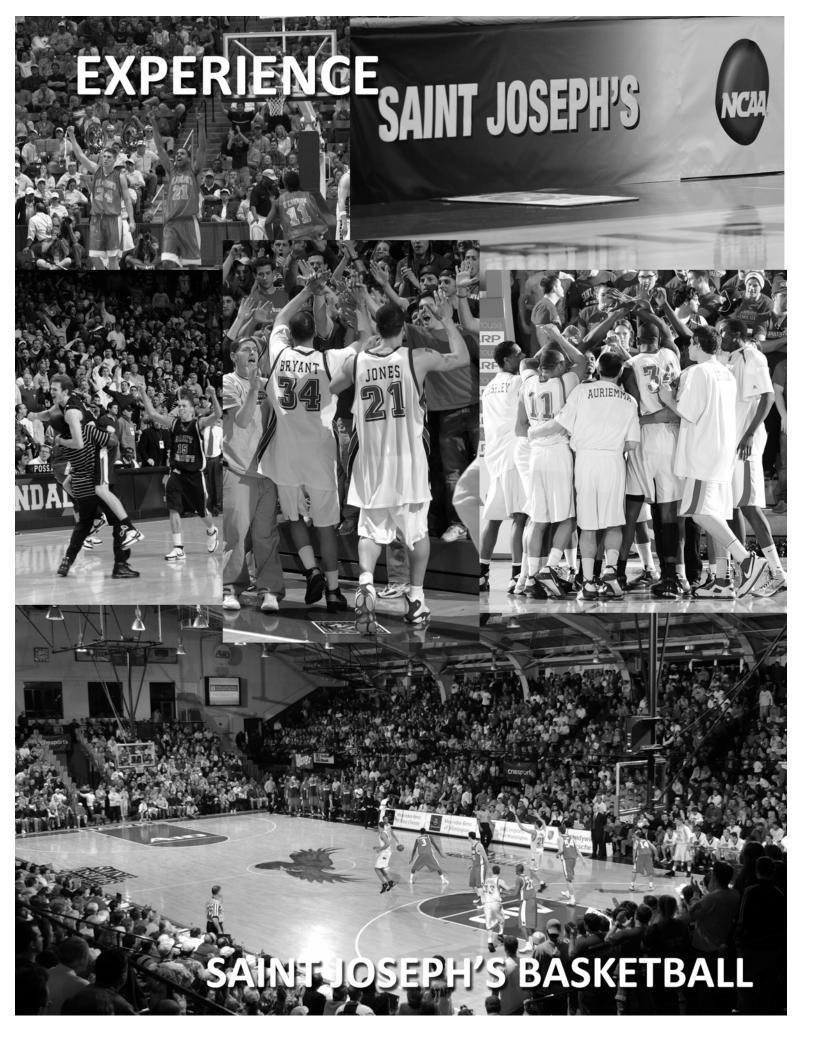
"The intrigue of the schedule centers around Butler and VCU being added to the league, about only playing Temple once, and about going to Brooklyn early in the year," said Martelli. "But we're always appropriately scheduled. When people talk about strength of schedule I don't think we've ever been lower than fifth in the league. And if the team's good enough, then we'll get the attention we deserve come March."

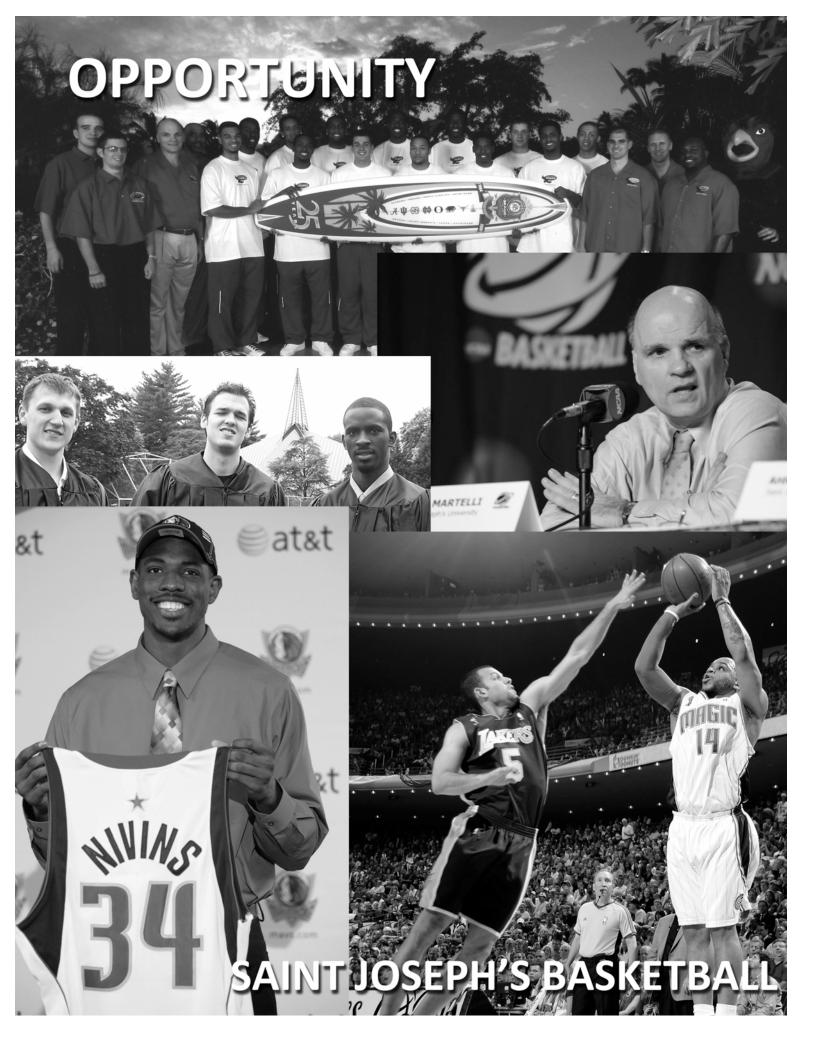
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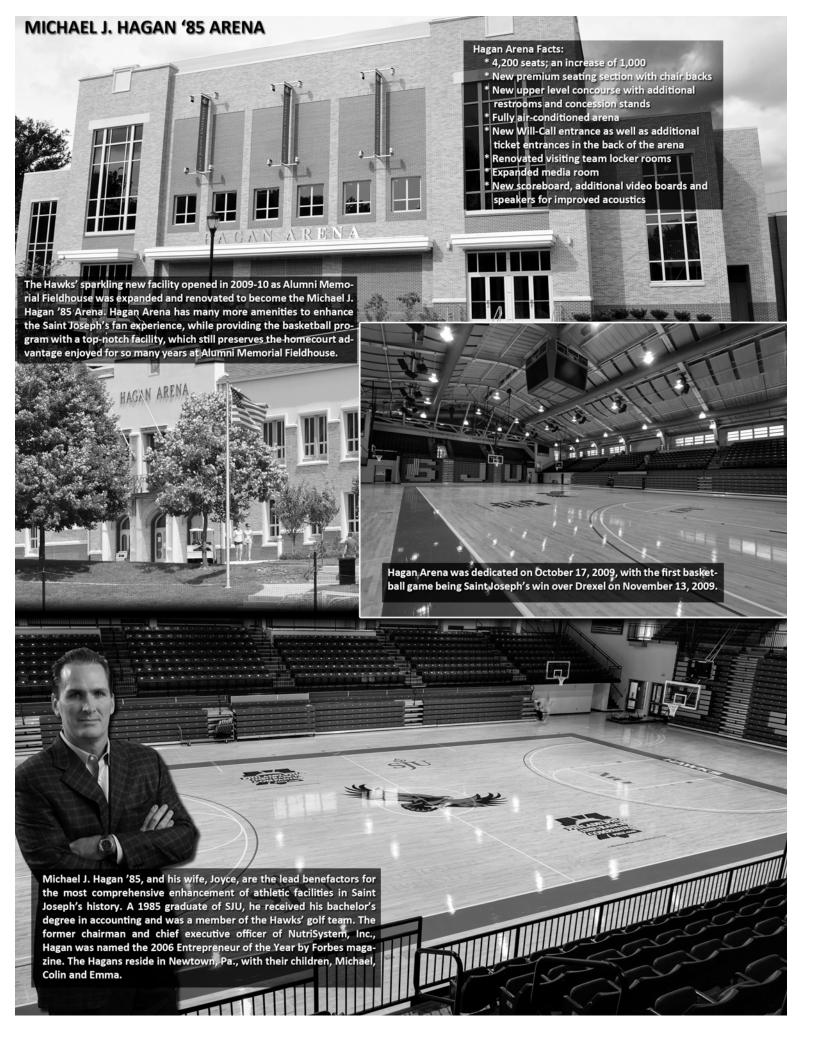
- Head coach **Phil Martelli** is the longest tenured coach in the Atlantic 10, entering his 18th season at Saint Joseph's. He is the Hawks' all-time leader in career victories with his 320-223 record.
- Saint Joseph's was picked as the favorite in the Atlantic 10 Preseason Poll, receiving 11 first-place votes from coaches and media. The Hawks return all five starters, plus A-10 Sixth Man of the Year Ronald Roberts, Jr., from last year's squad which posted a 20-14 record, for the seventh 20-win season under Phil Martelli. That squad also earned an NIT bid, for the 10th postseason appearance during his tenure.
- The Hawks placed four players on the Preseason All-Conference team Carl Jones and Langston Galloway were Second Team selections, while C.J. Aiken and Halil Kanacevic received mention on the Third Team.
- Saint Joseph's will participate in the 2012 Coaches vs. Cancer Classic and after hosting Yale on November 12, will play in the championship round at the new Barclays Center in Brooklyn, N.Y. The Hawks will face Notre Dame on November 16, and then will play in the consolation/championship round on November 17 against either BYU or Florida State.
- Saint Joseph's was one of nine teams in the nation to win at least 20 or more games in 2011-12 after losing 20 or more the previous season.
- C.J. Aiken, the 2012 A-10 Defensive Player of the Year, now ranks second on SJU's list for career blocks with 237. Aiken had 120 blocks last year, just one short of the school's season record, while averaging 3.5 per game to rank fifth in the nation. With 7.2 blocks per game as a team, the Hawks ranked second in the NCAA stats behind national champion Kentucky.
- Junior Langston Galloway led the A-10 and ranked fourth in the nation in three-point percentage, hitting 46.6 percent. His total of 90 three-pointers made last season ranked fourth among the Hawks' best all-time performances. Galloway was chosen as SJU's captain for the season, as voted by his teammates.
- Carl Jones will be the only senior in the starting lineup in 2012-13. He has led the Hawks in scoring for two consecutive years.
- Incoming freshman **Kyle Molock** is expected to miss the season after re-tearing the ACL in his right knee during summer workouts. He had previously suffered that injury in January 2012 and missed most of his senior year at Dublin Coffman (Ohio) High School. Molock also suffered a more severe injury to the major ligaments in his left knee following his sophomore season.



