

Junior George Bush and Sophomore Jerard Manning



#42 George Bush

Junior Forward

6-6 • 240 • Charleston, S.C. • Spartanburg Methodist JC

AT SPARTANBURG METHODIST JC

Played for two seasons at Spartanburg Methodist JC ... Averaged 13.0 points and 10.0 rebounds as a sophomore, earning second-team All-Conference honors ... Spartanburg Methodist was the Region X runner-up in 2002-03.

HIGH SCHOOL

Played for four years at West Ashley HS in Charleston, S.C. ... Named Most Improved as a senior for the Wildcats.

PERSONAL

Born George Bush on December 1, 1982, in Durham, N.c. ... Hometown is Charleston, S.C. ... Son of George and Arie Bush ... Majoring in economics ... Would like to become a sports agent after college.

COACH BURKHAMER SAYS

"George is a big, strong player who will have an immediate impact. He is an outstanding rebounder, a good post defender and a low-post scorer. George gives us a power player in the paint. His experience in junior college and his enthusiasm for the game make him a terrific addition to the Pirates."

FUN FACTS

Enjoys reading, playing video games and baseball ... Andruw Jones and Kevin Garnett are favorite sports personalities.



#32 Jerard Manning

Sophomore Forward

6-5 • 185 • Savannah, Ga. • Johnson HS

2002-2003

Played in 19 games as a freshman for the Pirates ... Averaged 7.3 minutes, 1.1 points and 1.2 rebounds ... Scored season-high eight points in PBC Quarterfinal matchup against USC Spartanburg on 3/7 .

HIGH SCHOOL

2001-02 All-Coastal Empire honorable mention by the *Savannah Morning News* ... Averaged 12.5 points and 8.0 rebounds as a senior for the Atomsmashers ... Earned All-Region honors and was team's MVP in '01-'02.

PERSONAL

Born Jerard Kareem Manning on June 23, 1983, in Savannah, Ga., his hometown ... Son of Mary Manning ... Majoring in engineering ... Has one brother, Jamal, 23.

COACH BURKHAMER SAYS

"Jerard is a very athletic player who can use his leaping ability and quickness to his advantage."



Manning's Game Highs

Points:

8 vs. USC Spartanburg, 3/7/03
(PBC Tournament Quarterfinals)

Rebounds:

4 vs. Columbus State, 2/22/03

Jerard Manning's Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	MIN	FG-FGA	PCT	3PM-3PA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	OR-DR-TR	RPG	TP	PPG	AST	TO	BS	ST
2002-03	19-0	139	7-24	.292	0-6	.000	6-9	.667	10-13-23	1.2	20	1.1	3	13	5	4
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Manning's first collegiate points came on a dunk vs. UNCP on 2/1

