

# UMBC (5-3) at Towson (2-5)

Tuesday, April 1, 2008, 7:30 p.m., Uinitas Stadium  
 WVIE, 1370 AM, www.v1370.com (Gary Stein, Kevin O'Neill)

## MEET THE COACH



**Head Coach Don Zimmerman** is guiding the Retrievers in his 15th season and has a 106-93 record at UMBC. His overall mark in 21+ seasons is 179-109. He entered the year 13th in winning percentage amongst all active coaches and 11th in total victories. Zimmerman led UMBC to its first ever appearances in the NCAA Division I championships in 1998 and 1999. He is a 1976 graduate of Johns Hopkins University, where he was an Honorable Mention All American in 1976. He won three national titles while coaching the Blue Jays in 1984, 1985, and 1987. Coach Zimmerman was inducted into the Greater Baltimore Chapter of the US Lacrosse Hall of Fame in 2003.

Coach Zimmerman has made 11 trips to the NCAA Tournament and four with the Retrievers.

Coach Zimmerman's Year-by-Year Results		
Year	Record	School
1984*	14-0	JHU (N)
1985*	13-1	JHU (N)
1986	10-2	JHU (N)
1987*	10-3	JHU (N)
1988	9-2	JHU (N)
1989	11-2	JHU (N)
1990	6-5	JHU (N)
1994	7-7	UMBC
1995	4-9	UMBC
1996	3-9	UMBC
1997	9-3	UMBC
1998	9-5	UMBC (N)
1999	11-4	UMBC (N)
2000	7-7	UMBC
2001	5-7	UMBC
2002	5-7	UMBC
2003	7-6	UMBC
2004	6-8	UMBC
2005	7-8	UMBC
2006	10-5	UMBC (N)
2007	11-6	UMBC (N)
2008	5-3	UMBC
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>179-109</b>	
<b>at UMBC</b>	<b>106-93</b>	
<small>(N) NCAA Tournament</small>		
<b>*National Championship</b>		

**TONIGHT'S GAME:** UMBC plays its final non-conference contest of the season vs. local rival Towson to kick off the month of April. The Retrievers have met the Tigers more times (38) than any other foe. UMBC and Maryland have played 30 times and the Retrievers and Loyola have competed in 29 games in UMBC's 41 seasons of intercollegiate lacrosse.

**STREAKING:** The Retrievers have won four straight, five of last six and scored a season-best 14 goals in the 14-12 win vs. Stony Brook. The Retrievers have put together winning streaks of six in each of the past two seasons, both of which propelled UMBC to an NCAA tournament bid.

**TOP GUNS:** Junior attackman **Ryan Smith**, this week's America East Conference Player of the Week, leads the Retrievers with 16 goals in his first eight games in the black and gold. He has 11 points (six goals, five assists) in UMBC's last two games. Senior midfielder **Terry Kimener** leads the team in scoring with 25 points with 12 goals and 13 helpers.

**THE STOPPER:** Junior netminder **Jeremy Blevins** turned away a career high 20 shots in the win over Denver. It is the fourth-most saves in a single game in the nation this season. His previous high was 18 at Maryland in the first round of the NCAA Tournament last season. It was the most saves by a Retrievers goalkeeper since Kevin Cepelak made 21 saves at North Carolina on April 17, 2004. His 403 career saves have vaulted him into sixth place on UMBC's all-time list. He is expected to make his 41st consecutive start tonight and has a career record of 25-14 in the UMBC cage. Blevins is a candidate for the 2008 Lt. Raymond J. Enners Award, Division I Player of the Year and has been added to the Tewaaraton Trophy "Watch List."

**A LOOK BACK:** In 2007, the men's lacrosse team was the first UMBC team to advance in NCAA Tournament play in the 21-year history of Division I athletics. UMBC made its second consecutive appearance in the NCAA Tournament and fourth appearance since 1998. The Retrievers tied a school Division I record with 11 wins in a season and recorded back-to-back ten-win seasons for just the second time since entering the NCAA Division I ranks (1981) and the third time in the history of the program. Players who scored 130 of UMBC's 191 goals last season (68 percent) either graduated or did not return for the 2008 campaign.

**PLAYING TOUGH:** In last year's NCAA first round game, UMBC defeated a team ranked in the top ten (Maryland, No. 6) for the first time since a 2003 win (10-8) over No. 8 North Carolina. They replicated that feat with another victory over sixth-ranked Maryland on March 14. The Retrievers had lost ten straight games to teams ranked in the top ten prior to last year's playoff win. UMBC has performed admirably against the USILA 10-20 over the past several years and has won seven of their last 11 games vs. teams ranked in the second ten.