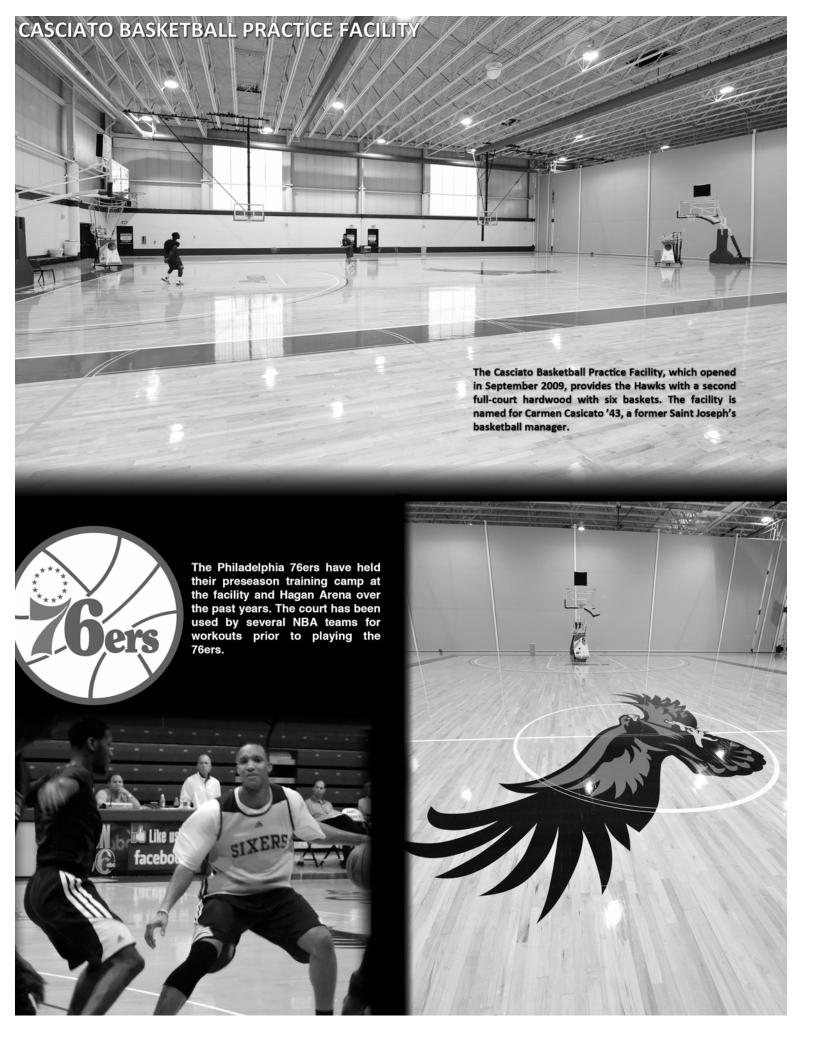






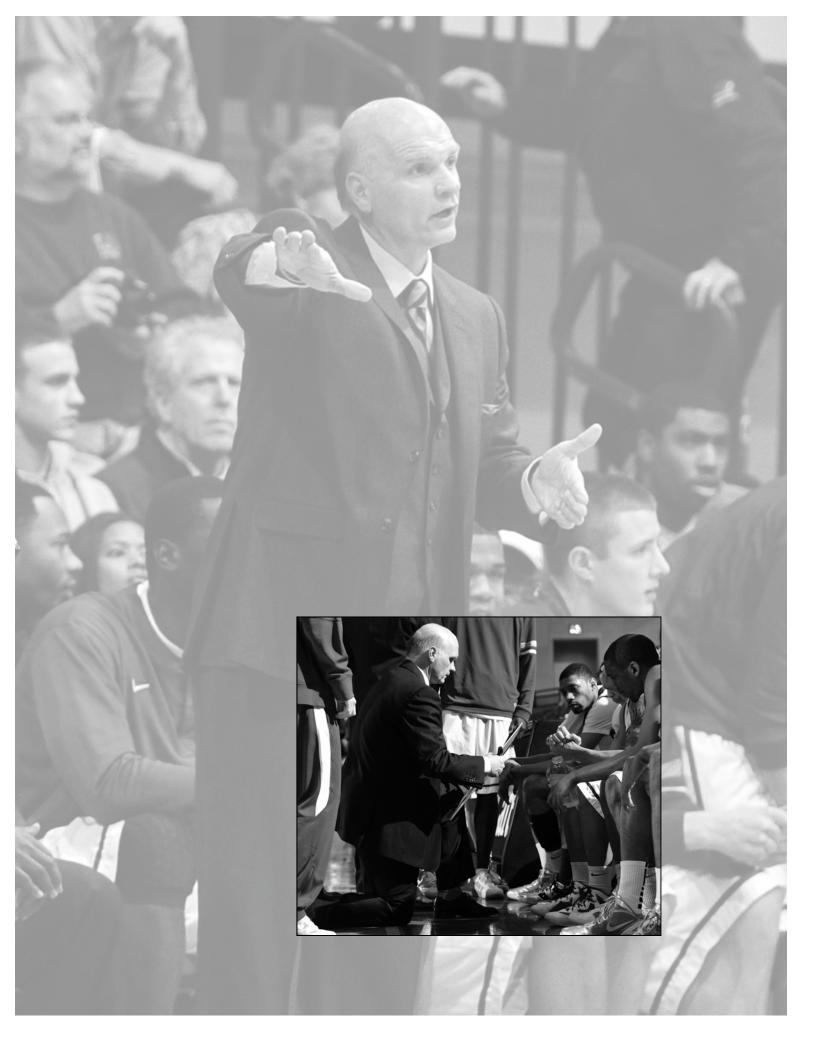


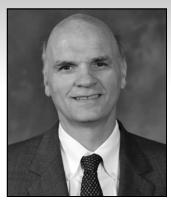




# COACHING STAFF







#### Head Coach - 18th Season

- 2004 Consensus National Coach of the Year
  - Four-time Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year •

