

# McMaster Men's Basketball 2019-2020

# 2018-2019 season

The 18/19 season was a first step into a new system with many new players. In the next slide we will examine the positives of the team's play.

# The Good

- McMaster had 407 stops on 3 pointers allowing opponents to shoot a mere 30.4% ranking 4<sup>th</sup> best 3 point defense in the OUA
- McMaster started out 11<sup>th</sup> in transition defense and finished the season 3<sup>rd</sup> which shows the greatest improvement of all the OUA teams.
- Ranked 6<sup>th</sup> highest in Points per game (higher than Ottawa)
- Started the season 12<sup>th</sup> in assists and finished 8<sup>th</sup> showing how ball movement improved our game

# The Bad

- McMaster had a total of 1218 stops last season (Opp. missed FG+STL+BLK). This ranked 4<sup>th</sup> worst in the OUA. 5<sup>th</sup> worst without STL+BLK.
- Mac ranked the 6<sup>th</sup> highest turnover team amongst teams like York and Nipissing at 13.6%
- McMaster ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> last in defensive rebounds and allows the most “extra possessions” per game in the OUA (Def REB allowed + FOULS + TO)
- Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in Personal Fouls

# The Goal

Last season the WEVALUE system was introduced to focus on key core values of the game that were tracked in game and in practice. The following are statistical goals made that if followed would put us in competition with Ryerson and Carleton; among the best.

# Stats to Strive For

- McMaster need roughly 1450 stops this season to finish at the top of the table
- McMaster should minimize points allowed on transition to less than 7 FG (Mac had 8 last year which was 4<sup>th</sup> best in the league)
- McMaster should not allow any opposition more than 7.3 offensive rebounds per game (opponents get 54% scoring and 1.07 PPP from put backs)
- These should hopefully allow Mac to defend oppositions to a 36.4-39.9% scoring %

# Stats to Strive For

- Improve from 10<sup>th</sup> in defensive scoring percentage to top 4 (see figure in next slide)
- Allow .82 points per possession or less
- Improve from 4-8 at home. Protect our home court. Mac holds 5<sup>th</sup> highest league attendance with an average of 178 fans coming out per game. Give them something to cheer for.

# League Defensive Stats

Rank	Team	Poss	Points	PPP	FG%	aFG%	%TO	%FT	%SF	%Score
1	Carleton University Ravens	2688	1900	0.707	34.20%	39.30%	18.80%	10.80%	8.60%	32.80%
2	Ryerson University Rams	2746	1961	0.714	33.90%	40%	18.80%	9.20%	7.50%	31.90%
3	Queens (ON) University Golden Gaels	2564	2054	0.801	40%	45.40%	17%	10.10%	8.80%	36.90%
4	Ottawa Gee-Gees	2647	2176	0.822	40.40%	46.60%	17.60%	10.20%	8.50%	37%
5	Western Ontario Mustangs	2220	1833	0.826	43.10%	48.90%	21%	12.10%	9.60%	38.60%
6	Wilfrid Laurier	2874	2383	0.829	40.90%	46.80%	18.90%	12%	8.70%	38.40%
7	Lakehead University Thunderwolves	2977	2496	0.838	39.90%	45.50%	14.70%	11.30%	9.10%	38.80%
8	Brock Badgers	2875	2464	0.857	41.80%	48.70%	17.20%	11.70%	9.20%	39.40%
9	York (ONT) Lions	2760	2381	0.863	41.40%	47.50%	17.20%	13.50%	11%	40%
10	McMaster Marauders	2846	2459	0.864	42.60%	47.70%	16.30%	12.90%	9.10%	40.60%
11	Windsor Lancers	2595	2269	0.874	40.70%	47.40%	13%	9.10%	8%	39%
12	Guelph Gryphons	2642	2315	0.876	42.20%	46.90%	13.80%	13.10%	10.20%	41.60%
13	Nipissing Lakers	2337	2080	0.89	42.70%	48.80%	14.60%	9.90%	7.40%	40.60%
14	Laurentian Voyageurs	2461	2219	0.902	44.20%	50.20%	16.20%	10.80%	8.20%	41.20%
15	Algoma Thunderbirds	2472	2254	0.912	44.40%	50.70%	14.40%	10.50%	8.50%	41.70%
16	Waterloo Warriors	2809	2575	0.917	43.30%	48.70%	11.40%	11.90%	9.40%	42.80%
17	Toronto Varsity Blues	2274	2122	0.933	45.30%	52.80%	14.90%	11%	8.50%	42.70%



Lets have a good season

Remember to follow WEVALUE Stats