**WINNING THE TIGHT ONES:** UMBC is now 10-2 in games decided by three goals or less since the beginning of the 2007 season. They have also won five straight overtime decisions in the last season and a half.

In its last three games, UMBC has been tied at halftime twice (Maryland, Stony Brook) and trailed in the other (Ohio State).

**LIVING RIGHT:** A Retriever team had never won three overtime games in a season until wins over Brown, Penn and Binghamton last year. UMBC had a 6-1 home record in 2007 and three of those wins have occurred in overtime. UMBC is now 11-4 in Don Zimmerman's 13-plus seasons in extra time. UMBC had the most wins and best record in the nation one-goal decisions last season at 3-0 and has started this season 2-0 in one-goal contests.

**HOME DAWGS?:** UMBC has won nine straight home games and 14 of the last 15, with the lone loss coming vs. top-ranked Johns Hopkins in '07.

## 2008 UMBC Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
<b>FEBRUARY</b>		
Sat. 16	vs. Delaware	L, 15-7
Sat. 23	at Rutgers	L, 13-4
<b>MARCH</b>		
Sat. 1	DENVER	W, 9-6
Tue. 4	at Johns Hopkins	L, 10-8
Sat. 8	YALE	W, 11-9
Fri. 14	MARYLAND	W, 8-7, 3ot
Sat. 22	at Ohio State	W, 12-11, 2ot
Sat. 29	STONY BROOK*	W, 14-12
<b>APRIL</b>		
Tue. 1	at Towson	7:30
Sat. 5	at Binghamton*	7:30
Sat. 12	ALBANY*	7:30
Sat. 19	HARTFORD*	1:00
Sat. 26	at Vermont*	1:00
<b>MAY</b>		
Thu. 1	America East Tourn.	TBD
Sat. 3	America East Finals	TBD

### THE LAST TIME

#### A RETRIEVER...

#### Scored 5+ goals in a game

5 by Drew Westervelt vs. Binghamton, 5-3-07.

#### Recorded 8+ points in a game

9 (3g-6a), Drew Westervelt vs. Vermont, 4-21-07; 8 (5g, 3a), Andy Gallagher vs. Vermont, 4-21-07

#### Recorded 20+ saves in a game

20, Jeremy Blevins vs. Denver, 3-1-08

#### Recorded 10+ ground balls in a game

10, Taylor Marino vs. Ohio State, 3-22-08

#### Controlled 20+ face offs in a game

22, Pat Muston vs. Rutgers, 3-29-03

### THE LAST TIME

#### THE RETRIEVERS...

#### Scored 15+ goals

20 (20-11 W) vs. Vermont, 4-21-07

#### Allowed 15+ goals

15 (15-7 L) vs. Delaware, 2-16-07

#### Won in Overtime

12-11 (2ot) at Ohio State, 3-22-08

#### Lost in Overtime

12-11 (ot) at Penn, 3-18-06

# UMBC Men's Lacrosse Game Notes

## AMERICA EAST PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

March 3	Jeremy Blevins
March 10	Terry Kimener
March 17	Maxx Davis
March 31	Ryan Smith

## IN LEAGUE PLAY:

UMBC has held 18 of 23 teams to single digits in goals, although they permitted three of five AEC opponents into double digits in 2007. UMBC has won nine straight regular season America East home games and is 11-1 overall, with its lone loss

occurring vs. Stony Brook in April of 2004.

**EVEN STEVEN:** UMBC enters its 41st season of varsity men's lacrosse with an updated record of 304-253. They are 188-188 in 27 years-plus at the Division I level.

**MAN UP:** The Retrievers were 26 of 56 (46.4%) on the season and ended the year ranked **fifth** nationally. The Retrievers finished the season **seventh** in man-up offense in 2006 at 41.7%, **second** in 2005 at 44.4%, and **tenth** in 2004 at 37.9%. The Retrievers scored four extra man goals (10 chances) vs. Delaware in the season opener, but are just two-of-16 in the current three-game winning streak.

**ATTACK OF THE RETRIEVERS:** Through six games, UMBC's midfielders had accounted for 30 of the team's first 48 goals, but the brand-new attack contributed six of the 12 scores in the overtime win over Ohio State and tallied a season-best nine goals in the 14-12 win over Stony Brook.

**DANES TABBED:** The University at Albany, winners of four of the last five league titles, received a total of 25 points and is the unanimous choice to capture the conference championship again, as voted on by the league's head coaches in the 2008 America East Men's Lacrosse Preseason Coaches' Poll. The Great Danes received five first-place votes, while **UMBC** garnered one first-place vote and 19 points. Binghamton University was tabbed third with 17 points, while Stony Brook University was picked to finish fourth with 14 points. University of Vermont and University of Hartford round out the six-team poll with eight and seven points, respectively.

