

Stanford Head Coach Johnny Dawkins

“I’ve been watching a lot of Dartmouth games during the last two weeks because we were off for that amount of time. We studied pretty much every game they played.”

“We built good leads. I give their team a lot of credit. They kept fighting. They made plays.”

“Our guys take school very seriously. They were really focused. The priority during this time of year when finals are here is preparing for those finals and doing a great job. It’s about standards and they came here with really high standards and that doesn’t dissipate because they’re here now and playing on the men’s basketball team.”

“Rosco [Allen] is starting to grow into his own. He’s had back-to-back games where he’s really stepped up and made the plays we expect from him. He needs to be an aggressive player and he needs to be one of our scorers. He needs to be in that mindset every time he steps on the floor. That mindset has really helped round out his game.”

Senior Forward Rosco Allen

“We started off pretty strong, but they came in and hit a few shots. They executed well and we had to buckle down on defense.”

“My last final was on Monday so I was one of the lucky guys. I had some projects and papers due. I was able to do it on my own time which was nice.”

“One guy who did have a final due at noon today was Christian Sanders. He had a fourteen page paper due at noon today so he was busy working last night and this morning.”

“Usually we have a height advantage between us three (R. Allen, R. Travis, M. Humphrey) so it’s always an emphasis to go after offensive rebounds.”

Sophomore Forward Reid Travis

“It [finals week] definitely helped rejuvenate our team. Even though we did have two weeks off, we were going hard everyday in practice. It was almost like we were having game week, even though we had some time off.”

“I had an economics final on Monday morning. After that, it was smooth sailing.”

“We did a great job on jumping out on some of the plays we saw on film.”

“We were so excited to go against another team for once.”