In 17 seasons as Saint Joseph's University head coach, **Phil Martelli** has built a program that is consistently one of the top in the confer-

ence, a perennial post-season participant and a key player on the national scene, while earning his place among the top coaches in the school's storied history. He has worked 27 years overall at SJU, including 10 seasons as an assistant coach.

Martelli is now the Hawks' all-time leader in career victories with his 17-year mark of 320-223. He earned the record with SJU's win over Morgan State on December 28, 2011, breaking the mark held by Bill Ferguson (309). Setting the school record for wins in a season (30) in 2004, Martelli has guided SJU to 20 or more victories seven times in the past 17 seasons, which is the most for any Hawks' coach. He is the "dean" of Atlantic 10 coaches, being the longest tenured active coach and owning a 159-113 record in Atlantic 10 play, which is the most conference wins for any active coach.

In 2011-12, Martelli and the Hawks became one of nine teams in the nation to win 20 games after losing 20 the previous season, and also returned to the postseason with an NIT bid. Saint Joseph's boasted a young and exciting squad, and one of the most balanced in school history, as five different players received Atlantic 10 honors, the most ever for the Hawks. SJU also scored two wins over Top 25 teams (Creighton and Temple) and Martelli became SJU's all-time leader in victories.

In 2010-11, Martelli guided the youngest squad in his career, which included three freshman starters. The Hawks made an exciting late-season run, earning a berth in the Atlantic 10 Tournament with a win in the final regular-season game, and won two games in the tourney to reach the semifinals. He reached two milestones with his 300th career victory (March 11) and his 150th conference win (March 5), while also coaching his 500th game and 250th A-10 contest.

Martelli's 2009-10 squad went 11-20 coming off a 2008-09 season that saw the Hawks go 17-15 for his ninth consecutive winning season. Among the highlights of '08-09 was Ahmad Nivins earning AP Honorable Mention All-America honors and becoming the third Hawk in six years to garner the Atlantic 10's Player of the Year Award. Nivins was chosen by the Dallas Mavericks in the 2009 NBA Draft, becoming the third player coached by Martelli to be drafted.

The 2007-08 Hawks reached the Atlantic 10 Championship game for the third time in four years and earned the program's 19th bid to the NCAA Tournament and Martelli's fifth. The 11th-seeded Hawks fell to sixth-seeded Oklahoma in the NCAA First Round, ending the year at 21-13.

He reached a significant milestone in 2006-07 when he surpassed Hall of Famer Jack Ramsay for second place on the school's all-time list for wins, guiding a young squad to 18 victories.

Martelli has been at his best when it counts the most as his 17 postseason wins (6 NCAA, 11 NIT) are the most in school history, ahead of Ramsay's 12. Martelli ranks first among Hawk coaches with a .630 postseason winning percentage (17-10) and has taken SJU to the postseason in eight of the last 12 years, and 10 times in his 17 seasons.

Martelli turned in another top-notch coaching performance in 2005-06. The Hawks went from a 10-12 record in February to win the final five games of the regular season and three straight in the conference tournament to reach the Atlantic 10 championship for the second year in a row, falling just one point short of the title. The Hawks were rewarded with their sixth consecutive postseason bid, but saw the season come to an end in the NIT second round, closing with a 19-14 mark.

His effort was similar to the previous season where he turned in perhaps a more remarkable coaching job than in 2003-04 when he was the consensus National Coach of the Year. Faced with the loss of two NBA first-round draft picks from the '03-04 squad that went 30-2, the 2004-05 Hawks struggled early on, but Martelli reworked the team's style of play to guide SJU to 21 wins in the calendar year of 2005 to finish 24-12. Saint Joseph's posted the conference's best record (14-2) and won its fifth straight regular-season title to tie the

#### The Martelli File

Career Record: 320-223 (17 years) Atlantic 10 Record: 159-113

Postseason Record: 17-10 (overall); 6-5 (NCAA Tournament)

**Birthdate:** August 31, 1954 **Hometown:** Media, Pa.

**Education:** Widener University, 1976 **Playing Career:** Widener University, 1972-76

College Coaching Career: Head Coach, Saint Joseph's University, July 20, 1995 to present; Assistant Coach, Saint Joseph's, 1985-86

to 1994-95.

Family: Wife, Judy; children - Phil, Jr., Jimmy, Elizabeth; daughters-in-law Meghan and Julie; grandson Philip Stephen,

granddaughter Marra.



The Martelli Family – Philip Stephen, Phil, Jr., Marra, Meghan, Patrick, Elizabeth, Judy, Phil, Julie, Jimmy

league record. The Hawks garnered the top seed in the conference tournament for the second year in a row and reached the championship game. He was named the Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year for the second straight season and the fourth time in his career. The Hawks earned their fifth consecutive postseason bid and made an exciting six-game run in the NIT, falling on a last-second shot in the championship game. It marked the second time in his career that he guided SJU to the NIT title game.

In 2003-04, Martelli guided a focused and unselfish squad that became the most compelling story in college basketball. The Hawks went undefeated in the regular season, reached the pinnacle as the top-ranked team in the nation and earned the school's first-ever number-one seed in the NCAA Tournament, advancing to the Elite Eight. Jameer Nelson was the consensus National Player of the Year and, along with teammate Delonte West, was a first-round selection in the NBA Draft. The Hawks became the first team since 1990-91 to go through the regular season without a loss (27-0). SJU opened the season ranked 12th in the polls and moved up throughout the year, taking the top spot on March 8, 2004, for the first time ever. SJU finished fifth for its highest final ranking since 1966. It was a school-record fourth straight season, and fifth in Martelli's tenure, that the Hawks were ranked in the AP poll.

Martelli guided SJU to its fourth NCAA appearance in nine seasons, and its first back-to-back berths since 1982. The top-seeded Hawks reached the Elite Eight for the first time since 1981 before falling to Oklahoma State in a heartbreaker, 64-62.

He joined Nelson to sweep the National Coach and Player of the Year awards, marking one of the few times in history that the top player and coach were from the same school. Martelli won the 2004 Naismith Award, the Henry Iba Award (USBWA), the inaugural Adolph Rupp Cup, the Coach of the Year awards from both the Associated Press and CBS/Chevrolet, and the NABC Co-Coach of the Year award. He was the Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year for the third time and a repeat winner of the Harry Litwack Big 5 Coach of the Year award.

During that season, the Hawks also won their second outright Big 5 title under Martelli and their fourth straight Atlantic 10 regular season crown. The squad was the recipient of the prestigious



#### **Hawk Coaches by Victories**

Phil Martelli set the school record for victories when Saint Joseph's defeated Morgan State on December 28, 2011. It was the 310th of Martelli's career, breaking the mark of 309 previously held by Bill Ferguson.

		YRS	w	L
1.	Phil Martelli	17	320	223
2.	Bill Ferguson	25	309	208
3.	Jack Ramsay	11	234	72
4.	Jim Boyle	9	151	114
5.	Jack McKinney	/ 8	144	77

Wanamaker Award, given to the team or athlete which brings the greatest credit to the city of Philadelphia, and was named the Team of the Year by the Philadelphia Sportswriters Association.