## USILA Coaches Poll (3/31/08)

Rank	Team	Record	Points	Previous Week
1	Syracuse	7-1	215 (8)	2
2	Duke	10-1	203 (3)	3
3	Maryland	7-2	195	4
4	Virginia	9-1	191	1
5	Georgetown	5-2	178	4t
6	North Carolina	7-2	162	9
7	Cornell	7-1	154	6
8	Notre Dame	7-1	150	7
9	Navy	8-2	130	10
10	Drexel	7-2	104	11
11	Johns Hopkins	3-4	103	8
12	<b>UMBC</b>	<b>5-3</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>13</b>
13	Bucknell	7-2	87	15
14	Army	7-2	82	16
15	Princeton	4-3	69	17
16	Brown	6-2	42	nr
17	Delaware	7-3	35	14
18	Ohio State	5-3	31	nr
19	Denver	5-4	28	20
20	Hofstra	3-4	22	12

Also receiving votes: Loyola, Albany, Siena, Penn, Stony Brook

*italics indicates 2008 UMBC opponent*

## PLAYER NOTES

**Terry Kimener** (pre-season Tewaaraton Watch List) had the second-most points of any midfielder entering the 2008 campaign. His 89 points trailed only Johns Hopkins' Paul Rabil (118). Kimener just became 24th player in school history to hit the 100-point plateau (57 goals, 54 assists) with a career high five-goal, seven-point effort vs. Yale. He was named **America East Conference Player of the Week** for his efforts in that game and another multiple-point effort at Hopkins. Kimener had recorded a career-high four assists the previous Saturday vs. Denver and is ranked 20th (tied) in the nation in assists per game (1.63) and 30th (tied) in scoring (3.13 ppg). He played in his 50th career game vs. Denver.

Junior middle **Alex Hopmann** is UMBC's leading returning goal-scorer with 20 last season. He scored his first goal of the season at Rutgers and added a goal and two assists vs. Denver. The two assists are a career best. He posted his first multiple-goal game of the season with two vs. Yale and now had seven goals in the first three games of the winning streak until he was held without a goal vs. Stony Brook. Hopmann tied a school record with three extra-man goals in the win over Towson last season.

### Terry Kimener-Career

CAREER	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS.	PCT.	GB	PEN
2005	15/0	16	3	4	7	.375	24	1-1.0
2006	15/15	58	24	17	41	.414	32	3-2.0
2007	17/17	55	18	20	38	.327	39	3-1.5
2008	8/8	53	12	13	25	.226	17	5-3.5
<b>Totals</b>	<b>55/40</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>.313</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>12-8.0</b>

### Career Highs

Goals	5	vs. Yale	3-8-08
Assists	4	vs. Denver	3-1-08
Points	7	vs. Yale	3-8-08

Streaks:	Multiple-Points	Six
	Points	17

The UMBC men's lacrosse team named seniors **Terry Kimener** and **Taylor Marino** and juniors **Bobby Atwell** and **Alex Hopmann** as its team captains for the 2007-08 academic year.

Marino had his best game of the season at Ohio State, winning 18 of 27 draws and corralling 10 ground balls. The 18 face off wins ties his career high, posted in the 2006 America East championship game vs. Albany.

**SUPER SOPHS:** Sophomore attackman **Matt Latham** recorded his first multiple-goal game, a hat trick which included the game-winner in the second overtime, in the March 22 triumph at Ohio State... he went one better with his first collegiate four-goal effort vs. Stony Brook... Latham also led the team with a career best six ground balls in the game... sophomore attackman **Chris Jones** scored his first three collegiate goals in the win over Denver ... he recorded his first two collegiate assists, including the helper on Latham's game-winner, at Ohio State... Jones posted his second career three-point effort (2g, 1a) vs. Stony Brook...

Classmate and midfielder **Kyle Wimer** had a four-point effort with two goals and two assists vs. the Pioneers... he has points in seven straight games... **Maxx Davis** scored his first two collegiate goals on the big stage at Homewood Field and added two more vs. Yale... he then scored the game-winning goal in the third overtime (1.5 seconds remaining) in the win over Maryland... Wimer and Davis each had three points (1g, 2a) each in Saturday's win over Stony Brook.

