

# 2010-11 MEN'S BASKETBALL REVIEW

Overall Record: 29-8

NCAA Tournament Finish: Elite Eight

Final Poll Rankings: 10th

SEC Finish: First (13-3)

SEC Tournament Finish: Finals

All-SEC: 3 athletes, 6 honors  
Chandler Parsons, First Team (AP, Coaches)  
Erving Walker, Second Team (AP, Coaches)  
Kenny Boynton, Second Team (Coaches),  
Honorable Mention (AP)

SEC All-Freshman: Patric Young

SEC Academic Honor Roll: 1  
Kyle McClanahan

Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 9/4

Starters Returning/Lost: 2/3

Departing Players: Adam Allen (RSJr.),  
Vernon Macklin (RSSr.), Chandler  
Parsons (Sr.), Alex Tyus (Sr.)



Florida won its third outright SEC Championship (fifth overall).



Florida Head Coach **Billy Donovan** was named SEC Coach of the Year.

## Team Highlights

- Florida finished the year with a 29-8 mark, making its 11<sup>th</sup> NCAA Tournament in 13 years while reaching the 20-win mark for the 13th consecutive year, the longest streak in the SEC and the fifth-longest streak in the nation
- The 2010-11 squad became the fifth team in school history to reach the 29-win plateau, reaching the NCAA Regional Final for the fifth time in program history
- UF reached the postseason for the 14th consecutive year (11 NCAA Tournaments and three NIT appearances in that time)
- Won its third outright Southeastern Conference Championship (1989, 2007) in school history. It was just the fifth overall SEC title in the 92-year history of the program, with four of the five coming in the Billy Donovan era
- Ranked fourth all-time in school history in fewest turnovers committed per game (12.21)
- After winning at Vanderbilt on March 5<sup>th</sup>, Billy Donovan owned a .710 winning percentage, the second-best mark all-time through 500 games at an SEC school
- Florida's .750 winning percentage away from home was third-best in the nation.
- The Gators collected eight true road wins for the first time since 1993-94
- Florida went 9-3 (.750) in games decided by six points or less
- The Gators were the only team all season to have a player foul out, while finishing second in the country in fewest fouls committed

## Individual Highlights

### Chandler Parsons

- Became the first Gator in the 79-year history of the SEC to be named SEC Player of the Year
- Led the team in rebounding (7.8 rpg) and assists (136)
- Finished the 2010-11 season as the only Division 1 college basketball player with more than 1,400 career points, 800 rebounds, 300 assists and 125 steals
- Named First-Team All-SEC by the AP and Coaches
- Named to the All-SEC Tournament team
- The sixth player under Billy Donovan to register 500 career field goals
- Led UF in rebounding in a team-high 19 games and recorded 10 double-digit rebound games, both twice as many as the next-closest teammate
- Notched a team-best eight double-doubles, twice as many as the next-closest teammate
- Led the team with 33.9 minutes per game
- Pulled down a career-high 15 rebounds vs. Arkansas on January 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Dished out a career-best 10 assists vs. UC Santa Barbara in the first round of the 2011 NCAA Tournament



Senior forward **Chandler Parsons** became the first Gator ever to be named SEC Player of the Year.

## Erving Walker

- Named Second-Team All-SEC by the AP and Coaches for the second consecutive season after leading the team with 14.6 points per game and 41 steals
- 19-for-41 (.463) from three-point reach in postseason play (SEC and NCAA Tournament)
- Led UF in scoring in 15 games, assists in 17 games and charges drawn in game games)
- Shot 80 percent from the free-throw line in the final three minutes of the game (48-60)
- Finished the season with most consecutive games played (105), most consecutive starts (44), most consecutive games with a point (92) and most consecutive games with a steal (three)



Erving Walker earned Second Team All-SEC honors for the second-straight season after leading the team in scoring at 14.6 PPG.