One of the more colorful coaches in the nation, Martelli's personality, wit and accessibility have always made him a media favorite. His popularity grew to an even higher level in 2004, as the Hawks remained unbeaten and the coach was besieged by media requests from all over the country. Martelli remained as accommodating as ever and the Saint Joseph's story was well-documented by the

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YEAR		RALL L	PCT	w	ATL/	NTIC 10 PCT	FINISH	POSTSEASON	FINAL AP RANKING	HIGH AP RANKING	COACH OF THE YEAR HONORS
1995-96	19	13	.594	9	7	.562	3rd East	NIT Runner-up			Big 5
1996-97	26	7	.788	13	3	.812	1st East	NCAA Sweet 16 Atlantic 10 Champion	#12	#12	Atlantic 10, District, Eastern, Big 5
1997-98	11	17	.393	3	13	.187	5th East				_
1998-99	12	18	.400	5	11	.312	5th East-t				
1999-00	13	16	.448	7	9	.437	4th East				
2000-01	26	7	.788	14	2	.875	1st	NCAA 2nd Round	#22	#18	Atlantic 10, Eastern
2001-02	19	12	.613	12	4	.750	1st East-t	NIT 2nd Round		#10	
2002-03	23	7	.767	12	4	.750	1st East	NCAA 1st Round		#25	District, Eastern
2003-04	30	2	1.000	16	0	1.000	1st East	NCAA Elite Eight	#5	#1	National, Atlantic 10, Big 5 District, Eastern
2004-05	24	12	.667	14	2	.875	1st East	NIT Runner-up			Atlantic 10
2005-06	19	14	.575	9	7	.562	5th	NIT 2nd Round			
2006-07	18	14	.562	9	7	.562	6th				
2007-08	21	13	.617	9	7	.562	4th-t	NCAA 1st Round			
2008-09	17	15	.530	9	7	.562	5th				
2009-10	11	20	.354	5	11	.312	11th-t				
2010-11	11	22	.333	4	12	.250	12th				
2011-12	20	14	.589	9	7	.562	5th	NIT 1st Round			
TOTALS	320	223	.589	159	113	.584		5 NCAA, 5 NIT (17-10	record)		



Phil Martelli is presented with the game ball from the win over Morgan State, which gave him the school record for coaching victories (310). Making the presentation is director of athletics Don DiJulia (left) and theninterim president John W. Smithson (center).

Philadelphia press and told by countless media outlets nationwide. He continues to be called on for his opinion on issues and was an instudio guest for the Turner Networks coverage of the 2011 NCAA Tournament.

He served as the head coach of the 2005 USA Under-21 World

Championship Team, which competed at the FIBA U21 World Championship in Argentina, earning a fifth-place finish. He had previously worked with USA Basketball as an assistant coach for the USA's gold-medal winning teams at both the 2001 FIBA World Championship for Young Men and the 1998 Goodwill Games.

Martelli added the title of "author" to his résumé, in 2007, when he co-wrote a book, "Don't Call Me Coach: A Lesson Plan for Life" with Harold Gullan, Ph.D.

He is one of the more respected coaches in the game, and is currently the First Vice President on the NABC's Board of Directors and is a member of the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Ethics Coalition.

Martelli's commitment to Saint Joseph's is equaled by SJU's commitment to him. Having received a contract extension in 2004, the University took that further in 2008 when it extended his contract through 2015-16.

He is not only passionate for coaching, but also for his work in the community. He serves as the chair of the Coaches vs. Cancer National Council as well as the co-chair of the Philadelphia chapter of Coaches vs. Cancer, which is one of the top fundraising groups in the country. In 2012, he received the Distinguished Service Award from the American Cancer Society's Southeast Region. Martelli and the Philadelphia coaches were honored at the 2004 NCAA Final Four with the NABC's Coaches vs. Cancer Champion Award and with the Community Service Award from the Philadelphia Sports Congress. In 2012, the Philadelphia coaches were honored with the Institute for Sport,

Spirituality and Character Development Award as presented by Neumann University.

The coach has received numerous honors for his community work, highlighted by three honorary degrees. Martelli's alma mater, Widener University, bestowed upon him one of its highest honors on May 15, 2004 with an honorary doctorate in public service for his "altruistic work in the community and his positive influence as a teacher, coach and role model." On May 21, 2006, he addressed the graduates of Cabrini College and received an honorary doctor of humane letters degree in recognition of his "extraordinary career and service to the community." And in 2010, Martelli gave the commencement address at Immaculata University, while receiving a doctorate of humane letters.

He was also named the "Citizen of the Year" by the March of Dimes in 2004, was inducted into the CYO Hall of Fame for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, and was honored by the National Adoption Center. In 2006, Martelli was inducted into the Hall of Fame at Kennedy-Kenrick High School (formerly Bishop Kenrick), where he coached

Martelli views himself as an ambassador for the University and takes the role very seriously. He is one of the most sought-after public speakers in Philadelphia, with an appeal that stretches even further outside the area. Making countless appearances year-round, he finds the time for many organizations, no matter how large or small.

#### **MARTELLI'S ACCOLADES**

#### 2012

Distinguished Service Award, American Cancer Society- Southeast Region

#### 2010

Honorary Doctorate, Immaculata University

#### 2007

Montgomery County Coaches Hall of Fame Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame

#### 2006

Honorary Doctorate, Cabrini College Kennedy-Kenrick High School Hall of Fame

#### 2005

Head Coach, USA Basketball (U21 World Championship Team) Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year

#### 2004

Consensus National Coach of the Year

- Associated Press Coach of the Year
- Naismith Coach of the Year
- Adolph F. Rupp Cup (Coach of the Year)
- CBS/Chevrolet Coach of the Year
- Hank Iba Award (USBWA Coach of the Year)
- NABC Co-Coach of the Year

Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year USBWA District Coach of the Year

Eastern College Coach of the Year (Herb Good Club)

Eastern Basketball Coach of the Year Honorary Doctorate, Widener University March of Dimes "Citizen of the Year" Archdiocese of Philadelphia CYO Hall of Fame

#### 2003

USBWA District Coach of the Year Eastern College Coach of the Year (Herb Good Club)

#### 2001

Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year Eastern College Coach of the Year (Herb Good Club)

Assistant Coach with USA Basketball (World Championship for Young Men)

#### 2000

Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Delaware County Chapter

#### 1998

Widener University Outstanding Alumnus Assistant Coach, USA Basketball, Goodwill Games (Gold Medal)

Archdiocese of Philadelphia Catholic School Hall of Fame

#### 1997

Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year
Eastern College Coach of the Year
(Herb Good Club)
Philadelphia Big 5 Co-Coach of the Year
USBWA District Coach of the Year
NABC District Coach of the Year
Basketball Times District Coach of the Year
Eastern Basketball District Coach of the Year

Grand Marshal, Phila. Columbus Day Parade

#### 1996

Philadelphia Big 5 Coach of the Year

Martelli has served as the honorary chairperson for the Centennial celebration of Ken-Crest, the largest community-based service provider for children and adults with disabilities in Southeastern Pennsylvania and Delaware.

After 10 years as an assistant at SJU, Martelli was named the 14th coach in school history on July 20, 1995, and was just the third non-alumnus to follow in the storied tradition of Hawk coaches.

Martelli burst onto the scene in 1995-96 and took SJU to the NIT Championship game as a rookie head coach, becoming just the fifth first-year head coach to take a team to the tournament's Final Four since the field expanded to 32 teams in 1980. Martelli led the '95-96 Hawks, which had lost the school's all-time leading scorer and a 1,000-point, 1,000-rebound performer, to a 19-13 record, tying him for third place with Jim Lynam (1978-79) for victories by a first-year SJU coach.

Expectations for 1996-97 were for a winning campaign. And after a disheartening season-opening rout at Duke (89-60) in the first round of the Preseason NIT, Martelli and his charges regrouped and turned in one of the best seasons in the program's history. The team's accomplishments, most of which have now been surpassed by the '03-04 team, included a then-record-tying 26 wins (seven losses), and a final national ranking of 12th by the Associated Press and 17th by CNN/USA Today. The squad also put together a 10-game winning streak and three wins over Top 25 teams while winning both the Atlantic 10 regular season and tournament titles. The Hawks advanced to the NCAA Sweet 16 before suffering a loss to defending national champion Kentucky.

