During the first two games, the jackets rallied from five runs behind in the first five games. After the two wins, the jackets had to watch as NC State gave them a fight when the Wolfpack came back from a three-run deficit to tie the game in the ninth inning.

The tenth inning pushed to win the game began with a walk from reliever Chad O'Neill. After two, Jeremy Slayden was led off the 10th. O'Neill was hit by a fourth pitch, scoring after the Wolfpack players, Mark Maynor, scored after Tech right fielder Tyler Greene threw a sliver will miss me this summer...such is the pain of being a dork.

She's so hot, yet I'm afraid to say anything to her. Such is the pain of being a dork.

I've mastered the art of looking busy...I've got the wine and the song, I just need the women.

One person...flattered or disappointed that I'm not living up to my potential.

I'm not paying attention to the cute boy in the physics class...stop farting

Someone please tell the fratties that those sunglass neckband things are to be avoided.

To the cute girl in the physics class...stop farting

The ACC has voted to expand to 12 teams

By Clark Nelson Contribution Writer

How does Georgia Tech versus Miami at Bobby Dodd Stadium sound? It will very well happen come 2005. The ACC has voted to expand the conference and has invited Big East schools Miamli, Syracuse, and Boston College to join the nine team conference. "We're trying to do what's best for our conference in the future," said ACC Commissioner John Swofford. "The good thing about our league is, we are what we are today. Our schools feel very good about us for three games," said Burks. "Our whole approach today was 'Why not? W hy not win it all?'"

On Monday, the N C A A gave the team a reward for their resilience by seeding the Yellow Jackets in the top eight nationally for the second time in four years. As the No. 3 national seed, Tech will not have to leave home in its bid to return to Omaha, Neb for the College World Series.

Tech plays Stetson in the first round of a four-team, double-elimination tournament at Russ Chandler Stadium. The other two teams are South Carolina and East Carolina. The winner of the game will advance to the 2003 NCAAs, presented by the University of Miami and held in Miami.
Tuition Hike

W hat happens when the state of Georgia has a budget crisis? The state decides to increase in-state and out-of-state student fees. Page 1.

No. 3 Jackets make ACC history

Jackets survive challenging triple header and pick up their fifth ACC championship title.

By Kimberly Reick
Sports Editor

With two out in the 10th inning, Eric Patterson roosted the challenge and singled. He is single to lift 10th-ranked Georgia Tech to a 6-5 victory over NC State in the ACC baseball championship game. Tech's record improved to 44-16 with the win.


Tech made history with its title win because the NC State game was part of a daunting triple-header last Sunday against North Carolina, Florida State and the Wolfpack. It was the first time the baseball team had ever played or won three games in the same day.

"I think it's a historic day," Tech coach Danny Hall said in an Atlanta Journal Constitution interview after the win. "To think of how good our conference is and to know we won three games in one day is mind-blowing." 

Bosh, Nelson exit basketball team

By Katie Neel
Senior Staff Writer

It looks as though Georgia Tech's 2003 ACC Rookie of the Year, freshman Chris Bosh, has announced his intention to entering the NBA draft. Additionally the 2002 ACC Rookie of the Year, sophomore Ed Nelson, has been granted a release to transfer to another Division 1 school.

"It was a very difficult decision," Bosh said. "I enjoyed myself at Georgia Tech. It was really tough because I had teammates there that were really good. But this was the best decision for me to make." 

Both had Tech's 'sport-season' run in the National Invitation Tournament, averaging 15 points and 9.3 rebounds in three NIT games. He recorded double figures in both points and rebounds 13 times during the season. Although H e witt and his staff had hoped Bosh would remain for another season, the head coach will continue looking for replacements now that he has two scholarships available for the coming season.

"Chris has decided to explore his options, and hopefully get an accurate read on what the NBA teams think about him, and his potential draft status," said head coach Paul Hewitt. "I'm sure with the support of his family, he will come to the best conclusion for his future. I go without saying that I will support him in any way possible, whatever he decides." 

When Bosh makes his entry official in June, he will become the fifth Tech player to make an early entry into the NBA. Joining Dennis Scott, Kenny Anderson, Stephon Marbury and Dion Glover.

After earning first team All-ACC and Rookie of the Year honors, freshman Chris Bosh has decided to leave Tech early to enter the NBA draft. Analysts predict Bosh will be a lottery pick, as high as No. 4 or 5.

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Georgia Tech senior center Sojana Mallory was drafted in the second round of the WNBA draft last month by the New York Liberty. Mallory, a first-team All-ACC pick as a senior, is only the second Yellow Jacket to be selected in the draft and the highest draftee in school history.

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by the numbers

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The number of Yellow Jacket players who have signed NFL free agent contracts. They players are: Michael Huster, Ricardo Wimbush, Kerry Watkins, Luke Mavor and Will Aller. The teams range from the Atlanta Falcons to the New England Patriots.

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N number of wins the softball team had this season. The team ended their season with a loss to UMass in their CAA regional tournament. The team tied the 1991 season for the second-most in school history.

543.25"

Chaunte Howard's school-record in the high jump at Georgia Tech. It was the most number of double victories in school history.

337

N number of strikesouts Jessica Salinger dealt opponents during the 2003 season. At the end of the season, she held the school record with a 1.91 ERA.

101

Senior Jaime Wong all-time school record of singles wins. Wong also finishes her collegiate career with the most number of double victories in school record with 82, as well as highest singles winning percentage.

3:43:48

Junior Brendan Rankin's time in the 1500 meters. He is season-best mark ranked second on the East Coast and 21st nationally.

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