# UMBC Men's Lacrosse Game Notes

## GAME-BY-GAME

### GAME 1

#### DELAWARE (2-0) vs. UMBC (0-1)

Date: Feb 16, 2008 Location: Jacksonville, Fla. Stadium: Fletcher Field

Attendance: 4,500 Start time: 12:00 End time: 2:04 Total time: 2:04

Score by period 1 2 3 4 Tot

DELAWARE..... 2 7 2 4 - 15

UMBC..... 1 2 1 3 - 7

DELAWARE SCORING: GOALS: Dickson, Curtis 5; Cahill, Martin 3; Howard, Cam 2; Kaminski, Kevin 1; Bassett, Rob 1; Langmaid, Tim 1; LoManto, Nick 1; Lombard, Pat 1.

ASSISTS: Howard, Cam 5; Cahill, Martin 1; Dickson, Curtis 1; Giordano, Vincent 1; Widlake, D.J. 1.

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Smith, Ryan 3; Kimener, Terry 1; Scott, David 1; Kimbles, Jamie 1; Bolling, Colin 1.

ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 2; Davis, Maxx 1; Devlin, Conor 1; Hopmann, Alex 1.

DELAWARE GROUND BALLS: 20; UMBC GROUND BALLS: 18.

DELAWARE TURNOVERS CAUSED: Kaminski, Kevin 1; UMBC TURNOVERS CAUSED: Bryan, Mike 2; Atwell, Bobby 1; Kimener, Terry 1; Smith, Ryan 1.

SHOTS - DELAWARE 37; UMBC 40. SHOTS ON GOAL - DELAWARE 24; UMBC 23.

PENALTIES - DELAWARE 12/10:30; UMBC 4/2:30.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - DELAWARE 2-3; UMBC 4-10.

TURNOVERS - DELAWARE 17; UMBC 20.

FACEOFFS - DELAWARE 14-26; UMBC 12-26.

CLEARs - DELAWARE 20-24; UMBC 14-16.

GOALIES - DELAWARE: Mayberry, Warren (00:20 minutes, 1 shots-1 saves, 0 GA) , Scherr, Tom 2-0 (59:40, 22-15, 7); UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy 0-1 (60:00, 24-9, 15).

Officials: Brian Abbott; Kevin O'Leary; Jim O'Hara.

A-4500

### GAME 2:

#### UMBC (0-2) at Rutgers (1-0)

Date: Feb 24, 2008 Location: Piscataway, N.J.

Attendance: 951 Start time: 3:00

SCORE BY PERIOD 1 2 3 4 Tot

UMBC..... 1 1 1 1 - 4

Rutgers..... 5 3 2 3 - 13

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Hopmann, Alex 1; Smith, Ryan 1; Wimer, Kyle 1; Daly, Christian 1.

ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 1.

Rutgers SCORING: GOALS: Kory Kelly 3; Mike Dugan 3; Gerhard Buehning 2; Justin Pennington 1; Jeff Rommel 1; Tad Stanwick 1; Taylor Bottar 1; Brendan Porter 1.

ASSISTS: Gerhard Buehning 2; Justin Pennington 1; Jeff Rommel 1; Tad Stanwick 1.

SHOTS: UMBC 33, Rutgers 38; GROUND BALLS: UMBC 28, Rutgers 29

FACE-OFFS: UMBC 8-21, Rutgers 13-21

CLEARs BY PERIOD: UMBC 9-17, Rutgers 12-14

EXTRA-MAN OPPS: UMBC 1-4, Rutgers 1-2

SAVES: UMBC 13 (Blevins, 12, 13 ga, 54 min; Kohri, 2/0, 6 min.); Rutgers 17 (Olin)

TURNOVERS: UMBC 20, Rutgers 16

PENALTIES - UMBC 3/3:00; Rutgers 4/2:30.

### GAME 3

#### DENVER (1-2) vs. UMBC (1-2)

Date: 3-1-2008 Location: Baltimore, Md. Stadium: UMBC Stadium

Attendance: 812 Start time: 1:05 pm End time: 3:10 pm Total time: 2:05

Score by period 1 2 3 4 Tot

DENVER..... 1 1 0 4 - 6

UMBC..... 4 2 2 1 - 9

DENVER SCORING: GOALS: Murray, Joey 1; Smith, Cliff 1; Lincoln, Jamie 1; Paulson, Jon 1; Eichler, Emerson 1; Richardson, Brad 1.

ASSISTS: Dickenson, Charley 2; Murray, Joey 1.

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Jones, Chris 3; Wimer, Kyle 2; Smith, Ryan 2; Kimener, Terry 1; Hopmann, Alex 1.

ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 4; Hopmann, Alex 2; Wimer, Kyle 2; Latham, Matt 1.