With the team's success came individual accolades for the second-year coach. He garnered Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year honors as well as being named District Coach of the Year by the USBWA,

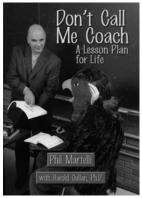


NABC, Eastern Basketball and Basketball Times. Martelli was also named the Eastern College Coach of the Year and was the co-recipient of the Big 5 award.

Martelli's third year at the helm was a true test of his character. The season started with the loss of one of his key players to academics and two recruits to NCAA inieligibility rules. Despite the depleted lineup, the coach kept the team competitive throughout the season, as the Hawks struggled to find wins while facing one of the most demanding schedules in school history. They totaled 11 wins, but the "never say die" spirit of SJU was evidenced by the team holding leads over five nationally-ranked teams late in the second half.

In 1998-99, the Hawk mentor faced perhaps his

#### Martelli the Author



In 2007, Phil Martelli added a new title to his résumé - that of "author." He came out with his first book, entitled *Don't Call Me Coach: A Lesson Plan for Life.* The book is co-written by the Martelli and Harold Gullan, Ph.D.

In the book, Martelli passes on what he has learned from his own rich experience, which includes over 30 years of coaching at the high school and college levels. One of America's most colorful, outspoken, and successful coaches, Martelli compresses his three decades of experience into a 10-point "lesson plan for life" that will benefit anyone, no mat-

ter what those challenges may be. He speaks equally to teachers, parents, educators, and business executives – in short, to anyone who plays the role of coach in daily life.

Gullan, a noted historian and sports fan, is also the author of *The Upset That Wasn't, Faith of Our Mothers, First Fathers*, and *Jumping Through Hoops*.

The book, which includes a foreword by former Pennsylvania Governor Ed Rendell, was published by Camino Books of Philadelphia (www.caminobooks.com).

toughest challenge as a head coach, guiding a team that started a school-record four newcomers through a tough non-conference slate and the always imposing A-10 battles. Martelli and SJU got off to a strong start, defeating No. 21 Tennessee and winning the Cable Car Classic en route to a 9-7 record at mid-January. Youth finally caught up to the Hawks, however, as the team experienced a ninegame losing streak and finished the season with a 12-18 overall mark.

The 1999-2000 season included many highlights as the coach guided the team to a stunning 62-59 win over then-No. 5 Temple at The Palestra on February 29. It was Martelli's first win over Temple and the program's first win over a Top 5 team since February, 1984 (No. 2 DePaul). The team's 13-16 record was deceiving as the Hawks played a schedule ranked 32nd toughest in the nation.

Picked by most as a middle-of-the-pack Atlantic 10 team in 2000-01, SJU started strong, posting a 7-3 record in its first 10 games, and finished even stronger, going 14-2 in the conference to win the single division A-10 regular season title. Overall, the Hawks again tied the school-record for wins, compiling a 26-7 mark. The team moved into the Top 25 in both major polls in February, and was ranked in the final polls (No. 22 AP; No. 24 ESPN/USA Today).

Despite its ranking, and the presence of one of the nation's finest backcourts in junior Marvin O'Connor and National Freshman of the Year Jameer Nelson, SJU earned an at-large bid but only a number-nine seed. The Hawks responded by downing eighth-seeded Georgia Tech, 66-62, in the first round of the West Regional in San Diego. The team then showed its true mettle, battling top seed Stanford in one of the most exciting games of the NCAA Tournament before falling, 90-83.

As in 1996-97, Martelli picked up much-deserved hardware following the season. He was named Coach of the Year by the Atlantic 10, NABC (District III) and Philadelphia's Basketball Writers (Eastern College Coach of the Year). Nationally, he was a finalist for the national Coach of the Year by *ESPN the Magazine* and also a finalist for the Naismith College Basketball Coach of the Year award.

In the 2001-02 preseason, the Hawks were ranked as high as

eighth by *Sports Illustrated* and 10th by both major polls. SJU stayed in the polls until mid-December when three straight losses (North Carolina, Georgia State and Gonzaga), all coinciding with an injury to All-American guard O'Connor, saw the team fall from the rankings. Saint Joseph's rebounded to post a 19-12 record, share the A-10 East title for Martelli's third regular-season crown, and earn its fourth postseason bid in seven years (NIT).

In 2002-03, after graduating four fifth-year seniors that compiled over 5,000 points and 2,200 rebounds, the Hawks were picked to be in the middle of the A-10 East Division. With arguably the nation's best point guard in the fold in Nelson, Martelli built the team around defense and perimeter play. The plan worked as SJU went on to lead the nation in field goal percentage defense (.372) and ranked seventh in scoring defense (59.5 ppg). The team cracked the national polls in February and ended the season with its third straight A-10 regular season title, second NCAA at-large bid in three seasons and a 23-7 record, despite a late-season injury to Delonte West.

Off the court, Martelli's lighter side has been featured weekly on his *HawkTalk* television show, which ran for 15 seasons as the most unique coach's show in the nation, with a "Tonight Show" format. Game highlights were included, but were secondary to the jokes and humorous interviews. Named the best coach's show in college basketball by *The Sporting News* in 2001, *HawkTalk* gained a much greater audience in its third year (1998-99), with its move to Comcast SportsNet, Philadelphia's regional all-sports station. The show's viewer base grew even more in 2003-04, when national network CBS College Sports aired the show for five years.

A four-time Atlantic 10 (1997, 2000, 2004, 2005) and four-time USBWA District Coach of the Year (1997, 2001, 2003, 2004), Martelli is one of just three Hawk coaches to record 200 career wins, posting his milestone victory against Buffalo on March 19, 2005.

A 1976 graduate of Widener University, Martelli began his career on Hawk Hill with SJU's 1985-86 team, which reached the NCAA Tournament. In his decade as an assistant, he was part of the Hawks' NIT teams in 1992-93 and 1994-95.

Prior to his arrival at SJU, Martelli spent seven years as head basketball coach at Bishop Kenrick High School in Norristown, Pa. At Kenrick, he led his team to six straight Catholic League playoff appearances, a school record, and still owns the school's all-time



Phil Martelli is presented with the game ball from the win over Morgan State, which gave him the school record for coaching victories (310). Making the presentation is director of athletics Don DiJulia (left) and then-interim president John W. Smithson (center).

mark for wins with 108. His best season came in 1982, when he was named Prep Coach of the Year by both the *Philadelphia Inquirer* and *Philadelphia Daily News*. He earned similar honors in both 1980 and 1982 for Montgomery County from the *Norristown Times-Herald*.

Martelli began his career as the junior varsity coach at Cardinal O'Hara High in Springfield, Pa., for the 1976-77 season. He moved on the following year to become an assistant at his alma mater, where he helped guide Widener to the NCAA Division III Final Four. After that season, he accepted the head job at Kenrick.

As a player, he was part of Widener's NCAA Tournament teams in both 1974-75 and 1975-76, serving as team co-captain as a senior. The point guard also set the school's single season and career assist marks.

Martelli and his wife, Judy, a former basketball player with the national champion Immaculata College teams in the 1970s, have three children. Phil, Jr., a 2003 SJU graduate, is an assistant basketball coach at the University of Delaware, Jimmy is an assistant coach at Rutgers University, and daughter Elizabeth Jeffries is a 2009 graduate of Saint Joseph's. The Martelli's have two young grandchildren, Philip Stephen, and Marra, who are the children of Phil, Jr., and wife Meghan.