## Kenny Boynton

- Named Second-Team All-SEC by league coaches after being named SEC All-Freshman in 2009-10
- Averaged 14.2 points, 1.5 rebounds and 2.6 assists per game
- Shot 26-of-30 (.867) from the charity stripe during the postseason (SEC and NCAA Tournament)
- Finished the season scoring in double-figures in 16 consecutive games
- Named to the SEC All-Tournament squad after averaging 18.7 ppg, 3.7 apg and 1.7 rpg during the tournament

## Alex Tyus

- Averaged 9.1 points and 6.2 rebounds per game
- Became the 11<sup>th</sup> player since 2000 to register at least 19 points and 17 rebounds in an NCAA Tournament game (BYU on March 24)
- Averaged a school-record 11.0 rebounds per game during the NCAA Tournament
- Became the fifth player under Billy Donovan to record 500 made field goals

## Vernon Macklin

- Averaged 11.6 points and 5.4 rebounds
- Scored a career-high 25 points against Butler in the NCAA Regional Final
- Notched a career-best 11 rebounds vs. FAU

## 2010-11

### Individual Honors

#### All-SEC

Chandler Parsons , First Team (AP, Coaches)  
 Erving Walker, Second Team (AP, Coaches)  
 Kenny Boynton, Second Team (Coaches), Honorable Mention (AP)

#### SEC All-Freshman

Patric Young

#### SEC Player of the Year

Chandler Parsons

#### SEC Coach of the Year

Billy Donovan

#### SEC Academic Honor Roll

Kyle McClanahan

## Statistical Leaders

**Scoring:** Erving Walker (14.6)  
**Rebounds:** Chandler Parsons (7.8)  
**Blocks:** Patric Young (31)  
**Assists:** Chandler Parsons (136)  
**Steals:** Erving Walker (41)

## Schedule & Results

Overall: 29-8

Home: 14-3 Away: 8-2 Neutral: 7-3

SEC: 1<sup>st</sup>, 13-3

Home: 7-1 Away: 6-2

### November

28	Florida Tech (Exhibition)	W, 92-58
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3	Georgetown College (Exhibition)	W, 88-62
12	UNC-Wilmington\$	W, 77-60
16	Ohio State\$	L, 75-93
18	North Carolina A&T\$	W, 105-55
21	Morehead State\$	W, 61-55
23	Florida Atlantic	W, 79-66
28	at Florida State	W, 55-51

### December

1	vs. UCF (Orlando, Fla.)	L, 54-57
4	vs. American (Washington D.C.)	W, 67-48
9	Kent State	W, 65-52
18	vs. Kansas State%	W, 57-44
20	Jacksonville	L, 68-71 (OT)
22	Radford	W, 66-55
31	at Xavier	W, 71-67

### January

3	Rhode Island	W, 84-59
8	Ole Miss	W, 77-71
11	at Tennessee	W, 71-75 (OT)
15	South Carolina	L, 69-72
20	at Auburn	W, 45-40
22	Arkansas	W, 75-43
25	at Georgia	W, 104-91 (2OT)
29	at Mississippi State	L, 64-71

### February

1	Vanderbilt	W, 65-61 (OT)
5	Kentucky	W, 70-68
9	at South Carolina	W, 79-60
12	Tennessee	W, 61-60
20	at LSU	W, 68-61
24	Georgia	W, 71-62
26	at Kentucky	L, 68-76

### March

1	Alabama	W, 78-51
5	at Vanderbilt	W, 86-76
11	Tennessee#	W, 85-74
12	Vanderbilt#	W, 77-66
13	Kentucky#	L, 54-70
17	UC Santa Barbara*	W, 79-51
19	UCLA*	W, 73-65
24	BYU*	W, 83-74 (OT)
26	Butler*	L, 71-74 (OT)

\$ Global Sports Invitational

% Orange Bowl Classic – Sunrise, Fla.

# SEC Tournament – Atlanta, Ga..

\* NCAA Tournament – Tampa, Fla. & New Orleans, La.