DENVER GROUND BALLS: 37; UMBC GROUND BALLS: 18

DENVER TURNOVERS CAUSED: 7; UMBC TURNOVERS CAUSED: 7

SHOTS - DENVER 39; UMBC 25; SHOTS ON GOAL - DENVER 26; UMBC 17.

PENALTIES - DENVER 8/6:00; UMBC 8/7:00.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - DENVER 1-7; UMBC 3-8.

TURNOVERS - DENVER 30; UMBC 28.

FACEOFFS - DENVER 13-19; UMBC 6-19.

CLEARs - DENVER 16-25; UMBC 22-31.

GOALIES - DENVER: Konkel, Austin 1-2 (59:32 minutes, 17 shots-8 saves, 9 GA) , Tyrie, Peyton (00:28, 0-0, 0);

UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy 1-2 (60:00, 26-20, 6).

Officials: Brian Abbott; Jeffrey Andrews; Scott Miller.

A-812 T-2:05

### GAME 4:

#### UMBC (1-3) vs. No. 1 Johns Hopkins (3-0)

Date: Mar 04, 2008 Location: Baltimore, MD Stadium: Homewood Field

Attendance: 921 Start time: 7:04 pm End time: 9:01 pm Total time: 1:57

Score by period 1 2 3 4 Tot

UMBC..... 2 3 1 2 - 8

Johns Hopkins..... 3 2 2 3 - 10

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Wimer, Kyle 2; Smith, Ryan 2; Davis, Maxx 2; Kimener, Terry 1; Latham, Matt 1.

ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 1; Pierce, Jordan 1.

Johns Hopkins SCORING: GOALS: Steven Boyle 3; Paul Rabil 2; Michael Kimmel 1; Stephen Peyser 1; Austin Walker 1; Kyle Wharton 1; Tom Duerr 1. ASSISTS: Michael Kimmel 3; Steven Boyle 2; Paul Rabil 1.

UMBC GROUND BALLS: 28; Johns Hopkins GROUND BALLS: 33

SHOTS - UMBC 39; JHU 36; SHOTS ON GOAL - UMBC 16; JHU 20.

PENALTIES - UMBC 3/3:00; JHU 2/2:00.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - UMBC 1-2; JHU 2-2.

TURNOVERS - UMBC 8; JHU 12.

FACEOFFS - UMBC 5-22; JHU 17-22.

CLEARs - UMBC 17-21; JHU 13-15.

GOALIES - UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy 1-3 (60:00 minutes, 20 shots-10 saves, 10 GA); JHU: Michael Gvozden 3-0 (60:00, 16-8, 8).

Officials: Tim Murray; George Wattles; Tom Hoeland; Jill Olsen.

A-921 T-1:57

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## GAME 5

### YALE (1-2) vs. UMBC (2-3)

Date: Mar 08, 2008 Location: Baltimore, Md. Stadium: UMBC Stadium Attendance: 418

Score by period 1 2 3 4 Tot

YALE..... 1 3 4 1 - 9  
UMBC..... 2 4 4 1 - 11

YALE SCORING: GOALS: Tyler Casertano 3; Brendan Gibson 2; Jonathan Koenig 2; Kyle Washabaugh 1; Francis Johnson 1.

ASSISTS: Tyler Casertano 1; Gregory DuBoff 1; Will Gano 1; Brendan Gibson 1; James Ryan III 1; Mark Schlam 1.

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Kimener, Terry 5; Hopmann, Alex 2; Davis, Maxx 2; Smith, Ryan 1; Scalzo, Dom 1.

ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 2; Wimer, Kyle 2; Kimbles, Jamie 1; Smith, Ryan 1.

YALE GROUND BALLS: 16; UMBC GROUND BALLS: 33

YALE TURNOVERS CAUSED: 7 UMBC TURNOVERS CAUSED: 8

SHOTS - YALE 26; UMBC 36. SHOTS ON GOAL - YALE 16; UMBC 20.

PENALTIES - YALE 3/2:00; UMBC 2/1:30.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - YALE 0-2; UMBC 0-3.

TURNOVERS - YALE 18; UMBC 22.

FACEOFFS - YALE 12-24; UMBC 12-24.

CLEARs - YALE 16-20; UMBC 18-19.

GOALIES - YALE: George Carafides (60:00 minutes, 20 shots-9 saves, 11 GA);

UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy (60:00, 16-7, 9).

Start time: 1:00 pm Finish time: 2:53 pm Length of game: 1:53

Officials: John West; Ed Myslinski; Michael Hyland.