#### **MARTELLI'S MILESTONES**

#### 1st Win

December 2, 1995 – Saint Joseph's 64, Delaware 56 **50th Win** 

January 14, 1998 – Saint Joseph's 55, St. Bonaventure 50 100th Win

February 10, 2001 – Saint Joseph's 78, St. Bonaventure 76 **150th Win** 

November 14, 2003 – #17 Saint Joseph's 73, #10 Gonzaga 66 **200th Win** 

March 19, 2005 – Saint Joseph's 55, Buffalo 50

235th Win (moved into second place on all-time victory list)

February 4, 2007 - Saint Joseph's 71, Dayton 65

250th Win

January 19, 2008 - Saint Joseph's 82, Penn 42

300th Win

March 11, 2011 - Saint Joseph's 93, Duquesne 90 (OT)

310th Win (Set SJU record)

December 28, 2011 – Saint Joseph's 81, Morgan State 50

100th Atlantic 10 Win

February 12, 2005 - Saint Joseph's 69, Temple 57

150th Atlantic 10 Win

March 5, 2011 – Saint Joseph's 71, Charlotte 70

500th Game Coached

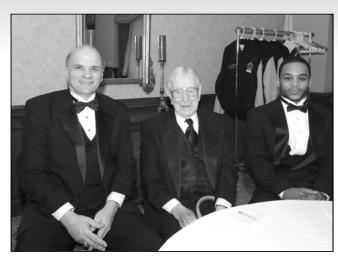
February 13, 2011 – Saint Joseph's 76, Fordham 70

250th Atlantic 10 Game Coached

February 13, 2011 - Saint Joseph's 76, Fordham 70

**Highest National Ranking** 

March 8, 2004 - #1 Associated Press; #1 ESPN/USA Today



Phil Martelli and Jameer Nelson collected all of the national Coach of the Year and Player of the Year Awards in 2004. The climax of the whirlwind awards tour was Nelson capturing the John R. Wooden Award and having the opportunity to meet coaching legend John Wooden at the awards ceremony in Los Angeles.

# PHIL IN THE POSTSEASON 17-10\* overall record (6-5 NCAA; 11-5 NIT)

YEAR	TOURN./ROUND	RESULT
1996	NIT	SJU 82, Iona 78
	NIT	SJU 82, Providence 62
	NIT	SJU 76, Rhode Island 59
	NIT Semifinals	SJU 74, Alabama 69 (OT)
	NIT Final	Nebraska 60, SJU 56
1997	NCAA 1st Round	SJU 75, Pacific 65
	NCAA 2nd Round	SJU 81, Boston College 77 (2OT)
	NCAA Reg. Semi.	Kentucky 83, SJU 68
2001	NCAA 1st Round	SJU 66, Georgia Tech 62
	NCAA 2nd Round	Stanford 90, SJU 83
2002	NIT 1st Round	SJU 73, George Mason 64
	NIT 2nd Round	Ball State 76, SJU 54
2003	NCAA 1st Round	Auburn 65, SJU 63 (OT)
2004	NCAA 1st Round	SJU 82, Liberty 63
	NCAA 2nd Round	SJU 70, Texas Tech 65
	NCAA Reg. Semifinal	SJU 84, Wake Forest 80
	NCAA Reg. Final	Oklahoma St. 64, SJU 62
2005	NIT Opening Round	SJU 53, Hofstra 44
	NIT 1st Round	SJU 55, Buffalo 50
	NIT 2nd Round	SJU 68, Holy Cross 60
	NIT Quarterfinals	SJU 58, Texas A&M 51
	NIT Semifinals	SJU 70, Memphis 58
	NIT Final	South Carolina 60, SJU 57
2006	NIT 1st Round	SJU 71, Rutgers 62
	NIT 2nd Round	Hofstra 77, SJU 75 (OT)
2008	NCAA 1st Round	Oklahoma 72, SJU 64
2012	NIT 1st Round	Northern Iowa 67, SJU 65

\* school record for wins and winning percentage

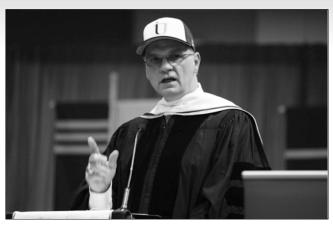
#### **MARTELLI vs. ALL OPPONENTS**

	Record 2-0	Streak W2		Record 1-0	Streak W1
Akron			Memphis		
Alabama UAB	1-1 0-1	L1 L1	Minnesota Mississippi	0-2 0-1	L2 L1
American	0-1	L1	Mississippi State	1-0	W1
American-P.R.	1-0	W1	Morgan State	1-0	W1
Austin Peay	1-0	W1	Nebraska	0-1	L1
Ball State	2-1	W2	New Mexico	1-0	W1
Bellarmine	1-0	W1	Norfolk State	1-0	W1
Boston College	4-0	W4	North Carolina	0-1	L1
Boston University	6-1	W1	Northern Iowa	0-1	L1
Bucknell	2-2	W1	Ohio	0-1	L1
Buffalo	1-0	W1	Ohio State	0-1	L2
California	1-0	W1	Oklahoma	0-1	L1
UC-Santa Barbara	1-0	W1	Oklahoma State	0-1	L1
UC-Davis	1-0	W1	Old Dominion	4-3	L1
Canisius	1-0	W1	Pacific	2-1	W1
Charlotte	5-4	W1	Penn	12-6	L2
Chattanooga	1-1	L1	Penn State	2-2	W1
Colorado	2-0	W2	Princeton	1-3	L3
Coppin State	1-0	W1	Providence	1-0	W1
Cornell	1-1	L1	Purdue	0-1	L1
Creighton	1-3	W1	Rhode Island	18-12	W1
Davidson	2-0	W2	Richmond	9-6	L1
Dayton	10-13	W1	Rider	1-1	L1
Delaware	6-0	W6	Rutgers	3-1	W3
DePaul	1-2	L2	St. Bonaventure	25-6	L2
Drexel	11-4	W1	Saint Louis	2-6	L6
Duke	0-1	L1	Saint Marv's	2-0	W2
Duquesne	16-4	W2	Saint Peter's	1-0	W1
East Carolina	0-2	L2	San Francisco	2-1	L1
Eastern Washington	0-1	L1	Seton Hall	0-2	L2
Fairfield	6-0	W6	Siena	2-2	W1
Fairleigh Dickinson	2-0	W2	South Carolina	1-2	L1
Fordham	24-3	W6	South Carolina State	1-0	W1
George Mason	1-0	W1	Stanford	0-1	L1
George Washington	14-10	W2	Syracuse	0-2	L2
Georgia State	0-1	L1	Temple	17-23	W1
Georgia Tech	2-0	W2	Tennessee	1-1	W1
Gonzaga	2-3	L2	Texas	0-1	L1
Harvard	1-1	L1	Texas A&M	1-0	W1
Hofstra	1-2	L2	Texas Christian	1-0	W1
Holy Cross	3-1	W2	Texas-El Paso	1-0	W1
Indiana	1-0	W1	Texas Tech	1-0	W1
Iona	1-1	L1	Towson	2-0	W2
Kansas	1-1	W1	Tulsa	2-2	W1
Kentucky	0-1	L1	Vanderbilt	0-1	L1
Lafayette	3-0	W3	Villanova	4-11	W1
La Salle	15-7	W1	Virginia Tech	2-3	L1
Lehigh	2-0	W2	Western Carolina	1-0	W1
Liberty	1-0	W1	Western Kentucky	3-1	W1
Long Beach State	1-0	W1	Wisconsin-Green Ba		W1
Louisville	0-1	L1	Wyoming	1-0	W1
Loyola-Md.	0-1	L1	Xavier	9-16	L4
Massachusetts	16-16	W1			





One of the most heartwarming stories of 2010-11 was Martelli making good on his promise to Lenny Martelli (no relation), who had been paralyzed in a snowboarding accident the previous year. Phil told Lenny that when he was able to walk again, they would walk together onto the court for a game. Lenny joined Phil at the Xavier game, earning a standing ovation from the Hagan Arena crowd and the Saint Joseph's and Xavier teams.



Martelli received his third honorary doctorate in six years when he gave the Commencement Address at Immaculata University in 2010. His alma mater, Widener University, had bestowed the honor upon him in 2004, while he also received an honorary degree in 2006 from Cabrini College.



Martelli coached the 2005 USA Men's Under 21 World Championship Team at the FIBA U21 World Championship in Argentina in August, 2005.