A-418 T-1:53

## GAME 6

### No. 6 MARYLAND (4-2) vs. UMBC (3-3)

Date: Mar 14, 2008 Location: Baltimore, Md. Stadium: UMBC Stadium  
Attendance:2113 Start time:7:35 End time:10:05 Total time:2:30

Score by period 1 2 3 4 OT 02 03 Tot

MARYLAND..... 1 3 0 4 0 0 0 - 8  
UMBC..... 3 1 0 4 0 0 1 - 9

MARYLAND SCORING: GOALS: Max Ritz 2; Grant Catalino 1; Drew Evans 1; Will Dalton 1; Jeff Reynolds 1; Brian Farrell 1; Tony Mendes 1. ASSISTS: Grant Catalino 1; Drew Evans 1; Max Ritz 1; Jeremy Sieverts 1; Ryan Young 1.

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Hopmann, Alex 3; Wimer, Kyle 2; Davis, Maxx 1; Kimener, Terry 1; Smith, Ryan 1; Latham, Matt 1. ASSISTS: Davis, Maxx 2; Kimener, Terry 1; Wimer, Kyle 1.

MARYLAND GROUND BALLS: 36UMBC GROUND BALLS: 32

MARYLAND TURNOVERS CAUSED: 6; UMBC TURNOVERS CAUSED:7

SHOTS - MARYLAND 35; UMBC 32.

SHOTS ON GOAL - MARYLAND 19; UMBC 20.

PENALTIES - MARYLAND 5/4:00; UMBC 7/5:00.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - MARYLAND 0-6; UMBC 1-4.

TURNOVERS - MARYLAND 22; UMBC 16.

FACEOFFS - MARYLAND 14-23; UMBC 9-23.

CLEARs - MARYLAND 16-18; UMBC 16-19.

GOALIES - MARYLAND: Jason Carter (42:00 minutes, 11 shots-6 saves, 5 GA) , Brian Phipps (30:00, 9-5, 4); UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy 3-3 (72:00, 19-11, 8).

Officials: Hans Wittelsberger; William Kelly; Jason Parks.

A-2113 T-2:30

## GAME 7

### UMBC (4-3) vs. Ohio State (4-3)

Date: Mar 22, 2008 Location: Columbus, Ohio Stadium: Jesse Owens Memorial  
Attendance:459 Start time:11 a.m. End time:12:52 Total time:1:52

SCORE BY PERIOD 1 2 3 4 OT 02 Tot

UMBC..... 3 2 2 4 0 1 - 12  
Ohio State..... 4 2 3 2 0 0 - 11

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Smith, Ryan 3; Latham, Matt 3; Wimer, Kyle 2; Kimener, Terry 2; Hopmann, Alex 2. ASSISTS: Smith, Ryan 3; Jones, Chris 2; Davis, Maxx 1; Kimener, Terry 1; Wimer, Kyle 1.

Ohio State SCORING: GOALS: Buchanan, Kevin 4; Poillon, Peet 2; Funk, Josh 2; Ryan, Jeff 1; Ruhnke, Doug 1; Friel, Chris 1. ASSISTS: Dalgarno, Joel 2; Buchanan, Kevin 1; Poillon, Peet 1; Ruhnke, Doug 1; Ryan, Jeff 1.

UMBC GROUND BALLS: 37; Ohio State GROUND BALLS: 27

SHOTS - UMBC 33; Ohio State 28.

SHOTS ON GOAL - UMBC 20; Ohio State 16.

PENALTIES - UMBC 2/2:00; Ohio State 2/1:00.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - UMBC 0-2; Ohio State 1-2.

FACEOFFS - UMBC 18-27; Ohio State 9-27.

CLEARs - UMBC 9-15; Ohio State 14-16.

GOALIES - UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy (65:36 minutes, 16 shots-5 saves, 11 GA); OSU: Schroder, Stefan (65:36, 20-8, 12).

Officials: Tim Kelly; Jay Farrel; Andre Sanders.

A-459 T-1:52

## GAME 8

### Stony Brook (4-4, 0-1 AEC) vs. UMBC (5-3, 1-0 AEC)

Date: Mar 29, 2008 Location: Baltimore, Md. Stadium: UMBC Stadium  
Attendance:1692 Start time:7:35 pm End time:9:31 pm Total time:1:56

Score by period 1 2 3 4 Tot

Stony Brook..... 3 4 2 3 - 12  
UMBC..... 5 2 4 3 - 14

Stony Brook SCORING: GOALS: Bo Tripodi 5; Rhys Duch 3; Jordan McBride 2; Bobby Trenkle 1; Ryan Hughes 1. ASSISTS: Rhys Duch 4; Bobby Trenkle 2; Owen Adams 1; Kevin Crowley 1; Jordan McBride 1; Timmy Trenkle 1.

UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Latham, Matt 4; Smith, Ryan 3; Jones, Chris 2; Wimer, Kyle 1; Davis, Maxx 1; Kimener, Terry 1; Scalzo, Dom 1; Kimbles, Jamie 1.

ASSISTS: Davis, Maxx 2; Smith, Ryan 2; Wimer, Kyle 2; Coholan, Kevin 1; Hopmann, Alex 1; Jones, Chris 1; Kimener, Terry 1.

Stony Brook GROUND BALLS: 25, UMBC GROUND BALLS: 32

Stony Brook TURNOVERS CAUSED: 4 UMBC TURNOVERS CAUSED: 3

SHOTS - SBU 36; UMBC 42.

SHOTS ON GOAL - SBU 23; UMBC 24.

PENALTIES - SBU 7/5:00; UMBC 3/3:00.

MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES - SBU 2-3; UMBC 1-7.

TURNOVERS - SBU 16; UMBC 14.

FACEOFFS - SBU 17-30; UMBC 13-30.

CLEARs - SBU 13-15; UMBC 15-17.

GOALIES - SBU: Alex Kojencki 3-4 (60:00 minutes, 24 shots-10 saves, 14 GA); UMBC: Blevins, Jeremy 5-3 (60:00, 23-11, 12).

Officials: Brian Abbott; Michael Hyland; Scott Miller.

A-1692 T-1:56

# UMBC Men's Lacrosse Game Notes

## RECORD SITUATIONS

HOME	4-0
AWAY	1-2
NEUTRAL	0-1
WHEN SCORING FIRST	5-1
WHEN ALLOWING FIRST	0-2
ON GRASS	1-1
ON TURF	4-2
LEADING AFTER ONE QUARTER	4-0
TIED AFTER ONE QUARTER	0-0
TRAILING AFTER ONE QUARTER	1-3
LEADING AT HALF	2-0
TRAILING AT HALF	1-2
TIED AT HALF	2-1
LEADING AFTER 3 QUARTERS	3-0
TRAILING AFTER THREE	1-3
TIED AFTER THREE QUARTERS	1-0
IN OVERTIME	2-0
TUESDAY	0-1
WEDNESDAYS	0-0
THURSDAYS	0-0
FRIDAY	1-0
SATURDAYS	4-1
SUNDAYS	0-1
DAY GAMES	3-2
NIGHT GAMES	2-1
FEBRUARY	0-2
MARCH	5-1
APRIL	0-0
MAY	0-0
SCORING 10+ GOALS	3-0
SCORING 9- GOALS	2-3
ALLOWING 10+ GOALS	2-2
ALLOWING 9- GOALS	3-0
DECIDED BY 3- GOALS	5-1
DECIDED BY 4-7 GOALS	0-0
DECIDED BY 8+ GOALS	0-2
OUTSHOOTING OPP	3-2
OUTSHOT	2-1
SHOTS ARE EVEN	1-3
MORE SAVES THAN OPP.	2-1
LESS SAVES THAN OPP.	1-2
SAVES ARE EVEN	2-0
MORE GROUND BALLS	3-0
FEWER GROUND BALLS	2-3
MORE FACE OFFS WON	2-0
LESS FACE OFFS WON	2-3
FACE OFFS EVEN	1-0
SCORING 2+ MAN-UP GOALS	1-1
SCORING 0 OR 1 MAN-UP	4-2
ALLOWING 2+ MAN-UP	1-2
ALLOWING 0 OR 1 MAN-UP	4-1
vs. Ivy League	1-0
vs. ACC Teams	1-0
vs. GWLL	2-0
vs. Colonial	0-1
vs. ECAC	0-1
vs. Independent	0-1
vs. USILA Top Ten	1-1
vs. USILA 11-20	1-1
vs. Unranked Teams	3-1

## TALE OF THE TAPE

UMBC	CATEGORY	TOWSON
8.92	Team Offense	9.29
10.13	Team Defense	12.14
26.4	Shooting Percentage	28.3
43.2	Face Off Percentage	43.8
50.6	Save Percentage	47.7
27.5	Man Up Success Pct.	30.3
66.7	Man Down Success	62.5
77.4	Clearing Percentage	80.2
18.4	Riding Success Pct.	14.7
+0.4	Ground Ball Margin	-5.4

### THE SERIES: UMBC VS. TOWSON

**OVERALL: Towson Leads, 26-12**

**At Towson: Towson leads, 14-5**

**Streak: UMBC, +1, Towson 3 of 4**

**Games Decided by Three Goals or Less: UMBC leads, 5-4 (since '81)**

## Last Year's Box Scores/Other Notes

### GAME 9: UMBC 11, Towson 9 Tuesday, April 3, UMBC Stadium

Baltimore, Md.—UMBC sophomore midfielder Alex Hopmann tied a school record with three extra-man goals, and freshman attackman Cayle Ratcliffe added three goals and two assists as 20th-ranked UMBC upset 12th-ranked Towson, 11-9 before 1,711 fans at UMBC Stadium.

The Retrievers improved to 5-4 on the season and defeated the Tigers for the first time since 2003. Towson (5-3) had its three-game winning streak snapped at three.

Both goalkeepers were brilliant, as Retriever sophomore netminder Jeremy Blevins made 14 saves, including nine of 12 shots on goal in the second half. Towson junior Matt Antol made a career high 16 stops in the Tiger net.

The game was tied at six-all at intermission and Tiger attackman Jonathan Engelke gave the visitors their final lead on a goal at the 11:08 mark of the third quarter. But Hopmann tied the game on an extra-man goal on a feed from Ratcliffe just 24 seconds later after a delay of game call vs. Towson. After a pair of Towson infractions at the 9:43 mark, Hopmann gave UMBC the lead for good as he again converted a short pass from Ratcliffe 20 seconds into the extra-man.

The Retrievers took an 8-7 lead into the fourth quarter and scored twice in the first 4:11 of the stanza. Ratcliffe intercepted a Tiger clearing effort and scored into an empty net at the 1:44 mark, then Hopmann tied a record set by five other Retrievers with a man-up score to give the hosts a 10-7 advantage.

Towson would battle back as freshman midfielder Cryder DiPietro a minute after Hopmann's goal. Ratcliffe got that score back with three minutes remaining, but DiPietro brought the Tigers to within 11-9 on a man-up goal with 1:43 to play. The Tigers would get another extra-man chance, but Blevins stuffed TU attackman Randall Cooper with 42 seconds left and UMBC managed to run out the clock.

Senior attackman Drew Westervelt added a pair of goals and an assist for UMBC, while junior middle Terry Kimener had a goal and two helpers. Bobby Griebe led Towson with a goal and three assists, while Jonathan Engelke and DiPietro scored two apiece.

UMBC outshot Towson, 42-34 and controlled 15 of 24 face-offs. The Retrievers, sixth in the nation in extra-man heading into the week, scored on four of seven chances, while Towson was three of five.

The Retrievers are now 4-0 this season in games decided by three or less goals and have won four home games (4-1) by a combined six scores.

Score by period	1	2	3	4	Tot
TOWSON.....	2	4	1	2	- 9
UMBC.....	2	4	2	3	- 11

TOWSON SCORING: GOALS: Engelke, Jonathan 2; DiPietro, Cryder 2; Griebe, Bobby 1; Schneider, Justin 1; Cooper, Randall 1; Boyle, Eric 1; Vetter, Brian 1. ASSISTS: Griebe, Bobby 3; Obloj, Keith 1; Schneider, Justin 1; Williams, Nick 1. UMBC SCORING: GOALS: Ratcliffe, Cayle 3; Hopmann, Alex 3; Westervelt, Drew 2; Kimener, Terry 1; Gallagher, Andy 1; Moulden, Kelvin 1. ASSISTS: Kimener, Terry 2; Ratcliffe, Cayle 2; Hopmann, Alex 1; Westervelt, Drew 1. Shots: TOWSON 34, UMBC 42; Ground balls: TOWSON 24, UMBC 32; Face-offs: TOWSON 9-24, UMBC 15-24; Clears: TOWSON 17-23, UMBC 15-22; Extra-man opps: TOWSON 3-5, UMBC 4-7; Saves: TOWSON 16 (Antol) UMBC 14 (Blevins); Turnovers: TOWSON 18, UMBC 20; PENALTIES - TOWSON 7/6:00; UMBC 5/4:30. Attendance: 1711

**SERIES NOTES:** The last three meetings have all been decided by two goals or fewer... UMBC lost its first nine Division I appearances (1981) at Towson before winning in 2000 and following up with a road win in 2003... the Tigers had scored in double figures vs. UMBC in 14 straight games (1985-1998) and 17 of 18, but have been held to single digits in four of the last five contests... Towson won 12 straight games in the series from 1984-96...the teams have met every year since 1971, except in 1986 and there were two games played in 1979...Retriever Head Coach Don Zimmerman is 5-9 vs. Towson as the UMBC mentor and 11-10 in 21 overall meetings.