The 2004 winner of the Adolph Rupp Cup as the nation's top coach, Martelli was called upon to present the award to the 2006 Coach of the Year, Roy Williams of North Carolina at the 2006 Final Four in Indianapolis.



Martelli faced a unique situation in 2010-11, as he coached against one of his sons for the first time when the Hawks played Rutgers. The elder Martelli greets son Jimmy prior to the game, which was a 76-70 Saint Joseph's win. His oldest son, Phil, Jr., is currently an assistant coach at the University of Delaware, after stints at Manhattan and Niagara.



Martelli and good friend Fran Dunphy of Temple serve as the co-chairs of the Philadelphia chapter of Coaches vs. Cancer. The Philadelphia coaches have become one of the highest fundraising groups in the country.



# **MARK BASS**

# Assistant Coach 14th Season

Mark Bass, one of the most prolific shooters in Saint Joseph's history, is the veteran among the Hawks' assistant coaches, and is now entering

his 14th season at his alma mater. He is the second-longest tenured assistant coach in SJU men's basketball history, behind Dan Kenney, who was an assistant for 17 seasons (1953 to 1970).

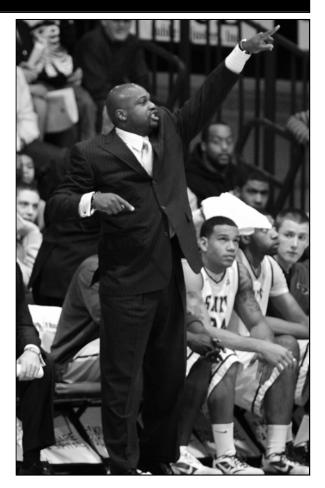
Bass joined the Hawks' staff in 1999-2000 and has been involved with teams that made six consecutive post-season appearances and won five Atlantic 10 regular-season titles. Nine years after he led the Hawks to the NIT Final as a player in 1996, Bass again helped SJU reach New York City and the NIT Final as a coach in 2005.

In 2005, Bass was honored with the William J. Bennett Memorial Award, recognizing dedication and loyalty to the Saint Joseph's men's basketball program. He was a co-recipient of the award with then-fellow staff member Monté Ross.

A fiery leader on the court, and two-year team captain, Bass led the Hawks to the NIT Finals in his senior season, 1995-96, and ranked second on the team with his average of 14.3 points per game. He connected for school records of 91 3-pointers and 268 attempts, season marks which were later eclipsed by Pat Carroll in 2005. A Second Team All-Big 5 selection, Bass made 225 three-pointers during his career from 1992-96, a total that now ranks fifth on the Hawks' all-time list. As a freshman, the guard led the Atlantic 10 Conference in free throw percentage with a school-record 86.9 percent, a mark which was just broken by Langston Galloway in 2011-12 (88.7). Bass also led the A-10 in 3-point percentage as a junior (.423), making him just the second Saint Joseph's player to lead the league in two different categories.



The Bass Family - Mark, Tracie and Noel



In 2001, Bass became the first member of the 1996 NIT Finalist team to be inducted into the Saint Joseph's Basketball Hall of Fame.

Upon graduation he played one season of professional basketball with the Tianjin Breakers in the Chinese Professional League in 1996-97. Following that, he served two seasons (1997-99) as an assistant coach under Max Good at Maine Central Institute, helping guide the team to back-to-back New England Prep School Championships, including a perfect 35-0 season in 1997-98.

A 1991 graduate of McCorristin High School in New Jersey and native of Trenton, Bass was named the Mercer County Player of the Year as a senior and set the all-time scoring record with 1,482 points in his career. He played for one year at Maine Central Institute, helping the squad to a 27-1 record with the lone loss coming in the New England Prep School Championship game.

Bass, who was inducted into the Mercer County CYO Hall of Fame in November, 2004, resides with his wife, Tracie, and son, Noel, in Lawnside, N.J.



# **DAVID DUDA**

Assistant Coach 7th Season

**David Duda** is now in his seventh season at Saint Joseph's and adds head coaching experience to the staff.

At SJU, Duda is responsible

for the post players and was instrumental in the development of 2009 Atlantic 10 Player of the Year Ahmad Nivins, who was selected by the Dallas Mavericks in the second round of the 2009 NBA Draft.

Duda came to SJU in 2006 after eight years as head coach at Widener University, where he compiled a 143-68 record, with two Middle Atlantic Conference Commonwealth championships and three trips to the NCAA Division III Tournament. He also served as Widener's athletic director from 2003 to 2006, overseeing the operation of the University's athletics program with 20 varsity teams.

Widener enjoyed its greatest success under his leadership in 2005-06, when the team finished 23-6, won the Commonwealth Conference regular-season title and made the school's first NCAA Sweet 16 appearance since 1987. Duda earned Coach of the Year honors for both the Commonwealth Conference and the NABC Mid-Atlantic Region.

Duda led the Pioneers to a record-breaking 24-4 season in 1999-00 and was recognized as MAC Coach of the Year.

A 1988 graduate of Spring Garden College, where he was a two-time honorable mention All-American, Duda began his coaching career as the top assistant to Herb Magee at Philadelphia University. During those seven seasons the Rams had their most successful period in school history, and Philadelphia University was the winningest Division II school in the country during that span with a 171-35 record.



The Duda family - David, Barbara, Danielle and David



He moved on to be the head coach at Delaware Valley College in 1997 for two seasons. Duda turned around a team which had been 0-23, leading it to a 12-12 mark for the first non-losing season in 11 years. He earned the Freedom Conference Coach of the Year award in 1998. His career coaching record in 10 seasons is 159-99.

Duda's connection with the Hawks' head coach dates back to 1981 when he played for Martelli on the varsity team at Bishop Kenrick High School (1981-84).

Duda lives in Collegeville, Pa., with his wife Barbara and children, Danielle and David.



# **GEOFF ARNOLD**

# Assistant Coach 5th Season

**Geoff Arnold**, a former star guard with the Hawks, enters his fifth year on Phil Martelli's staff after rejoining his alma mater for the 2008-09 season.

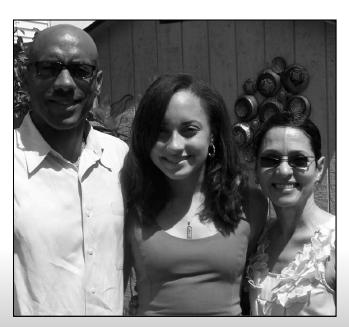
The 1986 graduate of Saint Joseph's is now in his second tenure as a full-time assistant coach, but was a volunteer assistant coach on Jim Boyle's staff in 1988-89, giving him a total of nine years on the Hawks' bench.

Prior to making his return to Saint Joseph's, Arnold was the associate head coach at Drexel University for seven years. While there, he was instrumental in the Dragons' recruiting efforts that helped them reach the postseason four times in seven seasons, including a 23-9 record in 2006-07.

The 1986 SJU graduate previously served as an assistant coach with the Hawks from 1993 to 1996. That stint included one year with Martelli, who was in his first season (1995-96) as head coach. During that season, the Hawks went 26-6 and reached the NIT Championship game.

Arnold left Saint Joseph's in 1997 to join former Hawk teammate Bruiser Flint at the University of Massachusetts, serving on Flint's staff for five years. He then returned to Philadelphia in 2001 when Flint was named head coach at Drexel.

Arnold, was a senior tri-captain for the 1985-86 Saint Joseph's team that won the Atlantic 10 Championship, recorded 26 wins and earned a bid to the NCAA Tournament. During his senior season, which was Martelli's first as an assistant coach at SJU, he averaged 8.9 points and led the team with 134 assists. He was inducted into the Saint Joseph's Basketball Hall of Fame in 1992.



The Arnold family – Geoff, Gabrielle and Stephanie



Upon graduation from Saint Joseph's, Arnold played for the Wildwood Aces of the United States Basketball League and then served as an assistant coach for one season. After one year out of basketball, he became a full-time assistant with the Hawks in 1992-93, working on John Griffin's staff for three seasons.

Originally from Sharon Hill, Pa. and Darby Township High School, Arnold is the uncle of Hawk junior Langston Galloway.

Arnold and his wife, Stephanie, reside in Philadelphia with their daughter, Gabrielle Tryce.

### SUPPORT STAFF



Rob Sullivan
DIRECTOR OF BASKETBALL
OPERATIONS

**Rob Sullivan** is in his seventh year as director of men's basketball operations. He oversees various adminstrative duties with the program, including travel, summer camp, activities and community service projects.

Sullivan had a three-year playing career at SJU, earning a spot on the team as a walk-on

in his sophomore year. Sullivan was part of the SJU teams which compiled a 73-28 record in those three years, while advancing to the NCAA Elite Eight in 2004 and finishing as the runner-up in the 2005 NIT

The native of Philadelphia was honored by SJU with the Daniel J. Cummins, Jr. Memorial Award for spirit in 2005 and the 2006 William Bennett Memorial Award for dedication to the program.

Over the years, he has served as an instructor and counselor at the basketball camps for SJU, his alma mater La Salle College High School, and the Future Stars Basketball Academy.

Sullivan, who graduated from Saint Joseph's in 2006 with a degree in food marketing, received mention on both the SJU Athletic Director's Honor Roll and the Atlantic 10 Commissioner's Honor Roll while an undergraduate.



# Clare Ariano ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Clare Ariano has served as the administrative assistant for men's basketball at Saint Joseph's since 1984, working behind the scenes to help ensure the program's continued success.

Aside from her day-to-day duties with the basketball program, Ariano assists head

coach Phil Martelli in scheduling his numerous speaking engagements and charitable efforts. She is also active with Coaches vs. Cancer and serves on the planning committee for the annual "BasketBall," a black-tie gala event.

In 2005, Ariano was inducted into the Saint Joseph's Men's Basketball Hall of Fame, becoming the seventh non-player in school history to earn the honor.

Ariano and her husband, Nick, reside in Lansdowne, Pa. They have two daughters, Alexis and Danielle.



Caroline Davis Manager



Janelle Fritz Manager



#### Bill Lukasiewicz HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER

**Bill Lukasiewicz** is in his 14th year with the Saint Joseph's sports medicine department, and now in his seventh year as head athletic trainer. Lukasiewicz works directly with the Hawks' men's basketball team.

A certified athletic trainer, Lukasiewicz worked at Newtown Square Physical Therapy

before coming to SJU. He also held positions with Providence College, the Boston Celtics, Cabrini College and ACT Physical Therapy.

A 1988 graduate of Springfield College (Mass.), he earned his master's degree in kinesiology with a concentration in sports medicine from Temple University in 1992. The Barrington, R.I., native and his wife, Amy, reside in Havertown, Pa., with their sons, Cole and Reed.



# Fr. Bruce Bidinger

Fr. Bruce Bidinger, S.J., is in his seventh year back on Hawks' bench as team chaplain. He returned to Saint Joseph's in 2006-07 after four years away while serving as president of St. Joseph's Preparatory School in Philadelphia. Fr. Bidinger currently serves as director of the Haub School of Business

Advising Center at the University.

Fr. Bidinger was one of Hawk Hill's more popular figures during his first tenure from 1996-2002. He first served as Director of Campus Ministry, overseeing that department's growth before moving to become SJU's first vice president for ministry and mission, a position that he held for two years before taking over at The Prep. He was also the chaplain for the Hawks' basketball team for several seasons.

Fr. Bidinger also spent five years as principal of Scranton Prep, where he also taught chemistry. He taught science at St. Joseph's Prep, Georgetown Prep and Loyola Blakefield in Baltimore.

Fr. Bidinger has also served on the boards of several institutions, including Saint Joseph's University, St. Joseph's Prep and Loyola High School in Baltimore. A native of South Jersey, Fr. Bidinger holds a bachelor's degree from Loyola College, a master's of divinity from the Weston School of Theology and a professional diploma in educational administration from Fordham University.



# Spencer Westemeier

GRADUATE ASSISTANT/
VIDEO COORDINATOR

**Spencer Westemeier** is in his first season as Saint Joseph's graduate assistant/ video coordinator. He is responsible for video editing and film exchange as well as various administrative duties.

A 2012 SJU graduate with a degree in international relations, Westemeier was a

team manager for four seasons, serving as the Hawks' head manager for his senior year. He received the William F. Maher Memorial Award for loyalty to the program in 2012.

A native of Arlington, Va., he is currently pursuing his master's degree from Saint Joseph's in homeland security.

# THE HAWK

One of the most famous mascots in college sports, the Saint Joseph's Hawk has been flapping its wings for 57 years.

The Hawk, which celebrated its golden anniversary in 2005-06, is best known for staying in constant motion by flapping its wings throughout every basketball game and representing the Saint Joseph's motto, "The Hawk Will Never Die."

Jim Brennan originated the idea for a hawk as mascot during the 1954-55 season. Brennan, an ex-Marine and SJU cheerleader, at first wanted to secure an actual hawk, but later switched to the costume idea. The student government raised the 120 dollars needed to buy the initial costume, which Brennan donned for three years. He made his debut as the Hawk on January 4, 1956, a 69-56 win over La Salle at the Palestra. Since then, and including this season, a total of 31 SJU students have donned the costume. The Hawk has not missed a men's basketball game since that first season in 1955-56.

There have been two women to serve as the mascot - Sara Brennan, in 2000-01 and Brienne Ryan in 2009-10.

In addition to the constant flapping, the Hawk is also recognized by its "flying" in figure eights around the court during timeouts. Years ago, ESPN used a "flap-o-meter" on the national telecast of a Saint Joseph's game to estimate that the Hawk flaps its wings 3,500 times during a regulation game.

The Hawk is unique because it is one of the few mascots in the nation that travels to every game, and the student who holds the position gains a tuition scholarship. The student, who is selected through an interview process during the previous spring semester, also serves as a team manager for the men's basketball team and travels with the squad.

The most decorated mascot in the country, The Hawk has garnered numerous accolades in its 57-year history. The Sporting News, Sports Illustrated, Sports Illustrated for Kids, Street & Smith's Basketball Yearbook and ESPN College Basketball magazine have selected it as the nation's top mascot. Eastern Basketball tabbed The Hawk as the Atlantic 10 Conference's best mascot, while The Hawk won a "Best of Philly" award from Philadelphia Magazine in 2003-04. The Hawk was selected as a 2008 nominee for the Mascot Hall of Fame.

Saint Joseph's athletic teams have been recognized with the nick-name "Hawks" since 1929. At that time, the school's yearbook editor, Charlie Dunn, initiated a contest among the student body for a symbol. More than 100 submissions were narrowed to two, with "Hawks" winning out over "Grenadiers" (World War I soldiers who specialized in tossing grenades) by a slim margin in the final vote.

John Gallagher '31, a catcher on the Saint Joseph's baseball team, submitted the winning suggestion. He won a sweater with a special Saint Joseph's monogram for selecting the winning name. According to the Student Annual, the nickname was appropriate because it typified "the fighting spirit of our crimson and gray athletes and it is suggestive of the aerial attack which has made our football team famous." Ironically, football was discontinued at Saint Joseph's following the 1939 season.

But it has been the connection with the storied tradition of the Saint Joseph's men's and women's basketball programs that has given



The Hawk mascot its prominence on the national level, making it one of the most recognized mascots in college athletics.

#### (Complete list of all-time Hawk mascots on page 174)





# lan Klinger

lan Klinger will serve as the Saint Joseph's Hawk mascot for the 2012-13 season. He is the 35th student to represent the University as its mascot in the 57th year of one of college basketball's most famous traditions.

Klinger is a junior at Saint Joseph's, who owns a double major in finance and accounting.

A native of Millersburg, Pa., and graduate of Millersburg Area

High School, he served as a student manager with the Hawks' basketball team in 2011-12.

A Dean's List student, Klinger is a member of the SJU Student Senate and the Lambda Chi Alpha - High Theta fraternity.